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## CHIEF EXECUTIVE VISITS OUR CITY

### GOV. O. B. COLQUITT ADDRESSES THE CITIZENS.

Defends his Record During the Past Two Years.—Praises the Local Normal College.

Governor O. B. Colquitt was Canyon's honored guest Monday and addressed an audience of 1,200 people at the Normal auditorium Monday evening. His address dealt with his record in the governor's office during the past two years, and he confined his remarks chiefly to defending himself against the attacks made against him by Judge Ramsey, his opponent. The speech was well received by Canyon people and the Governor was heartily cheered at frequent intervals.

The committee of seventy men who had been appointed the week previous by L. E. Cowling, president of the Commercial club, left Canyon at 4 o'clock on a special train to bring the Governor from Amarillo. The committee marched to the Amarillo Hotel and reached there just as the Governor was returning from his address at the opera house. After receiving a hearty welcome, the Governor was escorted to the depot and reached Canyon in the special at 8:20. He was entertained by a committee at the hotel and then taken to the Normal building for his evening's address.

Among those from Amarillo who accompanied the Commercial club back to Canyon were John S. Harper, editor of the Daily Panhandle and Judge Graham, of the court, of civil appeals.

Mr. Colquitt spoke along the general line as his other addresses. He laid special emphasis upon the normal school needs of Texas and promised to do all in his power for the local school. He highly praised the work being done here and the standards set by the schools. He pledged himself against the location of other normals until the four Texas now has are put upon a firm basis and have been properly developed.

The remainder of his address was devoted to his stand upon the prohibition question, the penitentiary reform and other matters for which Judge Ramsey is harshly criticizing him.

### Resolutions.

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom and love, to remove from our midst Bro. Harry Howell,

Therefore, be it resolved by Canyon Chapter No. 105 O. E. S., that we bow in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well.

Be it further resolved, that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved members of the family of our departed brother.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family, a copy spread the minutes of this chapter and a copy be furnished the Randall County News for publication. Your committee, Mrs. Lana Lofton, Mrs. May Jett, L. S. Carter.

All members of the Mothers' club remember the business meeting Monday, May 6. All members earnestly requested to be present.

## SAN MARCOS WINS DEBATE.

Normal Loses Contest Saturday Night. The Initiative and Referendum was Discussed.

The Normal debating team was outclassed in the debate Saturday night with the San Marcos normal, the unanimous decision of the judges being for the visiting school. The question for discussion was the initiative and referendum. The Normal team was composed of R. Guy Rogers and John E. Younger, while Alfred Cherry and A. E. Zellers represented San Marcos.

The Normal boys showed lack of experiences in debating, while the visiting team has represented their school in several successful debates. The home team dealt in oratorical bluster, while the visitors handled their subject in a quiet argumentative and exceedingly convincing manner. The arguments of Rogers were especially good, but lacked in forcefulness of delivery.

The following men were the judges: J. H. Veal, W. H. Kimbrough and R. H. Hall, all of Amarillo.

### Field Meet Tomorrow.

The annual field and track meet will occur at the Normal grounds tomorrow. In the morning a baseball game will be played between the Normal team and Amarillo. In the afternoon the field and track meet will occur. There are only three schools entered this year, Hereford high school, Canyon high school and the Normal. None of the other schools on the Plains organized a team this spring. The meet promises to be very interesting as all of the school entered have some good men.

### Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Charles Feldman, et al.

Whereas, Letters of Administration upon the estate of Charles Feldman, Mary Frances Feldman and Maggie Henrietta Feldman have been granted to the undersigned by the County Court on the 19th day of April, 1912; therefore all persons holding claims against said estate are instructed to present the same, properly verified within the time prescribed by law, address all claims to me at box 427 Canyon, Texas.

A. N. HENSON, Guardian of the Estate of Charles Feldman, et al. 6t4

### Democratic Convention.

The democrats of Randall county will meet in the district court room next Tuesday at 2:30 for the purpose of selecting one delegate to the Texas state democratic convention.

L. C. LAIR, County Chairman.

Boys will be boys, but there are a number of Canyon boys who need parental care when they go to a public entertainment. There were large numbers of small boys scattered all through the audience at the Normal auditorium Tuesday night who thought the only thing for which they came was to applaud continuously. The result was that no sooner was one number completed until they began clapping their hand and stamping their feet until the next number began. It would certainly be a wise act for the Normal faculty to allow no boys under 15 to come into the auditorium for a public entertainment unless accompanied by their parents, and with the guarantee that they stay with their parents.

Bring your old shoes to The Leader. See their Special. 1t

## KAFFIR AND MAIZE FED CALVES



The above pictures show a portion of the 700 head bunch of calves owned by C. O. Keiser. These calves were fed on kaffir and maize ensilage and made a wonderful growth. Kaffir and maize have been found to make better ensilage than Indian corn, and the test made by Mr. Keiser shows the wonderful fat producing qualities of this ensilage.

## VARIETIES—MEXICAN BEANS

The following is the ninth of a series of articles on farming on the Plains of Texas, written by H. M. Bainer, Agricultural Demonstrator for the Santa Fe:

### VARIETIES

Black Capped White Kaffir, also called Black Hulled White is the common and best variety. This is a good yielding and marketing type. It requires somewhat longer season than the Red Kaffir or the White Hulled White Kaffir.

Red Kaffir: This variety requires a shorter season to mature than the Black Capped White, but does not yield so well and the seed shatter badly.

White Capped White: This has a white hull or white cap at the base of each kernel instead of a black one as is found on the black capped white variety. This variety matures in a shorter season and stands slightly more dry weather, but it is like the red kaffir in that it is a light yielder and shatters badly.

Milo Maize: There are two common varieties of Yellow Milo maize, Standard and Dwarf. The standard variety is large and late maturing and is not as certain of maturing as the dwarf. Dwarf is the common variety and can be safely recommended as better than Standard.

White Milo: It is a very promising variety that has not been extensively grown in any part of this section.

Cultivation: Kaffir and maize require similar cultivation. The first two or three cultivations should be done with the ordinary harrow. If the crop was planted with a lister, the lister cultivator, or "Go-Devil", will do good work once or twice after the harrow. Later cultivation should be done with sweeps or small shovels. As with other row crops, the deepest cultivation should be done during the early stages, followed by shallower work later.

Yields: The following yields show comparison of demonstration corn, kaffir and milo maize in 1911.

Corn, average yield per acre, 7 best reports, 22 bushels. (These yields varied from 8 to 45 bushels per acre and many fields failed entirely.)

Kaffir, average yield per acre from all reports, 28 bushels. (No failures and all reports included.) Milo Maize, average yield per acre from all reports, 26 bushels. (No failures and all reports included.)

On account of milo maize being more certain of making a crop than kaffir, we recommend that every farmer raise some of both crops. Usually it will be advisable to divide the acreage of these two crops about equally.

Again on account of these and other crops, like broom corn and sweet sorghums, being closely related and easily mixed, there should be some space, which may be planted to other crops, between the fields. This space will prevent mixing, insuring better seed and more salable crops.

### MEXICAN BEANS

Mexican beans is a paying crop for northwest and western Texas. They will stand as much, if not more, dry weather than milo maize or emmer. The yield will vary from 300 to 700 pounds per acre and the wholesale selling price ranges from four to six cents per pound, thus making them a good cash crop.

On account of the short season in which this crop will mature, they often produce extra good yields following a small grain crop, especially if the moisture conditions are favorable.

The ground should be prepared early and deep as described under "Better Tillage Methods." It should be left in a good state of cultivation until planting time. The beans will not stand any frost and do not do well until the ground is thoroughly warm, for this reason they should not be planted before cotton planting time.

It is a good plan to plant Mexican beans in shallow furrows, in well prepared plowed ground.

## NORMAL WINS TWO MORE GAMES.

Beats Amarillo Teams 5 to 3 and 3 to 1.—Bunch Hits and Cinch Game in One Lucky Inning.

The Normal baseball team defeated the Amarillo high school 6 to 3 Saturday on the Normal field, and again on Monday won by a score of 3 to 1 from the team representing Lowrey-Phillips school, of Amarillo. In both games the locals bunched their hits in one inning, running in the winning scores, while the visitors' hits were scattered.

In Saturday's game, the diamond was turned into a race track in the second inning. With 5 two-baggers and a walk, the locals netted 5 scores. Black, who has very recently assumed duties on the rubber for the Normal, got a poor start, allowing Adams to score 3 men in the first with a long single. Black got 5 strike outs and Murphy 9. Canyon got 7 hits, and Amarillo 3. Following is the innings:

Canyon	0	5	0	0	1	0	x	6
Amarillo	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3

Game was called in the seventh so that Amarillo could catch the train north.

Monday's contest was the best exhibition of baseball in Canyon this season. Sewell was in fine form and pitched a one hit, one run game for the Normal. Canyon couldn't locate her lucky inning until the seventh, when 3 singles and a two-sacker by E. Shotwell brought the three scores. Lowrey-Phillips scored on a long fly being thrown in.

Hits: Amarillo 1, Canyon 6.

Strike outs: Sewell 11, Richardson 7.

Canyon	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Amarillo	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1

C. S. Hutson, of Marshalltown, Iowa, arrived in the city Wednesday to look after his interests here. Mr. Hutson says that the Plains country is looking extremely good. He says that all the passengers on the Santa Fe who came through the wheat section in Kansas with him claim the Plains wheat crop very superior to anything they have seen along the road. Mr. Hutson was well pleased with all the crops in the county.

## DISTRICT COURT ON NEXT MONDAY

DOCKET FOR THE TERM IS NOT VERY HEAVY.

Over 50 Cases will be Tried.—Special Judge will be Elected for the Term.

The May term of the district court will convene next Monday. The business for the term is not so heavy as usual and it is thought that all of the cases will be tried within three weeks. There are in all about fifty cases on the docket, but most of them are of no importance. All but two cases are civil.

Owing to the fact that District Judge J. N. Browning is in the midst of his congressional campaign and to the fact that he has presided at no court for the past three months, it is conceded by the attorneys of the city that Judge Browning will not be in Canyon for the May term and therefore a special judge will be elected. This election will be made by the attorneys Monday morning.

There will be no jury cases next week. The first venire of jurymen will appear May 13, the second week, and the second list will appear on May 20, the third week.

### Commencement Sermon.

The commencement sermon of the Canyon high school will be preached next Sunday at the Methodist church by Rev. F. M. Neal, of the Methodist church. The following is the order of service.

Processional—Steadily Marching On.

Chorus—Gather We Here—high school.

Invocation—Rev. Holmes Nichols.

Chorus—Christ is King—high school.

Scripture lesson—Rev. Chalmers Kilbourn.

Anthem—Praise Ye Jehovah—high school.

Annual sermon—Rev. F. M. Neal.

Hymn—Onward, Christian Soldiers—congregation.

Benediction.

### Civic Improvement League.

The Civic Improvement league will hold a clean up day at the cemetery next Wednesday. If the day should be unfavorable the league will meet on Thursday. The ladies desire that every man assist in this work and they would like to have at least six teams. The ladies also desire that every person bring at least six trees to be set out in the cemetery.

### Merry Matrons Meet.

The Merry Maids and Matrons met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Blanche Lester. The rooms were beautifully decorated in lilacs. The following refreshments were served: olive sandwiches, cherry salad on lettuce leaves, coffee and Bavaria cream and angel food cake. White carnations were given as favors.

A large number of Spanish peanuts will be planted this week and next. One farmer in the south part of the county will put in 200 acres while many smaller tracts will be planted. Peanuts make the best possible hog feed and can be raised at a profit for the markets.

## Of Interest to the Ladies



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PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

### Straw Vote Taken.

On the special train going to Amarillo to meet Governor Colquitt Monday afternoon were 67 men from Canyon. J.E. Winkelman took a straw vote, first on president and second on senator.

The following were the results:  
Harmon .....22  
Clark .....16  
Wilson .....16  
Taft .....5  
Roosevelt .....1  
Underwood .....1  
Bryan .....1  
For senator:  
Walters .....34  
Sheppard .....28  
Randell .....0

### Mrs. Norris Makes Statement Regarding Husband.

Mrs. Norris makes the following statement: My husband bought a bottle of Hunt's Lightning Oil for Rheumatism. He has been bothered for over two years. It has done him a great deal of good and he thinks it will cure him. Mrs. Mollie Norris, Colbert, Okla. There is nothing better for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and the like.

### Father Died Friday.

Mrs. B. T. Johnson received the sad news Saturday of her father's death Friday at Portland, Tenn. Owing to the high waters on the Mississippi, Mrs. Johnson was unable to go to the funeral. It was just a month ago that Mrs. Johnson's mother died and she was unable to go at that time, being confined to her room by illness. Both of Mrs. Johnson's parents were well advanced in years. She has many friends in Canyon who express sympathy for her deep sorrow.

Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these Tablets Sold by all dealers.

John Starzl, of Le Mars, Iowa, was in the city this week looking over his possessions near the city. Mr. Starzl was well pleased with the country and believes farmers are making a mistake by not moving from the high priced lands of other states to the cheap lands of the Plains. Mr. Starzl is a publisher, editing both a German and an English paper. He also owns a large job printing establishment.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

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J. L. Turner, of Cedaredge, Colo., was in the city this week looking over his land near the city. His two sons accompanied him. Mr. Turner was well pleased with the prospects and is thinking of sending his sons down this year to farm.

Many Canyon ladies are using Matchless Sanitary Cleaner to keep their houses looking clean and fresh. Ask them how they like it. Just the thing for house cleaning time. Call the News office.

### ANSWER IT HONESTLY.

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This is a vital question. It is fraught with interest to Canyon.

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A citizen's statement is reliable.

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T. H. Stewart, Canyon, Texas, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills for pains in my back and found them very beneficial. They strengthened my kidneys and bladder, thereby removing the cause of the pains. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from weak kidneys."

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### Barley Fine.

Pete Meyers, in the southwest part of the county, has 100 acres of the prettiest barley ever seen. It stands about 6 inches high and is growing wonderfully fast. Mr. Meyers came to Randall county from Iowa five years ago and is highly pleased with the country.

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Darius Downey of Newberg Junction, N. B., writes, "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effectual and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

### Planting Kaffir.

Farmers over the county are planting kaffir corn this week. The ground is in excellent condition after the heavy rains and snows all winter and with the continued warm weather, kaffir will make a rapid growth. It is a little early for maize, but the farmers will start to plant this crop within the next few days.

### Judge Ramsey May Come.

W. J. Fleisher has a letter from Judge W. F. Ramsey's secretary stating that Mr. Ramsey's time was so occupied when in Amarillo he could not visit Canyon and regretted very much that he was unable to come. Mr. Ramsey stated to Canyon people in Amarillo that he intended to come later in the campaign.

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**VARIETIES—MEXICAN BEANS.**

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The rows should not be closer than 3 1/2 feet with the plants from 12 to 18 inches apart in the row.  
Cultivation with sweeps or

small shovels should begin as soon as the beans are up, should be continued until pods form, and later, if the plants are not disturbed or damaged. They should not be cultivated when they vines are wet, as it often in-

dures the plants and makes them subject to bean diseases.

As soon as the beans are thoroughly ripe, the vine should be pulled and piled for curing. In order to save them from blowing over the field and threshing

themselves out, it is a good plan to pile them around a stake that has been driven into the ground. They should be threshed out soon after pulling.

If they are raised on a small scale, hand threshing in a tight wagon box is preferred, but if handled on a large scale they must be threshed with an ordinary thresher which has been equipped with special bean concaves.

**Letter From Mrs. Goforth.**

Mrs. Z. E. Goforth, 2119 Holly street, Kansas City, writes: "After using a sample bottle and two 25-cent bottles of Hunt's Lightning Oil, I am almost well of Catarrh. It stops my headaches. It is the best medicine I ever saw and I can't just keep house without it. She is right.

**School Trustees Elected.**

The following is a list of the school trustees who were elected from the various districts in the common school election:

- 2—J. J. Aspine
- 6—Andy Costley
- 9—T. S. Trowbridge
- 10—E. P. Wesley
- 11—W. M. Lichwald
- 12—Adam Walker
- 13—W. E. McCormick
- 14—Paul Flugel
- 16—W. A. Carney
- 20—O. F. Winn

**Tomlinson's Letter.**

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**Here From Mexico City.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harris and children, of Mexico City, arrived in the city Sunday to visit at the home of Mrs. Harris' brother, George Abbott. Mr. Harris says that when they left Mexico City last week, 1100 Americans were in the party, using two special trains. They were given Winchester rifles by the Mexican government to protect themselves if attack by the rebels. Conditions are so serious around the Mexican capital that practically all the Americans are leaving.

**"Nails"**

"Nails are a mighty good thing—particularly finger nails—but I don't believe they were intended solely for scratching though I used mine largely for that purpose for several years. I was sorely afflicted and had it to do. One application of Hunt's Cure, however, relieved my itch, and less than one box cured me entirely." J. M. Ward, Index, Texas.

**Burns Program.**

The senior English classes of the Normal gave a very interesting Burns program at the auditorium Tuesday night. The program was entitled "A For-gathering of the Clans," and consisted of reading, illustrated poems, illustrated songs, a conference of the Burns characters and finally the Highland Fling. The program was highly interesting and Prof. H. W. Morelock deserves much credit for the success with which the numbers were presented.

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**WOLTERS AND PROHIBITION.**

Senator W. A. Johnson in his paper, The Hall County Herald, winds up a bitter denunciation of Hon. J. F. Wolters with the following words:

"The fact is that prohibition has very much to do with any race in which the dispenser of boodle up to hundreds of thousands of dollars for the purpose of debauching the electorate of the state, is a candidate. Then after doing this devilish work he defied the legislature and refused to tell where the money came from and where it went."

Now dear senator, there are two questions we would like to ask you: How do you know that Jake Wolters was a "dispenser of boodle up to hundreds of thousands of dollars for the purpose of debauching the electorate of the state," and if he did, why didn't the legislature send him to the penitentiary for "this devilish work" for refusing to tell where he got the money? The fact is, that Mr. Wolters wasn't responsible if the law was broken by the anti forces in some parts of the state than was Mr. Ball where the pros broke the law. Another thing, Mr. Wolters knew his personal acts in the campaign were every one lawful and the investigating committee knew it, but they simply had to raise a fuss over something and chose Wolters for their victim.

In the senatorial campaign, Mr. Wolters is giving the prohibition forces just what they want and he is a man with enough ability to carry out his desires. In addition to this, he is the only candidate in the race who has a truly democratic platform. If the people of Texas want a strong man and a good democrat their votes should go to Wolters. If they want an after dinner eloquent speaker, Sheppard should be elected.

There are yet two more weeks until the second regular session of the West Texas State Normal college will close. Going out at that time will be a large number of teachers who will have pleasant memories of the days spent in Canyon and of the faculty which has so earnestly labored that their education should not be deficient in any sense. These graduates will always remember Canyon and have a kind word for the school. Whenever they hear of any friend wishing to attend a good Normal school, they will always say: "Go to Canyon and attend the West Texas State Normal." I have attended that school and know it is the best. The faculty has been carefully selected by former state superintendent of public instruction, R. B. Cousins, who is now president of the school, and every man and woman on the faculty is a specialist in his line. A nobler class of men and women cannot be found in any school than in the Normal at Canyon. Yes, and the climate of the Plains country is the best you ever saw. You don't have the intense summer heat as we do down in the state and the winters are generally very pleasant. Go to the West Texas State Normal." Such an advertisement from 200 or 300 students every year will soon make the local Normal leader in number of any in the state. In professional lines, this school has been a leader from the start of the other three Texas Normals.

"P" stands for the Plains, Progress and Plenty. Come to Randall county.

The address of Governor O. B. Colquitt at the Normal college Monday night was largely devoted to defending his record against the bitter attacks made against him by Judge Ramsey. The News regrets very much that Judge Ramsey began his campaign with such personal remarks against Governor Colquitt but since this is the case, we are glad that the Governor fully explained his record and position to the voters of Randall county. Aside from his prohibition view point, there is not a voter in Randall county who will not agree that Governor Colquitt has made a good record during his two years in office. He has been very friendly to West Texas and to the Normal located in our city, and we believe that he will receive a large majority of the votes in the July primaries.

Editor A. C. Elliott, of the Hereford Brand, has announced as a candidate for representative in the 123rd district. This means a fight between Mr. Elliott and Judge J. C. Hunt, of Canyon. Mr. Elliott has been on the Plains six years and has made a great success in the newspaper business. He was formerly engaged in school work in which line he was also very successful. Mr. Elliott has the interest of our entire country at heart and if elected would make a good representative. The candidate from Canyon, Mr. Hunt, served in the legislature for one term. He was very successful during the term and has made many friends who will work for his return.

Harry C. Drum, of the continental Auto club, who passed through Canyon last week on his way to El Paso, writes back that he is well pleased with the country and that the route will be established this way. This will mean that from 1,500 to 2,000 automobile parties will pass through Canyon each year. Seeing the great opportunities in this cheap land, a large per cent of these capitalists will invest and improve large tracts of land all through the Plains. Since Randall county is one of the most favorably located districts, it may be expected that within the next three years our lands will double in value. Now is the time to buy cheap land, as it is steadily increasing in value.

Sunday's edition of the Amarillo Daily Panhandle had the following line across the top of its front page: "Hats off to the Canyon Commercial club which knows how to show the proper deference to the Governor of the greatest state in the Union." Correct, Broader Harper, Canyon is there with the "goods" every time when it comes to entertaining prominent men. And we also know how to get the things we go after. Harper, you are a good booster and if you want to get in with a good live bunch, "Come to Canyon to Live." Amarillo is too slow for a booster like you.

The acceptance of the Canyon high school into affiliation with the A. & M. college and with the state university brings great honor to the noble corps of men and women who are teachers in our schools. During the past year the school has increased wonderfully. New courses and new requirements have been added until there is not a better school in Texas, according to the size of the town. Canyon is truly the educational center of the Plains.

The Normal baseball team is "going some." Beat Amarillo high school three games straight. The Amarillo News said the first game was lost on errors. How about the second and third?

Canyon will have more pretty lawns this year than ever before.



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Skilful tailoring, style expert workmanship, beautiful fabrics--these and a thousand other features make "Benjamin Clothes," made in New York, the leader in wearing apparel.

If you want to have that well dressed, prosperous air, be sure that you select a "Benjamin" garment.

New York's latest Fifth Avenue styles, made from the best fabrics, by the most efficient workmen in the metropolis, are on show here to-day in our clothing department.

**The Canyon City Supply Co.**  
 DRY-GOODS, CLOTHING & GROCERIES  
 CANYON, TEXAS

A business man said the other day: "Canyon gave \$100,000 to get the Normal located here, but we wouldn't take three times that amount and have the school removed. To be able to mingle with the noble men and women attached to the institution and to see daily the splendid young men and women who attend the school is worth that much of the town's money every year." Every Canyon man is a true booster.

Joe Bailey is in Texas strenuously fighting for Harmon. Windy Joe will hardly be able to convince the voters of Texas that Harmon is other than a tool of the trusts and general interests. Yes, a few farmers have left Randall county in the past few

years, but they are going back. The high priced lands of other sections and the general drouth last year has brought them back. The Plains had a good crop last year and prospects for a record breaking one this year. Come to Randall county. 1912 continues to crown the Plains with glory.

Why not a Carnegie library for Canyon? With the other educational institutions in the city, we need one. Canyon always gets what she goes after, why not go after this. If you are a non-resident land owner of Randall county land, you should have the News every week to bring you a message of the progress of our country.

# DR. PRICE'S CREAM 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

Full line of wall paper. S. V. Wirt. 6tf

O. N. Gamble and L. S. Maloney were Amarillo callers Sunday.

Seed Peanuts for sale at the Leader. It

Mrs. Brown, of Tulia, is visiting at the home of her brother, E. H. Ackley.

Special Saturday only. San Marco cigar, 3 for 25c, only 5c at City Pharmacy. It

Mrs. Travis Shaw and Mrs. R. S. Pipkin were Amarillo callers Friday.

NOTICE!! NOTICE!! Normal Students, Let Shelnut's Transfer manage your baggage at the closing of the term. Phone 123. 6p2

J. H. Bromley and Mr. Merideth, of Hale Center, visited at the E. H. Ackley home this week.

Are you interested in a typewriter? Let Rev. C. Kilbourn show you the Royal. One of best on market. 5p2

During the past week the wheat has grown very fast. The farmers believe 1912 will be the banner wheat crop on the Plains.

If you are thinking of getting a gasoline range don't forget that we sell the celebrated DETROIT, the best gasoline stove on the market. Thomas Furniture Co. It

A prettier sight was never seen than the wheat and oats fields on the Plains of Texas. There are many of these sights on every hand.

Boosters vs. Presbyterians. 5 o'clock today.

Stewart Miller, of Amarillo, was a business caller in the city Friday.

FOR SALE—Red top Cane. E. Edmonds, east of Canyon. 6p4

Miss Maude Lynch, of Amarillo, is visiting at the Howren home.

Wanted—All the old shoes you have. Will pay 50 cts. per pair. See the Leader Special. It

C. O. Keiser, Pete Meyers and J. H. Jowell went to Lamessa Tuesday to look at some cattle.

A big shipment of Matchless Sanitary cleaner just received at the News office.

Boosters and Presbyterians will play ball this evening at 5 o'clock. Admission 25c.

Rev. M. E. Hawkins, of Canadian, was in the city over Sunday visiting with his daughter, Mrs. D. A. Park.

Nothing quite so good for cleaning house as Matchless Sanitary cleaner. Ask the ladies who have used it.

If you are not a regular reader of the News, your name ought to be on our lists. You need the News to keep up with the times.

LAND FOR SALE:—Seventeen tracts, from 2 to 75 acres, some in alfalfa, 2 miles E. of court house, in Sur. 81. WILBER H. YOUNG, Austin, Texas. Jun 28.

Pastures are looking fine and growing fast. The old cow is enjoying the time of her life, and expresses her gratitude by giving many gallons of fine rich milk.

### INSURANCE PROTECTION

LIFE, ACCIDENT, HEATH, FARM PRODUCTS FROM HAIL. HOME COMPANIES. HAVE PROTECTION RATHER THAN BE SORRY. POLICIES CANNOT BE EXCELLED. ALSO FURNISH COURT AND OTHER BONDS.

JOHN KNIGHT, CANYON, TEXAS

## Shadowland Theatre

Have engaged the original  
Milton Five Reels of

### Danta's Inferno

with special lecture and  
music for Saturday, May 4.

Positively Never Shown in Canyon Before

Get your wall paper of S. V. Wirt. 6tf

Victor Mason, of Houston, visited friends in the city this week.

LOST—Parker fountain pen, gold mount. W. J. Fleisher. It

A. S. Howren went to Austin yesterday on matters of business.

FOR SALE—Surrey, Run-about and Folding Bed. Mrs. B. Frank Buie. 6t1

Misses Iva and Frances Buie visited friends in Amarillo Monday.

In connection with a full line of drugs, glass and paints, S. V. Wirt handles a full line of wall paper. 6tf

Miss Myrtle Mathis, of the Normal, was called to Shamrock Wednesday by the death of her sister.

S. B. McClure and W. E. Lair were in Tulia Tuesday assisting in invoicing the stock of goods Mr. McClure bought there.

None better and very few instances where you find it as good as our rough heart fencing. The Citizens Lbr. Co. It

The usual union services of the churches will not be held Sunday night owing to the union services Sunday morning.

Don't take anybody's word for it but come and see our fine line of baby buggies; they are beautiful and prices reasonable. It Thomas Furniture Co.

J. E. Coskey, of Florence, Texas, was a business caller in the city this week. This was Mr. Coskey's first trip to Canyon and he was extremely well pleased with conditions he found.

FOR SALE—Sweet potato, cabbage, tomato and pepper plants. \$50.00 given to customers for nearest estimates of the number of slips pulled from beds. T. Jones & Co., Clarendon, Tex. 5p4

Mrs. J. R. Cullum and baby returned Friday from Mineral Wells, where Mrs. Cullum visited for the past month with her parents. Mr. Cullum met them in Amarillo.

The farmers of Randall county have sold the remainder of their feed crops for high prices and are now preparing for a bumper in 1912. Better and more diversified farming will be used this year than ever before.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Garmon and daughter, Mrs. E. A. Twedt, of Ricardo, N. M., were invited out to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sturarts Tuesday for a big turkey dinner. Elegant refreshments were served.

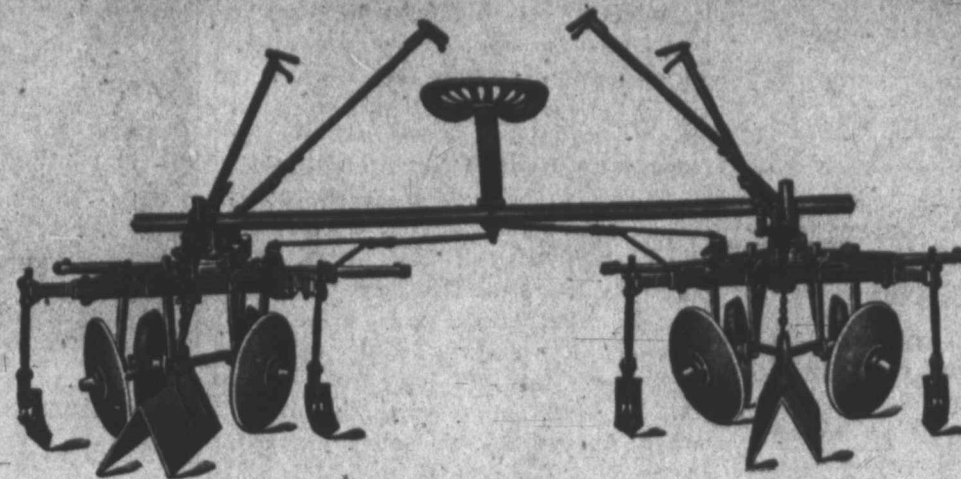
Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Walker left yesterday for their home in Illinois. Mrs. Walker was formerly Miss Avis McNeal and was married to Mr. Walker during the winter while both were visiting in California.

Mrs. E. A. Twedt of Ricardo, N. M., is visiting at the parental J. M. Garmon home. Mr. Twedt will follow later and they will continue their journey to Iowa, where they expect to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Beene, of Claude, visited Sunday with Mrs. Beene's brother, S. B. McClure. They also attended the debate at the Normal. They were accompanied by Misses Robinson and McGuire, of the Claude high school faculty.

Editor F. R. Jameson, of the Canadian Record, was in the city Saturday to see President R. B. Cousins, of the Normal, regarding teachers for the Canadian schools during the coming year. Mr. Jamison when visiting the News office said he was certainly well pleased with the Normal but was greatly surprised at the magnitude of the work conducted there. He was pleased that the Panhandle Press Association will meet here next year as every editor ought to see the Normal and tell their readers of it.

## TWO ROW LISTER CULTIVATOR



That does the most perfect work. Will adjust itself to uneven rows and clean them well.

THOMPSON HARDWARE CO.

Get your Tennis Balls and Rackets at the City Pharmacy. 1

Miss Frankie Gober was up from Tulia to spend Saturday at the parental home.

FOR SALE—My furnished home on East Houston. Mrs. B. Frank Buie. 6t1

J. D. Gamble and Chas. Stratton, went to Enid, Okla., Sunday on matters of business.

Try one sack of Pride of Canyon Flour. We guarantee every sack. The Leader. It

S. T. Whitman, of Happy, was in the city Monday visiting with his brother S. C.

FOR SALE—Sanitary couch, cooking stove and a few other articles. E. F. Rupp, 2nd block N.E. of Square. 6p1

J. M. McNaughton, of Happy, was in the city Monday on business and heard the address of Governor Colquitt Monday night.

Don't forget that we are selling our \$25.00 Axminster rugs for \$20.00 cash. Thomas Furniture Co. It

Six new houses are being built in Canyon and several more will be put up during the year. Canyon is growing fast.

J. R. Honey, of Plainview, was in the city Saturday night to attend the San Marcos-Canyon debate. Mr. Honey is connected with Wayland college.

On account of the commencement sermon at the Methodist church Sunday morning there will be no services at the Presbyterian church.

Plainview Nursery and Plant Co. has a good supply of early garden and flower plants for sale. Apply to Plainview Garden and Plant Co., care of D. C. Aylesworth. 3p4

A large delegation of the Normal boys were at the depot Saturday morning to meet the San Marcos debaters. Prof. J. A. Hill commented upon the coming of so many events in Canyon during this week, and said: "Canyon keeps a show on all the time. The people here are a live bunch."

Wanted—300 customers to pay their account at the Leader. It

The Canyon Fire Department will hold its regular election of officers on next Tuesday.

We can still pay you 15c per dozen for eggs and 30c per pound for butter. The Leader. It

L. E. Cowling went to Tulia Tuesday, being called there by the illness of his mother.

Boosters vs. Presbyterians on Normal grounds at 5 o'clock today.

The Citizens Lbr. Co. carry a complete stock of building material of the very highest quality. It

Before you build your corral, call and inspect our rough heart fencing. It's the best that can be had. The Citizens Lbr. Co. It

George Stowell, of Los Angeles is visiting at the Kleinschmidt home on his way to Chicago. Mr. Stowell has land near the city.

Do you need help during house cleaning time? Call up the News office and get some Matchless Sanitary Cleaner. Absolutely guaranteed.

The better farming system and the gentle rains are bringing great prosperity to the Plains.

A little ice cuts a lot of ice, with the size of your bank balance. So let us sell you one of our Refrigerators. Thomas Furniture Co. It

Prof. J. A. Hill moved into his fine new residence on East Houston street Monday. The residence is a seven room bungalow with all modern conveniences.

R. C. Peacock, of Independence, Mo., was a business caller in the city yesterday. He says that the wheat crop is certainly looking fine on the Plains.

J. B. Younger, of Farewell, was in the city Saturday to attend the San Marcos-Canyon debate, his son, John, being on the Canyon team. Mr. Younger was formerly an editor in Canyon, being owner of the "Keystone," one of the first papers ever published here.

Remember, we present no bills on the streets. The Leader. It

Miss Maggie Avent has arrived from Coryell county to spend the summer vacation at the home of her father, G. M. Avent. She has been teaching in Coryell county during the past year.

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To serve any and all kinds of cold drinks as well as how to flavor to please. Try a glass of our grape juices, coco-cola, limeade or cherry, and test the truth of the above statement. We serve all kinds of egg drinks that are so refreshing in summer. Our drinks and cream tickle the palate. Phone 90.

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**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

The News will place the names of candidates for the following offices at the rates given below. This carries your name up to the primaries and should you be the successful nominee your name will appear in the proper column up to the general election:

Congress	\$20.00
State	15.00
District	12.50
County	10.00
Commissioners	7.50
Justice of Peace	5.00

**For District Attorney.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of district attorney for the 47th Judicial District subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

HENRY S. BISHOP.

**For County Judge.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Judge, subject to the decision of the democratic primaries, July 27, 1912.

C. E. COSS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for County Judge, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries.

A. N. HENSON

**For County Clerk.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of District and County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

W. E. LAIR

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of District and County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

MARVIN P. GARNER

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of sheriff and tax collector, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

WORTH A. JENNINGS.

**For Treasurer.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Treasurer subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

P. H. YOUNG.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county treasurer, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

W. T. GARRETT.

**For Tax Assessor.**

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of tax assessor subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

R. E. FOSTER.

I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

CYRUS EAKMAN.

**For Commissioner and Justice.**

I hereby announce my candidacy for the offices of Commissioner and Justice of the Peace in Precinct No. 1.

H. T. SHELNUTT.



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CANYON LODGE NO. 481.  
Meeting every Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at I.O.O.F. hall in the Smith building. B. C. Taylor Noble Grand, J. F. Smith, Sec. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

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**Citation by Publication.**

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Ahmer M. McAfee by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your country to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Randall County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Canyon, Texas, on the first Monday in May A. D. 1912, the same being the 6th day of May, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of April A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 661, wherein L. T. Lester is plaintiff, and Geo. M. Eckert, J. M. Conner, C. R. McAfee and Almer M. McAfee are defendants and said petition alleging:

That on December 1st, 1907, L. T. Lester conveyed survey 57, block K-14 certificate 78, G. B. & C. N. G. Ry. Co. land about 14 miles southwest from Canyon, and in Randall county, Texas, to defendant Geo. M. Eckert, and as part consideration, said Eckert executed five Vendor's Lien notes on said land payable to L. T. Lester, each for \$1356.00 due in 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 years from date of deed with 7 percent interest from date and all past due interest to bear 10 per cent interest and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees on the principal and interest if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or collected by suit; That each note provided that a failure to pay the same when due or any installment of interest on same when due, the owner might declare all of said notes due; That notes 1 & 2 had been paid and note No. 3 had been paid down to \$85.78 on Sept. 30, 1911, and that the interest on notes 4 & 5 had been paid to Dec. 1, 1908, and that L. T. Lester had declared note 5 now due and had placed said notes 3, 4 & 5 in the hands of B. Frank Buie, attorney for suit and collection, and agreed to give him the Atty's. fees in said notes for suit and collection.

Further alleging that on Sept. 20, 1911, said Geo. M. Eckert conveyed said land to C. R. McAfee and that said C. R. McAfee was to pay off said notes 4 & 5, to L. T. Lester, and that said McAfee also gave said Eckert 3 other Vendor's Lien notes on said land for \$1178.71 each, which are now owned by J. M. Conner and are subordinate to plaintiff's lien; That on March 23, 1912, said C. R. McAfee sold & conveyed said land to Almer M. McAfee, subject to said indebtedness.

Prayer for Judgment for the amount due on said notes to L. T. Lester against Geo. M. Eckert and C. R. McAfee, and that the lien of J. M. Conner be post-poned to Plaintiff's lien, for foreclosure on land and order of sale and the cancellation of said deed to Almer M. McAfee.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Canyon, Texas, this 9th day of April A. D. 1912.  
[Seal] M. P. GARNER, Clerk District Court, Randall County.

I certify the above is a true copy of the original citation.

WORTH A. JENNINGS, Sheriff, Randall Co., Texas. 3-4t

**Escapes An Awful Fate.**

A thousand tongues could not express the gratitude of Mrs. J. E. Cox of Joliet, Ill., for her wonderful deliverance from an awful fate. "Typhoid pneumonia had left me with a dreadful cough," she writes. "Sometimes I had such awful coughing spells I thought I would die. I could get no help from doctor's treatment or other medicines until I used Dr. King's New Discovery. But I owe my life to this wonderful remedy for I scarcely cough at all now." Quick and safe, its the most reliable of all throat and lung medicines. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Cassies Drug Co.

**Helps a Judge in Bad Fix.**

Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "I thought it was a cancer," he wrote, "At last I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. 25c at Cassies Drug Co.

FOR SALE—I have a fine location with three room house, will sell at rent installments.  
4tf T. F. Reid.



**MODEST ALTSCHULER**  
Conductor Russian Symphony

During his early student days Modest Altschuler, director of the Russian Symphony Orchestra of 50 musicians, never fancied the military; but it happened that he had to serve his one year as a free volunteer with the foremost regiment attached to Moscow (Russia). During that year Mr. Altschuler—who will soon be seen in this at the head of the orchestra that is to be heard at Amarillo on Sat., May 4th, at the grand in concert—had many experiences.

As a graduate of his Moscow Conservatory of Music in which a general as well as a musical education is taught, young Altschuler had won highest honors. Because of his musical talent the beardless Altschuler was popular with his officers and he was given many liberties not usually accorded to his colleagues.

On one occasion when Altschuler had left the Moscow barracks in citizens clothes, which constitutes a military offense, he encountered one of the officers of the command near the outskirts of the city's limits. The musician figured hurriedly in his mind that the best thing to do was not to see his superior, and he therefore passed him without the customary salute.

The officer angered at the double infraction of rules ordered Altschuler to report to another superior officer in close arrest. When this was done the ranking military officer smiled and said: "Well, lets have some music." That was the extent of young Altschuler's confinement.

Special rates on all railroads. A special train will run from Amarillo to Canyon after the concert.

**The Demons of the Swamp**

are mosquitoes. As they sting they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the icy chills and the fires of fever. The appetite flies and the strength fails; also malaria often paves the way for deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters kill and cast out the malaria germs from the blood; give you a fine appetite and renew your strength. "After long suffering," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "three bottles drove all the malaria from my system and I've had good health ever since." Best for all stomach, liver and kidney ills. 50c at Cassies Drug Co.

**What Texans Admire**

is hearty, vigorous life, according to Hugh Tallman, of San Antonio. "We find," he writes, that Dr. King's New Life Pills surely put new life and energy into a person. Wife and I believe they are the best made." Excellent for stomach, liver or kidney troubles. 25c at Cassies Drug Co.

There was never a time when people appreciated the real merits of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy more than now. This is shown by the increase in sales and voluntary testimonials from persons who have been cured by it. If you or your children are troubled with a cough or cold give it a trial and become acquainted with its good qualities. For sale by all dealers.

Let Harbison move your houses.  
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**MAN** has acquired a hunger for land which he can call his own. The supply is limited---the demand unlimited! Land values have risen to prohibitive prices in older settled states!

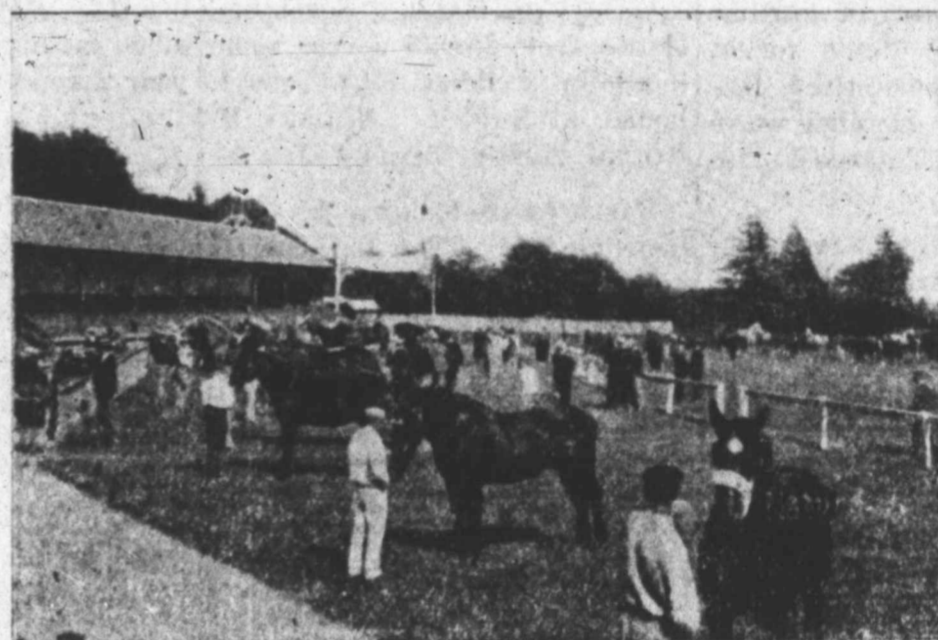


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A return to normal climatic conditions, a greatly increased acreage of winter wheat, spring wheat, oats and barley, an unqualifiedly successful demonstration that Kaffir corn and Milo maize cannot be excelled as material for ensilage, the "better farming" spirit and the results of studying and developing this land assures a prosperous year.

The successful outcome of flax culture, demonstrated last year under conditions much less favorable than can confidently be reckoned on in the future has added another to the list of our resources.



Farms can be bought here now cheaper than they can later on, at prices which are certain of a steady advance as the summer and fall emigration stimulates the demand.

My farms are all favorably located, as regards towns and railroads and give the buyer a wide range in selection. All the improved farms are rented to good farmers and will produce a substantial revenue this year.

I am in position to give terms to suit the purchaser.

**C. O. KEISER**  
CANYON, TEXAS KEOTA, IOWA

**Sheriff's Sale**

Notice is hereby given that under an order of sale directed and delivered to me, issued out of the District Court of Travis county, Texas, 53rd Judicial District, dated April 24, 1912, upon a judgment rendered in said court on April 2, 1912, in favor of Thomas R. White, Jr., John J. Phelps and Charles W. Cox as plaintiffs, and against E. Van Metre, J. W. Wright and S. S. Wright, as defendants, establishing and foreclosing plaintiff's vendor's lien as the same existed on December 31, 1908, and as it has since existed, upon survey No. 3 in block No. six (6), located under certificate issued to the I. & G. N. R. Co., in Randall county, Texas, hereinafter more particularly described:

I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$5,711.93, due on the said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of said judgment, and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers of said land from said original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with interest and costs as recited above.

The said survey No. 3, in block No. six (6) was located under certificate No. 1492, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co., by patent No. 573, volume 61, dated May 31, 1881, and contains 665.80 acres of land, more or less and lies in said Randall county, about 14 miles N. 64 degrees E. from the center thereof.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since December 31, 1908, have had in said survey, will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

Witness my hand, this 1st day of May, A. D. 1912. Worth A. Jennings, Sheriff of Randall county, Texas.

**Sheriff's Sale**

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I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$5,515.05, due on said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of said judgment, and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers of said land from the original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with interest and costs as recited above.

The said survey No. 36, in block No. six (6) was located under certificate No. 1493, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co. by patent No. 626, volume 61, dated May 31, 1881, and contains 662.10 acres of land, more or less, and lies in said Randall county, about 12 miles N. 70 degrees E. from the center thereof.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since March 1st, 1909, have had in said survey, will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

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I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$5,652.02, due on the said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of said judgment, and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers

of said land from said original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with interest and costs as recited above.

The said survey No. 31, in block No. six (6), was located under certificate No. 1490, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co. by patent No. 18, volume 66, dated May 31, 1881, and contains 662.81 acres of land, more or less, and lies in said Randall county, about 14 1/2 miles N. 69 degrees E. from the center thereof.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since December 31, 1908, have had in said survey, will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

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I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$6,026.88, due on the said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of judgment, and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers of said land from original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with interest and costs as recited above.

The said survey No. 28, in block No. six (6), was located under certificate No. 1487, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co. by patent No. 11, volume 66, dated May 31, 1881, and contains 662.44 acres of land more or less and lies in Randall county, about 11-1/2 miles N. 63 degrees E. from the center thereof.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since March 1st, 1909, have had in said survey, will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

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I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$4,826.64, due on the said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of said judgment and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers of said land from said original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with interest and costs as recited above.

The said survey No. 61, in block six (6), was located under certificate No. 1520, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co. by patent No. 637, volume 61, dated May 31, 1881, and contains 663 acres of land, more or less, and lies in said Randall county, about 12 miles N. 75 degrees E. from the center thereof.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since March 1st 1909, have had in said survey will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

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Metre, J. W. Wright, S. S. Wright and Melvin Quigley, as defendants, establishing and foreclosing plaintiff's vendor's lien as the same existed on December 31, 1908, and as it has at all times since existed upon the S. half and N. E. quarter of survey No. 35, in block No. six (6), located under certificate issued to the I. & G. N. R. Co., in Randall county, Texas, hereinafter more particularly described:

I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$3,986.59, due on the said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of said judgment and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers of said land from said original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with interest and costs as recited above.

The said S. half and N. E. quarter of survey No. 35, in block No. six (6), was located under certificate No. 1494, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co., by patent No. 635, volume 61, dated May 31, 1881, and contains 491.35 acres of land, more or less, and lies in said Randall county, about 13 miles N. 72 degrees E. from the center thereof.

For better description reference is made to the deed records of Randall county, vol. 19, page 334 et seq.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since December 31, 1908, have had in said survey, will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

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I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$3,752.94, due on the said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of said judgment, and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers of said land from said original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with interest and costs as recited above.

The said survey No. 30, in block No. six (6), was located under certificate No. 1489, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co. by patent No. 21, volume 66, dated May 31, 1881, and contains 662.96 acres of land more or less, and lies in said Randall county, about 12 miles N. 67 degrees E. from the center thereof.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since December 31, 1908, have had in said survey, will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

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I, as sheriff of Randall county, Texas, levied said writ upon said section of land on the 1st day of May, 1912, and will within lawful hours sell said section to the highest bidder for cash in front of the court house door in said county, in Canyon, on the first Tuesday in June 1912, being the 4th day of said month.

The said order of sale recites that said judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants Van Metre, Wright and Wright as original purchasers, for the sum of \$5,925.51, due on the said survey, with ten per cent interest on said sum from the date of said judgment, and costs of suit, and further recites that the other defendants are subsequent purchasers of said land from said original purchasers, and that said survey is condemned to be sold for the purpose of making the amount due thereon, with

interest and costs as recited above.

The said survey No. 2, in block No. six (6), was located under certificate No. 1461, was patented to the said I. & G. N. R. Co. by patent No. 546, volume 61, dated May 30, 1881, and contains 668.62 acres of land, more or less, and lies in said Randall county, about 15 miles N. 65 degrees E. from the center thereof.

And all right, title and interest which each and all of the said defendants now have, or at any time since December 31, 1908, have had in said survey, and will be sold at the time and place herein fixed, and the purchaser or purchasers put in possession as required by law.

Witness my hand, this 1st day of May, A. D. 1912. Worth A. Jennings, Sheriff of Randall county, Texas.

**May Day Exercises**

One of the prettiest programs ever given at the Normal was Wednesday morning by the pupils of the Model Training school department, under the direction of Miss Lamb. The program was in the nature of a May Day Fete. The most surprising feature of the program was that only the every day work of the pupils was used. The idea of a program was not conceived of until a few days ago and the children were those used in the regular work. The following was the program:

Flower March—The first and second grades were decorated with daisies; the third and fourth with daffodils; fifth and sixth with yellow chrysanthemums, and the seventh in blue morning glories. All these flowers had been made in the manual training department.

Song—The Trillium.

History of the Celebration of May Day—Beryl Dale, of the seventh grade.

Crowning of the Queen of May and March. Little Miss Margaret Guenther was crowned queen.

Song—May.

May Pole Dances—By first and second grades; third and fourth; fifth, sixth and seventh.

Song—All Hearts Rejoice.

Flower March—Led by the Queen.

**Election Notice**

An election will be held at the commissioners' court room in the court house in Canyon City, Texas, on the first Saturday, being the 4th day of May, 1912, for the purpose of electing three trustees for the Canyon City Independent School district. Geo. A. Brandon has been appointed by the board of trustees to hold said election, who will appoint two judges and two clerks to assist in holding said election and shall make due returns thereof as the law directs.

D. M. Stewart, President, T. C. Thompson, Secretary.

**Notice!**

The Canyon National Bank, located at Canyon, in the State of Texas, is closing up its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the Association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment. I. L. HUNT, Cashier.

Dated at Canyon, Texas, Apr. 12, 1912. 418

**Notice of Special Examination**

An examination will be held in Canyon May 2, 3 and 4, 1912, for teachers' certificates. Only state certificates will be issued on this examination.

The regular county examination will be held at same place June 6, 7 and 8, 1912, in accordance with law. W. D. SCOTT, Ex-Officio Supt. Randall Co., Texas. 512

**Jersey Bull**

I have a fine Jersey Bull, will make this season at my place 1-2 mile north of court house. Price \$2.50, payable when service is rendered, with privilege of returning cow if necessary. 514 M. F. Slover, Canyon, Tex.

Have you seen the Matchless Sanitary cleaner at the News office?

**BANKS**  
**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION**

—OF THE—

**FIRST STATE BANK**

at Canyon, state of Texas, at the close of business on the 18th day of Apr., 1912, published in the Randall County News, a newspaper printed and published at Canyon, State of Texas, on Friday of each week.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$21,848.78
Loans, real estate	230.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,794.30
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	\$18,656.59
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	1,917.78
Cash Items	15.80
Currency	2,209.00
Specie	1,153.86
Interest Depositors Guarantee Fund	258.51
Assessment Guaranty Fund	61.48
Other Resources as follows:	
Expenses, less profits	405.02
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$48,551.72</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock paid in	\$15,000.00
Individual Deposits, subject to Checks	27,055.72
Time Certificates of Deposit	6,496.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$48,551.72</b>

**STATE OF TEXAS,**

COUNTY OF RANDALL

We, J. T. Holland as president and J. P. Winder as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. T. HOLLAND, President. J. P. WINDER, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 27th day of Apr., A. D. nineteen hundred and twelve, WITNESS my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

C. R. FLESHER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:  
G. S. BALLARD  
THOS. H. ROWAN  
Directors.

No. 5238.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF**

**The First National Bank**

at Canyon, in the State of Texas at the close of business, Apr. 18, 1912.

**RESOURCES.**

Loans and discounts	\$255,080.21
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	216.87
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	3,500.00
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	34,530.00
Other real estate owned	4,753.00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	1,162.72
Due from approved reserve agents	31,650.50
Checks & other cash items Notes of other national banks	3,014.09
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	8,000.00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	161.79
Specie	2,458.45
Legal-tender notes	9,051.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	4,700.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$458,278.63</b>

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	22,991.74
National bank notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to other nat'l. banks	1,362.99
Due to State and Private Banks & Bankers	4,502.12
Individual deposits subject to check	142,718.86
Time certificates of deposit	31,142.67
Cashier Checks outstanding	.25
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	25,500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$458,278.63</b>

State of Texas, County of Randall, ss: I, D. A. Park, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. A. PARK, Cashier.

Correct Attest:  
L. T. LESTER  
I. L. HUNT  
L. C. LAIR  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Apr. 1912.  
C. R. McAfee  
Notary Public.

**PLANTS--PLANTS**

Cabbage, Tomato, Sweet Potato and Pepper Plants. Ask for prices.

ROSWELL SEED CO., Roswell, N. M.

**EXCURSIONS**

Russia Symphony Orchestra, Amarillo, May 4. Tickets on sale May 4, limit May 5. Round trip 70c. Confederate Reunion, Macon, Ga., \$24.40 round trip. Date sale May 3, 4, 5, limit May 15. Extension may be had until June 5.

All year tourist round trip rates to Texas resorts, California points and various places in other states. Phone or call at ticket office

R. McGee, Agt.

**JACK AND STALLION**

Midnight is a black jack with white points, and a number one jack with plenty of life. Look at mules sired by Midnight before breeding elsewhere.

Morgan is a sorrel, wgt. 1400 lbs., sired by a registered Morgan horse and a full blooded Coach mare.

Will make the season at farm two miles north and one mile east of Umbarger, morning, noon and night. Will not be at stable only at this time.

TERMS—Jack \$12.00, Stallion \$10.00. Each to insure colt to stand and suck. Parties parting with mares, or removing from county, forfeit insurance and money becomes due. May 17

ROY G. BADER



KEITH OF THE BORDER

A TALE OF THE PLAINS By RANDALL PADDISH

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"Anybody but Hick" would see that," acknowledged the other...

CHAPTER VI

The Escape.

It was dark enough for their purpose in half an hour...



"Land's Sake, You Doan Mean to Steal Dem Horses?"

the iron grating being blotted from sight. Keith, starting in that direction...

"Knock out your ashes, and shuffle about lively with your feet...

In spite of his slenderness, Keith possessed unusual strength...

"Here, Neb, take hold with me, and bear down—put your whole weight on it, boy."

The two flung themselves upon the end of the bench, leaping up and down so as to add weight to power...

They were upon the opposite side from the town, with no gleam of lights visible...

dently the regular evening saturnalia had not yet begun...

"Then two of them must belong to us, come on, boy."

He ran forward, crouching behind every chance cover...

"Fo' de Lawd's sake, yer don't actually mean ter steal dem hosses?"

Keith glanced about at the other's dim, black shadow.

"Sure not; just borrow 'em."

"But dat's a hangin' job in dis yere country, Massa Jack."

"Sure it is if they catch us. But we'd be strung up anyway...

"It was the quiet, confident voice of assured command...

"Here, Neb, take this fellow; lead him quietly down the bank..."

An instant later he had chosen his own mount, and was silently moving in the same direction...

"There's no need of keeping up a water trail any longer..."

"I reck'n dis am one, sah."

Keith felt of the object Neb held forth.

"Yes, and a big one, too; fill it and strap it on tight..."

"Whar 'yo' propose goin', Massa Jack?"

"To the 'Bar X' on the Canadian. I've worked with that outfit..."

"How far am it to dis yere 'Bar X'?"

"A hundred and fifty miles as the crow flies, and sand all the way..."

Keith had ridden that hundred and fifty miles of sandy desolation before...

"Follow me just as close as you can, boy," he said sternly.

your feet out of the stirrups. If your horse goes down hang to his tail...

There was little enough to guide by, merely a single faint star peering out from a rift of the clouds...



"Do You See That Straight Ahead of You?"

age of wagons, but the depth of the water on either side was entirely problematical...

The men could see nothing but this solid sheet of water rushing down toward them from out the black void...

Keith's horse half fell, plunging nose under, yet gaining foothold again before the rider had deserted his saddle...

He had no doubt about Neb's pony making land, unless struck by some driftwood, or borne to the center of the stream by the shifting force of the current...

Suddenly Keith halted, bringing his pony's head sharply about...

"There's no need of keeping up a water trail any longer..."

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parties, while this desert country was shunned by Indian hunters. It consisted of sand hill after sand hill...

They had covered ten miles of it by daybreak, their ponies traveling heavily, fetlock deep...

The flying sand smote them in the eyes, driven with the speed of bullets. In vain they lay flat...

It was three o'clock before it died sufficiently down for them to venture out. Even then the air remained full of sand...

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Wayside Items.

High winds have prevailed the greater part of the time of late. Sun was very blustery and a little rain fell.

Grass is looking good, but would be better for a good rain.

Mrs. S.J. McGehee spent Sunday with her bachelor son, J. M. McGehee and despite the high winds all had a fine time.

Claude Hamblen captured a young coon while discing on W. H. Hamblen's farm Tues.

Notice of City Tax Assessment. I will begin assessments for City Taxes on Monday, May 6th, 1912.

Happy Items. Mr. Douthitt of Kansas City stopped here several days the guest of H. L. Holland.

Mary Utesch came down from Canyon Saturday to visit with her parents over Sunday.

Rev. H. C. Hagan car of household goods came Saturday and they have moved into the hotel building. His family arrived Tuesday.

Mr. Pressler arrived the first of the week from Florence, Tex. He came overland in an auto.

J. M. McNaughton went up to Canyon Monday to hear Gov. Colquitt.

Mrs. Neff, Mrs. Cook and Miss Bohanan were Amarillo callers the first of the week.

Wm. F. Miller went to Tulia Tuesday on business.

Geo. Langenfeldt arrived Saturday from Iowa, where he attended the wedding of his sister.

The Old Folks concert Saturday night drew a large crowd. They expect to put on another concert soon.

Otis Malcolm, A. E. Hostler and Chas. Innes went to Canyon Tuesday.

The tennis sports have made them a court between the restaurant and the garage.

Small grain is looking fine in this vicinity. Happy.

Tuesday morning at eight o'clock occurred the marriage of Anna M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Langenfeldt...

The ceremony was performed in St. Boniface Catholic church. Rev. Peter Brommenschenkel officiating.

Farmers are all progressing finely with their work, a number of them having started to plant their row crops.

F. Schaeffer returned last week from a visit to Floyd county. He says that while it is a very nice country it could not compare with Randall county.

Many Canyon ladies are using Matchless Sanitary Cleaner to keep their houses looking clean and fresh.

R. G. Stratton is in Hereford attending court this week.

T. B. Slaughter bought an auto and Roy Cage has been engaged for the driver.

Mrs. R. A. Campbell of Canyon is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. R. G. Stratton.

James Burns of Wildorado took dinner with W. S. Melroy Monday.

Miss Caddo Gorman spent Tuesday night with the Cage family.

CHAPTER VIII.

The Wilderness Cabin. The light was considerably farther away than they had at first supposed...

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Electric Bitters. Made a New Man of Him. I was suffering from pain in my stomach, head and back...