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WHISKEY STILL FOUND IN NORTH PART OF PLAINVIEW

TWO MEN, COPPER BOILER WITH STEAM UP AND LIQUOR CAPTURED

a whiskey still in operation was cap- Commerce, for a tour of the Republic tured by Sheriff J. C. Terry, Deputy of Mexico. They will travel on a spe-Nath Burkett, City Marshall Chas. cial train of four sleeping cars, a din-Wilson and officer D. M. Thomas, in ing car and a baggage car. Practicalen half-gallon and several quart will be in session. were captured.

Pat McLaughlin, age about fortylive in the house. They are said to trips at several points. have recutly moved here from Bell It will be a very interesting trip,

about ten gallons with a copper lin- tions, especially in reference to the ing, has a pipe running from the top, products of West Texas. through which the oil of joy oozes after being evaporated and converted. MORE BUILDING NOW Hanging in the tank is a flour sack partly filled with something like corn The tank and the jars of limash. quor are now stored in the court

Of late it has been evident that there was a still somewhere in or about Plainview, as considerable white mule has found its way into the hands of certain people. The sheriff and his deputy have been quietly working on the case, but have been handicapped by the evasiveness and downright lying of those who have been buying stuff. Gradually clews were found which pointed to the house near the lake, and yesterday the raid was made

Woman Also Arrested

Mrs. Pat McLaughlin was also artoday in connection with the rested affair.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin had an mining trial before Justice of the

The eidtor of the News will go with the party of about one hundred West Texas business men who will leave Fort Worth June 18, under the auspi-About 7:30 o'clock Monday evening ces of the West Texas Chamber of

West Texas Will Tour Mexico In

Special Train- Five Days

In City

TRADE EXCURSION TO

Boswell, N.M.

Jap) 20-20

one of the small ohuses just north- ly all the principal cities of Central east of Lake Plainview, in North Mexico will be visited and five days Plainview. A copper-lined boiler spent in the City of Mexico, where with steam up was captured, also sev- the International Trade Conference

fruit jars filled with amber colored One day will be spent in each of the following cities-Nuevo Laredo, Monterey, San Luis Potosi, Quadalajara, five years, and his nephew, Roy Mc- Irapuato, Leon, Aguas, Calientes, Laughlin, age about twenty-two, were Torreon, Satillo, where special entercomely woman of about thirty-five, the visitors. There will also be side-

county. Both McLaughlins are in and is for the purpose of promoting more friendly relations with Mexico, The boiler, a galvanized tank of and looking into better trade condi-

THAN WAS LAST YEAR

Steadily Despite Tight **Money Times**

Local lumber dealers inform us flags and banners. that there has been so far this year There was a number of business sang "America," the bugle corps more building in Plainview than houses and residences in the town sounded "Taps", the firing squad fired there was to the same date last year, properly decorated with flags and three volleys over the grave. The in fact more homes have been built bunting. The flags were at half. since January 1st than there was in mast. the first six months of 1920. At At the cemetery was a very large journment.

present more than a dozen homes are crowd of people, and the ceremonies The graves decorated were those of under construction, and fully this were held at the pavilion, a tall flag Chester Stoddard, A. B. Cousineau, at all times this spring. a flag flew at half-mast.

future that is indeed promising. ceremonial yesterday in the entire Peace Young this afternoon. He was is heard in Plainview all the time. ountry

Graves of Soldiers Who Fought in the Civil, Spanish-American and World Wars are Decorated

IMPRESSIVE MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES

Plainview paid tribute yesterday Mr. A. E. Boyd delivered the Memorning to those who fought in the orial address, in an eloquent and great world war, in the Spanish-American war and in the War be- those who fought in the wars of this and will publish the others in Friday's tween the states, by holding Memorial country, and lauded them as heroes Day exercises and decorating the such as the world had never seen. He arrested. They and Pat's wife, a tainments will be given in honor of graves of those buried in Plainview urged that we hold their brave deeds cemetery. and noble lives in rememberance and

A long parade moved from town to strive to make our country better. the cemetery at 9:30 o'clock. It was The audience then sang "The Star led by the Boys' Band, which played Spangled Banner."

slow marches, next came the veterans After the address the ex-service of the civil war in cars. The members men under the direction of their ofof the local post American Legion, fierrs repaired to the graves of the both soldiers and sailors, in uniforms five former comrades whoa re buried followed, there being about a dozen in the cemetery, and decorated each dressed in their full trench habili- grave with a flag and with flowers ments including steel helmets and furnished by the Woman's Auxiliary. guns. The post drum corps followed Mr. Griffin at each grave took a them. Next came the Boy Scouts car- wreath, handed it to H. S. Hilburn, Plainview Continues to Build Up rying flowers with which to decorate who after a few words anent the dethe graves. After this there was a ceased, deposited the wreath on the long line of cars in which citizens grave. Afterwards the members of rode. The Legion and Scouts carried the Auxiliary scattered flowers on the

grave. At the last grave the soldiers bugleys thens ounded "Retreat." and

"colors," after which there was an ad-

The graves decorated were those of number have been under construction pole having been erected, from which Jennings Anderson, Floyd Yancy and Young Moreland.

This will be suprising to some peo- Meade F. Griffin, head of the local In the meantime the Boy Scouts ple, as money is scarce, and times post, was master-of-ceremonies. He decorated the graves of all the Con- nic, chicken "throw", badger fight are considered dull. It shows that stated the objects of the meeting, and federate and Federal soldiers who Plainview isa healthy, growing town, Res. J. W. Israel read the prayer are buried in the cemetery, with a and people believe in it, for it has a which was delivered in each Legion flag and flowers.

Many other graves were decorated

PLAINVIEW IN EVIDENCE IN NEW HOME EDITION PLAINVIEW WANTS DIRECT

Star-Telegram Issues 196-Page Edition Boosting for West Texas

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram to commemorate the dedication of its new million dollar printing home issued Sunday 196-page special illustrated edition, boosting itself and West Texas, which was undoubtedly the greatest single paper ever published in Texas.

Plainview is very much in evidence in the edition. There is a large twopage adv. telling of Plainview and Hale county progress, and also a num ber of special articles relating to Plainview, Hale county and the Plains written by local people. We republish and enough of cream to supply your paper.

ERECTING NEW ELEVATOR

Plant to Handle Wheat

of a grain elevator at Finney Switch, taken its place as the greatest fulldle wheat when the harvest begins. The elevator will be equipt with good market is assured. modern machinery in order to handle wheat economically and with dispatch and will be quite a convenience to the farmers in that section who market years of Plainview hogs and cattle their wheat at the switch.

HALE CENTER WILL

tion Sale, Races, Games, **Band** Music

auspices of tis business men.

There will be a barbecue and picsale and a speech or two.

For a Better Marketing System

was organized here last week.

RAILROAD TO FT. WORTH

WHEAT AND STOCK FARMING PRODUCTS IN NEED OF OUTLET

By R. A. Underwood of Plainview in Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Good morning, Fort Worth.

Plainview would like to say with its daily loads of red hogs from green alfalfa farms; with its rolling fat baby beef of the best Hereford quality; a car of fresh eggs every day; three full cars of poultry each week. needs.

lais supplemented by proportionate amounts of like products from other towns on the great South Plains country, is what we would like to have on the Fort Worth market daily, but AT FINNEY SWITCH which we cannot have in suitable proportions now because twenty-four to L. J. Halbert Begin Work On Modern forty-eight hours on the road the present roundabout way is too unsatisfactory. For this reason alone the L. J. Halbert has begun construction South Plains of Texas has not yet six miles north of Plainview, and ex- feeding livestock in the Southwest, pects to have it in readiness to han- but which she undoubtedly will assumo as soon as a short haul to some

Fort Worth Loses Business This roundabout way to Fort Worth market is the occasion the past few appearing so bountiful on the Wichita Kansas, stock yeards, and possibly the same convenient shipping-advan-HAVE TRADES DAY tage is the reason that Wichita jobbing housees are finding outlet for Badger Fight, Barbecue, Picnic, Auc- thein goods in the Panhandle of Tex-

It seems that Fort Worth is our nearest mraket, and still our farthest, Hale Center is to hold a big trades and while Fort Worth enjoys the repday celebration Saturday under the utation of being the South's great grain market, still in the wheat growing section of the South Plains the counties of Hale, Floyd, Swisher, Casraces, base ball games between Hale tro and Briscoe-and others may be Center and Littlefield teams, auction added-with more than 500,000 acres now a waving wheat field, we look The Plainview Boys' Band will fur- askance and wonder if this likeness ish music at the Hale Center Trades of interest in grain, livestock a other industries will not some day cause an awakening and we will some day receive an invitation to come to J. A. Line of Ellen community is Fort Worth by the shortest route, the secretary-treasurer of the Far- and, in turn, Plainview, itself, in the mers' Equity Union, a branch of which heart of this wonderfully developed shallow water producing country will He says there is too much differ- take its place as the distributor of the ence between the price receieved by necessities of production in this vast to the market. Some people declare that the acreage is so much larger WAITED LAST NIGHT IN DARK COLT'S AUTOMATIC 32-CALIBRE that the acreage is so much larger WAITED LAST NIGHT IN DARK COLT'S AUTOMATIC 32-CALIBRE USED-WAS IN ROOM the consumer, and the price paid by meat and bread empire, where the the consumer, and the Equity Union cow, the sow and the hen are the livproposes to eliminate as much as pos- ing makers and money is piled up in sible this difference, through a better the bank from its wheat fields.

held under a \$1,500 bond, and her bond was placed at \$500. Roy Mc-Laughlin will have an examining trial tomorrow.

CITY WATER AND SEWER BONDS CARRY

Vote Was Light But Majorities Were Large for Propositions Totalling \$100,000

A very light vote was polled in the 131 votes being cast, though the majorities were decisive.

The issue of \$75,000 for sewerage improvement and extension carried by a vote of 120 to 9 against.

The issue of \$25.000 for waterworks extension carried by a vote of 118 for 8 against.

Wants Tourist Camping Ground J. W. Stevens, better known as "Blue", was a pioneer cowboy of Hale county. and owns a good-sized ranch west of Hale Center. The past year or two he has been on the retired list,

and with his wife and two daughters has been touring a considerable part of the country. They made made an auto trip to California last summer:

they toured Southwest Texas last fall and winter; they will go next month Mr. Stevens declares that Plainview should have a camping ground for the tourists. It should be equipt with

tourists should be given the glad-based when they come to town. He remembers the towns on his tours that have camping grounds, and the tourists who visit them are after-wards boosters. He thinks a town wards boosters is tourist in Brownwood a few days ago. He loses lots by not having a tourist

camping ground, and so do we. Plain-view should get busy on this proposition at once.

Will Build Elevator at Lida

J. C. Mytinger Grain Co. of Wichita Falls has bought a site and is preparing to have a grain elevator at Lida,

wheat.

This grain company will operate four or five elevators in the Plains four or five elevators in the Plains country. under the management of Artie Baker of Lockney. They own a large elevator at Lock-ney. and expect to build elevators at Muncy, Idalou and Lida. The price of threshed maize is now around 95c per hundred pounds, which is quite an increase over the low price of 65c several weeks ago. The price tendency is upward. Wheat is also up to \$1.50 a bushel.

Will Harvest Lots of Wheat The editor drove through quite a scope of country north of Plainview Sunday. While the wheat crop is of course cut short there is going to be lots of it harvested, and this will mean better times when it begins to move that the totaled volume of wheat har-

vested in the Plainview country this year will approximate that of 1 ast city bond election held Saturday, only year. The stalks are so short that most of the grain will have to be eclipses about eleven o'clock last about 11:30 last night in a room in headed.

Boys' Band to Have Uniforms

The Boys' Band is to have new uniforms. Mesdames L. L. Dye and G. back with number of shot, and his shot, so we are informed by a clerk A. Wright have been out soliciting wounds are very serious, though it is att he hotel. subscriptionse, and the responses have not likely they will prove fatal. Mann Young Visor was a member of the

senseriptionse, and the responses the was struck by several shot on one of junior class in the high school, and who wish to contribute to mail them his hands, and one bullet struck him was planning to leave on the midnight checks.

squarely in the forehead. They are train for California. A clerk at the the Boys' Band is indeed a worthy now in a servant's house at the home hotel tells us that he came to the hoenterprise, and is making a reputation of Dr. Nichols. over the Plains. The band is very useful in the affairs of our town.

County Court Next Monday County court will convene in regula session next Monday.

The following is the jury for the son and Mann in the alley between and asked for him, and the night first week: M. C. Henry, W. A. East- the Methodist church and the South clerk, Wade Gilliland, went with him for a trip to Yellowstone 'Park and first week: M. C. Henry, W. A. East-the Methodist church and the South clerk, Wade Gilliland, went with him other play grounds in the Northwest. ridge, Ed Hayes, John Eakin, A. B. Plains Monument Co. building. When upstairs to the room. The room was

John V. Cunningham, for more than fore he shot, but they say he shot rang out, and when the light was county, died at the home of a sister The negroes are about thrity-years with a bullet through his head, enter-Northwest Texas. Mrs. Bob Burch, jail. formerly of Plainview who now lives

in Abilene, was a daughter.

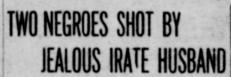
Will Deliver School Banner

The county banner for 1920-21 will be delivered to Prairieview school Wednesday night, by County Judge year's crop. Temporary equiptment is being in-stalled to handle the present crop of per. The present crop of per.

Maize Prices Going Up

The price of threshed maize is now

by loving hands and with sad hearts. Day Saturday.



Sunny Jackson and Sunny Mann.

Will Select Camping Site

Perry. J. B. Maxey, John Boswell, J.

C. Brown, J. N. Donohoo, Carl Dono

Friday afternoon Messrs. E. M.

BOWDEN VIZOR SHOOTS HIMSELF THROUGH HEAD

CHARGES SHOT-GUN

AT HOTEL

NUMBER OF THE PARTY OF marketing system. Bowden Visor, age eighteen years, two negroes, came near going on total shot himself through the head at

Building New Homes night, when Mack Hudson, another the Ware hotel, using a 32-Calibre room resider dingy, fired two charges of No. 4 shot Colt's automatic pistol. He died at high school.

into them from a double-barreled 2 o'clock, though he never regained shot-gun. Jackson was struck in the consciousness from the time of the to the home of F. W. Clinkscales.

W. T. C. C. Manager Here

Porter Whaley of Stamford, manatel about 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon ger of the West Texas Chamber of developed as to afford and support a It seems that the trouble came up and registered, requesting that he be over the attentions being shown by called at 11:30 o'clock. After supper Commerce, was here yesterday on metropolis for each of its respective business for the organization, and sections. the wounded men to the wife of Hud- he went to the picture show, and afo up the exercision to leave June son." He got the gun, it is said, and terwards returned to the hotel and 18 for a tour of Mexico. He hopes about Plainview for the production of with the green demon of jealousy per- went to his room. About 11:30 his that number of Plainmens will go on meating his system, waited for Jack- father, H. W. Visor, came to the hotel th eexcursion.

Barn and Feed Destroyed

The barn on the M. A. Moses farm DeLoach, J. L. Jetton, R. E. Dennis, they came along he fired upon them dark and they attempted to push on was destroyed by fire Monday night N. H. Vertrees, T. J. Johnson, G. L. in rapid succession, only the first the electric light with the small wal! together with about 25 tons of maize and have a camping ground for N. H. vertrees, I. J. Johnson, G. L. In rapid succession, only the first the electric light with the small wall together with about 25 tons of maize and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button, but this could not be done, as and other feed, also a calf was con-button when the second shot was fired. Hud- would have to turn it on at the socket, insurance on the barn, but none on for this, and thus hasten the certain son claims he gave them warning be- but before they could do so a shot the feed .-- Ralls Banner.

Light Vote Being Polled

An election is being held at the city in Brownwood a few days ago. He of age, and have been working at odd ing at the temple. He had told a num-was well known all over West and jobs around the town. Hudson is in ber of his friends carlier in the day 000 for school purposes, and to raise that is was going to leave that night the district school tax from 50c, to \$1 on the \$100 property valuation.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. very light vote is being polled, but it Visor, live on West Ninth street at is thought that both propositions will 1101, and the family is well known be carried. among our people. He also leaves a

Youth Arrested for Theft

Paul Martin, age seventeen, was ar-rested at Hale Center yesterday on a charge of having stolen a pistol from the grip of a traveling man at the depot in that town. He made bond and was released until the grand The following is the weather report for Plainview for the month of May:

Light Hail Near Halfway

Plainview Shares Credit

Plainview does not claim all the glory for the development of this B. G. Naylor is having a nice five- section, but it is the result of the room residence built just beyond the combined effort of business and producing interests of the South Plains Geo. Dallinger s having a modern country; but somehow, through a natcottage built on South Broadway next ural sequence, Plainview business men have won the confidence of the tribu-Pelham Clements is having a mod- tary territory until it now enjoys the ern five-room bungalow erected on reputation of being the commercial has farm tenm iles east of Plainview, and financial center of the South Plains without any envy for any of its neighbors, but with the belief that the great South Plains has already so

> The capabilities of the country wheat have not been scratched. Although an airplane ride over the Plainview territory would now reveal a countrysile checker boarded with green wheatfields, there would be illimitable streches of level, untilled land, capable of producing every year. development of the Plainview country and the entire Plains, and at the same time give to Fort Worth, as a friendly trade territory, a wealthy wheat producing country. Stock Farming Is Essential

The essential thing about the Plainview country, however, is that here stock farming thrives. In no section in the world can be found better soil conditions than for the producing of grains needed in stock farming, and nowhere are all conditions better for the raising of chickens, hogs and cattle.

Ranfall 2.35 inches, or .05-inch above normal average. Rainfall for first five months of years: 1915, 11.13; 1916, 4.23: 1917, 2.61: 1918, 4.07:

view, which has been given the people the service to be conducted by Rev. of this town by the federal govern- J. W. Israel of the Methodist church ment forrest reserve commission. They will be away six days.

Heavy Rain and Hail

all astion Mrs. Davis' Mother Dies ing by Pastor G. W. Davis of Incy own a large cloud of at Local new miles west of the first Christian church telling of the tendency is upward. Muncy, Idalou and Lida. Local Rain Saturday Night A half-inch rain is reported at the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the miles west of the miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the miles west of the miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles west of the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles member the member that the Hooper ranch a few miles member the member that the hooper ranch a few miles member the member that the hooper ranch a few miles member that the hooper ranch a few miles member the member that the hooper ranch a few miles member the member that the hooper ranch a few miles member the member that the hooper ranch a few miles member the member the member the member that the

for California.

hoo and Jack Donohoo left in two brother and two sisters, who live in cars for the mountains northwest of Plainview. They have the sympathy Las Vegas, N. M., for the purpose of selecting a camping ground for Plain-The funeral will be held tomorrow The funeral will be held tomorrow,

turned on he was found on the bed

A message was received this morn-

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Entered as second-class matter, glaries, holdups, mail and bank rob-May 23, 1906 at the Postoffice at beries, crime against women, embez-Plainview, Texas, under the Act of zlement and kindred erring, and near-Congress of March 3, 1879.

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United States each hour.

It takes all kinds of people to make a world, and each of us are one.

If you will not work, then opportunity will not knock at your door.

The trouble with this country right now is that too many of us are trying once started, increases and drives one to run automobiles on wheelbarrow incomes.

Even if you had all the money you wanted, the chances are that you would find something else to kick and growl about.

Eighty-two per cent of the people who died or were injured by fire in ures. The abnormally high wages this country last year were mothers and children under school age.

If we would quit climbing hills before we get to them and quit crossing which money can provide. Now thousbridges that are not there, there wouldn't be so much weariness in the world.

If Jules Verne were here today he would reduce that "Around the World in Eighty Days," to eight. They are maying long distance trips in aeroplanes now at the rate of nearly 200 miles an hour.

on Mothers' Day. The public retaliated harder and harder to "soak" the consumer.

When you hear of an aviator going up a mile or two and making tailspins and looping the loops and all that, with a passenger with him, you this great Moral Guide of the Plains is not the passenger.

How comes it that so many of our Young had 42 wives and Solomon 900. and neither ever had a divorce suit. If one man can get along with that manage to abide with only one?

pockets if she wants to. The Hon. may

CRIME ITS OWN PUNISHMENT

It is too bad that the young men who are running rampant over the country committing every known crime cannot know, as they all will 2. M. ADAMS. Editor and Owner later on, that punishment cannot be avoided. Every day we read of bur-

ly all of it is on the part of young

men, mere boys, some of them. It is a sad commentary upon the kind of ringing up they have had, and a reection upon their parents. It is sad, lso, to contemplate what life has in tore for them in the future. Those Nine persons die of accidents in the who may possibly escape legal punishment are sure to be severly punished, anyway, for nothing is more sting

> ing and unrelenting than a guilty conscience. It pursues day and night and all the time and makes one a coward and sneak, always in fear of getting caught up with, always afraid to meet honest men and women and look them in the face. So the career of crime, into the haunts where other criminals are, into the slums, into desperation, hopelessness, and despair, until finally death is a relief. Also, the money thus obtained is squandered recklessly, mostly in drink to head off fear and stimulate to other excesses and crimes. Such money never does a man any good, and 99 criminals out of every 100 die poverty stricken failpaid young boys in the various industries during the war has had a very bad effect. It stimulated in them a desire for money and the luxuries ands of them refuse to go back to where they were before the war, and to get money quick and easy have taken to crime. And the jails are getting full of them all over the land.

HIT 'EM AGAIN, JESS

The Dallas News says the people in many parts of North Texas are sleeping in storm cellars these nights for The florists of a New York town fear of cyclones. How we do sympaboosted the price of white carnations thize with the people who live down in the state. The bollwevils eat up by wearing dandelions. It is getting their cotton, the green bugs devour their wheat, the hot winds burn their corn, the chiggers, ticks and mosquitoes gnaw on their anatomies, the sizzling weather of summer causes them to think they are in hades, and the cyclones of the spring scares them hal fto death. They should come to may safely conclude that the editor of the Plains, where life is so much more pleasant .- Plainview News.

Jess, you've been there. Otherwise you could not so fully describe the handicaps of living in the less favored people sue for divorce? Brigham sections of the country. Then, to think of the legislators from that section of the country being so self-centered, narrowed and prejudiced as to many wives, why can't any other man think we have no rights to be considered, in this glorious, ozone-bathed, Judge Hays of Chicago has ruled altitudinous portion of the state! Jess, you dealt those unfortunates a that a wife can search her husband's blow richly deserved. Do it again. It some good.—Amarillo Dail News.



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Edison wants a phrase of four or five words, which will distinguish this new invention from ordinary talking-machines. He offers \$10,000 in prizes for the best ideas. Bring or mail the coupon and get a folder, that gives full particulars and instructions.

Three Days of Music Free

from shopping

If you do not own one of Edison's new instruments, we shall gladly lend you one for three days, in order that you may experiment with it in your own home and learn what music will do for you. This experience may make it easier for you to win a prize.

Act quickly, as the number of instruments, which we can lend, is limited. Bring or mail the coupon. You assume no expense and no obligation.

Have you a daughter Graduating this June? 12.08 You promised her a gift. Make it a New Edison, -and delight her heart with music. 10,000 in Pr

Judge is about a thousand years or so behind the times. The wife made that ruling herself way back in the days when man first invented pockets.

Kentucky bankers have offered a Neff Tells Board When Respect for reward for the capture of bank robbers, of \$1,000 a piece, dead, or alive. The plan has merit. We never yet knew of a robber who did any more harm to society after he was shot full law is established in Texas, and the of little round holes.

The unions of America are gradual- meritorious convicts, but "I don't inly coming around to a very sensible tend to extend clemency to even on program that of discouraging strikes who had broken a trust or assaulta and taking up questions of construc- guards in an effort to escape" the tive readjustment and 'arbitration. governor declared today in a letter to That is good, sound, common sense, prison commissioners. and will prove a winner.

the Shrine cermeonials in Amarillo, nual penitentiary report, he said. taxes that have been suggested." say the papers of that city. Of showed 256 escape5s in 1920, an avercourse; Plainview is much in evidence age of almost one a day. He did not wherever she goes. Really, now, if give the number of escapes for this somebody were to accuse us of living year. in the best town in the world we'd break down and confess it.

Despite the drift away from the farm thete has been no decrease in the farming population of the United States, according to the magazine, view. asserting "the penitentiary is as many farmers in the United States a channel through whichy they can be ast here ever were-more than ever turned on the public. before in fact. It is only the proportion of farmers to the other parts of to advise guards that while he is govthe population that has shrunk.

It is estimated that the emergency ariff bill singed by Presiden Harding that when the law places them in the buck. The poor pay at every turn. last week will bring \$105.000,000 a year into the federal treasury, but will add \$500,000,000 to the living expenses of the people of the nation. It is also calculated to depress foreign markets for the products of the Amer ican farmers. 'But this is the way with all tariffs-enrich the manufacturers and middlemen, put a heavy cost on the consumers, and either hurt or be of no benefit to the farmer.

The Greeks and Turks are having a war of their own in the Near East, each trying to push the other out of certain disputed territory. It is announced that the allied nations are permitting them, like two dunghill roosters, to fight and worry themsel-ves down, and then will dictate the terms of peace, not in accordance with the desires of the scrappers but for the best interests of Europe and Asia as a whole. The war won't last much longer, as both are on the verge of physical and economic exhaustion.

The Silverton Star is agitating the 50.000 court house.

PENITENTIARY IS FOR CONVICTS TO STAY IN

Law Is Cremed He May Issue Pardons

Austin, May 28 .- When respect for crime waves subsides. Governor Neff expects to grant pardons to some

The Governor expressed dissatisfaction at the alarmingly large num Plainview was much in evidence at ber of escapes from the pen. The an-

> The governor said he had been advised that frequently the guards perbe censored for cruel treatment.

World's Work, for June. There are made for convicts to stay in and not control.

Neff asks the prison commissioners error no guard will be punished for Income Tax must possess a simple doing whatever is necessary to be faith and a childlike trust in a truly done to keep convicts from escaping.

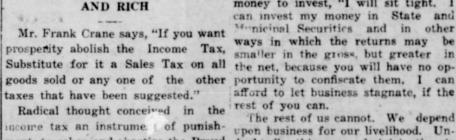
Convicts should be taught to know penitentiary they are to stay until they are by law released," said the rovernor. He stressed his belief that Rich. while every convict should be treated For the Income Tax is neither just to live and a mighty hard place to humanely, he declared they must be penitentiary and that they must obey rules.

guards are not going to let them escape, they will quit trying to do so."

Two Bootleggers Arrested

Canyon were arrested by Sheriff Burton Roach, accompanied by other offi- and high prices. For eventually trees. God's first temples; grass incers, and seventeen gallons of booze where the ability to produce is imcaptured, following a chase on the paired prices must necessarily ad-Canyon road about five miles south of Amarillo. The men were brought to Amarillo and placed in jail. A third Let-George-Do-It Club are allowing bless the ear that is deaf to scandal car containing even more booze than our politicians to say to the man with and gossip. If I cannot speak good the catch made is believed to have apital. "If you dare to invest your of my neighbors I will hold my peace made its escape."

the Palo Duro Canyon.



the treasuries over which they held

with startling success, but anyone their eyes open, and are in no mood who supposes that the Proud and and for further foolishness .-- Public Ser-Rich are bearing the burdens of the vice Monthly. remarkable degree.

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SPANKING THE PROUD

The Proud and Rich calmly pass the And nof air minded man can find it in his heart to blame the Proud and

nor right, and that which is neither leave. tapent the place for them is in the just nor right cannot benefit the ma- I believe in my town. I belive in jority of the people over a period of her institutions, in her schools, in her

A. A. McNeil and Hugh McNeil of business, then we must not complain or alley. of poor business, lack of employment

"Very well," replies the man with money to invest, "I will sit tight. can invest my money in State and "inicinal Securities and in other ways in which the returns may be smaller in the gross, but greater in the net, because you will have no opafford to let business stagnate, if the The rest of us cannot. We depend

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upon business for our livelihood. Unment; to sober and chastize the Proud doubtedly this new administration is and Rich. Politicians welcomed it as now planning relief. Big Business a means of furthering their ambi- knows this and is confident. There is mit convicts to escape rather than use tions through appeal to the "com- a good deal of genuine optimism. The force to stop them for fear they will mon people"-the rank and file of the Statesmen know what must be done. voters. And what was more import- But it won't do a bit of harm if the Neff declared he did not share that ant to them, an opportunity to fatten politician is made to realize befond the shedow of a doubt that a sufficiently large number of intelligent The latter has been accomplished voters in this country are keeping

MY CREED

I believe in my town. I belive in her reop'e, in her boys and her girls. I will make myself a committee of one to make of this a good place in which

churches, and in her stores. I believe "It is my profound judgment that To fine people for being successful in the street broom and the street just as soon as convicts learn the and penalize efficiency is the Bolshe- sweeper, and in the paint pot. I bevist's dream. If that is what we lieve in ne'er an empty can on a vawant to do in this country, if we want cant lot but many a full one in the to rob business of it's capital, of that larder. Never again will I throw which it must have to go on doing waste paper or rubbish in the street

> I believe in my town. I believe in stead of ash heaps, and flowers instead of weeds. My God bless the tongue that gives honest praise and You and I and all the rest of the commendation, and may He doubly



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made its escpae. Sheriff Black reports he believes he knows the location of a place where a large quantity of booze is stored in cessful, we will rob you of your price te circulate in the channels where its escpae. When it costs me nothing, at least, I will spend my money here, and by so criginally created, to do good among place that I call home, sweet home. the folks who are a part of the com- I believe in my town.—National here its equivalent in wealth was munity of which I am a part, in the Hardware Bulle

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WATSON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE is the best. WANTED—Sod broken. Apply at News office.	FOR SALE—An unimproved half section of land near Hale Center or would consider a trade for good Plainview property or good automo- bile. Box 54, Hale Center, Texas.	
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WELL DRILLING WANTED-J. C. Cook, Plainview, box 833, phone 489. ROOMS FOR RENT-Mrs. A. B. Roberts, phone 431. 5-tf	FOR SALE—Ford C oupe, can be seen at Carter-White Motor Co. 100-tf. LOTVanity case in a store in Plain-	
LOST-30x3 1-2 cord tire on rim. Finder return & Guarantee Tire & Vulcanizing Co and receive reward. FOR RENT-Two rooms upstairs apartment1215 Independence, Mrs. Lindsay. 3-tf	WANTED-To buy For car touring	
Well drilled and cleaned out-Jones & Settle, P. O. Box 34, Plainview. 90-18t-pd. LOST-Grey feather palm leaf fan. Finder will receive reward by calling	or roadster, cheap. A ply to A. L. Lanford, mule barn FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN-1 22x40 J. I. Case tractor, one 24x36 Avery separator and 18-foot exten- tion feeder, 2 5-gang Sanders disc plows, 1 10-foot Tandem disc, 1 16- hole, 10-foot Supreme drill, 1 low iron wheel of wagon. All in good shape, will sell separator separate. For prices see or phone G. E. Ritchey, Hale Cen- ter, Texas. 2-4t FOR CONVENIENCE OF FAR- MERS-We have just completed a large gravel bin, filling with sand and served which will keep this ma.	
phone 547. 5-2t-c WANTED-Good, clean cotton rags. Shafer Printing Co, phone 371. 4-tf-c		
FOR RENT-Two unfurnished rooms for light house-keeping Phone 401. 102-2t LOST-Between Tulia and Plainview, a small grip containing baby articles. Finder bring to News office.		
We do all kinds of windmill work and guarantee it to be right.—Sample & Elkins, phone 280. 5-9t-p WHAT HAVE YOU to exchange for	M. Irick and Son.	
one to three sections developed Hale county wheat farms?—Sansom & Son. 101-8t PLANTS—Cabbage, tomaties, sweet potatoes, 50 cents per hundred, parcel	Rumley separator, \$898; 1 new 36x60 Rumley Separator, \$1097.50; 1 new 24x40 Wallis separator, \$1026.00; 1 second hand 32x54 Rumley separator,	
post paid.—Plainview Produce Co. LOST—2 black mare mules, one year- ling, one 2-year-old. Reward for re- turn to F. A. Douthit, Runningwater. 4-5t-p	used, \$594; 1 second hand 25x50 Rum- ley tractor, \$546; 1 new 9-18 Inter- national tractor, \$504.—James R. Adams. 410 Smith St., Houston Tex. FURNISHED ROOM for rent.—807 El Paso, across street from Mrs.	
FOR SALE OR TRADE-P. & O. Gang, 2 sulky breaking plows, slide cultivator, riding cultivator, lister- planter, row binder, hay press, rake and mowerSansom & Son. 101-St	Meadows, phone 294.	
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FOR SALE-Several good young mares and some farm implements.-See S. W. Meharg. 95-tf-c

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> close in, on wests ide, with or without furniture.-Phone 456. 3-tf F. Barbam.

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FCR SALE-397 acres, unimproved,

I NOW HAVE a new set of scales at Bussell Coal Co.

An Old-Timer Here Again A. B. Barcus has returned to Plain-

view and will maket his his home

to Abernathy, where he lived and he has since resided.

Paris, May 30. -Germany today ultimatum.

The money was paid over to the Al-TO TRADE FOR LIVESTOCK-One lied reparations commission without ceremony. Dr. Wilhelm Mayer, German ambassador here, carrying the money in a suit case, unaccompanied J. C. Gunn, Owner, Madisonville, attachment, one 14-hole disc drill, one by a guard, met the commission and double cutter, one four disc plow. All in first-clas condition, been used only single financial transaction since the

The money was in the form . of twenty gold bonds of \$10,000,000 each The papers boret he endorsement of for \$800 to make quick sale. Leave word at News office or see me at Finney Switch.—L. J. Halbert. LAND FOR SALE OR TRADE—Any-where, and exchanges galore. Sub-mit your propositions to L. B. Discontering and the papers boret he endorsement of hands high, five years old, unbranded, had rope around nedk when left, small wire blemish on right front foot. No fy me at Runningwater and get reward.—A. A. Tabor.

Aliens Are Worst Offenders

Chicago, May 28 .--- The ire of Judge Landis was aroused when Charles A. Garamell, saloon owner, admitted that he was not a citizen of the United States. Neither was his bartender, Fred Murdecci. Garamell was on trial for violation of the pr hibition aWs

"It strikes me as significant," said the judge "that almos' in ariably you saloon men arrested on these fresh stock. Farmers can drive up LOST-Bunch of keys. Return to H. charges prove to be aliens. You can't on two sides and get waited on at F. Barbam. court. Ninety-nine per cent of the violators of the Eighteenth amendment are not citiens of the United States. You come over here asking tations, announcements, etc., and can protection of our laws and then you break them.'

Garamelli tried to explain that he had only been in America since 1905, but the judge was deaf.

French Grit Works Wonders

Of 3.256 French villiages totally wrecked and deserted during the war, Of 3.256 French villiages totally wrecked and deserted during the war, 3.216 have come back to life. Homes haveb een rebuilt and daily occupa-tions resumed. Only 40 villiages of the 3.256 remain uninhabitable. The Anglo-Saxon doesn't consider the lat in especially plucky, but it will be hard for the Saxon to beat this ex-ample of dogged determination to go on. Mr. Thomas, banker at Roby, was here yesterday on business, and pros-pecting with the intension of possibly becating here. He was at one time in my coal yard, and farmers can weigh more conveniently. Let me sell you your coal for now and next winter.— tions resumed. Only 40 villages of the 3,256 remain uninhabitable. The Anglo-Saxon doesn't consider the lat-in especially plucky, but it will be

Why pay more for milk, when you again. He was a pioneer carpenter, can get it delivered at your door for and built a number of the present 15 cents a quart. Phone 478, C. B. homes in the town. Later he moved the newspaper business, and longs to built houses for several years. He get back among the types. However, the daughter, Louise, of Tulia, were then moved to Corpus Christi, where he has not been able to find a Plains in Plainview last week visiting with newspaper that can be bought.

DEERING BINDER TWI

There is going to be more need for binder twine this year than we expected and for this reason it will be well for you to anticipate your needs and buy your supply early. We have it.

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Grogan Ranch Sold

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Duckett and litin Plainview last week visiting with friends.

Slaughter Ranch Divided Littlefield, May 27.-The division

better individual attention.

Don't Make Their Expenses

thought of private advancement, and often at a heavy sacrifice." There is The first bale of 1921 cotton was far more real patriotism in the coun-ginned at San Benito Wednesday of try than there is of the grandstand kind that prates about it.



Kiwanis Club Will Entertain Rotary Club

The Kiwanis club will entertain the newly organized Rotary club at its noon luncheon in the basement of the Presbyterian church Friday, and welcome it in a brotherly way into the affairs of Plainview. At a recent luncheon of the Kiwanis club a committee composed of C. S. Williams, W. J. Klinger and E. L. Dye was appointed years has been devoting his fighting to draft resolutions commending the organization of the Rotary club and extending it best wishes and co-operation.

The Presbyterian ladies will be unable to further cater to the club, hence Friday luncheon will be the last held in the Presbyterian church.

Davis-Fagan Recital

Miss Helen Davis, the celebrated Mezzo-Soprano, and Sibyl Sanderson Fagan ,whistler. without a peer, assisted byMr. Williard Osborne, violinist, will be heard in an unique recital at the First Baptist church on the evening of Monday, June 13.

Miss Davis is one of the most promising young singers now on the Concert stage. She is the possessor of a brilliant voice of glorious quality and an ability to interpret the songs that America loves. She was born in America and has accomplished all her vocal and artistic training entirely here, of which fact she is very proud.

When Sibyl Sanderson Fagan was a tiny girl, she was given to making everybody in the family miserable by whistling loudly and eternally. One day, along came a professional whistler to visit the Fagan home in Springfield, Ohio, and Miss Fagan suddenly discovered that she really could whistle. "a little better" as she modestl expressed it, than most people. She determined to make a real artistic professionf or herself by means of her unusual gift. She studied breathing exercises. which are quite as important in whictling as in singing. Also. she studied the piano until her artistic ideals were developed. It didn't take her long, after beginning piano lessons, to see that her whistling could be made a real art an entertaining novelty. Miss Fagan whistles by means of her two fingers. She says she wouldn't even attempt it any other way, for she can whistle longer and get less tired and avoid blistered line by using her fingers.

The concert at the Baptist church. Monday evening, June 13 promises to be a most unusual treat for the music lovers of Plainview.

Cards of admittance may be secured from McMillan Drug Co. as accomodations remain.

Pie Supper at Halfway

se be an interesting program.

Cemeterv Assocation to Meet

Interesting Life Story of Col. R. P. H. C. Harding of Amarillo Shoots David E. Walker-Claims Self-Defense Plainview

Plainview, Texas, May 28 .-- Plain-Wildorado, May 31 .- David E. Walview's most faithful booster and one ker, aged 41, is dead, following a of the most prominent citizens of all shooting affair with his employer, H. C. Harding of Amarillo, late Monday West Texas, is Col. R. P. Smyth. The life of Colonel Smyth has been one of evening.

The shooting occurred on the Hardunselfish service to his nation, State and home town. "Colonel" served in inf ranch, threen the State forces and national army in orado. Witness state that Walker attacked Harding with a knife, and that every rank from private to brigadier scheral and for more than thirty Harding shot in self-defense.

It is said that Walker, who was to have been discharged from the empower, foresight and enthusiasm to making Plainview one of the largest ployment of Harding today, told his and most progressive cities in West wife that he was going to injure nexas. Cotonel Smyth's greatest de-sire is to see Plainview and Ft. Worth Walker, it is said, reported her hus-

connected by a railroad. He was born in Austin and takes pride in the fact that he is a native six o'clock Monday afternoon Walker Texan. He came from fighting stock,

as his father came from Ireland to fight with the United States in the Mexican war and his mother was a of Virginia. He was educated in Austin and graduated from the Texas Military Institute of that city in 1877. Immediately after graduating, he

enlisted in the Texas Volunteer Guard and rapidly rose from a private to brigadier general of the Second Brigade.

in 1887 he first came to the Panhandle Plains and to what is now the city of Plainview. He made the first survey of the town , as his occupation

was a civil engineer, and in the month that followed laid out numerous townsites in the Panhandle and Plains. He was among the pioneers who organ-

ized Hale county, of which Plainview is the county seat. In 1896 he was elected to the legislature to represent the thirty-six counties then in the dis-

trict. He was the author of the land law which did away with the abso- of disarmament between the world lute lease law, making it possible for settlers to file on smaller amounts of land rather than leasing it to big learned today.

ranches. This law did more to settle other one thing.

When the Spanish-American war began he was the first to enlist from view, which he has made his home lived in Plainview he has served as abroad.

representative to the legislature, several terms as county attorney and in ed that the first step in carrying out numerous other official capacities. He has at all times been actively connected with the Plainview commer-

cial organizations, serving as member, president, secretary and in other pone taken Hale county

agricultural exhibits to fairs galore. He is at present a member of the The Enworth League announces a board of directors of the Plainview pie supper at the church at Hatfway P and of City Development, president Friday night, June 3. There will al- of the Dallas State Fair Agricultural Exhibitors' Association, member of

afternoon June 7th, at 3 o'clock. All club of Plainview and an official of

band's actions to Mr. Harding, who armed himself for protection. About was seen to start at Harding with a knife, and Harding fired at him.

Walker turned and started to run, but turned and started to attack member of the famous Mason family Harding again, when Harding fired, killing Walker almost instantly. Eye witnesses to the affair were

Mrs. Harding and Mrs. Walker. Walker leaves his wife and a daugh ter, Ida May, aged 7. Funeral ar-

rangements have been made. Ceremoney will be held at the Griggs chap. el here today at 3:00. Rev. F. B. Shepard will officiate.

Harding was released on bond im-mediately following the shooting.

PEACE MOVE HAS

ALREADY STARTED

Informal Disarmament Feelings Have Been Put Out By President

Harding

Washington, May 31.-Information feelers looking toward the discussion powers have been put out at the instance of President Harding it was

This action, it is understood was up the Panhandle and Plains than any taken beforet he Senate passed the Borah resolution calling for a dis armament conference.

The president, according to best inthis section section and was at once dications today, still holds the view made colonel of the Third Texas Vol- that Borah's resolution would unduly unteers. After the war he served as tie the hands of the executive. At brigadier general of the State Guards the time of the appointment of Col. until he was placed on the retired list George Harvey as ambassador to in 1899. He then returned to Plain- Great Britain it was announced that he would be instructed to broach the ever since. During the time he has subject of disarmament agreement

Information obtained today indicatthis course has already taken place.

More and Bigger Fish Stories

The News is becoming the clearing house, it seems, for wild fish stories. Remember, however, we are not guar anteeing the truthfulness of these stories, for weh ave a reputation for

veracity to sustain. The latest is from T. O. and J. W McCallon, Jim Young, Mr. Beebe and Louis Mitchell, who went out on Texas Chamber of Commerce, elder Runningwater in the Slaughter pasture last week to the same pace where in the courty judge's office Tuesday president of the "ahmenah Shrine Mr. Boyd and others made such a big whole empire of India. There is, how-

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At school we are taught that the king of England is ruler over the catch (at least said they did) and ever, a strip of land situated in Assam, about twenty miles from South Sylhet, over which Great Britain has Each of these fishing parties say no dominion. This is Tipperracherra will "o again soon and promise It is ruled by the natives themselves to bring some of the fish they catch and whenever any of them in the surrounding districts get into trouble with their sahihs or memsahihs, they fishermen they claim to be. We are make straight for this tract until the trouble blows over More enlightened than their fellow



those interested are urged to attend, numerous other organizations. as important business is to be attended to.

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New Fra Club

The New Era Club met yesterday afternoon at the Methodist church, M. S. He is also a member of . with Mrg. L. A. Knight. president, presiding.

There was routine business in which M 's. I. C. Wavland of the working committee read a splendid report. The secretary also had a good report. A resolution was adopted requested that the flower committee to not send flowars to sick club members, the corresponding secretary write a letter instood to such members. The flowers will be reserved for sick persons who are not members. Pastor J. W. Israel delivered an

interesting address on the Ten Commandments, discussing them one by

The club will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and all the members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Bethdt Entortains Sunday School Class

Mrs. P. E. Berndt assisted by Miss

hy Fawley was hostess to her Sunday school class of girls at her home on Austin street Saturday from 4 to 6.

The afternoon was spent in the playing of games, music, drawing and making pictures. Refresments of ice cream and

lake were served.

Miss Lena Maude Smith Will Marry Decatur Man

Announcement was made Tuesday afternoon of the approaching marriage of Miss Lena Maude Smith to Mr. C. H. Dillehay of Decatur, which will occur in June, at a very enjoyable and Mrs. A. M. Smith.

White and pink were used in the decorations of the rooms, and were al-constructions of the retreshments of ice cream and cake.

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Celebrated Twelfth Birthday

Miss Vernie Lorene Thompson celeebrated her twelfth birthday Wednesday afternoon, to which a number of ting the cake, which had twelve pink and white candles on it, Marguerite Luna got the nickle. mes ware maved and ics and lemonade were served.

He is a most eminent Mason heine a nast master, past high priest, past thrice illustrous master, past eminent mast worthy patron,

amhar Pan Hur Temple, A. A. O. N. Elk Lodge .- John Boswell in Fa Worth Star-Telegram.

Visits of the Stork n to Mr. and Mrs.:

L. P. Cox. near Plainview, May 29 girl; named Glenna Marie. A. Murrah Foote, Plainview, Mag 27, girl; named Burnie Lucille. Reittian Plainview. May 25 ner named Vinson Eliza. Jesse M. Neil, ten miles south of Plainview. May 26, girl.

L. E. Hair. Plainview, (home in (sco) May 25. boy; named Maurice Luther.

C. C. Batev. twelve miles northest of Plainview. May 29, boy. G. D. Cline Abernathy, May 26 ov named Dale Kelton.

Forest Ansley, Plainview, May 30 girl. named Gene La Rue.

W. J. Davis, Plainview, May 30. girl; named Joe Evelyn.

More War Clouds in Europe Rome, May 31.-Sweeping down

Albania great bands of irregular soldiers today are threatening to start another Balkan war which may in-volve all of Europe. The fighters, al-

nost handits in their mode of warfare but driven by strong national feeling -entered foreign countries.

Pillage and arson marked their trail. The governments thus taunted immediately planned to raise forces to combat them.

The old Balkan troubles were involved in the fighting. Greece wants party at the home of her parents, Mr. more land to the north; Bulgaria

wants to reclaim some of the territory lost in the war and Serbia wants to retain her newly won lands.

Latest advices heres howed the sitnation especially critical in Macedonia and Albania, whose problems were not solved by the treaties of St. Germain and Sevres.

C. A. Knupp went to Happy yesterher little friends were guests. In day to look at his wheat crop near 'hat place.

> LOST-Gold wrist watch with H. R on back of it. Reward. Leave News office.

report that they caught from 150 to 200 pounds of fish in one day.

to the editor of the News in order to show him that they are really the arxious to be shown in this way.

FOR CONVENIENCE OF FAR-MERS-We have just completed a arge gravel bin, filling with sand and gravel, which will keep this maerial clear of dirt, so your sorrows f pulling out of the pit are over. R. M. Hick and Son

ENGRAVED PRINTING - The News has a line of samples of entraved visiting cards, wedding inviations, announcements, etc., and can furnish such work promptly.

Plenty of good mules on hand, will sell one half cash, balance three to four months time with good notes. Want to sell 100 mules on these er s .- A. L. Lanford, phone 550.

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The Plainview News one and the Dallas Semi-Weekly News one year \$3,25 The Plainview News one vear and Amarillo Daily News one year \$9.25 The Plainview News one year and Kansas City Weekly Star \$285

You Say You Can't

thought they couldn't do. And getting away with it.

Get the bulge on your com etitors by telling your story in an attractive manner so it will be read. You'll get the results.

We Are Anxious to Help

plainsmen, the Hill Tipperras are cleaner and have a better idea of comfort. They build their buts in the bustis (native villages) on piles, to protect them from damp.

Rather short and sturdily built, they think nothing of walking forty miles to the nearest bazaar and back to do their marketing, carrying fish strung on a stick over their shoulder and their other purchases in a basket on the head.

They dress in a short drapery, leaving the legs and arms bare, and many dispense with the turban. They are lighter in color than the ordinary native, and the men wear their black, sleek hair hanging to the shoulders with colored quills stuck over one ear, somewhat after the manner of the Redskin.

White people are a source of interest to them, and the women and butchas (children) form a ring around them. exchanging many glances and words of curiosity.

Tough Angora Goats.

On a bleak little island in Mond lake, Cal., over a mile and a quarter above sea-level, and surrounded by America's loftiest mountains, the Sierra Nevadas, is a herd of Angora goats. totaling about a thousand. The water of the lake is said to be poisonous. but on the island there is a large spring, which supplies the goats with all the water they need. For the most part the pasturage is merely rough scrub, and the winter climate decidedly trying.

In 1848 nine of the finest Angoras from the royal herd in Turkey were sent by the order of the then sultan as a present to Dr. James B. Davis. of South Carolina. They were the nucleus of the vast herds that now roam over America, totaling some 60,-000. The animal is very hardy and practically immune from disease. It will thrive and prosper where sheep and cattle would starve to death.

Helen Davis and Sibyl Sanderson Fagan

are coming!

The celebrated mezzo-soprano and the noted whistler will appear in person at an invitation concert-in the Baptist Church

MONDAY EVENING JUNE 13

They will be assisted by "The Phonograph with a Soul."

This appearance of these stars in Plainview is the event of the season for lovers of good music.

FREE TICKETS

Call, write or telephone us for free tickets of admit-tance. They will be issued in order of application.

McMILLAN DRUG CO.



That's what others have said and all of a sudden found some competitor was doing what they



The merits of the Fordson Tractor can be best judged through the opinian of its daily users. We have asked a few of our customers for their frank comments concerning the operation of their Fordsons. Read what these owners have to say and then judge whether or not they are pleased with their purchases-Or better still, ask them yourself.

5-21-1921. Yesterday I listed 2 acres with my Fordson and two-ro lister. The work done was fine .--- E. R. Williams.

5-20-1921. Yesterday and today I have just listed 27 acres of old ground with my Fordson and two-row lister in 16 hours. It sure does do pretty work .-- Vernon Rastetter.

5-21-1921. I made \$100 a day for seven weeks, over \$3,000.00 clear digging pipe line ditches at Breckenridge last winter with my Fordson, then drove it out here averaging more than 50 miles per day for 7 days and plowed 100 acres of ground without taking up a single connecting rod bearing. This may sound fishy but it is absolutely the truth. My Fordson lowered the rate paid for digging ditches at Breckenridge from 15c to 7c per foot. I used kerosene for fuel.-B. B. Gatlin, Spring Lake, Texas.

See Us for Port Huron Separators for these Tractors.

L. P. Barker Co.

Rough Driving Causes Divorce Austin, Texas .- Two unusual di- Texas Methodisti conference. orce cases have come to the attention of the authorities of Texas during the st five days. In Dallas, Judge Kenneth Force held that taking one's ing his father was very sick. wife riding in a "fliver" over a rough road constitutes cruel treatment. He granted the divorce on that ground, ing for a visit-with relatives in Fort The wife related on the witness stand Worth, Houston and Georgetown. how her husband had driven her in country roads, never stopping for rence left Saturday in a car for a of Abernathy; consideration, \$500. When they reached Grand Prairie, country. the wife said, she could not stand up, so roughly had the car treated her. in touch at Grand Prairie with Deputy where he is astudent in the State Sheriff Lee Hight, who had her sent Medical school.

J. H. Reagan of Floydada is in own today Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spencer of isco are here. P. L. Hancock of Silverton was ere yesterday. Marvin Garner has gone to Tahoka n a busines trip. Peyton Randolph had business last eek in Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Walsh of Clovis tary. were here Sunday. Miss Jewell Johnson visited in Amarillo at the weekend. R. S. Hargroves and M. Knox of Rotan were here yesterday.

C. A. Phillips and Edgar Pace of Paducah were here Sunday. L. A. White and W. W. Speer of Carbon were here yesterday. O. J. Gillham has returned from trip to Dallas and Greensville. Claude Hurlbut and Geo. W. Brewr of Lubbock were here Saturday. Mrs. V. R. Rodgers and two little ons are visiting relatives in Hedley. Editor Jones of the Herald returned this morning from a trip to Snyder June. J. E. Schader of Matador was here

last week prospecting with a view of moving to Plainview. Mrs. G. W. Brady and daughter

left Thursday for Colton, California, o spend several months. Orlo Beebe has returned from Colege Station, where he has been student in A. & M. college. Mrs. Lola Davis and children of

Amarillo have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis of Halfway. Mrs. J. A. Brashear and children of Tahoka were here the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hanks.

Miss Minnie Finch, who is in the offices of the Amarillo Gas. Co., spent the week-end here with her parents. Father Kellar, the Catholic priest, was here yesterday from Slaton, and held services at the Catholic church. Mr. and Mrs. L. Looke, Mr. and with us Prof. J. W. Dennis of Erick, Mrs. C. M. Mayer and Miss E. L.

Miss Wood of Canyon City, Colo., who has been the house guest of Mrs. Winfield Holbrook, left for her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Frigge and son of Lake Arthur, N. M., arrived last week in their car to visit her brother, E. B. Miller.

Miss Ruth Evans of Groveton was is science teacher in Wayland college for next year.

J. H. Holland two weeks ago went to California, and we understand he likes that country so well that he will possibly locate.

John Eoff and family, Mr. Eoff being Peace Mrs. Rodgers' brother. Mesdames Marshal Phelps and

Farris Frye have been in Quanah the past week attending the meeting of the Missionary Societies of Northwest

W. P. Clements of Wayland college Version, in response to a message say-Mrs. W. E. Boyd and children, and

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Mrs.

oks to be obught for Meeting at Lakeview On June 19th

The Hale county singing convetion met with Prairieview class Sunday and was called to order by the presi-

dent, who opened the services with hymn No. 30 after which the convention was led in prayer by the secre-

There being no program for the day every one was given an opportunity to sing, and no one failed to respond when their names were called. After singing until 12:30 the convention went into business session, and a motion was made to buy a new book for the convention, which carried The choir work is under the direction unanimous. The following committee was appointed to select and buy the new books: Grover Leamaster, P. D. Windsor, G. W. Hanson, Earl Raper, C. L. Haddock and L. D. Griffin. This committee will have them ready for the next meeting which will be held at Lakeview on the 3rd Sunday in

There was a large crowd of people from Kress, and they asked for the convention to meet with them on the 4th Sunday in July and the invitation was unanimously accepted.

So the convetion will meet as follows: Plainview August 29th.

The convention adjourned for dinner. This was an hour well spent, at the tabernacle Wednesday afterand enjoyed by all, as the good people of Prairieview know how to take ize a "Booster chorus." This chorus care of a hungry crowd, and there was of children will have a place near the an abundance of good eats and to spare.

The convention was again called to order at 1:45, and all the available room in and around the rostum was the children of the ages mentioned crowded to its capacity with anxious singers. The afternoon singing was

Okla. whoh as just closed a 20 day Mayer of Austin were here yesterday. normal school at Prairieview, and is now teaching a 20-day-normal school t Liberty, and Prof. T. S. Cobb of

these gentlemen are singers and the address. teachers of great reputation, and the

music rendered by them was a treat Services at the Baptist Church here last week. She has been elected to all . Come again you are always welcom

Prof. Dennis and daughter sang duet, and R. M. Peace, Prof. Cobb and wife, and C. L. Haddock sang a quar-tett, after which Chas. Clements sang cial music will be arranged. At night the colsing song "God Be With You the Sunbeam Band will give an at-Mr. and Mrs. Abe Rodgers of Sny- Till We Meet Again", the convention er wereh ere the past week visiting was closed with prayer by R. M.

CLAY WILLIAMS, President, L. W. SLONEKER, Secretary.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Ayden Allen to E. C. Lamb, south faculty left Thursday afternoon for half of section 44 in block A-1, Hale county; consideration, \$11,000. W. E. Risser to the Hale county phens.

hool board a part of section 88 in. block A-1, Hale county. containing 3 acros. consideration \$150. J. H. Vanderslice and wife to H. H.

Vineyard lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 10, 11 and 12 in block 34 in the town Suggs. .

J. H. Slaton and wife and E. M.

Kress, southeast quarter of survey A

J. L. McCollum and wife to Elisha

Peter Peterson to W. H. Richardson

W. H. Pichardson and wife to Peter

Elle Schulz to J. M. Adams, a por-

W. A. Nash and wife to H. H. Rod.

ht 3 in block 14. in the town of

\$1.00 and other valuables.

Large Congregations Greet The Union Revival

The union revival under the big tabernacle on the west side of square begun Sunday morning, and large congregations have greeted each service since then.

The revival is being held under the auspices of Pastors Israel, Bullock and Davis of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Christian churches, and their congregations. Evangelist W. A. Erwin of Vernon is doing the preaching, and he is delivering very able and soul-searching discourses. of Mr. R. G. Fraser, with Mrs. Erwin as accompanist. A very large choir of the best singers of the town is furnishing good music. Mr. Fraser sings a solo at each service.

The revival will contine for several weeks, not less than three. Services are held only at 8:15 o'clock at night during this week.

Evangelist Erwin was for a number of year's pastor of the Presbyterian church in Amarillo.

Will Have Booster Chorus

Mr. Fraser, choir director in the Lakeview, June 19th; Kress, July 24; union revival, wants all the boys and girls between ten and sixteen years of age, to meet him and Mrs. Erwin noon at 4 o'clock, as they will organostrum and will assist in the singing, and will constitute the entire choir at the Saturday night services. This is quite an important feature, and all are urged to join the choir.

Will Deliver Address

At Tabernacle Wednesday Afternoon Elder Clude D. Fyffe, pastor of the Christian church in Snyder, son and co-worker with the eminent Christian evangelist, his father, will deliver an Kress. Mr. Dennis is with the R. H. address at the revival tabernacle Cornelius Music Co. of Fort Worth, and Mr. Cobb is with the Quartett Music Co. of Fort Worth, both of taken. The people are invited to hear

Next Sunday morning at 11. Messrs. A. E. Boyd, J. L. Gallaway and G. W. McDonald will speak briefly on matters of vital importance to tractive program. Everybody invited to these services.

HARLAN J. MATTHEWS, Pastor.

Sunbeam Band Program for Sunday Eevning, at 8:30 O'clock Processional, music-Orchetra.

Welcome address-Wyston Smith. "I'll Be a Sunbeam"-Sunbeam Band.

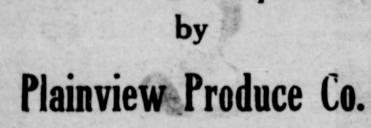
"Caprice" (selected)-Juanita Ste-

"I've Two Little Hands"-Paul Edmond Berndt.

"Little Things"-Evelyn Ernest. "True Victory"-W. T. Gainer. Music (selected)-Lottie Belle

Miss Theima McClain, left this morn-

K. J. Clements and Miss Pearl Law-



Sudan Grass Seed

Wanted in limited quantities

May Have Economic Department | Williams-Greathouse

Miss Lillain Peek of the home econ-Center last week, making an inspection of the high school anent the matregular classes.

H. D. Williams and Mrs. Tinnie fall, she said. omics department of the state de- Greathouse, May 27. Both parties partment of education, was in Hale live in Plainview. He is a plumber.

city, which is their home.

On another occasion the wife was bounced off the rear of her husband's left this morning for her home, after motor cycle, she testified, serious phy- pearly a week's visit with her sister, sical consequences resulted from that Mrs. Jim Phillips.

Dr. Ernest E. Robinson and son Lon, were here yesterday visiting his

ter of adding a home economics de- for several weeks been operating in Center, where he delivered the compartment. After the investigation the bulding just north of the East- mencement sermon to the high school she advised against the proposition side Grocery, has packed up the goods graduates Sunday. He was for severuntil a new school building is erected, and shipped them to Fort Worth. The al years pastor of the Plainview as the present building is not ade- managers, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Borhe, Methodist church, but became pastor but she is a teacher in the public quate, the room being needed for the left this morning in their car for that of St. Paul Methodist church in Abilene last November.

BETTER COAL CHEAPER COAL 18815 90

Mr. Farmer, why not get ready for winter and while good Niggerhead coal is going at

\$13.00 Per Ton of 2000 Pounds

Bonner-Price

bumps, bridges or railway crossings. camping trip down in the Pecos valley Callaway lot 3 in block 34 in the town Lester Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. of Plainview: consideration, \$1,450.

Ben Smith of Lockney, was here to-Refusing to go further, the wife got day en route home from Galveston, C. A. Pierce is in Amarillo today.

Miss Alberta Hatchett of Lamesa

Miss Minnie Woolverton, who is employed with the Thompson wholecale drug concern in Amarillo, has

in block C-3, Hale county; considerabeen here for several days visiting her tion, \$16,000. The Army Goods store, which has son. Dr. Robinson had been at Hale Farents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Woolver-

Miss Elinor Lilly is here visiting addition to Plainview; consideration, ar sister, Mrs. R. E. Meyers. Her \$2,995. nome is in Colorado Springs, Colo., Poper lots 10 and 11 in a certain block cheels of Ardmore, Okla. She will in Boswell Heihgts addition to Plainleave in several days for New York ew consideration \$8,000, contain-City to take a course in Columbia ing 10 acres of land. University." 1-1-11 -1

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Knight and Mr. lets 15 and 16 in block 93 in the town and Mrs. Bob Malone spent the week of Hale Center; consideration, \$15,end on the Lester ranch on Palo Duro 000. near Canyon, fishing. They caught an abundance of bass weighing from Peterson all of section 26 in league 4 two to two and a half pounds, and in the Sabine county school lands, lohad a very enjoyable time. Mrs. W. cated in Hale county; consideration, \$10 and the assumption of \$6,000 in M. Lester returned with them.

Miss Flora Meadows left Thursday rotos. for Waynoka, Okla., to visit a few F M. Cartor and wife to W. H days. Mrs. H. F. Meadows and Miss Cordill a half interest in lot 4 in block Lucile will leave tomorrow and he 36 in the town of Plainview; consider- tion in forces today, laying joined by Miss Flora, and they will ation, \$500. go to Culver Military Academy in Indiana, to attend the graduation E. Clifford lat 13 in block 16, in the \$7,000. son and brother. Homer Knowles was here yester-

er of a newspaper at Matador, later land addition to Plainview; considermoving to Hale Center where he pub- ation, \$1,050. lished a paper for awhile. Since then he has been in several places, but of tion of land along the south line of Inte at Colorado Springs. Colo., where enryey 12 in block JK-3. containing he has been with his wife for the 9 manes Pale county.

benefit of her health.

E. T. Coleman and B. H. Towery protection. consideration. \$800. and families and Miss Hickman left J. B. Maxey and wife to J. C. Merothis morning in cars for Boulder. dith. Jr., lot 8 in bloc 23 in the High-Colo. Messrs. Coleman and Towery land addition to Plainview; considera- \$4.562.50.

will return home in a few days, and tion. \$2,630. their families will spend the summer E Harlan and wife to R. C. Sconzin Williams all of survey 19 in block X, in Boulder. Miss Agnes and Char block 18 and 19 in the Lakeside addi- Hale county: consideration, \$66,337. lotte Coleman will attend summer tion to Plainview: consideration, \$10 shool of the Colorado State Univer- and other valuable considerations. . loity there.

"The Gunner and the Bird"-Rosa W. B. Seaman and wife to J. I. Lee Roden.

"I Am Daddy's Man"-Murray Waller.

C. G. Goodman and wife to F. M. Trio (selected)-Juanita Stephens, Bridges, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and6 in the Thetis and Fama Boyd. " a arter of block 128 in the

Bible verses, memorygems-Suntown of Hale Center; consideration, eam Band.

23rd Psalm-Austin Hatchell. "The Bear Story" (James Whit-combe Riley)-Bill Smith.

Carter and wife to R. H. Knoohuizer Song, "When He Cometh"-Sunnd A. E. Boyd lots 7 and 10 in block

22 in the Highland addition to Plainoam Band. " : consideration, \$1,700. " " Monzingo and wife to H. L. "The Prettiest Thing"-Juanita

White. "Der Secret"-Mary Lynn.

"Impromptu" (Reinhold)-Hariet

Vandernool

"A Good Name"-Lucy Beele Rob Comford to T. R. Campbell, lots 5 and 6 in block 5 in the Hihland den.

Minuet in E Flat (Trio-Mazart)-Hariet Vanderpool, Janice Stockton and Elaine Speed.

"Little Willie's Hearin'-Donald McDonald.

Mother"- Curtis "Somebody's Lovelady.

"Japanese Song"-Louise Stephens "Carry On"-Wilma Delaho. Vocal solo, "Roses Blooming Roses"

Fama Boyd. Music-Orchestra.

"Rock of Ages" (Acrostic and Pantomime)-Ten Sunbeams.

Benediction-Harlan J. Matthews.

Santa Fe Slashes Forces

Topeka, Kan., May 31 .- The Entry Fe railroad made another b'e minmore men at the Topeka shops and corresponding numbers at the other big shops on the system. Last week exercises of Frank Meadows, their town of Plainview; consideration, 350 men were laid off. The locomotive and passenger car departments are Florence P. Wilbur to W. E. Miller closer except for emergency work. day. Some years ago he was publish- lots 3 and 4 in block 51 in the High- The freight car repair force, however are being kept up.

Hereford is to hold a big round-up and wild west celebration June 24-25.

nnort lot 31 in block 17 in the origi-nal town of Plainview; consideration, \$2,000.

C. D Hensley and wife to J. R Yearwood, lots 7 and 8 in block 10 in "he town of Plainview; consideration,

C. G. Goodman and wife to T. W. Brown, section 8 in block X, Hale T B Mance and wife to W. B. Dav- consideration, \$13,650,

NEW3 GOES FAST

Drum-Beat in Africa Has Telographic Speed.

Marvelous System of Signaling Has Long Been One of the Wonders of the World.

News is carried by drum-heat in Africa at a rate as fast as the telegraph, writes A. S. Crawley in the London Daily Mail.

"The natives of Central Africa have a wonderful system of signaling from village to village by drum-beat," he says.

"Generally the property of the chief, these official drums, which are many, forming a set of varying size, are as a rule of the species known as incision-drum. This is a long, narrow, hollow cylinder, made from a tree trunk, with the ends closed.

"The drum is placed in either a horizontal or vertical position. the former producing the best results. Big drums carry more than ten miles.

"By relay a message may travel 1,000 miles in little more than the velocity of sound.

"The drum-telephone depends upon an elaborate code of sounds. European travelers often order their dinner and night's lodging at the next village by a drum-message. The villagers use it as we use a postal, telegraph and telephone service-and there are no charges.

"For the home service the drum plays the part also of the church bell, the clock, the town crier and the daily newspaper. For instance Rev. James Roscoe, whose African adventures and discoveries have recently been reported, notes that it announced a birth or a death, the new moon and the weekly fast day.

"To help understanding of the marvelous code, as complete as a language, the remarks of Sir Arthur B. Ellis (writing of West Africa) are in point:

"To a European the rhythm of a drum expresses nothing beyond a repetition of the same note at different intervals of time, but to a native it expresses much more. To him the drum can and does speak, the sounds produced from it forming words and the whole measure of rhythm a sense.'

"Thus, at a dance of 'companies,' in one measure they abuse the men of another company . . . then the rhythm changes and the gallant deeds of their own company are extolled. All this, and much more, is conveyed by the beating of drums, and the native ear, trained to detect and interpret each beat, is never at fault."

Midget Babies Often Thrive.

Parents whose children are abnormally small at birth can take heart. for recent figures show that tiny infants frequently grow up quite robust. and of normal proportions. According to the observations of an English doctor, a girl baby born 13 years ago. to a Mrs. Warwick of Barrow-in-Furness, for instance, weighed only one and three-qarter pounds. She now turns the scale at 150 pounds, and is an exceptionally healthy and intelligent child. Even more remarkable is the case of Leonard Merrick, who stands over 6 feet high and weighs 180 pounds, all brawn and muscle and sinew. At his birth, 25 years ago, he weighed only 15 ounces, his head was not much higger than a billiard ball, the mouth was only just about the size of the end of a pencil, and the mother's wedding ring would slip easily up the arm as high as the shoulder. A baby exhibited at one of the meetings of the British Obstetrical society weighed only 20 ounces and the Medical Times once announced the birth of one that turned the scale at exactly one pound. Both these grew up strong and healthy, and of normal proportions. In short, a small infant seems likely to do as well as a big one, always provided, of course, that it survives the perils of babyhood.

Slightly Disturbed by Soiled Necktie but Not at All by Coming Important Debate.

CHINESE STUDENT WAS CALM

It is only 15 years ago that Wellington Koo-to whose efforts are largely attributed the election of China to the council of the League of Nations-entered Columbia university, New York. In definite preparation for a diplomatic career he specialized in international law under Prof. John Bassett Moore, and it was in this subject that he took his Ph.D. degree, with a thesis on "The Status of Aliens in China." He was one of the most active and distinguished of the Columbia undergraduates of his time, says the Detroit News. Not only was he elected to the Phi Beta Kappa, the most famous of the American college fraternities, but he became editor in chief of the Columbia Spectator.

As a debator, too, Mr. Koo made his mark among his contempararies. In 1908 his speech turned the tide in favor of his own university in a debate with Cornell. The story is told that when the Columbia team reached Ithaca, the seat of the rival university, most of its members were in a state of blue funk, owing to the high reputation of one of their opponents. This attack of nerves was at its height when they sought out Koo. "Yes," he told them, "I, too, am worried, I have brought only one evening dress tie with me, and look at it-soiled! What is to be done?" His fellow debaters fled to the nearest haberdasher's and returned with half a dozen ties of assorted models. Koo selected one, arrayed himself, and in it went forth to the fray with a light heart.

OVERLOOK BEAUTY OF FERNS Choice Varieties Seem Not to Be as

Greatly Appreciated as They Should Be.

One of the things which the florists of the United States have neglected to a great extent is the growing of ferns. To be sure we see many beautiful specimens in the windows of city establishments, but very few of the more choice varieties, which are really just as easy to grow, provided a little care is taken with them. How many know, for instance, that there are scores of varieties of the "maidenhair?" The baby maidenhair is one of the daintiest of these, its leaves being but little larger than the head of an ordinary pin. Another variety which is especially beautiful is the New Zealand maidenhair. The stem of this fern flattens out as it nears the leaves, and the leaves themselves are superimposed one on another, which gives the effect of several shades of green. Of course there are also the gigantic tree ferns of the tropics, which have fronds from five to fifteen feet in length, the trunks sometimes being four or five feet in diameter, but these would hardly do for a lady's bouquet.

First American Airway.

The "cornerstone" of America's first airway from Washington to Dayton, Ohio., was laid at Bolling field, Washington, with appropriate ceremonies

Superstitions That Are Held by Cornishmen.

Phantom Lights and Phantom Ships Implicitly Believed In by Sailors

Who Fear Nothing.

All along the Cornish shores the phantom ship is thoroughly believed in, as also are the phantom lights. Some years ago a schooner-rigged vessel made signals of distress to the ing. Around its timbers there grew west of St. Ives bay. A cable that put out reached her, and one of the sister the raspberry, and among its seamen hale a grasp at her bulwarks recesses there thrived the elder, whose in order to jump on board; but his fruit once was coveted pie material hand met making solid, and as he tumbled back anto the boat the schooner and her saiing lights disappeared served of a winter evening when the in the darkness. Next morning a neighbors gathered. schooner out of the port of London was wrecked within the same vicinity. and all on board her perished. The phantom lights are seen generally before a gale; the Cornish seamen call them "Jack Harry's lights," and the ship seen resembles the one that is

subsequently wrecked. The death ship is a superstition peculiar to Cornwall. With black hull time. and stumpy bowsprit, she comes in, with all her canvas set, against the wind and tide, and as she turns to reach to seaward again the doomed person dies. Most famous of the tra- jug might be kept. ditional stories grouping round the death ship is that of a wrecker, who lived at Tregaseal, beguiling vessels with false lights and doing to death those who escaped the waves. When he lay dying a black ship full rigged with all sail set was noticed coming in upon the land against the wind and tide; and as the man died she bore out to sea again in a half gale.

Portheurno cove, near the Logan stone, has also a ship of doom. Sometimes there is seen when the mists are rising off the marshes a black square rigged craft, which stands over to Bodelan and Chygwiden and suddenly vanishes. Upon whosoever sees her ill luck and death are sure to fall. Near St. Ives, too, is a churchyard

haunted by an apparition, sight of which entails disaster to seamen. In the sixties of the last century a vessel was wrecked on the coast here. The men who went off to the rescue found on board a lady with a child in her arms. She refused to part with her charge, and in drawing her by a rope from the wreck to the boat the child was lost in the raging seas. The lady died through shock and exposure and was buried in the local churchyard. Today her wraith is said to haunt the shore, whether the day orthe night is tempestuous or dark or clear or fine. And on whoever sees her, be he a seafaring man, disaster falls.

The coasts of Cornwall are second and originality of their sea supersti-For nowhere else in Europe tions. has the sea taken such a toll of dead. and still takes. Only Cape Ushant, and, perhaps, the Goodwin sands off the coast of Kent, may rank behind

SEA'S OLD TALES OLD RAIL FENCE IS MOURNED Too Wasteful for Modern Days, but It

Had Its Points of Real Usefulness.

Among the once necessities of farm life that reflected prodigality in the use of valuable timber was the old rail fence. Like many other almost bygones of rural life, its place in farm wastefulness now is well established and yet it had its uses for which the straight-line wire fence cannot qualify. The old rall fence's serrated stretches were the homes of small animal life that now is rapidly disappearthe uncultivated blackberry, with its and whose blossoms were the foundation for elderberry wine that matrons

The rail fence, with its invariable undergrowth, was the favorite protection for Bob White in winter, and from its top he sang in the warmer seasons. Beneath, the little ground squirrel burrowed. From safe retreat he chattered if some intruder came near to annoy him as he was busily engaged in gathering his store of food for the snow

To the harvest hand it afforded protection at the end of the long row for a brief respite and its corners formed shaded nooks under which the water

And from what royal timber was this old fence constructed ! Black walnut logs, chestnut logs and the smooth length of the ash tree were cleft by numerous rall splitters for the "seven high" fence that stood the storms of decades. There was many a black walnut rail whose timber would make the manufacturer of gun stocks chortle with satisfaction had he such a present supply of wood at his command .--Columbus Dispatch.

GOOD MATERIAL FOR BOILERS

Variety of Pumice Stone Is Coming Into General Use in Japan-Has Many Advantages.

"Koka Seki" is a variety of pumice stone which, as far as now known, reports Vice Consul H. T. Goodier of Yokohama, is only found in the small group of Niljima islands (New Islands), which lie off the coast of the Idzu peninsula, about ninety miles south of Tokyo. Though used in Nillima from ancient times as a building material, only comparatively recently has "Koka Seki" become known commercially in Japan proper. Because of its durability, high tensile strength and capability of resisting 1,300 degrees C. of heat, it is suitable for boiler and furnace construction as well as inner linings of safes and the manufacture of ice chests.

As it is claimed, it can be easily cut, to none in the wildness, the variety will take a surface of paint or metal plating, and as nails can be driven in. It is thought that the uses of this material will greatly increase. It is. however, in re-enforced concrete barge building in Japan that it is best

Kelic of Great British Monarch Found at Rouen.

Intact, Though Shrunk in Dimensions, When D.scovered in Vault of Famous French Cathedral.

The reported discovery of a coffin containing the heart of Robert Bruce at Melrose abbey reminds the Manchester Guardian that the "lion heart" of King Richard I was not discovered in Rouen cathedral until Queen Victoria's reign.

In 1838' some untiquaries obtained permission from the archbishop of Rouen to search for Richard's heart, which tradition stated was near the high altar. Their excavations revealed a recumbent figure of Richard, in good preservation, with the exception of the nose, hands and feet, which apparently had been broken so as to flatten the effigy when the present pavement was laid over it.

Their next find was a leaden case inscribed "Richard Coeur de Lion, Duc de Normandie, Roi d'Angleterre."

A hole had been made in the lidprobably by robbers, for it is said that the leaden case was originally inclosed in a silver casket and that some coins were placed therein.

The heart, which was enveloped in green taffeta, proved to be intact, though shrunk in its dimensions. After sojourning for a time in the archbishop's palace the heart was transferred to the Rouen Museum of Antiquities, where it has been kept ever since.

Richard's other remains are many miles from Rouen-at Fontevrault abbey, where they lay, as he directed, at his father's feet. Napoleon III once promised to hand over to Britah the Plantagenet relics, but they have not reached England.

In 1866, when Lord Derby became premier for the third time, he reminded the emperor of his pledge, but to no effect.

"If you insist on the fulfillment of my promise," said Napoleon, "the relics shall be transferred to England, but I hope you will release me. The people of Fontevrault raised such a storm of protest when I announced my intention of removing them that 1 thought better of it."

Fontevrault abbey now serves as a convict prison, but visitors are admitted to the vaults, which contain recumbent effigies-dressed in their royal robes-of Henry II and Queen Eleanor, their son Richard, and Isabel, widow of King John. These were hidden away by some monks during the Reign of Terror, when the Plantagenet tombs were desecrated.

The royal effigies are admirable examples of medieval workmanship.

No Dogs, Births or Deaths.

No births, no deaths, no dogs, A tract of land subject to these singular prohibitions is the sacred island of Miyajima, situated most gorgeously in the inland sea of Japan.

With the trifling exceptions of en-

"COEUR DE LION" LONGEVITY ON THE DECREASE University Professor Thinks It Is, and

Gives Some Cogent Reasons Why It Should Be.

Prof. Raymond Pearl of Johns Hopkins, after an exhaustive study of life probability extending through a historic period of two thousand years, arrives at the conclusion that while man's possibilities of life at birth and in earlier stages has been steadily improving, his expectation of life at advanced age has been steadily decreasing. Comparisons ranging from the Romano-Egyptian to the present day offer statistical proof. The theoretical explanation is that in early times, with less provision for the protection of bables and infants, only the more rugged pulled through. Nowadays with increasing care for childhood, the weak are carried into adolescence and adulthood. Where formerly only the fittest or toughest managed to reach the shady slope of life, and were consequently more likely to hang on to ripe old ages, the salvaging of the weaker brings them into the fifties and sixtles with less hope of prolonged life. It sounds plausible and may explain the apparent decrease of longevity. Incldentally, his statistics brought out the fact that while women formerly had less expectation of life at all ages, this has been reversed-another blow to the tradition of "the weaker sex." Women now appear to have the greater probability of prolonged life.

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KNOWS MACHINES HE BUILDS

Head of Great Locomotive Works Has More Than Business Acumen to His Credit.

On a hot day last summer an express train between Philadelphia and New York came to a jolting halt, says Nation's Business. The passengers first joked, then grumbled, then grew impatient. A big man, white-haired, « but youthful in motion, climbed down from a chaircar and marched up to the engine, which was the center of a ring of passengers.

"What's wrong?" he asked.

In effect, the engineer said that the engine had quit and he didn't know what the several things was the matter with it.

The big man peeled off his coat and waistcoat and rolled up his shirt sleeves. Then he sort of disappeared in the interior of the unwilling engine and the ring of watching passengers grew.

Half an hour later he emerged with a smudged face and grimy hands, and said, "She's all right now," put coat and waistcoat over his arm and walked back to his chair car, wiping his hands on a handful of waste he'd picked up in the cab.

She was all right, and the man who made her all right was Samuel Matthews Vauciain, millionaire president of the Baldwin Locomotive works and a real boss of their 20,000 workmen,

Airplane an Essential Now.

In 50 minutes after the Birmingham office of a Shelby county mine operator had gotten in touch with the mine rescue station at West End, experts

Rivals.

Gilbert K. Chesterton said the other day in New York:

"I am sick of the great horde of free verse poets that has sprung up among us. These little wretches grind out a few hundred words of silly twaddle that is without rhyme and without reason, and then they think themselves the superiors of Swinburne.

"At the Greenwich village tea yesterday a scrawny little free verse poet said :

"'I'm awfully sorry D'Annunzio has capitulated, you know."

'Are you?' asked an old maid in andals. 'Why?'"

"'Notwithstanding our already over crowded market,' said the poet, 'that duffer is sure to start writing poetry again.""

Novel Colffure.

Oil-soaked hair is a novel form of coiffure introduced by the Russian ballet, which recently opened in Paris The women dancers have cut their hair short and so saturated it with oil that it looks like a skullcap. Their eyebrows are painted in a long fine line, which runs right back to the roots of the hair, giving the face the appearance of a Polish doll.

Practical.

"The time has come," said Mr. Brick's wife, "when woman may forsake the light, ephemeral things of life and take up the heavy subjects."

And her husband rejoined, wearily "Are you going to make bread at home again, Maria?"

designed as a part of the celebration of the anniversary of Lincoln's birth. High officials of the army, members of rine. congress and aviators of note attended

Army aviation officials described the event as a "milestone in the progress of American aeronautics."

A feature of the dedication was the first public appearance of the American messenger airplane, one of the smallest in the wordl, which is planned to take the place of motorcycles for certain messenger work. The plane has a wing spread of only 20 feet and stands 7 feet high. It will carry a load of 240 pounds and with its 60horse power motor makes 95 miles an hour.

Remarkable Belgian Gun.

One of the most curious products of the Belgian gunmakers' art, says Popular Mechanics Magazine, is now in the possession of a Colorado sportsman. This gun is remarkable for its arrangement of seven barrels in one, the composite tube with its cluster of parallel bores being about the size of a heavy-gauge shotgun barrel. Seven .22-caliber rifle cartridges are inserted in the breech openings, and fired simultaneously by a single firing pin and hammer. The shell ejector is a removable disk with seven holes, which swings back when the lock is opened.

Oak in Hall of Fame.

Before Basking Ridge, N. J., took its place in the world an oak stood there. The people of this New Jersey town can trace the tree's history for 400 years, but the church is only 200 years old. It has just celebrated that event. Miss Margaret Hitchcock of Morristown, and Mrs. Wil-Ham D. Baneker of Basking Ridge nominate the tree for a place in the Hall of Fame which the American Forestry association is compiling of trees with a history. The tree has a circumference of 151/2 feet 6 feet above the ground.

Indian Chief Drives Auto.

An Indian Chief, Tony Tommy, of the Florida Seminoles, who still wear the garb of their forefathers, is the first of his tribe to buy and operate his own automobile. After a course of instruction at a garage in Miami. the chief now rolls into town each week from his village, near Fort Lauderdale, at the wheel of his machine, but with a pair of horn-rim glasses as his only other concession to the ways of the palefaces.

Cornwall in the sea's colossal ledger of death and disaster .- National Ma-

Voices by Radio.

Voice transmission by radio waves has passed beyond the experimental stage. The United States bureau of standards says that it is now actually possible to telephone by wireless over as great a distance as by the ordinary wire.

It also states that the quality of the transmitted speech is as perfect as that which comes over the ordinary telephone and the same remark applies to music sent by radio. This highest scientific authority ex-

presses a belief that before very long communication across the Atlantic by radiophone will be established on a commercial basis. When that has been accomplished, a person in Philadelphia or New York will be able at any time to call up and converse with a friend or business acquiantance in London or Paris by paying a stated and moderate rate per five minutes of talk.

Origin of Ophthalmia.

Little was known concerning the surgery of the eye in Great Britain until the expedition into Egypt under Sir Ralph Abercrombie took place following the advance of the French into the land of the pyramids led by Napoleon Bonaparte. The British troops, says the New York Medical Journal, al government survey party unexbecame the victims of contagious ophthaimin, then and now widely prevalent in that country, and brought back that scourge into Great Britain. Incapacitated from further fulfilling have been worked for gold for centheir military duties, the disease was spread by these men throughout the length and breadth of the land. Serious study of the eye then began.

Just Rubber and Risk Smash-up. Instructor-Now, in learning to existence of huge goldfields. drive this car never let anything on the sidewalk distract your attention, sir, from the street directly in front of you.

Man Customer-For the love o' Mike, what are you going to do when modern jane passes along in an open-work waist, open-work stockings and skirt knee high?-Jacksonville. Times-Union.

The Boomerang.

Nobbs-Honesty is the best policy. The thief suffers in the end. Dobbs-Yes, even the fellow who steals a kiss may have to marry the girl.

Maeterlinck Loses a Dog. Maurice Maeterlinck has a special

weakness for animals in general and for dogs in particular. He was greatly distressed, therefore, when, the other day, a gentle little Pekinese which he owned was bitten by Alaska, an illmannered Eskimo dog, brought back from America by the poet.

The little dog's injury was severe, affecting the eye, and M. Maeterlinck, finding the animal's sufferings insupportable, called into consultation one of the best eve specialists in Nice. After a careful examination the physician declared that an operation was necessary. The four-footed patient, however, unable to take an anesthetic,

died under the knife. Now for services rendered, the specialist has charged M. Maeterlinck the sum of 600 francs, which le maitre refuses to pay. The physician has gone to court with the matter .- From Le Petit Parisien, Paris.

New Goidfield in Africa.

Another goldfield has been discovered in Eastern Akim which promises untold wealth. King Oforiatta, who was educated on European lines, first secured the passage of laws similar to those adopted in South Africa to protect the country from exploitation. The king then proceeded with his investigations, but meanwhile a colonipectedly discovered diamonds a year ago. Oforiatta, after a year of research work, now claims that he has discovered that gravel deposits which turies lies over a layer of clay, beneath which is more gravel than that of the top layer. Under his direction an area exceeding an acre has been excavated. The king states that he is satisfied that the indications point to the

Like a Well-Known Voice.

A selephone call came to me one afternoon. The voice had the wellknown, honeyed tones of my best girl. She was somewhat peeved over an incident that had occurred a few evesings before. In order to reconcile her I revealed some of my feelings, which were meant for her alone. At the end of this conversation I was gratefully and hilariously thanked for my information by a suddenly changed voice. It proved to be a friend of mine, who took pains to see that I was told about it for weeks following .- Chicago Tribune.

tering the world, leaving it, or starting a "kennel," you may do practically what you choose there,

Stringent religious regulations, dating far back into history, forbid these small adventures.

Occasionally a baby, anxious to begin existence, hurries into the world before its time.

Nowadays humanitarianism stronger than Shinto law, and no more terrible penalty is exacted from the unlucky mother than that she shall be moved to the mainland as soon as possible, and remain there for 30 days.

As for death, once the poor sufferer at this last gasp was ferried across to some other shore lest his final breath should pollute sacred soil.

Now, if needs must, he is allowed to die in peace, but his body is instantly removed to Ono for burial, and the chief mourners who attend the funeral are obliged to absent themselves from Miyajima for 50 days' of ceremonial purification .- From Continental Edition of the London Mail.

Moor Hens.

Lord Grey of Fallodon in his leisure time has been watching the ways of moor hens living in his garden, and tells an interesting story of their scheme of coping with their growing families. The second brood of a season follows quickly on the first, and the elder children are given duties and responsibilities. They help to feed the young ones, passing on food given them by the parents. They help in building nursery nests, and when the parents are rearing the third brood they are often left in sole charge of the second.

Something Lacking. "Yer see, mum," said Grimy Gus. "it's like dis. Six months ago I had a little home of me own, but I made an unfortunate marriage. My wife kept me in hot water all de time."

"Too bad," said the woman dryly. "It's a pity there couldn't have been a little soap in it. Only six months ago, did you say?"-Boston Transcript

An Improvement.

"My wife has been studying geology and the house is so full of stones that can't find a place to sit down." "What will you do about it?"

"I've induced her to take up astronomy.' "Is that any better?" "Of course; she can't collect specimens!"-Pearson's Weekly.

at the station had engaged an airplane and with special life-saving apparatus had been landed at the mine, 30 miles distant.

This marks a new field of usefulness for the airplane. Physicians, lifesaving experts and mine-rescue apparatus may be carried through the air to the scene of a mine disaster and many lives may be saved by this quick service.

When the airplane has evolved into a medium for the saving of human life, it may indeed be said to have entered the class of the essentially practical,-Birmingham Age-Herald,

Work of Y. W. C. A. Abroad.

Secretaries of the newly organized Y. W. C. A. in Krawok, Poland, were surprised recently to have a membership card of the Cleveland (O.) Young Women's Christian association presented to them by a young girl who was on her way to America. The girl proved to have a sister living in Cleveland who had taken out membership in the International institute of that city, and then sent the card to the traveler as a guarantee of assistance along the way. Girls as young as twelve and sixteen are passing through the Y. W. C. A. office in Foland on the way to America.

Good Work Is Costly.

The remarkable difference in prices of tennis rackets is not so much due to the difference in the cost of the raw materials of which they are made as to the kind and amount of labor on their making, says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington. Be tennis rackets are works of art, and the skill of the worker is reflected in the price as much as in any other article belonging to sport and athletics.

The Really Terrible Thing.

Mrs. Gush-Too bad about your poor husband getting his arm broken in your motor accident yesterday. So sorry.

Mrs. Swagger-Oh, thank you, but that wasn't the worst; my new hat was simply ruined.-Boston Transcript.

A Moving Question.

Redd-I understand that about 95 per cent of the motion pictures shown in British India are American productions.

Greene-But can the average audience out there tell whether it's an American ple which is being thrown or a discus?



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GIANT FARM CORPORATION HUNDRED MILLION CAPITAL MAKES DOLLARS BUILD

To Handle Nation's Grain Crop On **Cooperative Basis Through Elevators Is Aim**

New York, May 28 .- The greatest agricultural marketing organization in the world was launched here tonight when plans were completed for the Farmers Finance Corporation.

The corporation, which was formed for the purpose of handling the coun- ried out by the county commissioners try's grain crops on a cooperative of Hale county. Radiating from basis, will have a capitalization of Plainview in eight directions are im-\$100,000,000 and a potential power of portant intrastate and interstate at least \$1,000,000,000. Incorporation highways and a network of good roads papers will be filed in Wilmington, makes every farm in the county near-Delaware, next week. er to market.

According to officials, the corpora. tion will begin to function immediate- taken advantage of a soil which can ly and may be able to handle a portion easily be made into and maintained as of this year's crops.

The principal objects of the organization were described as follows: Elimination of speculation in grain. Stabilization of grain prices, with qual benefit to farmers and consum-

Increased acreage, with consequent greater production.

Abolition of unnecessary costs by best of roads without any burden to direct shipments and elimination of middlemen's profits. If this experiment is successful, it was stated, farmers organizations throughout the country will apply the same principle to other agriculutural products. The United States Grain Growers Inc., of which the farmers finance corpotation is a subsidiary, will form another subsidiary to handle grain exports. Committees similar to the one which

has just completed organization of the finance corporation are now at work on corporations to handle live stock, fruit, milk and dairy products, tobac-co, poultry, garden truck and cannery products.

The farmers' corporation will at lease or build elevators in Chicago, Minneapolis, Omaha, Kansas City, Cleveland, New York, and Spok-ane or Seattle and later in Galveston ElPaso to Hot Springs ano Washingand Fort Worth.

A SPLENDID REPORT FROM THE KRESS PUBLIC SCHOOL southeast to the northwest is the Tex-

as-Colorado cut-off, now nearly com-The people of Kress have enjoyed a pleted from Central Texas to the remost excellent school term the past sorts of Northeastern New Mexico year. Patrons, teachers and pupils and Colorado. have worked in harmony, and much and lasting good has been accomplished. It is with pleasure that we print large amount of transcontinental and the following statistics from the interstate travel, all of which conver-Kress public school: ges in Plainview. The direct benefit Number of pupils enrolled for the of this tourist travel is great, for year, 188. each tourist passing through Plain-

Ratio of boys to girls, 94 to 94. Number of pupils remaining at the Eut the greatest benefit is the indirect se of the school, 149.

results of such travel. Highways Number of pupils neither absent or have proven Plainview's best adverarity during the term, 4. These were tising medium. Tourists, who would Milton Adkisson, Alice Adkins, Reba not otherwise become interested in Lewis and Mayme Keating. Three investing, see the wonderful country prizes were offened to the pupils who around Plainview and quite often inattained perfection in these lines, vest heavily. Many of them return to

KILLING NEAR HEREFORD OVER SALE OF COW

AT SMALL COST

(By oJhn Boswell)

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head Highway from California and

ton. Running north and south is the

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Seattle and San Antonio. From the

Highways Frequently Traveled

All of these highways receive

view spends an average of about \$9.

taxpayers.

MOST MILES OF ROADS W. J. Rich Shot By B. Burns-Rich Shot Burns Several weeks Ago

HALE COUNTY BUILDS FINE SYSTEM OF HIGHWAYS Hereford, May 30 .- W. J. Rich, aged thirty-three, married and one child, is dead, and B. Burns, aged twenty and single, is in jail in Hereford, as result of shooting on the "When better roads are built, Hale Hammer place near Wildorado about county will build them," describes twenty-four miles northeast of this the road building program being carpoint. It is alleged both men were armed and quarreling just previous to the fatal wounding of Rich. According to reports, several witnesses were present at the time of the shooting Burns is said to have used a shotgun.

The tragedy is alleged to be the outscome of a misunderstanding be The county commissioners have tween Rich and Burns, based on the sale of a cow by the latter to the former. This led, several weeks ago to splendid highways. To this end they an encounter, during which it is said have purchased road building and Rich shot Burns in the shoulder with maintaining machinery to the amount a revolver. Rich was arrested and of \$55,000 and have employed a dozen tried in the district court in Hereford men to handle this machinery. Modon a charge of assault with intent to ern machinery enables them to build kill. The trial resultted in an achighways and maintain them at an quittal for Rich. extremely low cost. Thus the county

has and will continue to have the occasion for revival of the trouble, Know It, the Last Resort of Those and it is alleged the shooting followed Who Do Not Know It. heated discussion of phases of the

previous disagreement. The eight main highways radiating Shortly following the shooting, from Plainview serve a triple pur-

young Burns, whose father owns and pose. "First and most important, they overates a ranch near Wildorado, surprovide the farmer with the means of rendered himself to officers and was low hauling cost to markets at Plainplaced in jail, pending steps prelimiview. Second, they make Plainview nary to his trial on the charge of killthe trade center for a large number ing Rich.

of smaller towns. Third, they give Within a few hours after the trag-Plainview the most direct connection edy, the body of Rich, who was a rent with the larger cities of the Souther on the farm of George L. Muse, a west and make Plainview a crossroads banker of Hereford, near Wildorado, for a large part of the toruist travel was being brought to this city over the same road but recently traversed Upstairs over Shiflett Grocery Store From the east and to the West is

by Burns on his way to prison, to be the F. F. F. Highway from Fort prepared for burial. No funeral ar-Worth to Las Vegas, N. M., and the rangements have been announced. National Forest Reserves of New

SOME POOR BLIND FOLK HAVE To the Sheriff or and constable of NEVER SEEN A MIRACLE

Here is an important distinction that many people overlook. God for a period of ten days before the made the world; but He does not return day hereof, in the newspaper make your world.

out of them every man selects what for a period of not less than one year he wants and builds an individual in said Hale county, a copy of the following notice: mealf.

The fool looks over the wealth of THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the esmaterial provided, and selects a few plates of ham and eggs, a few pairs tate of Earl Houston Elrod and Alford Odeen Elrod, minors, Mrs. Daisy of trousers, a few dollar bills-and is McClung has filed in the County court satisfied. The wise man builds his world out of Hale county an application for ap-

of wonderful sunsets, and thrilling pointment as Permanent guardian of experiences, and the song of the stars, the above mentioned minors, which appointment will be made permanent and romance and miracles. at the June 1921 term of county

Nothing wonderful ever happens in the life of a fool. A primrose by a river's brim

A yellow primrose is to him,

commencing on the 1st Monday in June, A. D., 1921, the same being the And it is nothing more. 6th day of June A. D. 1921, at the An electric light is simply an eleccourt house thereof, in Plainview, tirc light; a telephone is only a telephone-nothing unusual at all.



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Reba won first prize; Milton, second; make Plainview their home. According to W. J. Espy, one of the and Alice, third.

Adkisson, with a grade of 96.

the bright boys and girls of the Kress the level Plainview country and fills public school the following teachers areh uilt when a highway crosses one were employed: Prof. S. W. Reeves, of them. superintendent; Miss Jimmie Knox, high school: Miss Jeanette Steen and Miss Agnes (Btts, intermediate school; Miss Bertha Childress, pri-

mary school. Patrons unite in praising these good teachers for the splendid work they did, and the pupils are united in love and respect for their teachers .- Tulia Herald.

FLAMES CAUSE DEATH

Last Saturday afternoon at about cinct. This enables the commission- and miles away, 2:30 at her home one mile south of ers to maintain the roads of the coun-Lockney, on the Hooten place Mrs. ty ina uniformly splendid condition, and brought it down to earth, For Denney, wife of Mr. Walter Denney, and to live up to their slogan, "When that crime the god chained him to a and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. better roads areb uilt, Hale county lonely rock and sent a hugh bird to Hooten. of the Lone Star community, will build them.' was fatally burned, dieing about nine heurs afterwards.

According to parties reaching the scene soon after the fatal accident riage license in Wyoming, is now rehappened, Mrs. Denney was attempting to heat a solution which contained cian's O. K. on his physical condition. kerosene and linseed oil, when it The rights of the individual are here the flames her clothes caught fire, rights of society. More and more ing no one at home except Mrs. Den. American. The young man who sows that her mother was overcome by the sease, should be required to harvest flames, the little girl ran over to the the crop without the assistance of a home of their nearest neighbor, Mr. third generation of offspring. J. S. Williams. for help. Mr., and Mrs. Williams hurried to the Denney home but arrived to find that they Unanimous approval was given by her, but hes clothes were completely ment to the naval appropriation bill lessness and contempt.

burned. vieid to treatment, and she lived only ed States in an effort to reach some a few hours. Funeral services were held at the

of the automobiles and trucks in the by Luis Terrazas and lands abandon-United States, the total of which is ed by Americans when revolutions down, a man stands in a power-house moret han nine million.

Prizes were offered to those pupils Hale county commissioners, well who made the best grades in their ex- graded highways can be constructed aminations. The winners were Wilson in any part of Hale county for less Drake, with a grade of 97 1-2; Robert than \$50 per mile. Thirty dollars per Drake with a grade of 96 3-5; Martha mile will more than pay the annua! mantenance cost of Hale county roads In the directing of the studies of There are some slight depressions in

Small Construction Cost

Before the county purchased its present modern machinery it let contracts for building these fills. The four to eight feet high usually ran ed anew with light. about \$2,000. The county outfit supervised by Commissioner Espy recently threw up and put into splendid

condition a fill for \$75. The road equiptment of the county OF MRS. WALTER DENNEY is divided into four outfits and one complete outfit is used in each pre-

The Right to Be Born Clean

Every man who takes out a marired by a new law to have a physi- richest treasure of the gods. cought fire. In trying to extinguish surrendered to better safeguard the daily life; we scorn it. wheih resulted in her being fatally such laws are being upheld as consti- ton; and lo, heat, invisible silent, allburbed Mr. Denney and little son tutional, for in the best sense they are pervasive, flows into our homes over had inst come to town, it seems, leav- constitutional and Twentieth-Century a cooper wire.

Move for Disarmament

were not in time to do anything to- the American senate to Borah's proward saving Mrs. Denney's life. She resal for an international naval diswas still conscious, however, and was armament conference. By a vote of the anar; don't let familiarity with sitting in a chair with a wrap over 74 to 0 the Idaho senator's amend- the marvels about you breed thought-

urned. Dr N. F. Greer was sent for and ing the president to invite the goy- a mere food and drink and clothes; responded immediately and rendered ernments of Great Brtiain and Japan you fashion yours out of marvelous what assistance he could, but the to send representatives to a confer- overiences; furnishe and decorate it ourns sustained were too severe to ence with representatives of the Unit- with miracles.

agreement on disarmament. Raptist church last Sunday by J. W. President Obregon, of Mexico, has If you had stood with Moses on the

hone—nothing unusual at all. But the wise man never ceases to terested in said estate may appear and wonder how a tiny speck of seed, apcontest said application, should they parently dead and buried, can produce desire to do so.

a beautiful yellow flower. He never Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said day of the next lifts a telephone receiver or switches term thereof tihs writ, with your reon an electric light without a certain turn thereon, showing how you have feeling of awe.

And to think what a miracle it is, executed the same. this harnessing of electricity to the Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Plainview, service of man!

Who, unless his sense of awe had Texas, tihs the 3rd day of May A. D. grown blunt through constant famil- 1921. iarity, would believe it?

Clerk, County Court, Hale County, The sun, the center of the universe, gces down behind the western hori Texas. zon. I touch a button, and presto!] cost for a quarter of a mile fill from have called it back-the room is flood-

> The thunder that men once called the voice of God, rolls out its mighty waves of sound, and the sound carfew scorem iles. But I-

puny speck upon the face of the -1 lift a little instrument; and chold, my whispers is heard a thous-

Prometheus stole fire from the gods feed upon his vitals. Each night the wound healed, and each day it was torn open again.

That was the punishment of the man who dated to wrest away the But fire-the treasure of the gods-

Do we need power? We have but ney and her little daughter. Seeing h's wild cats and acquires a social di- to press another switch, and giants come to us over the same slender roadway. Clothen in invisible garments, they cleanse our homes, wash our clothes, crank our automobilesdo everything that once taxed the strength of men and hurried women

into lovely old age. Don't let your life become a pro-

. xercise your mind in the whole some activity of wonder; train your soul to reverent awe.

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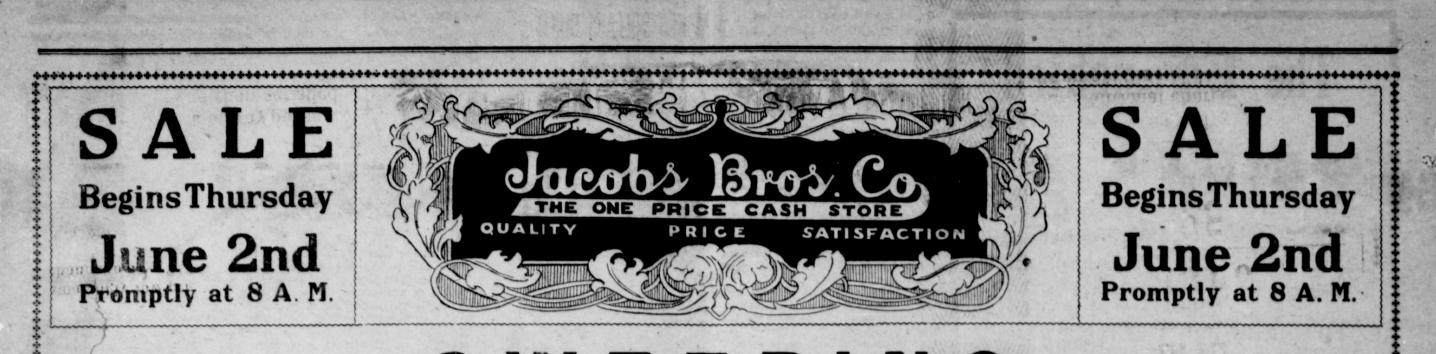
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