TEAM HAS STARTED TRAINING FOR TRIP

E CHAMPIONS OF THE PAN-HANDLE LAST YEAR.

Basketball Team will be Practically the Same as Last Year-Trip Starts January 11.

The basketball team started work Tuesday night getting themselves into shape for a long hard season. The team has scheduled no games in the Panhandle as yet, but a number of games are expected before Chritmas with the neighboring towns and then the real work of the team will start when they meet Wichita Falls on January 11. The boys hope to win all their Panhandle games as they did last year and then will meet some of the strongest teams of the central state.

The composition of the team will be practically the same as last year. Cavet has just returned from his season with the Minneapolis ball team and is in excellent condition. He is prepared to play the same fast game at center as he played last year. The two Lair boys are in the city and promise to do as good work at forward as they did last year. The boys have had a great deal of experience and can always be relied upon for fast consistent work. At guards there OVER THREE INCHES OF MOISTURE will be Rowan, Reeves and Captain funt. Rowan and Reeves both played good ball last year. They were both given chances in the game and it was usually a toss up to choose the best man. Captain Hunt is the oldest man on the team, having been a star during his college days. He has the entire training of his team and the success of last year's season was due entirely to his tireless efforts and his great understanding of the game. During the entire season he had the team well trained for every played such a game as to be largely responsible for a straight line of victories.

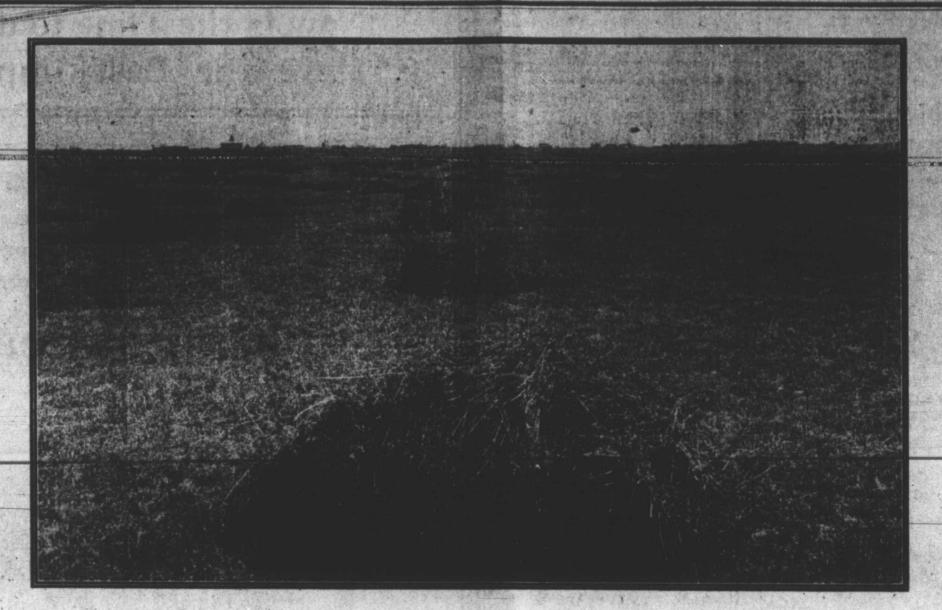
The team hopes to meet every Panhandle team before Christmas and on January 11 will start the trip for the central part of the state. The following games have been scheduled: Wichita Falls, Bowie, Decatar, Ft. Worth Y.M.C. A., Polytechnic, T. C. U., Bayior, Waco Y. M. C. A., State ly two feet. University, four games at San Antonio with the following games: Y.M.C.A., 22nd Infantry, Turnverin and Fort Sam Houston. Other games are being arranged, and it is hoped that a the fields with the wheat drills much longer schedule will be and disc harrow. Nearly every arranged.

Games Postponed.

Both the basketball and foot ball games which were scheduled row. for this week were postponed on Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

G. W. Avant arrived in the city this week with his family from Jonesboro. Mr. Avant has bought the O. C. Davis home. The News welcomes Mr. Avant terday another big snow fell in study in Berlin. Mr. Peterson to our city.

a fresh shipment Beech Nut of three or four inches. When be one of the best musicals of Pork and Beans from factory. 1 this melts the ground will rethe season.



Alfalfa on the farm of C. R. McAfee near Canyon. The seed from the fourth cutting made . \$36 to the acre, and the first three cuttings made one ton to the acre and sold for \$14 per ton, making a total of \$78 per acre for the 25 acre field. The Panhandle has proven to be one of the richest alfalfa sectionp in the United States.

Use of cut, Complementary of the Texas Panhandle Magazine.

SNOW, RAIN AND SLEET LAST WEEK

FALLS IN THREE DAYS.

Ground Soaked Down Over Thirteen Inches-Farmers Putting in Great Wheat Crop.

Beginning last Thursday night with a slow rain which early developed into snow and continued all through the night, continuing with an all day rain and snow on Friday, Friday night and Saturday night and all day Sunday, game played and in every game the Panhandle was again soaked with three inches of precipitation. By Sunday night the entire country was one sheet of mud. The rain and snow fell slowly and every drop soaked in the ground as it fell. The streets were mud over half a foot deep and the sod ground is reported to be soaked over thirteen inches deep while the moisture in the plowed ground has reached near

The farmers are delighted with the fine fall season. Those who have not already planted their wheat are preparing to do do so as soon as they can get into farmer had his ground in excellent condition before the rains and is preparing to preserve all the moisture after these rains by a liberal use of the disc har-

Those who had planted their account of the weather. The wheat early in the fall so that it Goodnight girls will come to got the benefit of the earlier Canyon tomorrow for their game rains report that the last few with the Normal girls, and the days there has been a wonderful Normal football team will go to growth. There can be little of Amarillo, will give a joint re-Plainview on Monday for their doubt that the wheat acreage and cital at the Normal auditorium, game. The basketball game will yield for next year will be the be played at the gymnasium greatest in the history of the Panhandle.

More Snow.

and continuing throughout yes just returned from two year's Just received at The Leader, covers the ground to the depth voice lessons. The recital will

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING. FLAX MAKES 15

Committee Appointed to Secure Epworth League Encampment at Six Mile Crossing.

of the commercial club members was held last Friday afternoon to take up the matter regarding the establishment of an Epworth D. L. Hickeex Makes \$45 to Acre League Encampment at the Six Mile crossing. It was the consenses of opinion that the encampment should be established some place on the canyons and that the best places were to be found above the Six Mile Crossing. A committee was appointed with L. E. Cowling as chairman and R. B. Cousins and R.A. Terrill to take the matter up with the proper authorities to secure this location.

Another committee composed of C. O. Keiser, Oscar Hunt and J. D. Gamble was appointed to take up with the commissioner's court the matter of opening a public road from Canyon to the Six Mile Crossing, via the Palo Duro club grounds.

It was decided to have another get-to-gether banquet in the near future.

Attorney H. H. Cooper, of Amarillo, was present at the meeting and made a very interesting talk. He was made an honorary member of the Canyon Commercial club.

ceive another big soaking.

The thermometer dropped to 20 above Wednesday night and the ground has been frozen on top. However, the temperature is gradually rising.

Will Give Concert.

On Monday night, Nov. 20, Frederick A. Herrman, of Plainview, and Eugene W. Peterson, under the auspices of the Cousins and Sesame societies. Mr. Herrmann is well known to many Canyon citizens. He was formerly in Amarillo and won great distinction as an organist Beginning Wednesday night in the Methodist church. He has this city. There was no wind is well known in Canyon, coming and a perfect sheet of snow now to the city regularly to give

BUSHEL YIELD

A meeting of a large number LAND MORE THAN PAID FOR WITH THE FIRST CROP.

> From 200 Acres-Will Plant 2000 Acres Next Year.

That the Panhandle is one of the best flax countries in the United States has been sufficiently proven by D. L. Hickcox. near this city, who had in 200 acres this year and made an average yield of 15 bushels to the acre. The crop sold at \$3 per bushel. Mr. Hickcox is thoroughly satisfied that the Panhandle will make good with flax and is making preparations to put a 2000 acre crop in next year.

Mr. Hickcox came to the Panhandle from Northern Minnesota last year, where flax is grown very extensively. He bought land and after thoroughly investigating conditions came to the conclusion that the Panhandle could raise just as good if not of the Presbyterian Churchbetter flax than he had raised in the north. Consequently a 200 acreage was planted this year and the test has been very satisfactory. He has more than paid for his land with the first crop. So confident is Mr. Hickcox that the Panhandle will produce flax surpassed by no country, he is going to put out a 2000 acre crop next year.

The interest taken in Mr. Hickcox's flax crop this year has been very great and many farmers have come to the conclusion to plant a small acreage of flax next year. The crop is always in demand and will always bring a very high price.

Panhandle Magazine.

The October number of the Panhandle magazine was received at the News office Tuesday. In this number is a write-up from Canyon and has a good number of good pictures. The magazine is on sale at the News office. A limited number are for sale and those wishing copies will have to apply at once.

Come to Canyon to live.

UNION SERVICES.

Four Young Peoples' Societies will Hold Union Services at Methodist Church Sunday Night.

peoples societies of the churches struction that will be highly has been planned and will be beneficial for their school work. held next Sunday night at the A. L. Day. of Commerce, who Methodist church at 6:30. The was a member of the state exmeeting is the first of its kind to amining board compiled the folbe held in the city and the pro- lowing data for President Cousgram as arranged by the com- ins: The per cent of failures of mittee in charge is intended to those who took the examinations bring the young people closer were as follows: Canyon 35.7, together in their religious work. Stamford 38.7, Baylor 41, Den-The following program has been ton 43.8, Commerce 47.3, San prepared for the meeting:

Topic-The Young Peoples Work in the Church. Leader-Lola Word.

Hymn No. 21.

Prayer-People standing-Bro Hutchison.

Duet-Misses Weltha and Avis McNeil. Scripture Reading-Leader.

The B. Y. P. U. Work in the State-Miss Ritchie. Solo-Willie J. Eakman. The Christian Endeavor Work

of the Christian Church in the State-Earlene Garrison. The Christian Endeavor Work

Mr. Muldrow. Quartette- Messrs. Marquis, Hill, Allen, Reid.

The Epworth League Work in the State-Miss Kelly.

Reading-Mrs. Smith. Duet-Misses Howren Donald.

The Cooperation of the Young People in Church Work-Mr. Warwick.

Closing Hymn. Benediction-Bro. Groves.

R. A. Wilson Dead.

R. A. Wilson, age 24, died Oct. 17, 9 p. m., at the family residence, 3908 Thomas Ave. Dallas, Contributed.

Owing to the high price of coffee you will find it to your advantage to take notice of the Leader's Special on page 3. 1t L. T. Lester home.

NORMAL STUDENTS MAKE BEST RECORD

HAVE LEAST FAILURES IN SUM-

Also Exceptional Record of Having Third Highest Number of Applicants in State.

That the teachering staff of the West Texas State Normal College is absolutely the best in the state in the preparation of teachers for their work in the schoolroom is seen in the results of the state examinations which were given to the teachers of the state in the various summer schools during June and July, The local school has the envitable record of having the least per cent of failures among its applicants of any summer school in the state and it also gains very high honors by having the third largest number of applicants despite the fact that this summer was the first summer session ever held and the school was just ending its first year's work. These two facts show that the West Texas State Normal is attracting great attention all over the state among the teaching fraternity and that the faculty is composed of men and women who know the needs of the teacher through their wide experience in the class room and are there-A meeting of the young fore able to give the teachers in-

> Marcos 47.4, Huntsville 48.6. The following were the numbers from these schools who took the examinations: Commerce 865, Denton 463, Canyon 316, San Marcos 215, Huntsville 191, Stamford 183, Baylor 170.

It is also pleasing to note that Canyon stands third in number of builders, that is, those who are taking work for a higher grade certificate.

With such a fine record for its first year's work, it is no wonder that the West Texas State Normal is attracting such great attention in the lower part of the state and is growing so rapidly in numbers. The wonderful climate of the Panhandle is more and more attracting attention and next year the summer school will be much nearer the top in numbers and will continue to hold the high position of efficience which it gained its very first year.

Another Skin Game.

A large number of Randall county citizens are being stung by a peddler who is selling buggies through the country. says that he sells direct from the factory to the buyer and thus saves the merchant's pro-Texas of a relapse of typhoid fits. As a matter of fact, those fever. He leaves a wife and who have examined the buggy small son. He was a plasterer say that it is a very cheap affair and had done a great deal of and that the price asked is from work around Canyon and Plain- 25 to 50 per cent higher than view. His remains were shipped that asked by local dealers for a to Roswell, N. M., for interment | much superior buggy. The main His widow will reside at Roswell. feature in his game is the taking He was a brother of W. L. Wil- of notes, which will be the source of regret to most of the purchasers.

> Frank Lester, of Happy, visited over Sunday at the parental

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DISTRICT COURT ON NEXT MONDAY

NOVEMBER TERM WILL HAVE VERY civil appeals. MUCH BUSINESS.

All of the Dockets are Quite Full and Many Important Cases will be Tried.

Judge Browning will arrive in the city next Monday to open the November term of the district court. The following is the docket of cases for trial:

JURY TRIAL DOKLET.

W. M. McCann vs D. A. Shriber, suit for debt. E. C. Peck vs A. T. & S. F. Ry

Co. et al, damages

First National Bank of Canyon vs G. D. Abbott et al, suit for

GO TO THE RESCUE.

Don't Wait Until it is too Late .- Follow the Example of a Canyon City Citizen.

Rescue to the aching back. If it keeps on aching, trouble

Backache is kidney ache. If you neglect the kidneys' warning.

Look out for urinary trouble. This Canyon City citizen will show you how to go to the res-

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JUDGE'S CIVIL DOCKET.

J. W. Cummings vs Lois Cummings, motion to reopen case.

N. Thompson vs Standard Trust Co., suit to cancel contract and for damages, in the court of

W. C. Campbell vs F. M. Riley trespass to try title.

M. M. Cribbs vs J. K. Wilken son, debt and foreclosure. T. Bowman et al vs G.M. Brock

respass to try title and for dam-J. D. Glover et al vs J. P. Glo-

ver, partition suit. Fulton Lbr. Co. vs J. F. Berry and J. N. Haney, forclosure of

materialman's lien. First National Bank vs. C. M.

Thomas et al, debt and foreclosure.

APPEARANCE DOCKET.

First National Bank of Canyon vs/Wm. Harvey, debt and fore-

Mrs. Mary M. Cribbs vs W. Dave Cribbs, divorce.

J. E. Rogers vs R. T. Williams, trespass to try title. J. N. Haney vs J. F. Berry,

trespass to try title and remove

foreclosure.

which were continued from the ber be present. last term of court.

Henry Shinebarger vs A. M. Smith, debt and foreclosure. J. W. Ballard vs Otis Malcolm

et al, debt and foreclosure. Canyon Exchange Co. vs C. V. Woolley et al, suit for commis-

F. M. Rabe et al vs E. J. Kirk-

F. C. Shell vs C. N. Harrison et al, debt and foreclosure. H. E. Franks et al vs P. & N

I T. Ry Co., suit for damage. Mrs. A. N. Finklea vs P. & N live up to all the claims made for T. Ry Co., personal injury suit. Harbin, Robe & Taylor vs

J. M. Sanford, administrator, vs Anna Lee Taylor, to try title. Remember the name-Doan's C. O. Keiser vs Henry Mc-25-2t | Candless, debt and foreclosure.

vendor's lien notes.

J. E. Rogers vs J. B. Phillips, trespass to try title.

Canyon National Bank vs Canyon Mercantile Co., suit on promissory note and foreclosure of collateral securities.

D. A. Ines vs W. F. Lester. suit for debt.

R. S. Pipkin at al vs J. C. Kello, suit for commission.

Albert Peterson vs Louis Lass debt and foreclosure. S. H.Smith vs Molly C.Guerre

debt and foreclosure. Kathryn Hutson and Cedar Talley Land & Cattle Co. Ltd., vs H. A. Howell and First Nat-

ional Bank, suit for debt. W. R. Evans vs Wm. Erdman, for damages and to try title.

R. E. Pickens vs E. S. Collins et al, to try title and for damages. S. J. Cox vs Elia F. Heald et al partition suit.

First National Bank of Canyon

vs Canyon Mercantile Co., suit on notes.

Fred Oberhelman et al vs Merton McGuire, debt and foreclos-

Enoch F. Wilson et al vs Min nie B. Wilson et al, partition suit.

CRIMINAL DOCKET.

State of Texas vs W. A. Coole violation local option law. State of Texas vs W. H. Harris,

theft of horse by bailee. State of Texas vs Bob Mullins

Those who attend the performance given by Richards & Pringle's Famous Georgia Minstrels at the Opera House on Monday, Nov. 13, will realize the truth of this couplet.

Retaining all the old-time atmosphere that made minstrelsy so popular in the days when the Mississippi was the commercial highway of the country and the care-free darkey sported amid the cotton and the cane of the Southland, together with all the latest and brightest ideas of the present day, Richards & Pringle's Minstrels stand supreme.

While the production given by this company is lavishly mounted it keeps close along the lines of the old-time minstrel performance, that so pleased your father and his father before him-a novelty in these days of unusual striving for unnatural effects.

This company has been in existence thirty years, and in every country where the English tongue is spoken, and has pleased millions of people. They will doubtless, please you.

The street parade, which deserves more than passing mention will occur at noon.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary soci-G. L. Abbott vs M. C. Nobles ety of the M. E. church South et al, trespass to try title and for met Oct. 31 and planned to have Rockwell Bros. & Co. vs G. M. the business was transacted Mrs. Brock et al, debt and foreclos. Wilson gave an interesting account of her visit to the Rescue First National Bank of Canyon Home at Dallas and the work bevs Jas. L. Moore et al, debt and ing done in the home. Tuesday Nov. 7, will be the regular Deno-A large number of tax suits tional meeting. Let every mem-Reporter.

> J. R. Hendrix, of Wichita, Kansas, arrived in the city Tuesday to look after his land near Happy. Mr Hendrix has been in the Panhandle several times and says that things look better every time. Mr. Hendrix will move down about Jan. 1st, to improve his land.

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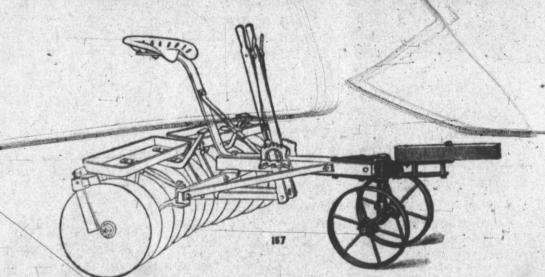
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P. & O. Disc Harrow

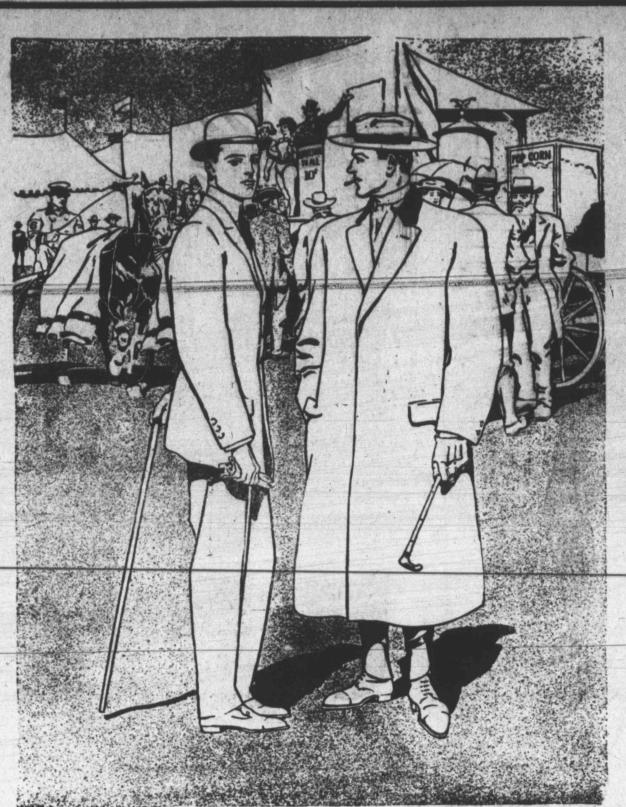


Leads them all, as it positively has no equal. It is made in all sizes. Also can be equipped with tandem attachment, so as to double disc as you go. It is the longest life and most substantial disc harrow on the market. See us before buying.

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A Little Grammar Lesson. By A. N. H.

(To be cut out and pasted in the hat.)

Not one person in ten, perhaps, correctly spells the name of the beautiful little stream that meanders around our southern suburbs. This may seem a small matter, but it would seem little short of a reproach that educated people, especially, can not spell the name of a stream on whose banks they live.

Both our creeks have Spanish names. The one on the north side bears a masculine, and the one on the south, a feminine name. Each name is a compound of a noun and a qualifying adjective. In Spanish the adjective generally follows the noun it modifies, and generally has the same termination to indicate the gender, for adjectives like nouns are declined as to gender, and must agree in gender to the nouns they qualify.

Let us take our north creek first, though its name is generally spelled correctly; Palo Duro, palo means a pole or sapling, and duro means hard, firm or dense. The noun ends in o, so must the qualifying adjective. The termination o, almost always indicates a masculine noun, that is nouns ending in o are almost invaribly masculine and the same rule applies to adjectives.

Tierra Blanca, is a feminine name, tierra signifies earth, and blanca means white. Remember that blanco, a masculine adjective, also means white as Blanco Canyon, or Canyon Blanco as the Spaniard would put it, but canyon is a masculine noun, while tierra is feminine and its qualifying adjective must be feminine and take the usual feminine termination.

How often do we see "Terra Blanco" both the noun and the adjective misspelled. And this error is not confined to the unlearned, but even our great religious weekly, The Randall County News, which is supposed to "know," and to be a model of grammatical and orthographical correctness, only last week carried a ten point heading concerning the "Terra Blanco Association." Fellow denizens, let us be a little more careful and remove this stigma, of butchering "The King's Spanish," with reference to this beautiful, innocent and helpless little stream of which we are all so proud.

Rev. Shuffler Dead.

According to a dispatch from Clarendon, Rev. C. M. Shuffler died suddenly early Monday at that city. No particulars of his death has been received. Rev. Shuffler has been in Canyon a number of times and has a large number of friends who will be grieved to learn of his demise. He was in Canyon early in the summer and held a series of meetings at the Methodist church. Mr. Shuffler was missionary evangelist and has done a good work in the Panhandle.

The regular monthly union meeting will be held at the Meth odist church Sunday night.

Notice to present claims against Estate

All persons having claims against the estate of R. H. Sanford, late of Randall county, Texas, now deceased, are hereby notified to present the same within the time prescribed by law.

Address all claims to the administrator, J. M. Sanford, Panhandle, Texas, making proper affidavit to the claim as prescribed by law.

30t4

J. M. Sanford, Administrator.

FOR SALE—Bay pony, gentle to work and drive, A. D. Dooley.

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WOODROW WILSON.

At the Dallas fair last Satur day it was our privilege to hear speak one of the men who is most highly spoken of today for the nomination for president on the democratic ticket. It is needless for us to review the speech as made by the noted governor of New Jersey as every daily paper in the state has run the speech in full and practically every one of our readers has already seen the address.

The reception given Governor Wilson was undoubtedly the greatest we have ever witnessed. There was no standing room left in the great coliseum and the cheering that greeted the governor as he stepped to the front of the platform to speak lasted for many minutes. The crowd simply went wild, and as the enthusiasm died away, some fellow would get a fresh start and the bowl would break out afresh. During this time the governor stood at the table quietly smiling out. With proper advertising, it and seemingly enjoying the applause.

Governor Wilson makes splendid appearance on the platform. He is about six feet tall, muscularly and well built and will weigh about 185. He is not handsome but to look into his face, one is held by the piercing smile. He has the face of a stufrom his lips, every sentence some time. grammatically perfect, you are reminded of a college lecture Colquitt didn't applaud when room rather than of a political Woodrow Wilson said there platform. Mr. Wilson is not an should be no "closed door interorator as Mr. Bryan, but many views" in state government. of his characteristics are the same. His sentences come flu ently; he speaks slowly; his gestures are calm and deliberate; he ground is now ready for a big never shouts or exerts himself; wheat acreage. the audience is held through the personality of the man rather

We were very greatly disap justly deserve. pointed in the speech of Mr. Wilson in that he never set forth one principal upon which he hoped to base his campaign. He spoke entirely upon generalities. display. He set forth the great need of reform in government, but did not say how he would go about obtaining this reform. He said that progressives like himself and Mr. La Follette were called one over on the Giants. radical because they set forth the exact state of things, and not because their methods were radical, and ended up by saying that there were different methods of reform, but failed to name any of to do it. The ground is in fine

tions he touched were the tariff. and the corporations. He said that the tariff could only be revised by taking it up schedule of Texas. by schedule rather than by a general revision with no method of uniformity. As to the corporation, he says that he was not and put him to work. opposed to them, that they were necessary, and that they should be made to understand that we were to take them into partner of. ship, not letting them take us into partnership.

if any reform was made the They are interested in the Pandemocratic party would have to handle. make it. He pointed out that the republican party was going their back. The republicans in the building, too. want rest, but the democrats have just found the road and the do anything more in politics un- deserve how you do squeal. less they take all the people into their confidence. They should Don't throw waste paper into tion of the state.

draw all the people into reform. We do not believe that Wilson will receive the nomination by the democratic party. From the conservative element of the party he is looked upon as a radical reformer. He is too new in politics to be taken up by the conservative leaders and even many of the radicals consider him too radical. The campaign is yet too young to make any prophesies of the future, but unless the tide changes, we do not believe

that Woodrow Wilson will ever

president of the United

At Dallas Saturday we met Judge Ramsey, prohibition candidate for governor of Texas. Mr. Ramsey is a very pleasant and agreeable man to meet. He said that he had received good report from the Panhandle and believed he would carry the entire section by a good majority. We assured him that the Panhandle was not very well pleased with some of the performances of the present governor and believed that the voters would be with him in the coming primaries. We hope to say "Governor Ramsey" a year hence.

A suggestion is being made for Panhandle fair next year. The enterprise ought to be carried would be one of the best plans possible to get the advantages of our section presented to the seekers of homes in the realm of good and cheap land.

Senator Culberson makes a fine appearance before an audience. The reception given him eye and the calm and kindly in Dallas Saturday was certainly grand. His words of introducdent rather than a politician, and tion for Mr. Wilson were about as the easy flow of words came the best put we have heard for

The Panhandle was certainly soaked last week and this. The

Every Texas boy and girl than the words and gestures he ought to be able to see the Dallas fair. It would be a treat they

THE PARAGRAPHER.

Holiday goods will soon be on

There is nothing just like missing a train.

Incidentally, the Athletics put

The Panhandle looks better every time we come back to it.

Sow wheat! Now is the time

The Panhandle can put up a better crop exhibit than the rest

Strong competition is a good thing to arouse the sleepy one

A day at the state fair will the streets. It might be the come as near "fagging" a fellow cause of a fire, and then you were their partners, and that we entirely out as anything we know would be sorry for the careless

After reading the News, send He pointed out the fact that it to a friend in the old states.

Out of the 30 displays at Dalboth ways at once. They are las, the Panhandle had 12 of unable to control the forces at them. And they were the best

If you are offered more praise pace and they should keep going. than you deserve you take it, but The democrats cannot afford to if you get more blame than you ty ought to raise some cotton





Benjamin Clothes Alfred Benjamin & CO MAKERS

HERE is invariably one argument which convinces. It is so strong and so timely and so truthful that nothing can prevail against it. To-day an argument founded on fact will withstand almost any rebuttal. In politics or in the general workaday life, it is only the best that finally comes out "atop."

Benjamin Clothes have maintained their standing because no argument could prevail against them. Nearly forty years ago, when the first Benjamin suit was made, every feature was as good and dependable as it possibly could be--the style was authentic, then, just as it is now. New York has ever been the starting place for fashions just as it is today--it has ever been the home of expert tailors, just as it is to-day.

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East Texans are beginning to take notice of the Panhandle. The demand for good cheap land is growing all over the United

After visiting the Dallas fair we do not wonder that Mr. Land wanted the Panhandle exhibit in the Texas exhibit at the Chicago land show.

Every farmer in Randall counnext year. The Panhandle will grow as good cotton as any por-

COUGH SYRUPS



That gives immediate relief for all coughs, whether caused by cold or other throat troubles. Our cough syrups are as beneficial to adults as to the child and are pleasing to take. Get a bottle of our celebrated Hill's Honey and Tar today.

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Read the ads in this issue of the News--It pays you

BAKING POWDER

Sixty Years the Standard for purity, strength and healthfulness.

Made from pure, grape cream of tartar, free from alum and phosphatic acids.

Social and Personal Notes

A. S. Rollins was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Oscar Hunt was in Amarillo Tuesday on matters of business.

See the Leader's clothing ad on page three. Great bargains are offered there.

Dr. Reeves was a business call er in Amarillo Tuesday.

Miss Frankie Gober was here from Tulia Saturday to visit at home.

L. T. Lester returned Monday from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Try a sack of Monagram flour, strictly a first class soft wheat. THE LEADER.

Chas. Taylor was up from Happy Sunday to spend the day with his parents.

Thad Jair returned Saturday Baptist college. from Dalias and Decater where

· FOR TRADE—Team of ponies for good gentle single driver. Dr. U. T. Miller.

C. N. Harrison went to Lubbock Tuesday on matters of bus-

Swifts Bacon, Hams, Lard, always at the Leader.

Rev. L.A. Webb returned Tues day from Fort Worth where he had been on matters of business.

Ernest Reid returned Wednesday from his two weeks visit to the Dallas fair and other cities in central Texas.

Rev. L. A. Webb is in Plainview this week attending the annual conference of the Methodist church.

Fresh Eggs and Country Butter at the Leader.

L. S. Malone was an Amarillo business caller on Tuesday.

C. R. McAfee left Monday for a business trip to Belleville, Ills.

The Leader has two special ads on page three. Read them. 1 R. A. Terrill was a Hereford

caller Monday. Mrs. F. M. Wilson is in Plainview attending the Methodist

church. day for Dallas. She has spent ance. the past month at the home of

her brother, C. N. Harrison. FOR SALE-2 road wagons, 1 combination farm wagon. Cheap. R. E. Foster.

Prof. E. H. Wray was up from Plainview over Sunday to visit with his wife and family. Mr. Wray is dean of the Wayland

he has been visiting a few days. China pigs. Apply at the Leader.

Rev. and Mrs. Edwards, of Wildorado, were in the city over Sunday visiting with Rev. Edwards' sister, Misses Clara and

125 was the winning number sence. of the hat at the Leader last Saturday. Please present the number by 3 o'clock next Saturday and get the \$3 hat.

H. H. Cassles returned from the eighth year class this week. Gainsville and Dallas where he has been for the past two weeks very busy this week with the on business and to visit with first quarter examinations. friends and relatives.

STRAYED from home Thursday evening a little black pig. Finder please phone Canyon Cafe. p1

Dried fruits of all kinds at the Leader.

E. F. Rupf, of Happy, and his mother have moved to Canyon. They are now numbered in the News family of readers.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert England, of Illinois, and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cochell, of Hereford, visited this week at the M. P. Garner home.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a turkey dinner Nov. 7 at the Smith building. They will appreciate the patronage of the public 31t2

Mrs. A. N. Henson returned Monday from California where she has visited two weeks. Her mother, Mrs. Elzina, accompanied her home and will make her home in Canyon.

At the Leader next Saturday a \$3 pair of shoes will be given the holder of the lucky number. Be sure to make a purchase during the day and get a number on these shoes. You may be a

C. M. Thomas returned Tuesday from Mineral Well and Dallas where he went last Thursday on matters of business and to visit with Mrs. Thomas in Dallas over Sunday.

R. A. Sowder, of Lubbock, was in the city Monday on business. Mr. Sowder had the misfortune of losing his law library and office fixtures in the Lubbock fire last week. The value of the Miss Dixie Harrison left Mon- loss was \$3,000 with no insur-

> Rev. M. E. Hawkins, of Canadian, visited in the city Tuesday at the D. A. Park home, on his way to Plainview to attend the Methodist conference.

For Sale!

Twenty acres well improved land situated just outside corpo-Pigs for SALE-25 nice Poland ration. About 3-4 sub-irrigated alfalfa land. Convenient to high school and churches. . Ideal W. D. SCOTT.

High School Notes.

Louis Foster has returned to school after a two weeks' ab-

Prof Wray, of Wayland college was present at chapel on Monday and made a short talk.

A new pupil was enrolled in The teachers and students are

The Junior class has organized a society and elected the following officers: Louis Hicks, president; Bina Cochran vice president and Helen McNeill, secretary-treasurer. The society was named Current Literary Society.

The following program will be

rendered on Nov. 10, 1911: Song by school.

Jessie Smith.

Select Reading-Will Ward. Piano Solo-Charlotte Ingham Recitation—Tommie Foster. Piano Duet-Grace Winder,

Class History-Clarence hompson.

Piano Duet-Bennie Vansant, Mabel Rogers.

Select Reading-Jessie Hicks. Class News-Ara Stafford.

Class Song-Class.

The public is cordially invited to be present.

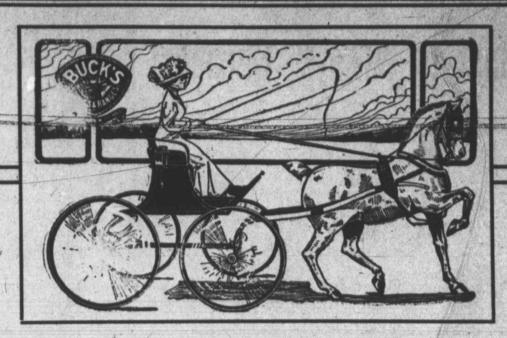
Three high school basketball teams have been organized: one among the boys with Louis Lair, captain, and Prof. Peel, coach; and two among the girls: one from the Sophmore class with Mildred Craven, captain; the other from the Juniors with Ara Stafford, captain. Miss Stafford will coach both the girls' teams.

There will be an exhibit the day. day before Thanksgiving of the work and the public and patrons of the school are cordially in-

The following program was rendered last Friday by the Sophmore class:

RARGAINS

BUGGIES, HACKS, SURREYS



and anything in the vehicle line that you want. All vehicles fully GUARANTEED to the fullest guarantee given by any Buggy concern, and we are here to make good anything we say, and not just for a short time to get your orders and your notes to be collected by some one else, or some foreign concern who has no interest in you, only to get your money. See us before you buy and we will convince you that what we say are facts.

Thompson Hardw're Co

EAST SIDE SQUARE, CANYON, TEXAS

Piano Solo-Zerah McReynolds Recitation-Elnora Cochran. Recitation-Hazel Nickson. Piano Solo-Renna Craig. Reading-Ernest Smith.

Reading-Birdie Wilkerson. The Pattery-Bernice Caldwell Piano Solo-Beulah Shotwell. Current Events-Mildred Cra-

Class News-Edith Cousins. Class Song.

Not only was the program well rendered, but the class spirit which was shown, was very great and the next program will have to "go some" to beat them.

Wayside Items.

Leo Beasley seems to be doing as well he could be expected under the circumstances. He was brought home the 8th day after his leg was broken, suffered considerably and did not rest well 1st night, the ground being wet and soft was greatly in his favor.

A good rain fell Thurs. night which with the help of the snow about a week ago put a very fine season in the ground. Farmers are very hopeful over the prospect of a good wseat crop. Quite a number have yet to sow.

Miss Ethel Helms entered school Tuesday making 31 enrolled.

Glen Marquis and wife paid a visit to Dr. Ingham's office Tues. at Canyon. His mother, Mrs. Eliza Marquess and uncle, Chas. Ferguson, accompanied them.

Mrs. Mary Hollabaugh, Miss Grace, Bee and Victor made a trip to Canyon Tuesday.

W. J. Sluder visited Tulia Wednesday.

G. G. Foster, surveyor from Canyon is doing surveying for the J.E. Wilson estate this week. Mrs. S. J. Rutledge and son, Veatch, left for Coleman Tues-Anona.

Happy Happenings.

The C- Ranch is doing a lot of improving.

Chas. McDade, Messrs. Jones,

success duck hunting last week. street. The young couple will Happy is going to have concrete sidewalks soon.

C. Brook was a caller in Happy Monday on business. The singing school is progress

ng fine in Happy. R. V. Fletcher has left Happy

to take his old position with the life. Gamble Trans. Co. in Canyon but he likes Happy fine.

Guess Who.

Wm. Clampit Married.

the Huntington (Ind.) Evening speare's Hamlet. The following Herald of Oct. 30, and was fur- is the program for the day: nished us by E. F. Miller:

The marriage of Miss Lola Tragedies. McClurg and William Clampit was performed Saturday afternoon by Rev. Henry Bridge at his father's ghost have upon his home on East Washington Hamlet's life?-Mrs. Coss.

make their home at Warren and have many friends who offer congratulations.

Mr. Clampit lived with his parents in Canyon a year ago and has a large number of friends who wish him the greatest of happiness in his wedded

Book Club.

On next Wednesday the regular meeting of the book club will be held at the court house with The following is taken from a continued study of Shake

Roll Call-From Shakespeare's

Lesson-Act I, scenes 4 and 5. What effect does the talk with

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start and will assist in every way possible our customers in meeting the misfortunes if they come.

COME IN TODAY, YOU CAN START WITH ONE DOLLAR.

The accounts and other affairs of our customers the writer of this article pointed out a number of things which

The Canyon National Bank

Capital and Surplus \$75,000.00

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We are the only firm in the city handling ice. Get one of our ice books today. The work you seen our new coal sheds? The coal is kept absolutely free and clean from sand and dust. Hence it will burn better and last longer. We buy all kinds of grain produce at the highest market price. See us before selling. Get your chops ground at our mill. We can grind it as you wish it.

CANYON COAL & ELEVATOR COMPANY

W. H. HICKS, Manager

Drawn Wire Tungston Lamps

We have now in stock a complete assortment of the new Drawn Wire Mazda Lamps. These Lamps will give a much better light than the old Carbon lamp and will burn less than half the amount of current. Use them in your home and you will have no cause for complaint on the first of the month. Call at our office and let us show you the many advantages of this lamp. The would like to have a few more patrons and if you are not already connected up why not now.

CANYON POWER COMPANY

The Development Dollar.

Mr. Editor: For more than fifty years I have been in the habit of reading everything that comes my way, have always read both sides of the question, and never read any article upon the financial question so full of error nonsense and financial bosh as the article in the News upon the borrowed or development dollar, as the writer calls it. The writer asserts that the borrowed is the main spring to all our success on business of every kind-building railroads, opening up mines and other public improvements. Mr. Editor, where do you suppose that this poor fellow was raised that he got stuffed with that kind of financial rot? Now, Mr. Editor, you know and I know and every other man knows who has financial sense enough to get up when he falls down, that a borrowed dollar hasn't any more value under any circumstances whatever than a dollar that is not borrowed. Besides that debt, is demoralizing. There is a book called the Bible, and about all the useful knowledge that the human race has ever known was derived either directly or indirectly from that book and in it there is a plain declaration, "Owe no man anything," and we know that we have not got as much confidence in a man or a government that wants to borrow everything in sight, always burdened with debt as we have in a business man or government that keeps out of debt, and stands upon a firm business foundation. R. E. PICKENS.

EDITOR'S NOTE-The News is in no way responsible for the article that appeared in a recent issue, as it is a series sent out by the Assosiated Commercial Secretaries of Texas. However, out a number of things which are true, be they demoralizing or not. It is perfectly true that there was never a railroad or canal opened with other than borrowed money. It is also true that there has never been a progressive nation that has at all times been wholly free from debt. There has never been a great business established but at some time or other in its history there has been dire need of funds and the borrowed dollar had to redeem it. However, there is a difference between wise and unwise debt and it was the purpose of the article to point this out. Money borrowed to develop land is money well borrowed and the man who borrows it and wisely invests it will never fail to become a great benefactor to his fellow man. It is not an unwise act for a nation to go into debt for useful national development any more than it is for an individual. The United States has a great national debt, and is going greatly in debt for the Panama canal because we feel that our nation will be greatly benefited for the debt. Money spent in this way brings great returns, and the man or nation who will not borrow money for useful investments is destined

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Program for Nov. 5 at 4 p. m. at the Baptist church.

Subject, Great Characters.
Leader, Mr. Marley.
Discuss Paul's character, Miss

Pearl Hensley.

Discuss John's character, Mr.

John Yonger.

Discuss Ruth, Miss Beula Prichard. Special music, Miss Tillery.

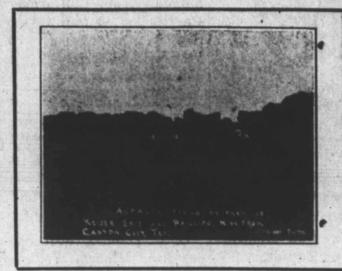
Discuss Daniel, Mr. Secrest.
Discuss Elisiah, Miss Ira
Cochran.

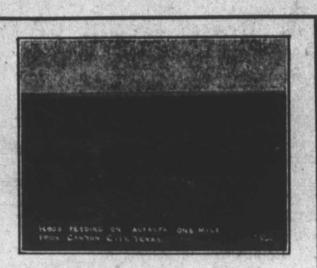
Money to loan on approved cattle security. See Canyon National Bank. 30t3

Come to Canyon to live.

STILL LEADER

Texas continues to lead the procession of her sister states in the matter of acreage, tillage, variety of crops and production. The Panhandle leads all Texas and with the steady increase of new and sturdy citizens, the opening up of virgin lands to plow and successful cultivation, will show a magnificent gain with each succeeding year.





Panhandle alfalfa is now being fed out in the less fortunate districts of other states which have suffered from drouth and heat. During the coming fall and winter Panhandle Kafir corn and Milo maize will acquire new markets in different sections of the country. Their excellence as a balanced ration for all kinds of stock will be demonstrated in heretofore new territory, the markets thus acquired will be permanent and will broaden as their superiority as an all-round feed is recognized. Many of our Randall county farmers are now planting Milo maize on the same ground from which they have just taken a crop of oats or wheat and will realize a second substantial dividend from their land. Our forage crops will help to supply the deficienty in the hay crop of other states and need only this opportunity for a trial in order to be given high rank in that class of feed.



The torrid wave which recently recently held sway over the Middle West and East, taking heavy toll in the lives of babies and adults, was tempered by our altitude and cooling showers into the most favorable growing weather for crops. Contrary to the general opinion of those not familiar with our climate, that our geographical location is condusive of extreme summer heat, the Government records for eighteen years show our average temperature for the months of June, July and August, was 74.2 degrees and each year a larger number of people come to the Panhandle to enjoy the delightful summer.

Our climate is particularly favorable for diversified farming and stock raising, our soil is rich and productive, our rainfall ample in normal seasons, an inexhaustible supply of pure water is obtainable at a reasonable depth.

I have a number of choice farms in Randall and adjoining counties, improved and unimproved, and at the figure at which they can be bought now are certain to prove a most profitable investment.

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very weak. I had spells when I could hardly breathe or speak for 10 to 20 minutes. My doctor could not help me, but I was completely cured by

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For pains in the side or chest dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Liniment and bind it on over the seat of pain. There is nothing better. For sale No. 94. Amlo. Local Freight by all dealers.

AT THE CHURCHES

METHODIST

Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m. G. G. Foster, Superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11

Pastor, Rev. L. A. Webb. Epworth League, 4:00 p. m. Evening services at 7:30. Prayer meeting, Wednesday.

All are invited to these ser-

PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday services 10:00 a. m. Sunday school 11:00 a. m. Public worship, Rev. Chalmers Kilbourn, Pastor,

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p. m. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening, Bible study and prayer meeting. 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Song practice.

You are cordially invited any and all of these services.

BAPTIST

Sunday services, 10:00 a.m. Sabbath School J. C. Hunt, supt. 11:00 a. m. Preaching

E. T. Smith, Pastor 4:00 p. m., B. Y. P. U. Jas. Lykes, Pres.

7:30 p. m. Preaching, by pastor 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday services 10:00 a. m. Bible school 11:00 a. m. Public worship. J. J. Hutchison, Pastor

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p. m. Public worship 7:40 p. m. Wednesday prayer

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Services are held at Christian Science reading room (one block south of square) every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody welcome at these services. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10:15. The pastor of this church is the Bible and Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures.

4. Authentic literature can be read or purchased if desired.

ORDER OF CATHOLIC SERVICES.

Canyon:- Holy Mass and preaching at Mr. Wells' house ceptible. on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month at 8:45 a. m.

Umbarger: - Holy Mass on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at 9:15 a. m., on the 3rd Sunday of each month at 11:00 ulcer had been the plaque of my at 7:30 p. m.

Hereford:- Holy Mass on arrival of train, 11:19 a. m. on the 1st, 2nd, 4th Sundays of each month. Lecture, 8:00 p. m. on Corns. Surest Pile cure 25c at luring July and August." 1st and 4th Sundays. Services Cassles Drug Co. at Court House.

All the above arrangements are good only until further not-J. A. CAMPBELL,

Missionary Priest.

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WESTWARD.

No. 113. Kans. City, Chicago Express, Daily.9.45 a. m. No. 27. Sweetwater Express, Daily ..

No. 37. Clovis Express, Daily Except Sunday, Ar5.20 p. m. Departs....5.30 p. m.

No. 93. Sweetwater Local Freight... EASTWARD.

No. 114. Kans. City, Chicago Express, Daily. No. 38. Amarillo Express, Arrives.9.45 a. Departs...

No. 28. Amarillo Express, From Sweetwater.

From Sweetwater...

TALISMAN WENT WITH HIM

Infortunate Little Son of Soldier Carried Prized Token to the

"He was a little bit of a chap," becan the surgeon, "scarcely up to my knee, but when he was brought in with crushed legs and one arm hanging by a thread, he tried not to cry -and succeeded. 'My favver, he always said, "Be-a sport, Joe," ' he piped, when Miss Griggs called him a brave boy My favver was a soldier.'

clothes, that he was a soldier, too, which pleased him greatly. He wasn't suffering much-he was too far gone for that-and Miss Griggs' eyes said, 'Let me take him in my arms and just mother him as long as he lasts.'

"But of course," resumed the surgeon, in his professional tone, "it

was my duty to operate. "Just as he was about to be taken out he made us understand that he wanted something in his clothes, and with his sound fist he found what he wanted in one of the pockets, and clutched it tight.

"It turned out to be a brass button from the tunic of his father, who was 'a soldier,' and the little chap wanted it to give him courage in his

"Afterward," said the surgeon, 'Miss Griggs strung the button on a ribbon and put it round his neck-so the button rested beneath his folded hands."-Youth's Companion.

A Father's Vengeance

would have fallen on any one who attacked the son of Peter Bondy of South Rockwood, Mich., but he was powerless before attacks of Kidney trouble. "Doctors could not help him," he wrote, Life Pills, and end it. Its the "so at last we gave him Electric Bitters and he improved wonderfully from taking six bottles. Its the best Kidney medicine I ever Drug Co. saw." Backache, Tired feeling, Nervousness, loss of appetite, warn of kidney trouble that may end in dropsy, diabetes or Bright's disease. Beware: Take to a garage after taking the state's Electric Bitters and be safe. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c at to be licensed was asked by a fellow Cassles Drug Co.

ANIMALS PROPHETIC SENSE.

One of the puzzling questions now claiming the attention of scientists and which, so far, has defied all explanation, is the premonitory sense of animals in regard to earthquakes. The C. S. reading room, free Horses snort, throw up their heads to the public will be kept open and gaze about in affright; cattle Tuesday and Friday's from 2 to put their snouts to the ground and moan; sheep huddle together and bleat; birds flock to the trees and set up a prodigious clamor. The only plausible explanation yet offered is that animals possess a more delicate organism than that of man, which enables them to feel preliminary shocks which, to us, are imper-

Balked at Cold Steet.

"I wouldn't let a doctor cut my foot off," said H. D. Ely, Bantam, Ohio, "although a horrible m. Lecture on 3rd Sundays life for four years. Instead I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my foot was soon completely cured." Heals Burns, Boils, Sores, Bruises, Eczema, Pimples

> Horses as friends have a thousand attractions. They are humorous and understand a joke. They are innocently mischievous and will play with their intimates. Moreover, they have a high sense of dignity. I remember a gray pony that could not bear to be laughed at. The boys of the family knew its weakness and used to go to his stall and laugh heartily. His fury and his flashing teeth, as he laid back his ears and strained at his halter to get at them. are a picture ineffaceably impressed upon my memory .- Punch.

Liver Tablets do not sicken or altitude I can find." gripe, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most deli-

Saved Many From Death.

W. L. Mock, of Mock, Ark., beleves he has saved many lives in his 25 years of experience in the drug business. "What I always like to do," he writes, "is to recommend Dr. King's New Discovery for weak sore lungs, hard colds, hoaseness, obstinate coughs la grippe, croup, asthma or other bronchial affection, for I feel sure that a number of my neighbors are alive and well today because they took my advice to use it. I "We told him, as we cut off his honestly believe it is the best throat and lung medicine that's made." Easy to prove he's right. Get a trial bottle free or regular 50c or \$1.00 bottle. Guaranteed by Cassles Drug Co.

JARRING HIM UP.

"I see you have a new automobile," said Wiggs, enviously.

"Yes," responded Biggs as he slowed up the machine near the sidewalk, "and it's a beauty. Everything works like clockwork."

"That's good." "The tires are puncture-proof."

"Better still."

"And she goes like the wind." "Gee whiz! Wish I owned one." "By the way, are you fond of. riding?"

"Am I fond of riding? Well, I should say so."

"Well, here's a street car transfer I just found. I won't need it and you can ride home on it."

Starts Much Trouble.

If all people knew that neglect of constipation would result in severe indigestion, yellow jaundice or virulent liver trouble they would soon take Dr. King's New only safe way. Best for biliousness, headache, dyspepsia, chills and debility. 25c at Cassles

WHAT HE WOULD DO.

A chauffeur who had just returned examination to determine his fitness worker what the questions were:

"One of them was about meeting skittish horse," he replied. "They asked what I would do if I approached a horse which showed signs of being afraid of the car and its driver held up his hand to me." "What's the answer?" asked a by-

"Oh, I had that all right," the chauffer replied. "I told 'em I'd stop the car, take it apart and hide the pieces in the grass."

There is little danger from a cold or from an attack of the grip except when followed by pneumonia, and this never happens when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds and grip and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all dealers.

DEVOTED.

"She's very devoted to her hus-

"Yes, she even gets him hot meals

"I am pleased to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as the best thing I know of and safest remedy for coughs, colds and bronchial trouble," writes Mrs. L. B. Arnold of Denver,

Colo. "We have used it repeatedly and it has never failed to give relief." For sale by all

VACATION.

"I think I'll spend my vacation on the Lynx," said the first flea. "I'm fond of golf."

"The giraffe for mine," declared Chamberlain's Stomach and the second flea. "I need the highest

"I do not believe there is any cate woman or the youngest other medicine so good for child. The old and feeble will whooping cough as Chamberalso find them a most suitable lain's Cough Remedy," writes remedy for strengthening their Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction For sale by all dealers.

"Look Before You Leap"

Is an old saying that holds good in starting a bank account.

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Society Notes.

Tuesday afternoon at a forty- served by the hostess. two party. Sixteen ladies were present. Very dainty refreshments of a salad course and chocolate and cake were served.

hostess Tuesday night to a number of her friends at a Hallowe'en you this year. J. W. Ballard. party. Hallowe'en stunts had been prepared by the hostess and carried out in a very delightful manner.

The Junior class of the Normal had an informal ghost walk on Tuesday night in commemoration of Hallowe'en night. The crowd gathered on the square and in a three hours walk visited nearly every portion of the city.

The Merry Maids and Matrons were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. C. E. Coss at the Hotel Bultimore. The regu-

lar program of 42 was carried out as at the other meetings of Mrs. T. H. Rowan was the the club. Refreshments of salad

Apples.

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AGE AVERAGE IS

258 STUDENTS AVERAGE 20 1-4: YEARS THIS SESSION.

Youngest Students are 16 and the Oldest 37-Total Age of Students Makes 5166 Years.

While the average age of the student body is a little lower than it has been the past two sessions, there seems to be no preceptiable difference in the advance of the students who are attending the Normal this year. In fact, most of the professors report that the students as a whole this year are more advanced than last year, although not so advanced as during the summer session, which was comprised largely of teachers. The average age last year was 20 54-158. The average age during the summer was 22.5 and this year of the 258 whose ages were reported, the average was 20 1-43. The total age of the 258 students was 5166. The youngest students, as set by law, are 16 and the oldest this year are 37.

The following are the number hostes to a number of her friends chocolate and sandwiches were of students in the various age groups:

Number	16	years	old-	-20.	
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	37	**		2.	

No age given -2 (1 boy and

The Contest.

month of the business men's con- Morgenpost.

test witnessed the advance of some of the contestants very greatly. Miss Ira Cochran received the largest number of sociation met in Canyon on Tuesvotes for the week, balloting day, Oct. 26. The all day meetnext largest number of votes, Assn. Pres., Mrs. B. T. Johnson the contestant was last month, much to the success of the only the number of votes cast meeting. The program as precontest for the locket and chain. out with the exception of a few

of the vote:

LADIES' CONTEST

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Mrs. Joe Gamble	18229	
Cecil Reid	15676	
ra Cochran	8001	
Anna Lee Howren	1732	
Mattie Foster	1482	
Willie Mills	894	
Ruby McGee	824	
Kathryn Beckman	. 774	
Birdie Wilkerson	670	
Letha Edwards	623	
Myrtle Jones	547	
Ada Terrill	515	
Ruth King	512	ĺ
Margaret Patterson	509	
Maude Dean		

ORGANIZATIONS.

In the organization contest, the Wilson school made the greatest gains for the week, polling 4925 votes. The Ralph school entered the game this week with 504

	votes.	
	K. of P. and I.O.O.F., city	1515
	Pleasantview school	1037
	Jowell school	679
	Wilson school	693
	Canyon school	675
	Wayside school	99
	Umbarger school	66
1000-000	M.W. A., city	56
	Trigg school	54
	Eastern Star	-50
	Ralph	50

RIFLE SHOOTING FOR SCHOOLS

cided to give instructions in rifle shooting in all the secondary schools. The experiment will be started by the Eighth army corps, which has its headquarters in Prague.

The sum of 50,000 kronen has been appropriated for the expeniment. Rifles and 100,000 cartridges will be provided free, while a further supply of 50,000 cartridges will The first week in the second be supplied at cost price.—Berliner

Tierra Blanca Association.

The Baptist women of this as 6597. Miss Cecil Reid had the ing was presided over by our getting 1035. The prize for the of Canyon. Mrs. Stanford of month is a chain and locket. It Amarillo who is our District matters not what the standing of Pres. was with us and ad itd this month will be counted in the viously published was carried The following is the standing substitutions. Mrs. Hedrick's talk on the Object of Assn. Union and how it may be obtained, stressed the points made by Japan at Mrs. Hedrick and then told us much about our training school at Ft. Worth.

The afternoon session was opened by Mrs. Garrison who led in the devotional exercises. Mrs. La Prade of Tulia being absent Bro. J. T. Burnett of Canadian discussed "Woman's Call to Service." It was indeed a grand message. Bro. E. T. Smith followed with some kind loving which did our hearts good.

The needs of Buckners Orphan home was presented by Mrs. Garrison in a pleasant manner. Our district work was clearly and definitely brought before us by Mrs. J. A. Stanford. She has the work thoroughly in hand and is a lovely consecrated wo-

Mrs. Bruce of Hereford told us of of some good plans for raising funds in our local sociehelpful day spent in discussion of the Lord's work.

Missionary Meeting.

in the country on Tuesday. Al- when the attendance was 305, the though the streets were muddy number of Provists was 79 to 72 a fairly good crowd was present. A good program was carried out by those present. The readings below the number Baptist. by Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Smith being especially enjoyable.

Our dearly loved Mrs. Hentime and her tender, heartfelt words to us were very helpful. This lovely, consecrated Christian woman does not realize what a power for good her gentle, quiet life is. We hate to lose her from our midst but our loss is Amarillo's gain and we hope that the Baptists there will appreciate her her for her sterling worth.

The day being cool Mrs. Davis cheered us with coffee and cake after which we were dismissed by Mrs. Hedrick.

J. P. Winder was called to Mc-Kinney Friday by the death of his mother. The funeral services were held on Monday and Mr. Winder returned Wednesday.

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Travis Shaw acted as cashier of the First State Bank during the absence of J. P. Winder.

We need more farmers.

POPULATION OF RUSSIA.

The population of the Russian empire, including Finland, according to data collected by the government statistical department for 1909, has reached 160,095,200, an increase of 3,199,000, or 26.2 per cent, since the last general census in 1897.

The proportions, according to races, are as follows: Russians, 65.5 points. per cent.; Tartars, 10.6 per cent.; Polish, 4.2 per cent.. (71.8 per cent. in Poland); Finnish, 4.5 per cent. (86.7 per cent. in Finland); Jewish, 8.9 per cent.; Lithuanians and Lettisch, 2.4 per cent.; German, 1.6 per cent.; other nationalities, 5.3 per cent. Eighty-six per cent. of the entire population is engaged in agri-cultural pursuits, the urban population numbering only 13.5 per cent.



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BAPTIST STILL IN THE LEAD

HAVE THE LARGEST NUMBER IN THE NORMAL COLLEGE.

Number 82, Methodist 78, Presbyterian 39. Christian 36-Females in the Lead.

Compiling the statistics of the church affiliation of the students in the Normal shows that the Baptist are still in the lead with the number of students who are either members of that denomities. This closed a delightfully nation or whose parents belong to that church. As will be remembered, the Baptist have lead since the opening of the Normal last year. When the attendance of the Normal last year was 150. The W. M. U. of the Baptist the number of Baptist students church met in their monthly was 54 to 41 Methodist. At the meeting with Mrs. J. M. Davis opening of the summer session Methodist. This year the number of Methodist falls only four

The following are the numbers for each denomination: Baptist82

Episcopalians 4 Catholics 2 Lutherans 2 Universalists 2 Church of Christ..... 1 No church preference......11

MALES AND FEMALES.

A compilation of the tigures regulating sex shows that th girls still hold the fort by a g strong majority. There are 178 of the gentle sex and 82 boys. This per cent is just about the same as last year and a little more than during the summer

PILOT LIKE HIS NAME.

"My, how the car slips and slides! I must discharge this chauffeur." "But perhaps he'll_improve if you give him a chance."

"Impossible. His name is Skidmore."-Life.

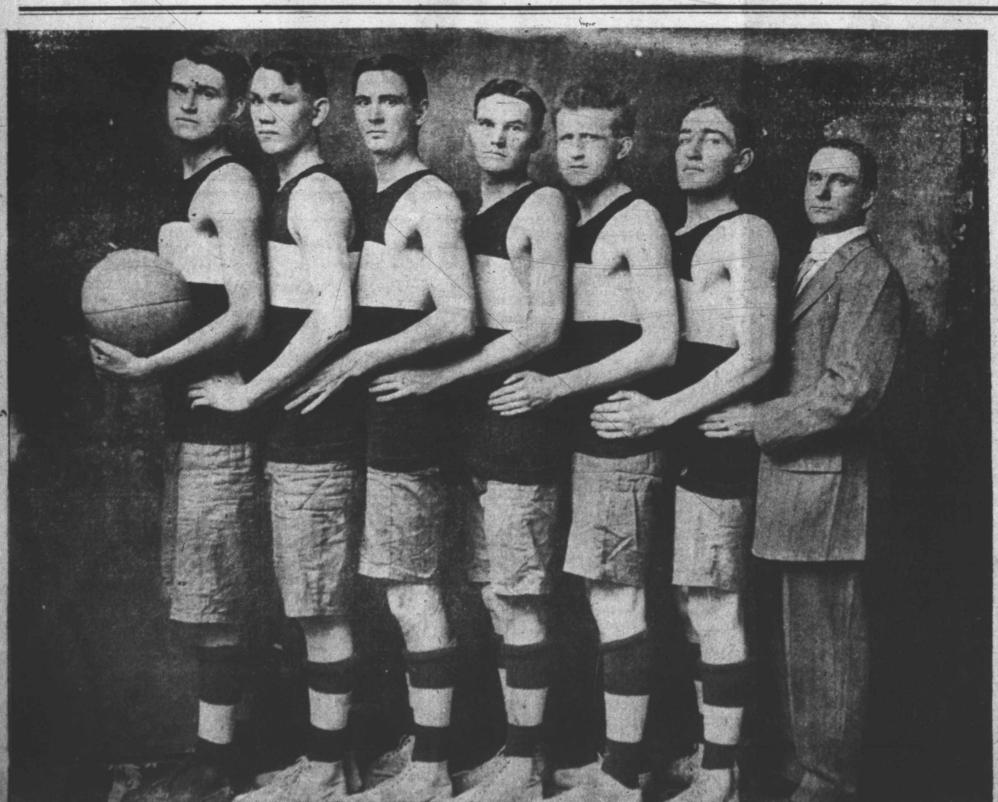


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JUDGE W. F. RAMSEY TO TEXAS DEMOCRATS

Believes Platform Pledges Are Binding in Honor.

Believes Pro Matter Should Be Again Submit ted to the People---Opposes Re-

To the Democrats of Texas:

On the 19th of September I issued a brief notice to the effect, in substance, that I would submit my name to the Democratic primaries in July of next year for the nomination for the office of Governor, and that I would in a short time, make a statement of my views in reference to some of the more important issues and question now in the public mind. Conformably to the notice then given, I now issue this statement. Al will be seen it covers and includes only some of the more important matters as to which the public have a right to know my opinion. Other matters will be discussed, and those included herein, elaborated in such speeches as I may have occasion to make during the campaign. occasion to make during the campaign.

Always a Democrat; Loyal to Party Platform. I am now, as I have always been, a Democrat, proud of the traditions and committed to the principles of the party. believe that one chosen to public office colds his position in trust for the public holds his position in trust for the public good, and that his best service is due to the whole people, whom he is elected to serve. If elected, I shall undertake to be the Governor of all the people of Texas, and, in my official capacity, shall know no class. I am committed to the doctrine that public office is a public trust for the public good, and I believe that the platform made by the party whose mandate I hope to receive, and on which I trust I will be elected, should and will constitute me its trustee, and and will constitute me its trustee, and that such platform shall be to me an anchor, a guide and a chart, and I now promise and give assurance that I will adhere to the principles and policies which shall receive the sanction and endorsement of the party in the coming

Limitation and Publicity of Campaign Expenses.

I am unalterably opposed to the use of money in all elections and in all pramaries, except for such expenses as are absolutely necessary, such as the purchase of stamps, printing and distribution of literature, necessary clerk hire and the defraying of actual traveling expenses of speakers, when necessary and requested. I am opposed to the employment and payment of speakers in any kind of a campaign, either of any can-didate for office, or for or against any issue to be voted upon by the people, and I am opposed to the payment of any compensation to any person for any kind of political service, except that of purely clerical character, necessary do the work incident to the distribution



JUDGE W. F. RAMSEY.

of literature and conducting the necessary correspondence connected with a cam-paign. All elections in Texas should and must be pure and free from the corrupting influence of money. The most effective way, and the only way, to accomplish this is to prohibit every man from receiving compensation for any kind of political services in any and elections and political services in any and elections and in any and all campaigns, except as hereinbefore stated. The political hired campaigner, the secret attorney and agent, the traveling organizer, the district, county or precinct chairman, and the ward heeler, are no more entitled to pay, and their payment can no more be justified, than to pay the individual voter his perdiem for going to the polls to vote.

The extension, the purity and the preservation of our primary election system

The extension, the purity and the preservation of our primary election system depend upon the prohibition by law of the improper and lavish use of money in all elections and in all campaigns. Conditions must be made such in this State that any honest man, though poor, can run and be elected to office in Texas, without being compelled or seduced into calling upon and accepting from special interests, contributions to his campaign fund. I am, therefore, opposed to the saloon and liquor interests of this State, or elsewhere, and all other special interests, separately or in combination, influencing or being permitted to influence and control, the politics and public affairs of this State.

Recent events must have convinced the

fairs of this State.

Recent events must have convinced the thoughtful citizen that, if our free institutions are to endure, strict and vigorous legislation must be enacted, prohibiting and preventing the debauchery of the electorate. I believe, therefore, in legislation in harmony with the above views and making their enforcement effective, and that, in addition, a law should views and making their enforcement effec-tive, and that, in addition, a law should be passed limiting to a reasonable amount the sum of money permitted to be ex-pended in any party. State, County or city election, and requiring full publicity of campaign contributions both before and

election, and requiring full publicity of campaign contributions both before and after such elections.

Regulating Payment of Poll Taxes.

I think there should be instituted a stricter rule in respect to the payment of poll taxes, to the end that they no longer be dealt in as merchandise, but that those physically able to do so should be required to pay their poll taxes in person at the office of the tax collector, or in the event of their physical inability to personally pay such taxes, that this fact be evidenced by affidavit furnished the agent who applies for and pays same and also that effective means of identifying persons, who do pay their poll taxes in legal form, be provided for, and that the poll list of voters be open to public inspection a reasonable time before elections, so that, the registration may be purged of illegal votes, and for such other just and fair regulations as will protect the purity of the ballot, insure to every person qualified under the law one vote, and that such vote shall be honestly and fairly counted. Protection and Advancement of Labor.

I believe that it should be the especial care of the State, in all proper ways, to promote the well being of the labor of the State, at the forge, in the mines. In the shops, and on our great lines of railway; to secure him against imposition, unreasonable hours of labor, and bad hyglenic conditions. That ample provision should be made for the settlement, on terms just and fair both to labor and capital, of all disputes, to the end that outbreaks be averted, business and traffic be not interefered with, and great economic loss be averted.

Among some of the measures for the

protection and advancement of labor, which I shall seek to have enacted into law, the following might be mentiored:

I favor an adequate and effective employers' liability compensation Act, as applied to hazardous occupations, which will guarantee the workingman fair compensation for injuries received in the service of his employer. This law, if passed, will save to railcaday and other corporations employing labor the expenses of costly litigation, and will, in the event of injury, give to the workingman, or in the event of death, to his family, compensation reasonably commensurate with the loss, without imposing the necessity of a long drawn out suit and years of waiting.

I also favor an effective law creating a Board of Arbitration and Conciliation to assist in the adjustment and settlement of all labor disputes.

I favor an eight hour law as applied to an persons employed in the construction of mubilic buildings works and im-

to an persons employed in the construc-tion of public buildings, works and im-

I also favor effective laws in respect to child labor. I believe that fairly understood there is no conflict between labor and capital, but, in the broadest sense, their true and best interests are identical. But provision should be made for those whose

necessities may subject them to impos-ition and hardship without injustice or wrong to the employer. Reforms in Judicial Practice and

The practice in the courts of this State Ine practice in the courts of this State is obsolete, incongruous, expensive and out of date. If elected Governor, I will use my best endeavors to secure such changes and modifications as will insure justice, promote dispatch of business and save untold expense. I can not in this statement outline such changes and reforms in detail as I favor, but I will undertake to do so in some details to the dertake to do so in some detail at another time. I believe that I can render some aid in this work by co-operating in a spirit of mutual helpfulness with the Legislature. Such a work well done will better insure justice, the dispatch of business of the courts, the enforcement of the law at such a saving, both in time and expense, as will confer immeasurable benefits upon our people. And in this connection, I trust that I may be pardoned if I venture the opinion that my acquaintance with the bar of this State, my long experience and practhis State, my long experience and practice as a lawyer, as well as my service on both the courts of last resort in this State, having jurisdiction of both civil and criminal cases, should enable me to co-operate with any Legislature which is in earnest to render public service, in such manner as to be of benefit to my country, and in so doing I shall have in special memory, not so much the lawyer and the judge, but the too often forgotten man, the litigant and the public, which has suffered long.

State-wide Prihibition. State-wide Prihibition

I advocated and voted for Prohibition in 1887, and voted for Prohibition in 1887, and voted for it in the election held last July, and would vote for such measure whenever presented. My support of it is as a measure which will degrease intemperance and banish the evils of the saloon. These evils and the domination of our State by the corrupt and corrupting lighter than the corruption of the saloon. domination of our State by the corrupt and corrupting liquor interests, I shall always oppose. I furthermore believe that, in view of the slender majority against such measure at the last election, such election has left the question of Constitutional Prohibition practically undecided, since it is claimed and believed by thousands of our people that such election was attended by such frauds in respect to the payment of poll taxes and the shameless use of a vast campaign fund and other improper practices which brought about the apparent or real defeat of the amendment, and I, therefore, believe that amendment, and I, therefore, believe that it will be wise and proper to have the question of State-wide Prihibition again submitted under proper regulations, the amendment of our election laws insuring a just and fair count, to a non-party and non-partisan election to be held in 1913, to the end that a fair and honest ex-

decided and final form I do not, however, believe that one's views on Prohibition, any more than on local option, should be a test of one's standing as a Democrat. I believe there is enough wisdom and patriotism in the Democratic party to provide for the just settlement of that question by the people of this State. I believe that the business of selling intoxicating liquors is an evil, and that their sale as a beverage should be prohibited, and that the right exercise of Constitutional authority is both wise and just.

Regulartory Measures.
Pending a settlement of the Prohibition question by the people at large, at a non-party and non-partisan election, would, if elected Governor, advise and make an honest effort to secure the passage of laws removing all saloons from the residence sections of our cities and towns, substantially limiting their num bers and at least doubling the licens tax now imposed; requiring under pen alties sufficiently heavy to secure duobservance, that all saloons remai. closed and prohibiting the sale of liquor except between the hours of seven a. m and not later than eight o'clock p. m. prohibiting the sale of liquors except it unbroken packages, and preventing the drinking of same on or about the premises where sold; a law prohibiting any person, corporation, or association of persons engaged in the manufacture or sale sons, engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors, from contributing directly or indirectly to any campaigr fund for use in an election in this State The people residing in local option ter-ritory are entitled, as a matter of right and justice, to the full strength of our and justice, to the full strength of our laws, and all the assistance which the Legislature can give to make such laws effective, and to this end I would favor a law prohibiting, under severe penalties the shipment of intoxicating liquors for purposes of sale, from any point within this State to any place in same where the sale of such liquor has, by vote of the people, been prohibited.

I also favor a plank in the next Democratic platform instructing our Senators and Representatives in Congress to endeavor to secure the passage of a law

tors and Representatives in Congress to endeavor to secure the passage of a law by Congress, preventing the issuance by the General Government of any interna-revenue license to retail liquor dealers in local option territory, and also a law prohibiting the shipment of liquors be-yond our borders into local option territory in this State for any purpose which the sale of such liquors is sanctioned by our State law.

Nominations by Majority Vote.

Mr. Jefferson commended as a basic precept of the Democratic party absolute acquiescence in the decision of the majority, and that this is a vital principle in Republics from which there is no appeal save by force, the controlling principle of despotism. But, under existing conditions in Trans. ciple of despotism. But, under existing conditions in Texas, we are committee to acquiesce in the decision of a min-ority in the selection and practical elec-tion of our State officers. The public tion of our State officers. The public officials are in fact elected in the Democratic primaries held every two years, and, under existing law, a candidate having a mere plurality of the vote receives the nomination and, therefore, the office. We have seen how a candidate for the highest office in the gift of the people of Texas, lacking more than 62,000 votes of receiving a majority, could be chosen by the Democratic party for that State office.

office.

I am firmly convinced that the welfare
of the people of Texas demands that no
one should be chosen by the Democratic one should be chosen by the Democratic party for a State office, unless and except he shall receive the support of a majority of the Democratic voters of Texas, and I pledge myself, if elected Governor, to use all proper means to secure legislation requiring nominations by a majority vote in primary elections.

There is at present no effective law providing for the nomination of candidates for United States Senator by a direct vote of the people, and I strengly favor a law providing for such nomination in primary elections by a majority vote.

State School System. President Lamar, of the Texas Republic, gave expression to a fundamental principle of a Republican form of government when he said: "Cultivated mind is the guardian genius of Democracy." It is the only dictator that freemen acknowledge and the only

security that freemen desire." Being in full accord with this doctrine. I favor a wise, conservative and liberal policy in dealing with the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the College of Industrial Arts. and the State Normal Schools, and I know that the growth, development and proper administration of these institutions of learning are essential to the present and future welfare of the people.

The administration of our State educational institutions, and even our electronal institutions, should be as completely divorced as possible from the domain of partisan and factional politics.

These institutions were established for the public good, and are maintained at public expense, and should, therefore, be administered solely in the interest of the public welfare, and should not, under any circumstances, be prostituted to political ambitions or used as political assets.

As a step in the right direction, I favor the adoption by the people in the next general election, in November, 1912, of the proposed amendment to the State Constitution, providing that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University and the Boards of Trustees and Managers of the educational eleemosynary and benal institutions shall be elected or appointed for a term of sity years, one-third of the members of said boards to be chosen every two years if the manner that may be provided by law.

A statutory special tax for these insti-

A statutory special tax for these insti-tutions would assure their greater effi-ciency, and relieve them from the domor caprice of either a Legislature distracted by other demands on their time and attention or by bitter quarrels

or an unfriendly Governor.

The common public schools, upon which the masses of the people must in large measure, rely for the education of their children, should be strengthened and improved in every proper way, and I shall therefore, take pleasure and pride in using whatever power may be vested in me as Governor, to the end that the public schools throughout the State shall be maintained for a term of not less than six months during each year, and even longer wherever practicable; that faithful and capable teachers shall be adequately remunerated; that efficient county supervision shall be provided for county supervision shall be provided for the country schools wherever such supervision has not already been provided; that country high schools shall be established wherever conditions favor their establishment, and that the present high standard in the schools of the State shall be continued and made even better wherever it can be done. I shall, too, if possible, without an increased burden on the taxpayers, as I believe it to be, secure some further extension of the age limit in our public schools.

Encouragement of Agriculture.

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Agriculture is not only our chiefest industry, but its success lies at the very foundation of our financial, moral and political well being. Stock-raising is closely allied to it. If, therefore, we are to realize the growth in material prospective contents to the greatest university. perity necessary to the greatest univer-sal welfare of our people, it is essential that the commercial, industrial and financial interests of the State, aided as far as may lie within its power by the State itself, give earnest and liberal sup-port and encouragement to agriculture and those whose labor and lives are to

and those whose labor and lives are to make it thrive and prosper.

Texas farmers now produce more than \$600,000,000 annually, and it is both reasonably possible and practicable, by modonably possible and practicable, by mod-ern methods and business principles, to substantially doube these results within the next decade. In such an enormous increase of wealth production, our en-tire citizenship would participate. To this end, I favor doing all that the State may and can do to improve farm methmay and can do to improve farm meta-ods, and to nurture and secure better means of production through liberal treat-ment, not only of our Agricultural and Mechanical College, but in and through the public schools, the Agricultural De-partment, and more widely distributed and better equipped experimental and demonstration stations, under the control demonstration stations, under the control of practical farmers, by better and more economical wagon transportation, resulting in public highway improvements, and by due conservation of all our natural resources. With this effort it should be the duty of the State to lend every encouragement, permitted by law and consistent with the best and real interests of our people, to the building of factories and similar enterprises, whereby our raw material may be consumed, prices therefor bettered, freight and carrying chages saved, and useful and steady employment given to our wage-earners.

Initiative, Referendum and Recall. I have not seen in the proposal to introduce in this State the practically unrestricted use of the initiative, refer-endum and recall all the virtues of their and and anthusiastic champions, nor do I share in the bitter opposition of those who see not only no good, but only evil, in their operation anywhere or to any extent. In principle, and to some extent in practice, the initiative and referendum have long been in use in this State. We in practice, the initiative and referendum have long been in use in this State. We have long had, and recently made use of, the initiative rule, by force of a provision in our election laws, which requires that any question may be submitted to the Democratic electors on the petition of but ten per cent of the votes cast at the previous election. In view of the ab-solute domination of the policies and polsolute domination of the policies and politics of this State by our party, such a system of initiative seems to me to be ample, and, since it can be made available without public expense, should be accepted as sufficient.

We have, too, in practice in this State, a rule of referendum often applied and generally accepted as wise. We refer

generally accepted as wise. We refer the matter of the election of United States Senators to a referendum, or vote of the people, and such practice I thoroughly approve. All Constitutional amendments people, and such practice I thoroughly approve. All Constitutional amendments must be submitted to a vote of the entire people before they become effective; and similar provisions are made in respect to the adoption of local option, the issuance of bonds and other matters. Nor am I prepared to say that there should be no other or further use of this principle, but, if used, it should only be in respect to definite and concrete proposals, formulated and defined with care. Such elections have been held with reference to the location of our State Capital more than once, as well as to our ital more than once, as well as to our State University.

Nor do I see any danger or harm in submitting the decision of this question, if desired, to the people themselves for

I am opposed to the recall as applied to the judges of the courts, and would also oppose its application to State officers. Our terms of office are, for the most part, short, and the expense, as well as our widely separated areas of population, would render its operation meffective and unsatisfactory, and certainly the occasion of much strife and bitterness. The short terms of our State officers would ordinarily make it possible. in a brief time, to accomplish the purpose desired.

As to municipal governments, where by graft or greed, great interests are im-perilled, and control over franchises and perilled, and control over franchises and law enforcement give unusual power to a few people, and such power was sought to be controlled or terminated by the right of secall, and the people of such municipality desired and demanded such privilege. I would not feel myself justified in denying it to them.

Irrigation and Conservation.

The great question of irrigation, conservation of our natural resources, husbanding and storing our storm waters

banding and storing our storm waters and preserving our streams from pollu-tion, should receive the sanest and wisest tion, should receive the sanest and wisest treatment and such administration as will be the most useful and helpful to the people of this State. On these and all other questions, my attitude is that of progressiveness in intent and spirit, as well as an attitude preservative in re-

suits.

In every Department of the government I would enforce the wisest economy without being niggardly or pennywise and pound foolish in anything. The State government can not be run without taxes, but these burdens should be no heavier than the business of the State, economically administered, demands. At all times I would see to it not only that the State pays for what it gets, but that it gets what it pays for.

Confederate Homes and Pensions.

I favor the highest possible development of the Confederate Homes and a

and a more liberal provision for every Confederate veteran, to the end that the aged, infirm and indigent veteran should receive protection, with his aged and infirm wife, and the deserving widows as well, at the bounty of the State, not as a charity, but as a duty and a benefaction.

Good Roads.

I favor the good roads movement, in which so much interest is being taken all over the State, and believe that it should be encouraged and promoted, reserving always to the local communities the right to determine by their own vote when and to what extent they should be taxed.

Penitentiaries and Treatment of Convicts.

I favor a kind and firm treatment of the convicts committed to the Penitentiary; the confinement of such of them, giving preference to white men held for long terms, as seen he profitably employed. forms, as one he profitable seployed within the walls at such industries as will least compete with free labor; the continuance of the Penitentiary at Rusk, and the operation and enlargement of suitable industries, both at Rusk shd Huntsville, and the utilization of the remainder. Huntsville, and the utilization of the remainder on cane farms at State account, except those whose age, wounds or other infirmities make their employment more desirable and humane in other pursuits in more elevated and healthful portions of the State. Having visited, personally, almost every camp and convict farm in the State, with a service of almost a year on the Board of Penitentiary Commissioners, I have some knowledge, acquired at first hand, of the Penitentiary system.

knowledge, acquired at first hand, of the Penitentiary system.

Just Treatment of Capital.

I believe in encouraging capital by just and wise laws. I shall rejoice as other lines of railway, standard, inter-urban and street car lines, are built in this State in subordination to the laws of this State, and which are content to obey such laws. I favor a policy of justice as to them, as to any and every other citizen, high or low. I believe in granting them every right which the law gives them without bullying, blustering or barganing. That which the law withhelds, or that which is against a sound helds, or that which is against a sound public policy, they could not have, by highest importance to insure to every citizen of this State, corporate and incorporate absolute protection under the law and absolute assurance that, when he or it obeys the law, he or it shall be free from frivolous or spiteful agitation, aggression or litigation. At the same time, I believe in the regulation of rail-roads and other public service corpora-tions by law, and their strict subordina-tion to the laws made, or which, in justice tion to the laws made, or which, in justice shall be made, in this State. I believe that, as the people prosper, they shall prosper, and that a spirit of mutual justice and mutual confidence is the best policy to be observed in Texas, but the people of this State never will and never ought to consent to be controlled by corporate avarice, but the law shall and must everywhere and to all persons be supreme.

Enforcement of Cristinal Laws. believe in a wise and impartial administration of the criminal laws in this State, everywhere, and against all persons alike. The law ought to be en-forced, not in a spirit of vengeance, ne sons alike. by fits and starts, impatiently, capric-lously and aggressively one day, and not enforced at all the next, but should be enforced fairly and firmly every day in the year, with inflexible fidelity, without

passion and without weakness.

Opposed to Machine Politics. I am unalterably opposed to any com-bination of license, lucre and liquor dom-trating and controlling the politics of

this State.
Inculcation of Civic Virtue. Inculcation of Civic Virtue.

I recognize that the government can not do all for our people; that their destiny lies largely in their own hands, and that precepts and lessons of religion, honesty, courage, truthfulness and fidelity must be taught in the church, in the schools, and, above all, at the firesides. But just laws, enacted in a nresides. But just laws, enacted in a spirit of fairness, justily and fairly enforced, can aid much to promote the interests of society and achieve the well being of our citizenship. I am not one of those who believe that there remains nothing to be done for the people of Texas except to fill the offices and spend the money collected from the people in Taxes.

Opposes Legislative Paralysis.

I am unalterably opposed to a policy of mere negation and to legislative paralysis and governmental inactivity.

It would be as idle, even if it could be a to be a policy of the could be a paraly fool to be a paraly fool.

ish and faulty laws, to sit down in helpless despair and feebleness, and so that we decline to do anything, as would be for the farmer to abandhis crop and turn out his field, because it was overgrown with weeds and poisoned with brambles and brairs.

Appreciates the Responsibilities of a Governor.

After all, however, is said and done in respect to the office of Governor, there is a high duty and a great service to be rendered the people of Texas in his treatment and settlement of the many treatment and settlement of the many matters which must engage his attention day by day. I believe that the Chief Executive should be the Governor of the entire State and all the people in it; that he should undertake in a spirit of mutual helpfulness to co-operate with other Departments, to the end that the best results should be accomplished, the law vindicated, the revenue due the State collected, and her people feel and be seecure in the enjoyment of their rights; and, if called to that high office, I shall undertake day by day to deeach daily task rightly and righteously to the advantage of the people of my to the advantage of the people of my native State, and to the upbuilding of her institutions.

Fair Treatment for All.

I shall neither outlaw nor prescribe
any man for any past or present difference of opinion, but every man and every good woman in this State, having busi-ness in that office, will, so far as my time and strength will permit, receive a careful hearing of his cause or complaint, faithful consideration of same and such faithful consideration of same and such redress as in my best judgment, he is entitled to. And, if I am called upon to do that work, I hope that I shall have frequent occasion to refer to and render due acknowledgment of the assistance of my friends and that I will have little or no occasion to complain of my enemies.

Campaign for Good Government.

I can not expect that all the views herein expressed will command complete and entire acceptance by those whose

and entire acceptance by those whose support is essential to my election. What I have here expressed are conclusions long entertained, thoroughly believed in, and which I have sought to clearly state without evasion and without offense; and I can not believe that they are such as the decent, honest and patriotic people of the State will find cause to create any division where them.

any division among them.

I can not permit myself to be so absorbed in the campaign, at this time, as to inferfere with other responsible duties that I owe to the public. I, therefore, appeal to those who believe with me, to take up the work of securing good me, to take up the work of securing good government to the people of Texas. I shall in due season undertake to elaborate these and other views at greater length. I shall elevate the campaign above mere persomalities, and, so far as I am concerned, it shall be conducted without bitterness.

without bitterness.

I do not need to say that, in offering my name to the people of Texas in connection with the Governorship, that I have not done so without due deliberation. I have deliberately, and on due consideration, made up my mind to surrender my position on the bench, which, I think I may say without immodesty, I could retain without opposition, to take upon myself the hardships and expenses of a campaign for Governor in the hope, and let it be added in the hope, upon myself the hardships and expenses of a campaign for Governor in the hope, and let it be added. In the belief, that I could do something for Texas, to aid in securing good government for her people, and do something towards bringing real and true peace, quietude and prosperity to a much vexed and much distressed Commonwealth; and having set my hand to the plow, I shall not turn back, but shall run the race with all diligence in the belief that a candidacy based on the issues here outlined deserves to succeed, and that it will succeed.

Respectfully submitted, W. F. RAMSEY

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Queen Ann Gobbler Flour

Manufactured at Republic, Mo. The best soft and hard wheat flour on the market.

Queen Ann flour is a soft wheat flour which is gaining a national reputation for its wonderful baking qualities. It cannot be surpassed for bread, biscuits, cake or pastries. Every sack guaranteed, Price per sack \$1.65.

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Try our flour today. It will please you.

Stewart & Ballard

Remodel Your Kitchen

You want a Model Kitchen. We have one for you-ready made. An ideal kitchen is simple and has no frills. You have your stove and sink.



THE HOOSIER SPECIAL SAVES MILES OF STEPS FOR TIRED FEET

HOOSIER

CABINET and your kitchen is complete. Your Hoosier takes

Now add a

the place of pantry, cupboard, shelves and tableputs all your work in one spot and saves hours of time as well as miles of useless steps.

\$1.00 down and \$1.00 a week for a few weeks is all it takes to own the Hoosier today. Begin now, therefore with your Model Kitchen.

Thomas Furniture Co.

arwick, Managing Editor.

d at postoffice at Canyon, Texas, as

Subscription Rates. One year, in county

K. Lamity's Harpoon (Austin): It's no use to grumble about the igh price of living. The cities and towns are running over with good, strong men looking for an easy job, who are living from hand to mouth the year round. They produce nothing, but must eat every day and wear clothes. Put these men on a farm and independent living, and produce enough surplus to feed a dozen or more people. The man who will enjoy it, and at the same leaves the country to merely do time get first hand, reliable inodd jobs in a town is simply a formation about the best section country he is free and indepen. of country in the United States. fool for lack of sense. In the dent. In the city he is the slave | Send it home. of some red-nosed boss, or is a mere street walker. This may sound hard, but it's the truth.

K. Lamity is correct. The loudest howlers about the high price of living comes from the loafing element. If about two dozen of Canyon's loafers could be sent to the country and would there be made to farm and make a living, they would then become a blessing to their families and the entire community, while remaining as they are, they are a detriment to the town and source of disappointment to their fam-

Canyon has no town row, but for fear one might break out we publish the following from Ex-Governor Hoch, of Kansas:

"A town row is to a town what a heavy frost is to vegetation. Nothing wilts a town like a town row. Better have a cyclone or. an earthquake or most any destructive visitation than have town row, for when these calamities are over they are over, and the people, cemented together in closer fellowseip by the common calamity, begin at once unitedly yield. Swisher county had a and bravely to repair waste places. Such a people under such conditions are invincible and absolute masters of destiny: But a town row distracts, disintegrates, destroys. It undermines the foundation of things. Its sores heal slowly. Its scars last."

Texas can increase its earning capacity by putting good butter, market. The dairy cow with the dreamy eyes is a money-maker properly handled. -Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

Correct. The dairy cow is one of the greatest assets any country can have. With proper treatment she is always on the job with a big pail full of pure, rich milk. There is no better place for the dairy business than right here in the Panhandle. There are no great extremes in the weather, the grass is always good and Panhandle crops are the best cow feed procurable. Raise more cows and enjoy prosperity.

When at the Dallas fair, we were greatly interested in seeing the cotton picker work. There are a few little parts that have not been perfected as yet, but when these are remedied there is no reason under the sun why the picker should not work. The only draw back to the machine is the enormous cost. Yet, concould one or two be owned in a dall county farmers. community and operated by mechanics. If given all the picking of the cotton, the owner could do the republican party. He wishes make them as hard as a paveit for less than would cost the he was on the supreme court ment. Let's use it in Canyon. planter for hand picking.

The Hereford Recorder home is in sorrow on account of the

Is it any wonder that Randall county farmers have a smile all over their faces? They have just gathered an abundant harvest of feed crop, had their ground prepared for a large wheat crop, and then have a two weeks rain and snow which has soaked the ground down for over two feet. The Panhandle is certainly enjoying blessings this year. Let's all work now for a record breaking year in 1912.

Did you send last week's issue of the News to some friend? If you didn't you missed a good opportunity to enlighten some person who is anxious to find out about the Panhandle. Send them this week's issue. They

We are a member of the typographical union, but we do not believe in the actions taken in the McNamara case in Los Angeles. If those boys dynamited the Times building they should suffer for it. We do not believe, however, that the union stood back of them in their crime, and we do not believe that the union should go into so elaborate methods of defending them. The union is always the loser by such methods.

best place on thath. Those who live here say so, those who come as visitors say so, and those who move from it see the error of their way and return almost immediately saying there is no place like the good old Panhandle. Investigate if you do not believe what we say. We invite investigation.

Plant some cotton next year. Armstrong county had a good crop this year and got a good good acreage and says that it is a paying proposition. A number of Randall county farmers raised cotton and were well paid for their efforts. Cotton will make good in Randall county and a little should be raised by every farmer.

The supreme court has again set on Colquitt. They say his bill too long. It may be, also, to the fullest extent. that his veto of the eight-hour law was void and that the El Paso court will be affected. Little Oscar is not so great as he used

The Randall County News of Canyon is congratulating itself on being now located in its own new brick building. The News is one of the best in the Panhandle.-The Barnhart Book, Dallas.

The Hereford Recorder has begun its third year of usefulness for Hereford and Deaf Smith county. Here's wishing you a prosperous year, Mr.

Now that the Chinese revolution is on, as soon as the shrewd American gets on the ground, there will be a great supply of hair goods on the market.

\$78 an acre on alfalfa, and \$45 sidering the rapidity with which an acre on flax is not a bad recit will operate, the machine ord for 1911, is it? These two have the drag at work on them. would be a paying proposition figures were made by two Ran-

> Even Taft sees the defeat of smooth off the rough spot and bench rather than president of the United States.

death of Mrs. Kelly's mother, state according to the last and and publishers might do well to The News extends sympathy to final report. It took a long time remember these facts: He beour brother editor and his fam- to find out the truth of its stand- came a very rich man, he made

THE PARAGRAPHER.

Canyon has GREAT need of a laundry and a creamery.

It is only a couple of weeks more until Thanksgiving.

Fine linen paper and envelope to match at the News office.

nate in the Panhandle just now.

claimed by President Taft as out. turkey day.

Faultlessly correct job printing at the News office. "Exactly right," is our slogan.

a loyal booster for the boys.

at New Orleans came to one conclusion-the price is too low.

The rain and snow again reminds us of the dire need of more sidewalks over the city.

There is nothing like being a back man when the mud is deep Of course the Panhandle is the and the sidewalks are scarce.

> John Guthrie is the champion nimrod up to date. He killed 21 ducks in two shots last Thurs

> Every dollar invested in poul try will be returned with big in terest. Panhandle poultry pays

There will be something doing when Uncle Sam's trust busters get a firm grip upon the steel

Few people ever get as much mail as they think they should, excepting on the first of the

President Taft lives 2,000 miles from Salt Lake and one year and four months from Salt River.-Ex.

Duck hunting has been fine veto of the codifying appropria- the past two weeks and the local and plenty of it, on the home tion bill was void as he kept the hunters have enjoyed themselves

The Panhandle won the laurels at the Texas State Fair. comes the Chicago land show where she will win more honors for herself.

There may be ethics in aviation, but we do not believe this will prevent the new Wright machine from falling when something goes wrong.

The man who makes the advertising paper for our shows evidently never got a glimpse of the performance before he began printing the dope.

A large number of candidates for county officies have made their announcements in other counties. So far all is quiet in Randall county-not even a suggestion as to who will run for the county offices.

As the streets begin to dry, the city should get busy and If left to dry in the natural way, they will be rough all winter, but a little work with the drag will

Joseph Pulitzer may have had his faults as a newspaper editor Main remains a prohibition and publisher, but other editors his money honestly and he never

accepted chips, whetstones snakeroot or slippery elm bark Canyon needs more sidewalks, as pay for his paper.—Dallas

Society Notes.

Mrs. J.E. Winkelman and Mrs. S. L. Ingham were hostesses Friday afternoon to a number of their lady friends. A unique T contest was the chief feature of the entertainment. The prize in this contest was won by Mrs. T. Rain, snow and sleet predomi- H. Rowan. A musical program was rendered by Misses Howren, Donald, Ingham, Word and Send Jack Johnson to Tripoli Mrs. Fred Luke. . The refresh or China if he still wants to fight. ments were a salad course, coffee and cake. A color scheme of November 30 has been pro- yellow and white was carried

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Winkelman and Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Ingham entertained Friday night a number of their friends from the city and Normal. Two contests were the features of the evening, Canyon's basketball team is a T contest, won by Mrs. C. N. going to do things this year. Be Harrison and an Apple contest won by J. R. Cullum. These contests were followed by a mu-Misses Word, Ingham, Howren, Donald and Dickinson. Ice cream cake and coffee were served.

> Miss Anna. Lee Howren was Sunday school class from the south of us. Methodist church. A number of interesting games had been has purchased land in Armprepared by the hostess for the strong Co. and is contemplating occasion. Candy, pop corn and apples were served as refresh-

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Harrison were hosts Monday night at a returned Saturday from a three days hunting trip to Lubbock, and treated a few friends to the with a good congregation. results of the trip. A fine big Owing to the ill health of Mrs. quail pie was the center of at

Mail Route Opened.

Monday was the first day that nesday. through mail service was extend ed on the Sweetwater branch rests well at night. from Lubbock to Coleman. The some time, but the mail service has just been started. Mail on the morning train south will now go to southern points much quicker than by the old route.

We need more farmers.

Three Months Grows the Pumpkin, but it Takes Years to Grow the

The pumpkin withers and decays with the first frost but the oak can withstand the chill of winter as well as the heat of summer. How many times can the man upon whom fortune has been forced be compared with the pumpkin in that he has never learned the habit of saving?

Plant the acorn of the future in our bank today. Your account will be appreciated.

The Canyon National Bank

Capital and Surplus \$75,000.00

Wayside Items.

The weather continues to be Colquitt's cotton conference sical program by Dr. Ingham, bad. An occasional rain with only a bit of sunshine makes it very disagreeable. Farmers are badly behind with their work, great piles of grain heaped up in the fields await the thresher. hostess Saturday night to her Quite a lot of cotton to be picked

H. M. Barker of Rosangua, Ia., moving down in Jan. He has bought south 1-2 of sec. 19 lying west of G. W. Mayo.

the Happy circuit last year, has quail pie supper. Mr. Harrison been returned to the same charge. All come out to hear him next Sunday and greet him

> W. C. McGehee, I. C. Baucom and Miss Garrett are now board. last week. ing with Mrs. W. D. McGehee. E. M. Beasley and wife made

a business trip to Canyon Wed-Leo Beasley is still doing well,

No S. S. at Beula Sunday on

No day school Thurs, and Fri. from same cause.

boarder. Private home, easy I. C. Jenkins. distance to Normal and business district. Call News office. 32t2

Happy Happenings.

Guy Murry was in Happy Monday on business.

J.M. McNaughton made a business trip to Plainview Monday.

Canyon Sat. and Sun. Will Anderson was in Amar-

Earl Cowan was a caller in

illo from Happy. Lem Scroggins shipped a car of hogs to market Monday.

The barn of Chas.Long burned last week.

The Sunny Hill community organized their literary society Rev. B. T. Sharp who served last Saturday night. Their first program will be rendered next Saturday night and they will meet every two weeks from that date. Everybody invited to attend.

> Hugh Holland shipped 8 cars of cattle to Kansas City market

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. church held their regular devotional meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home new road has been opened for account of inclement weather. I tendance was very good and the meeting unusually interesting. Several business items were discussed after which we adjourn-Two rooms to let, roomers or ed to meet next week with Mrs.

Come to Canyon to live.

COUGH SYRUPS



That gives immediate relief for all coughs, whether caused by cold or other throat troubles. • Our cough syrups are as beneficial to adults as to the child and are pleasing to take. Get a bottle of our celebrated Hill's Honey and Tar today.

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ARE YOU GOING TO BUILD??

If so, figure with the OLD RELIABLE LUMBER YARD before buying. TWe carry a complete line of building material. Estimates cheerfully figured. Buy your red and white cedar posts from us.

The Citizens Lumber Co.



BAKING POWDER Made from pure, grape

Best for good food and good health

Cream of Tartar

No alum

Social and Personal Notes

Mrs. R. A. Terrill was in Amarillo on Tuesday.

Dill Pickles in bulk at the Supply Co.

C. P. Hutchings was an Amarillo caller on Thursday.

When it is quality you want call The Leader.

L. T. Lester went to Amarillo Monday on matters of business.

Shipment fresh vegetables every day at the Supply Co. 1t

The ladies of the Episcopal church will entertain at the Thomas Furniture store Saturday afternoon from 3 to 7. erybody cordially invited.

DANGER IN DELAY.

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous for Canyon City People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they gain firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined. Backache, head ache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, and Bright's diseare, follow as the kidneys get worse. Don't neglect your kidneys. Hely the kidneys with the relipeople right here in Canyon City ner.

C. P. Shelnutt, of Canyon City Texas, says: "Our experience with Doan's Kidney Pills which we got at the Cassles Drug Co. some two months ago proved that they are very effective in curing kidney trouble, especialls in children's cases. We have used only one box of Doan's Kidney Pills so far but are continuing their use in view of the benefit they have already brought."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, Sole Agents fee one more Saturday. for the United States.

-and take no other.

attractive.

C. P. Hutchings was in Happy Monday on business.

Fresh Oysters every Saturday at the Supply Co.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Park made a trip to Amarillo yesterday.

Highest Prices Paid for Produce. Bring it to The Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Price vere Amarillo callers yesterday. FOR SALE-One Palo Duro

Club share. H. A. Howell. 33tf Mrs. Homer Richards, was in Hereford Saturday visiting with friends.

If it is a Tie you want, we can certainly please you at The

Chas. Taylor, of Happy, came in Wednesday on business for few days.

Buy your groceries from the Supply Co.- they have never been undersold.

Pug Cavet, Tom and Thad Lair went to Plainview Monday with the Normal football team.

Diamond "C"-Premium and Star brand Hams, Bacon and Lard at the Supply Co.

Jas. Pipkin, of Plainview, was up Tuesday to visit at the parental J. C. Pipkin home.

Mrs. Kathryn Hutson, of Amarillo, was in the city Monday on matters of business.

John A. Wallace returned Monday from Plainview where he had attended the Methodist conference.

One more chance at Mogram genuine soft wheat flour at \$1.50 per sack as flour has advanced. The Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Keiser, and daughter, Philis, were in Clarendon over Sunday on matters of business.

For sale-50 White Leghorn pullets and number of crystal white orphingtons for sale. T. J. Cochran.

Mrs. Travis Shaw returned Thursday from Detroit where she has been spending two months with relatives and friends

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a bake sale Sat, the 11 able and safe remedy, Doan's at the Stewart & Ballard grocery. Kidney Pills, which has cured Come and get your Sunday din-

> Sunday from Temple where she had gone two weeks ago with and below the elbow. Remer for an operation. Remer is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper N.Haney were down from Amarillo this week attending court and visiting with their daughters, Mrs. Fred P. Luke and Mrs. F. N. Taylor...

We are going to continue our Special Sale on Toltic Club Cof-Remember the name-Doan's your last chance to get this coffee 33-2t at 30 cents. The Leader. 11

Dangerous

A safe combination

in business is profit

to the seller and good

value to the buyer.

We don't sell goods

for less than cost if

we can help it, but

we do buy at lowest

prices for cash and

by a quick turn at a small profit we give our cus-

tomers a good trade and keep our stock fresh and

THE CITY PHARMACY

"THE HOUSE OF PURE DRUGS"

GOLD FISH at 10 and 25c at Cassles Drug Co. Home made Sorghum at the

Supply Co. R. R. Bates was a business

caller in Amarillo Monday.

See The Leader Special on

L. G. Allen was in Amarillo Monday on matters of business. Tuesday on matters of business. We appreciate your business.

For Sale-One cow, half Jerey, baif Durham, H. A. Howell.

John A. Allen, of Amarillo, spent Sunday in the city visiting the Supply Co. with friends.

We close our Suit Sale Nov.15. at The Leader.

Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Smith

Fanciest line of groceries is to be found at The Leader. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stephen-

Remember the Neatest and

son, of Happy visited Sunday in the city with relatives. Just received, 500 Gold Fish

at Cassles Drug Co. Visit the ladies of the Episco- ence.

pal church at the Thomas Furni ture store Saturday afternoon. 1 Morgan Caraway was in Ama-

rillo Monday taking examinations for the auditor's office. Misses Anna Lee Howren and

Tuesday afternoon. The Supply Co. carries the most complete stock of merchandise in the Panhandle. Trade

with them. F. M. Hedrick and family are moving this week to Amarillo where Mr. Hedrick has bought

a home.

Robt. Reed, of Tulia, was in the city Tuesday on matters of business. He is foreman on C. T. Word's ranch.

Just received, 500 Gold Fish at Cassles Drug Co.

Pres. R. B. Cousins and Miss Margaret Cofer went to Plainview Saturday to attend the conference of the Methodist church.

T. S. Minter was in Tulia Saturday where he attended the Tulia fair and in the morning made an address on agriculture.

Dr. F. M. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Coffee returned from

Mrs. A. T. Rollins and Mrs. H. H. Cassles returned Friday from Gainesville, where they of the vote: have been spending two weeks with relatives.

I. Herman was the winner of the Leader's sack of flour which was given away two weeks ago. Mr. Herman just presented his number last Saturday.

You can get two fish and one R globe for 25c at Cassles Drug Co. |

R. L. Marquis was the winner of the \$3 pair of shoes at the Leader last Saturday. The Lead- I er is giving away prizes every Saturday to some person who R holds the lucky number.

Mrs. McIntire and Mrs. Anthony and their sister, Mrs. Hutchinson, of Tulia, went to Hereford Monday to attend a reception given to their brother and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Gass.

Something to be had Saturday: Fresh Country Butter, Eggs, Celery, Fresh Oysters, Cranber- Eastern Star..... ries, Sweet Potatoes, Cabbage, M.W. A., city..... Peanuts, Pop Corn, Frying Chick- Trigg school..... ens at The Leader. 1t Ralph

The Fancy line of Men's Shirts just received at the Leader. It

J. A. Edwards made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday. -Get our prices on canned goods at SUPPLY CO.

You can get two fish and one globe for 25c at Cassles Drug Co Dan K. Usery was in Happy Satisfaction is guaranteed

Give it to us. SUPPLY CO. 1t when you trade with the Leader. Mr. Cox, of Umbarger, was in the city Saturday visiting with

> New car Honey Bee flour at Every sack guaranteed.

Mrs. Mathews, of Floydada, is Several nice suits to be had yet visiting at the parental C. Eakman home.

A. C. Thompson was down were Amarillo callers on Tues- from Hartly over Sunday and ordered a good job of printing from the News job department. A. C. says our prices and work beat the mail order concerns.

> Mrs. Edwards, of Hereford, spent Monday night in the city with her daughters, Misses Clara and Letha, on her way home from Plainview where she had attended the Methodist confer-

Mrs. J. T. Holland returned Wednesday to San Benito, Texas, after spending three weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Stewart. Mr. and Mrs. Holland recently moved to Ellen Donald went to Amarillo San Benito to make her future

Bishop's Place Sold.

A deal was made this week whereby N. C. Bishop sold his confectionary store on the east side to J. C. Black. Mr. Bishop will leave the city soon. Mr. Black has been connected with the establishment for sometime Nov. 20 is the date for the re- and is well acquainted with the cital given by Fred'k A. Herr- business. He is an interprising mann, concert planist, and Eu- young man and will make a gene W. Peterson, basso-can- splendid success of the business.

13 Heads, 7 Pounds.

Merry Bros. have on display at the First National bank 13 heads of maize which weigh 7 pounds. They have also three hills of maize containing 15 big J. F. Hood's daughter fell from heads, which were raised from Mrs. G. S. Ballard returned a shed Saturday and broke her only three seeds of maize. These arm in two places, just above two records are fair samples of what maize will do in the Panhandle. These two gentlemen report that their crop was excellent this year, these being fair samples of what they raised.

The Contest.

This is the closing of the second week in the second month of the contest. The votes cast this week were not large in number, Plainview where they had been but the candidates are still workmember that this is absolutely attending the Methodist confer- ing hard for the locket and chain which will be given away on the 24th of this month.

The following is the standing

LADIES' CONTEST.

Irs. Joe Gamble	18378	
ecil Reid	16787	
ra Cochran	8267	
nna Lee Howren	1788	
fattie Foster	1486	
Villie Mills	894	
Ruby McGee	841	
athryn Beckman	774	
Birdie Wilkerson	699	
Tyrtle Jones	676	
etha Edwards	623	
da Terrill	515	
Ruth King	512	
Margaret Patterson	509	
Aaude Dean	505	
ORGANIZATIONS.		SACOLICO N
. of P. and I.O.O.F., city	15383	
anyon school	10994	
Pleasantview school	10424	
Vilson school	7194	
owell school	6906	
Vayside school	994	
Imbarger school	660	
Pantous Stan	894	

562

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Announcement

I wish to announce to the citizens of Canyon that I have bought Bishop's Place, the home of the best confectioneries and drinks in the city. It is my intention to continue to carry the same high grade of goods that has always characterized this popular place. Come in and see me, I have the best goods in town.

I have the best line of bulk chocolate candy in the city and have the EXCLUSIVE sale of the Douglas chocolate, the best chocolate on the market. Best and most complete line of cigars in the city.

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J. C. Black



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Panhandle Men to Brazil.

A syndicate has secured 6 million acres of land in South Brazil for ranching purposes and has employed Murdo Mackenzie, manager of the Matador ranch, to act as manager at a salary of \$50,000 a year. Mr. Mackenzie will finish his contract with the Matadors the latter part of December and will leave for Brazil to enter on a five year contract. He is 70 years old and has been with the Matador people many years. Homer Vivian, inspector for the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association has signed a three-year contract with the syndicate at \$225 per month and all expenses, and will leave for Brazil about December 15th via New York. He will have charge of one division of the immense ranch, his territory covering one million acres. Mrs. Vivian will accom pany him and looks forward eagerly to life on the ranch. The syndicate will place 600,000 cattle, 500,000 sheep and 500,000 hogs on the ranch. They will build two immense packing plants, own several thousand miles of railroad, and otherwise be monarchs of this immense domain. Several Dalhart young men have applied to Mr. Vivian for jobs under him on the ranch. -Dathart Texan.

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Deals in Dirt.

Henry W. Thede to N. P. West, south half of survey 23 block 2Z, containing 320 acres, consideration \$1 and other valuable consideration.

C. R. Burrow and Bula Wright Burrow to Miss Maggie Avent, north.west quarter of block 17 in Heller addition to Canyon, consideration \$4,000.

J. D. Elkins and wife to J. W Ormond, west half of survey 147 block M9, consideration \$4500.

A. M. Smith to T. J. Cochran, lot 7 in block 36 in Canyon, consideration \$300.

I. L. Hunt and wife and Oscar Hunt and wife to T. J. Cochran, lot 8 in block 36 in Canyon, consideration \$300.

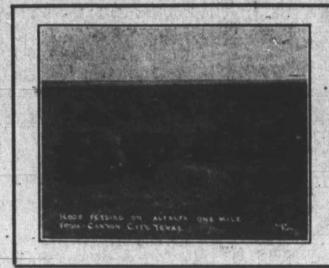
FOR TRADE-Team of poniesfor good gentle single driver. Dr. U. T. Miller.

FOR SALE-2 road wagons, 1 combination farm wagon. Cheap. R. E. Foster.

Money to loan on approved cattle security. See Canyon National Bank.

STILL LEADER

Texas continues to lead the procession of her sister states in the matter of acreage, tillage, variety of crops and production. The Panhandle leads all Texas and with the steady increase of new and sturdy citizens, the opening up of virgin lands to plow and successful cultivation, will show a magnificent gain with each succeeding year.





Panhandle alfalfa is now being fed out in the less fortunate districts of other states which have suffered from drouth and heat. During the coming fall and winter Panhandle Kafir corn and Milo maize will acquire new markets in different sections of the country. Their excellence as a balanced ration for all kinds of stock will be demonstrated in heretofore new territory, the markets thus acquired will be permanent and will broaden as their superiority as an all-round feed is recognized. Many of our Randall county farmers are now planting Milo maize on the same ground from which they have just taken a crop of oats or wheat and will realize a second substantial dividend from their land. Our forage crops will help to supply the deficienty in the hay crop of other states and need only this opportunity for a trial in order to be given high rank in that class of feed.



The torrid wave which recently recently held sway over the Middle West and East, taking heavy toll in the lives of babies and adults, was tempered by our altitude and cooling showers into the most favorable growing weather for crops. Contrary to the general opinion of those not familiar with our climate, that our geographical location is condusive of extreme summer heat, the Government records for eighteen years show our average temperature for the months of June, July and August was 74.2 degrees and each year a larger number of people come to the Panhandle to enjoy the delightful summer.

Our climate is particularly favorable for diversified farming and stock raising, our soil is rich and productive, our rainfall ample in normal seasons, an inexhaustible supply of pure water is obtainable at a reasonable depth.

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