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## ABERNATHY IS PROSPERING HAS AMBITION TO GROW

### TWO THOUSAND BALES OF COTTON—TWO GRAIN ELEVATORS—MANY STORES

The editor of the News spent yesterday in Abernathy.

Abernathy is a goodly town situated in the southern part of Hale county, and surrounded by a very fine farming country—as good as there is on the Plains. Bumper crops of cotton, sorghum grains, and Indian corn were harvested the past year. The gin there has ginned more than 1,700 bales of cotton so far and expects to go above 2,000 before the season closes, as the farmers are still picking cotton. There are two large grain elevators and they are buying lots of grain and corn and shipping it.

The town has a fine two-story brick school house with five teachers, and does high school work.

There are also two good church buildings.

The town has a state bank, hardware, dry goods, grocery, drug stores, garages, blacksmith shops, hotel, barber shops and other businesses.

The Shulz Land & Colonization Co. of Madison, Wis., recently opened an office and is now bringing in homeseekers and locating them on lands. Mr. Norton from Wisconsin is manager of the local office, and is indeed a live-wire.

The people of the town and community are progressive and prosperous and they purpose to do everything they can to build the town to much larger size than it now is.

They told us that lands about Abernathy are possibly the cheapest of any on the Plains, considering location, and that on an average the crops are better than those of other sections, and the shipments from that point are heavier.

The live stock interests are important, as there are several large ranches that use Abernathy as their shipping point.

Keep your eye on Abernathy.

## ANTIS SEEK LIBERAL DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE

### Prohibition Said to Be Coming to Front as Issue in Nearly Every State

New York, Feb. 18.—The New York Sun-Herald prints the following from its Washington correspondent:

Anti-prohibition elements all over the country are uniting in their efforts to obtain a liberal Democratic nominee for the presidency at the San Francisco convention.

In almost every state, according to information received by administration politicians, the issue is clear-cut. The wet elements of the party are said to be confident that this is their one great chance to obtain a relaxation of the strict liquor laws now in operation.

Particularly is this true in the Southern states. Prohibition there seems to be an issue far greater than any other, according to information reported to Washington. The same is true of the East, where the wet elements are pinning their faith in the Democratic liberals who may get into the contest.

The best judgment of the democrats who are observing the developments is that the liberal element will not attempt to back any candidate who is radically wet. They want, it is believed, a nominee whose record would make it practically sure that he would favor a liberal definition of intoxicants that would permit the sale of beer and light wines.

It is far too early yet to guess as to how far this liberal sentiment will go, but that it is bound to be a factor in the convention goes beyond doubt.

In Texas the candidacy of Joe Bailey is part of this nationwide campaign of the liquor forces to bring the prohibition laws into disrepute by shooting them full of blowholes so that liquor can be sold. Should Bailey and a Bailey legislature be elected the prohibition enforcement laws would be repealed or made of no effect.

## CITY CHARTER COMMISSION TO DECIDE ON BOUNDARIES

### May Make Tentative Decision and Then Hear What The People Say

The city charter commission will meet tonight at the city hall and take action on the boundaries of the city. It is proposed that the commission map out tentative boundaries, have the newspapers publish same so the people can know what is being contemplated, and then those affected can come before the commission and give their views. We believe this a good plan.

## Unprecedented Warm Weather

This has certainly been an unprecedentedly warm winter since before Christmas, none of the old-timers on the Plains ever having experienced its equal before. Yesterday the thermometer registered as high as 74 degrees, almost summer weather. Early in the morning, however, it was 30.

Weather forecasts say disturbances will reach the Plains early next week.

## Map Received Showing New Ozark Trails

Judge C. H. Curl, who takes much interest in good roads, has just received from Col. W. H. Harvey, president of the Ozark Trails highway association, a pencil sketch of the official highways of the association in this section.

The regular marked route, which was logged and approved last year, is shown to run through Childress, Estelline, Turkey, Quitaque, Plainview, Hale Center, Littlefield and Kenna, N. M.

This route, Judge Curl says, is well improved through Hale county except for a few miles southwest of Hale Center, on the road to the Lamb county line.

Another side route is shown on the map as follows: Childress, Tell, Northfield, Matador, Floydada, Lockney and Plainview.

A new route has been laid off, and which the counties of Briscoe, Swisher and Castro are spending considerable money improving runs as follows: Wellington, Memphis, Turkey, Quitaque, Silverton, Tulia, Nazareth, Dimmitt, Farwell, Clovis, Portales, and Kenna. In addition there are also lines connects the routes between Plainview and Tulia, also Littlefield and Farwell.

## CONNER MATHESES RECEIVE CARLOAD WILLARD BATTERIES

### One Thousand Batteries in Lot Which Will Retail For Nearly \$50,000

The Conner-Matheses Battery Co., Plains agents for the Willard batteries, yesterday received a solid carload of batteries, there being one thousand batteries in the lot, the retail price of them being \$47,200.

This is the first solid carload of batteries to be received by any firm on the Plains, and indicates the large volume of business this enterprising firm does. It has stations in Plainview, Lubbock, Floydada and possibly other towns in this section.

## Average Fifty Bushels to Acre

W. E. West, formerly of Plainview, but who is farming ten miles west of Tulia, the past year made the best yield possibly of any farmer in that section. We are informed that he averaged forty bushels of maize on seventy acres. On some acres he harvested more than fifty bushels. The price has been above \$2 a hundred pounds, so you can see what Plains lands can produce.

## W. H. Pearce Sells Property

W. H. Pearce, who came to the Abernathy community in 1892, has sold his property near that town, and will take life easy for a time at least. He will leave Monday for a trip. He has sold 320 acres to E. M. Crow, 160 acres to a Mr. Tucker from down in the state, and his son, G. C. Pearce, has taken 320 acres.

## Monday Will Be Holiday

Sunday will be Washington's birthday anniversary. The banks and post office will observe Monday as a legal holiday.

## WILL SUBSCRIBE \$200,000 STOCK FOR RAILROAD PLAINVIEW TO SILVERTON

### Silverton Citizen Says His People Want Railroad Built Soon and Are Willing to Do Their Full Part.

A prominent citizen of Silverton was in Plainview yesterday and stated that the people of that town and vicinity are very much interested in securing railroad connection with Plainview, and have come to the conclusion that the quickest way to get it is for the people of the two towns and those living between them to organize a stock company and build and operate it.

He declared that the people of Silverton are willing to stake \$200,000 worth of stock in such a company.

He conferred with Col. R. P. Smyth, secretary of the Board of City Development, and was told to go back to Silverton, get his people together, find out what they are willing to do, then a meeting can be had with the citizens of Plainview and the preliminary work can be started toward organizing a company for the building of the proposed railroad.

Col. Smyth says he is of the opinion that Plainview will meet Silverton on any amount of stock that they can raise.

Silverton is about thirty-two miles from Plainview. The country around it raises big crops and lots of live stock. The population is fair and increasing rapidly. Such a railroad would open a large trade territory to Plainview.

It is said the Floydada, Crosbyton, Lamesa and Seagraves branches of the Santa Fe, all short lines, are making much more clear money than the same amount of mileage on the main line; hence, it is argued, a railroad from Plainview to Silverton would pay good profits from the start.

With a capital stock of \$200,000 to \$400,000 the road could be built.

Such a railroad would doubtless in time be extended east and west and become quite an important line. Likely, after being built, the Santa Fe would want to buy it, as it has a number of other short lines.

This is such an important matter and means so much to the upbuilding of the two towns and counties, it should be pushed forward.

## DONOHOO-WARE CO. BUYS PAXTON & OSWALD STOCK

### WILL OCCUPY THE BUILDING WITH FURNITURE AND SHELF HARDWARE

The Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co., has bought the stock of furniture and undertaking goods of Paxton & Oswald, and has leased the building for three years, as soon as the building can be remodeled the Donohoo-Ware Co. will occupy same with the furniture and also its shelf hardware department. The implement and heavy hardware lines will continue to be carried at its present stand in the Campbell building.

These are two of the oldest firms in the town. The Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co., of which E. H. Humphreys is manager, begun business here about thirty-five years ago. Messrs. Paxton & Oswald begun business here about sixteen years ago.

Messrs. Paxton and Oswald will remain in Plainview.

## LESLIE BYRD KILLED NEAR CALLAHAN RANCH

### Caught in Thresher Belt and Died in Hour and Half From Injuries

Leslie Byrd, age thirty years, was killed at 5:30 this afternoon on the farm of Roy J. Frye, 18 miles southeast of Plainview, adjoining the Callahan ranch, by getting caught in a thresher belt where he was working. One of his arms in several places was broken and he received a large gash in his head. He died within an hour and a half.

He leaves a young widow. The remains will be shipped by Garner Bros. undertakers, tomorrow morning, to Millsap, in Parker county, where burial will take place.

He lived on Mr. Frye's farm for three years and was highly esteemed.

## Wrote \$50,000 Insurance Policy

One day this week Knoohuizen & Boyd, local agents for the Southwestern Insurance Co. of Dallas wrote a joint insurance policy for \$50,000 on the lives of three members of a local business firm. This is likely the largest insurance policy every written in Hale county.

## Plainview's Altitude 3,370

The new publications of the U. S. weather bureau gives the altitude of Plainview as 3,370 feet. Amarillo is 3,676 feet, Tulia 3,501 feet.

## CENSUS ENUMERATION FOR PLAINVIEW PRACTICALLY OVER

### Has Been Held Open So As To Pick Up as Many as Possible. Will Close Monday.

The enumeration of Plainview has been completed, in fact was finished some days ago, but has been held open simply to pick up a few persons who may have been overlooked. A call has been made and the report will be sent in Monday night.

If there are any persons who have not been enumerated, they will please phone the News office, 97, before five o'clock Monday afternoon, so they can be included in the enumeration.

## Sewell Grocery Co. Assigns

Tuesday night the Sewell Grocery Co., incorporated, capital stock \$4,000 made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors. L. M. Frogge, manager of Nobles Bros. Grocer Co., was named as assignee. The stock will be disposed of and the affairs of the company closed up. Mr. C. W. Sewell stated to the News editor Tuesday that the firm had been losing money for some time.

## Thomason Will Speak Thursday in Plainview

Hon. R. E. Thomason, of El Paso, candidate for governor, will speak in Plainview next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in behalf of his candidacy.

Mr. Thomason is the present speaker of the house of representatives, is a very able man, and one of the best and most pleasing speakers in the state. Those who hear him will be well repaid for their time.

The people of the county, and especially the farmers, including the women, are cordially invited to hear him. He has a real message for the people of Texas.

Mr. Thomason will speak in Amarillo and other Plains towns while in this section.

## BAILEYITES WILL ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE LEGISLATURE

Mr. Bailey's friends are making arrangements for State campaign organization, and for an organization in every county. In every legislative and senatorial district, a "Bailey principles" candidate will be put in the field, and the campaign will be waged, not only to elect Bailey Governor of Texas, but to elect a Senate and House of Representatives composed of men who stands as he does upon the "Fort Worth principles." — Dallas News, Feb. 17.

## Flu Epidemic Passing

In all parts of the United States the flu epidemic is passing rapidly. In Texas it is practically over.

In Plainview the doctors say there are now practically no cases, but in the country there are a number of cases.

Superintendent Patty of the Plainview public schools, said yesterday that it is evident the epidemic is past, as the attendance in school is almost normal again.

There has been but one death in Plainview from the disease, one death in Hale Center, three southwest of Hale Center, one at Petersburg, and all of these might not be because of the flu.

## Marriage Licenses

D. Willis Day and Miss Gertrude Greer. He lives here, having recently come from New Jersey; she lived in the Eastland country. They were married in Eastland.

## Missing Copies of News Wanted

The News wants a copy each of the following issues in order to complete its files for 1919, and will pay 25c each for the first copy of each sent in—May 16, October 31.

## Gardening Time Approaching

The warm, springlike weather makes one feel like beginning gardening, and some are beginning to plant onion sets and other early and hardy garden stuff.

## Look Out for Motor Cop

The city council has decided to buy a motorcycle, for the purpose of rounding up automobile speeders and lawbreakers.

## "GIVE THE TAXPAYERS A FAIR, SQUARE DEAL"

### BELIEVES IN CLEAN, PROGRESSIVE AND ECONOMICAL STATE GOVERNMENT

J. M. Adams of Plainview has made the following announcement of his candidacy for representative:

To the citizens of the 123rd legislative district, composed of the counties of Hale, Swisher, Randall, Armstrong, Deaf Smith, Farmer, Castro, Bailey and Lamb.

In announcing my candidacy for representative from this district, I wish to say:

I am forty-four years of age, am a native of West Texas, my parents were native Texans, and my grandparents came to Texas and fought back the Mexicans and Indians and helped to form the Republic of Texas. Therefore, the interests of the state, and especially the Western portion, are very dear to me. Having published a newspaper in Plainview for nine years, I feel that I know the needs of the Plains, and will use all of my influence and my votes to promote the interests of this section and to defeat any legislation that is detrimental to the Plains people.

As agriculture and stockraising are the principal vocations of the people of this district, and upon which its prosperity is based, I shall give my best efforts to securing legislation encouraging and protecting its interests. I shall do my best toward securing the location of an agricultural and mechanical college in this section and vocational college in this section of the state, to teach the youth science.

Having always been a friend of education, I favor liberal appropriations for the purpose of giving the Texas children the best possible rural and high schools, and the youths the best higher educational advantages. I shall do all in my power to promote the interests of Canyon Normal college, the pride of Northwest Texas. School teachers should be paid better salaries.

I believe in giving the taxpayer a "square deal." He should receive one hundred cents' worth of service for every dollar he pays into the public treasury. There is no question but what a considerable portion of the tax money paid into the state treasury is wasted. There are several useless departments, a number of useless bureaus and many useless officials and employees on the payroll of the state government. I shall do my best to have all these sinecures abolished, so that the tax rate can be reduced. To my mind the reduction of the tax rate is one of paramount importance at this time. I believe in giving the taxpayer a fair, square deal. I believe he is overburdened. I believe his burden should be reduced.

I favor a revision of the tax laws so that they may be more justly administered, for there is no question but what the people of the Plains pay a larger proportion of tax into the state treasury than is their just share.

I have since youth, been an active advocate of prohibition, woman's suffrage, law enforcement, and all moral laws.

I have no patience with the present movement of certain interests in Texas who seek to overthrow the right of women to vote, bring the prohibition laws into disrepute, denounce the democratic national administration, and whose object is to turn the state back into the hands of the vicious elements that used to control its politics.

I have never held or sought a public office.

I would be very glad to have the support of every man and woman who favors a clean, progressive, economically administered state government.

JESSE M. ADAMS.

## Recruiting Party Here

Capt. Rosenblatt and Lieut. Kotzebue and party of soldiers were here this week recruiting for the army. The officers went south yesterday morning, but the privates are still here in a big car.

## Grayson County Family Moves Here

F. L. Thornton and family, from Gunter, Grayson county, are moving to a farm four miles west of Plainview.

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### WE ACCEPT CHALLENGE

In his speech at Gainesville Wednesday Bailey said his faction would have candidates for the legislature and senate in every district in the state.

This means that the Bailey people will have a candidate in this district. The editor of the News, who is a candidate for representative from this district, is opposed to Bailey and Baileyism, and is in favor of prohibition, woman's suffrage, the league of nations and the democratic administration.

Eighty thousand Texas women hold poll tax receipts. They will almost to a unit swat the Bailey-Ferguson ticket next July.

A New York bootblack makes \$225 a week. Most of his patrons are \$12 to \$25 a week stenographers and clerks, who are "above" shining their own shoes.

Some of the Catholic cardinals have denounced the present styles of women, but it will take more than the whole college of cardinals to cause women to change 'em.

Two or three times as many Hale county people will pay tax on incomes this spring than last. A big wheat crop and bumper row crops last year made Hale county people prosperous.

Having known Senator Culberson for many years, we knew the rumor that he was going to resign was untrue. Resigning is a word that is not to be found in Charlie's vocabulary. Besides, no good democrat ever resigns, and few ever die.

It is noted that evidently the labor situation is beginning to adjust itself, as the number of "situations wanted" ads in the city daily papers is gradually increasing. Soon labor will likely become plentiful and dependable, also less dictatorial.

A corn pone is a mixture of coarse ground corn meal, water and salt cooked in an open oven, very delicious and peculiarly allied with the cookery of our Southern states. Eat-en hot with fresh butter it will make a democrat out of the most hardened republican.

It is generally conceded by authorities that the peak of the high cost of living has passed and is now declining, and will be very materially reduced within several months. Don't be misled by manufacturers and others who say that "prices will be higher next season," for they will be lower say well-known authorities.

We don't like the plan of the proposed tribunal for adjusting wage and other disputes between the railroads and their employees—it is to be composed of one member from the railroad owners, one from employees, and one representing the public. It is easy to see that the public will get the short end of most every deal. Why not have the tribunal consist of five members, three representing the public?

King Amasis reigned over Egypt five centuries before Christ lived. He required every man in Egypt to work at least so many days each year. At stated intervals every man in the realm was brought before certain deputies and made to give an account of himself, and those who had not worked the required number of days were put to death. If King Amasis reigned over Plainview there would be few men congregating on the corner of the square each day, but the cemetery would have a larger population.

President Wilson threw a bomb into the European governments last week when he informed them that the United States would not stand for the compromise settlement they were attempting to make in the Adriatic matter, as it was not in harmony with justice to the Slavs nor with the "fourteen points" under which the war was brought to an end. He declared that America must be consulted on such matters, or this country will withdraw from having anything further to do with European affairs. Wilson is right. He stands for the small, weak nations, and against the selfish "ambitions" of Italy and the other large nations.

The Oklahoma legislature will meet next week for the purpose of ratifying the national woman's suffrage amendment. It will do the job pronto. That will leave only four more states necessary. They will be forthcoming within a month. Carry the news to Joe, Jim and Bob. Women will vote for president in every state in America next November. This is a long step toward sure enough democracy.

### "A SQUARE DEAL FOR THE TAX PAYER"

The paramount issue, as voiced in an article on first page, of the editor of the News in his race for the legislature is "A Square Deal for the Tax Payer."

Ever since government begun there has been a continuous scrap between the tax-eaters and the tax-payers—the tax-eaters always wanting more and more; always wanting to pile heavier burdens on the back of the tax-payer.

In Texas taxes have advanced out of proportion to the benefits derived. Under Campbell's administration in 1909 the state ad valorem tax rate was as low as 4c. The past year the rate was about 55c or about fourteen greater—in twelve years' time. There is no excuse for such a tremendous increase, for the property valuations have more than doubled in this length of time.

Also the corporation and intangible taxes now amount to over \$3,000,000 a year.

There are several useless and expensive departments at Austin that should be abolished. There are a number of useless bureaus and commissions that should be done away with. There is a whole cavayard of persons on the payroll about the state house that should be fired. It is absolutely astonishing to see the number of persons who are holding sinecures under the great dome—and eating up the money of the tax payer.

The average tax payer is willing to do his duty in paying taxes, but he wants full value, 100 cents for every dollar he pays in—and he should have full value, too.

If half the useless departments, bureaus and employes on the states' payroll were done away with the tax rate could be materially decreased, and the state's business would not suffer, either.

If elected, the editor of the News intends to do his level best to amputate a big bunch of blood-suckers from the state's pay roll. He will not introduce very many bills providing for new laws, but he will insist on repealing a lot that mean expense to the state.

He believes in giving the taxpayer a fair deal, and goodness knows the taxpayer needs a few friends in the legislature—it needs more "watch-dogs of the treasury."

### "DO A GOOD TURN DAILY"

The mayor of Dallas has proclaimed this as "A Good Turn Daily Week" in that city, and it is reported the people are giving it considerable attention.

The slogan of the Boy Scouts is "Do a good turn each day."

If a person will make it the rule of his or her life to "do a good turn daily" to somebody, this would be a much better world to live in. It would not only help those upon whom the good turn is practiced, but would in a larger way sweeten the lives of those making the good turn.

An exchange truly says "Helping one's neighbor builds character, as well as makes life more cherry."

Selfishness is the bane of the world. Caring for oneself only breeds narrowness. "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" was decided in the affirmative by Jehovah when Cain asked the hypocritical question.

Abe Mulkey used to say, "Practice Christianity and You'll Soon be a Christian."

"Do a good turn every day" to someone and you'll be happy in this world and better fitted for the better one that is to come.

For doing nothing, the past year's record of the republican majority in both houses of congress takes the blue ribbon. They have carried out not a single promise, so far as we have noted. The republicans have quarreled and wrangled over many things, but done nothing. Surely there was never a party that went into a national campaign as threadbare as the republican party enters this year's campaign.

President Wilson's health has been restored to a point where he can again make people sit up and take notice. For instance, the bomb he exploded under the European diplomats Monday. He sent a note that America does not approve of the compromise relative to Fiume, as he does not consider the Jugo-Slavs are treated fairly in it, and that if Europe intends to stand by the compromise America will withdraw from all European affairs as this country will not be a party to such a settlement. His note caused great surprise in Europe.

An exchange, speaking of Alf-alf-a Tea, says, "We are told that when a man gets under the influence of this tea, he stays inebriated for sometime; in fact, he never becomes entirely sober." Maybe so. If so, the man remains contented and happy; he sees the world in a newer and better light; he lives at peace with his fellowmen, loves children and feels nearer His maker. Alf-alf-a Tea does not make a man grouchy, stingy or fighty—in this it is the antithesis of whiskey and beer. If we can get this wonderful beverage so perfected that it will keep in all climes, it will soon transform the world into one grand congregation of people whose lives will be squared according to the Golden Rule.

### "THE GOOD OLD TIMES"

The editor was reading, a few days ago, the book of Ecclesiastes, where Solomon sarcastically referred to some of the loafers about the corner of the Temple in Jerusalem who were harping about and longing for the return of "the good old days" of years before.

It has ever been since the world was young and men begun to congregate and discuss things that people have longed for the return of "the good old days."

It is also a fact that practically nobody wants these "old days" to re turn.

We know we do not want the same conditions to return that obtained in West-Central Texas when the editor of his Great Moral Guide of the Plains was a youth. Then there were no electric lights, no autos, screens to windows, no bath tubs, no autos, few carpets, no paved streets, no concrete sidewalks, men worked for \$1.25 a day and had a hard-time supporting the family. There were few had any money, several thousand dollars was considered a fortune, cotton sold at 3c a pound, corn at 25c a bushel, hogs at 2c a pound, farmers were poverty stricken, there were few schools and they were of but a few weeks duration each year and sorry; politics and business were corrupt and dishonest; there were about as many saloons, gambling houses and brothels in the town as there were legitimate business houses; the saloon was the social headquarters of the town, there was a fight or killing every few days; men spent money for whiskey or gambled it a way and let their wives and children go hungry and almost naked; Money-lenders got 24 to 60 per cent interest on their money; people died from diseases that are now easily cured.

Would you care to return to such "good old times" as these? Yet, thirty-five years ago such were the "good old days" in Dublin and other towns in that section of the state.

Those were days when a dollar was worth more and a man was worth less. If your appendicitis went on a strike, the doctor said you had inflammation of the bowels, and you were soon waffled to the realms of eternal bliss. If your lungs became weak there was no cure for you, and you were in a short time planted in a marble orchard.

People kick about the H. C. of L. these days, and rightly so in a measure, yet the fact remains that people have \$10 in money where they then didn't have \$1, people have much better homes with modern sanitary conveniences and comforts, are better clothed, better fed, are better educated, and are much happier.

There are now no saloons, gambling houses, brothels, and rarely is there a personal difference or homicide in all West Texas.

Modern science has equipped hospitals for the curing of disease; the towns have sewerage systems; people are living longer, disease is less frequent.

The schools and colleges are better and they are all over-crowded with boys and girls who are seeking education to fit themselves for a better part in life. The churches are better supported, a greater percentage of the people are Christians, many times more money is being contributed to missionary and charitable enterprises.

Politics and business are cleaner, more honest, and no bad man can hardly expect to get an office. Elections are fairly conducted. The will of the people prevails. Laws are more just, the poor man has a greater chance for equity in the courts, officers are not so easily corrupted by money.

These are but a few of the many things that we mention that causes us not to wish for the return of "the good old times."

Of course, there are some evils today that did not prevail then, but they are few in number, and from practically every standpoint these are better times than any time that has passed into history.

And we are just optimistic enough to believe that next year will be better than the present time, and generally speaking each succeeding year will be better than the one that has passed. The world is progressing, is fulfilling the great and wonderful

# This Bank Will Be Closed

## Monday, February 23rd

To Honor the Birthday of

## George Washington

The old tradition of his honesty, and the history of his chivalry as a gentleman, his brilliance as an officer, his great wisdom and finely proportioned traits of character as a statesman, have merited for him the noble title of "Father of His Country."

His life was a record worthy of the admiration and esteem of the world's best and noblest. A strong personality, a heroic will that enabled him to reject the prompting of ambition that he might seek only to promote the happiness, prosperity and good government of the country he loved.

No homage is too great for us to pay to the memory of George Washington.

# Guaranty State Bank

R. S. Beard, Pres.; E. P. Barker, Vice-Pres.; C. D. Hensley, Cashier

scheme that its maker planned when he said let there be a world.

We really believe with all our heart that "God is in His Heaven, and All's right with the world"—at least will be in time.

Nixy for any return of the "good old days."

The News regrets Bailey will be a candidate for governor, for it means

a bitter campaign, yet it had rather have him in the race with the issues clearly defined than have him and his bunch bushwhacking. He will not get many votes on the Plains, where people are clean and intelligent; where people are in favor of prohibition and woman's suffrage, and are opposed to his undemocratic denunciation of the work of the democratic administration.

Thos. B. Love of Dallas is the Texas member of the democratic national committee. He is not a back number; he believes in the present time; he has no patience with Bailey, who seeks to turn back the clocks fifty or sixty years. Col. Love says: "I prefer to adhere to the oldest of Jeffersonian principles, which is that the future must not be governed by the (Continued on Page 7)

# ANNOUNCEMENT

We are distributors for the Master Truck in twenty-four counties of the South Plains. We took the distributor's contract for these sturdy trucks after we had investigated truck specifications of other makes. This medium priced truck we selected as one of the best for this section.

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These are specifications you cannot afford to overlook.

# Shepard Motor Company

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Farmers cannot afford to take a risk of losing their crops by hail.

We have the best hail insurance there is and represent enough companies to care of the needs of everybody in this line. We have received the 1920 rates and supplies. See us for hail insurance.

J. J. Lash Real Estate Co.

## WANT COLUMN

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WANTED—Help at the O'Keefe Inn.

PIANO TUNING—See Paul Ryden. Phone #97.

FOR FIRST-CLASS PIANO TUNING, Call F. D. Barnes, phone 379.

FOR BARGAINS in new and second-hand windmills see or phone S. S. Sloneker. 42-tf.

WANTED—Hides, poultry and eggs.—Panhandle Produce Co.

FOUND—Pair gold-rimmed glasses. Owner call at News office.

FOR SALE—Rooming house. Phone 388 or 383.

FOR RENT—Three section ranch, 169 acres in farm, five room house, nine miles west of Hereford, Texas; possession Jan. 1st. Will rent farm separate if desired.—A. C. Buchanan, Temple, Texas.

HAULING OF ALL KINDS—Have brand new truck. Prompt service. Phone 654 or 115.

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND Well improved home, close in, Plainview.—D. F. Sansom. 74-tf.

RED RUST-PROOF Seed Oats \$1 bushel at granary.—C. W. Richardson, Ellen, Texas. 81-3t

If you have good mules see A. L. Lanford, the mule buyer. In the market all the year around. I buy and sell every day, one or carload.—A. L. Lanford, day phone 550, night phone 217.

CAR OF BEWLEY'S BEST FLOUR has just arrived at Looper's Grocery Co. \$3.50 per sack; \$6.75 per 100 lbs. in 500 lb. lots.

USED FORDS FOR SALE—Full line of Reo touring cars, and speed wagons for farm purposes.—W. O. Speck, Egge's oil stand.

WHITE WYANDOTTÉ EGGS for hatching from my utility pen only \$3.00 per setting. Box. 25. W. J. Klingner. 76-tf.

POULTRY is getting higher. The Panhandle Produce Co., west of Nobles Bros. wholesale house, is paying the highest prices. See them.

Twenty Choice DUROC JERSEY Gilts for sale by Felagle and Perry at Perry Farm, 7 miles southwest of city. Inquire of Perry & Cram. 80-2t

FEED FOR SALE All kinds feed stuff, delivered once daily. Try cottonseed hulls, cheap.—Sansom & Son. 72-tf.

DOG LOST—Female collie, light yellow, white ring around neck, answers name of "Queen" \$5 reward. Notify News.—L. C. Williamson. Ellen. 81-4t

IF YOU WANT to buy a farm, buy a horse, mule or cow, or have an auction sale, see T. J. Allen, Petersburg, Phone 3.

FOR SALE—Jersey Duroc sows, bred to registered boars.—Texas Land & Development Co. 67-tf.

TRY COTTON SEED HULLS The best feed for the money. All other kind of feed stuffs, delivered once daily.—Plainview Grain Co., Phone four-three-five. 72-tf.

WHEN YOU WANT something new in Sheet Music, Player Rolls or Phonograph Records, just stop in at J. W. Boyle & Son's Music Store. 76-6t

320 ACRES, fully improved, close to school, main road, a bargain at \$55 per acre, good terms. 1-2 section, 60 acres in wheat, 175 acres under cultivation, close to town, one of the best buys in Hale county. Also several 1-4 and 1-2 sections, well located. Write us for our lists of farms for sale.—South Plains Colonization Co., Abernathy, Texas.

FOR SALE—Selected seed barley in sacks, \$1.50 per bushel of 48 pounds.—Texas Land & Development Co.

THE BLAC KDIAMOND DEHORNING PENCIL FOR SALE at Rucker Produce House. Every pencil will dehorn 50 head from ten days to 9 months old, for \$1.00; a forfeit of \$5.00 for any calf that it fails to dehorn. Call at the produce house and get one.—Phone 174.—L. D. Rucker.

E. H. Kemp of Graham was in town yesterday.

SITUATIONS WANTED—For truck driving, grocery clerks, cooks, threshermen, etc.—Phone 88 or 514. Ben's Employment Agency. 75-tf

IF YOU WANT to buy a good, well located and improved half-section acre. \$10,000 due 1940 at 5 per cent, farm in Hale county at \$60.00 per on right shoulder. Been gone thirty balance cash. Address "J" care of News, Plainview, Texas. 60-tf

WANTED—To buy or trade for good second-hand saddle.—Sansom & Son.

WANTED—To buy baby calves.—M. E. Franklin, Plainview, Rt. A.

FOR SALE—25 full-blood Brown Leghorn Roosters, \$2.—Jud Braudt, Bartonite, Texas. 75-7t

HORSES AND MULES—I am again in the market for horses and mules, and will be found at the Texas Wa-ichn Yard. If you wish to sell or buy see me.—Bess Thompson.

FOR SALE—Nash Rooming House. For further information see W. A. Nash.

FOR SALE QUICK—160 acres, well improved, two-story house, sixty acres wheat. Cheap if sold soon.—Inquire at News.

GOOD AUTO FOR TRADE—Seven passenger, worth all asked—what have you.—Sansom & Son. 51-tf

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FOR SALE—Nearly new L. C. Smith typewriter. Price low. Clinton Walter, at Carter-Houston's. 80-6t.

Bull Orpington Setting Eggs—A few for immediate delivery, very fine, \$2 per setting.—W. L. Hogue, phone 398.

FOR SALE—Good established business, men's furnishings and grocery, in good Plains town.—Address C, care News. 81-2t.

We can be depended upon to pay the highest market prices for poultry, eggs and hides.—Panhandle Produce Co., west of Nobles Bros.

FOR RENT—Two nice down stairs south bed rooms.—Call 17.—Mrs. Ben Gardner.

FOR SALE—Five room house with two lots near Wayland college, also 160-acre farm near Petersburg. See A. E. Harris at O'Keefe Inn. 74-4t

DRESSED DOMESTIC RABBITS—Panhandle Produce Company will buy your tame rabbits, dressed, heads and feet off, 23c per pound for young rabbits and 19c per pound for old rabbits. West of passenger depot.

FOR SALE—10-ft. Standard Windmill and tower, good bargain.—Roy Frick, phone 611.

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FOR SALE—Fifty young White Leghorn pullets hatched in March and April, to make room for some fancy stuff coming from the North. Now laying. \$2 each.—See V. L. Formway at Postoffice 78-2t

SANTON, Texas, and its vicinity. D. P. Jones, Physician.

WE HAVE the latest thing to be found in Pianos, Player Pianos and Phonographs. Will exchange for live stock. Lead Old Kate and Jude to town and take home a Phonograph.—J. W. Boyle & Son. 76-6t.

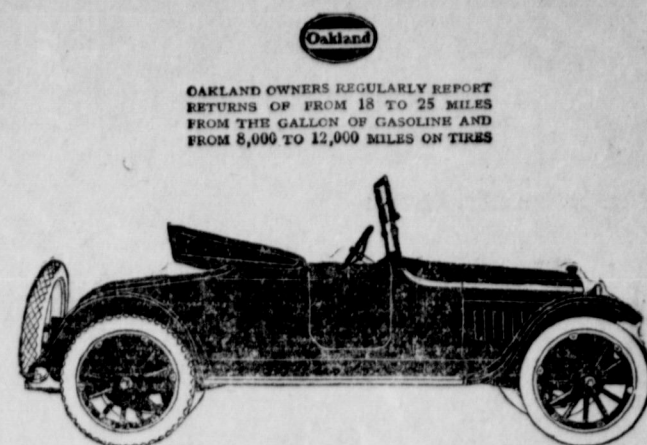
FOR SALE—Good six-room box house in Plainview, well selected bearing orchard and vineyard, three wells on it to irrigate. Will sell, trade or lease by year.—D. C. Aylesworth, Phone 194.

MASONIC BODIES Plainview Chapter R. A. M., meets the Third Thursday night in each month. Plainview Commandery, K. T., meets the second Monday night in each month.

FOR SALE—Span good mares. Also Buick car for sale or trade. Call at News office.

DR. D. P. JONES PHYSICIAN Office—Room 34, Grant Building Office Phone 382 Res. Phone 384

FOR SALE—One of the best sections of land in Hale county. Well improved; 270 acres in cultivation; seven miles south of Plainview. Price \$60 per acre; \$5,000 down, balance easy. Apply to Box 96, Plainview.



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From the F. Eiring Farm, five miles east of Plainview, about January 6, one Jersey Heifer, about 18 months old, dehorned, but not otherwise marked. Reward for information leading to her recovery or for return to Eiring Farm. Notify Clayton Eiring or call J. F. Jones at Egge Garage, Plainview. 79-2t

J. M. Adams, editor of the Plainview News, is a candidate for Representative from the Plainview district. \* \* \* He watched the legislative mill grind last summer for awhile and the game was fascinating and naturally he has yielded to the solicitation of his friends and now his hat is in the ring. The Herald editor expects to return to the Thirty-Seventh and we hope to have Jesse as a co-laborer for the interest of the

great Panhandle and Plains country in our Texas Legislature. He is a real live one and will always be found doing his dead level best to serve the people. Here is hoping, Jesse.—Panhandle Herald.

"I do my own buying because I get 100 cents' worth for every dollar. If more people did that there would be less talk of hard times and the high cost of living."—Hettie Green.

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It will be to the interest of any one having land for sale to get in touch with us at once. We have customers wanting to buy and we expect to have them in the field soon.

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Then Plainview News one year and the Dallas Semi-Weekly News one year ..... \$2.75  
 The Plainview News one year and the Amarillo Daily News one year for ..... \$8.75  
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## A SALE OF TEN DAYS FOR MEN AND BOYS

Or Until Articles Are Sold

Our final winter sale for man and boy is now on. Anticipate your wants now, while you have the opportunity and get the splendid 25 per cent discount.

These goods we purchased early—but the manufacture could not fill all orders when desired and in as much

as some goods come late, we place this sale. These are the articles you will soon need if not now. We need more room for our spring stock which is arriving daily. Hence, we make this very liberal offering on early purchased merchandise. We invite you to look these values over and remember you are under no obligation to buy. We have reduced substantial and needful merchandise, such articles as Kuppenheimer and S. M. & S. overcoats, the Cooper and Vassar union suits, Boys' and Men's wool over

shirts, Blankets and comforters of every kind we have in stock; union suits, cotton and wool; blankets, cotton, part cotton, wool, part wool, all wool; comforters, cotton, part cotton, wool and feather filled.

## Blankets

A pair \$10.00 Blankets for	\$7.50
A pair \$14.50 Blankets for	\$10.88
A pair \$17.50 Blankets for	\$13.17
A pair \$18.50 Blankets for	\$13.88
A pair \$19.50 Blankets for	\$14.68
A pair \$22.50 Blankets for	\$16.88

## Wool Overshirts

A \$2.50 Shirt for	\$1.88
A \$3.00 Shirt for	\$2.25
A \$3.50 Shirt for	\$2.62
A \$4.00 Shirt for	\$3.00
A \$4.50 Shirt for	\$3.37
A \$5.00 Shirt for	\$3.75
A \$6.00 Shirt for	\$4.50
A \$6.50 Shirt for	\$4.88

## Union Suits, Wool or Cotton

A \$2.00 Suit for	\$1.50
A \$2.25 Suit for	\$1.68
A \$2.50 Suit for	\$1.88
A \$3.00 Suit for	\$2.25
A \$3.50 Suit for	\$2.63
A \$4.00 Suit for	\$3.00
A \$4.50 Suit for	\$3.37
A \$5.00 Suit for	\$3.75
A \$6.00 Suit for	\$4.50
A \$6.50 Suit for	\$4.88

## Comforters, Wool or Cotton

A \$4.00 values for	\$3.00	A \$7.50 value for	\$5.63
A \$5.00 value for	\$3.75	A \$11.00 value for	\$8.25
A \$6.00 value for	\$4.05	A \$14.50 value for	\$10.80
A \$6.50 value for	\$4.88		

## Overcoats

A \$17.50 value for	\$13.13
A \$18.50 value for	\$13.50
A \$22.50 value for	\$16.88
A \$25.00 value for	\$18.75
A \$27.50 value for	\$20.68
A \$30.00 value for	\$22.50
A \$35.00 value for	\$26.25
A \$47.50 value for	\$35.63

## Plainview Mercantile Co.

Burns &amp; Pearce, Props.



## Y. W. A. of Baptist Church

Met With Mrs. Pearce

The Y. W. A. girls met with Mrs. C. A. Pearce, Thursday at 5 o'clock. The topic was "Christian Americanization."

Leader—Miss Ida Chrisler.

Song—"America."

Scripture—Ruth 1:15-19.

Prayer—Mrs. Pearce.

"What is Americanization?"—Merl Marrs.

"Why is Americanization Necessary?"—Lucia Miller.

"How is Americanization to be Achieved?"—Louise Holcombe.

"Tragedy of Americanization," a story told by Miss Effie Murphy.

Vocal solo—"A Little Bit of Love."—Lacy Dalton.

Committee on furnishing Wayland college guest room reported the buying of the draperies, linens and rugs. The linens were distributed among the guests to embroidery. At the social hour chicken sandwiches and tea were served.

The tea rooms will be open Saturday at the Citizens National Bank.

## Home Economics Club

The Home Economics club will meet Tuesday evening at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. J. F. Duncan, with Mrs. R. A. Underwood, leader.

## Musical Program Monday Night

The musical program which Mrs. Barnes was to have given the first of the month was postponed on account of the flu situation. She now plans to give the program next Monday night, Feb. 23, in the high school auditorium.

Little Miss Vanderpool, assisted by different groups of the class, will render the program, and a cordial in-

itation is extended to everyone to attend.

## Good Road to West Line

We have heard several persons mention the road improvements on the Plainview and Olton road. They say Commissioner M. C. Cornelius has the road in his precinct well graded and in good shape, and Commissioner L. W. Sloneker has the road crew at work on the road in his precinct and is fast getting it properly graded. When he gets through with his part of the road it will be one of the best roads on the Plains. They propose to drag the road after rains.

There is no question but what the present commissioners are interested in good roads, and are doing the best they can to improve them.

## Piggly Wiggly Will Close Out

The Piggly Wiggly grocery store is to close out its stock of goods and leave Plainview. A special sale will be put on next week. The firm has been here about eighteen months. Recently a \$30,000,000 syndicate bought all the Piggly Wiggly stores in the United States.

## Only Three More States Needed

New Mexico ratified the woman's suffrage amendment Wednesday. Oklahoma will do so next week. Only three more states will then be necessary to put it into effect. They are sure within a month.

## Barriers Erecting Brick Building

The Barrier Bros. Dry Goods Co., which has stores in Plainview, Floydada, Lubbock and Brownfield, are erecting a modern brick store building in Brownfield.

## DRESSED DOMESTIC RABBITS

Panhandle Produce Company will buy your tame rabbits dressed, heads and feet off, 23c per pound for young rabbits and 19c per pound for old rabbits. West of passenger depot.

## Making Studies of Volcanoes.

The department of agriculture has begun the extensive observation of the volcanoes in the United States and insular possessions and has recently taken formal charge of the observatory on Kilauea, Hawaiian Islands. Prof. T. A. Jaggar, Jr., formerly of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who has been director of the observatory since its foundation, will remain in charge. The investigations at Kilauea were begun in 1912 under the auspices of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and since 1913 have been maintained at the expense of the Hawaiian Research association, consisting chiefly of residents of Honolulu. It is expected that the weather bureau's work in volcanology will be developed in many details and eventually be extended to Alaska and other regions under the control of the United States in which active volcanoes exist.

## Britain's Old Warships.

A great clearance of old warships has been ordered by the British admiralty. The decree will affect no fewer than 170 ships, all of which saw service in the war, and some played a distinguished part. Nine battleships are included. They are: Africa, Dominon, Hindustan, Duncan, Exmouth, Albemarle, Canopus, Jupiter, Redoubtable. The first three were built between 1903 and 1905, and the Duncan group dates from 1901. The Jupiter was completed in 1897, the Canopus in 1899, and the Redoubtable (ex-Revenge) was already on the list for sale as out of date when the war began. She was rescued from the mother-bank, and specially fitted as a supermonitor to bombard the Belgian coast.—New York Post.

## Too Suggestive.

Sandy Pikes—You didn't remain at de wayside cottage long?  
Citty George—No, de lady was too poetical. She pointed over to de sunset and said de clouds reminded her of bars of steel. I thought it was time to heat it.

WANTED—Green and dry hides.  
D. Rucker Produce Co.



## First Methodist Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. by Dr. Ernest E. Robinson.

As the influenza situation has improved considerably, the pastor would be glad to see a large attendance of the membership at all services Sunday.

All are cordially invited to attend.

## For Endowment of Swanee University

Rev. E. C. Seaman, pastor of the Episcopal church in Amarillo, was here last Friday, working in behalf of the endowment of Swanee University, the well-known Episcopal school in Tennessee.

## Epworth League Program for February 22nd

Subject—Christian Principles in Industry.

Leader—Miss Willie Young.

Devotional.

Scripture Lesson—Micah 6:8, Math. 7:12.

Topic—Some Results of Present Day Industry.—Miss Nobbie Page.

Topic—Illustration of Christian Principles in Industry.—Mrs. E. E. Robinson.

## Williams Appointed State Surveyor

W. J. Williams of this county has just received a commission from the state board of land surveyor examiners at Austin appointing him a licensed state surveyor for life. This is the first commission of the kind given in Hale county, 29 years ago.

FEED FOR SALE  
All kinds feed stuff, delivered once daily. Try cottonseed hulls, cheapest.—Sanson & Son. 72-tf.

## HALE CENTER

Feb. 20.—The public school will likely re-open next Monday, following the flu epidemic.

Mrs. Chas. Bakker of Gentry, Ark., is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Springer.

A. J. Baker was in Tulia on business Tuesday.

Our girls will play the Lockney girls a game of basket ball at Lockney today.

J. C. Terry, Jo. W. Wayland and Pollard Smith of Plainview, came over Wednesday.

Mrs. Velma Wafford of Lubbock was with her father, Judd Lymann Braudt, during his illness and death.

Miss Beulah Cole was in Plainview Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Yates visited in Plainview Tuesday.

A daughter of "Dock" Scott, who lives twelve miles northwest of Hale Center, was the victim of a runaway accident yesterday noon. Miss Scott suffered her right arm broken and other severe bruises and cuts.—Record.

The fire department was called to the residence of M. F. Brashear yesterday afternoon, to put out a fire caused by some trash burning in the yard. Several panels of fence was burned.

Remember the Hogue Tailoring Co. has moved to the old Home Restaurant building. They do all kinds of tailoring in the best way. See them in their new place of business.

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## Watson's Business College News

The students of the college have organized an athletic association, and will encourage all kinds of athletics. The boys have been out several afternoons this week practicing, and it looks like now we are going to have an A1 base ball nine. We expect to have several match games here during the season. Plans for a first class foot ball team next fall are being discussed now.

All students who have been ill for the past few days are convalescent and most of them have returned to school.

Alma Sargent has accepted a position with the Harvest Queen Mills.

Bettie Cheyne is doing stenographic work in the county clerk's office.

We are in receipt of a letter from Myrtle Bryan, who has recently accepted an excellent position with Nobles Bros. Grocer Co., of Amarillo. Until recently she has been working for the Commerce Farm Credit Co. of Amarillo.

Bessie Mae Fowler recently accepted a position with a prominent firm of Amarillo.

Ruby Daniel was called to her home at Abernathy today, on account of serious illness of an aunt.

Jones Goode went to Tulia, Thursday on business.

## Cecil Munger Funeral Yesterday

The funeral of Cecil Munger, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Munger, took place yesterday afternoon from the family home north of the depot, Rev. G. I. Britain conducting the service. Interment was in Plainview cemetery.

The deceased was killed at Mountain Home, in West-Central Idaho, Friday, when he was crushed between the couplings of two cars on the Oregon Short Line railroad, he being employed as a brakeman. His body was almost mashed in two, and death was instant. He was twenty-one years of age.

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### Visits of the Stork

Born to Mr. and Mrs.:

- T. G. Scheihagen, Kress, Jan. 30, girl; named Veronecia Marguerite.
- E. H. Cheves, Plainview, Jan. 27, boy; named Harley Murle.
- Wm. W. Wrenn, Plainview, Feb. 2, girl; named Frances Louis.
- Terry D. Lomax, Plainview, Feb. 15, girl.
- Gay H. Pryor, Plainview, Feb. 15, boy.

C. C. Logan, four miles southwest of Plainview, Jan. 22, boy; named Jos. Dewey.

A. L. Bailey, Plainview, Jan. 3y, boy; named Morgan Cannady.

Fred W. Wilkinson, Plainview, Feb. 15, girl; named Margery Mae.

A. W. Upchurch, a son of Rev. J. T. Upchurch of Arlington, recently entered into co-partnership with W. L. Hogue in the tailoring business.

### ROUND ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Augspurger of Tulla is here today, making arrangements for the opening of the Case Machinery agency which Vaughn & Augspurger are opening in Plainview.

W. G. Botts, the Kress merchant and justice of the peace, was here Tuesday afternoon. He says the Swisher county grader is at Kress ready to grade the new road, along the westside of the railroad, to the Hale county line.

L. N. Dalmont is here for a few days attending to business affairs. He and his family moved to near Hobbs, N. M., the first of the year where they own a farm. He says they are pleased with their new home. Mr. Dalmont was owner of Plainview Nursery for eighteen years. He has a legion of friends in Hale county, who wish him and his family prosperity.

C. O. Moore and family are here from their Castro county ranch. They are moving to near Memphis in Hall county, so Mrs. Moore can be in a somewhat lower altitude on account of her health. Mr. Moore was over there a few days ago making arrangements to move. He says very large crops of cotton and other products were raised the past year and the people are very prosperous.

The Hogue Tailoring Co. has moved to the old Home Restaurant building, which they have fitted up, and are now better able to care for the needs of their patrons. Call upon them in their new stand.

R. S. Pipkin and J. H. Jones of Canyon had business in Plainview Wednesday.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Ed. F. Mann of Lubbock is here today.

R. O. Fields of Floydada was here Wednesday.

S. H. Windham of Tahoka was here yesterday.

D. H. Culton of Tulla had business here Wednesday.

Gid Jowell of Tulla had business here yesterday.

L. A. Weeks of Ralls had business here Tuesday.

F. Davenport of Amarillo was here yesterday.

G. M. Rogers of Idalou is here today on business.

C. H. Poff of Tulla, was here yesterday on business.

Peyton Randolph has legal business in Amarillo today.

J. C. Kellar of Plains, Yoakum county, was here yesterday.

Robert Reed and Hugh Nelson of Lometa were here yesterday.

J. C. Whicker and Mr. Street of Littlefield were here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Shirey of Hurley are in Plainview on business.

J. A. Johnson and Wm. Easter of Dimmitt were in town Wednesday.

R. A. Long returned this morning from the Eastland county oil fields.

J. B. Maxey left yesterday afternoon for business trip to Wichita Falls.

Chas. H. Sandy and George E. Wynn of McPherson, Kans., are here prospecting.

Rev. H. Bascom Watts, pastor of the Lockney Methodist church, was here Tuesday.

W. F. White left yesterday morning for a business trip to Clarendon and Memphis.

Mrs. Pennington of near Silverton was here yesterday visiting her father, D. W. McGlasson.

Nath Burckett left this morning for Coleman to get an automobile that he left there last fall.

N. Lamberg of Meeteetse Wyoming was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dollar Wednesday.

Mrs. James Stewart and children have returned to Eastland after visiting relatives here.

Miss Myrtle Beck returned to Plainview Wednesday after a few weeks' visit at Petersburg.

Mrs. D. M. Cooke went to Amarillo Wednesday to spend several days with Mrs. C. D. Powell.

E. L. Doland, district plant chief of the Southwestern Telephone Co., was here from Amarillo Spunday.

Mrs. R. M. Hester returned this morning to her home in Abernathy after visiting Mrs. L. D. Griffin.

M. J. Baird is in his office again, after a siege with the flu. His wife and children are also recovering.

S. R. Ware, A. E. Johnson, J. D. Young and C. B. Lee of Sparta, Tenn. are here. They are here prospecting.

H. G. Maddox and family have returned to Plainview and he has become a salesman in Reinken's store.

J. R. Webb of Portales and Paul Ellis of Silver City, N. M., were registered at the Broadway hotel yesterday.

Surrey Henry of Sweetwater spent Wednesday and Thursday here visiting his two sons, Douglas and Milton Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Gillette leave today with their household goods for Atlanta, Ga., where they will make their home.

Max Jacobs of Wolfe City is here visiting his brother, J. L. Jacobs, and looking after interests connected with the local store.

J. N. Donohoo returned this week from a stay of more than four months

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We have fitted up the old Home Restaurant building on Broadway street as a modern tailoring shop, and have moved to it. We are better able to care for the needs of our patrons in cleaning, pressing and repairing clothing. We also carry the samples of most dependable tailoring firms, and guarantee satisfaction in materials and fit. Phone us at 398, and we will do the rest.

## Hogue Tailoring Company

in Los Angeles. Mrs. Donohoo stopped in Roswell, N. M., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Slaughter. Mr. Donohoo says Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hughes will not likely return from California for quite a while. Harold Hughes has a position in a Los Angeles bank. George Bennett left Tuesday night for a prospecting trip to Arizona. He and his family are contemplating moving to that state.

### Mrs. C. R. Houston Buried

The funeral of Mrs. C. R. Houston took place Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist church, a very large concourse of sorrowing friends attending. Rev. G. H. Bryant of Hale Center and Dr. E. E. Robinson of this city conducted the service. The music was especially impressive, and the floral offerings were beautiful and numerous. Interment followed at the cemetery.

The out-of-town relatives present were Mr. Grigsby, a brother, from Ada, Okla., Miss Ruby Houston, a niece, student in Canyon Normal, and Mr. Houston, father-in-law, from Lampasas.

### Hickman Sells and Buys

A. M. Hickman this week sold his residence, near the Central school building, better known as the J. D. Hatcher place, to Miss Lula Blair Neal, who will March 1st occupy same with her parents. Mr. Hickman and family will move to the J. D. Jones place of five acres northwest of Plainview near the Leach place, which they have bought.

### Sold 580-Pound Hog

Mose Yowell, who lives west of Plainview, sold a hog to Watson & Son today that weighed 580 pounds. It was twenty months old.

FOR SALE—The Plainview Grist mill. 81-81-p

### GET READY TO HANDLE

#### BIG WHEAT CROP CHEAPLY

Combination Binder-Thresher Outfit Will Handle Harvest at \$1.25 An Acre

Mr. F. G. Hinckley, special agent for the Holt Tractor Co., who is at the Wayland Hotel, said to the News editor this morning "Tell the farmers if they are interested in a combination binder-thresher outfit, with a 24-ft. cut, that I would be glad to see them while I am here, during the coming week. My company is now ready to make prompt delivery of these combination outfits, but will not likely be able to do so a little later when the orders begin to pile up close to the harvest season.

"It looks logical that farmers and grain-raisers should investigate this combination outfit, as under the old plan of harvesting and threshing the cost will be with scarce and priced labor approximately \$1.25 an acre, whereas with the combination outfit the cost, with three men operating it, is approximately \$1.25 and a saving of \$13.75 an acre.

"These combination outfits have been successfully operated in the big grain growing sections of the North and Northwest for between twenty-five and thirty years, and have proven a success."

Mr. Hinckley stresses the point that orders should be placed at once, so that delivery can be made in plenty of time for the harvest, which is not long off.

Mr. Hinckley would also be glad to confer with anyone who is interested in having a Holt caterpillar tractor, which is a powerful machine and will plow sixty acres of land in a day. For the Plains, he is satisfied, the Holt caterpillar is the best tractor that can be bought.

# Men's Suits Reduced

We have put on sale a limited number of Men's and Young Men's

## Suits

At a reduction of  
**20 Per Cent**  
 from our low fall prices

There are one or two sizes of a kind but most all sizes are represented in this lot.

Since the reduced prices enable you to purchase one or two of these suits

**Away Under the Spring Prices**

We unhesitatingly recommend these suits as

**"A Good Buy"**

Quantity is limited, and they are going fast.

## REINKEN'S

Clothing and Shoe Store  
 A Good Place to Trade



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## New Realty Firm

The Plains Realty Co. is a new firm. It is composed of J. A. Sneed, president, recently from Eastland county; L. J. Warren, the well known grocer, vice president; and S. W. Reynolds, late of Eastland, secretary-treasurer. The offices are in the Warren Grocery store, eastside square.

List your lands with us. If you want to buy see us. We have the best connections with people in the oil fields who wish to invest in Plains lands.

**Plains Realty Company**

**WE WELCOME NEWCOMERS**

MAY YOU FEEL AT HOME HERE



### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to Democratic primary.

For District Attorney:  
CHARLES CLEMENTS, Plainview.  
AUSTIN C. HATCHELL

For Representative:  
T. M. ADAMS

For County Tax Assessor:  
GEO. J. BOSWELL  
W. H. MURPHY.

For County Judge:  
L. D. GRIFFIN  
L. W. SLONEKER.

For County and District Clerk:  
J. P. HOWARD.  
JO. W. WAYLAND

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
JOHN VAUGHN  
E. E. MONZINGO  
BEN E. MITCHELL  
J. C. TERRY,  
CARL C. BROWN

For County Treasurer:  
J. M. JOHNSON.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:  
G. MARSHAL PHELPS.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:  
E. B. SHANKLES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:  
R. T. BARBEE.  
H. R. TARWATER.

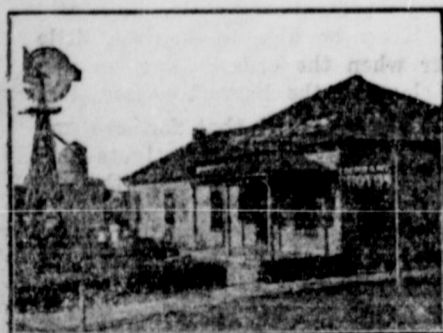
### CITY ELECTION

For Mayor:  
CHAS. F. VINCENT

For City Marshal:  
P. H. ANDREWS  
JOHN BLAIR  
CHARLES WILSON.

For City Secretary:  
GEO. SAIGLING  
B. H. TOWERY

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Auctioneer  
KRESS, TEXAS

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**DR. L. STAAR**  
O TOMETRIST

Expert Glass-fitter. Repairing done. Upstairs over Shifflet Grocery Store.

Carl Gilliland of Hereford and Mark Coward of Dimmitt were here yesterday on business.

## HALE COUNTY NEWS

### PETERSBURG

The flu has subsided to some extent, and school has opened again.

Dr. Hannah reports only a few cases of pneumonia.

The death of Mrs. Alice Hassell White, beloved wife of Rev. Henry White, of pneumonia, caused a wave of sorrow to hang over our community last week. Mrs. White has lived here most of her life and has many relatives and friends who are grieved at her going. She leaves her husband, father, mother, five sons and one daughter.

Charlie White is here from New Mexico and Dennis White from El Paso, having been called home during the serious illness of their mother.

Melvin Henry is entertaining his mother in his home. She has been ill, but has recovered.

Miss Ada Darby of Lubbock has been here with her sister, Miss Lena Darby, during her illness.

Fred Wiese of Lorenzo spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Jerrel Mayo, who has been very ill in Oklahoma City has returned home.

The Wm. Britt sale on Monday was well attended and everything sold to suit the owner. Quite a few candidates were present making their wants known.

Mrs. Renshaw died Monday night, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Will Gartin. The Gartin family were all sick with flu and she went over to be with them and took pneumonia which proved fatal. Rev. Chas. Fisher had charge of the funeral.

Little Kenneth Gregory has been sick the past week, but is better.

### WHITFIELD

Feb. 19.—We are having some beautiful weather. Everybody is busy hauling their grain.

There has been a lot of sickness in our community but some are able to be up again.

Mr. Ollie Wallace is real sick. Mr. W. A. Williamson and wife went to Plainview Thursday.

Mr. T. J. Garner and family visited their son, John, Sunday.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Foster has been real sick.

Mrs. T. V. Randolph has returned home. She has been to attend her sick father near Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hamilton and family have returned from East Texas and say they saw lots of country, but not any that come up with the Plains.

Mrs. H. P. Walling went to Plainview Thursday.

Jesse Hamilton has gone to work at the Farmers' Elevator at Tullia, and will move his family there soon. The school has closed here for two weeks on account of sickness.

Mr. Williamson and Jesse Hamilton and family went to Tullia Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Alton Blackerby and family have recovered from the flu and are at home again.

### KRESS

Feb. 19.—School started again on Monday morning, with most of the scholars present.

Mrs. Edd H. Rudd and children left a few days ago for Fort Worth. They will also go to Arlington and visit a few days there with the mother of Mrs. Rudd.

Gyrdie Skipworth is on the sick list this week.

Geo. Houser has resigned his position with the Santa Fe.

Relatives were visiting in the home of Mrs. G. Davenport Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Vinson left the latter part of last week for Wichita Falls where they were called to the bedside of the father of Mrs. Vinson.

M. E. Degge was in Plainview Tuesday on business.

Mrs. H. T. Sefton is in Plainview as relief operator for the Santa Fe. She was accompanied there by Miss Edna Adkisson.

I. E. Botts and family left Tuesday. They are moving to Rogers, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rousser have moved to their farm near Kress.

There was regular Sunday school and church services here Sunday.

### WILL BUY AND IMPROVE TWO PARK SITES

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 15.—Following a joint conference with the Park Commissioners of both Slaton and Lubbock, the County Commissioners of this county today authorized the purchase and improvement of two county parks, one at Slaton and one at this point. The Lubbock city and county park site consists of an eighty acre tract lying just east of Lubbock and situated partly in the Yellow-house Canyon and merging into a level tract which adjoins the city limits on the east.

According to the prediction of statistical experts, there'll be one automobile to every two families in the United States by January, 1921.

### Down to Our "Stoar"

You can get:	
4 lbs. Coffee for	\$1.00
9 lbs. Navy Beans for	\$1.00
10 lbs. Pink Beans for	\$1.00
5 lbs. Lima Beans for	\$1.00
3 lbs. XXXX Coffee for	\$1.00
Large Cottolen	\$3.00
Medium Crisco for	\$2.25
Large Compound	\$2.50
Family Size Crackers	40c
All kinds of cakes	2 for 35c
P. & G. White Soap	3 for 25c

Also just received a car of fine apples and the price is right, wholesale or retail. Let us have your orders.

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### EASTSIDE CAFE

L. R. CREWS, Proprietor  
MEALS AT ALL HOURS  
A Most Complete Line of Short Orders  
CHICKEN DINNER EVERY SUNDAY

### Patton House

C. H. PATTON, Prop.  
Opposite Overall's Barn  
Meals 35c Beds 25c and 50c

The railroads, when they go back to private operation, will make a fight against freight being handled by trucks. They propose to enter into active competition. If they expect to win they will have to speed up delivery of freight.

"Economy is near the keystone of character and success. A boy that is taught to save his money will rarely be a bad man or a failure. The man who saves will rise in his trade or profession steadily; this is inevitable."—Gladstone.

# FEDERAL

## Solid Carload TUBES AND TIRES

Four styles to meet every demand:

**GUARANTEED:**

- Cord Casings, 10,000 miles
- Extra Ply Rigid Casings, 7,500 miles
- Traffic Casings, 6,000 miles
- Smooth Casings, 6,000 miles

Federals are the standard tires for the Plains.

**Get \$15 Free**

We will give the man, woman or child who estimates closest to the number of casings in this car \$15.00 in merchandise. It costs nothing to make an estimate. Come in and register your estimate.

**McGLASSON-ARMSTRONG RUBBER CO.**

In Auto Row

# PUBLIC SALE

THURSDAY, FEB. 26th

1 1-2 miles north of Mayfield School House, 4 miles south and 1 mile west of Halfway, sale beginning at 10 o'clock.

### 11 HORSES

- One Roan Horse, 10 years old.
- Two Brown Horses, smooth mouth.
- One Gray Mare, 4 years old.
- One Bay Mare, with foal, 11 yrs.
- One Brown Filley, 1 year old.
- One Mule, 2 years old.
- One Saddle Pony, 3 years old.
- One Black Horse, smooth mouth.

### Farm Implements

- One Deering Row Binder.
- One P. & O. Lister. One Hack.
- One 6 shovel Cultivator.
- One Stern Plow. 1 Satley Planter.
- One Disc Harrow. 3 sets Harness.
- One 5-section Harrow.
- One Lister Cultivator or Go-Deviils.
- Two Wagons, good.

### 20 CATTLE

- One Red Cow, part Jersey.
- One Whiteface Cow, part Jersey.
- One Motley-faced Cow.
- Three Whiteface Cows.
- One Durham Cow.
- One part Holstein Cow.
- One Hereford Bull, 3 years old.
- Three Steer Yearlings.
- One Heifer Yearling. 7 Calves.

### Household Goods

- 1 Majestic Range. 1 Good Heater.
- 1 8-ft. Dining Table. 1 Rocker.
- 2 Work Tables. 2 Cupboards.
- 6 Chairs. 2 Iron Beds.
- 3 pair Spring. 1 Iron Kettle, large.

### Hogs, 4 Shoats

Some Rhode Island Red Chickens, good.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under cash; on sums over \$10 12 months' time will be given purchaser on good approved bankable notes bearing 10 per cent interest from date of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

FREE LUNCH ON GROUND

**F. W. SEVERS, Owner**

W. A. NASH, Auctioneer

# HAPPY CHILDHOOD

Childhood days are happy days to the robust child; they are intended to be days of growth.

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

brings to a child that is not thriving, power that sustains strength—substance that determines growth. Scott's is concentrated tonic-nourishment which is readily assimilated and transmuted into strength.

Give Scott's Emulsion to growing children often.

The exclusive grade of cod-liver oil used in Scott's Emulsion is the famous "S. & B. Process," made in Norway and refined in our own American Laboratories. It is a guarantee of purity and palatability unsurpassed.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.



## Carrying a Ton a Mile for less than a Cent

Freight rates have played a very small part in the rising cost of living.

Other causes—the waste of war, under-production, credit inflation—have added dollars to the cost of the necessities of life, while freight charges have added only cents.

The average charge for hauling a ton of freight a mile is less than a cent.

A suit of clothing that sold for \$30 before the war was carried 2,265 miles by rail from Chicago to Los Angeles for 16½ cents.

Now the freight charge is 22 cents and the suit sells for \$50.

The cost of the suit has increased 20 dollars.

The freight on it has increased only 5½ cents.

Other transportation charges enter into the cost of the finished article—carrying the wool to the mills and the cloth to the tailors—but these other charges amount to but a few cents more.

The \$10 pair of shoes that used to sell for \$5 goes from the New England factory to the Florida dealer for a freight charge of 5½ cents—only one cent more than the pre-war rate.

Beef pays only two-thirds of a cent a pound freight from Chicago to New York.

American freight rates are the lowest in the world.

This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York.

### ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoacetic-acidester of Salicylic acid.

### "DIAMOND DYE" OLD GARMENTS LIKE NEW

Any woman can dye faded, shabby wearing apparel, whether wool, silk, cotton, linen or mixed goods to any color, just like new, by following simple directions in each package of "Diamond Dyes."

### SOUTH IS TURNING AGAINST CALOMEL

Mr. Dodson, the "Liver Tone" Man, Responsible for Change for the Better

Every druggist in town has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it." Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle doesn't cost very much but if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, just ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconveniences all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day.

Continued from Page 3) past. It was Jefferson, founder of the party, who advocated a change in the Constitution every twenty years, because, he said, the people of one generation should not be governed by men no longer on earth. Jefferson did not go back to the "fathers." He looked to the future."

### INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT

Eight hundred clergymen, of twenty different denominations, representing 175 Texas counties, are attending the state conference of the Interchurch World Movement in Dallas this week. Two hundred women of these denominations are in conference also, relative to woman's work in the church.

The Interchurch World Movement is for the purpose of bringing the evangelical Christian churches closer together in their work for Christianizing the world. It is for the purpose of carrying on church work more effectively and economically; of taking up all the "lost motion."

Secretary of State Robert Lansing and John R. Mott, head of the American Red Cross, are head officers of the movement.

There is no question but what this organization is timely. The present methods of carrying on religious work is a travesty upon the prayer of the Saviour; it is wasteful, and inefficient. There are in small towns from two to a half-dozen weak struggling churches where there should be one strong organization, well supported, well organized and capable of doing a powerful work in the community.

Christ was not wasteful—he had the broken pieces of bread and fish scattered to the multitude, but it is safe to say half the effort and money put into present-day church work is wasted.

There are several central truths in Christianity that all Christians believe; there are hundreds of non-essential beliefs and it is upon these that the hundreds of divisions are based. It would be better to give man the right to believe as he pleases on non-essentials.

If the Interchurch World Movement succeeds in what it is striving to do, the world is going to be Christianized more rapidly than ever before.

The editor of the News has never asked to be helped along by legislation. He has always "bucked" the game, and asked no odds from anybody. When he wanted to own a printing office of his own, he saved his earnings until he got enough to make the supply house a large enough payment to secure it; then he worked like the dickens and economized until he paid it out. When he wanted a home he didn't ask the government to pass a law to "make it easy" for him to own a home—he bought the home on a small payment, then worked and saved until it was freed from debt. It's the same with everything else he and his family own—it has meant hard work and economy on the part of himself and wife.—Any other man or woman can do as well as we have—for hard work, economy and thrift always win out. We are favorable to legislation that will help people own homes, will help people own farms, will help people to be independent in time—but we have little patience with a person who relies upon legislation to help him do something he can do for himself. Hard work, long hours of work; economy, doing without things that are unnecessary; thrift, the taking advantage of opportunities—will make anybody independent in time, and fortress him with something to keep the wolf from the door when old age approaches. Too few people practice these homely virtues; the world would be happier if more did so.

Civilization moves slowly, but it moves forward all the time. The Arnold law providing for the whipping of women has just been repealed in one of the larger cities of the United States. It had not been invoked for a long time, however.

We are willing to bet that not a town or city in Texas will show up when the census figures are given out with as many people as it has been claiming to have.

Mr. Hoover is having a hard time deciding which party he belongs to. If he is as good a man as we believe him to be, he is of course a democrat.

John D. Rockefeller is said to now be worth 700 million dollars. Be it said to his credit, however, he is using it for bettering the world and making people healthier, more intelligent and happier. Then, he will leave it here when he dies.

The governors of New Jersey, Rhode Island and Connecticut—three of the smallest states—are planning to fight national prohibition, because it "violates the federal constitution

and is against state's rights." These three states helped to shoot state's rights out of the Confederacy in 1861-65, but that was a different matter—New Jersey, Rhode Island and Connecticut had no slaves, having sold them to the Southern people. Now, they want to drink booze and continue as slaves of John Barleycorn. Nation-wide prohibition is a fact; it has come to stay. Why should three pee-wee states try to overturn the will of a great nation? Does the tail ever wag the dog?

Some men were born for trouble. Some men see only the sombre side of the cloud, they never try to find the silver lining. Editor Sam Braswell of the Clarendon News is at times a pessimist; he has night-mares of the country going to the bow-wows because it moves forward. At times he seems to be afraid the sphere will collide with other spheres because it moves forward on its axis instead of standing in one place and spinning round. To him "there is no balm in Gilead" so far as Texas political matters are concerned. He declares Fat Ned's platform has socialist planks in it, and this is not all; he is confident that the platforms of all the other candidates will be tintured and spoiled with socialism. Sam is "shore agin" socialism—so are we. But what is to most people democracy is "pizened socialism" to Sam. He argued that woman's suffrage was calculated to ruin womanhood and the state and nation. But why should Sam be an alarmist? In Texas the people vote on governors; the majority rules; and being democrats why not let the people rule? If the majority can stand for a thing we can, and Sam should be willing to endure it.

Senator Capper of Kansas declares the profiteers are doing far more harm to the country than all the ravings and bomb-plotting of the anarchists; in fact, he charges, they are no better than the reds, for while the reds destroy property with fire and bomb the profiteers steal the substance of the people in the same way the highwayman does—makes them stand and deliver. They are plunderers. The Kansas senator says profiteers should be put in prison. While just what constitutes profiteering is rather a hard question to answer in every case, there is no getting around the fact that the sin is very prevalent and widespread, and the producer and ultimate consumer are being fleeced good and proper. It seems that the present anti-monopoly laws should and could be invoked, and it is a cinch that profiteers should be put in prison when convicted. Fining a profiteer a hundred or thousand dollars when he has robbed the people of a hundred thousand or a million dollars is ridiculous, and breeds contempt for law and justice. A term in the penitentiary is calculated to put a crimp on a profiteer.

### IN A MINOR STRAIN

The average married woman is of the opinion that wives are entitled to a lot more sympathy than widows.

In most every town there is a bunch of men who do not have to take lessons to learn how to loaf in first-class style.

The man or woman who is not better off next month than he is this month has only himself to blame.

There was a time when every time you saw a red-headed girl you would see a white horse. But nowadays every time you see a red-headed girl you see nine flivers.

Don't you reckon that mules often think that men are very stubborn critters?

A Floydada preacher says the automobile is a menace to religions. Guess he is right about it, for a fellow can't think of many scriptural quotations when he has a blow-off or gets struck in a mudhole.

This would be a nicer world if we were as regular in leaving unsaid the things we should not have said as we are in leaving undone the things we should have done.

### BACK BAD TODAY?

Backache is usually kidney-ache and makes you dull, nervous and tired. Use Doan's Kidney Pills for weak kidneys—the remedy recommended by your friends and neighbors.

Mrs. C. S. Busby, Plainview, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills often and on for sometime when in need of a kidney remedy. My back ached at times and when I stooped over to pick up anything sharp pains would shoot through my back and up through my shoulders. My back was also weak and lame. When suffering from these attacks I can't lift anything. My kidneys also get out of order, weak and act irregular. When I feel these attacks coming on I use Doan's Kidney Pills and a few doses of this medicine never fail to fix my kidneys up and put me in good shape. I know Doan's Kidney Pills are a good kidney remedy."

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## HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady. Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.—Mrs. Dallas Price, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child... I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all. I was so awfully nervous that I could scarcely endure the least noise. My condition was getting worse all the time... I knew I must have some relief or me and I was soon on the road to health. After the use of about 5 bottles, I could do all my house-work and attend to my six children besides."

You can feel safe in giving Cardui a thorough trial for your troubles. It contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs, but is composed of mild, vegetable, medicinal ingredients with no bad after-effects. Thousands of women have voluntarily written, telling of the good Cardui has done them. It should help you, too. Try it.

## NASTY COLDS ARE RELIEVED AT ONCE

"Pape's Cold Compound" then breaks up a cold in a few hours

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all gripe misery.

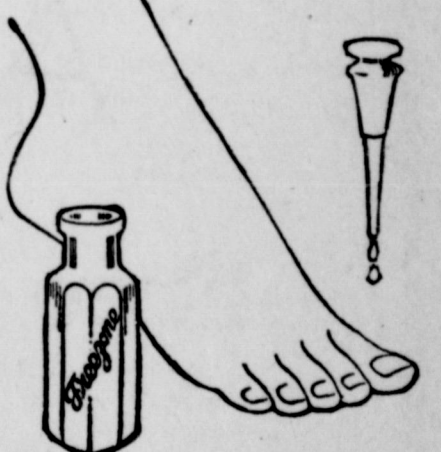
The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—insist upon Pape's!

Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Busby had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

## LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

HEARTBURN

or heaviness after meals the most annoying manifestations of acid dyspepsia.

DR. HALL'S CATARRH CURE

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## Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

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"Save and teach all you are interested in to save; thus pave the way for moral and material success."—Thomas Jefferson.

# Some Sure Money-Makers

For Sale By  
**Perry & Cram**

## FARM PROPERTY

**\$50.00 Per Acre**  
Dandy 80 acre farm; 70 acres in cultivation; 15 acres early wheat; good young bearing orchard; 15 acre hog lot; 4 room house; shed stables; garage; granary; well and mill. Located on daily mail route. Might put this in as part payment on improved 160 acre farm.

**\$42.50**  
160 acre farm. No lakes. 100 acres in cultivation, bearing fruit trees, well and mill, 4 room house, shed stables.

**\$35.00**  
320 acres about 12 miles from Plainview, fenced. No buildings.

**\$50.00**  
320 acres, northeast of Plainview, 225 under cultivation, 175 acres in wheat, 35 acres oats, large house, good barn, 20 acres fenced hog tight, 3 good wells, large tank. Farm rented for this year, purchaser gets rentals. This is a fine farm, and very cheap.

**\$50.00**  
Fine section, well improved, 150 acres of wheat, large barn and large house. Nearly \$2,000 worth of farm machinery goes with farm. 3 1-2 miles to market.

**\$65.00**  
640 acre farm, 8 miles from Plainview, 5 room house, shed stables, well and mill, garage, etc. 320 acres under cultivation. Close to school.

**\$22.50**  
120 acres southwest of Hale Center and northwest of Abernathy, 10 miles west of Alley switch. This is a pick-up. Good terms on part. \$1,500 will handle it.

## SUBURBAN HOMES

**\$1,880.00**—5 acre block, 4 room house, shed stables. West side.  
**\$1,050.00**—Beautiful 6 acre block, fenced. No buildings. Close to Wayland.  
**\$5,000.00**—12 acre block, 4 room house, cellar, well and mill. West side.  
**\$5,000.00**—5 acre block, about 8 blocks from court house, good 5 room house, sheds, stables, chicken houses, well and mill, lots of fruit and shade trees. This is a splendid buy. Raise your own living.

## CITY PROPERTY

**\$6,000.00**  
6 room stucco house, double floors, basement, bath, electric lights, sleeping porch, garage, chicken house, 2 coal houses. Dandy home.

**\$4,000.00**  
6 room house, bath, electric lights, garage, sheds, sewer connection. Nice home. Close in.

**\$2,250.00**  
4 room house, on Houston, city water, electric lights, east front. A snap.

**\$2,500.00**  
3 room house, cement basement, well and mill, coal house, shed stable.

**\$3,500.00**  
Large 7 room house, two lots, east front, barn, well and mill. Houston street.

**\$5,500.00**  
Fine 8 room house, electric lights, bath, sewer connection, garage, large space and fruit trees, blue grass lawn, east front. This is a BIG SNAP.

**\$1,050.00**  
4 east front lots, shade and fruit trees. Well and mill. Beautiful location.

**\$1,000.00**  
75 feet east front, fine shade and fruit trees. Close in, fine location.

Teach economy. That is one of the first and highest virtues. It begins with saving money.—Abraham Lincoln.

"The one who does not and cannot save money, cannot and will not do anything else worth while."—Andrew Carnegie.

Elmer Sansom is once more on the streets, after a serious case of flu. Mrs. Sansom is fast recovering from the pneumonia.

# AVERY

## Free Service Schools

Professor E. W. Mentor and Assistants, will give instructions as to the operation and care of tractors, separators, tillage tools and other power farming machinery at the following places and dates—

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Lubbock	Feb. 26 and 27

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## SPRING FASHIONS IN READY-TO-WEAR

Notes Taken in New York by J. L. Jacobs of Jacobs Brothers Company

Mr. J. L. Jacobs of Jacobs Bros. Co. has just returned from his semi-annual buying trip to New York. In speaking of fashions, Mr. Jacobs said to the editor of the News:

"Each manufacturer whom I questioned emphasized the fact that not only were orders being placed unusually early, but every indication pointed to a remarkably successful season in ready-to-wear apparel. Perhaps a great measure of the activity is due to the undeniable charm and novelty of the new fashions.

### Suits

"The narrow shouldered, close sleeved effect is essential to an appearance of smartness in strictly tailored and semi-tailored suits. Straight lines are still retained in some models for the woman who finds rippled or pleated peplums unbecoming. They have been made very attractive, however, by the use of embroidery, groups of pin tucks, band trimmings made up of narrow silk braid, or bright shiny buttons set in close rows on the pockets, sleeves and peplums.

"Except for strictly tailored models, almost every suit shows an exceedingly narrow cloth belt which either crosses in the front and is buttoned at the sides, or in the dressier models, ties and is finished with ornamental drops of tassels.

"Collars may be the mannish notched type, shawl roll reaching bust line or below, or the long Tuxedo effect, which permits the use of a contrasting embroidered vest or reveals a soft blouse. The Tuxedo models usually fasten at the waist line with one or two buttons.

"Tricotine still leads in the higher priced garments, with serge and Polret will close seconds. Navy blue is the most popular color, with some tan and biscuit in demand. For sport wear light wool jerseys are very popular.

### Coats

"Coats are exceptionally popular in connection with the demand for taffeta, georgette and satin dresses. Sport coats are knee, three quarters, or full length, and are chiefly made in polo cloth, light weight boliva, velours, and Camel Hair. Perhaps the most popular coat of the season is the tan Polo cloth for it is within the means of every one, as it comes in inexpensive as well as expensive models. It is made with raglan or set in sleeves, large convertible or notched collars, patch pockets, and loose semi-circular back or belted effects. The latter are very practical. The belts are narrow and are of cloth or leather.

"Buttons are used sparingly as a rule.

### Dresses

"Taffetas, satins, charmeuse and Georgette give a delightful range of choice in the ready to wear frock and lend themselves admirably to the new silhouette.

Taffetas are remarkably popular, and are moving much earlier in the season than ever before. The colors most favored at present are dark blue, brown and black. There are many models with single, double or triple tunics, trimmed on the edges with pleatings, ruchings and puffings applied in various ways. There are also long hip tunics that look very smart with a narrow foundation skirt. Draped hip effects are also used, and are charming on a youthful figure. The sleeves are almost invariably elbow or three quarter length, and the bodice semi if not quite tight fitting. Neck openings are rarely untrimmed, and a small collar of self or contracting color, or a trimming like that on the tunic is applied to the sleeves or neck opening. Some tricotine and light serges will be worn.

### Blouses and Skirts

"Blouses are calculated to open the pocketbook of every lover of the exquisite and whether the price be large or small the daintiness and smartness of design are there. Blouses of Georgette are beaded by hand or machine, or inset with lace. They come in long models to wear with semi tailored suits, and the short sleeved slipover or buttoned down the back effects with or without peplums. The long sleeved blouses usually have a Tuxedo collar or shawl collar of lace, lace and georgette, or embroidered georgette to fit over the suit collar, the necks without collars are also shown.

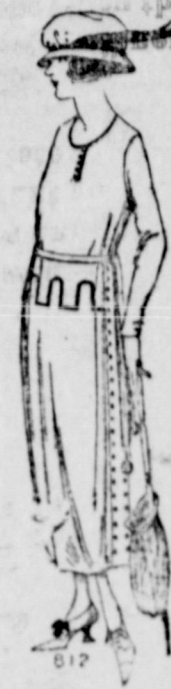
"Skirts are also shown in a great variety this season. At present plaid or striped wool shirts are most popular, but there is a great interest in silk and satin sport skirts, and fine black faille.

"Plaids are as popular as ever and come in subdued or brilliant effects. Some of the best combinations are black and white, brown bisque and Copen, gray, blue and red. Some large checks are shown, a gray and tan being very pretty."

H. E. Cannaday, the Floydada contractor and builder, is in town today.

# These Lovely Dresses

Are Winning High Popularity



Dresses this season are more showy than they have been, ranging from artistically simple styles to the most elaborate. Taffeta and Georgette are the leading fabrics, and our showing is replete with many wonderfully varied and becoming styles.

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## TODAY'S LOCAL MARKET

Eggs, per dozen	35c	Alfalfa, No. 1, ton	\$40
Butter per lb.	50c	Green Hides, lb.	16c
Butterfat, lb.	58c	The feed market continues to drop, also the wheat price is down considerably.	
Hens, lb.	24c	Poultry prices remain high.	
Fryers, lb.	21c	"Extravagance rots character train youth away from it. On the other hand, the habit of saving money it stiffens the will, also brightens the energies. If you would be sure that you are beginning right, begin to save."—Theodore Roosevelt.	
Roosters, lb.	12c		
Stags, lb. r.	10c		
Turkeys, lb.	25c		
Hogs, lb.	12c		
Wheat, No. 1, bushel	\$2.25		
Threshed maize, -00 lbs.	\$1.60		
Maize and kaffir heads, ton	\$20 to \$21		



Effective  
New Hats  
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It will do a wintry-weary eye good to see these trim, clean-cut sailors and little upflaring affairs fashioned of the brilliant Sipper straw combined either with crisp taffeta or shimmering satins, suitably trimmed.

Miss Nichols, our new millinery artist, will be more than pleased to show you this wonderful area of spring styles.

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