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## ARE THE CHILDREN READY?

(By Phebe K. Warner in Star-Telegram.)

Next to getting the school house and the school grounds ready for school, comes the children themselves. Naturally, it would seem we should think of the children first. But what good would it do to put the children in first class condition and then send them to a dirty, dingy, ugly, unsanitary school? This summer the farmers in our county (Armstrong) spent about \$200,000 getting ready to save the wheat crop. Long before time to go into the harvest fields our men folks had looked over their machinery. They saw what they would need. They put the old in the best possible condition for use. They ordered new tractors and trucks new reapers and threshers and ordered them in time to be here the very first day and ready for business. But that was not all. Many of our farmers waded out into their wheat fields and examined the grain itself to see if anything else was needed to make the harvest a complete success. And most of them found some of their finest heads of wheat lying on the ground. That would never do. They could not afford to lose those heads that were falling down. No sirree! Those heads just had good wheat in them as any. Something had gone wrong with the straw that supported the head and down went the head.

Immediately one man devised a plan to save them. He ordered some big hooks to fasten to his reaper to reach down and elevate those heads to a level where the reaper could get them. It worked. In a few days special orders were going out by wire for iron to come in by express to make more iron hooks to save more heads of wheat. Anything to save the crop.

How about the children's heads? Are they all right? Is there anything wrong with their body that will have a tendency to make them droop their heads? Is there anything in the way of them being saved for the school and by the school? How about their eyes, noses, ears, throats? Are they ready for school to begin? How about their hearts, their blood, their breathing, their nerves, their health in general? Are you doing as much to put your child in first-class condition to enter school the first week in September as you did to put your old reaper in first class condition to enter the wheat field and do good work? Do

you realize that your child will lose time and get behind with his school work if you start him in all out of repair, just the same as you would have lost time and gotten behind with your harvesting if you had gone into it with your machinery all out of repair?

And some of you, no doubt, did try to get along with old wornout reapers because you could not afford to get new ones, or make the old ones over. And what happened? You lost time, and grain and money running around after repairs, while your \$5 a day harvest hands sat in the shade of a shock and smoked cigarettes. You lost rest and sleep trying to steal enough time from the night to make up for that lost in the daytime. And you came out in the end tired and cross and discouraged, and disgusted with everything and everybody, especially the farm and farming.

What will happen if you start your child to school unfit for the work before him? He will lose time, get behind, get discouraged. It will cost you just as much to send him to school sick as well. Your taxes will be the same. Your school expenses will be the same. The teacher will draw her salary just the same, whether your child is there all the time or half the time. You will lose rest and sleep helping him to keep up and make up what he misses at school. Nine months of this kind of work will wear you out more than four weeks of harvesting. Your child will lose interest in school. He will lose interest in life. His work will be a drag for both himself and his teacher. It will be harder to like the teacher when the work is hard. At the end of the year your child has not harvested much of an education. He has lost out in everything and you may have lost your child. Can you afford to risk it?

**Ins and Outs of Livestock**  
The meat ester of the near future is going to be troubled in the region of pocketbook. Producers of beef and pork are quitting the business because to them it has been a losing game. No one can blame anyone for quitting a losing business, but it is too bad for the producers, the consumers and the soil of our Nation that livestock has not been returning a uniform profit.

When men are going into and coming out of a business in an erratic manner that business is certain to suffer the consequences. Supply rises and falls, bringing a falling market,

as supply increases, and increasing prices, as supply lowers. Heavy producers may find themselves bankrupt overnight under such erratic conditions or they may find themselves credited with a small fortune accumulated in as short a time. It makes a nasty gamble of what should be a sound, staple business, and it makes or breaks men by the thousands.

The great need of the present is an assured, profitable price for all meat animals fitted for the market. If the farmer could be assured a reasonable profit for cattle and hogs he would go ahead with production. His soil would increase in productivity as his herd increased, for greater crops follow the manure spreader as surely as day follows night. With the memory of the past still fresh in mind; of promises of profits made and broken; of profiteers reaping the reward rightly belonging to the producer, is it any wonder that pastures and corrals are bare of cattle and hog fences are sagging about vacant pastures?

**Going Him One Better**  
Clyde Warwick, editor of the Canyon News, is out now with a gila monster story that overshadows anything produced on the North Plains heretofore, but we have a rabbit story that is something of a yarn itself.

The editor's home has a chicken yard that is bossed by a Rhode Island rooster. Our neighbor, Jackson Kent, has a pet Belgian hare. The rooster and the buck have been friends for several months. There is neither another rooster nor another rabbit in the immediate vicinity.

In the early morning the buck and the rooster stage a daily bout. Both assume the characteristic attitude of roosters fighting, and both make a rush at each other. The rooster flies up and strikes out with his horns. The rabbit jumps and strikes with his hind legs, jumping clear over the rooster and quickly whirling to meet the next attack. The battle goes on for several minutes, and when the fun is over they quit by mutual consent and suspend hostilities for twenty-four hours when they are up and at it again.

They appear to greatly enjoy the sport.—Canadian Record.

Never mind, there will soon be enough Roosevelts to supply candidates for all the political parties.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

We see a bank advertises itself as "progressive and conservative." It might confide its formula to Harding.—Greenville (S. C.) Piedmont.

**Alexander Took Pig Home in Airship**  
Tuesday C. E. Alexander, the well-known breeder of Big Type Poland Chinas, made a visit to the Poland China farm owned by Lewis Bros. & Cunningham and while there bought one of the fine pigs. An airplane was sailing around overhead and some one suggested that such a fine pig deserved a ride to his new home in an airplane. The idea proved infectious and was at once adopted, so the party repaired to the aviation field and soon had arrangements made for the pig to be transported to the Alexander farm in an airplane.

Mr. Alexander telephoned out to his farm about the plan so that Mrs. Alexander and two daughters might be on the lookout and give the pig proper reception. Then the pig was securely tied on the side of the plane and Mr. Alexander crawled into the machine and the signal to start was given. Pilot Benson did his part and the airplane was soon sailing gracefully out in space carrying the first pig to receive such a ride in the United States, so far as is known. On arriving at the farm, a safe landing was made and the pig duly released to go grunting his way about his new home.—Childress Post.

**Rock Here Good for Cement**  
Cement can be made from rock in the vicinity of Amarillo, according to an analysis made by City Chemist G. M. Crook. Contractors of the city have become deeply interested in the matter of locating a cement factory here, especially since a shortage of cement threatened to tie up building industries here.—Amarillo Tribune.

**New County Tax Rate**  
County Commissioners' Court yesterday declared a tax levy of \$1.15 per \$100 on taxable property in the county. The taxable property in the county, according to the records of the valuation placed by the Assessor amounts to approximately \$16,500,000. This will produce about \$189,750 at the new rate.—Amarillo Tribune.

According to Washington advices, the high cost of living has reached the peak again. Old H. C. of L. must be leaping from peak to peak, as it were.—New York Globe.

The Germans say the Allies are "drunk with victory" but some of the Allies are beginning to fear the victory is less than one-half of one per cent.—Greenville (S. C.) Piedmont.

Cuba has shown its gratitude to America by subscribing handsomely to the Roosevelt Memorial Fund. It has not yet, however, done anything for Mr. Volstead.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

## BUILD A HOME

"If solid happiness we prize,  
Within our breast this jewel lies,  
And they are fools who roam,  
The world has nothing to bestow;  
From our own selves our joys must flow,  
And that dear hut, our Home."  
—Selected.

How close these lines come to every one of us—if we have a Home of Our Own to which we can turn, finding rest and comfort with our family when the day's work is done, the world has no greater happiness to bestow.

It has been a decided pleasure for us to be able to help so many families of Canyon find Homes.

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While visiting the Fair, visit us too.

## The First State Bank of Canyon

**Flies Steal Milk**

Innumerable requests reach us asking for information as to how to increase the milk flow of cows and in every issue of *The Dairy Farmer* we attempt to tell in a practical way how these very commendable desires may be accomplished.

We have frequently discussed the subject of increasing the percentage test of cows by feeding and quite frequently we have been compelled to say that experiments fail to denote that the percentage test of a cow can be perceptibly raised by any particular method of feeding; that the richness of milk is determined by breeding rather than feeding; that every cow inherits a given percentage test that can be secured by proper methods of care, feed and management. To increase the test above this point seems impossible, but if the cow is not kept in good condition, well fed and comfortable, the test will decrease even as will the milk flow.

Experiments denote that if a cow is uncomfortable a portion of her time, she will show even a greater decrease in percentage test than she will in milk production.

Professor Eckles showed quite conclusively by experiments that cows subjected to the usual conditions of summer test lower than they do when the weather conditions are more conducive to comfort.

It is conceded that to secure the best results from cows, they must be protected against the heat and flies of summer time and it is doubtful if anything steals milk and butterfat as ruthlessly as flies do.

Right now they are at work and if the robbery they are intent upon making is to be avoided, something must be done and done promptly.

From time to time, we have told of the methods known to be efficient in preventing, killing and making them harmless.

At the Louisiana State University dairy farm a formula has been in use which is highly recommended for spraying cows at small expense. A mixture of crude oil, fish oil soap, nicotine sulphate and water is prepared as follows: "Four gallons of crude oil were placed in the tank of

the wheelbarrow sprayer that was used in the spray work. One pound of fish oil soap was then dissolved in two gallons of hot water, the mixture and poured into the crude oil. Five of soap and water brought to a boil minutes of pumping the mixture back upon itself, the nozzle of the sprayer being directed into the tank, gave an emulsion that could be mixed with water. For spraying, one gallon of this stock solution and five teaspoonful of nicotine sulphate were mixed with four gallons of water."

A wheelbarrow sprayer should be used for applying the solution efficiently. A small hand sprayer takes too much time. At the Louisiana farm a herd of 30 cows are sprayed in 15 minutes, five gallons of the spray mixture being used. One man operates the pump and pushes the 12 gallon wheel barrow, while another operates the nozzle.

The mixture is cheap, the ingredients purchased from any implement dealer and we know of no way in which more milk and butterfat can be secured so cheaply and by the use of one-half minute per cow of two men's time daily than by eliminating the exasperating discomfort that flies occasion both man and beast.—*The Dairy Farmer*.

**Lamentable Facts**

"The man who saves a dollar now thereby is saving the equivalent of \$2 for the near future," in the opinion of J. W. Hoopes, vice president of the South Texas Commercial National bank of Houston and formerly deputy governor of the federal reserve bank of Dallas.

And the way to save, according to this south Texas banker is to cut out the non-essentials. There is a vast army of wage workers or wealth makers in America who are too busy today earning the coin to purchase the necessities of life to take into consideration the purchase of non-essentials.

Vice President Hoopes is reminded that the dollar of 1914 has a purchasing power today of less than 50 cents. Another adviser tells the people that if everyone will assume individual responsibility to refrain from luxuries and produce as much as possible high

prices and the high cost of living can be reduced.

High prices of food products are not going to tumble, and there are wise men who believe that the peak has not been reached. There are thousands of deserted farms America over. They are deserted because the young men of the country prefer the city to the farm.

There are millions of acres of rich land that will not be cultivated or produce crops this year on account of the shortage of farm labor.

These are lamentable facts, and will cause lamentable conditions. According to the census officials more than 65 per cent of the population of America are city dwellers—that is, they live in cities or towns of more than 5,000 inhabitants.

Twenty years ago 65 per cent of the population of America were found on the farms of America. All the farm journals, all the farm investigators, all the officials of farmers' organizations report decreased acreage this year and decreased acreage means decreased crops of the food products of America.

It is useless to blink at the facts. They tell their own story. All the senators and all the representatives are calling for increased production. All the financiers and all the political economists are calling for increased production.

All the universal advisers are calling for increased production. All the editors are calling for increased production, but the boys of the country are going to the city, where living conditions are inviting and the wage scales are alluring.

A wise man was the old Alcalde of Texas. He said "Civilization begins and ends with the plow." He knew.—*Fort Worth Record*.

**Horse's Kick Proves Fatal**  
Montgomery Needham of Willis Point, Texas, who was kicked by a horse on the Will Sutherland farm eight miles South of Amarillo, died from his injuries this morning at 7:54 o'clock at St. Anthony Sanitarium. He was working on Mr. Sutherland's farm and was kicked in the stomach by an obstreperous horse.—*Amarillo Tribune*.

**Community Action to Combat Insects**

A great portion of the annual loss to the grain crop due to insect injuries can be avoided by vigilance and vigorous action on the part of the grain growers. Insect outbreaks frequently originate within limited areas, and when this is the case it often is possible to stamp them out before great damage has occurred.

In other instances the outbreaks are of general origin, and then community action is essential in order that the inroads of the pest may be overcome. The most serious insect enemies of cereal crops, such as the Hessian fly, the chinch bug, and white grubs, belong to the latter class. In

the case of these and other widely distributed foes of the grains no means of stopping their ravages will be successful until community action can be secured in adopting the methods of combat at present advocated by entomologists.

Fall plowing doubtless is the most universally beneficial practice for the control of the insect pests of cereal crops, and this measure should be adopted except where it is rendered impossible by local agricultural conditions. Corn never should be planted on freshly broken sod land, because this practice is almost certain to expose the crop to the ravages of cutworms, wireworms, and white

grubs. Crops belonging to the bean family, such as cowpeas, soy beans, clover, alfalfa, etc., may be interposed safely between sod and grain, and especially between sod and corn, in order that injury to the grain crops by these pests may be avoided.

A new anti-aircraft projectile is made in many parts, linked together, and these expand into a large ring as they pass through the air, until they cover a large area. Some part of it is likely to catch the plane at which it is aimed.

The Boston idea was to cross to sudden affluence on a Ponzi asinorum as 'twere.—*Chicago Tribune*.



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You will find a hearty welcome at this drug store, and we cordially invite you to come in and make yourself at home. Cool off at our Fountain.

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We firmly believe that the Fordson is the best tractor for any Panhandle farmer. We find that after a thorough test under all conditions that the owners of the Fordsons agree with us, and we have had a number of men return this season for a second machine to use on their farms.

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**The Car Shortage**

It is a calamity, no doubt about that. But there is one way to look at it that makes it the happiest calamity that ever happened to our country. Twenty-five years ago, one car would have carried all the grain in this whole country to market. And it would have been loaded with bundle stuff to fill it. There was a little grain stored up for a pig or two, and a few chickens, and a few acres of row crop for the cattle. But none for the markets. Yes; that was less than twenty-five years ago.

Twenty-two years ago two row binders cut every stalk of feed in our whole county. Today there are twenty-one combination reapers and threshers at work in our harvest fields, sending the grain by thousands of bushels directly from the field to the granary. There are a score or more individual threshing machines and community threshers at work, and scores of self-binders and headers. Tractors are plowing across the fields until the whole country looks like a network of steam railways. In every direction the smoke of the engines is curling up over growing straw piles, and newly-built granaries are dotted around over the country.

There is a car shortage. There is something wrong somewhere. There seems to be enough passenger coaches to get us all out of town when we want to go. But the wheat and oats will soon be piled up all over the country. One reason for the car shortage is that the Panhandle is producing grain by the million bushels today, as compared to a few sacks of chicken feed a few years ago, and the trouble is the folks who run the Government and the railroads and distribute the cars around over the U. S. A. do not know where the Panhandle is. They do not realize what the people of the Panhandle are doing. They still think the Panhandle of Texas is the Llano Estacado they saw marked up in the northwest corner of the map of Texas when they were school boys. They think this is a desert land where it takes a section of land to feed one steer and that the country is still the home of prairie dogs, rattlesnakes and owls. Poor little dogs! There are hardly enough of them left to wag a welcome to such folks. And he is a lucky summer visitor who captures a set of rattlers as a souvenir of his Panhandle visit.

No, the prairie dog towns mark a race, that is past. And cities like Amarillo, Canyon Plainview, Hereford, Lubbock, Dalhart, Stratford, Texline, Panhandle, Canadian, Miami, Pampa, Higgins, Wheeler, Shamrock, Claude, Clarendon, Goodnight, Lelia Lake, Hedley, Memphis, Childress, Wellington, Quanah—these are the towns that have taken the place of the prairie dog towns. And out in the fields for miles and miles around these cities of the Plains may be found one of the best classes of citizens, both men and women, and the children, too, in all this Nation. For years they have been studying the soil, the climate and the plant life, and year by year they are learning nature's combinations for this special part of the Plains. And year by year they are taming this new wild country and breaking it like a colt for use for man.

This accounts partly for the car shortage. The people of the Panhandle and West Texas are conquering the soil. They are succeeding with their great work beyond the belief of the outside people. They are not only making crops, but they are making new records. They are making history. They are making wealth for Texas. Twenty-five years ago this same land was worth 3 cents per acre. There was no car shortage then. Women came and made homes for men. Children were born. Schools and Sunday Schools became necessary. Little towns were created. The country grew as the people grew. The towns grew as the country became developed. Demand called the railroads into existence and now the great rich fields of grain are calling for a way to reach the people. The harvest is nearing the end. Tens of thousands of bushels of wheat and oats are ready for the markets. And no way. The farmers need their money. The rest of the world needs the food that is tied up in the crop. Cars, cars, cars, are what people need now. Cars to move their crop and make room for more. Cars to carry the grain to the people who need it.—Phebe K. Warner in Star-Telegram.

**How Congress Blunders**

The national and state Farm Bureaus, as well as individual farmers, should inform themselves regarding recent developments in Congress, which are of vital interest to agricultural.

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ture. Just before adjournment of the session early in June, Congress cut the annual agricultural appropriation bill by six million dollars. That is, the sum was subtracted from the budget presented by the Department of Agriculture. It leaves appropriated more than two million dollars less than the sum set aside for the current year. This action was taken in spite of the fact that the purchasing power of a dollar has decreased and the same amount of money cannot be made to do as much work as formerly. This reduction was made "in the interest of economy."

No one has any complaint to make if Congress decides on a program of economy, providing the same is well directed. There is a natural doubt in the mind of the farmer, however, when his interest is the one to suffer, while other departments in which a saving could well be made, are barely touched. The Secretary of Agriculture, in presenting his budget, strongly recommended that the appropriation of \$239,000 for congressional free seed distribution be eliminated and the money be diverted to necessary and important activities having a direct bearing on agricultural production. This item was first dropped by the senate, but the house refused to concur and when the bill finally passed, free seed was retained. This was no mere accident. It simply means that the present seed graft, which has been used by congressmen as petty bribery in attempted vote getting, is to be continued at public expense. These are strong words. It is necessary, however, to awaken the farmer to the fact that if he does not bring personal pressure to bear upon the congressman who represents his particular district his money will continue to be wasted at Washington.

Another act on the part of the expiring session which is directly political and illustrates the habit of Congress to play politics at the expense of the nation, is the new method of distribution of farmers' bulletins. Formerly all farmers' bulletins were distributed through the Department of Agriculture. By the act adopted at the last session four-fifths of all farmers' bulletins are allotted to congressmen and are not to be obtained except on personal application of the farmer to these congressmen. Words fail to express the feeling of the average farmer toward his representatives at Washington, whose vision of national problems is so restricted that they adopt the methods of ward healer and peanut politician in handling matters pertaining to agricultural development.

It is difficult to select any particular individual, or any particular party or group of politicians at Washington and attach to them responsibility for

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these policies. They cover up their tracks successfully and the blame must lie against congress as a whole. The remedy, however, is with the individual voter, who must exert his influence through the individual congressman and senator. If the department of Agriculture is to be made a political football it is time for the taxpayer farmer to find it out. No other conclusion can be reached in considering recent events at Washington.

An analysis of the cut made in appropriations indicates that there were some unnecessary projects, which arose during the war, and which can well be eliminated. However, the deliberate curtailment of marketing activities and reduction of a service which saved the farmers, fruit growers and livestock producers thousands of dollars a year through having an unbiased market report, raises the suspicion that certain business interests had more influence than is apparent on the surface in having these appropriations cut down. Let us hope that the American Farm Bureau Federation will soon have at Washington such strength that Congress will be forced to give proper and business like attention to the demands of the farmers.—Western Farm Life.

**Farmer's Barn Destroyed by Fire**

The large barn on the J. E. George ranch, seven miles east of town was destroyed by fire last Thursday night, fire being discovered about 10 P. M. The George boys and several others were sleeping at the house, but when awakened, the fire had too much headway to stop. The barn contained about 500 bushels of oats and over 100 bushels of cane seed, besides a brand new Essex automobile, belonging to C. F. Pursley, a good saddle and some harness, all of which was a complete loss, with no insurance.

No one is able to figure the origin of the fire. The barn yard was clear of feed and trash, and no one had been around it since in the afternoon. The total loss amounting to near \$8,000.—Miami Chief.

Come to Canyon to live.

**Ex-Soldier Poisoned**

Lewis Payne, an ex-soldier, died suddenly at John Burn's rooming house at Nara Visa and his death is being investigated, as several mysterious circumstances surrounded his passing away.

People in an adjoining room were attracted by his screams and shouts of "murder." He was either poisoned or had lost his mind brooding over the fear that someone was trying to kill him.

Payne had received two "black hand" letters, one about July 15, and the other last Saturday. The first told him to leave \$1000 in gold on the lone road; that there would be a lighted lantern on the road, and to leave the country within 20 days or he would be put to death. The other told him if he didn't leave town Saturday he would be put to death; that he was being watched, and not to make a fool of himself as he did the other time.

Payne had \$10,000 insurance with the government, \$5000 with the Kansas City Life Insurance Company and \$2000 with the M. W. A. All this insurance was made to his parents.—Tucumcari (N. M.) News.

**Russian Thistle Hay**

You can make hay of Russian thistles if they are cut at the proper time and put into a stack. That proper time is before they develop stickers and that will be before long. Mr. Hanley of Supply two years ago cut some thistles with a little bit of oats and the cows licked them up clean as soon as they were turned to the stack in the fall. They even turned down kafir stock pasture for the weeds that had been stacked. Of course with the abundant crop of milo and kafir coming on it does not look like a sensible thing to bother with cutting Russian thistles for hay but a little hay will be good for a change.—W. R. Gray, Woodward County (Okla.) Agent.

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"If you call yourself a teacher and say that, either you do not mean what you say or you have no right to call yourself a teacher."

That is the frank statement of Miss Marie M. Weber, who is conducting a follow-up campaign to interest people in teaching as a profession. She sees teaching as a life of adventure and excitement and romance and by romance she does not mean that the pretty teacher always marries the town banker or judge and lives happily ever after, although she admits that does happen now and then.

When Miss Weber speaks of the romance and adventure of teaching she has in mind exactly the same thing Stevenson had in mind when he sat down to write "Treasure Island."

"She thinks of teaching as a bold voyage daily into the far lands and beautiful realms that are in the minds of children, a voyage not without perils but rich in rewards and discoveries. The teacher is not the captain of a drab little ferry crossing and recrossing the same little muddy river with the same pitiful little cargo of ordinary human beings. The teacher is the captain of a full-rigged bark sailing each year to the ends of the earth with new paint, new rigging, and bright new crew singing and tugging at the anchors.

"It is never dull or uninteresting," says Miss Weber. "The children come to me with all their troubles and all their secrets. Why, they even bring me their first poems."

"What we want to do is to make the very best men and women in the country realize that teaching is worth their while, to make people everywhere realize they cannot have any except the very best men and women for teachers.

"The pay problem will take care of itself."—Journal of Education.

**Your Home Town First**  
By Dr. Frank Crane.)

Work for your home town.  
Beautify it. Improve it. Make it attractive.

The World War and the Treaty of Peace and the Protective Tariff and all such things are important subjects; but what's the use of cleaning up the world unless you sweep your own doorsteps?

The city whose main street is dirty, sordid-looking, cluttered, uninviting, suffers much. Such a city wants to be cleaned, recreated, made a thing of beauty, so that people will come miles to see it.

The best advertisement of your business is the town you live in. Towns get reputations, as well as men. Make your town talked of all over the state. It will thus draw people. And where the people come there is prosperity.

It does not take money. It takes something that is scarcer. It takes cooperation.

'Get together. Organize for civic improvement. Develop the civic nerve.

Rid your town of one eyesore after another. Clean up the vacant lots and plant them in gardens. Make a cluttered yard a disgrace. Make public opinion too hot for those who will not help.

It pays. It will promote law and order. It will help in the education of your children. It will draw factories and other business enterprises to your locality.

Shiftlessness, untidiness, dirt, and selfishness, as shown in your street and buildings, react upon your people.

Such things make your boys and girls grow up hating their home town. Make your home town a children's paradise, something their memory will lovingly turn back to.

Look after your amusement, your parks, your playgrounds, your theaters, and all your other means of communal enjoyments.

Make your home town happy.  
It pays.

**Increasing Home Efficiency**  
Increased home efficiency is one of the popular projects in the counties in which home demonstration agents are maintained by the United States Department of Agriculture and the agricultural colleges. Last year 166 counties in the north and west carried on county-wide campaigns for increased home efficiency, and 1,077 farm families in the same territory were assisted during that time in rearranging farmhouse or kitchen as an important first step in efficient housekeeping.

In the 15 Southern States last year 1,163 new houses were built according to plans advised by the home demonstration agents, 2,736 remodeled and 26,811 labor saving devices made or purchased.

**Cowman Meets Peculiar Accident**

On Wednesday F. H. Phenix met with an accident while attending to his cattle in his pasture that he has been laid up in bed since that time. At the time of the accident he was chasing a cow, which ran under a tree. Mr. Phenix' horse followed after, and in order to avoid a low hanging limb, Mr. Phenix stooped low in the saddle. The limb was too low for him to pass under, and it forced him with his breast down on the saddle horn, caving in the breast bone. He is now at home in a rather serious condition.—Higgins News.

**What He Had Missed**

A good story, told by Sir Thomas Lipton, is going the rounds. It concerns a Scotsman who went to a horse race for the first time in his life. The old fellow was rather feebly-minded, and his companions who took him to the race meeting presently persuaded him to stake a

sixpence in the third race on a forty-to-one shot.

By some miracle this outsider won. When the bookmaker gave the old man his winnings he could hardly believe his eyes. "Do you mean to tell me," he said, "that I get all this for my sixpence?"

"You do," answered the bookmaker.

"Ma conscience!" muttered the Scotsman. "Tell me, mon, how long has this thing been going on?"

Chicago News: Only a man's

philosophy will enable him to bear the burdens imposed upon him by the philosophy of others.

The man who waits until he is right before going ahead finds himself distanced by a less conservative individual who was willing to take chances.

Count that day gained whose low descending sun beholds no fresh evasion of the Hun.—Columbia (S. C.) Record.

Getting rich quick must be extremely exciting until the collapse comes.—Toledo Blade.



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**THE SCHOOL'S OBLIGATION TO THE PRECOCIOUS CHILD**

(Notes of an address given by Professor David Snedden before the Texas State Teachers' Association, November 23, 1919, (Section of Exceptional Children.)

1. The social obligation of schools towards all youth are of two kinds: (a) to conserve, instruct and train the youth in those respects which are known to the school to be important and as to which other agencies are necessarily ineffective; and (b) to inspire and to aid non-school agencies—like the home, the stage, the library, and the community—so to make their contributions that the total development and education of the child shall be the best practicable.

2. In the case of the precocious child (by which will be meant here all children manifesting exceptional abilities) it is especially important that the school study and take advantage of the possibilities under (b) above, since it is more through non-school agencies than through schools themselves that the broad foundations of development so needed by the super-normal child are to be met. Under many conditions the time of school attendance of the supernormal child should be reduced; but this is of slight advantage unless the home environment and the out of school activities of the child are such as to make for broader and deeper development of fundamental qualities.

3. The super-normal child is a great potential asset to society, if his powers be rightly conserved and developed. The first and chief danger to super-normal children in modern society is hot-house forcing. Parents, relatives, friends and teachers are so elated by the gifts that nature has given, that they proceed, foolishly, to create an artificial social environment about the child and to stimulate it prematurely to unusual achievement, especially along intellectual and aesthetic lines. Hence we probably violate from the start the principles that should guide us in the case of super-normal children—namely that of insuring slow and steady ripening of those capacities and powers especially which have chief significance in civilized life and the extensive development of which, therefore, impose a heavy load on the basic physical and psychical potentialities.

4. Obviously the first danger from hot-house forcing of mind (we rarely force the body) is insufficient and abnormal development of the sustaining bodily functions. To the person who is to do heavy mental or other unusual work in this world a nearly perfect body is indispensable unless more or less chronic unhappiness is to be the lot. Most of the bright, ambitious, conscientious girls of middle class America are now foredoomed by our artificial restrictions, forcings, and specializations, to spend their mature years in a condition of impaired, if not half broken health, unable to carry the burden of steady work, to be effective mothers, or to get genuine enjoyment out of life. The proportion of exceptionally able men similarly handicapped seems smaller, perhaps because dynamic boys submit less readily than girls to the taboos, pressures, and stimulations that ambitious parents and admiring teachers would impose. But the boy who is an only child or is of a submissive disposition, is often a victim.

5. But it is not merely in respect to purely physical powers, probably, that we should strive to create conditions whereunder the super-normal should "ripen" slowly. The basic psychical qualities—companionship, co-operation, satisfaction of natural curiosity, acquisition of general experience with nature and elemental constructive activities—all these probably should be insured full and steady development as foundations for the artificial trainings and conditionings that must come later. Hot-house developments can be social and intellectual as well as physical. The precocious child is often a disappointment to his friends in late years. He becomes a prig, a person of abnormal specialist interests, a recluse, or a neurasthenic. But if we have early forced and specialized him, why should we expect anything else?

6. The following theses are submitted as of fundamental importance in developing co-operation between home and school for the supernormal child:

a. Let it constantly be urged upon parents that no permanent advantages usually accrue from hurrying children along in the schools. Nothing is gained by having pupils finish the elementary school before fourteen, or the liberal arts college before twenty-two. More often than not physical harm results from permitting children to proceed as fast as their powers easily permit.

b. For the bright children who can readily master the ordinary school subjects school attendance

should be reduced unless the home environment is exceptionally unfavorable to right conditions of growth. Parents should be advised not to send bright, and especially nervous, children to school until these are eight or nine years of age. Capable children should be permitted at intervals, to remain out of school for a half or entire year, providing always at a normal environment for physical play, general reading, occasional physical work, and moderate sociability can be assured (the ordinary farm is the best example of this).

c. In schools, when a reasonable mastery of the "hard work" school subjects has been assured, the pupils' time should be given largely to general reading, construction work, nature study, and co-operative games, since these contribute to the broader fundamental development of powers which are especially desired in the exceptionally capable.

**How The Club Work Helps**

Three years ago a certain family with three children, living in a county in the eastern part of New Mexico, had on that farm nothing but scrub pigs, a mongrel flock of poultry, and one or two scrub dairy cows. Three years ago the oldest boy joined the boys' and girls' pig club and purchased a young registered gilt. At the end of the season's work the boy had made an excellent showing and had won a prize at the county fair. The following year, another member of the family secured a registered pig and also a high grade calf which had been shipped in. Both of these members continued in club work throughout the season and made good profits from their work. At the present time there are three members of this family, two boys and one girl, raising registered gilts and two Holstein calves shipped into the county from Wisconsin. These boys and girl have all made money from club work; they have a good start in

the livestock business; but in addition to this, the one outstanding thing which resulted from the work done by them is the demonstration conducted and its effect upon the older members of the family and the people of the community. Whereas, on this farm three years ago, there were nothing but scrub pigs, a mongrel flock of poultry, and a few scrub dairy cows, there are at the present time a flock of standard bred poultry, a herd of pure-bred registered pigs and a dairy herd consisting of high grade cows, which have been shipped in, and are being improved by the use of a better sire.

We know that the boys and girl were the means of effecting this change in livestock on this one place. It is hard, indeed, to estimate the value of this demonstration to the other people of that one community. —New Mexico Ruralist.

**Scheme to Get Freight Cars**

A farmer at Logan, Iowa, invented it. "It" is a brand new way of putting one over on the railroads and to get that much desired article—a freight car. Iowa's stockmen have had a hard time getting cars in which to market cattle and the Logan man was no exception. But when the Logan man wants a car he goes to the yards at a nearby junction point, buys a steer and of course it must be shipped to him in a car. When it arrives the railroad agent notifies the farmer and he invariably refuses to come and get his steer. What he does is to bring to the station enough of his own cattle to fill the car, along with the one that has just arrived and then ships the whole lot to Chicago. If an empty car were requested by the man from Logan he would never get it, but with one lonesome steer in the car the railroad gets \$10 and the opportunity is not lost. So this particular Iowan has never suffered for want of cars despite complaints from

all over the state regarding the shortage. He has carried out this stunt several times.

**The Northwest Texas Fair**

The Northwest Texas Fair, to be held in Plainview Sept. 27th to Oct. 1st, promises to be second only to the Dallas state fair, so the officers of the fair say. They expect as many

as 25,000 people each of the five days of the fair, as people will come from near and far.—Plainview News.

A man who is so dull that he can learn only by personal experience is too dull to learn anything vital by experience.—Don Marquis.

The manner in which one single ray of light, one single precious hint, will

clarify and energize the whole mental life of him who receives it, is among the most wonderful and beautiful of intellectual phenomena.—Arnold Bennett.

If De la Huerta tries to come down hard on grafters in Mexico he will lose the friendship of a great many prominent citizens.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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#### SEPTEMBER 8

I. General Survey of Colonial and Revolutionary Literature in the South.

1. Discussion: Colonial Literature; Its Characteristics and Meagerness.
2. Reading with Comment: "Bacon's Epitaph."
3. Paper: "The Revolutionary Period; Its Tone and Chief Characteristics."
4. Reading: "The Alternative" Patrick Henry.
5. Report on Washington's "Farewell Address."
6. Reading with Comment: "The First Inaugural Address," Thomas Jefferson.

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Oscar Gamble  
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Miss Wiley

#### SEPTEMBER 22

II. Antebellum Minor Poets; Nature Lyrics and Poems of Sentiment.

1. Paper: "Three Poems of Sentiment." Mirabeau P. Lamar's "Daughters of Mendoza," Edward Cooté Pinkney's "A Health," Philip P. Cooke's "Florence Vane."
2. Reading: "Lament of the Captive," Richard Henry Wilde.
3. Paper: Poems on the Mocking-Bird.
4. Reading: "The Grape-Vine Swing," William Gilmore Simms.
5. Reading: "Every Year," Albert Pike.

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Garner  
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#### OCTOBER 13

III. Antebellum Minor Poets: Patriotic Songs.

1. Report: The story of "The Star Spangled Banner."
2. Comparison of Simms' "The Swamp Fox" with Bryant's "Song of Marion's Men."
3. Discussion with reading: "Land of the South," Alexander B. Meek.
4. Interpretation: The Most Famous Military Elegy in our Literature: "The Bivouac of the Dead."

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Allen  
Mrs. Johnson

#### OCTOBER 27

IV. Antebellum Poetry: Edgar Allen Poe.

1. Paper: "Poe the Man; His Life and Its Lessons."
2. Paper: "Poe's Ideas on Poetry."
3. Reading and Interpretation: "The Haunted Palace."
4. Discussion: "The Quality of Poe's Poetry."
5. Reading and Interpretation: "The Raven."
6. Reading and Interpretation: "Israfel."

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Ingham  
Mrs. Thompson.

#### NOVEMBER 10

V. Antebellum Fiction: Simms and Kennedy.

1. Review: Simms' "The Partisans."
2. Reading: "A Southern Storm" from "The Partisans," or "The Partisans and the Swamp Fox."
3. Discussion: Comparison of Sims with Cooper.
4. Paper: "John Pendleton Kennedy, Author of 'Horse Shoe Robinson.'" LEADERS

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Stafford  
Mrs. Steele

#### NOVEMBER 24

VI. Confederate Lyrics (Minor Authors.)

1. Discussion: James Ryder Randall's Poetry.
2. Reading: "Pelham."
3. Paper: Francis Orray Ticknor's Best Poems.
4. Recitation: "Little Giffin."
5. Paper: James Reuben Thompson's Best Poems.
6. Mrs. Prestons Tribute to Thompson.

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Warwick  
Mrs. Sheffy  
Mrs. Burrow

#### DECEMBER 8

VII. Confederate Lyrics (Minor Authors.)

1. Paper: "Margaret Junkin Preston, Our Chief American Woman Poet."
2. Discussion: James Barron Hope, William Gordon McCabe, Henry Lynder Flash, and Other Writers of Confederate Lyrics.
3. Analysis and Reading: Mrs. Preston's Tributes to Lee and Jackson in "Gone Forward" and "The Shades of the Trees."
4. Discussion: "Dixie": Origin of the Name and Various Versions.

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Bell  
Mrs. Ackley  
Mrs. Latson

#### DECEMBER 22

VIII. Abram Joseph (Father) Ryan.

1. Discussion: "Qualities of Father Ryan's Poetry."
2. Reading with Analysis: "The Sword of Lee."
3. Paper: "Autobiographical Elements in 'Their Story Runneth Thus.'" LEADERS

#### LEADERS

Mrs. J. B. Gamble  
Mrs. McGee

### JANUARY 12

- IX. Henry Timrod.  
1. Paper: "The Saddest Life Story in American Letters, Henry Timrod."  
2. Discussion: "Timrod's War Poems: 'Ethnogenesis,' 'The Cotton Boll,' etc."  
3. Readings (1) "Storm and Calm;" (2) "Carolina;" (3) Ode: "Sleep Sweetly in your Humble Graves."  
4. Paper: Timrod's Maturer Verse, including his Nature and Love Poetry."  
5. Reading: Hayne's Poem to Timrod: "Under the Pines."  
6. Reading: (1) "The Lily Confidante;" (2) Selection from "Katie."

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Fronabarger  
Mrs. Lester

### JANUARY 26

- X. Paul Hamilton Hayne.  
1. Paper: "The Story of a Professional Poet: Paul Hamilton Hayne."  
2. Discussion: "Hayne as a Sonneteer."  
3. Reading: Select Sonnets by Hayne.  
4. Discussion: "The Correspondence of Two Poets: Hayne and Lanier."  
5. Reading: (1) "Lyric of Action;" (2) "Aethra;" (3) "A Dream of the South Winds;" (4) "Under the Pines." A Tribute to Henry Timrod.

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Angel  
Mrs. McElroy

### FEBRUARY 9

- XI. Sidney Lanier.  
1. Paper: "Life and Character of Sidney Lanier: the Ideal Southerner."  
2. Discussion: "Lanier's Nature Poems."  
3. Reading: "Sunrise" or "Marshes of Glynn."  
4. Paper: "Lanier's Love Poems."  
5. Reading with Comment: "My Springs."  
6. Discussion: "Lanier's Musical Genius as Expressed in His Poetry."  
7. Reading: "The Symphony."

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Fleisher  
Mrs. Garner

### FEBRUARY 23

- XII. Thomas Nelson Page.  
1. Review and Discussion: "Red Rock."  
2. Discussion: "The Best of the Negro Dialect Stories from 'In Ole Virginia.'"  
3. Reading: Selection from "In Ole Virginia."  
4. Discussion by the club: "Books I Have Read by Page." (Has he fulfilled the promise of his earlier work?)

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Oden  
Mrs. Oscar Gamble

### MARCH 9

- XIII. Some Recent Southern Novels.  
1. Short reviews of the following:  
(1) F. Hopkinson Smith: "Colonel Carter of Cartersville."  
(2) Ellen Glasgow: "The Voice of the People," "The Deliverance," "The Battleground," etc.  
(3) Henry Sydnor Harrison: "Queed," "V. V's. Eyes," etc.

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Warwick  
Mrs. Ackley  
Mrs. Walker

### MARCH 23

- XIV. Short Stories: Negro Dialect and Folklore.  
1. Paper: "Katherine Sherwood Bonner and Irwin Russell (Mississippi) Fore-runners of the Artistic Use of the Negro in Southern Literature."  
2. Paper: "Joel Chandler Harris: Creator of Uncle Remus."  
3. Reading: Selection from Uncle Remus Stories.  
4. Reading: "Shadow" by Harry Stillwell Edwards.

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Sheffy  
Mrs. Burrow

Business Meeting.

### APRIL 13

- XV. Short Stories: "Cracker" and Mountaineer Dialect.  
1. Paper: "The Georgia 'Cracker' in Literature."  
2. Paper: "The Arkansas Patois: Ruth McEnery Stuart 'Sonny' and 'In Simpkinsville,' etc."  
3. Reading: "A Christmas Guest" (Monologue I of "Sonny").  
4. Discussion: Charles Egbert Craddock's Tennessee Mountaineers.  
5. Recapitulation and selected Reading from the "Blue Ribbon." (Payne.)

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Hill  
Mrs. Jenkins

### APRIL 27

- XVI. Kentucky Stories: Jane Lane Allen, and two Later Poets of the South.  
1. Paper: "Jane Lane Allen's Short Stories in 'Flute and Violin.'"  
2. Paper: "A Kentucky Cardinal" and "Aftermath."  
3. Discussion: "Allen's Longer Stories: 'The Choir Invisible,' 'The Reign of the Law,' 'The Mettle of the Pasture.'"  
4. Paper: "Madison Cawein, Kentucky's Nature Poet."  
5. Paper: "The Poetry of Samuel Minturn Peck."  
6. Reading: "An Alabama Garden."

#### LEADERS

Mrs. McElroy  
Mrs. Bell  
Mrs. Sone

### MAY 11

- XVII. Western Stories: O. Henry Program.  
1. Discussion: "The Structure, Style, and General Qualities of O. Henry's Stories."  
2. Reading: "A Double-dyed Deceiver."  
3. Paper: "The Best of the Western Stories."  
4. Reading: "A Chaparral Prince."  
5. Discussion: "The Best of the New York Stories."

#### LEADERS

Mrs. Ingham  
Mrs. J. B. Gamble.

### MAY 25

- XVIII. Texas Poets.  
1. Discussion: "The Poetry of Hilton Ross Greer: 'A Prairie Prayer.'"  
2. Reading: "Mock-bird Matinee."  
3. Discussion: "The Newspaper Poets: Judd Mortimer Lewis and others."  
4. Paper: "Larry Chittenden, the Cowboy Poet."  
5. Reading: "The Cowboy's Christmas Ball," "Old Fort Phantom Hill."  
6. Paper: "Women Poets of Texas: Charlotte Wilson, Mrs. Baker, Margaret Ball Houston, and others."

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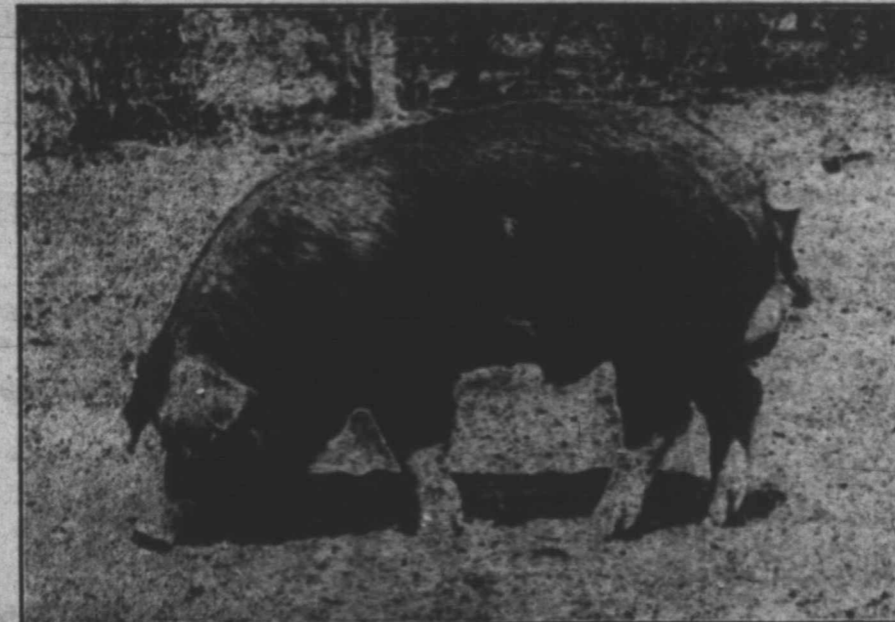
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**A TRIP AROUND THE WORLD**

If you understand the things that your friend leaves unsaid, you know your friend.

There are many ports where mail is delivered on board ships in dock, but London is perhaps the only port in the world where mail is delivered on board ships lying at anchor. In each of the two postal districts into which the Thames River is divided, a postman makes his rounds every day in a craft that resembles a fishing boat.

If any one of our readers is intending to emigrate to Montana to run for office, we advise him first to change his name, unless it begins with an early letter of the alphabet. At the recent Presidential primary in that state certain managers—what an apt designation of them!—chose as their candidates eight men, not one of whose names begins with a letter farther along in the alphabet than D. The names appear on the ballot in alphabetical order, and experience shows that few voters take the trouble to find out who are the best men on the ticket, but mark those whose names are first.

Men in the navy resented the order forbidding them to keep diaries during the war, but after a certain engagement a British ship picked up a floating sea chest in which there was a diary full of information that would have been invaluable to the Germans. Writers charged the censors with stupidity because they deleted imaginary incidents from short stories, but the Germans published broadcast as examples of British treachery fiction passed by the censors as too ludicrous to be taken seriously. The censors made mistakes, but not nearly so many as some people would have us believe. They had a difficult work to do and on the whole did it well.

The only survivor of the Alamo, Lewis P. Shilling, who was a child of four years when he was found under some bushes after the massacre, died last month. His long life was full of adventure. Kit Carson, the famous scout, adopted him, and he himself lived with the Indians for seventeen years and learned the language and customs of several tribes. Going to California as a member of Fremont's expedition, he helped to build the first wooden house in San Francisco. He served with the Twenty-third Ohio Infantry during the Civil War, and he is buried in the National Soldier's Cemetery near Los Angeles, California, where a squad of old men, themselves heroes of other days, fired a parting salute over his grave.

France, where it is the custom to pay pensions to the descendants of original pensioners until the line expires, still pays a pension to the D'Assas family, whose forefather sacrificed his life on the eve of the battle of Klosterkamp in 1760 to keep the French army from being surprised. It also pays seventy-eight pensions that date from the First Empire to descendants of heroes of Austerlitz and Friedland. It paid the last La Boissiere de Chambord six thousand livres a year until his death a few months ago, because a dauphin of France killed one of his ancestors, and until recently it paid a pension to the descendants of Montcalm. But the tremendous pension list, which is the more surprising because of the traditional thrift of the French, now has attracted the attention of economical legislators and is likely to be much curtailed.

Some one should write a book on the Romance of Real Estate. Even

the least comprehensive volume would touch both tragedy and comedy and be full of interest. Some thirty years ago, when James Gordon Bennett went up to what is now Herald Square and put up the new building for his newspaper, all New York laughed at him for moving so far uptown, yet the other day the building in the block front on the west side of Broadway from Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth streets was leased for a term of years at an aggregate rental of eleven million dollars. Since the Herald Building was erected, the Pennsylvania Railroad Station, the Hudson and Manhattan tubes and the interborough subway have made that neighborhood the very heart of New York City. On the same day a former saloon keeper at the corner of Frankfort and William streets heard an auctioneer knock down for \$638 a property for which, six years ago, the saloon keeper had refused \$75,000.

**Destroy The Ants**

One of our subscribers down in Las Animas county complains that ants are attacking the young apple trees set last year. He believes the ants suck the under side of the leaves so as to make them curl under. It is not the ants that are injuring the trees, but the aphid or green fly. Spray thoroughly with a soapy emulsion, one pound laundry soap to eight gallons of water, applied warm; when cold it is too thick to spray. Kerosene emulsion, diluted with ten parts of water, or fish-oil soap, one pound in six gallons of water, are also good, but the laundry soap is always at hand. The ants, however, are a nuisance, because they herd the aphids for the sake of their honey-dew, a syrupy excretion of which the ants are fond. Some species of plant-lice are practically dependent upon ants for their existence. The ants store their eggs, place them in a favorable place for hatching, carry the young aphids of the plants upon which they are to feed and milk them afterwards with an intelligence that suggests a stock raiser or dairyman. For this reason florists always discourage ants in a green house and they are equally unwelcome in an orchard. There is also a suspicion that they disseminate scale insects. Note where their hills are located and then destroy them with bisulphide of carbon when everybody is at home.—Field and Farm.

**Oldest Plains Postoffice Discontinued**  
An item of more than local interest that the Review has known for some weeks past but failed through pure negligence to mention was the abolition of the Mount Blanco postoffice, which became a thing of the past of the 15th of June. The Patrons of the office are being served by the rural route from this place.

Mount Blanco was the oldest postoffice in all the Plains country, it having been established forty-odd years ago with Aunt Hank Smith as postmistress. At that time there was no Amarillo, Plainview, Lubbock, or any of the thriving little cities or towns now dotted over this great Plains country. Mrs. Smith remained the postmistress up to about three years ago, holding her commission for about forty years, one of the longest records for continuous service as postmaster in the United States. The postoffice was kept in the rock house in the canyon up to the time of her resignation, when K. J. Mathews was appointed postmaster to succeed her and the office was then moved to his place just on top of the cap

rock on the north side of the canyon. Mr. Mathews got rich farming last year, like a great many of our farmers, rented his place and requested Uncle Samuel to take the relic of pioneer days off his hands, which he did with great reluctance.—Crosby-

**Died From Bean in Wind Pipe**  
Thursday afternoon Warren, the twelve-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Christian, who live a mile south of town, died from having sucked a bean into the right bronchial tube.

The child several days before got hold of some dry beans and put them into its mouth, sucking one of them into its windpipe. Medical attention was given the child and later an x-ray failed to locate it as vegetable matter does not

show in x-ray examinations. The child gradually grew worse until the end came.—Plainview News.  
What the world needs is a car that will last as long as the mortgage.—Associated Editors (Chicago).

# CLOSING OUT PUBLIC SALE

HAVING LEASED MY PLACE FOR THREE YEARS, I AM QUITTING THE FARM AND WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THIS PLACE, 11 MILES WEST AND ONE MILE NORTH OF CANYON AND 3 MILES NORTH AND 1 1-2 MILE WEST OF UMBARGER ON

## TUESDAY, SEPT. 7

Commencing promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property:

**29 HORSES AND COLTS**

- 1 gray Percheron mare 9 years old, wt. 1600 pounds.
- 1 black Percheron horse, 3 years old, weight 1400 pounds.
- 2 sorrel mares, 5 years old, 1000 lbs., one colt.
- 1 bay mare, 5 years old, 1000 lbs., one colt.
- 1 sorrel mare, 4 years old, 1200 lbs., one colt.
- 1 bay mare, 8 years old, 1100 lbs.
- 8 coming 3 year old colts, unbroke, grade Percherons.
- 6 coming 2 year old colts, unbroke, grade Percherons.
- 5 coming 1 year old colts, unbroke, grade Percherons.

**10 HEAD OF MULES**

- 10 head of work mules, 3 to 5 yrs. old.

**138 HEAD OF CATTLE**

- 3 registered Hereford bulls.
- 50 head high grade Hereford cows.
- 30 head high grade Hereford heifers.
- 50 head high grade Hereford calves.
- 5 good milk cows.

**FEED IN SHOCK AND FIELD**

- 110 acres broad cast sorghum in the shock.
- 40 acres good standard maize in field.
- 75 acres good standard kaffir in field.
- 20 acres good standard corn in field.
- 130 acres good standard feterita and maize in field.
- 80 acres good standard sudan grass in field.

**HARNESS**

- 4 sets leather harness.
- 6 sets chain harness.
- 1 set rubber tug harness.
- 1 set buggy harness.
- 1 saddle.
- 1 buggy.

**CHICKENS**

- About 10 dozen hens.

**Free Lunch Will be Served at Noon**

TERMS: \$25.00 AND UNDER CASH. OVER \$25.00 A CREDIT OF SIX MONTHS WILL BE GIVEN, PURCHASER GIVING BANKABLE NOTE WITH APPROVED SECURITY WITH INTEREST AT THE RATE OF 10 PER CENT FROM DATE OF SALE. EVERYTHING SOLD, ABSOLUTELY NOTHING RESERVED. NO PROPERTY TO BE REMOVED UNTIL TERMS OF SALE ARE COMPLIED WITH.

# WM. ASH

SHERM WILLIAMS, Hereford  
McNEIL BROS., Canyon AUCTIONEERS

WILFORD TAYLOR, Clerk  
ROSCOE DAVIDSON, Cashier

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We have contracted to distribute G. M. C. Trucks in a large portion of the Panhandle and we want agents in all towns to represent us. This Truck is made by General Motors, the same people who make the Cadillac and Buick automobiles. Write or call on us for our proposition.

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**THE MILLER FEEDER**

The Randall County News has always had a pride for leading in the printing business. We have always been awake to the newest ideals and methods in the printing world with a view of being of uttermost service to our customers. We buy new machinery because we can do better work for the public.

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The News most cordially invites all of the citizens of Randall County to visit this office and see the machine work. It is certainly a wonder.

## Randall County News

### Brain Gamblers at "Work" Again

(By Senator Arthur Capper)

The thirteenth of July was an unlucky day for millions of wheat producers and for millions more who eat bread. On that day the boards of trade, or grain exchanges, resumed their so-called trading, after the world had got along without their non-essential services exceedingly well during the war. Since that day, when the gamblers again took control of the one commodity that is the basis of the whole world's food, wheat has slumped as much as 42 to 54 cents a bushel in a short two weeks has rebounded 17 cents in a single day and has slumped again.

Now only one thing could have caused those slumps naturally. That cause would be a glut on the market. But there has been no glut. It is and has been impossible for a glut to develop, because the railroads could not and cannot get the wheat to market. Those slumps were deliberately manipulated to defraud the wheat grower. The wheat has been in the grower's hands, because the railroads could not get it to market, so the gamblers staged the slump until they could get the wheat into their own hands. Had the wheat been in the hands of a few gamblers who dominate the market those slumps would not have happened. From a standpoint of honesty and economics they were absolutely inexcusable.

That wheat rebounded 17 cents in one day was not owing to rumors of further hostilities in Europe, as was given out. It was entirely because one group of gamblers believed another group of gamblers were pushing the market down too hard. Rarely are any of the rumors on which the market is made to climb and tumble of a substantial bona fide cause and effect nature. None of them can or do, as a usual thing, result in the producing or consuming of a single pound more or less of grain. As a matter of fact, a majority of operators on the boards of trade are ignorant of actual conditions. They merely guess and gamble. A few large firms do know the actual conditions. They have big, expensive organizations to keep them accurately informed and they are the persons who steadily, year after year, make huge fortunes from wheat without growing or milling a single grain of it. Their only stock in trade is accurate information, not wheat, and they use that accurate information, thru the board of trade gambling facilities, to raise or lower the price of wheat to make

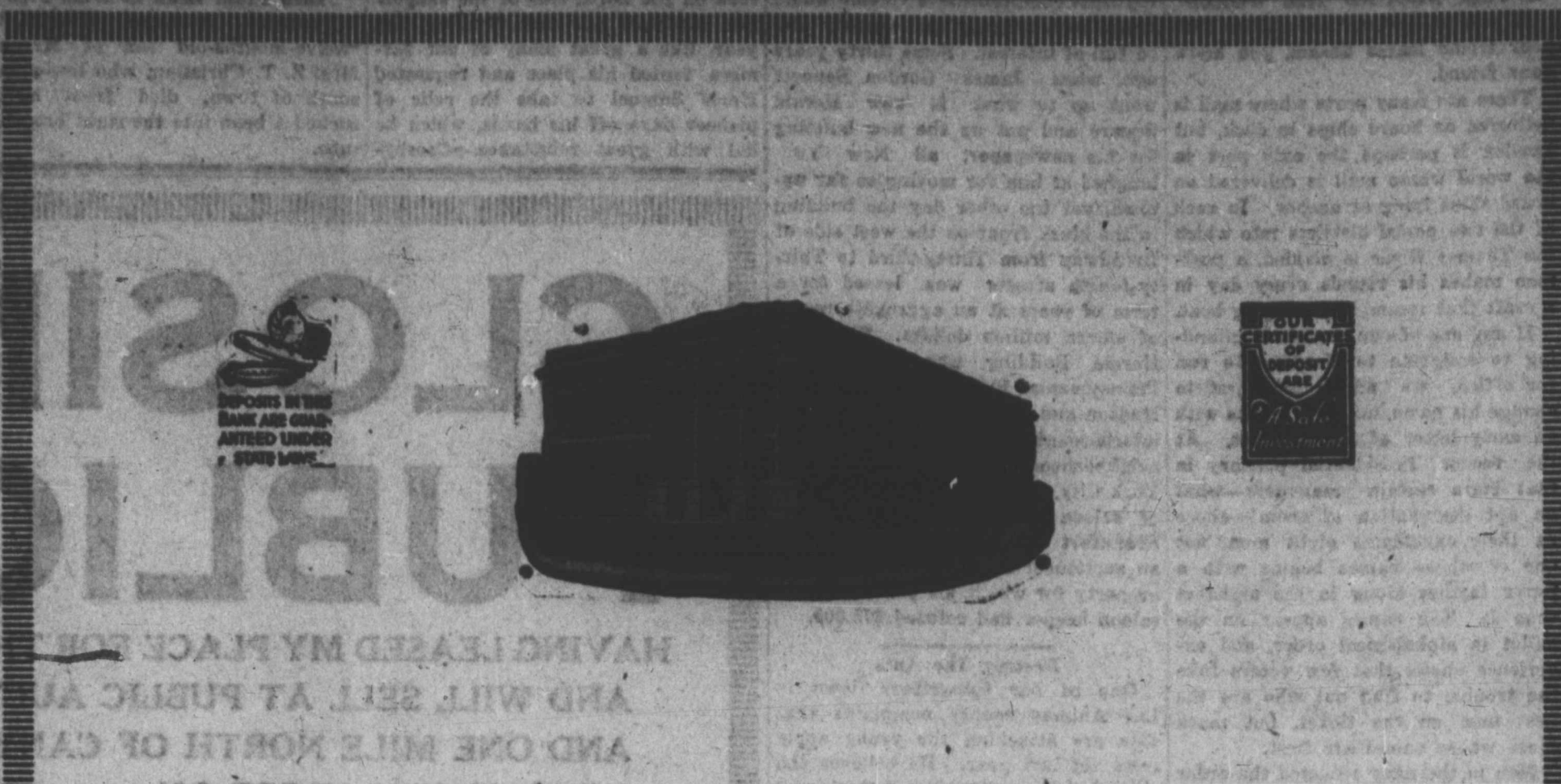
money for themselves. What good can these persons be to the world, to anyone except themselves? They are leeches that fatten on humanity. They do not gamble. They deal in facts. They load the dice and when the dice with unfailing certainty show up in their favor the wheat grower and the man who eats bread pay them. Why in the name of justice are they allowed to exist?

Outside of these few big operators, the rest of the board of trade dealers are gamblers. You can prove that assertion by asking any number of them for facts, figures on supply and consumption, and by then comparing the widely varying "facts" you will have. Get a board of trade operator to talk frankly and he will admit he is nothing but a gambler. I know of one prosperous grain dealer who quit the business and opened a furniture store. He did not wish his three boys who were growing up, to become gamblers.

I know they talk a lot of hocus pocus about the service the board performs for the milling industry. A miller, they say, sells 1,000 barrels of flour for November delivery. He would run a tremendous risk and would have to greatly increase the price of flour, they say, if he could not go on the board of trade and buy on margin for an insignificant commission an equivalent in wheat for November delivery and thus protect his November delivery of flour. That's true, but why does the miller have to seek that protection? Solely because the board of trade makes wheat a gamble and thereby makes milling a gambling instead of a straightout, legitimate manufacturing business, which it should be.

I know a man who has quit the grain business to become a banker. The other bankers looked at him askance. They feared this new banker might carry grain gambling into his banking which ultimately would have spelled disaster for some one. But this new banker was wise. He built up a sound business. Yet fully realizing his short-comings of the present grain business, our financiers are greatly concerned as to how to finance the grain grower to hold his grain until the railroads can carry it away, while they never seem to worry about supplying money for board of trade operations.

The Government's figures show that this year's wheat crop in the United States is 12,846,000 bushels below the 5-year average. An accepted authority says that Europe will



# A Double Welcome

**RANDALL COUNTY FAIR  
SEPTEMBER 8, 9, 10.**

Farmers of Randall County will receive a hearty welcome not only at the Fair grounds but in our banking rooms.

Make this bank your family headquarters while in Canyon. Rely on us for a helpful banking service or friendly general assistance. It will please us to be of service to you. We hope you get a deal of good out of inspecting the exhibits and labor saving machinery and through exchanging ideas with others.

Here's to a successful County Fair in a social as well as in a business way.

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have to import 15 million tons of breadstuffs this year. Argentina is importing wheat to supply its own needs now. Russia is not exporting wheat because of internal strife and demoralized transportation. In the face of all that, the grain gamblers make a bear raid on wheat, try to defraud the growers of millions of dollars. The whole thing is sickening. The board of trade is an ulcer of our economic body, and should be eradicated. It is harmful and useless.

The trouble in Ireland is that so much religion is a matter of politics and so much politics is a matter of religion.—Greenville (S. C.) Piedmont.

Those who sorrow because the next generation will inherit the war-debt should cheer up. Present indications are that it will also inherit the war. Associated Editors (Chicago).

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# RANDALL COUNTY FAIR

## SEPTEMBER 8th, 9th, 10th

**ONE OF THE BIGGEST COUNTY FAIRS HELD THIS YEAR IN THE PANHANDLE WILL BE STAGED IN CANYON NEXT WEEK.**

Plans for the Randall County Fair are rapidly being developed and it is now safe to say that when the doors open next Wednesday morning on the Normal Athletic field where the Fair will be staged, there will be assembled one of the greatest exhibits that any Panhandle county has ever gotten together.

C. F. Walker, general manager of the Fair, states that from an agricultural standpoint there will never have been a better exhibit arranged than has been promised by the farmers of Randall county for the Fair next week.

The hog show will be one of the biggest features of the Fair. The District Futurity Show will bring to Canyon more than 200 head of the finest registered hogs in all Northwest Texas, and besides there will be a large number of herds shown which will not compete in the hog show.

The Hereford breeders are getting busy and will put on a first-class exhibit to add to the fair, although no premiums are being offered in this class.

The Holstein and Jersey cattle class will have strong competition in the Fair.

The Pig Club boys are going to put on a wonderful exhibit showing the possibilities of intensive work in this section.

The Poultry Department will have an excellent display from the various fine flocks of poultry from Randall County.

Randall County has some very fine sheep and they will have a prominent place in this Fair.

The Baby Show is expected to draw a very large attendance among future governors and presidents of this good country, with a strong tendency towards the suffragettes.

All in all there promises to be a great Fair next week and one which every citizen of the county should see.

### NEFF LEADS IN RANDALL COUNTY

The following was the vote by precincts in the primary Saturday. Box 7 did not hold an election:

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	8	9	Total
<b>For Governor</b>									
Bailey	181	9	18	15	4	4	41	3	275
Neff	276	7	14	9	29	14	5	0	354
<b>For Lieutenant Governor</b>									
Davidson	150	0	8	3	8	3	24	0	199
Johnson	287	15	21	20	20	14	17	3	392
<b>For Supreme Judge</b>									
Hawkins	140	5	15	11	10	13	13	0	207
Pierson	275	10	13	9	16	4	27	3	357

Strawberry Jam.  
Blackberry Jam.  
Crabapple Jam.  
Apple Jelly.  
Grape Jelly.  
Cherry Jelly.  
Peach Jelly.  
Plum Jelly.  
Relish.

**Miscellaneous**  
One pound country butter.  
Five pounds dried corn.  
Plate Cottage Cheese.

**Pig Club Boys**  
Fritz Friemel Special—Mr. Friemel will pay the boy's note should one of his pigs win.

John Knight offers \$10 for first and \$5 for second on any winning pigs sired by King Jack's Friend.  
H. C. Roffey will give \$10 and \$5 for any winning pig which is bred by him.

Cash premiums will be offered in the Pig Club as follows: \$15, \$10, \$7.50, and five of \$5 each.

Best kept record book for Club Boys, \$5, \$2.50.

**Open Class**  
John Knight offers \$25 in the open class to any pig sired by King Jack's Friend.

**Swine Department**  
John Knight and E. C. Dodson, Supts. A pen rental of \$2 will be charged. In classes where only one exhibitor shows only second money will be awarded but first ribbon given. Premiums are opened to all registered breeds.

**Rules and Regulations**  
1. The dates for computing ages in this department will be September 1st to March 1st.  
2. All animals in swine class will be judged according to the accepted characteristics of the breed to which they belong. Registration papers will be required in all classes.

3. All sows two years old and over must have produced a litter of pigs, or else be excluded from the show ring.  
4. Bogs two years old or over, must have proved themselves sires and an affidavit to that effect may be called for.

5. Get of sire; four animals either sex and any age.  
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**Hot Dogs, Boys**  
"Hot Dogs, get 'em while they're hot" will be a familiar cry on the Fair grounds next week. Several "hot dog" joints will probably be in operation in addition to the usual "stands" of various kinds. The needs of the people will be well taken care of during the fair.

**Cotton Exhibit From San Marcos**  
One of the exhibits at the Randall County Fair next week will be a cotton exhibit from San Marcos. C. F. Walker received the entrance application several days ago.

**Have Fine Creamery Exhibit**  
A creamery has contracted for space at the Randall County Fair next week and will put on a very fine exhibit of their products.

**Ten Motorcycles in the Races**  
Ten motorcycles have been entered in the races for the Randall County Fair next week. This race will be one of the big features of the week.

**Truck Exhibit From San Antonio**  
A truck exhibit is coming from San Antonio for the Randall County Fair next week.

**Serum Companies in Exhibits**  
Two blackleg serum companies will have representatives and exhibits at the Randall County Fair next week.

### Babies Health Conference at Randall County Fair

Because of the uncertainty of equipment, this department has been unable to make any announcements before now.

In connection with the examinations of the babies, there will be a rest room and nursery in the Normal building, where mothers can leave their small children in care of competent nurses while they enjoy the Fair or shop.

No fee will be charged for this care. Any child suffering with a contagious disease will not be admitted.

An emergency hospital will be ready in case of an accident.

Miss Louise Botsai of St. Louis, Mo., our community Red Cross nurse, with the assistance of our local doctors, will give the examinations, using official score cards. Miss Botsai comes to us well equipped for this work. She is a graduate of Washington University of St. Louis and a member of the American Legion, having spent eleven months overseas. She has served as community nurse in Weatherford, Texas, Memphis, Mo., and New London, Mo.

Mothers, you are urged to bring your babies to this conference. The skilled training of nurse or doctors may discover in your child a defect, unnoticed by you, which may mar the child's health or mentality for life if not discovered and corrected while baby is small.

Health literature and menus for feeding children from one to six years of age will be given free. Other material of interest in regard to health and care of children will be on display.

### Rules for Entering Babies

1. Children from birth to 2 years of age may be entered.  
2. All entries in this department close at 6 o'clock p. m., Sunday, Sept. 5. Entries limited to 50 babies.  
3. Notice of the time of examination will be mailed to all making entries.

4. No fee for examination.  
5. Examinations will begin at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday, Sept. 8th, at the West Texas State Normal.

6. No child suffering from contagious disease may be entered.  
7. No cash prizes, ribbons or awards of any character will be made. Score cards of examination will be mailed to the mother within a week after the Fair.

8. Enter name of child and age, with Miss Louise Botsai, Canyon, Texas, Baltimore Hotel, phone 18, or Mrs. Fred H. Ives, Canyon, Texas.

**Joe Haaga Coming to Show**  
Joe Haaga, assistant secretary of the National Duroc Jersey Record Association of Peoria, Ill., will be a guest at the Randall County Fair and District Futurity Show in Canyon next week. Mr. Haaga is an authority on Durocs and the breeders of this section should not overlook the opportunity to meet him.

**Band of 20 Pieces**  
A band of twenty pieces has been procured for the Randall County Fair for next week. The band will furnish music during the day at the grounds, and after the night program will play for the dance to be given at the American Legion Club House.

**Hogs Coming From Swisher**  
Twelve pens of Registered hogs will be brought from Swisher county to the Randall County Fair next week. These will include some of the best hogs raised in this section of the state.

### ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM FOR THE RANDALL COUNTY FAIR INCLUDES AUTO AND HORSE RACES; BOXING AND WILD WEST STUNTS.

Twenty-five blue Mexican steers will be brought to the Randall County Fair next week to be used in the Round Up stunts to be staged on Wednesday.

Some of the most famous Bulldoggers, Ropers and Riders from this section of the state have been procured to put on this Round Up stunt. All of these men are champions in the big Round Ups which have been staged this year in the big cities.

Five negroes will put on a battle royal the first night of the Fair.

There will be bicycle for all comers. There will be horse races.

Prizes of \$1000 will be offered in the automobile races among light cars.

There will be a big show Wednesday and Thursday night on a platform erected in front of the grandstand.

The first day, Sept. 8, the big Round Up will be staged, with motorcycle and horse races. At night will be the battle royal between the five negroes, with preliminaries between local boys, and bicycle races.

The second day, Sept. 9, the auto races will be pulled off together with horse races and wild west stunts. At night another show will be staged.

The third day, Sept. 10, will be the finals in the races, the winners of the first two days entering this race. Additional roping and riding stunts will be pulled off this day.

Every boy in Canyon with a bicycle is wanted in the bicycle races. There will be prizes of \$10 and \$5.

The American Legion will give away \$2,500 in prizes on the amusement program during the three days of the Fair.

The amusement program is exceptionally strong this year and every person in Randall county interested in seeing some good clean sports should not overlook this program.

### Agricultural Department

All exhibits in this department must have been grown by the exhibitor.

Farm, Garden and Orchard display from one farm, first \$25; second \$15. A first prize of \$2.00 and a second prize of \$1.00 will be offered on the following items in the Agricultural department:

Ten heads Dwarf Milo Maize, red or white.

Ten heads Kaffir Corn.

Ten Heads Feterita.

Ten Heads Hegaria.

Ten Ears Indian Corn.

Ten Ears June Corn.

10 ears pop corn.

Peck Oats.

Peck Wheat, any variety.

Peck Wheat—Kanred.

Peck Rye.

Bundle Kaffir Corn—15 stalks.

Bundle Feterita—15 stalks.

Bundle Millet.

Bundle Red Top Cane, white top, seeded ribbon.

Bundle Sudan.

Three stalks Cotton.

Bale Alfalfa.

Bale Native Prairie Hay.

Bale Millet Hay.

Bale Sudan Hay.

Peck Irish Potatoes.

Peck Whipperwill Peas.

Peck Chowder Peas.

Peck Black Eye Peas.

Five stalks Indian Corn.

Five stalks June Corn.

Peck Red Onions.

Peck Yam Potatoes.

Three bunches Peanuts, any variety

Watermelon.

Pumpkin.

Cashaw.

Three Cantaloupes.

Three Muskmelons.

Three Heads Cabbage.

Three Heads Lettuce.

Three Heads Cauliflower.

Half Dozen Carrots.

Half Dozen Peppers.

Half Dozen Parsnips.

Half Dozen Radishes.

Half Dozen Turnips.

Gallon String Beans.

Gallon Dry Beans.

Plate Six Apples.

Plate Six Peaches.

Plate Six Pears.

Plate Twelve Plums.

Three Clusters Grapes.

Half Dozen Table Beets.

Half Dozen Stock Beets.

**Preserves**

A first of 50c and a second of 25c will be offered on the following:

Preserved Peaches.

Preserved Pears.

Preserved Cherries.

Preserved Tomatoes.

Preserved Apples.

Preserved Plums.

Preserved Strawberries.

Preserved Crabapple.

Preserved Grapes.

**Pickles**

Cucumber.

Mustard, pickle.

Mustard, prepared.

Chow Chow.

Peach, sweet.

Watermelon, sweet.

Peppers.

Beets.

Mangoes.

**Jellies, Butter and Jams**

Peach Butter.

Apple Butter.

Plum Butter.

**LOCAL NEWS**

Boots Heartson of Hereford was here Friday on business.

Hudson Prichard was in Amarillo Sunday on business.

Bartow Johnson and Mr. Gober were callers in Amarillo Monday on business.

Margaret Thomas of Amarillo is visiting at the J. A. Guthrie home this week.

C. R. Flesher was a caller in Amarillo Thursday.

Ted Leigh has returned home from Illinois where he has been on account of the illness of his father.

**ROOMING HOUSE KEEPERS**—Take advantage of the Fair week discount sale at Gouldy's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Keiser and daughter returned Monday from a visit in New Mexico.

Mrs. K. C. Hills and daughter, Dorothy Lee, returned Friday to their home in Chicago after visiting at the home of Mrs. Hills' sister, Mrs. C. M. Ackerman.

Mrs. W. A. Jennings and children returned Thursday from a visit in Eureka Springs, Ark.

Miss Beulah Dodson is visiting in Texico this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Hutchinson of Lockney and Mrs. Rebecca Dodson visited friends and relatives here last week.

Zane Greys most powerful picture **DESERT GOLD**, all star cast, adm. Theatre, Friday and Saturday nights.

C. A. Price was called to Childress Friday by the death of Mrs. Price's father that morning. Mrs. Price had been called to the bedside of here father a few days previously.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cowling of Wichita Falls spent Saturday in the city visiting their many friends. They were returning from a visit in California and brought a number of oranges from George A. Brandon's orange trees, the News man acknowledging receipt of one of the same.

Elsie Price leaves this week for Ft. Worth where he will attend a barber's school.

C. S. Williams and family have moved from Plainview to make Canyon their home. They recently bought property in the city.

If you want to buy or sell real estate, see Foster & Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Browning are visiting in Jones county.

B. F. Buie went to Carlsbad Saturday. Mrs. Buie and her daughters are moving from Colorado to Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Prichard returned Monday from Galveston where they have been visiting for two weeks.

Henry Weber is here from his home in Wisconsin on matters of business. He sold his property north of town and moved to Wisconsin last fall. He likes his new home fine.

**LOCAL NEWS**

Miss Beatrice Burgan left Wednesday for Wellington where she will attend institute.

Miss Eula and Viola Tucker left Wednesday for Vernon where they will teach the coming year.

Wilford Taylor has returned home from Iowa where he has been on matters of business.

A. L. Overton of this city is visiting in McLean this week.

C. A. Price and family have returned home from Childress where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Price's father.

H. O. Price was a caller in Amarillo Sunday.

D. B. Holcomb was in Amarillo Sunday on business.

H. W. Gouldy was a caller in Amarillo Sunday.

Sam Wiggins was a caller in Amarillo Sunday.

Dick Holcomb was a caller in Amarillo Sunday.

If you want to buy or sell real estate, see Foster & Gamble.

Mrs. Albert Foster and son will return from Galveston Tuesday after a few weeks visit.

Miss Mattie Foster returned home Tuesday from Galveston where she has been visiting.

Miss Pearl Jenkins spent the week-end with home folks in Amarillo.

Mrs. P. D. Hanna was in Amarillo Sunday, visiting.

Mrs. Roy Cullum of Amarillo spent the week-end here visiting friends.

Baxter Jordan left Sunday for Taylor, Texas where he will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Dr. Oliver of Dumas spent the week-end here with home folks.

Eugene Tanner of Eastland is here on business.

**ROOMING HOUSE KEEPERS**—Take advantage of the Fair week discount sale at Gouldy's.

T. E. Buckner and wife visited at the Lorenzo Wirt home last week.

Miss Corrine Smith returned to her home in Hereford Saturday after visiting for a few days with Miss Dixie Lee Martin for a few days.

Miss Mary Lou Oliver and mother were callers in Amarillo Friday.

Frank Gyles of Hereford was a caller here Sunday.

J. Rutherford of Hereford was here Sunday visiting Miss Emily Brooks.

Joe Steele of Clayton, New Mexico was a business caller here last week.

J. M. Conway of Iowa Park is here visiting his home folks.

E. L. Prichard and wife returned home Monday from Galveston where they have been visiting for the past few weeks.

Zane Greys most powerful picture **DESERT GOLD**, all star cast, adm. Theatre, Friday and Saturday nights.

Erin Gustavis of Amarillo is here visiting friends.

Grady Oldham was a caller in Amarillo Friday.

**LOCAL NEWS**

John Bates transacted business in Amarillo Friday.

Miss Maurine Abbott of Amarillo is visiting Miss Maude Stewart this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Donald were visiting relatives in Amarillo this week.

T. Shaw was a caller in Amarillo Sunday.

Walter Word of Amarillo was a business caller here for a short time Monday.

L. F. Sheffy and wife visited friends and relatives in Plainview last week.

E. A. Rusk and family spent a few days last week visiting friends in Amarillo.

Zane Greys most powerful picture **DESERT GOLD**, all star cast, adm. Theatre, Friday and Saturday nights.

Mrs. B. S. Livingston returned home Sunday from Plainview where she has been visiting her mother.

Lois Lookingball of Tulla visited Miss Mildred Livingston Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. McMurtry and children went to Wellington last week where they will visit relatives for a few weeks.

Sarah Miller of Lockney was here Thursday visiting friends.

Jake Crudgington of Amarillo was a caller here Thursday.

Mr. George Ritchie was a caller in Amarillo Friday.

Give us your order for pure sisal McCormick and Deering twine. Thompson Hardware Co.

Earl Dittburner of Panhandle visited the Miss Wiggins Sunday.

Miss Jessie Haney and daughter returned home Sunday from Haskell where they have been visiting relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. Latson were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

Miss Edna Vaughn of Amarillo visited at the J. B. Hensley home Sunday.

L. T. Dauvaut and family went to Melrose Sunday where they will visit a few days.

Wm. Kenyon was a caller at the B. T. Johnson home Sunday.

R. E. Prewitt of Happy was a caller here Monday.

See our ad in this issue on Multi-motor Washing Machines. Thompson Hardware Co.

W. H. Childers of Amarillo was a caller here Saturday.

Arthur Mathis and family of Claude were callers here Saturday.

Miss Mildred McManigal of Happy was a caller here Saturday.

J. N. Blake is here from Kansas visiting his many friends.

Joe Goode was in Amarillo Sunday.

Bartow Johnson and Mr. Gober were business callers in Amarillo Saturday.

Miss Lillie Carson left Monday for Clovis New Mexico where she will attend institute.

Miss Lila Conway has returned home from Dallas and Beelview where she has been visiting for the past few weeks.

**LOCAL NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Farlow were visitors in Panhandle Sunday.

Loyd Beyins of Amarillo was a caller here Friday.

J. C. Hutchinson and family of Tulla are visiting this week at the Bob Hutchinson home.

Ela Hancock and Mrs. J. E. Toles of Happy were callers here Friday.

**LOCAL NEWS**

F. F. Burkhalter of Anadarko, Okla., is visiting at the Burkhalter home this week.

L. E. Cowling of Wichita Falls was a caller here Friday.

Miss Jennie C. Ritchie was a caller in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Condrey was a caller in Amarillo Friday.

Bill Cummings of Amarillo was a business caller here Friday.

**Drs. Pennock & Credit**  
OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS  
A. Fuqua Building  
Amarillo, Texas



"They Fit the Arch--Don't They"

Yes, Madam, every pair of these stylish

Regent Shoes Fit The Arch

LADIES' SHOES

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—and, fitting the arch, they fit the entire foot. If you want to know what real satisfaction correct and complete fitting brings, come in and try on a pair of these new autumn boots, oxfords or pumps. The most skilled shoe craftsmen in the country manufacture Regent shoes and they are styled by men who are specialists. Mail orders receive prompt and careful attention.

Your children's feet need first attention with the opening days of school. Equip them now—at the opening of the season—with two pairs of our comfortable, flexible Goodyear Felt Shoes and the footwear problem is solved. A wide range of styles for every taste, and prices for every purse.

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SHOPPE MODE—LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

512 Polk St

Amarillo, Texas

**FAIR WEEK WILL BE BARGAIN WEEK**

**YOUNG BREEDING STOCK**

—IN—

Registered Duroc Jersey Hogs, at the

**Alfalfa Glen Stock Farm**

Adjoining Canyon  
H. C. ROFFEY, Owner

**You Are Welcome---**

**RANDALL COUNTY FAIR**  
SEPTEMBER 8, 9, 10.

We cordially invite you to make our barber shop your headquarters during your stay in Canyon and assure you that we will be more than pleased to be of service to those visitors from out of the city.

We ask that you make a special effort to attend the Randall County Fair on September 8, 9, 10.

We have sold the Star Barber Shop to Mr. B. B. Cluck, who now has possession of the same.

Bring us your whiskers and your laundry to our shop on the East Side of the Square.

**Price Bros.**

NORMAL BARBER SHOP

**Fall Showing of Suits, Coats, Dresses and Millinery**

While not complete, our stock of Fall and Winter ready-to-wear for women affords opportunities for selections that are certain to prove appropriate for the full season's wear. The styles are correct, the workmanship and quality are all that could be desired by the most exacting buyer, and the prices reasonable. In fact, a bit lower than you expected to pay for high grade merchandise.

**SUITS**

Our showing of Ladies' Suits includes a number of very attractive numbers in Tricotine, Serge, Duvetyne, Velour and Broadcloth. These are handsomely trimmed and tailored in keeping with the latest dictates from the fashion centers. The colors are conservative, yet possessing a touch that sets this season's garments off in a very attractive manner.

**COATS**

The evenings are now beginning to show a hint of approaching winter and cold weather. Even now the evenings are cool, and you will make no mistake in planning to include a Coat in your early purchases.

**DRESSES**

The new Fall Dresses show a variety of materials and patterns to meet every different taste. Garments of Satin, Georgette, combinations, Tricotine and Serge materials offer a number of selections suitable for any occasion. Shipments are daily adding to our stock and we invite an inspection of these garments. We may have just what you want now.

**MILLINERY**

This department of our store is somewhat handicapped by delayed shipments, but you will find some very attractive Hats for early Fall wear, designed to harmonize with the new Suits and Dresses in a most pleasing manner.




**GREER'S**

DEPARTMENT STORE

Fourth and Polk

Amarillo, Texas



**Young Man!      Young Woman!**  
**Are You Going to College**  
**This Fall?**

Then you will be interested in a school that offers the following advantages:

- 1—A standard four years College curriculum leading to a Bachelors degree, and specially equipped to offer advanced instruction in Agriculture, Art, Expression, and Music in addition to the usual college courses.
- 2—A faculty of fifty "hand picked" specialists in the various fields of learning.
- 3—A Department of Music unexcelled in the whole Southwest, giving private instructions in voice, piano, string instruments, band, and orchestra besides instruction in public school music.
- 4—A Department of Expression that takes rank with the best in the country.
- 5—A Department of Agriculture equipped with splendid laboratories and sufficient land for work in horticulture and stock farming. We have a herd of high bred dairy cows, a few fine hogs, and a poultry yard.
- 6—A school plant that represents the last word in school architecture, consisting of an Administration Building, a dormitory for girls, an infirmary, a metal shop for manual training, and a heating plant, conservatively valued at \$1,250,000 and easily surpassing all other institutions within three hundred miles.
- 7—A Dormitory for women that has every modern convenience at a minimum of expense; under the direction of as fine Christian influence as can be found anywhere.
- 8—A Kindergarten in charge of trained experts, used as a demonstration school for Kindergarten teachers.
- 9—A common school of nine grades under expert instructors used as a demonstration school for grade and high school teachers.
- 10—A Manual Training Department that offers courses in all forms of wood and metal work and printing.
- 11—A Director of Athletics and Physical Education for both men and women and the very best equipment for these departments including a beautiful indoor swimming pool, shower baths, an unexcelled gymnasium, six tennis courts, a base ball and foot ball field, a race track etc.
- 12—A library of 10,000 volumes, unexcelled in quality and administered by trained librarians.
- 13—The religious life of the school is distinctly invigorating. Devotional exercises are held daily for the entire student body. The Y. W. C. A. maintains a paid secretary who gives general direction to Christian activities. In addition, the Baptist and Methodist churches will have paid secretaries here during the coming session.
- 14—Expenses very low—no tuition (except for private instructions) free text books, cheap board.

There is no need for the young people in the Panhandle and Plains to go away from this section for college advantages, when all of the above unexcelled facilities are to be found in

**The West Texas**  
**State Normal College**

J. A. HILL, President.

CANYON, TEXAS



### "What is the Result Today?"

One of the ably edited newspapers of America is the Christian Science Monitor of Boston. The Monitor devotes a vast deal of space to foreign affairs and Canada is ever on the front page of the Boston publication. Editorially speaking the Monitor is independent. This editorial may appeal to some of the adroit lawyers who represent vast interests in this commonwealth and who are ever playing politics:

"Why permit lawyers and other professional men absolutely to control all the legislation of an essentially agricultural country?" was the cry of J. M. Morrison, who went round the highways and byways of Ontario rousing the farmers from apathy and urging them to take an active interest in politics. "What is the result today? Ontario has a farmers' government. In other provinces the parties in power are feeling no longer safe from the rising tide of this new factor in the political arena. But the goal of the farmers is not that of provincial politics. That may have been the case once, but the vision is now much extended. In the immediate foreground is the federal house of commons at Ottawa, and on the horizon is a picture of a farmers' government. That this is no day dream is almost generally admitted in Canada. The question being asked is: "How long will the present government be able to continue in power without having to appeal to the country?"

Canada is, to all intents and purposes, an independent nation. Canada is an agricultural country, although its manufacturing enterprises are no longer struggling or straggling. There has been a political upheaval in Ontario and it threatens to spread to every province throughout the dominion. These Canadian farmers are strong for collective bargaining and modern marketing, which reminds. The Record that the San Francisco convention of the Democracy of the United States pledged the party to legislation along these lines for the producers—the men who feed the mouths and cover the backs of the world.—Ft. Worth Record.

### We Are The People

The reason why most of our civic governments range anywhere from not so good as they might be to pretty nearly as bad as they could be, is that most of us don't take enough interest in them. We leave them to be taken care of by others. We glory in being democratic, and then turn over the ordering of our streets, fire, police, public works, education, and parks departments to local autocrats. We know little or nothing of what is going on. We indulge in a smile at the aristocrat who needs a valet to help him dress, yet we never think of putting on our own civic garments!

When Theodore Roosevelt, as a very young man entering politics, was warned against going to the Republican association of his district, as he would meet there no one but "grooms, liquor dealers and low politicians," he said: "Then these belong to the governing class and you don't. I mean to belong to the governing class if I can."

He was right. His resolve to belong to the governing class should possess us all, for democracy is only possible in proportion as its members take part in running it. When we complain of high taxes, graft, waste, inefficiency in public office and so on, we are really complaining of ourselves. We are confessing that we know and care too little about civic affairs to do our bit toward seeing that the right men are put in charge.

Every man and woman ought to be

long to the governing class.—The Rotarian.

### Little to Get

Amarillo housewives who depend upon the public market for their supply of fresh fruits and vegetables, this season, are convinced that the farmers have already carried out their oft repeated threat to cease producing more truck than they require for their own use.

The farmer can scarcely be blamed, for, with our idiotic system of marketing, home markets are frequently glutted while nearby towns are destitute of certain products. Few farmers raise enough surplus fruit or vegetables to warrant shipping to distant cities and those who do, have many of them, been so badly treated by commission men in times past that they do not care to try that method any more.

Furthermore, the consuming public has steadfastly clung to the belief that garden truck, being a "side issue" with most farmers, was to be secured for the least possible price—attitude which many farmers inadvertently fostered since they, themselves considered money from these sources as "lagniappe" and sold products for little or nothing.

In vain does the Amarillo housewife search the markets for a variety in fruits and vegetables, such as she has been able to get heretofore. There is lettuce and radishes and cucumbers, green beans and summer squash, rocky looking tomatoes, perhaps, occasionally some turnips and it is not always she can get potatoes—or feels rich enough to buy them when she can. A few strawberries came in early in the season but there has been an absolute dearth of the customary small fruits which lend such a pleasing variety to the summer menu.

If this state of things prevails everywhere, which is very probable, here is, undoubtedly, a contributing cause for the present great "industrial unrest!" Man's internal economy is tired of being filled up with the same old grub and the housewife is plumb sick of cooking it! Natural result, indigestion, unrest!

### Lopped Off Some

True to the instinct of the regulation legislator, the Texas body lopped off one million dollars from the amount asked and appropriated four million dollars for the relief of the teachers of the state. This amount will provide a fund which is to be used to increase the salaries of teachers employed and while it will not be enough to raise them twenty-five per cent (as was asked), it will be something and may help the school boards to hold the teachers they have and perhaps secure the additional force necessary to meet the demands of the growing number of scholastics.

Everybody knows that living costs have advanced more than twenty-five per cent but the legislature seems to think that teachers are such expert financiers that they are able to live on less than anyone else. Teachers and preachers have always been placed in a class by themselves in the public mind. They are required to expend more time and money in the



Dr. M. A. Biggers  
Optometrist  
Office—Dr. Stewart's

are movin from Colorado to Carlsbad.

preparation for their work than most other workers, must always appear well and possess characters above reproach, yet they have had to be content with the least compensation for their services and at the same time stand for all kinds of unjust and unreasonable fault-finding and criticism.

There are too many better paying jobs open to the young men and women of the country now, for the teacher to continue to teach unless there is a very material increase in salaries, and as it is a notorious fact that they have always been underpaid, it looks like poor economy on the part of the legislature to cut down this appropriation.

Another difficulty that confronts the teacher, nowadays, is finding a boarding place. Few of them would care to live at a hotel, even if their salaries would permit of such extravagance—which they decidedly do not—and private homes where boarders will be taken have almost arrived at the vanishing point. This is regrettable and housekeepers are very generally being censured for this attitude. However, they should not be blamed too severely. The help problem deters many since it is almost impossible to get competent servants and such high wages are demanded that many women feel that they cannot afford to pay them. For that reason, the average home owner is almost universally building smaller homes which may be cared for without hiring outside labor and there is no room for lodgers.

The country schools are solving this phase of the teacher problem by building teacherages and the city schools might very well follow their example. A building large enough to care for the unmarried teaching force of each school could be built nearby and the addition of club features would make it both helpful and attractive.

The teacher question is nation-wide and is rapidly reaching the acute stage. Something must be done about it and that soon.

### Edison on Eight Hours

On the occasion of his seventy-third birthday, Thomas A. Edison, "consented" to take a half-day off from work to permit his friends to celebrate the anniversary. On the subject of work and the eight hour day he said:

"I am not against the eight hour day or any other thing that protects labor from exploitation at the hands of ruthless employers, but it makes me sad to see young Americans shackle their abilities by blindly conforming with rules which force the industrious man to keep in step with the shirker. I have always felt that one of the principal reasons for American progress in the past has been that every man had a chance to become whatever he wanted to be. It used to be fashionable to be ambitious. The employe planned to become an employe; the unskilled man sought to become skillful. A young man was not well thought of if he were not striving for a higher place in life.

"Today I am wondering what would have happened to me by now, if fifty years ago some fluent talker had converted me to the theory of the

# Visitors Welcome

## TO RANDALL COUNTY FAIR

In our own house we will be glad to greet our many friends, and for those wanting merchandise we are especially prepared with a new and complete line of fall and winter merchandise.

### COATS AND SUITS

In the newest styles and colors for Ladies and Misses.

### SWEATERS

Very beautiful in style and color and the new sweaters for autumn.

### BLOUSES

We have just received a shipment of beautiful new blouses in the latest styles and colors.

### MILLINERY

Glance through our millinery department and you will be convinced that we have the newest and best, and that our prices are right.



### SHOES

We carry a full line of Ladies' and Children's shoes in two of the best brands that we could find.

### PIECE GOODS

We carry a complete line of piece goods and notions. Every department is overflowing with wonderful values. Please call and look through our lines.

## Redfearn Sisters

eight hour day and convinced me that it was not fair to my fellow workers to put forth my best efforts in my work. I am glad that the eight hour day had not been invented when I was a young man. If my life had been made up of eight hour days I do not believe I could have accomplished a great deal. This country would not amount to as much as it does if the young men of fifty years ago had been afraid they might earn more than they were paid."

As you grow ready for it, somewhere or other you will find what is needful for you in a book.—MacDonald.

## M. S. BISHIR Auto Shop

MASTER CARBURETORS  
IGNITION COILS  
VACUUM TANKS AND PARTS  
PISTON RINGS  
BRAKE LININGS  
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WELDING OF AUTOS AND REPAIRING OF THE BETTER KIND.

## Registered Duroc Jersey Boars

I have a few registered Duroc Jersey Boars for sale from

### GREAT SENSATION'S ORION BREEDING

the \$20,000 boar owned by Alexander, Mickie & Jones.

The dam was Highest Price Gilt sold in the sale at Canyon last spring. This gilt was also a prize winner at the Childress State Fair last fall.

See these boars at the Randall County Fair, September 8, 9, 10.

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Buy Oldfield tires and be convinced.

Best tire built. Proven in Road and Track Races.

Auto Accessories. Everything you need for your car. Come and see our cars and stock.

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INSURANCE

SURETY BONDS

Always at Your Service

Canyon, Texas

LOCAL NEWS

W. H. Rice and family returned to their home Friday in Wise county after spending a few days at the R. A. Bellah home.

J. M. Hix and wife returned to their home in Hamlin Saturday after visiting at the R. A. Bellah home.

Mrs. Myra Smith was a caller in Amarillo Monday.

M. S. Maxwell and Eugene Woods are visiting relatives in Kansas City.

Hugh Holland and family of Texoma visited relatives here Tuesday.

Frank Smith of Marlin is visiting at the O. L. Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Gano were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Holland were callers in Amarillo Sunday.

N. E. McIntire and wife spent Sunday in Hereford with relatives.

Miss Imogene McIntire is spending the week in Tulla with relatives.

W. B. Anthony and wife spent the week end with relatives.

Zane Greys most powerful picture DESERT GOLD, all star cast, adm. Theatre, Friday and Saturday nights.

Mrs. J. A. Boyd and children have returned to their home at Sapulpa, Okla., after visiting for a few weeks at the Lovejoy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer of Plainview are visiting at the parental B. A. Stafford home.

Mrs. John R. Hill has returned to her home at Gatesville after visiting at the Lovejoy home.

Ben Terrill left Wednesday for Clayton, where he will teach the coming year.

Charlie Hunt of Madisonville, Tenn. is here visiting his uncle, Oscar.

Ray Campbell and Lige Frieze left Monday for Galveston where they will spend their vacation.

Let us rebuild your auto top and get ready for the cold weather. Thompson Hardware Co. tf

**The Increased Freight Rates**

The increase in freight and passenger rates took effect yesterday and the following is reproduced from last Sunday's Amarillo Tribune:

"No railroad man will deny that the freight increase will be paid by the public, declared T. B. Gallaher, general freight and passenger agent of the Panhandle & Santa Fe Railroad, in discussing the increase in rates yesterday. However, in Mr. Gallaher's opinion, now is the opportunity for a reasonable presentation of facts showing to what extent the new rates will affect the individual consumer. To that end certain illustrations prepared in his office may be helpful to those who are trying to figure out what the increases will mean to them.

Mr. Gallaher has made computa-

**"Cold in the Head"**

is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Persons who are subject to frequent "colds in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will build up the system, cleanse the blood and render them less liable to colds. Repeated attacks of Acute Catarrh may lead to Chronic Catarrh.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. All Druggists 75c. Testimonials free.

\$2.00 for any case of catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will not cure.

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**Mr. Pep**

Even the furrier is willing to admit that beauty is only skin deep.

Beauty is a wonderful thing to have.

THIS IS THE PLACE TO EAT

If you're hungry, come in and try one of our steaks.

Fresh fruits and vegetables served. We will not tolerate an inferior article in our place.

Visit our Cafe during the Randall County Fair.

**IDEAL CAFE**

M. A. HENSON, Prop.  
Canyon, Texas

tions in accord with the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission showing the freight increases in cents on twenty-two commodities in general use in Amarillo to be as follows:

Pair of shoes from St. Louis, 2.1 cents.

Pair of shoes from Boston 3.7 cents.

Men's suit of clothes from Chicago 3.9 cents.

Men's suit of clothes from New York, 6 cents.

Ladies' suit from Chicago, 2.3 cents.

Ladies' suit from New York 3.7 cents.

Men's hat from Chicago, 8.10 of a cent.

Men's hat from New York, 1.2 cent.

One pound of coffee from New York, 4.10 cent.

One pound package of breakfast food from Battle Creek 3.10 of a cent.

One hundred pound sack of flour from Minneapolis, 13 cents.

One bushel of potatoes from Red River District, 19.5 cents.

One box of apples from Oregon and Washington, 21 cents.

One pound of beans from Michigan, 3.10 cent.

One pound of lard from Chicago 3.10 of a cent.

One pound of beans from Michigan, 3.10 cent.

One doz. bars of soap from Chicago, 1.7 of a cent.

One pound of sugar from Colorado 2.10 of a cent.

One pound of cane sugar from New York, 3.10 of a cent.

One pound of tea from San Francisco, 5.10 of a cent.

One pound of canned goods from California, 3.10 of a cent.

One pound of canned goods from Baltimore, 5.10 of a cent.

One pound of bacon or ham from Kansas City or St. Louis, 3.10 of a cent.

**Wayside Items**

The weather is delightful, dry and calm for the Plains. Threshers are running, farmers breaking ground for another big wheat crop.

Wheat has been damaged to some extent by the continued wet weather.

J. Odell Gillham left Tuesday to attend the University of Denver, Col. He reached there safely and reports having a good time.

H. H. Gillham unfortunately got a forefinger badly cut working with M. L. McGehee's thresher Monday.

J. T. McGehee and family, J. M. and M. L. McGehee visited with Mother McGehee in Canyon Sunday.

Primary election was held Saturday

at the store by J. W. McCrery, W. J. Sluder and Mrs. L. J. McGehee. Neff received 22 votes and Bailey 3.

"The Heathermoon party" on the school grounds last Saturday night was well attended. Many amusing games were indulged in out in the moonlight. "The King of the Cannibal Isles" was rendered by some of the young people and hugely enjoyed by the crowd. Watermelons were served as refreshments.

Miss Elsie Poole of Canyon is visiting Misses Lorine and Bernice McGehee this week.

Miss Birdie Lou Lane is driving the mail car these days, while her father, W. I. Lane, regular mail carrier, is running a grain truck. She makes it a pleasure trip by taking her young friends with her.

Mr. Bill Stootel, the well drill man of Happy is now putting down a well for W. I. Lane.

Dan Graham and wife of Hutchinson county came Wednesday last and are visiting the parental home. Mrs. Graham will be remembered as Grace Sluder.

W. D. McGehee and daughters, Misses Ruby Lee and Mattie, W. C. McGehee, wife and daughter; Alene, motored to Amarillo Monday.

Relatives numbering eight are visiting with C. F. Watson and family this week from Wellington.

Roy Key has bought W. J. Sluder's interests at Wayside. Give possession in a month.

**Baptist Church**

10 a. m. Sunday School.

11 a. m. Preaching.

3:30 p. m. Sunbeams.

6:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U.

7:30 p. m. Preaching.

3 p. m. Tuesday, Ladies Aid.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer meeting.

B. F. FRONABARGER, Pastor.

This is a strange world: Nobody is competent to discuss the Versailles Treaty until he has read it, and nobody who would take the time to read it would be competent to discuss it.

—Peoria Transcript.

The car-owner who reads of the diminishing gas supply hardly knows whether to speed up before it is all gone or sell out before all cars become useless.—Newark News.

If you want bright windows and sparkling glassware, use RUB-NO-MORE WASHING POWDER.

# Autumn Suits

## For Women of Heavier Build

CONSERVATIVE GOOD TASTE IS A DOMINANT FEATURE IN THE NEW SUITS SPECIALIZED AND DESIGNED FOR WOMEN OF HEAVIER BUILD. YOU WILL FIND THAT SELECTING A SUIT AND HAVING IT FITTED TO YOU, MAY BE ATTENDED TO WITH SATISFACTION AND DISPATCH AT THIS STORE. THE PECULIAR NEEDS OF WOMEN REQUIRING EXTRA SIZES HAVE BEEN THOROUGHLY STUDIED. WE BELIEVE OUR COLLECTION OF SUITS TO BE UNUSUAL IN ITS STYLE, QUALITY AND GENERAL CHARACTER.

### SUITS-COATS-DRESSES CORSETS-PETTICOATS

# Moore, Mathis & Co.

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# CLOSING OUT SALE

I WILL OFFER FOR SALE AT THE GEO. MASTERS PLACE TWO MILES EAST OF CANYON ON

## Saturday, Sept. 11

Commencing at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property:

- 7 EXTRA GOOD HORSES
- 1 team black horses, 7 and 8 years old, weight about 1400 pounds.
- 1 team brown horses, 7 and 9 years old weight about 1350 pounds.
- 1 team bay horses, 7 and 9 years old, weight about 1300 pounds.
- The above 3 teams are extra good work horses and well matched.
- 1 Paint saddle pony, 8 years old, weight about 850 pounds.
- 1 good milk cow, 7 years old.
- HARNESS AND SADDLES
- 1 set breeching harness complete.
- 1 set leather harness without breeching.
- 1 set rubber harness.
- 1 Boy's saddle, good as new.
- 1 Man's saddle.
- CHICKENS
- About three dozen hens.
- FARM MACHINERY
- 1 high wheel Bain wagon and grain box.
- 1 eel farm wagon and barge
- 1 12-foot McCormick header, purchased this season.
- 1 1-row John Deere lister, in good repair.
- 1 2-row Go-devil in good repair.
- 1 3-section harrow, good as new.
- 1 John Deere disc harrow, 18x16, new this season.

### HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1 Round Oak range, new last fall.
- 1 gas range, 4-burner, new.
- 1 Dining table and 6 chairs, good quality.
- 1 kitchen cabinet in good condition
- 2 iron bedsteads, mattress and springs.
- 2 wood beds, mattress and springs.
- 2 heating stoves, in good shape.
- Other household articles too numerous to mention.

### WATERMELON FEAST BEFORE AND DURING THE SALE

TERMS: \$25.00 and under cash. Sums over \$25.00 a credit of 6 months will be given, notes bearing 10 per cent interest from date of sale. A discount of 3 per cent will be given for cash on sums over \$25.00.

# GEO. W. MASTERS

McNeil Bros., Auctioneers

Wilford Taylor, Clerk



New are these  
Exclusive and

## Fashionable Fall Suits

The high quality and exclusiveness, always maintained by this store, express themselves throughout the presentation. The newest fabrics, the newest colors, the newest styles features are represented here in a showing authentic and attractive.

The materials are Peachbloom, Tricotine, Tenseltone and others.

## The New Fall Hats



Duvelyn is given precedence over all other materials, appearing in sailors, hats of notched brims, tams, modes adorned with pleated frills and embroidered. Velvets,



clipped beavers, metal brocades and embroidered taffetas also have established vogue.

You are invited to see the new Fall arrivals.

# The Ladies Store

517 Polk Street Amarillo, Texas

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The News considers the statement of Pat Neff on the question of his age, which was issued Saturday night just as the polls closed, as one of the weakest propositions ever presented to the Texas people by a man of such prominence. When Bailey pointed out the facts as they existed Neff branded Bailey as "an infamous liar." This declaration he repeated and denounced those who used this subject matter in their speeches in behalf of the candidacy of Bailey. When the polls closed, Neff comes forward acknowledging that he was under the impression that he was born in 1872 and had signed all of the papers Bailey had presented to substantiate the argument that Neff was in the draft age. Neff states that he was not aware of his correct age until after the draft bill was passed and that his mother corrected his false impression. To say the least it would have been much less embarrassing to his friends and removed a large proportion of the personal abuse element from the campaign had Neff been as frank with the voters before the polls closed.

With the paving of Canyon's streets assured and the movement on foot for the erection of two new churches together with a dozen or more new residences, Canyon is certain of a greater period of civil improvement during the next few weeks than she has been in many months. There is always a possibility of making a good town better.

A ruling of the attorney general allows all women of Texas to vote in the general election this fall. A poll tax receipt will not be necessary this year as the law contemplates only the primary elections.

Our good friend, Editor L. P. Loomis of the Canadian Record, is a candidate for congress on the republican ticket. Loomis is a good scout, but so far Marvin Jones has not seriously looked for another job.

There will be a bigger row crop this fall in Randall county than has been harvested during the past ten years. Prosperity certainly smiles upon the people of the Plains country.

The Randall County News extends a very hearty welcome to the people of Randall and adjoining counties who attend the Fair next week. It will be a Fair worth your while.

**Car Turned Over Tuesday**  
A car driven by the Campbell family of McLean turned over on the Highway Tuesday afternoon after the rain. Mrs. Campbell and two of the children being quite badly injured in the accident. They were taken to the E. S. Hancock home near by where they are resting well after the accident.

**Blough Becomes Postmaster**  
A. W. Blough officially took over the duties of postmaster yesterday morning. His first official act was to wash the front windows, which was no doubt a considerable surprise to the windows.

**Rain Fell Tuesday**  
A good rain fell Tuesday afternoon over a great part of the county. The moisture was greater in the south part of the county.

Rev. Simeon Shaw returned Tuesday from a week's trip to Port Arthur.

If you want to buy or sell real estate, see Foster & Gamble.

J. W. Reid left this morning for Charlotte, N. C., to visit at the home of his father for two weeks.

Mrs. P. L. Britain and son, Patsy, left Thursday for Oklahoma where they are visiting for two weeks.

Mr. Mormon has rented the Mrs. E. F. Miller home and moved here from Amarillo.

L. M. Friend spent Thursday in Amarillo Thursday on business.

**TEACHERS INSTITUTE**

**STARTS NEXT MONDAY**

600 Teachers Will be in Canyon From Twenty Two Panhandle Counties For Institute of Five Days.

The biggest Teachers Institute ever held in Northwest Texas will start next Monday morning at the West Texas State Normal College when 600 teachers from twenty-two counties will come to the city for the Consolidated Institute of the Panhandle and Plains counties. The program will continue until Friday evening.

A feature of the program will be the special lectures by Dr. David Snedden of Columbia University who is being here at a great expense. Other special lecturers are President J. A. Hill of the Normal, Judge Jas. D. Hamlin of Farwell, Supt. H. M. Duncan of Amarillo, Supt. B. B. Cobb of Waco and Hon. Frank R. Jameson of Amarillo.

Teachers from the following counties will be in attendance: Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Crosby, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Gray, Hartley, Hale Hutchinson, Lamb, Moore, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman and Swisher. An effort is being made to enlist every Panhandle county for the coming year.

Mrs. Simeon Shaw was in Claude Sunday visiting Mrs. Phebe Warner.

Mrs. John Knight and daughter, Miss Ruth, spent Tuesday in Amarillo at the home of Mrs. Leslie Williams.

**ROOMING HOUSE KEEPERS**—Take advantage of the Fair week discount sale at Gouldy's.

Miss Nora McMillam of Amarillo is visiting friends here for a few days.

Q. C. Redfean and sister and S. H. Heizer were in Amarillo Sunday to meet Mrs. Heizer.

Bob Donald and wife were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Lorenzo Wirt and wife were in Amarillo Thursday to attend the Shriners Parade.

Herman Glass returned Monday from San Angelo where he visited friends.

Herman Glass left Wednesday for Wichita Falls where he will teach the coming year.

Elmer Shotwell left Wednesday for Abilene where he will teach school.

Mrs. Fred Luke of Amarillo visited friends here Wednesday.

See our special bargains on oil cook stoves. Thompson Hardware Company.

Mrs. I. N. Hicks is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Vote Winn in Muleshoe this week.

George Ritchie left Thursday for his home in Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Austin King visited in Amarillo Tuesday.

DeJelma Petrie returned to her home in San Antonio Thursday after visiting at the Dr. Black home for several weeks.

**MURDER CASE TO**

**BE TRANSFERRED HERE**

District Court Opened Monday, Grand Jury Selected and holding Meetings—Few Civil Cases Called.

District Court started Monday Judge Henry S. Bishop presiding and District Attorney E. T. Miller looking after the interests of the state.

The case of Clyde Kidd under indictment of the Potter county grand jury will be tried here next week. The case has been twice tried, resulting in a hung jury.

The grand jury empaneled Monday has the following members: J. A. Oden, foreman; W. B. Hardin, W. E. Bennett, Frank Bassett, J. A. Currie, Ed Gerald, I. W. Scott, J. M. Craig, L. G. Conner, R. B. Gist, J. W. Blair and J. L. McReynolds.

There are but few new civil cases on the docket for trial this term. The case of J. I. Campbell vs. Cecil C. Jones et al, is now being tried.

**Happy Happenings**

Mrs. O'Rear came in last Wednesday from Ranger where she has been visiting. Her father and mother returned with her and will visit for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McManigal and Miss Mildred were shopping in Amarillo Saturday.

The Ladies Missionary Society served lunch Tuesday at the W. W. Miller sale from which they cleared \$20.00, which will be used to help furnish the parsonage.

Mrs. Minnie Parvin was called to her home in Tennessee Friday. Miss Eula Knox is working in the Farmers' Exchange in her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims went to Snyder last week to visit. They returned home finding the roads so bad.

S. C. Whitman and family were Tulia callers Friday.

Charlie Trebish was an Amarillo caller Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Currie came in Thursday from Colorado. They will make their home here. They will have charge of the Happy Telephone Co. lines and board.

S. C. Sanford and family were shopping in Canyon Friday.

Quite a number from this place are in Canyon this week on the jury. Grandpa Hoge is quite sick and is not expected to live at this writing.

Gereldeen, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fonken was quite sick for several days but is better at present.

Wm. F. Miller and family attended the show in Tulia, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson left Wednesday for their home at Hereford. They were accompanied home by little Miss Frances Stephenson.

Vincent Grounds just returned from a trip to Wyoming, going thru in a car.

Ben Jones of Hereford was visiting here last week.

Miss Sallie Mulkey returned home Thursday from Plainview where she

had an operation. She is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Fray returned to their home at Henrietta after visiting their daughter, Mrs. Henry Zachery the past week.

W. C. White and family were shopping in Amarillo Thursday.

Miss Margaret Dillon of Canyon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Miller Currie this week.

Miss Esta Banard entertained a number of the young folks Saturday night. All report a lovely time.

Dr. McElroy was a caller here Wednesday.

Virgie and Hall Wren, Charlie Waite and Harry Haygood returned from Colorado where they have been the past week.

Miss Marcine Smith of Canyon is visiting at the W. C. White home this week.

J. R. Francy left last week for Iowa on a two weeks visit.

Miss Nellie Bosque of Calahan county is here visiting Miss Esta Banard.

Dr. Harp was an Amarillo caller Tuesday.

Billie Parkinson of Amarillo is visiting at the McElroy home.

Arthur Robeson and Miss Angele Adams were married Monday night.

The Missionary Society will meet next Wednesday at the Church. Mrs. Ernest White leader. Subject Woman's Work. Everybody come.

T. C. Thompson and wife visited in Hereford Tuesday.

Mrs. Roy Cullum and Miss Mary Dorcus Cullum of Amarillo came down Wednesday to attend the Tea given by Mesdames Harrison and Mitchell.

Louis Foster and Jay Prichard Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Bill Black and wife were in Amarillo Thursday to attend the ceremonial Khiva Shrine.

W. E. Heizer and Lynn Heizer were in Washburn Wednesday on business.

If you want to buy or sell real estate, see Foster & Gamble.

Margaret and Helen Childress have returned to their home in Washburn after spending the week end at the W. E. Heizer home.

Mrs. A. S. Rollins of Amarillo was here Wednesday visiting friends.

B. M. Johnson and family of Hale Center are moving here this week for the benefit of the schools.

Zane Greys most powerful picture DESERT GOLD, all star cast, adm. 25c and 50c. Special music. Olympic Theatre, Friday and Saturday nights.

Fred Phillips of Plainview was here Wednesday visiting friends.

Mrs. Simeon Shaw will draw a harvest picture at the Methodist church Sunday night. It will be seven feet in length and show the Plains at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. G. Fogerson are going to Silverton today for a few days visit.

**ROOMING HOUSE KEEPERS**—Take advantage of the Fair week discount sale at Gouldy's.

Robert Hester returned Monday from the trip to the north with the Texas Boys' Special. He will write of his trip in the News next week.

Arthur Robeson and Miss Angele Adams of Happy were married Monday night at the court house by Judge A. N. Henson.

Zane Greys most powerful picture DESERT GOLD, all star cast, adm. 25c and 50c. Special music. Olympic Theatre, Friday and Saturday nights.

**Card of Thanks**

To the friends who were so helpful during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, we extend our most sincere thanks.

Mrs. J. H. Crowley and Children.

A small boy, who was sitting next to a very haughty woman in a crowded street car, kept sniffing in a most annoying way, until the woman could stand it no longer.

"Boy, have you got a handkerchief?" she demanded.

The small boy looked at her for a few seconds and then, in a dignified tone, came the answer:

"Yes, I 'ave, but I don't lend it to strangers."

At any rate, the prophecies of lower prices make cheerful reading.—Providence Journal.

Come to Canyon to live.

**TO ALL THAT LOVE**

**Good Eats**

Our big patronage of more than two hundred meals and short orders per day is sufficient proof of the Quality and Quantity of our eats.

Ask others and they will tell you why to go to the Crystal Cafe.

Meals, family style, 50 cents.

Eat with us when you attend the Randall County Fair.

**Crystal Cafe**

O. K. LOVEJOY, Manager.

P. D. Casey, Assistant Manager and Cook

**Opportunities in Randall County**

Randall county today offers the best land values of any county in the Panhandle. Land values are rapidly increasing, but I am offering tracts of land, every inch tillable, at most attractive prices, and prices that certainly cannot long remain at their present low level.

Canyon is the home of the West Texas State Normal College and the educational center of Northwest Texas. To the man with a family this inducement is highly attractive and I am selling scores of homes and farms to people who are moving to Randall county for the educational advantages

I can offer the buyer tracts of land from one-quarter section up, ranging in price from \$20 per acre up. I have farms close to town well improved, and raw land at various distances from the city. Every piece of property offered I am confident will be a money maker to the buyer.

Do not fail to call upon me when you are in the market for Randall county land, or desire a good location in any of the adjoining counties where I also have a good list.

If you wish a quick sale on any piece of property, list it with me.

**S. B. McCLURE**

CANYON, TEXAS

**Household Goods For Sale**

All my household goods are offered for sale. Everything new and in first-class condition. Prices much below today's market.

Farrand player piano, mahogany case, selling today at \$650, offered at \$450.

Victor Victrola and records.

Dining room set, oak, Early English finish; table, buffet, china closet, 6 chairs.

- Davenport.
- Library table.
- Three rocking chairs.
- Set of straight chairs.
- German heater.
- Bed room suite.
- Kitchen cabinet.
- Gasoline stove.
- Fireless cooker.
- Library lamp.
- Sewing machine.
- Garden hose, and all kinds of tools.

**C. W. Warwick**

**J. H. CROWLEY DIED FRIDAY MORNING AT FAMILY HOME**

John Henry Crowley died Friday morning at the family home southwest of the city after a lingering illness of several months. He was injured sometime ago, never recovering from the effects of the same.

Mr. Crowley was a good man. He was highly respected by his friends and neighbors and always took an active part in the promotion of welfare work in his community and school district.

He was born February 15, 1852, in Missouri and his parents moved to Iowa when he was three years of age. He resided in that state until 1907 when he moved to the Panhandle, making his home in Randall county for the past thirteen years.

On March 17, 1875, Mr. Crowley and Miss Margaret Paxton were married in Marshall county, Iowa, and soon moved to Adair county. To this union nine children were born, six boys and three girls. Two daughters died in infancy, the other, Mrs. Ethel M. Dooley, and the six sons together with their mother survive the father and husband. The six sons are: David of Greenfield, Iowa; Elmer of Butler, Mo.; Leslie, Frances, Joseph and Archie, all living in this county.

Short services were held at the home Sunday morning conducted by Rev. B. F. Fronabarger, after which Leslie and his mother accompanied the body to the old family home at Greenfield, Iowa, for interment.

The many friends in Randall County extend sympathy to the sorrowing members of the family.

**Presbyterian Church**

Judge James P. Hill, of Chenango County, New York, had brought before him not long ago, two youths, 16 and 17 years of age. They were charged by the grand jury with stealing an automobile, in which they had gone joy riding. The judge might have paroled them or he might have sent them to the reformatory; either avenue was open before him.

Judge Hill did neither, but here is what he did: among other things, demanded of the boys "attend church regularly for six months."

View that sentence as you want to but it is desired that every Presbyterian in Canyon pronounce the same sentence upon himself or herself.

Our services begin at 9:45 a. m. with Sunday School, followed by morning worship at 11 o'clock. Then the evening service at 7:30.

A cordial welcome awaits all who may care to worship with us.  
TED P. HOLIFIELD, Pastor.

**The Methodist Church**

The pastor had a nice vacation, Houston, Galveston and Port Arthur. Saw all his boys. But say, those places don't look nor feel like, especially feel, like Canyon. He visited several churches, but oh, he is glad to get back.

9:30 Sunday School.  
10:45 Preaching by the pastor. Subject "Ideas and Ideals."

3:30 Preaching at Park School house.

7:30 Revival services. Special music. Chalk pictures by Mrs. Shaw. Invitation to accept Christ.

7:30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting. Let's all be at church Sunday.  
SIMEON SHAW, Sr., Pastor.

Jarret Drug Company is installing new fountain fixtures this week.

Mrs. R. E. Foster and children went to Amarillo Saturday for a short visit. Bob assisted them on the train and was not able to get off before it started. He turned the side of his face into a disc plow when he tried to get off a couple of blocks from the depot, but didn't hurt the ground much.

W. W. Kuehn was a business caller in Amarillo Tuesday.

**Why Not Let Society Reporters Write Up Divorces?**

The divorce-to-be was beautifully gowned in a going-away suit of black and blue in memory of the groom's handy presents to her. She entered the room on the arm of her father and seated herself opposite the maid who had given her away to the husband. The divorce complain was read by her attorney to the soft strains of "You'd Be Surprised," which were wafted into the room from a hand organ on the sidewalk below. During this part of the service every ear was strained to catch each word. Judge Breaktheknot then read the divorce decree in a sweetly solemn tone of voice and smiled benignly upon the ex-wife. Following the service both ex-wife and ex-husband were recipients of many congratulations from their friends. The divorce is one of the most important of the local season, untying as it does, the representatives of two of the city's pioneer families. The affair was perfect in all its appointments, and much praise for this feature has been showered upon Bailiff Smith, who had entire charge of the arrangements. After short trips the ex-wife will be at home, while the ex-husband will take up quarters at the Bachelor's Club.—Life.

# RANDALL COUNTY FAIR

## SEPT., 8, 9, 10,--CANYON, TEXAS

\$2,500 CASH PRIZES GIVEN AWAY.

### Round-Up, Bronc Busting, Bulldoggin', Roping, Auto Races, Good Prize, Horse Races, Bicycle Races, Baseball Games, Boxing and Wrestling

## Big Live Stock and Agricultural Exhibits

CATTLE SHOW

POULTRY SHOW

HORSE AND MULE EXHIBIT

FARM EXHIBITS

GARDEN EXHIBITS

CREAMERY EXHIBIT

BABY SHOW

BOYS AND GIRLS PIG SHOW

AUTOMOBILE AND TRACTOR SHOW

TRUCK EXHIBIT

RED CROSS EXHIBIT

NORMAL COLLEGE EXHIBIT

BIG DISTRICT FUTURITY SHOW—TWENTY-TWO LEADING HERDS

This Will be One of the Biggest County Fairs Held in the Panhandle This Year  
You Are Most Cordially Invited to Attend

**PROMOTERS AND BEGGARS  
FLOCK TO THE PLAINS**  
**Prosperity Brings All Sorts of People  
to Relieve Natives of Their  
Money**

"Easy money" is the slogan of a lot of people in this old world of ours—if they don't have to work for it. There is four million dollars on deposit in the banks of Hale county. This is about \$2,000 for each family in the county. This is an evidence of unparalleled prosperity.

This great prosperity has been morater far and near, and has caused a horde of mendicants, solicitors, field agents, promoters, agents, schemers, swindlers and gamblers to flock to the Plains.

There are many crippled, blind and other maimed persons who beg nickels, dimes and quarters.

There are numerous religious workers and field agents who are soliciting for churches and home of unfortunates of all kinds.

There are agents for various educational and eleemosenary institutions and missionary causes.

There are field secretaries for commercial and business organizations.

There are itinerant insurance agents and stock promoters, both oily and otherwise.

There are peddlers for this, that, and the other thing.

All are here for one thing, and that is—to relieve the local people of their hard earned money, they are here to secure money without working or shedding any sweat in getting it.

They are believers in the old saying "A sucker is born every minute." Some of these transients represent worthy objects, but most of them are here for selfish reasons.

Local firms and citizens of Hale county represent every activity that these itinerants represent. Local people are honest and we know them. They deserve your support.

The best plan is to absolutely refuse to give a nickel to or buy a dollar's worth of anything from any of these itinerants.

If you wish to contribute to charity, there is a United Charities organization in Plainview.

If you wish to contribute to church or religious work, do so through the pastors of the local churches.

If you desire to help your church, schools or delegates, send your check to Wayland college or to the pastor of the local church you belong to.

If you want to buy any kind of insurance, buy it through the local agencies, whose reliability you know.

If you wish to buy stock or invest your money consult your banker and discuss fully with him the reliability of any promotion scheme that is put up to you, and if possible invest your money in Hale county property or business enterprises.

Learn to say "no" in loud tones to every promoter, agent, solicitor and beggar that importunes you for your money. Don't be "worked" for a "sucker."

If the people of Hale county will

conserve their money there will be "good times" here for many years. The oil fields of the state the past two years took hundreds of thousands of dollars out of Hale county, almost all of which was a clear loss. Let's learn a lesson from that.

Practically everyone of the itinerants who are coming here are fakers and swindlers. Let 'em alone. Hold on to your cash. Thrift stamps and government certificates are gilt-edge investments; they carry a low rate of interest, but it is sure, 99 out of 100 instances they will prove more lucrative than the "get-rich-quick" propositions of the fellows who are flocking to the Plains just now.—Plainview News.

**Executive Committee Meets**

The Democratic Executive Committee for Randall County met at the Court House Monday, Aug. 30, at 2 o'clock and canvassed the returns of the primary election held last Saturday and declared the result to be as follows:

- FOR GOVERNOR:**  
 Jos. W. Bailey ..... 275  
 Pat. M. Neff ..... 354
- FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:**  
 Lynch Davidson ..... 196  
 W. A. Johnson ..... 392
- FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT:**  
 William Pierson ..... 358  
 William E. Hawkins ..... 205
- The members of the Committee present also allowed claims for holding the primary and, filled vacancies by appointing chairmen in those precincts which failed to elect precinct chairmen.

The County Executive Committee now consists of the following mem-

- bers:  
 County Chairman, A. N. Henson;  
 Precinct One, C. D. Lester.  
 Precinct Two, J. R. Bailey;  
 Precinct Three, T. V. Slack;  
 Precinct Four, R. E. Prewitt;  
 Precinct Five, J. E. Park;  
 Precinct Six, J. W. Blair;  
 Precinct Seven, Frank Bassett;  
 Precinct Eight, J. W. Turner.

**Delco Light for Fair Grounds**  
 The Randall County Fair management have been at a loss to know how to have satisfactory electric lights, but that problem has been solved by the T. M. Caldwell Co. of Amarillo, who are factory representatives for the Delco Company. They will furnish the Fair Association with a Delco Light farm lighting outfit for lighting the grounds which is a factor in the success of a fair and the night attendance. A great interest has been shown by the people in the famous Delco-Light plant and they will have the opportunity of seeing it doing big things.

**Cluck Buys Star Barber Shop**  
 B. B. Cluck has bought the Star Barber Shop from Price Bros. and took possession Monday. He is planning to close the City Barber Shop this week, and will take over the management of the Star Barber Shop on the west side of the square.

"Babe" Ruth has reached the quantity stage in the production of home-runs.—Greenville (S. C.) Piedmont.

For wooden, tile or marble floors use **RUB-NO-MORE WASHING POWDER.**

**Announcement**

I have bought the Star Barber Shop from Price Bros., and am now in charge of the business.

I am closing the City Barber Shop which I have had on the south side of the square, and trust that all my friends and patrons will meet me at the new Shop on the West Side of the Square.

I trust that in the Star Barber Shop to give you better service than I have been able to do in the old stand.

Do not overlook the big Randall County Fair on Sept. 8, 9, 10.

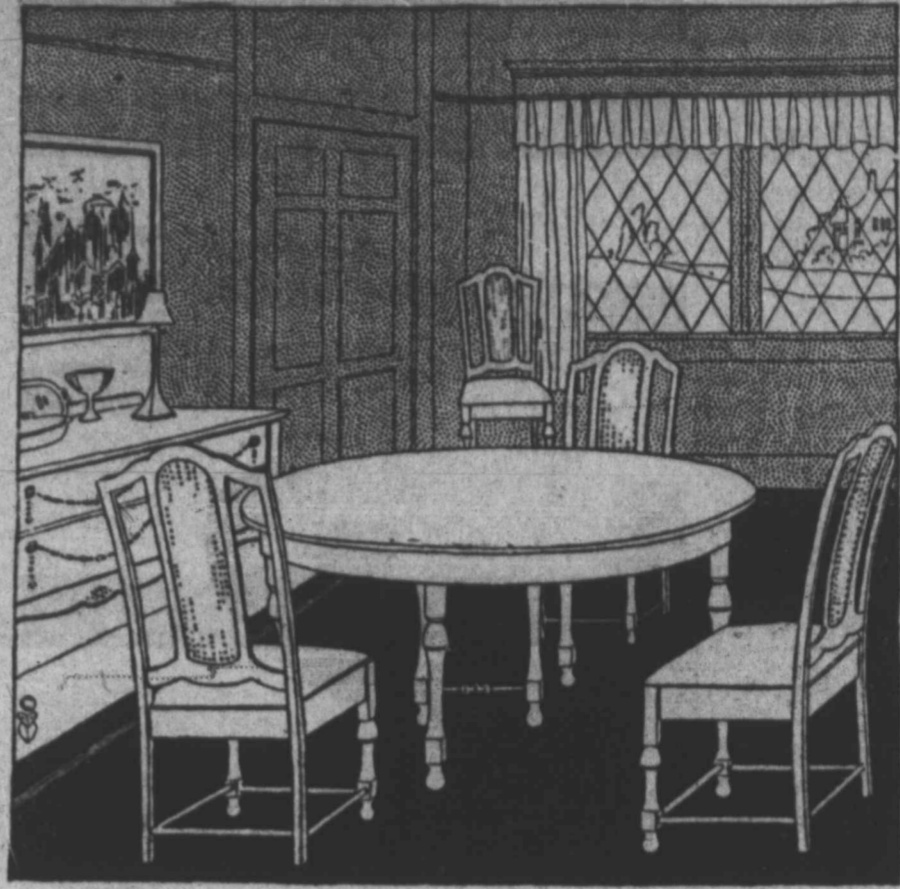
**B. B. Cluck**

**The Busy Place**

**Would You Like to Know**

**Why**

**ORTONS**



**Attractive Showing of Dining Room Furniture**

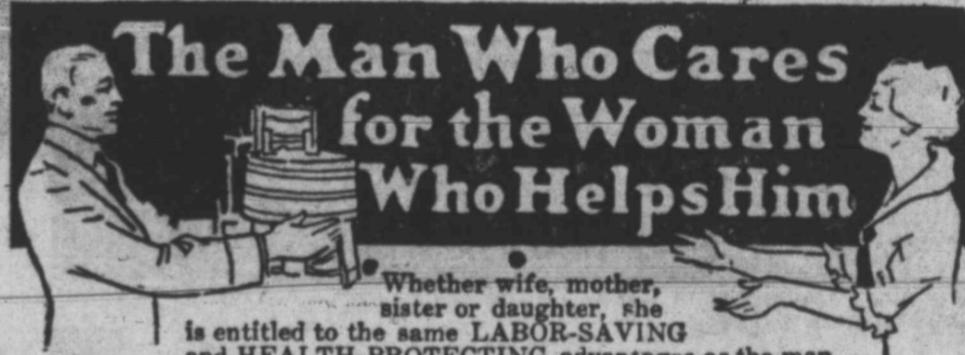
To assist you in furnishing your Dining Room in the best taste, we have provided for your choice a splendid assortment of Dining Room pieces. Some are arranged in sets, others are shown individually—but in either way you will appreciate the opportunity our low prices afford to secure what you need at little cost.

**SEPTEMBER 8, 9, 10**

We are going to have a big display of furniture which we are offering at a special Fair Reduction Sale at 20 per cent. Practically every item in our house goes in this sale.

We welcome the people of the Panhandle who attend the Randall County Fair to make this store their headquarters and insist that they inspect our goods while in Canyon.

**Gouldy Furniture and Undertaking Company**



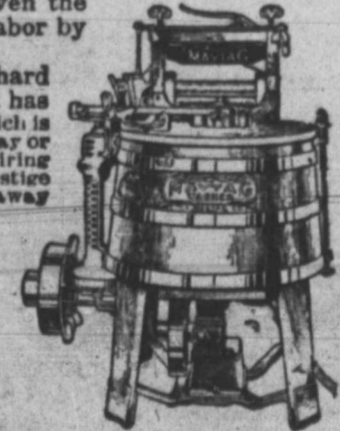
**The Man Who Cares for the Woman Who Helps Him**

Whether wife, mother, sister or daughter, she is entitled to the same LABOR-SAVING and HEALTH-PROTECTING advantages as the man who is the bread winner.

The farmer, storekeeper, workman, and even the office man have all been saved useless, tedious labor by improved methods and modern machines.

Yet many of these men are indifferent to the hard work done every day by woman of the house. It has not occurred to them to lighten her burdens—chief of which is the hard, exhaustive labor of washing the scrub board way or the expense and the work done, of exertion has with the new

The last vestige of worry of hiring been done away



**Maytag Multi-Motor Washer**

(A little pressure of the foot starts it.)

This provides a remarkable combination of Maytag Power Washer, the Three-Way Swinging Wringer and the new Multi-Motor. The complete outfit does the same for the rural or town home without electricity that the Maytag Electric Washer does for a home equipped for its use.

Five cents a week pays for the gas or gasoline used for the washing of an average family.

We also have the regular Maytag Power Washer for use where a separate gasoline engine is at hand. The Multi-Motor is of the greatest utility in that it will also operate the churn, sewing machine, food chopper, and any other small machine—several at the same time if need be.

While the Multi-Motor works other duties can be looked after. Clothes can be washed and wrung at same time with the Three-Way Swinging Wringer. So quickly is the washing over that the clothes are usually dry by noon, ready for ironing same day.

Try a MAYTAG—any kind—four Mondays on the thirty day trial plan. Complete outfits within the means of any family. Call or phone for one on trial.

During the Randall County Fair we cordially invite you to make this store your headquarters.

**THOMPSON HARDWARE COMPANY**



**LARGE MERGER OF THEATRES IS MADE**

**Amarillo Show Houses Consolidated With Big Down-State Concerns**

What is declared to be one of the largest theatrical deals consummated in the south, recently is the consolidation of the interests of Dye, Ford & Rogers, with shows in Amarillo, Plainview and Wichita Falls, with those of the Southern Enterprises, Inc., at the head of which are S. A. Lynch, of Atlanta, Ga., E. H. Hulsey of Dallas and Adolph Zukor, head of the Paramount Pictures corporation New York.

The two interests have merged all their holdings and papers of incorporation are now being prepared. The new incorporation will be known as the Dye, Ford & Rogers Enterprises and will be incorporated for \$350,000 and will operate a total of 16 play houses all of which are in Texas.

The Southern Enterprises, Inc., is said to be the largest theatrical corporation in the country, controlling about 350 theatres in eleven southern states.

The new Dye, Ford & Rogers Enterprises, Inc., is now planning to erect theaters in a number of the larger and better towns of Texas. Ross D. Rogers, manager of the local interests, announced yesterday, and one of them will be in Amarillo. "The plans that were announced recently for the erection of a small theater building in Amarillo have been abandoned, as it was thought best to erect a real large honest to goodness theater in this town, one which will take care of the needs of a city of 50,000 inhabitants," he said.

"The personell of the new company will remain the same as at present," Mr. Rogers said. "I will retain the management of all local interests, and whatever theaters we may decide to erect in this section of the state."—Amarillo News (Sunday).

In speaking of the above article from the Sunday's Amarillo News, W. J. Wooten, manager of the Olympic Theatre of Canyon said yesterday: "Canyon is certainly fortunate in its location, as the Olympic is on the same circuit as discussed in the above article, and we will get all of the big productions at my theatre. At present the big feature days are on Friday and Saturday. The consolidation of these firms will mean still better pictures for Canyon."

**A Big Movement**

Can the California plan of establishing the price of products by the growers, followed with marked success for several years by the raisin, prune and citrus fruit producers, be successfully applied to wheat and other grains, and to farm products in general?

If the movement inaugurated at Chicago, July 23 and 24, is carried to its logical conclusion, we may have the answer before long.

In sponsoring this movement, the American Farm Bureau Federation has given it a standing which no previous attempt of a similar character has had. The Farm Bureau Federation has not as yet committed itself definitely to the California plan, but unless that plan, or some other calculated to accomplish substantially the same result, is undertaken, the effort represented by the calling of the Chicago meeting, and by the appointment of the committee by President Howard in conformity with the resolution adopted, will be fruitless—provided of course, the result of the entire movement does not show that no such sweeping change should be undertaken. In the latter event, the effect will be to allay the widespread dissatisfaction that has been so much

**MICKIE SAYS**

YEAH, THESE ARE KINDA PUNK TIMES T' BE RUNNIN' A PAPER, WHAT WITH PRINT PAPER UP IN TH' CLOUDS 'N EVERYTHING—BUT THEY'S ONE CONSOLATION—WHEN ALL TH' PENITENTIARIES ARE BULGIN' OUT WITH PROFITEERS, US NEWSPAPER GUNS WILL BE RAMPAGIN' ROUND LOOSE JEST TH' SAME AS PER USUAL!



**DELCO RANDALL COUNTY NEWS CANYON, TEXAS**

in evidence the past year and which seems to be increasing.

The resolution authorizing the appointment of the committee reads as follows:

"Resolved, That we recommend that the Chairman of this Convention appoint a permanent Committee not to exceed seventeen members, representing the various organizations interested, and with the consent and approval of such organizations, to consider, formulate and submit hereafter for consideration, a definite plan of organization whereby all organizations of grain producers can conduct co-operative grain marketing through one or more central organizations or grain exchanges, or such other solution of the co-operative marketing problem as may be approved by such committee, and that each organization or interest represented, shall bear the expenses of its own delegate or committee members. That when this Committee is ready to report, copies of this report shall be sent to each organization, and the Chairman of the American Farm Bureau Federation shall call a conference of accredited delegates of such organizations with power to act, to whom such plan shall be submitted for adoption or rejection."

Comparatively few farmers, and practically no city people, comprehend the importance of the proposed enterprise, or the strength of the agencies that will support it, should it be undertaken. It involves the elimination of boards of trade, and of all speculation, either in futures or in the actual handling of grain. Furthermore, though only grain is being considered in the present stage of the program, it is the intention to

take up the direct marketing of all agricultural products in due time.

The Chicago meeting will likely go down in agricultural history as an epochal event, regardless of the results; for, if the plans of its promoters are consummated, the world will pass into a new era as far as agriculture is concerned—an era in which farmers will not only produce the food for the human race, but will control its marketing, and to a considerable extent its preparation for the table. If no such action is attempted, or if it is attempted and results unsuccessfully, then the present methods of handling farm products will continue with less criticism. Complete co-operation in this field should either "go across" or be abandoned as the result of this movement.

President Howard states that he will take several weeks to make up the committee, and a bulletin from the Federation announces that the committee report is not expected short of six or eight months. In the meantime, at least two other movements have a similar objective, but more localized and less adequately financed, are proceeding, and these may cause somewhat speedier action.—W. I. Drummond in The Agricultural Review.

We don't seem to recall any arguments offered by Germany in 1871 about mercy to the vanquished.—Indianapolis Star.

Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement; nothing can be done without hope.—Helen Keller.

The only Speaker that is making a hit nowadays is Tris.—Peoria Transcript.

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**Floyd County's First Hog Sale**  
 The first sale of registered Poland China Hogs in Floyd county was held this week by Walter Denny at his place 10 miles north of Lockney. The sale was a success in the point of price and the numbers in attendance from within and without the county. Mr. Denny in his converter sale offered 21 head of thoroughbred Poland Chinas. The 21 head averaged \$194.25. The 21 head brought around \$4,000. Four of these hogs were four months old pigs and one was five months old. One gilt sold for \$1,000 and was bought by Joe Mason, who lives east of Lockney in Floyd county. Denny's Long Orange brought \$660 and was bought by Ludwig Irbeck of Happy. The fourth day of last December Mr. Denny bought a gilt at Childress and paid \$200 for her. In this sale she and her three months old pigs brought \$1,300. Can any investment beat this.—Lockney Beacon.

**A Near Tragedy**  
 On the return of Odus Caraway and family from their trip to Flint, Mich., where the former went after new Buick autos, Clarendon people are learning of a little incident which almost culminated in a horrible tragedy. On their route home driving the new cars from the factory, night overtook the party about forty miles the other side of Oklahoma City and at the request of the children permission was obtained from a farmer to allow them to camp for the night on the banks of a creek just over the fence from the main highway. Driving into the pasture the cars were headed down a little decline toward the water's edge, where the camp for the night was made. The emergency brakes were set on each of the machines and after the usual evening romp with the children they were put to bed in the tonneau of one of the cars, Mr. and Mrs. Caraway sleeping on cots nearby. On account of the damp coolness of the atmosphere the curtains of the car occupied by the children were closely fastened and when Mr. Caraway got up to see about the kiddies about 4 o'clock in the morning nothing had gone amiss nor had the car moved from the place where it had been left. In the early dawn Mr. Caraway was called hurriedly by Mr. R. O. Thomas, who was driving the other car, and informed him that the car occupied by the children was in the water. Rushing down to the bank he found the car standing with the radiator submerged, the water well up in the front of the car and the rear wheels about half out of the water. This left the children still some inches above the water level, but the angle of the car was such that the party was almost frantic until the curtains had been snatched open and the children wakened up and passed to the safety of the shore. On examination it was found that the emergency brake was still set and no one will ever know just how the machine got into motion and rolled down into the water. Just a few feet farther there was an abrupt jump-off into twenty feet of water and the wonder of wonders is just how the big car kept from rolling on into the depths while like rats in a cage the

poor children would have lost their lives without being able to make any sound or scarcely make a struggle.—Clarendon News.

**Young Man Killed By Lightning**  
 Duke McGuire, 23, brother of Robt. L. McGuire, who has resided in Floydada since the early part of last year, was instantly killed by a stroke of lightning last Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, while crossing a cotton field on the W. F. Weatherbee farm southeast of Floydada five miles. He had started to the residence of Mrs. Jno. W. Smith, where he lived and worked, after a shower had stopped a threshing crew with whom he was working. His body was not torn up, though the neck was broken and several burns were made on the neck, chest, abdomen and legs.—Floydada Hesperian.

**Dickens Has New County Agent**  
 R. B. Johnson arrived in Spur the latter part of last week, and is now "on the job" as County Agent of Dickens County, taking the place of G. L. Crawford who recently resigned for a place in New Mexico.—Spur Texas Spur.

**Life Wisdom**  
 The man who does not read good books has no advantage over the man who can not read them. No book is worth anything which is not worth much, nor is it serviceable until it has been read and reread, and marked so that you can refer to the passages you want in it.—Ruskin. If we encounter a man of rare intellect, we should ask him what books he read.—Emerson. If you love learning, you shall attain unto learning.—Inscribed in golden letters by Isocrates over the entrance of his school in Athens.

**Citation**  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Randall County, Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded to summon The Coleman Tractor Corporation, a corporation, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 47th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 47th Judicial District to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Randall County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Canyon, Texas, on the 1st Monday in October, A. D. 1920, the same being the 4th day of October, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a first amended original petition filed in said Court on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court, No. 548, wherein Wesley T. Gibson is plaintiff, and The Coleman Tractor Corporation, a private corporation is defendant, and said first amended original petition alleging as follows:  
 Now comes Wesley T. Gibson, who resides in Randall County, Texas, hereinafter called plaintiff, complaining of the Coleman Tractor Corporation, a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Missouri, with its principal office and place of business in the County of Jackson in the State of Missouri, in the City of Kansas City, hereinafter styled defendant; and leave of the Court having been first had and obtained, plaintiff files this his first

original petition in lieu of his original petition filed herein on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1920, and for cause of action, plaintiff represents to the Court that heretofore to-wit: On or about the 20th day of May, A. D. 1919, plaintiff at the special instance and request of defendant, agreed and contracted with said defendant that he said plaintiff would act as agent and representative of and for the defendant in the demonstrating and selling the manufactured products and out-put of said defendant corporation, which said products and out-put consisted of Farm Tractors, Motor Engines, etc.; that said defendant agreed to and with this plaintiff that he, the said defendant would pay to this plaintiff for his said services as such agent the sum of \$100.00 per month as and for compensation to this plaintiff for and during the time this plaintiff was so employed, and defendant further agreed and contracted to and with plaintiff that it the said defendant would pay all of the usual and necessary traveling expenses, hotel bills, upkeep expenses on the motor passenger car to be used by the plaintiff in the said employment.

That this plaintiff acting in good faith did enter the employment of said defendant on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1919, at the special instance and request of the said defendant as such agent heretofore mentioned in Paragraph No. One, hereof.  
 That from and after the said 20th day of May, A. D. 1919, up to and including the 14th day of September, A. D. 1919, this plaintiff worked for and gave his entire time and attention to the selling and advertising the said products and out-put of the said defendant corporation, and that during the time this plaintiff was so engaged in said employ of the defendant he the said plaintiff received the sum of \$100.00 per month, together with his necessary traveling expenses, hotel bills, etc., for the time up to the 20th day of July, A. D. 1919; that this plaintiff also received the money he spent and paid out in connection with the necessary expenses of said employment for the balance of the time, he, the said plaintiff was so employed, for and by defendant, up to the 14th day of September, A. D. 1919, with the following exceptions, viz: \$21.50 paid out by this plaintiff for the repair and upkeep of the car then and there used by the plaintiff while in the said employment for the defendant and the further expenses of the sum of \$15.50 paid out by this plaintiff for his hotel expenses and traveling expenses; and that this plaintiff has never received his said compensation for his said work from the period of time, commencing on the 20th day of July, 1919, up to and in-

cluding the 14th day of September, A. D. 1919, at the agreed and stipulated price of \$100.00 per month, amounting to the sum of \$193.55.  
 That the defendant agreed and contracted to and with this plaintiff that it would pay him the said plaintiff, the sums of money set out in Paragraph No. 3, hereof, amounting to the sum of \$221.85. For full and complete description of said account, reference is hereby made to the account heretofore filed with the first original petition, filed herein and made a part hereof, marked exhibit "A."

That the defendant is a non-resident corporation, that is to say, that said defendant is located and has its principal office and place of business in the State of Missouri, as stated in paragraph 1, hereof and that it has no place of business in the State of Texas, within the knowledge of this plaintiff.

Plaintiff would further represent to the court that heretofore to-wit: On the 21st day of April, 1920, this plaintiff caused a Writ of Attachment to be issued out of the said County Court Randall County, Texas, in this cause, which said writ was directed to the Sheriff or any constable of Hale County, Texas, which said writ was placed in the hands of the Sheriff of said Hale County, Texas, on the 25th day of April, 1920, and that said Sheriff did on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1920, execute said writ by levying on the following described property as the property of the said defendant non-resident corporation, viz: One Coleman Tractor, Engine No. 1218, Tractor No. 261 and one three Disc Oliver Plow.

Wherefore premises considered plaintiff prays that the defendant non-resident corporation, be cited in terms of the law to appear and answer this petition, and that he have judgment for his debt, \$221.85, and costs of suit, and that said judgment recite the issue and levy of the said writ of attachment, and that execution issue to subject said personal property to the satisfaction of his said debt, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity that he may be justly entitled to, and in duty bound will ever pray. 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.

Witness, O. W. Gano, Clerk of the County Court of Randall County. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Canyon, Texas, this 1st day of September, A. D. 1920.  
 O. W. GANO, Clerk, County Court, Randall County.

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 I intend to run one of the most complete Filling Stations in this section of the state and carry in stock the highest class tires and tubes. Service will be the main object of this Station.  
 I trust that friends and former patrons of this Station will continue to give me their future business, and I shall do everything in my power to please the many customers of this business.  
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**NEFF BADLY DEFEATS BAILEY FOR GOVERNOR OF TEXAS**

Pat M. Neff is the democratic nominee of the democratic party of Texas, having defeated ex-senator Joe Bailey Saturday in the primary by at least 75,000.

Lynch Davidson badly defeated W. A. Johnson for re-election as Lieutenant Governor, while William Pierson defeated William Hawkins as a candidate for re-election to the supreme court.

**Resigned From Faculty**

Miss Pearl Hensley has resigned from the faculty of the public schools and will continue her work in the postoffice. Miss Hensley has been a teacher in the public schools for the past two years and has been remarkably successful. The patrons of the school regret very much to hear that she will not teach the coming year. She has been one of the post office force throughout the summer, and will continue in this work.

**Buys Royal Cafe**

A. B. Snipes has bought the Royal Cafe of Henry Long and is now in charge of the same. Mr. Long states he has as yet made no plans for the future.

**Making Skim Milk Buttermilk**

It is the opinion of a great many people that good buttermilk can only be produced from whole milk. But first-class buttermilk can be made from skim milk. The quality of buttermilk depends mainly upon the proper ripening of the milk and does not depend upon the fat content. The good qualities, such as palatability and flavor, are not due to the development of the lactic acid fermentation.

In order to produce good buttermilk from skim milk it is necessary first that the latter be separated and

cooled, for there is a considerable amount of air incorporated with the milk during the process of separation, which causes it to foam, and as this air is warm it must be removed. When it is allowed to remain in the milk undesirable fermentation arises and the milk will "whey" and form a tough, floating curd. If the milk is allowed to stand for a short time after being separated the foam will all come to the top and can be skimmed off with a dipper, or the milk can be drained off from the bottom through a faucet or poured from beneath the foam.

After the foam has been gotten rid of the milk should be run over a cooler of some kind, such as the ordinary drum cooler, but in case this is not available the milk should in any event be cooled thoroughly, by setting it in cold water or in some kind of an ice box or even in a cool cellar. It is very important that the milk should be kept cool for at least 12 hours.

After the milk has been kept thoroughly cool for 12 hours, its temperature should be raised to 70 degrees Fahrenheit, which is the best temperature for ripening, and allowed to become sour. When at this temperature it will not take the milk long to sour and in about 12 hours it will be clabbered, but not yet ready to be churned. It should now be cooled to 60 degrees Fahrenheit or lower. This should be done in the same way as previously and the milk allowed to set at this temperature for at least 24 hours longer before being churned.

Prior to churning it is very important that the maximum development of lactic acid take place. If a small amount of whey rises on the top of the milk no harm will result. The damage is done by a floating curd and whey at the bottom. Hence, in successful buttermilk making it can be seen that the proper cooling and

ripening of the milk are both very important features.

The process of churning can be varied to suit local conditions. The same sort of wood dasher as is used in a common dash churn can be used thoroughly to break up the clabber while the milk is yet in the "shot gun" or cooling cans. This is a fairly good method where only a small amount of buttermilk is made. Or the milk can be put in the churn and churned for 20 or 30 minutes. In any event the clabber must be thoroughly strained to remove all lumps of curd and to make it smooth.

If the milk is to be placed on the market the customers should receive it as soon as possible after churning because of the fact that they wish it fresh. Keeping it cool from the time of making until delivery is very important. In warm weather the re-

ceptacles should be wrapped in wet blankets or have ice cylinders in them. All vessels used in making and handling the milk must be kept perfectly clean. It may be supposed that because the buttermilk is already sour it is not necessary to exercise so much care in keeping the utensils clean, but good buttermilk cannot be made from skim milk without cleanliness in all things pertaining to it. There is a ready market for good skim milk buttermilk in any town or city and especially in factory or mining towns where there are many laborers and their families to feed.—Iowa Homestead.

Lloyd Geoge fears much unemployment in Great Britain this winter. Ireland and Soviet Russia may prevent his fear being realized.—Greenville (S. C.) Piedmont.

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**DO YOU REMEMBER**

That two months ago the newspapers were telling you of the crusade against high prices? We ourselves, joined in this on the 31st day of July and for 10 days we held a veritable carnival of price-cutting. This sale was the greatest in the history of our business, both from the standpoint of volume of merchandise handled and from the amount of money received. In spite of this stock reducing sale we have accumulated a large stock, in fact, the largest ever carried here at any time. This stock was contracted for during last winter and early spring and we have secured practically one hundred per cent delivery on same. We are now able to offer a complete line of staple Dry Goods, Ladies' Dresses, Suits, Silk and Cotton Underwear and Millinery Goods. Our Shoe stock is complete in every detail including Men's work Shoes medium priced, Dress Shoes, as well as a line of the finest Dress Shoes to be found anywhere and that cost no more. Boys' and Misses' in all sizes and at the right prices. We quote you prices below for Monday Sept. 6th to 11th, on piece goods, and millinery. Our millinery stock is entirely new and up-to-date and these prices are only introductory and for the week.



**DRESS GOODS**

- 36 in. all Wool Dress Goods, all wanted colors, the \$2.00 values at the yard .....**\$1.69**
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- 42 to 54 in. all Wool French Serges and Tricotines, finest to be had, \$3.75 and \$4.00 values.....**\$3.48**
- Dress Silks in Satin and Taffeta, \$3.00 value.....**\$2.69**
- Dress Silks in Satin and Taffeta, \$3.50 value.....**\$2.98**
- Crepe de Chine Shirting, \$5.00 value for.....**\$3.49**



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- Our \$5.00 line Ready-to-wear for the week at **\$ 4.39**
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- Our \$12.50 line Hand Tailored, very stylish... **\$10.98**
- Our \$15.00 line Hand Tailored, very stylish... **\$11.98**
- Our \$16.50 line Hand Tailored, very stylish... **\$13.98**
- Our \$18.00 line Hand Tailored, very stylish... **\$15.98**
- Our \$20.00 line Hand Tailored, none better... **\$16.98**
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**RANDALL COUNTY FAIR**  
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- 6. Produce of sow; four animals either sex and any age.
- 7. Aged Herd; boar and three sows over one year.
- 8. Breeders Aged Herd; Boar and three sows over one year, bred by exhibitor.
- 9. Young Herd; Boar and three sows under one year.
- 10. Breeder's Young Herd; Boar and three sows under one year, bred by exhibitor.
- 11. Animals purchased in dam and farrowed, the property of exhibitors, may be entered in breeders classes.

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Boar, two years and over.  
Boar, eighteen months and under twenty-four.  
Boar, twelve months and under eighteen.  
Boar, six months and under twelve.  
Boar, under six months.  
Sow, two years and over.  
Sow, eighteen months and under twenty-four.  
Sow, twelve months and under eighteen.  
Sow, six months and under twelve.  
Sow, under six months.

- Herds**  
Aged herd.  
Breeder's aged herd.  
Young herd.  
Breeder's young herd.
- Groups**  
Get of boar.  
Produce of sow.
- Champions**  
(Ribbon given on all champions)  
Senior champion boar.  
Junior champion boar.  
Senior champion sow.  
Junior champion sow.
- Grand Champions**  
Grand champion boar.  
Grand champion sow.

**Spring Futurity Show**  
The following premiums will be given in the Spring Futurity Show, by the Duroc Record Association, Peoria, Ill:

On boars and sows, each, first \$15; second \$13; third \$10; fourth \$9; fifth \$8.

On litter of four, first \$25; second \$20; third \$17; fourth \$15; fifth \$13.

A Trophy Cup will also go to the best spring litter.

**Horses and Mules**  
Heavy draft team, first \$5; sec. \$3.  
General purpose team, \$5, \$3.  
Mule team, \$5, \$3.  
Best mare or horse, any age, \$3, \$2.  
Best mule, either sex or age, \$3, \$2.  
Best 1920 horse colt, \$5, \$3.  
Best 1920 mule colt, \$5, \$3.  
Best saddle horse, shown under saddle, \$5, \$3.

**Dairy Cattle**  
Best Holstein cow, any age, first \$5, second \$3.  
Best Jersey cow, any age, \$5, \$3.  
Best Jersey heifer calf, \$3, \$2.  
Best Holstein heifer calf, \$3, \$2.

**Sheep**  
Best coarse wool ewe, first \$3, second \$2.  
Best fine wool ewe, \$3, \$2.  
Best fine wool lamb, \$3, \$2.  
Best coarse wool lamb, \$3, \$2.

**Poultry Department**  
Rev. Ted P. Hollifield, Supt.  
Entries to be made in the Poultry Show must be made not later than the first day of the Fair, Sept. 8. If convenient phone Mr. Hollifield, No. 292, of your proposed entry.

Premiums will be awarded upon six classes of all breeds of poultry which are entered in the Poultry Show as follows: First, second and third up on Cock, Hen, Cockerel, Pullet, Old Pen, Young Pen.

In the last two contests it is desired that the pens should be composed respectively of one cock four hens and of one cockrel and four pullets.

Our County Fair is young and the funds for prizes are not flush, but our interest in the success of the Fair should cause us to enter into all its activities with zeal. If you have any poultry on your farm of which you are proud, don't fail to make an entry and let's endeavor to make the poultry and let's endeavor to make the poultry show one of the most interesting and thorough features of the entire Fair.

Where there is one entry in any given contest, no monetary prize will be awarded.

E. B. Miller, poultry expert from Plainview will be here to act as judge in this contest the first day of the fair.

The prizes on the individual entries will be: first prize \$1.00 second 50c; third 25c. For the pen entries: first prize \$5; second \$2.50; third \$1.25.

**Days of Judging at Fair**  
C. F. Walker announces that the judging during the Randall County Fair will be as follows:  
Wednesday, Sept. 8—All live stock, and poultry, except swine  
Thursday, Sept. 9—All swine exhibits.  
Friday, Sept. 10—Agricultural exhibits and the Baby Show.

**WELL KNOWN COACH CHOSEN FOR NORMAL**

**Capt. Daniel W. Kline Heads Athletics of Normal for Coming Year—Will Arrive Soon.**

Capt. Daniel W. Kline of Tilden, Nebraska, has recently been employed to take charge of athletics at the West Texas State Normal College.

Capt. Kline comes to the College as a successor to Mr. W. M. Willy, who resigned last spring to become cashier of a bank in South Dakota. He brings to his new position a rare wealth of training and experience and will no doubt develop the athletics and physical education of the college in a most satisfactory manner.

He holds a B. A. degree from Nebraska Wesleyan University of the class of 1916, and as participant for four years in every branch of College Athletics, qualified as an all State man in both football and basketball. He also had two years of gymnasium instruction during his college course and has had a special course of calisthenics in the army under Major Koehler of West Point. He had charge of massed calisthenics in the Third Officers Training Camp at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and also of the calisthenics and bayonet instruction at the University of Cincinnati during the time of the Students' Army Training Camp.

Mr. Kline successfully coached the Norfolk, Nebraska High School teams in 1916-1917 and for the past year has had charge of athletics in the School of Mines at Trinidad, Colorado.

The head coach at Nebraska Wesleyan writes President Hill as follows: "I consider Mr. Kline one of the ablest and most brilliant young men in this part of the country. . . . He was a very fine student at Nebraska Wesleyan University and one of the most remarkable athletes this State has ever produced. He is a very clever football player and undoubtedly the best basketball player in this region. He is also above the average in tennis, track and baseball. . . . It would be hard to find a better combination of brains, athletic ability and personality than that possessed by Mr. Kline. I cannot recommend him too highly."

Dean McProud of Nebraska Wesleyan, in reply to a letter from President Hill, says: "I have known Mr. Kline very personally for the last ten or eleven years. . . . I have been interested in his growth and development particularly on the side of character and devotion to service of his community and country. . . . He has a great deal of influence over young men and I have never known this influence to be anything but good. . . . His ideals are high and he is capable of making a real contribution to our present social order."

Several of last year's team at the college will be back in their places and under the leadership of Mr.

Kline, the boys will make a new high record in athletics.

**CANYON CENSUS ANNOUNCED IN LETTER TO MAYOR AS 1618**

Mayor J. D. Gamble received a letter yesterday from the census bureau stating the census for Canyon was 1618. The census of 1910 was 1400, or a gain of 218. The letter states that this count is subject to revision.

The people of Canyon feel that this number is far below the actual number of people in the city. There were practically no houses east of the square when the count of 1910 was taken. There were many vacant houses in town at that time. There were no one living over the stores as there are this year.

The census for Randall county was set at 3675. The count of 1910 gave 3312, or a gain of 363 in the entire county.

**THE SAND IS HOT—SUCH WILL 14 CANYON MEN FIND**

Today is the big Shriner Day in Amarillo, the ceremonial of the Khiva Shrine being conducted. Several hundred Shriners from every part of the Panhandle will take part in the ceremonies.

A class of 274 will be conducted into the mysteries of the order. Fourteen Canyon men will cross the desert sands. There are eight Shriners in Canyon, all of whom are attending the ceremonies and seeing that their brothers from Canyon are properly initiated.

**WILL JUDGE HOGS IN BIG DISTRICT FUTURITY SHOW**

W. H. Alexander of Childress has been selected judge of the District Futurity Show which will be held in Canyon September 8, 9, 10.

Mr. Alexander is one of the biggest breeders in Northwest Texas and is an expert in the hog show ring.

C. F. Walker stated yesterday that he was fortunate to obtain a man like Mr. Alexander to do the judging in this show.

**BAD HORSES COMING FOR BIG RANDALL COUNTY FAIR**

The American Legion will have some real bad horses for the bronc busting during the Round Up at the Randall County Fair. C. O. Edwards has charge of this feature and has been receiving calls from all parts of the Panhandle both from men with bad horses and men who want to ride in the contests. Some very liberal purses will be given by the Legion for the best riders.

One of the big features of the Legion entertainment will be the \$1000 auto race. Wesley Kleinschmidt is the promoter and manager of this feature of the entertainment.

**Ball Game During Fair**

Arrangements are being made to have two or three of the best ball games of the year during the Randall County Fair. Some good strong teams will be brought here to play the Canyon team.

\* Come to Canyon to live.

**We Cordially Invite You**



**TO MAKE YOUR HEADQUARTERS WITH US DURING THE RANDALL COUNTY FAIR, SEPTEMBER 8, 9, 10**

You will find this drug store always a leader in equipment, stock and service. Our organization is maintained for your benefit.



It is just about time for school to start. While in Canyon for the Fair, better buy the children all of their school supplies from this store.

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**Want Ads Are Cash in Advance**  
We wish to again call the attention of our patrons to the fact that unless they have a regular monthly account with us, it will be impossible for us to open an account with them in order to charge a small item. The loss of time in making these small collections amounts to more during these times of high expense, than the item amounts to. Matter phoned in for the want column must be paid for before the day of publication if the party has no regular monthly account.

**For Sale**  
FOR SALE—My home on West Houston St., 10 rooms. For price and terms see me. Cyrus Eakman. 1p  
FOR SALE—20 cars mountain cedar posts to consumers. Box 464. T. S. Aylor, San Saba, Texas. 23-4p  
FOR SALE—Second hand Deering row binder. J. T. Coffee. 23p3  
FOR SALE—Brown 9-year old mare, good condition in every respect. Call phone 70, or address box 471, Canyon, Texas. 21-1f  
FOR SALE—Good five passenger car and its worth the money. A. J. Arnold. Phone 14.  
FOR SALE—640 acres state land 1-2 mile from Tolar, 42 miles west of Clovis, N. Mex. All fenced, 4-room house, barns, running water, 5 feet to quick sand, water pumping plant. \$10.00 per acre cash, 27 years at four per cent interest on balance, \$15.00 per acre in all. Write or see N. E. Williams, Ford Garage, Canyon, Texas. 21p2  
FOR SALE—Winter barley for seed. C. J. Crawford. tf  
FOR SALE—Best residence lot in Canyon for \$250. The owner of the adjoining lot wants \$300; lots just across the street are held at \$500 and \$400. Who wants this one? C. W. Warwick.  
FOR SALE—1 team of mares, 1 bundle wagon, 1 new grain wagon, 1 Bowser horse-power feed grinder. Jeff Wallace. 20t4  
FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Jersey boars, yearlings, shoats and pigs; also bred sows. F. V. Friemel. 21p4

FOR SALE—Two good Jersey cows. C. F. Walker. 22p2

FOR SALE—Piano; good Jersey cow; brood sow; shoats; good heater; several household articles. J. C. Crawford.

**Miscellaneous**

LOST—Pair of rimless glasses in Crump & Killough case. Leave at News office for reward.

BREAKING LAND—I am breaking land for the public. Can break 70 acres stubble or 50 acres sod in 24 hours. Let me figure on your job. J. H. Turner, phone 10. 23p2

All kinds of Auto Tops made on short notice. A new top on your Dodge or Ford in one hour's time. All work guaranteed.—Thompson Hardware Company. 48tf

WANTED—6 good young milk cows. Fred Ives. p1

STORAGE rooms for rent. Will call for your stuff and store it. R. E. Foster, phone 79 or 81

FOR SERVICE CAR—Call 860. Will meet all train and make country drives. Careful driver. G. M. Goode. tf

NOTICE—The public is hereby notified that positively no permits are to be granted to any person to enter land to haul sand, hunt or for pleasure outings. Notice is given that any person trespassing on my land will be treated without consideration. R. L. McMurtry. 14p4tf

We make every auto top we put on, using nothing but glass in back curtain. A new top on your Dodge or Ford in one hour's time. All work guaranteed. Thompson Hdw. Co. tf

PASTURE—Fresh barley pasture for milk cows, \$1 per week. Geo. Whittenburg, phone 225. 22t2

POSTED—The Timber Creek Pasture is hereby posted and the gates locked. All parties are notified to keep out. The posting is necessary on account of the danger from fire starting from picnic parties. C. O. Keiser. 17t4

If you want to buy or sell real estate, see Foster & Gamble tf

NORTHERN TISSUE—Have you been reading those page ads in the magazines of the Northern Tissue Toilet Paper? You will find this paper at the Randall County News office. It costs a little more, but is the highest grade on the market. tf

WANTED—Competent young lady stenographer wishes half time with Canyon firm while attending the regular session of W. T. S. N. C. Write Box 108, Route 4, Abilene, Texas. 21p4

FARM LOANS—Long time, low rate interest, good options, privilege to pay \$100 or any multiple any year. Do not require school land patented. Z. G. Fogerson. tf

FOR SALE—Adding Machine paper at the News office. Special price made on the case of 100 rolls. tf

It was unfair for England to send Scotch troops into Ireland. Even a Sinn-Fein orator can't talk against a bagpipe.—New York World.

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