

CITY COMMISSION TAKES OFFICE ON MONDAY NIGHT

HOWREN EMPLOYED ENGINEER ON EVELYN PAVING JOB.

Harrison, Thompson and Burrow in Charge City Government—City Manager Not Yet Named.

At the meeting of the city council Monday night the work of the old council was closed and the new commission members were sworn in and took charge of the city affairs.

The city government is now in the hands of Mayor C. N. Harrison and Commissioners T. C. Thompson and C. R. Burrow. Mr. Harrison and Mr. Thompson were members of the outgoing city council, and are therefore thoroughly acquainted with all of the affairs of the city government. Mr. Burrow has been city treasurer for the past two years, and is also well acquainted with the city's business.

Mayor Harrison states that no action has been taken toward the naming of a city manager. This matter will be taken up in the near future. The commission is considering several men for the position.

Mr. Harrison was in Austin last week to appear before the state highway commission regarding aid on the Houston street paving, and succeeded in getting the allowance raised from \$12,500 to more than \$17,000, which is a full 25 percent on the paving allowance, as provided for by the law. Mr. Harrison states that the money will be paid to the city as soon as the district engineer has finally approved the work and signed the final estimates of the contractors. Nearly half of the money has been received.

Mayor Harrison has closed an agreement with W. D. Howren to continue his work as city engineer on the West Evelyn street paving, which will start about the first of June. It is likely that the paving ordinance, making the assessments against the property owners on West Evelyn street will be ready for publication in the News of next week.

Mr. Harrison states that work on the city hall will be started within a short while. The city does not have sufficient brick on hand to finish the new city hall, but these will be shipped within a short while.

Large Number Canyon People Join the Historical Society

L. F. Sheffy and C. R. Burrow were out for a short while Thursday afternoon in the interest of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society and secured more than twenty new members within a very short time.

The Historical Society is doing a very notable work in making a collection of relics of early history in this section, and in getting a great collection of mounted animals and birds which are peculiar to this region.

Cooperating with Mrs. Olive Dixon of Miami, work has been started upon a history of this section, the story of which will be told by the pioneers, such as Col. Chas. Goodnight, who has already contributed very valuable material to the proposed publication.

A large number of Randall county people have been members of the Historical Society during the past two years, and new members were secured Thursday as follows: G. A. Jones, T. R. R. Atkins, O. N. Gamble, H. O. Gamble, Grady Oldham, Lee Foster, T. V. Reeves, T. C. Thompson, H. W. Morelock, John Knight, A. N. Henson, S. B. Orton, S. B. McClure, Dr. Biggers, Dr. Donnell, Dr. Brown, Hud Frichard, J. M. Vetsak, Dan Sanders, C. D. Lester, C. F. Walker.

The dues are \$2.50 per year, and the money is used in procuring more historical material for the museum. C. R. Burrow is treasurer of the Society.

E. M. McCracken Dead
Local members of the Farm Bureau have been advised of the death at Enid, Okla., last Sunday night, of E. M. McCracken, president of the Texas Wheat Growers' Association and also secretary-treasurer for the Southwest Wheat Growers' Association.

Mr. McCracken has been in Canyon several times during the past year in the interest of his work and had many friends and acquaintances in this neighborhood who regret to hear of his passing.

Election on School Taxes Called by Board of Trustees Yesterday

A petition from the tax paying voters was presented to the meeting of the Canyon City Independent School board of trustees yesterday asking that an election be called to vote upon the question of raising the tax rate of the district from the present rate of 75c cents on the \$100 valuations to not more than \$1.00. The board called the election for Saturday, June 2nd.

Those familiar with school affairs realized that when bonds were voted for the new high school building that there would have to be more taxes levied in order to meet the interest on the bonds and to provide funds to retire the same as they became due. A raise in tax rates is much more desirable than to attempt to raise the additional money by increased valuations.

W. E. Heizer Died Saturday After Very Short Illness—Funeral Held

The community was shocked Saturday night to hear of the death of W. E. Heizer who had passed away at the Amarillo sanitarium after an illness of only a few days. Poisoning from the teeth was the cause of his death.

The Heizer family had lived in Canyon for about ten years, and Mr. Heizer was well known all over the county. He was born in Ohio on August 30, 1867, being 55 years, 9 months and 21 days of age at the time of his death. Mr. and Mrs. Heizer came to Texas about 20 years ago.

Mr. Heizer is survived by his aged mother, who lives in Ohio, and a brother, Joe G. Heizer, and a sister, Miss Cora Heizer, both of Georgetown, Ohio, and both of whom arrived Tuesday night to attend the funeral. His wife and two children, Lynn, of this and Mrs. A. E. Terry of Tullia are surviving members of his immediate family. The oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heizer, Mrs. Grady Childress, died about three years ago.

The funeral service was held at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon at three o'clock, being conducted by Rev. A. B. Haynes. Mr. Heizer has been a member of the Christian Church for many years. A large number of friends gathered to pay their respects to the memory of their friend and neighbor and to extend their sympathy to the members of the family who are so sorely grieved over the untimely death of our fellow citizen.

Teachers Must Apply by 20th to Take Examinations by Judge

Judge R. L. Lester has a new ruling on giving examinations which must be kept in mind by teachers contemplating taking the examination given by the County Judge.

The Judge must be notified on the 20th of the month if the teacher wishes to take the examination on the following month. Examinations are given on the first Friday and Saturday of the months.

Previous to this time no notice was necessary in order to take these examinations.

THANKS HER FRIENDS.

I wish to express to my friends my thanks for their many kindnesses during my illness and operation in the Amarillo sanitarium. To one and all I give my very kindest thanks.

BERTIE LEE BURKHALTER.

BRICK MANUFACTURER HERE.

E. A. Eaton, vice president and general manager of the Mineral Wells Brick Company was in the city Monday on business. His plant is furnishing the paving brick for Canyon, and for the city hall and the new building on the east side being built by Dalrymple and Moxley.

The newly organized Chicago Civic Theater Association plans to establish and maintain a theater, wherein plays of the highest standard and significance may be performed by artists who are recognized as having ability and reputation. Free performances will be given Sunday afternoons with a classic play for the public school children of Chicago. A library of drama and art literature, to be known as the Actor's Library, will be maintained in connection with the organization.

SEVERAL COLLEGE TEAMS COMING TO MEET SATURDAY

CLARENDON WILL DEFEND THE LOVING CUP.

Southwestern Oklahoma, Goodwell, Wayland and Military Institute Coming to the Meet.

The biggest Intercollegiate Field and Track meet ever held in the city is staged next Saturday at the College grounds.

The Clarendon Bulldogs have held the loving-cup for two years and should this school win it again Saturday, it becomes their permanent property. The Buffaloes are determined to see that Clarendon is deprived of the ownership of the cup for the coming year.

The Bulldogs report in the daily press a very strong team, and a determination to win the meet Saturday.

Coach Burton of the Buffaloes has had his men hard at work this week, and will put up a strong fight in all of the contests.

The strength of the other team competing is unknown. Southwestern Oklahoma Teachers College is sending a team, likewise the Goodwell, Okla., A. & M. college. New Mexico will be represented by a strong team from the Roswell Military Institute. Wayland is sending a team from the Plainview school.

There will be events in all track and field events, as well as doubles and singles in tennis.

The Buffaloes will play Clarendon in baseball Thursday and Friday.

Amarillo Leaguers Are Too Much for Buffalo Men in Baseball Games

The Buffaloes were defeated in both of the games with the Amarillo Leaguers, the Gassers. The first game was played Thursday afternoon in Amarillo, with a score of 4 to 2 in favor of the leaguers. The Buffaloes gave the Gassers a tough tussle during the entire game.

Monday was blue Monday with the Buffaloes when the Gassers came here for the return game, the Amarillo team getting the big end of a 13 to 1 contest.

Canyon Shrine Pulled Stunt at Ceremonial in Amarillo Tuesday

The spring ceremonial of the Shrine was held in Amarillo Tuesday, and a large delegation from the Canyon Shrine Club attended. The rain in the early afternoon prohibited many from going to the affair.

The Canyon Shrine Club pulled one of the best stunts in the parade. The boys rigged up in costumes used in the recent presentation of The Mikado and put on a Japanese stunt, which caused much favorable comment on the part of the large number of spectators.

Canyon Sending Big Delegation to I. O. O. F. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the I. O. O. F. lodge is being held in Amarillo this week and a large delegation of lodge members from Canyon is attending the meetings.

The Canyon degree team won over the Amarillo degree team by a score of 945 to 940.

BUY FURNITURE TOMORROW.

The school trustees will receive bids Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for the furniture and electrical fixtures of the new high school building.

ATTEND MISSIONARY MEETING

Rev. M. B. Beavers, Mesdames R. M. Gee, J. M. Vetsak, W. J. Flesher and C. W. Warwick left Tuesday for Snyder to attend the Women's Missionary meeting of the Methodist church, Northwest Texas Conference.

SHOT HOLE IN WINDOW.

During Friday night some one shot a hole in the plate glass in M. S. Bishop's new building on the south side of the square. The guilty parties have not been located.

More Than Inch Rain Fell During the Past Week, But Still Cool

Rain has been plentiful during the past week with the following amounts being recorded by the government tests:

Thursday evening—40 inch.
Friday morning—25 inch.
Tuesday afternoon—40 inch.
Last night—50 inch.

There can be no kick about the amount of rain this spring and the frequent intervals, in which the rain has fallen, but the temperature has not been warm enough for the grass and grain crop to grow as rapidly as they might.

Debating Team Will Meet Oklahoma Boys Friday Night

The College debating team composed of Mitchell Jones and Jeff Smith, with Fernan Sawyer, alternate, will meet the team from the Northwestern State Teachers College, Alva, Okla., here Friday night.

The question for debate will be: Resolved, that the United States should join the League of Nations in its present adopted form.

The College boys will have the negative of the question.

The Oklahoma school will be represented by John Hobbs and Roy Lippsett, with Lloyd Conder, alternate.

The judges will be Judge W. C. Boyce of Amarillo, C. A. Fisk of Amarillo and R. A. Underwood of Plainview.

Buffaloes Will Meet Clarendon College Here Today and Friday

The Buffalo baseball team will meet the Clarendon College Bulldogs in two baseball games here this afternoon and Friday afternoon. This will be the first time these teams have met this year.

Clarendon has been playing good ball this spring, breaking about even with the teams the Buffaloes have also played. Comparative scores show the team very evenly matched, and the games should be the best played here this year.

Dr. F. M. Wilson Will Discuss Sanitation at Luncheon Tuesday

At the luncheon of the Randall County Commercial League next Tuesday, Dr. F. M. Wilson will be the leader and will discuss the subject of sanitation.

He has assigned the following subjects for four minute talks:

The fly, its breeding places, dangers and its elimination—L. S. Baker.

What is a sanitary dairy? How constructed and maintained—C. F. Walker.

The necessity of a sanitary cow lot. How constructed and maintained—Dr. Donnell.

How to milk a cow from the sanitary standpoint—Grady Oldham.

What is a sanitary hog pen. How constructed. Where should it be located—D. A. Shirley.

What is a sanitary outdoor closet. How constructed—Dr. Biggers.

Garbage disposal, domestic and municipal—J. M. Vetsak.

A sanitary town: how obtained and maintained—Dr. D. M. Stewart.

The influence of a clean town on personal sanitation—Mrs. J. B. Gamble.

The benefits already derived from our paved streets and their influence on the future development of our town—C. W. Warwick.

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. E. H. J. Andrews, Rector. Fourth Sunday after Easter. Service and Sermon, 7:45 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Italy plans to develop 75 per cent of her available water power within a year. All sources of water power are to be harnessed up so that when water is scarce in the north in winter the power can be conveyed from Central Italy, and in the summer when the water is scarce in the central part of Italy the power can be obtained from the Alpine streams of the north.

AMARILLO HIGH WINS IN CLASS "A" TRACK MEET; McLEAN TAKES CLASS "B"; RECORDS ARE BROKEN

The district meet of the University Interscholastic League held at the West Texas State Teachers' College on last Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21 turned out to be probably the best ever held here, in spite of the big rains Thursday night and Friday morning. At least, better records were made in track and field events than ever before. There were 340 contestants here representing the twenty-three counties of District 1, the largest district in the state. The number of spectators at the literary and athletic contests was estimated to have been between 2500 and 3000 people.

The counties represented were: Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Dalhart, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher and Wheeler.

Organization Was Excellent

With Prof. J. L. Dufflot as Director General, Assistant Dean D. A. Shirley as Director of Athletics, and Coach S. D. Burton as Head Field and Track Judge, the many events of the meet worked in harmony under the almost perfect organization.

The rain greatly interfered with the outdoor events on Friday, but by Saturday the field was in the best of shape. The tennis courts were so heavy Friday that the tennis preliminaries had to be postponed until Saturday afternoon. The track was heavy, also, but not too muddy for the preliminaries in the dashes and hurdles.

Amarillo Wins

Amarillo High School was successful in out-pointing all other schools on the field and won the Class A championship with a total of 50 points. Dalhart came second with 40 points, Canyon third with 14, Herford 12, Clarendon 11, and Pampa 7.

McLean High School scored a total of 33 points which won for her the Class B championship. The other schools and number of points scored follow: Perryton, 20; Claude, 19; Love, 13; Spearman, 9; Lipscomb, 8; Union Hill, 7; Higgins, 5; Booker, 4; Dimmitt, Panhandle, Valley View, Farnsworth and Center Plains 3 each; Huntown and Quitaque, 2 each; and Farwell and Ochiltree, 1 each.

Bennett High Point Man

Bennett of Amarillo was high point man of the Class A division, having won four first places thereby scoring 20 points. Beaver of Perryton was high point man of Class B, having made 15 points by winning first place in three events. Bennett won first in the 100 yard dash, the 220 yard low hurdles, the 220 yard dash, and the broad jump. Beaver won first in the 50, 100, and 220 yard dashes.

The results of the finals in all track and field events follow:

Class A, Track

120 Yard High Hurdles: McQueen, Amarillo; Tadlock, Amarillo; Reynolds, Dalhart; Wall, Amarillo. Time 17.4 sec.

100 Yard Dash: Bennett, Amarillo; Crabtree, Clarendon; Herrington, Amarillo; O'Farrell, Amarillo. Time, 10.8 sec.

1 Mile Run: B. F. Turner, Canyon; Carroll, Herford; Brown, Clarendon; Smith, Amarillo. Time, 5 min. 23.6 seconds.

220 Yard Low Hurdles: Bennett, Amarillo; Holt, Dalhart; Ellison, Herford; O'Farrell, Amarillo. Time, 28 seconds.

440 Yard Dash: Ritchey, Dalhart; Patterson, Herford; Martin, Canyon; Lively, Amarillo. Time, 57.2 seconds.

220 Yard Dash: Bennett, Amarillo; Crabtree, Clarendon; Herrington, Amarillo; Patterson, Herford. Time, 24.4 seconds.

880 Yard Run: Ritchey, Dalhart; Turner, Canyon; Thomas, Amarillo; McCandless, Dalhart. Time, 2 min. 22.4 seconds.

1 Mile Relay: Amarillo: McQueen, Tadlock, Lively, Fields; Pampa, Dalhart, Herford. Time, 3 min. 51 sec.

Class A, Field

Pole Vault: B. Reynolds, Dalhart; Ritchey, Dalhart; Tadlock, Amarillo; Sanders, Canyon. Height, 11 feet.

12 Pound Shot Put: Smart, Dalhart; Herrington, Amarillo; Lewters, Pampa; Reynolds, Dalhart. Distance, 39 feet, 7 inches.

Discus Throw: B. Reynolds, Dalhart; Sanders, Canyon; R. Reynolds, Dalhart; Roberts, Dalhart. Distance, 104 feet, 3 inches.

Running High Jump: Tadlock, Amarillo; Herrington, Amarillo; Posey, Herford; Pace, Amarillo. Height, 5 feet, 6 inches.

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AMARILLO WINS BOYS' DEBATE; TULLIA, GIRLS'

135 PUPILS TOOK PART IN LITERARY PROGRAM HELD IN AUDITORIUM

The Interscholastic League contests in literary events held in the College Auditorium Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21, were thought by many to have been the best ever held here. One hundred and thirty-five high school students entered the fourteen contests in literary events.

Declamations Excellent

A total of 93 boys and girls took part in the eight declamation contests. Many people who heard the declamations said that the speeches were unusually good and far above the average.

The Junior Girls' and Boys' Declamation contests were held Friday night, and the finals for Senior Girls' and Senior Boys' Declamation were held Saturday night.

Mr. F. E. Savage, Director of Declamation, announces the following winners:

Rural Junior Girls: Maggie Scoggins, Mt. Pleasant, Armstrong County; Violet Balthorp, Holt, Hutchinson County; Helen Howard, King, Carson County; and Winnie Pearson, Union Hill, Swisher County, tied.

Rural Junior Boys: Ray Hynds, Conway, Carson County; Sylvan Mardock, New Hope, Ochiltree County; James Handley, Washburn, Armstrong County.

Junior Girls: Edna Galle, Dimmitt; Norma Lee Wilson, Bovina; Fera Smith, Follett.

Junior Boys: Shelby Jersey, Bovina; Moerbe Chadick, Perryton; Bob Flannigan, Dimmitt.

Rural Senior Girls: Malinda Fox, Hart, Castro County; Sibly Witten, King, Carson County; Geneva Warsaw, Wayside, Armstrong County.

Rural Senior Boys: James Whitmire, Adrian, Oldham County; Wayne Eubanks, Lakeview, Armstrong County; Arthur Hamilton, Centerville, Hutchinson County.

Senior Girls: Arless O'Keefe, Panhandle; Gladys Holloway, McLean; Faye Dye, Claude.

Senior Boys: J. D. Gamble, Canyon; Robert McLaughlin, Dalhart; Polk Wells, Miami.

Amarillo Wins Boys' Debate

Amarillo High School, represented by Robert Teed and Eugene Jordan, won over Miami High School, represented by Acie Estes and Robert Robbins, in the finals Saturday night after seven teams had been eliminated in close contests.

Amarillo took the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved, that an amendment to the Texas State Constitution should be adopted providing for a Three-mill tax for the support of the State's higher educational institutions; and that supplementary appropriations by the Legislature should be prohibited."

Tullia Girls Win

In the girls' debate on the same question, the finals of which were held the previous evening in the auditorium, Tullia High School, represented by Theta George and Roberta Hutchinson, won a three to two decision over Pampa High School, represented by Mable Mondy and Bessie Bartram.

The growing interest in the girls' debates is evidenced by the fact that sixteen girls from eight counties entered the meet for district honors.

Three Essay Contests Held

Miss Jennie C. Ritchie, Director of Essays, announced the following last Friday morning as winners of the district essay contests, and immediately mailed the first-place essays to Austin where they will be judged by a committee appointed by the President of the University of Texas for state honors:

Class A High School: Potter County, Donley County, Armstrong County.

Class B High School: Carson County, Gray County, County.

Rural School: Swisher County, Armstrong County.

The names of the winners cannot be announced until after the awards have been made in the state contest.

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THE PRESS MEETING.

The Panhandle Press Association, met in Amarillo Friday and Saturday of last week with one of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings the Association has ever held. The newspaper workers of the Panhandle got much pleasure and profit from the gathering of their fellow craftsmen.

The members were to have enjoyed a banquet at Cousins Hall Friday night, but a two-fifth inch rain Thursday night and a quarter inch rain Friday morning put the roads in such bad shape that it was deemed unadvisable to attempt the trip to Canyon for this feature of the program. Instead of this part of the program, Congressman Marvin Jones and The Daily News gave a banquet for the members of the association at the Amarillo Hotel. Friday noon a luncheon was given by the Amarillo Board of City Development and Saturday noon the association was guest of Colonel Ernest O. Thompson, owner of the Amarillo Hotel. All of these features were most highly enjoyed and appreciated by the members of the large gathering.

Miss Margaret Guenther, accompanied by Miss Pauline Brigham, sang at the banquet Friday night.

The program of the association this year was probably the best in a number of years. Denver Chestnut, president of the State Press Association, Sam P. Harben, secretary of this association, and Sam Fore, past president of the association, graced the Panhandle Press by attending the meeting and added much to the interest of the program. These three gentlemen are recognized as being among the ablest and enterprising newspaper men in Texas.

The big thought of the convention was the possibilities of Amarillo winning the meeting of the State Press Association for 1924. J. L. Nunn, Sam Braswell of Clarendon and C. W. Warwick of this paper were appointed to have charge of Amarillo's campaign for this meeting. Various plans are being worked out. It is expected that about twenty newspaper men from the Plains will be at the state meeting at Galveston the first of June to push the claims of this part of the state for the meeting of the state association to be held in Amarillo in 1924.

Col. Thompson gave the use of his magnificent hotel to the press gang and showed every courtesy possible. He has given a banquet to the press each year since he has been owner of this property, and this year with the big addition opened ready for his guests, the association was taken care of very pleasantly. The meetings were held in the Longhorn Club room.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

- L. P. Loomis, Canadian Record, President.
- J. Claude Wells, Wellington Leader, Vice President.
- C. W. Warwick, Randall County News, Sec'y-Treas.
- J. D. Merrison Jr., Wheeler News, Poet.

In case the state association is induced to come to Amarillo next year, the Panhandle Press will meet in joint session with the state association.

The new city commission is now in power in Canyon and will have to take up the matter of regulating speed within the city, especially upon the paving. Car after car was noted Sunday afternoon making a regular speedway of the new paved streets. Some were home folks, and others were from out of town. One car was badly wrecked Sunday by careless and fast driving. Lives will be in danger if the speed is not regulated. Regulating speed might also be a good way for the city to pay its part of new city paving.

The grain crop is doing fine, but a little warmer weather is needed to make it and the grass grow as rapidly as it might this time of the year.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

MICKIE SAYS—

TH' GUY WHO BORROWS HIS NEIGHBOR'S PAPER IS TH' WORST CRITIC AN' TH' GREATEST KICKER TH' PAPER HAS, BUT WE DON'T GIVE ONE L.L. GOSH-DARN FER HIS OPINION!



GOT AN EYE-OPENER.

The editor of the Denton Record-Chronicle recently paid the Plains section a visit, and he evidently got an eye opener while out here, not the kind that some people think of when "eye opener" is mentioned but a real insight to the greatness of this section of the state and the things that are really going on. He went back home and wrote the following for his paper:

The little town of Canyon is not large as towns go. In the 1920 census, one believes, its population was around 1000. But Canyon is now spending the proceeds of a \$150,000 bond issue for better streets and is putting thru a most ambitious program of brick pavement, which, when it is completed, will give the whole town first-class streets. The city is bearing one-fourth of the cost of paving and the abutting property owners three fourths. Over in Amarillo, which is the present and apparently future metropolis of the great plains country, they have completed twenty-seven miles of paving and are putting down more. They have just occupied probably the biggest and certainly the handsomest public auditorium in Texas, built by city bonds at a cost with the site of \$300,000. They have started on a \$300,000 county hospital and the town is thriving as never before. Plainview, a town considerably smaller than Denton last year completed a \$60,000 city auditorium and is attracting further the attention of its part of the State. Lubbock is growing fast and putting down miles of brick and asphaltic pavement with many new buildings of a substantial type going up. The Plains section of Texas is most attractive. The time long since has passed when it could truthfully be said, as they used to say, that it was the place where one could see furthest and see less than any place in the world. One can still see a long ways, but one cannot avoid seeing many things, because the whole country is settling up fast with a class of wholly desirable citizens. That section has many assets, but one wonders if its greatest asset is not the public-spirited, forward-looking, progressive citizenship of their part of the State.

WHAT KIND OF CITIZENS ARE THEY?

"A dry goods merchant was starting down town when his wife reminded him of his most important duty during the day. 'Now, my dear, be sure and send to the city for that new radio outfit, so we can have it for Sunday. You know our old victrola is getting so that it is not fit to be heard.'"

"Just a few blocks away the merchant who handles victrolas and furniture was sitting at breakfast with his family. The conversation drifted around to the near approach of school. 'And that reminds me, John,' said the lady, who sat at the head of the table, 'I must be going to the city not later than next week. I must get school clothes and see about a fall suit for myself, and while there perhaps I had better see about the new lace curtains for the front windows.'"

"An hour or two later a leading grocer stepped into a bank to buy a draft which he was going to send to a catalogue house for a swell bedroom suite.

"How's business?" asked the banker. "Oh, not so very good," replied the grocer; "things are dull just now."

"Before the banker finished writing the draft a dapper young man with a grip stepped up and asked how everything was. The banker seemed glad to see him. He was a representative of a big printing establishment in another state. He and the banker chatted pleasantly for a few minutes, after which the young man inquired casually of his friend behind the window if he wanted anything. 'Well, yes,' replied the banker. 'I believe I do. Print us 5,000 drafts, 5,000 checks, and a couple thousand letter-heads.'"

"The young man thanked his friend cordially and hustled out.

"That night the local business men had a meeting at the town hall to discuss the growth of the mail order evil. All the gentlemen mentioned in the narrative delivered short talks. They agreed that the farmers were guilty of treason to their home merchants, and the meeting closed by adopting strong resolutions against trading away from home."

—Des Moines Publishers' Review.

Every town in Texas has fire ordinances and a fire marshal whose duty is to see that the ordinances are enforced. It is not a pleasant task, and pays no salary. If the local fire marshal calls attention to some defect in the way the city is managed, he has some of the citizens on his back in a jiffy. In order to get proper fire credits, there must be a local fire marshal who will do this inspecting and report regularly to the state department. Without this local man, Canyon's fire insurance rates would be almost prohibitive. As it is now the city has a very low rate, since local citizens act as marshal and keep down the fire risks. Whenever the marshal calls attention to existing fire risks, he is not doing so to hurt someone's feeling, but for the purpose of making fire insurance rates less for all of the citizens of Canyon.

There is a record acreage of small grain in Randall county this year on account of the fine season. Cotton acreage will be large. Canyon seems to have the best chance of any town for a big gin to handle the cotton crop this fall. An early assurance of a good cotton acreage will increase our chances very materially for this gin. Farmers should notify C. F. Walker as to the acreage they expect to plant—and be sure that none but good seed is planted.

The Kansas City boosters visited Canyon yesterday and highly complimented this town upon its cleanliness. Of course it is the part of a good commercial booster to brag upon every town he visits, but we believe that the words of praise for Canyon rang true in this instance. The paving in Canyon appealed to the Kansas City men and the general cleanliness of the city was highly approved.

A traveling salesman told us the other day that in spite of all the rain, Randall county had the best roads he had traveled during the past few

weeks. Randall county is spending a lot of money trying to keep her roads in good condition, not only for the tourists, but primarily for the benefit of our home people.

SCHOOL AND SOUND CITIZENSHIP

The school must save democracy and civilization for progress by nurturing the constructive impulses of the common man. The greatest safeguard against future wars will be found in the intellectual perception by democracy, and the active participation of the common man in the social and political questions of the day. The school must give the knowledge upon which sound citizenship is founded, and the moral fiber which active citizenship demands.—W. G. Cove, president, National Union of Teachers, England and Wales, Rhondda, Wales.

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FRIDAY SATURDAY MONDAY
April 27 April 28 April 30

Santa Fe Sends Out Folders Showing Advantage of Plains

"The agricultural and live stock resources of the Panhandle and South Plains in northwest Texas are destined to make this section a rich and prosperous one. The development that has already been made is marvelous, but intelligent co-operation the growth will be still greater in the next ten years. The Santa Fe believes strongly in the future of the plains," said Mr. Gallaher. "We recognize the need of more people to develop the rich prairies and we are anxious to help bring them here. We have just published a new descriptive book for the Panhandle and South Plains. This will be distributed in every part of the country."

This folder is well illustrated and handsomely printed. It contains a new map of the Panhandle and South Plains. The book gives a concise story of the development so far, and discusses the various features of soil, climate, healthfulness, crops, markets, and other subjects that interest the homeseeker. The Santa Fe counties are listed, and a lot of official statistics given for each county. A number of pages are devoted to the cities and towns. The book contains fifty-six pages. It may be obtained from T. B. Gallaher, General Freight and Passenger Agent, Amarillo, Texas.

Umbarger Notes

A surprise party was held at the Erdman Hall in celebration of Kate Erdman's birthday.

E. J. Friemel was a business caller in Canyon Saturday.

Paul Artho and family, V. Skypola Jr. and family, Joe Friemel and family spent Sunday at the O. J. Podzemny home.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wick Friday.

Leo Stocker and family spent Sunday at the Clem Friemel home.

Anton Beckman and family spent Sunday at the Nick Hollenstein home.

Mrs. Rose Mingle spent Sunday at the O. J. Podzemny home.

Tiee Hess was a business caller in Canyon Saturday.

C. F. Walker was at the Umbarger school Monday. He has started the children in their club work.

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS OF THE MUSICAL PUBLIC

How are you? I hope to meet you real soon. Do not let any one make you believe I am not coming for I surely will come to Canyon in July to see to your pianos. It will not be necessary to write each of you individually as the paper will sure reach all of you. I appreciate your patronage, and will try to please you as in the past.

C. DAUGHTRY.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Randall. In the County Court of Potter County, Texas.

Amarillo Hardware Company, A Private Corporation, vs. James Dobbs, Defendant.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Potter County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1922, in favor of the said Amarillo Hardware Company, and against the said James Dobbs, No. 2397 on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1923, at 9 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land, situated in the County of Randall, State of Texas, and belonging to the said James Dobbs, to-wit:

Section No.	Certificate No.	Abstract No.	Block No.	No. of Acres
176	1-122	1363	9 B. S. & F.	655
11	1-626	126	8 1/2 B. S. & F.	320
13	1-627	127	9 B. S. & F.	480
7	1-82	92	11 B. S. & F.	640
1	1-550	93	11 B. S. & F.	572
3	1-551	94	11 B. S. & F.	655
5	1-552	95	11 B. S. & F.	640
173	1-121	120	9 B. S. & F.	655
175	1-122	121	9 B. S. & F.	655
177	1-123	122	9 B. S. & F.	655
199	1-124	124	9 B. S. & F.	655
2	1-550	1243	11 B. S. & F.	655
00	1-62	1272	7 B. S. & F.	640
198	1-133	1313	9 B. S. & F.	655
174	1-121	1312	9 B. S. & F.	655
172	1-120	1299	9 B. S. & F.	655
6	1-552	1297	7 B. S. & F.	579
4	1-551	1296	W 1/2 11 B. S. & E.	320
4	1-551	1296	E 1/2 11 B. S. & F.	288 1/4
2	214	1240	5 1/2 B. & B.	428 1/4
200	1-134	1242	9 B. S. & F.	655
12	1-626	1241	8 B. S. & F.	320
59	1-62	75	7 B. S. & F.	320
1	214	71	5 1/2 B. & B.	425.40
3	845	46	5 1/2 A. B. & M.	422.25

a total acreage of 13,000.15 acres, and on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1923, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said date, at the courthouse door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the said James Dobbs in and to said property, subject to outstanding liens and subject to delinquent taxes, if any.

Dated at my office in Canyon, Randall County, Texas, this the 26th day of March, A. D. 1923.

W. C. BLACK, Sheriff of Randall County, Texas.

Wheat Growers Hold Election Tuesday; Hicks is Director

The Texas Wheat Growers' Association held their annual election for directors, Tuesday, April 24th. W. H. Hicks was nominated and unanimously elected for director of District No. 11. Mr. Hicks is well known throughout the county. He formerly owned and managed the elevator in Canyon which he conducted for many years. Two years ago he sold his property in Canyon, and is now trying to raise wheat on a farm. The Texas Wheat Growers Association should be congratulated on having such a capable man as Mr. Hicks for director. Mr. Hicks is not only a honest, hard working dirt farmer, but he also has a great deal of practical business sense.

The Texas Wheat Growers have so far received 95c per bushel for wheat delivered, and they have an additional payment yet to receive, which will be paid on June 1st. The total amount then received per bushel will be more than any local elevator offered. The past year is the first year that the Texas farmers have sold their wheat, and we are entirely satisfied and proud of our initial success in the line of co-operative marketing. Other farmers of Randall county should come on and join the co-operative organization, so that we may not only raise wheat but that we may also actually sell it.

For any information, literature, or contracts, write to Texas Wheat Growers' Association, Amarillo, Texas.

—A Booster.

DEEDS FILED LAST WEEK IN COUNTY

The following deeds as furnished the News by the Randall County Abstract Company, have been recorded in the County Clerk's office:

Mary Elizabeth Lester to Canyon City Independent School District, west half block 9, and all block 15, Heller addition to Canyon, Consideration, \$1,300.

Mrs. E. F. Cronister to W. J. Flesher, lots 8, 9, 10, block 21, Canyon City, Consideration, \$3,000.

We pay taxes to support job holders to see that we pay taxes to support job holders.—Vallejo Chronicle.

Germany will agree to any form of debt settlement that doesn't involve paying it.—New York Tribune.

Child-birth

Valuable Illustrated Book Sent Free

How thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment. Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during pregnancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. E. Kerger, Clayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradford Regulator Co., B.A.-35, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all drug stores.

WET COURTS DELAY TENNIS BUT OLD SOL BRINGS TIMELY WARMTH

With courts standing in water and a damp east wind threatening more rain, Harper Allen and his assistants were faced Friday with the dilemma of holding the entries of several dozen tennis players without a place to play. But on Saturday morning a hot sun with a drying breeze soon had an up-town court in suitable playing condition, and one of the features of the meet got under way. Saturday afternoon three courts were used after they had been dried by burning oil over them. The finals were completed Sunday morning.

In the finals, Robert Axtell of Amarillo defeated Aubrey Guthrie of Texline, 6-2, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2, for the Boys' Singles championship.

Miss Flora Philpott of Miami in the Girls' Singles defeated Miss Yeva Daniels of Texline, 6-2, 8-6.

The Amarillo team, composed of Frank Jones and Newton Riggs, won over J. W. Walker and Lester Brummett of Claude for the Boys' Doubles title.

Misses Enla Smalley and Margaret Moore of Claude won the Girls' Doubles trophy by winning in straight sets from Miss Mary McDonald and Miss Joe Vassey of Bovina.

Both Singles champions were winners last year, and neither faced serious difficulties, although many of the matches were stubbornly fought. The general character of the tournament showed some improvement over last year, especially the Singles and the Girls' Doubles.

The following schools entered teams:

Boys' Singles: White Deer, Canadian, Amarillo, Pampa, Miami, Claude, Perryton, Texline.

Girls' Singles, McLean, Miami, Fallett, Tulia, Claude, Texline.

Boys' Doubles: Higgins, White Deer, Holt, Amarillo, Pampa, Miami, Hereford, Farwell, Claude, Happy, Texline.

Girls' Doubles: Hereford, Bovina, Claude, Texline, White Deer, Amarillo, McLean, Miami, Tulia, Canyon.

FIELD DAY PROGRAM

Field Day was observed Sunday at the Methodist Sunday School with a program which lasted during the Sunday School and church hours. The following were numbers on the program:

"This is God's House"

Prayer

Junior Department Scripture Lesson, Psalms 17

Tolbert-Williams

Songs:

"Sing a Song of Seasons"

"Pit-a-Pat"

"Little Brown Seed"

"God is Love"

Primary Department

"An Invitation"

Ruby Foster

"Jesus Loves Me"

"Our Cradle Roll"

Mary Ella Flesher and Cradle Roll Department

"God Gives us the Glorious Springtime"

Helen Johnson

"Suffer the Little Children"

Dannie Mack Stewart and Junior Department

"Hullo"

Sam Walter Foss

Wanda Cain

"Blossom Bells"

Junior Department

"What Sunday School Means to Me"

Effie Lou Dickey

"What Sunday School Means to Me"

George Terry

Selection by Orchestra

"The Value of a Teacher Training Course"

T. A. Fritts

"What a Sunday School Superintendent Should Expect of his Teachers"

L. F. Sheffy

Offering

COME! HAVE SOME FUN

Laugh two hours and help build the new Methodist Church.

Three, one act plays. "Joint Owners in Spain." (Comedy). "A Thief in the House." (Comedy). "Who Kissed Barbara?" (Farce).

Monday, May 7, 8 p. m. at the Methodist Church. Admission 25c and 35c.

The trouble with blind love is that it doesn't stay that way.—Washington Post.

"The balance of power" has been succeeded by the balance of weakness.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

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CANYON, TEXAS

LITTLE WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

Happy Happenings

Mrs. A. L. Harrison and Miss Ethel Sanford left Tuesday morning for Snyder where they will be delegates representing the W. M. S. and the Y. W. M. S. of the Happy Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Gillham went to Plainview Thursday where Mrs. Gillham's brother-in-law was operated on. She remained with her sister until Sunday.

Mrs. Gladys Arnold and little son of Petrolia, are visiting Mrs. Arnold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Neff and family.

Mrs. S. M. Swearingen was in Canyon Thursday night.

Curtis Creighton of Slaton spent the week end here with friends.

Misses Gladys Bandy and Zeyla McDonald spent Sunday with Hazle Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sims spent the week end in Hereford with Mrs. Sims' folks, Mr. and Mrs. Milt O'Rear and family.

A. J. Harrison and W. T. Townsend were in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lash visited near Tulia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Rahlf's were shopping in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Penrod of Miffler Wells are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Toles.

Mrs. J. E. Gurley and Geo. Cook were Tulia callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Newberry and Mrs. C. L. Grounds went to Amarillo Tuesday to attend the Shriners meeting there.

Mrs. D. H. Culton and daughter, Doris, spent the week end here. Helen Rahlf's returned to Tulia to spend the week.

Tom Bandy was in Hereford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Akers returned to their home here Tuesday from the northern states where they have been visiting for a few months.

Mrs. C. Shuman returned from Paducah Sunday where she has been visiting the past week with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Biggs.

Mrs. Ethel Black of Canyon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Newberry.

Miss Hannah Swearingen spent the week end here in the S. M. Swearingen home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Garrison are the proud parents of a baby girl born Tuesday, April 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson were callers in Hereford last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Newberry of Tulia spent the week end here in the parental C. L. Grounds home.

Misses Vellie and Ruth Dison of Silvertown spent the week end here. Emit Grounds accompanied them to Silvertown Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Laroe and daughters, Hallie and Myrtle of Tulia spent the week end here with their daughter, Mrs. Ethel Wesley and children.

Lester Turner and Harley Burrs of Canyon visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Strong returned to her home here Thursday morning from Dallas.

Mrs. Mary Cook is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Culton in Tulia this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Toles and Mr. and Mrs. Penrod were Amarillo callers Tuesday.

Miss Eva McManigal spent the week end in Canyon with her sister, Miss Mildred McManigal.

A large number of people attended the District Interscholastic League meet at Canyon Friday and Saturday.

Miss Mayme Hoffman entertained quite a few of her friends at the J. L. Kuper home with a birthday party Saturday night. The evening was spent in playing amusing games. At a late hour refreshments of sandwiches, hot chocolate and ice cream were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White and Mrs. W. B. Walters were Canyon callers Monday.

Dave Currie of Amarillo is here on business this week.

Lois Whitley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Edith Bandy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. White and family spent Sunday in Canyon at the Bob Stratton home.

B. B. Gist was an Amarillo caller Wednesday.

Mrs. Charlie McCarty of Amarillo is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. H. Bellas, who has been quite ill but is better at the present.

A program will be given next Monday night, April 30th, at the school auditorium by the sixth and seventh grades, under the supervision of their teacher, Mrs. H. A. Grounds.

Harold and Frances Stephenson entertained quite a number of their friends Sunday afternoon. Those pres-

ent were: Arnel Townsend, Muriel Miller, Pansy Arnold, Ruth Harrison, Charley Evans, Bert Lemons, Alton Hall, and Herman and Vernon Miller. A program will be given Friday night at the Auditorium by the fourth and fifth grades of the public school under the supervision of Miss Ella Alkman.

Lloyd Whitman had the misfortune of getting his ankle dislocated last Saturday as he jumped from a barn. He is improving nicely.

Mr. Maynard of Tulia has opened a poultry and egg market in the front part of the telephone building. He also does shoe and harness repairing.

Wayside Items

Rev. Griffin delivered a good sermon Sunday morning to a good crowd. It was the closing of the revival. Three admissions to the church. B. Y. P. U. Sunday night led by Leta Gillham. A good crowd out but a number of members absent. Everyone try and come next Sunday night. Kelly McGehee leader.

Marvin C. Sinder returned home Tuesday from Ponca City, Okla., where he has been at work.

Bill Stocket is recovering nicely from the wounds he received in a car wreck some days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee visited relatives in Canyon Monday.

W. R. Franklin and family were Happy callers Saturday afternoon.

J. W. McCreery was in Happy caller Saturday.

J. M. McGehee is on the sick list. He was taken to Canyon last week where he is under treatment of a physician.

Birdie Lou Lane visited home folks Saturday night and Sunday.

W. I. Lane and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby and Geneva Watson attended the track meet at Canyon last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin and little daughter, Fannie May, were business callers at Canyon Monday.

TOPICS IN BRIEF

Notice how polite the coal man is getting.—Wall Street Journal.

Last year there were one million marriages in the United States and only 125,000 divorces. Moral: It is safe to take a chance.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

Wall Street men can follow the Egyptian styles by pyramiding their stocks.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

In the old days they put citizens in jail for debt, but an Arkansas town is putting its citizens in debt for a jail.—Calgary Herald.

Cuban sugar raisers may have something to do with it, but the real mischief is being done by American price raisers.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

What is the use of a third party when the country does not know what to do with the two parties it has on hand.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

Starting to California to enter the movies three eighteen year old Chicago girls landed in jail in Kansas City, Missouri. Maybe, they were lucky, after all.—Marion Star.

It's certainly tough to have to keep on paying installments on a war debt we aren't using any more.—New York Tribune.

What we think of the departing winter would best be phrased by General Dawes.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

A common interest would keep the nations at peace, and even common honesty would be a great help.—Long Beach Telegram.

Canary birds have to demonstrate their ability to sing before they can be imported into this country. What a pity that doesn't apply also to imported opera singers.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS

LIKE KIDS! THE LITTLE FOLKS WE SEE GOING TO SCHOOL WILL BE RUNNING OUR TOWN IN A FEW YEARS! OUR SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS HAVE AN ENORMOUS RESPONSIBILITY AND WE SHOULD SHOW AN INTEREST IN THEIR WORK AND GIVE THEM OUR SUPPORT! YES, SIR!



Pleasantview Items

Farmers are busy plowing the land. We have had lots of rain and the ground is in very good shape.

Dave Covington was in Happy Sunday.

W. E. Tucker and family moved from our neighborhood to Canyon Monday and Tuesday.

Milton Dooley, Tom Reddell and Dave Covington attended the sale at Clint Bybee's Tuesday.

Rev. Johnnie Jenkins preached a good sermon to about forty people Sunday night. We decided to meet next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and sing, and to organize a Sunday School. Everyone is urged to come and take part in our Sunday School and singing. Mrs. Dave Covington is our pianist and Mrs. Milton Dooley has charge of the singing. Come and bring some one with you.

The treasures of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts are guarded each night by two giant police dogs who are trained to refuse to accompany anyone but the watchman who has charge of them. At intervals each night they are led through the darkened galleries. All employees have been cautioned against remaining in the building after hours because of the danger of attack by the powerful canines. But for the intervention of the watchman recently, an official of the museum, who stayed until late in the evening, would have been torn to pieces.

Badgers live in the chalk cliffs of the British Isles and destroy much game while foraging at night. Badger hunting, or digging, is a novel sport, for it entails following the badger into its lair deep in the ground. Extensive galleries with many ramifications are revealed in the chalk cliffs where for thousands of years the animals have been burrowing and excavating the soil.

To eliminate the unintelligible calling of railroad stations by hoarse-voiced passenger train conductors, a device in Prague automatically displays electric-illuminated signs in cars just before the arrival at each station.

Bees have hived in the head of the Henry Clay statue in the cemetery at Lexington, Kentucky.

Wilson Dots

Mrs. Leland Graves spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. L. E. Simms.

W. F. Mayfield spent Sunday afternoon with Hugo Skarke.

Mrs. Mabel Bagley and Lonnie Mae are spending the week at the L. E. Simms home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tucek entertained the following Sunday: Agnes and Irene Hicks, Elizabeth Morris, Elizabeth Hancock and Anna Marie Staub, Howard and Wilson Hicks, James and Donald Hancock, George Williams, Joseph Franks, Albert, Herman and George Staub, Mr. and Mrs. Staub, Mr. and Mrs. Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. Skarke, in honor of Harry Tucek's 16th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Thornton and family spent Sunday afternoon at the Neil home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Covington spent the week end with S. F. Foster.

A roof over the Chicago River 10 miles in length, carrying boulevards, parks, garages and oil filling stations, has been proposed as the solution of Chicago's traffic problem. The roof would be 200 feet wide, of nine-inch concrete supported on concrete piling sunk into the river bed. On the roof would be two sidewalks, 15 feet wide; two boulevards, 50 feet wide, and a vacant space in the center, 70 feet wide. The proposed plan would not interfere with river traffic as it would be constructed from 20 to 30 feet above the surface of the water.

The World Prohibition and Reform Federation is an organization formed by the merging of the International Reform Bureau and the World Prohibition Federation. It was announced that the aims of the federation were "to add to the happiness of America and to develop such an understanding between the nations of the earth that as a result the whole world might be educated to the co-operative task of eliminating all causes that produce misunderstandings and result in wars."

Because he had no money a young Canadian from Alberta, 18 years of age, was turned back at the American side of the international bridge in Niagara Falls, New York. He then climbed to the network of steel girders beneath the bridge and walked across the Niagara River, 150 feet above the water on an iron beam 12 inches wide. Thousands of tourists viewed the rash act and customs officers escorted him back to Canada.

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THE AMBITION OF HIS LIFE

Hereford sat next to a soulful poetess at dinner one night, and that dreamy one turned her sad eyes upon him. "Have you no other ambition, Mr. Herford," she demanded, "than to force people to degrade themselves by laughter?"

Yes, Herford had an ambition. A whale of an ambition. Some day he hoped to gratify it.

The woman rested her elbows on the table and propped her face in her long, sad hands, and glowed into Mr. Herford's eyes. "Oh, Mr. Herford," she said, "Oliver! Tell me about it."

"I want to throw an egg into an electric fan," said Herford, simply.

The heavy gypsy earrings of the latest fashion in London are stretching the ears of women who wear them into triangular shapes, and permanently disfiguring them. Some of the earrings weigh four ounces. Paris women are wearing earrings attached to their hats or evening head-dresses.

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SUBSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN

Postponed Until May 1st.

Owing to the continued rains this week, the Woman's Auxiliary of the Methodist church believed it advisable to not start the subscription campaign for the Randall County News until next week.

The News is offering this Auxiliary commissions on subscriptions taken for our paper for one, two and three years at our regular subscription rate of \$1.50 per year.

The women of the church are using this money to pay their \$2,000.00 pledge to the New Methodist Church Building, work on which will start within a short while.

You will help very materially in building this new church by paying your subscription to the News for two or three years in advance.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. G. M. Goode went to Hartley Tuesday to visit her daughters, Misses Agnes and Margaret, who are teaching at that place.

Mrs. L. G. Conner visited Florence Taylor in Amarillo Monday.

Roscoe Davidson of Hereford was a Canyon visitor Tuesday.

C. F. Rudolph and son, Clare, of Stratford, visited at the Dan K. Usery home Friday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Bray at Turkey, Texas, on April 12. Mrs. Bray is the daughter of Mrs. Marion Dillon of this city.

J. T. Burnett and daughter, Ruth, of Lockney were in the city Monday on business.

Edward Gerald is on a crutch this week as the result of breaking a small bone in his ankle.

E. A. (Bud) Harris from Post, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. E. A. Driyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Black of Hereford visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pritchard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland McFarling of Channing visited Mrs. Elmer Pritchard Sunday.

Mrs. Kingsley went to the sanitarium in Amarillo last week to have her hand treated for blood poison.

Miss Mildred Taylor returned to her school work at Jowell, after a week's absence on account of the sickness of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Nester Gass of Hereford visited in Canyon Sunday.

Miss Opal Helton of Channing is visiting friends in Canyon this week.

Miss Birdie Lee Burkhalter came from the sanitarium Friday where she has been for the past two weeks.

Mrs. J. D. Curtisinger, Mrs. Boyd London, Mrs. Chris Renfro and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cloyd of Hereford visited Mrs. P. V. Winstead Monday afternoon, also attended the ball game between Amarillo and Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCarty of Amarillo visited at the parental W. F. Baird home from Friday to Sunday.

Hall insurance. S. B. McClure.

Mrs. Arthur Cross visited in Clarendon the last of the week. She attended the convention of the Federated Women's Clubs while there.

Mrs. L. F. Sheffy visited Thursday and Friday in Plainview.

W. W. Stephenson and family of Tulla visited here with friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gano of Floydada spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Beavers of Woodward, Okla., are visiting at the home of their son, Rev. M. M. Beavers.

Editor and Mrs. B. O. Brown and family of Electra visited over Sunday at the J. C. Pipkin home.

Edwin McReynolds of Wichita Falls is spending a few days here with his mother, Mrs. J. L. McReynolds.

We are handling butter from TESTED COWS, made by A. E. Haynes and John Vetsak. Vetsak Market, phone No. 12.

R. I. Graves left Saturday for Whitesboro where he is spending a few days.

John Toles and J. I. Penrod of Happy were here Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Penrod returned last week from Mineral Wells where they spent the winter. They will soon return to Canyon.

Mrs. Ross Edwards and daughters of Lubbock are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Lester.

C. A. Knapp of Plainview was here Monday on business.

Mrs. C. A. Workman and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Plainview spent Sunday at the J. C. Pipkin home.

Cyrus Eakman of Amarillo spent Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. A. Brown.

S. A. Babink, section foreman of the Santa Fe, returned last week from Miami where he has been bossing an extra gang for a few weeks.

John W. Sherman of Denver visited this week at the home of his brother, J. W. McQueen. Mr. Sherman was formerly a banker in Hereford, and is well known to many people in Canyon.

Russia Emerges Faces Period of Impoverishment



Colonel William N. Haskell, director of the Russian operations of the American Relief Administration, recently announced, from his office in Moscow, that although great poverty still exists and will continue to exist in Russia, the need of actual famine relief, as distinct from a general level of poverty, was at an end and that for the future reconstruction aid was required. Secretary Hoover, Chairman of the A. R. A. which with its co-operating bodies has saved the lives of some 11,000,000 Russians by administering food and medical relief to the value of some \$9,000,000 since the signing of the Riga agreement, in August, 1921, and which has undertaken to feed up to 3,000,000 children until the next harvest, says that "if the next harvest is successful the continued shipment, even of special foods for children, should not be necessary." While recognizing the great need of reconstructive measures, Secretary Hoover sets forth clearly the position of the American Relief Administration, which "being an emergency organization solely for famine, it cannot undertake reconstruction." "It is impossible," Mr. Hoover writes, "to picture adequately the complete impoverishment of a great nation. The war, the revolution, the blockade, the great climatic famine of last year, the trial and failure of communism—all have combined to project a misery and impoverishment the most awful of modern history. "The terrible famines and epidemics have been stemmed through the great relief campaign and the improved harvest of last August. There are some signs of renewed national life from the changes in economic policies, yet standards of living are still the lowest in the civilized world, disease is rife and mortality is high. "The Russian people must work out all these problems in their own way. All that charitable relief can hope to do is lift special groups from utter destitution up to the level of the general poverty. "The first phase of relief—the shipment of food—will, I hope, be over with the next harvest, although this depends upon the harvest itself. The other forms of relief—medical, poverty, reconstruction—will deservingly pull upon the heartstrings of charity for many years to come and offer an ample field for those who can devote themselves to such work, for the terrible suffering of a great people groping for freedom from centuries of wrong must enlist the sympathy of every well-thinking person."

B. S. U. in "Boone To Europe" Campaign Last Week

Because the Baptist World Alliance which soon convenes in Europe is influential in denominational work of all kinds and offers unusual opportunities to delegates, the Baptist Student Unions of Texas last week put on campaigns to collect sufficient funds to send their General Secretary, Dr. Joseph P. Boone, to the Alliance, the Holy Land, and other points of interest in the Old World. Miss Mae Simmons, president of the College B. S. U., assisted by Miss Elva Fronabarger, Baptist Student Secretary for this district, managed the campaign here last week. A good sum was raised and forwarded to the Dallas office. Dr. Boone will sail with one of the parties that have been organized, and will assuredly have an enjoyable trip, although the aim will be to get the student opportunities and view points of other lands.

Mrs. Trowbridge was called to Nebraska Wednesday by the illness of her sister.

During the last year \$500,000 was expended on construction of graveled roads in Alaska, most of the work being done on the Glacier National Highway.

Hall insurance. S. B. McClure.

R. K. Atkinson of the Russell Sage Foundation, says, "We are rapidly becoming a nation of bleacherites, because we have too much temptation and too much encouragement to be passive participants in recreation—to listen, and watch, and not perform. And all the while, we are piling up emotional stimulus, and repressing it."

Tractors are replacing the dog sledge trains in the spring rush to the Yukon this year. The first tractor train, consisting of a 10-ton hauler with three trailers, was made up at White Horse recently for the 300-mile trip to Mayo. Tractors are also being pressed into service to carry ore from the Keno Hill silver mines to Mayo Landing.

The Chicago Motor Club has a fleet of motor cycle riders who pick up broken glass on the streets when they receive a call.

Hall insurance. S. B. McClure.

There are 42 persons drawing pensions for the War of 1812. All these pensioners are women. Hiram Cronk, of Ava, New York, was the last soldier actually on the rolls of that war. He died in 1905.

An oil purifier, built on the same principle as a cream separator, takes the dirt out of used oil, much as a cream separator takes the cream from milk.

TOPICS IN BRIEF.

According to a recent estimate England has 928 poets, three of whom have not lectured in this country.—New York Tribune.

The Ku Klux Klan is said to be entering the universities. Probably it wants to get a few tips on real hazing.—New York Evening Post.

"Life-terms inherits fortune." Isn't that nice? Now he can get a lawyer, an incurable disease, and a pardon.—San Jose Evening Post.

Missionaries must hurry if they would get Africa sufficiently civilized to furnish troops for the Christian nations.—Fort Smith Times-Record.

Russian Reds now talk of colonizing in other countries. Their official records, however, show that they're mighty poor settlers.—Manila Bulletin.

What we can't understand is why statesmen never seem so wise in Congress as they seem on a Chautauqua platform.—Kitchener (Ont.) Daily Record.

The outlook in the automobile trade is excellent as there are still thousands of houses that haven't been mortgaged to buy cars.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.

Rubber production in the Philippines, it appears, will be largely dependent upon whether the investors can get labor to work for a stretch.—Manila Bulletin.

College life is becoming more effeminate every day. Students of the University of Kentucky have been compelled by the faculty to turn in their revolvers.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.

'Twould-be impossible to isolate the United States. The European lecturers would find their way here.—Toledo Blade.

We note that President Harding has been fishing but not shooting. No doubt he thinks there are lame ducks enough.—Cleveland Times.

Perhaps the news that Lord Robert Cecil was coming to this country was what persuaded H. Johnson to go to Europe.—New York Tribune.

Dr. Nansen says the Russian Soviet Government needs money. That's strange; it has printed more money than any other country.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.

Due to the fall in the value of the mark, cash registers are now useless in Germany.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook never seems to be able to hit it off with his own Government. First they disagreed as to the North Pole and now it is Texas oil.—New York Evening Post.

The Caspian Sea is 84 feet below sea level.

A municipal ordinance in Amsterdam forbids that one front door shall give entrance to more than nine flats, and one staircase to more than six flats.

Volstead's colleagues, when he retired from Congress, presented him with a watch. It was probably a Waterbury.—Charleston Gazette.

When a labor leader dines with a king, it shows that even in this democratic age royalty hasn't lost its social standing.—Kingston (Ont.) Whig.

France thinks that Germany will make overtures, but it must be remembered that an overture is but a small part of the whole score.—Manila Bulletin.

There is one telephone for every eight persons in this country—and, nine times out of ten, two of the other seven are using it when we need it.—Tampa Tribune.

It's a hard world. Your friends won't believe you make as much as you say you do, and the Government won't believe you make as little.—Manitoba Free Press.

A miniature engine, whose power was generated by the rays of the sun, was successfully demonstrated in an eastern college recently. A parabolic copper mirror focused the rays upon a test tube of water, the heat caused the steam which in turn operated the tiny motor at a high rate of speed.

The reasoning probably is that if a diplomat of the United States were not permitted to have his liquor, it would not be long before he'd cease to be a diplomat.—Manila Bulletin.

A New York rabbi says he has discovered that the world is 7,400 years old. But how could it have got itself in such a fix in such a short length of time.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.



FOR SALE BY RANDALL COUNTY NEWS

Advertisement for The First State Bank, Canyon, Texas. Includes text: 'Open a Checking Account', 'Do not get the impression that it takes a great deal of money to have a checking account...', 'The First State Bank Canyon Texas', and 'State Guaranty Fund Bank A GOOD COMBINATION Member Federal Reserve System'.

Large advertisement for Firestone tires. Features the headline 'Firestone Will Not Increase Prices on Solid and Pneumatic Truck Tires Until May 1st'. Includes text: 'Never has Firestone been so well situated to give operators the greatest measure of Cushion, Traction and Mileage at the lowest cost.', 'Truck owners, using pneumatic tires, will find the answer to every demand of rapid, economical transportation in the Firestone Truck Type Cords with the tread that increases carrying capacity and improves traction...', and 'Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio'.

Kansas City Boosters Visited Canyon Yesterday 35 Minutes



N. N. DALTON
President, Chamber of Commerce,
Kansas City.

Kansas City business men to the number of 125 visited Canyon yesterday, arriving right on time at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

The stop here was one of sixty-four stops to be made on a 2446 mile tour that these representatives of Kansas City business houses are making under the auspices of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce through Colorado, New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, and Kansas.

It is the Thirty-Second Annual Trade Extension Trip of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce. N. N. Dalton, President of the Chamber, headed the party, along with F. J. McGinley, Chairman of their Trade Extension Committee.

The party was made up of manufacturers, wholesalers, bankers, live stock and grain men. Their slogan is "Out to meet old friends and make new ones."

The special train was met by the College band, the high school students, and scores of citizens of Canyon who showed the visitors every hospitality during the 35 minute stay in the city.

The town was flooded with souvenirs which were freely distributed by the Kansas City bunch.

THANK GOODNESS

Nurse: "Did the doctor take your temperature?"

Lowbrow: "I don't think so! All I've missed so far is my watch."—The Gargoyle.

Balance of power might wait for balance of budgets.—Wall Street Journal.

As clear as the purest water is Liquid Borozone, yet it is the most powerful healing remedy for flesh wounds, sores, burns and scalds that medical science has ever produced. Try it. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by City Pharmacy. 114

Watch your pimples vanish

Why? Pimple-Poison goes when Red-Blood-Cells increase! S. S. S. builds these Red-Blood-Cells!

You can be sure of this, nature has no substitute for red-blood-cells. Pimple-poison can't live in the red rivers of your blood as long as there are



Every woman, every man, can now have a face clear as a Snow-Petal! enough rich red-blood-cells in it. More red-blood-cells! That is what you need when you see pimples staring at you in the mirror. Blackheaded pimples are worse! Eczema is worse yet! You can try everything under the sun,—you'll find only one answer more cell-power in your blood! The tremendous results, produced by an increase in red-blood-cells is one of the A. B. C.'s of medical science. Red cells mean clear, pure, rich blood. They mean clear, ruddy, lovable complexions. They mean nerve power, because all your nerves are fed by your blood. They mean freedom forever from pimples, from the blackhead pest, from boils, from eczema and skin eruptions, from rheumatic impurities, from that tired, exhausted, run-down feeling. Red-blood-cells are the most important thing in the world to each of us. S. S. S. will build them for you. S. S. S. has been known since 1826, as one of the greatest blood-builders, blood-cleansers and system strengtheners ever produced. S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores. The large size bottle is more economical.

S.S.S. makes you feel like yourself again

Bankruptcy, Treason and Public Schools

When American civilization goes on the rocks and her commercial prosperity and wealth are destroyed, the teachers of the public schools will be blamed for the catastrophe and rightly so. Teachers are not to be blamed for the awful wreck in Russia for Russia has never had free education. Neither are they to blame for the dense ignorance, blighting poverty and lack of initiative in Mexico, because Mexico has as yet hardly begun to establish supported public schools.

The public school teachers of Texas are employed and paid by the State to do the specific work which will guarantee the perpetuity of the State. Education is a State problem, made so by our constitution, which the State cannot dodge without jeopardizing its own life. Expressing figuratively a concrete fact, these same teachers build and protect the very foundation upon which our commercial prosperity and the safety of our wealth rests. They erect and maintain the wall which guards both our wealth and our homes against communism and all other forms of poverty-breeding anarchy.

The schools are not run for the benefit of the teachers as such, but we teachers as such are treasonably inefficient and should be removed from our offices instant when we fail to resist the efforts of those who would take away from us the tools, the fuel and the ammunition with which we work and fight to protect the lives, the spiritual and intellectual freedom, and the property of our citizens.

Why should teachers be cursed and abused when they seek to protect faithfully your children and your wealth? They know that for every million dollars invested in public education the earning capacity of the students is increased approximately five million. The proof based on averages is irrefutable. They know that Texas is wealthy beyond comprehension.

Roger Babson's report shows that purchases in Texas last year aggregated \$12,785,000,000. They know that the HONEST business man who opposes liberal support of education has not yet learned that ignorance and poverty walk hand in hand the world over and that education and wealth productivity are likewise co-ordinate and concomitant facts. They know that Texas loses annually fully thirty million dollars because of illiteracy in this State.

Furthermore, we know that to weaken the support of public education is to dig the very foundations from under the wall which even now hardly protects us from the menace of radicalism which threatens all private property. The teachers stand for honest and fair dealing, for industrial and commercial prosperity, for the blessings of spiritual, intellectual, and physical

freedom. We mean to do our work as well as is possible with the funds provided. We earnestly request that you will let your Representative and Senator in Austin know at once that the schools must be given ample funds and that failure to do so can hardly be excused.

Yes, the schools can be administered more efficiently and more economically but not until the patrons will permit the necessary changes. Reorganization of a school so as to use the plant all of the time and most economically cannot be accomplished until a majority of the patrons will consent to it.

The fellow who purposely punctures his own tires is a wise man compared to the fellow who cripples public education.—R. T. Ellis.

Tennis Men Ready For Tournaments

When the curtain rises on the tennis tournament next Saturday afternoon, the spectators should see some smashing matches. Our players will be experienced, and all are men who wield a mighty racket. Clarendon College has been turned back three times in as many years, and if our boys play their usual game, C. C. will again return without a victory. New Mexico Military Institute sends a tennis team this year.

Elimination of aspirants for places on our teams is going forward. In the doubles, Bourland and Allen look like strong contenders. Bourland barely lost the local singles championship last year, and this season has shown great improvement. Allen is a veteran of several seasons' experience, a member of last year's doubles team, and plays a terrific game. Younger and Jenkins will compose a strong team with a varied style of play. Younger was a member of our doubles team last year, and has a good record previous to that time. Jenkins is a consistent player who specializes in well placed shots. A younger team that may have to be taken seriously is that of McClure and McCarty. McClure was runner-up in the singles last summer. The other Mac has been playing hard for two seasons and is about due to "arrive."

Dope points to Bourland in the singles, but it is certain that Allen or Younger will grab the title if "Red" is off form. The younger players are on the whole untried, so that the possibility of their achieving the unexpected will make the try-outs doubly interesting. Certain it is that we will have a good array of players and that the singles and doubles champions will

be acquainted with the stiffest kind of opposition.

Antler Society Gives Pleasing Chapel Program

Expressions of approval were heard from all sides following the chapel exercises conducted by the Antler Literary Society recently. The numbers by the male quartet were enthusiastically received, and numerous encores were demanded.

Irby Carruth read with ease and expression the poem by Edgar A. Guest, "It Takes a Heap O' Livin' to Make a Home," accompanied by the soft strains of "Home Sweet Home." Robert G. Hill delivered a masterful talk on "The Efficacy of Literature." This address was printed in full in our last issue.

He may wear a last year's straw hat, and he may need a shave badly. His trousers may be dilapidated, and his shirt may be faded. He may work in some crowded, half lighted place, and carry his little tin dinner pail along. Nevertheless, he does this to make a man out of you. He does this to give you a chance, a better chance than he had. He wants to make you something more than a cog in the great wheel of life. You may wear jelly bean clothes and part your hair in the middle. You may be extravagant, and never bring home a cent, but nevertheless, he loves you. He is your father. He is proud of his son. Has he anything to be proud of?—The Houstonian.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

BACKACHE IS DISCOURAGING

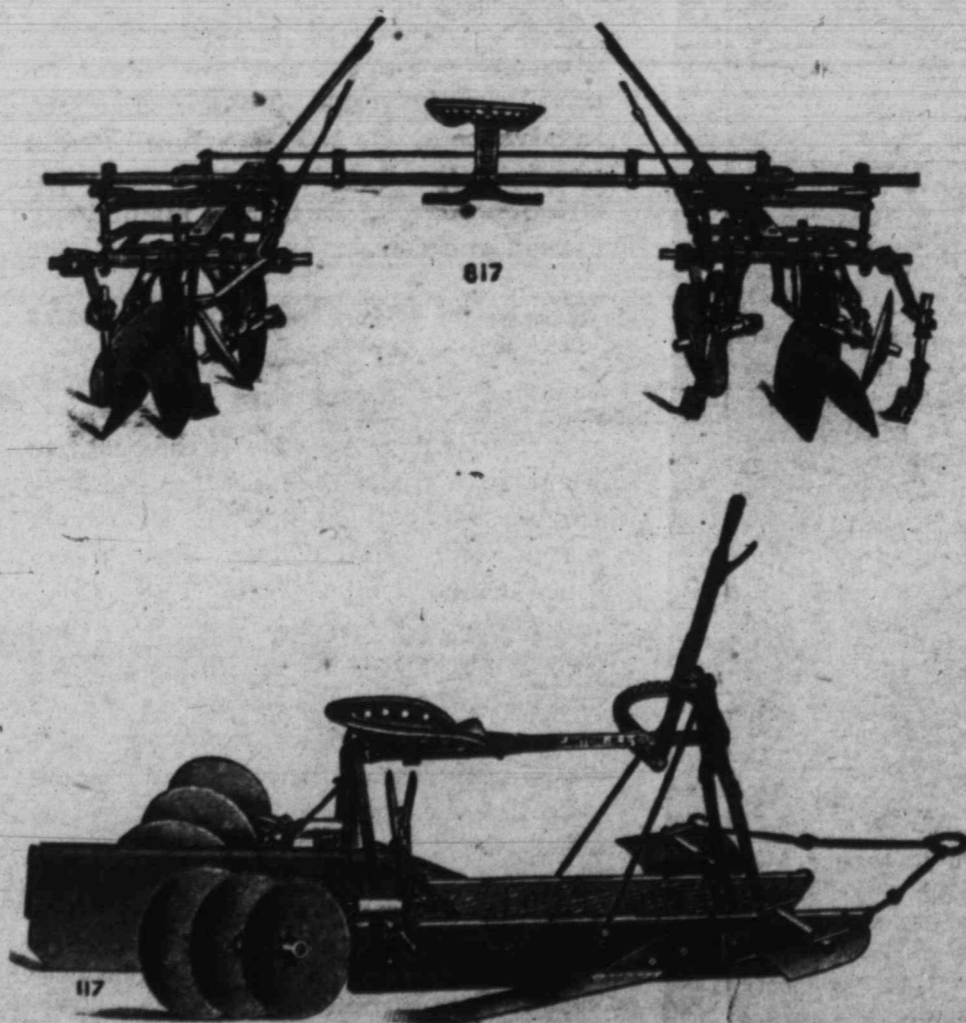
But Not So Bad If You Know How to Reach the Cause.

Nothing more discouraging than a constant backache. Lame when you awaken, pains pierce you when you bend or lift. It's hard to work or to rest. Backache often indicates bad kidneys. Canyon people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor! Read this case:

Mrs. G. A. Jones, Canyon, says: "Through the small of my back was a steady, bearing-down pain and it was so sore I could hardly stoop to pick up anything. At night my back was so sore and ached so I couldn't sleep at all. I also had awful dizzy spells and headaches. My kidneys were weak and troubled me, too. I bought Doan's Kidney Pills from the City Drug Co., and three boxes cured me of every symptom of the trouble."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Jones had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

John Deere and P. & O. Lister Cultivators



Now is the time to get your one and two row Lister Cultivators. Get the weeds before they get too large and sap the moisture from the ground. We have a complete stock in both the P. & O and John Deere. Let us sell you one now.

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The early fly is the one to swat,
He comes around before it's hot,
Sits around and files his legs,
And lays about ten million eggs;
And every egg will make a Fly,
To give us typhoid bye and bye.

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Stunt Shows Will Be Feature Next Month, say "Y"

A Stunt Show under the auspices of the college "Y's" has been announced for the night of May 12th. The stunts will be given by the college organizations. The following regulations will govern the debate:

- Regulations**
1. Any College or Normal School student or faculty group may compete in the stunt show.
 2. Individuals may enter in more than one stunt.
 3. A prize of a silver loving cup will be awarded to the group presenting the best stunt. If the cup is won by the same group for two years in succession it becomes their permanent property.
 4. Only five stunts can be presented. A committee of faculty and students will choose the five best stunts out of the outlines handed in. These five will be presented in the college auditorium on the night of May 12th.
 5. Any group wishing to try for a chance to present a stunt must hand in an outline not later than April 25th. Stunt outlines must be without signatures and in sealed envelopes.
 6. The first stunt handed in of those chosen will be given choice of place on program.
 7. Each group will bear its own expenses, but cost must not exceed \$10.
 8. Points which will be considered in judging are as follows:
 - A. Clearness of description of stunt
 - B. Originality
 - C. Presentation (setting, costume, action, dialogue).
 9. Time will be reserved for each group to practice without disturbance in the auditorium; also colored lights will be furnished to give scenic effects.

An ancient manuscript dealing with King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba contains the earliest historical reference to airplanes. The manuscript declares, "King Solomon gave the Queen of Sheba a vessel wherein one could traverse the air (or wind)."

The Waldes Museum in Prague is a button museum founded by a Bohemian button manufacturer. It is devoted to a collection of dress-fastening devices of all kinds and of all periods.

Plutes who yearn to become gunmen without paying the penalty should have sense enough to go East.—Anaheim Plain Dealer.

FACULTY MEMBERS ATTEND FEDERATION MEETING

Mr. H. W. Morelock, of the College, was one of the principle speakers at the Annual convention of the Seventh District of the Confederation of Women's Clubs. Mr. Morelock's lecture is reported to have been one of the most beautiful and helpful lectures of the convention.

Miss Haines of the Department of Education, delivered a lecture on "Kindergartens." Miss Margaret Guenther, accompanied by Miss Brigham, sang two songs. Mrs. Reeves, of the History Department, represented the Mary E. Hudspeth Hall.

Miss Burton represented the Home Ec. Club of the College, and Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Ingham represented the local Woman's Book Club.

The International Labor Office reports that the following prices were in effect in Moscow as of November 20, 1922: Rye bread, .02 a pound; potatoes, .007 a pound; beef, .113 a pound; butter, .25 a pound; milk, .047 a quart; eggs .18 for 10; sugar, .11 a pound; men's boots, \$6.30.

The government of Switzerland has subsidized the potato-growing industry by contracting to purchase potatoes from the producers at from \$1.71 to \$1.90 for 220 pounds, delivered at the station of shipment, the government standing all transportation costs.

Fur-bearing and game animals are to be introduced on islands in South-eastern Alaska. Rabbits will be placed on certain islands as food for the fur bearers and man while other islands will be stocked with mink, marten and beaver and possibly elk.

One of Murillo's greatest paintings, "The Assumption," is hidden away in Guadalajara, Mexico. It is valued at more than \$400,000 and is held by the church of that city. It is still in the city but has been hidden since the revolution.

The faithful Negroes who stood by their masters during the Civil War were voted pensions by the South Carolina legislature. The pensions are to be granted under virtually the same conditions as those now paid to Confederate veterans.

Taxes on farm land have more than doubled during the past eight years. The average tax per acre in 1922 was 71 cents as compared with 31 cents in 1914.

Professor Albert Einstein has resigned from the League of Nations.

After Every Meal

WRIGLEYS

Chew your food well, then use WRIGLEY'S to aid digestion.

It also keeps the teeth clean, breath sweet, appetite keen.

The Great American Sweetmeat



Board of Trade members in Chicago are considering a novel scheme for raising money for a new building. It has been proposed to place a tax on all transactions on the exchange in the same manner that the pot in a poker game is "nipped" for the "kitty." However, the plan calls only for the loan of the money put in the kitty and regular interest would be paid.

The Santiago River in Mexico is the longest in that country. It rises near Mexico City and flows northwest to the sea emptying near San Blas. In the canyons 2,000 feet below the level of the surrounding plain, the Indian farmers find a super-tropic climate along the river banks where they plant their crops. The climate here forces vegetation as might an equatorial hot-house.

Near the close of the New Year in Japan, the housewives get busy and inspect carefully breakfast, dinner and tea sets. Each piece of china or earthenware which shows a crack is singled out, and a new piece is bought in its place. Cracked china brings ill luck, according to the Japanese belief.

Less crime in the days when the prisoner and not the sentence was suspended.—Wall Street Journal.

A torpid liver needs an overhauling with Herbine. Its benefits are immediately apparent. Energy takes the place of laziness, appetite returns, and the hour of rest brings with it sound, refreshing sleep. Price, 60c. Sold by City Pharmacy, 114 HAPPY TEXAS

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Wm. Schmitz

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AW, WHAT'S THE USE

SMITH TO FEATHERHEAD TO JONES TO SMITH

FANNY, DO YOU REALIZE ITS ONLY A LITTLE WHILE TO CHRISTMAS

GOLLY! SO IT'S

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO GIVE THE JONESSES THIS YEAR?

WHAT THE SMITHS GAVE US LAST YEAR

WHAT DID THE JONESSES GIVE US LAST YEAR

WHAT THE SMITHS GAVE THEM THE YEAR BEFORE

GEE WHIZ — WHAT'S THE USE OF IT ALL!

XMAS GIFTS

L. F. VAN ZELM

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MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

DON'T COME WHINING TO ME BECAUSE BUCK PETERS HIT YOU! SAIL INTO HIM! GIVE HIM A GOOD SHOVING AROUND!

HE SMEARED ME ON MY SMELLER!!

I WILL! I'LL MAKE HIM BURN SORRY

NOW I GOTCHA, BUCK PETERS! TAKE THAT — AND THAT!

THAT'S MICKIE'S VOICE! HOORAY FOR MICKIE!

WWW, WHERE'S BUCK?

AW SHUCKS, BOSS! I WUZ JEST PRACTISING!

A Solo Fight

INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET A SUCCESS DESPITS RAINS.

(Continued from page one)

Running Broad Jump: Bennett, Amarillo; Naylor, Clarendon; C. Barrett, Pampa; McQueen, Amarillo. Distance, 20 feet, 7 inches.

Class B, Track
120 Yard Low Hurdles: R. Bell, Love; Warner, Booker; Dwyer, McLean; E. Bell, Love (disqualified). 19.4 seconds.

100 Yard Dash: Beaver, Perryton; Harris, Valley View; Corbin, Claude; Wilson, McLean. Time, 10.6 sec.

Mile Run: Robinson, McLean; Hill, Lipscomb; Haines, McLean; Garrett, Claude. Time, 5 min. 20 sec.

50 Yard Dash: Beaver, Perryton; Corbin, Claude; Bach, McLean; Ashby, McLean. Time, 6 sec.

440 Yard Dash: Bagwell, Claude; Ashby, McLean; Graham, Quitaque; Prutsman, Spearman. Time, 58.4 sec.

220 Yard Dash: Beavers, Perryton; Corbin, Claude; Wilson, McLean; Tate, Dimmitt. Time 24.8 sec.

880 Yard Run: Hill, Lipscomb; Tucker, Love; Perry, New Hope; Robinson, McLean; Bagwell, Claude (disqualified). Time 2 min. 20 sec.

Mile Relay: Perryton; Pearson, Jones, Raggan, Gamble; Center Plains, Love. Time, 4 min. 5 sec.

Class B, Field
Discus Throw: Dwyer, McLean; Deer, Farnsworth; Bagwell, Claude; Armstrong, Panhandle. Distance, 106 feet, 8 inches.

Running Broad Jump: Davis, Spearman; M. Dwyer, McLean; Ford, Union Hill; Lovelace, Farwell. Distance, 18 feet, 1 in.

Pole Vault: Tyson, Higgins; R. Carroll, Claude; Lewis, Panhandle; Dwyer, McLean. Height, 10 ft. 3 in.

12 Pound Shot Put: Dwyer, McLean; R. Bell, Love; Thrasher, Huntown; Stroupe, Quitaque. Distance, 40 ft. 10.5 inches.

Running High Jump: Ford, Union Hill; Davis, Spearman; Bell, Dimmitt; Garner, Booker. Distance 5 ft. 8 in.

AMARILLO WINS BOYS' DEBATE; TULIA, GIRLS'

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ered by the Interscholastic League, the officials saw fit to add a music contest to its long list of events. This is the first year that the Music Memory Contest has been held, but it has developed a great deal of interest over the Panhandle and especially in Amarillo. The purpose of this new contest is "to cultivate among school children an appreciation of good music, to turn children away from a fondness for the coarser and more meaningless forms of musical composition to a genuine love for the classical productions of the great masters." Mrs. Harmon, teacher in the Amarillo High School, was Director of this contest.

The first prize for District 1 went to Miss Blanche Walker of the Junior High School, Amarillo.

The tenants of Hampton Bishop, Herefordshire, England, pay their rent with stakes. This is a practice that has been followed since old feudal days of centuries past. Each household must gather each year six horse loads of stakes from Hay Wood. The stakes are used for penning sheep at the Hereford fair.

An Indian in the Punjab writes in ink in Arabic a verse from the Koran on a grain of polished rice. The verse is written by the projected and polished finger nail of the writer and the Arabic characters are so beautifully traced that one may read them with the naked eye. The artist, a middle-aged man, has been doing this kind of work for years.

One side of a vein of the Keeley Mine at Cobalt, Ontario, is plated with a sheet of pure silver, from a quarter inch to an inch thick. This sterling silver is twelve feet long and is exposed for a height of eight feet, and may be higher. It is estimated that eight hours and \$25 worth of dynamite will blow out \$100,000 worth of silver—five tons of solid silver.

The house at 48 Doughty street, London, to which Dickens moved with his young wife, Mary Hornith, from Furnival's Inn, is to be purchased by the London Dickens Fellowship. The house will be used as a museum in which are to be collected objects, books, pictures and so on, connected with Dickens and his works.

Boa constrictors are the latest fashionable pets for women in London and Paris. The snakes are caught on the shores of the Amazon and placed in perforated zinc boxes fitted with tanks. American bull snakes are very popular also.

All big-game hunters in Alberta will in future be forced to wear clothing consisting of some white material. The high mortality rate among careless hunters makes this necessary.

A day of dense fog costs London nearly \$5,000,000 in loss of wages, extra lighting, cost of delay, extra transportation and extra launderings.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Whereas, on the 25th day of April, 1923, the Board of Trustees of the Canyon City Independent School District passed and entered on its Minutes the following order, upon motion of A. N. Ruggan, seconded by T. V. Slack, with all members voting in favor of the order, to-wit:

Order for School Election

"On this the 25th day of April, A. D. 1923, came on to be considered a petition in writing signed by C. N. Harrison and thirty other persons, asking that an election, as hereinafter ordered, be ordered by this Board, for the purpose hereinafter set forth:

"And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that said petition is signed by at least twenty taxpaying voters of this District and that the election petitioned for should be ordered:

"It is therefore ordered by the Board of Trustees of the Canyon City Independent School District that an election be held at the Court House of Randall County, Texas, in the town of Canyon, in said Canyon City Independent School District on the second day of June, A. D. 1923, to determine whether the Board of Trustees of said District shall have the power to annually levy and collect a tax upon all of the taxable property in said District for the support and maintenance of the free public schools in said Canyon City Independent School District of and at the rate of not exceeding One Dollar on the One Hundred Dollars Valuation of all taxable property in said District, provided that the rate of tax levied and collected both for the support and maintenance of the free public schools of said District and paying interest on and creating a sinking fund for the payment of the outstanding bonds of said District shall not exceed the sum of One Dollar on the One Hundred Dollars Valuation of all taxable property in said District, said tax, if voted, to be levied and collected for the year 1923, and annually thereafter unless discontinued as provided by law.

"S. V. Wirt is hereby appointed Judge of said election, and John Nickson, A. M. Smith and T. V. Reeves are appointed clerks of said election; and said election shall be held as nearly as may be possible in conformity with the general election laws of the State.

"None but property taxpayers who are qualified voters in said Canyon City Independent School District shall vote in said election.

"Those in favor of the levying of such tax shall have written or printed on their ballots "FOR MAINTENANCE TAX," and those against levying of such tax shall have written or printed on their ballots "AGAINST MAINTENANCE TAX."

"The President and Secretary of this Board shall cause notice of said election to be given in form and manner and for the time prescribed by law."

Therefore, notice is hereby given that said election as above ordered will be held as set out in said order of the said Board of Trustees, Given under our hands and the seal of said Canyon City Independent School District, at Canyon, Texas, this 25th day of April, A. D. 1923.

G. G. FOSTER,

President Board of Trustees, Canyon City Independent School District.

(Seal) C. W. WARWICK,

Secretary Board of Trustees, Canyon City Independent School District.

Tons of fish were smothered in Glenmore Lake, Orange County, New York, by the ice which covered the lake two feet thick from shore to shore. When the community found the water supply objectionable they investigated and when a hole was cut through the ice thousands of dead fish came to the surface together with many live fish in search of air.

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