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WHISKEY STILL CAPTURED IN WEST PLAINVIEW

USED OIL STOVE AND OIL CANS TO MAKE LIQUOR—150 GALLONS OF MASH

The sheriff's office made a raid Saturday night on a small building in the southwestern part of town, known as the J. H. Wayland old home place, and captured a whiskey still in operation and arrested B. B. Parrish, who is held in county jail in default of \$1,500 bail, after a hearing before Justice E. A. Young.

Parrish and his wife came here from Hill county two or three years ago. He is about twenty-three years of age. Of late he has been loafing around the square, doing nothing in particular, and his actions caused the officers to become suspicious. Saturday they procured a search warrant and went to his place. After searching the house and failing to find anything they went to the barn, where they found a still, with the liquor still warm. He was using four five-gallon oil cans on a four burner oil stove, with a copper worm or quarter-inch pipe attached to the spout of each can. Also here was a large oak barrel, which he used as a cooling and condensing tank. There was twenty gallons of liquor in the four oil cans, still warm, and nearby was a gallon can of liquor that had evidently been made for a day or so, as it was cold. Out in the lot was about 150 gallons of mash, which was fermenting, made from corn meal.

The following morning they went back and turned the mash over into the lot and when the hogs and chickens ate it they became intoxicated. It is thought that Parrish has been selling most of the liquor that has been circulating about the community.

811 Cars Grain Inspected

To last night for the first eighteen days of July Federal Grain Inspector Wallace of the Plainview Grain Exchange had inspected 811 cars of grain. Yesterday eighty-one cars were inspected.

The territory covered by the exchange is Plainview, points on the Floydada branch, points on the Crosbyton branch, and points on the main line of the Santa Fe from Happy to and including Lubbock.

A carload of wheat ranges from 1250 to 1500 bushels, hence the grain so far shipped out this month amounts to more than a million bushels.

Clements Buys Two-Story Brick

Solon Clements has bought from R. W. O'Keefe the two-story brick building on Broadway, occupied by Perry & Cram's real estate offices. The price mentioned in the deed is \$18,000.

Denton Defeats Shadwick

In a boxing contest at Tulsa Joe Denton of Tahoka defeated John Shadwick, formerly of Camp Bowie, in the sixth round. Shadwick boxed Bo Sexton in Plainview July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ebeling and daughter have just returned from a trip in their car to points in New Mexico and Colorado, as far north as Denver.

TEXAS TO COLORADO HIGHWAY BECOMING POPULAR

F. F. F. ASSOCIATION TO ELECT OFFICERS AND LAY PLANS FOR IMPROVEMENT

Much interest is being manifested in the meeting of representatives of all towns on the F. F. F. Highway to be held in Plainview Aug. 1, for the purpose of reorganizing the highway association. Officers will be elected and plans for improving and marking the entire route will be made. It is probable that the time and place of a regular convention will be decided upon.

The F. F. F. Highway extends from Dallas and Fort Worth to Las Vegas, N. M., through Mineral Wells, Graham, Seymour, Crowell, Floydada, Plainview, Clovis and Fort Sumner. It is a direct route from the centers of Texas population to the centers of Northern New Mexico.

Because of the lack of organized effort, there has been much travel over the route during the last year and much of it has been kept in good condition. The Texas part of the F. F. F. is a designated state highway and the Mexico part is a designated highway.

To the Sheriff of the government, Hale county—Santa Fe, N. M.—you summon, in this citation published in the Plainview News, there be a new newspaper in the county where a new route to Mexico is being opened, hereof, E. C. By unknown, to be

WILL RIGIDLY ENFORCE TRAFFIC ORDINANCES

City Marshal Will Arrest for Speeding, Cutting Corners, Leaving Exhaust Open

At its meeting last night the city council instructed the city marshal to rigidly enforce the city traffic rules, as the people have become very negligent in observing them. Arrests and fines will be assessed against those who exceed the speed limit, cut street corners, let the cut-out run open or leave their cars running for more than five minutes when standing behind parked cars on the streets. Children must stop riding bicycles on the sidewalks.

The mayor was also instructed to see that the clean-up and weed-cutting ordinances of the town are obeyed between now and August 1. The people are urged to cut all the weeds about their places, including those in the alleyways, to gather up all trash, burning the combustible matter and having the other hauled off. Those who fail to do this before August 1st will be fined. Better get at the job at once.

A petition was before the body asking for a sidewalk on the northside of the Lamar school grounds. Referred to the sidewalks committee, which will confer with the school board.

Dr. McClendon, health officer, reported there is no contagious diseases in town. He also said that there was no danger of disease from the sewerage after it has passed through the septic tank, as all germs are killed.

Mr. Kirby Smith of the Progressive Shoe shop was permitted to raise the roof of the rear of his building, so as to make an auto repair shop in same.

PANHANDLE-PLAINS EXECUTIVES ORGANIZED

Boswell Elected Secretary-Treasurer—Will Work Together for Northwest Texas

Amarillo, July 19.—Permanent organization of the Panhandle Executives' Association was formed at a meeting of secretaries of the chambers of commerce at the city hall yesterday afternoon, with R. M. Fielder, of Tulsa, as president and John Boswell, of Plainview, as secretary-treasurer.

Other officers elected included: Geo. A. Coffey, of Goodwell, Oklahoma, first vice president; A. N. McCordell, of Clarendon, second vice president; and W. A. Palmer, of Canadian; W. B. Estes, of Amarillo, and Seth Holman, of Hereford, as members of the board of directors.

The aim and ambitions of the new organization were incorporated in a "working plan" which was adopted as part of the constitution. This plan is to guide the organization through the first year, and then another will be adopted for the following year.

Riley Duff Co. Closes

The Riley Duff Furniture Co. closed its doors last week, and will go into bankruptcy. Rollie Scales of Amarillo is temporary receiver. A meeting of the creditors will be held in Amarillo Monday. The liabilities are \$15,000, and the appraised value of the stock of goods is \$5,000, though it cost under the high prices last year \$10,000.

The Duffs came here from Lubbock more than a year ago. They have moved back to that place.

Will Open Store in Amarillo

T. E. Richards of Dublin is here, and will leave tomorrow morning for New York and other Eastern markets to buy goods for a new dry goods and woman's wear store he will open in Amarillo.

Richards was in the dry goods business in Plainview for more than ten years—Richards Bros. & Collier—but sold out two years ago and moved with his family back to Dublin.

Geologist Says Oil Is Here

We are informed that a well known geologist from Wichita Falls was here the past week, making an investigation of the draw which runs through Plainview, for oil indications. He is said to have made a very favorable report on the matter, and says there is no question but what there is oil here.

Weather Is Very Warm

The weather on the Plains the past week has been exceptionally warm. Friday the thermometer was 97, Saturday 96, Sunday 94 and yesterday 97.

A hot wave is prevailing in all parts of the nation, and in the North and West there have been many deaths from the heat.

Lockney Woman Dies

Mrs. Keys died at Slaton Saturday and the remains were brought here Sunday morning and taken to Lockney for burial. She leaves a husband and family. The husband is a brother of E. S. Keys of Plainview Floral Co.

AUDITORIUM NEEDED FOR MANY CONVENTIONS AND ENTERTAINMENTS

City Council Petitioned to Order Election for Bonds to Erect and Equip Auditorium to Seat 2,000.

Plainview must have a public auditorium which will seat 2,000 people. It is needed for the purpose of housing the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, which will be held in Plainview next spring; for the South Plains Poultry Show held here each December; for the chautauqua held here each May; for conventions, revivals, political meetings and gatherings that are held from time to time.

A committee composed of representatives from the Chamber of Commerce, Board of City Development, Kiwanis club, Elks lodge and Rotary Club, has been working in the proposition for several months.

Last night several members of this committee met with the city council, relative to the bond issue of \$60,000 for the purpose of erecting a brick structure, 100x140 ft. with large stage well seated and heated, and on lots conveniently located. The committee reported it had the names of 237 property-owning tax payers on petitions asking for an election and pledging themselves to vote for the bonds.

The councilmen expressed themselves as being very favorable to the proposition, and in order that a full expression of the people be given before such an election is ordered suggested that the committee present the petition to every property owner voter in the city, and have same before the council at its next meeting. The committee was agreeable to this suggestion, and an effort will be made

to see all the qualified voters, both men and women. It is hoped that the people will assist the committee by calling at Perry & Cram's office and signing the petition.

It is shown by estimates that the extramoney to support this bond issue will be 8 1-2c on the \$100 valuation. Hence, if your property is assessed at \$1,000 you will pay 85c per year; on \$10,000 your tax will be \$8.50 a year. Doubtless you give several times this amount to help build a tabernacle in which to hold a revival, or to the poultry show toward renting a show room.

By having a large auditorium many large conventions will be secured for Plainview. It is estimated that there will be more than two thousand delegates at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention next spring. They will be here four or five days. If each spends \$10 a day it will mean these delegates alone will spend approximately as much in Plainview as the entire cost of the auditorium.

As a town builder, a public auditorium is a great asset. In order to grow larger a town must from time to time add public enterprises, to show that it is marching forward, and not going backward.

Those who have circulated the petition (and practically every business man's name is on it) signed to them; and that only four or five persons have refused to sign, which shows that the business interests of the town are endorsing the proposition.

MANY LITTLE EXCURSIONS ABOUT MEXICAN CAPITAL

SUNKEN GARDENS, FLOATING ISLANDS, MIDNIGHT CABARET, MEXICAN LIQUORS

City of Mexico—At midnight we will leave the interesting romantic capital of the republic of Mexico, and will cross over the Sierra Madre mountains and go down the west coast to Guadalajara, near the Pacific ocean.

There are so many interesting things to see about the City of Mexico, romantic with the handiwork of prehistoric peoples, also of Toltec, Aztec, Spaniard, old Mexican, French Catholic and modern Mexican, that a person could stay here a month or more prowling around and discovering things that would interest him. And, most of all are the mysterious peons, as they go about their every day work with the stamp of centuries of servitude and burden-bearing in their faces.

I tried to see as much as possible in the five days spent in the city, but really only saw a few of the most notable things the city boasts of. Some of our party went to the ancient ruins of an Egyptian temple where excavations of idols is still in progress and the great pyramid rises close to; others went over to the quaint old town of Mexico, the capital of the state of Mexico, where the people live like they did hundreds of years ago. I did not make these two trips. However, I made a trip one afternoon to the canals and floating islands at Xochimilco, where the city gets its vegetables and flowers. On the way out from the street car is to be seen a good view of Popocatepetl and her snow-covered smoking top; also the old home of Benito Juarez, and several small villages, and at the end of the line is a quaint old town, with a Catholic church in ruins. This lake is known as the "Venice of Mexico," for people can for a small amount of money go in boats through the many miles of canals and lake, see the flower gardens, where carnations can be bought for ten cents a hundred, and see the vegetable gardens, and people living in thatched huts. It is one of the show places about the city.

Nearby is the old home of Cortez, the conqueror, where he lived with his mistress after having killed his own wife, whose grave is close by, while he reconstructed the City of Mexico.

Attended a Carabet

At night the Americans were guests at a leading moving picture show, where a number of reels of advertising well known American shoes, etc., were run, showing the entire process

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MANY PLAINS COUNTIES PLAN STATE FAIR EXHIBITS

Col. R. P. Smyth Believes Fifteen Counties in This Section Will Be Represented

Many Panhandle and Plains counties are already preparing their county agricultural exhibits for the State Fair at Dallas this fall. Col. R. P. Smyth of Plainview, president of the State Fair Agricultural Exhibitors' Association, believes that fifteen Panhandle and South Plains counties will show their products. Colonel Smyth also said that reports from all parts of the state indicate that agricultural entries in the fair will be the greatest in history this year.

Nash Says Oklahoma Is Hot

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nash returned Sunday from Tulsa, Okla., where they attended the national convention of public auctioneers. They stopped in Oklahoma City a day or so going and in Wichita Falls coming back. They stopped also at Lawton, their old home.

Mr. Nash says Tulsa is dull just now on account of fully two-thirds of the oil wells in the district having closed down several days before, on account of the low price of crude oil. Mr. Nash also saw with interest the devastated districts of Tulsa, which was burned during the recent race riots.

He says though rain fell every day, Tulsa's weather was red hot, and the thermometer registered 105 in the shade, with not a particle of breeze blowing, and people simply sweltered. The rains have drowned out the crops in the lowlands of Eastern Oklahoma, though on the uplands the crops are as fine as he ever saw, especially the corn.

Discusses Civic Betterment Topics

W. E. Risser, chairman, Sid Miller, John Lucas, Winfield Holbrook, and W. C. Mathes, who form the civic betterment committee of the Kiwanis club, held a meeting Wednesday night, and discussed a number of matters coming under its supervision.

The matter of having a tourist camping ground was discussed, and Messrs. Risser and Mathes appointed to see property owners and secure a site suitable for the purpose, and to report back to the committee relative to equipping same with proper conveniences.

The property owners where the limbs of shade trees have grown too low and inconveniences people going along the sidewalks will be asked to keep them trimmed properly.

The matter of a traffic rule against "jay-walking," which is being urged by the automobile association, was endorsed.

Record Staff Correspondent Here

W. Hamilton Wright, staff correspondent of the Fort Worth Record, was here yesterday, and was taken for a drive to the wheat and alfalfa farms adjacent to Plainview. He also saw the sugar beet patch of more than three acres on the syndicate farm east of town. He will write an article about the Plainview country, to appear in the Record soon.

Mr. Wright was a member of the party that has just returned from a tour of Mexico.

Snyder Wants Independent District

County Judge L. D. Grigin left Sunday for Austin, where he will ask the legislature to pass a bill permitting the incorporation of the Snyder school into an independent district. The district recently voted \$6,000 in bonds with which to replace its wooden building with one of brick, and also to increase the rate of taxation to one dollar on the \$100.

Organizes Band at Lockney

Prof. G. A. Wright, director of the Plainview Boys' Band, was in Lockney this week and organized a band with twenty-five young men as members. He will hold practice meetings there each Sunday afternoon. He is also teaching a band at Floydada.

Kibbe Tractor Co. Increasing Stock

In a recent issue it was stated that the Kibbe Tractor Co. was going to move away. This is an error, as it will simply move to another place in Plainview, so Mr. Chapman tells us. His company will enlarge its stock of repair parts, etc.

Normal Has Large Attendance

Prof. W. E. Patty, who is a member of the faculty of the summer school at Canyon, spent the weekend here with his family. He says the enrollment at the summer school is between 1,300 and 1,400, and the school will last another month.

Hale County Singing Convention

The Hale County Singing convention will meet in the auditorium of the Kress public school next Sunday, July 24. Everybody come and help to make the day a pleasant one.

Visits from the Stork

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young, Plainview, July 18, boy

STATE ELECTION WILL BE HELD NEXT SATURDAY

TEXAS WILL VOTE SATURDAY ON 5 AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION

Texas will vote on five constitutional amendments next Saturday.

The first amendment to be voted on proposes the abolishing of the board of prison commissioners consisting of three men.

The second amendment proposes higher compensation for executive officers.

The governor now receives \$4,000, the attorney general \$4,000.

The increase would raise the governor to \$8,000; the attorney general to \$7,500 and other officers correspondingly.

Amendment three proposes to authorize the legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows who have been residents of this state since January 1, 1910.

The amendment proposing to cut mileage and change per diem of legislature would, it is said reduce the mileage or traveling expense of legislators to one-half of what it is now; also proposes to pay them not to exceed \$10 a day for a session of 120 days and \$5 a day thereafter. The legislature could pay them less. They now get \$5 a day for 60 days and \$2 a day thereafter. They can neither complete necessary legislation within the 60 days nor pay their expenses with \$2 a day. The records of the comptroller's office shows that the legislature could, under this amendment, have a regular session of 120 days at \$8 per day (their pay in 1886) for \$19,501.81 less expense to the taxpayers than the one regular and four special sessions cost during the past two years. So much time is lost in organizing and adjourning these short sessions that it is believed more bad bills could be killed and the good bills made better in the one regular session of 120 days than in so many short sessions. It is clear the tax rate would be increased.

The fifth amendment relative to Article 6 of the Constitution of Texas providing that one, native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified electors in this state and providing that either the husband or wife may pay the poll tax of the other and receive the receipt therefor and permitting the legislature to authorize absentee voting.

Amarillo Wins Game

A home run by Horton tied the score for Amarillo in the ninth inning of the game here Friday, and the winning run was scored in the eleventh when Johnson scored Harp after from first by a long two-bagger. The final score was 5 to 4, in favor of Amarillo.

The stickwork of Harper was largely responsible for Amarillo's victory. He was directly responsible for three of their scores.

Graves starred for Plainview, getting four hits out of five times up, besides pitching a great game. Brasher's long catches in the field also robbed the Amarillo batters of several extra inning games.

Score by innings: R. H. E. Plainview .002 002 000 000—4 10 2 Amarillo .101 000 011 001—5 9 1 Batteries: Graves and Walker; Bean and Lewis.

Ellerd's Wheat Averaged Thirteen

As T. Ellerd of near Abernathy was in town yesterday. He has just threshed his wheat, and on hundred acres made 1,328 bushels. This is he considers a little above the average in the Abernathy country, however. Mr. Gray, who last year came from Canada, has averaged twenty bushels, and some others have good yields. Mr. Ellerd and his sons have over 500 acres in wheat this year. Very little cotton has been planted in that section this year.

Bill Must Be Corrected

The regular session of the legislature adopted a bill permitting Hale County independent school district to enlarge its territory by taking in part of Iowa Avenue, Stoneback, Hooper, Mayfield and Midway districts. We are told that there were some errors in the bill and the legislature will be asked to correct same.

Must Transfer Before Aug. 1

School patrons who wish to transfer their children from one district to another are notified that the transfers must be made with the county superintendent during the month of July. This is very important, so that each district shall get its full part of the state available funds.

Allen Buys Residence Property

A. J. Allison of Rudford Grocery Co. has bought a residence near Central school from A. R. McAlreath, and he and his family will occupy same.

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More than \$500,000,000 worth of property is burned up in America annually. This amounts to \$1,370,000 per day.

The Anti-Blue Law League is to hold a meeting in Washington, D. C. Of course, everybody knows what law it is that makes so many people "blue."

If everybody worked as hard and persistently to accomplish something for themselves as many do to get something for nothing, all would be proportionately prosperous and contented.

Loans of all American banks now total \$37,500,000,000. This is \$5,000,000,000 less than a year ago. It puts the banks in a stronger position. The nation's stock of gold now is about \$3,400,000,000—a gain of more than half a billion dollars in a year.

Uncle Sam has begun making a new style of fifty cent piece, and a half-million of them will be put into circulation, especially in Missouri, as the new coin is to commemorate the hundredth anniversary of Missouri statehood.

Being of an inquiring mind, we'd just like to know if blue weeds, Johnson grass and dandy lions were planted together on a parcel of land which one would crowd out the other two. We are betting on the blue weeds, however.

It was the great patriot, Patrick Henry, who declared: "No free government, nor the blessings of liberty can be preserved to any people but by a firm adherence to justice, moderation, temperance, frugality, and virtue, and by a frequent recurrence to fundamental principles."

It is not likely that it will be hard to reduce the army from 270,000 to 150,000 men as provided under the new law just adopted by congress. Twenty thousand men applied for discharge in days of this month. Prodding does not appeal to a red-blooded American.

Million members of the Mystic Order of the Masons will give annually for the maintenance of a great hospital at St. Louis for the crippled children of all races and creeds. A fund of \$1,100,000 for the erection of the hospital has been voted the site purchased, and it is planned to start construction this summer.

The railroads and Texas sheriffs are at loggerheads. The railroads refuse to give the sheriffs free passes or grant a 1c a mile rate asked for, and the sheriffs threaten to retaliate by refusing to protect railroads during strikes. It seems to us that it would pay the railroads to give the sheriffs passes.

Many thousand ex-service men are opposed to the proposed cash bonus to former soldiers. The Rainbow division, which made such a gallant record on the firing line, in its convention held in Cleveland, Ohio, last week refused to endorse the payment of a cash bonus. To many soldiers the idea of taking a cash bonus would be disgraceful. The soldier who was wounded or incapacitated deserves the very best treatment by the government.

Reduction of armaments, the dream of the ages, now seems possible, in fact probable. The nations of the world are accepting President Harding's invitation for the conference to be held soon. The tax-burdened people here that an agreement will be reached. While Senator Borah of Idaho gets the credit for putting the resolution through congress, he was not its originator, for during the administration of President Wilson, in the naval appropriation bill of 1916, a similar principle was included, but the war came on and such a conference was not held.

IN A MINOR STRAIN

A West Plainview lady subscriber has taken to heart very much the sad plight of the editor of the News in being unable to attend President Obregon's dinner because he was nil a full dress suit, and she has promised to take up a collection and buy him such an outfit before he goes off on another foreign trip.

Physicians say that mowing the lawn is more healthful exercise than playing golf, and that chopping weeds develops muscle better than swinging dumb-bells. But you can't make many men believe it.

All the fools are not dead. One of them wants France to erect a statue of Jack Dempsey in that country so as to "cement the friendship between the two nations."

Robert Story was in Amarillo yesterday.

LIVING THE LIFE

Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.—Psalm i, 1.

The basic element of ethics, the spiritual economic principle, makes it inevitable that happiness can be found only in righteousness, just as misery is the necessary result of wickedness.

To one who thinks seriously of the opportunity and dignity of human life, of its opportunities and possibilities, its responsibilities and its duties, of the rewards for goodness and the penalties for sin, it seems most marvelous that anyone should not be inclined to at least make an earnest and consistent effort to "live the life" which coincides with his highest ideals or right. Even if considered from a purely selfish standpoint, it would be the wisest thing to do, because it has been proved by the experience of all who have lived in the past that the good life is the healthiest life, that is the happiest life and therefore the life most to be desired, since happiness is the goal striven for by every one.

The experience of the past has proven conclusively that we can not be happy and do wrong.

The best and therefore the most important thing parents can do for their children is to teach and lead them as to cause them as they near the age of full responsibility to decide what sort of life they are to lead, what kind of reputation they are to have, and to set an example for them and inculcate such precepts as will cause them to make the right decision. Here is the key to the happiness of the child and that of those who are dependent upon him, as well as all those who love him. Brought up under righteous influence, the young man will not give occasion for the question, "Why halt ye between two opinions?" He will realize that not one day, but every day and hour, he is confronted with the command, "Choose you this day whom he will serve," for every day and hour just such a choice has to be made—choice as to what he shall say and do, choice as to what he shall do—for each thought word and deed is either constructive or destructive, for God or against Him. With right example and direction the young man when he reaches his majority has already decided as to the kind of life he shall lead, the kind of character he shall have, which is the most important decision he shall ever have to make. He doesn't debate between right and wrong. He knows that "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death."

When one has determined to lead a life of probity and virtue, of usefulness and cleanliness, he will make of every temptation a time of triumph, of every battle with wrong a victory.

This suggests a question which every one might with due propriety, if not profit, ask himself, "Am I really and truly living a life that justifies me in commending myself to myself?" Few indeed are they who are what they would like to be, or what they would have others before them to be. How many are what their own families believe them to be? How many truly feel that they justify the good opinion their friends have of them? Is every man who would consider it himself to be told he is not a gentleman really a gentleman? Of course he is, but he is not a gentleman in the eyes of the world, and he is not a gentleman in the eyes of his own family. A man's behavior is his character. Goethe says, "Behaving is a mirror in which every man displays his image." However, no other had a more profound insight into the nature of things when he said, "What a man is always depends upon what he thinks of God."

The great life is the good life—the life of high-thinking and right-doing.

One has a very wrong conception of what is great if he has the idea that it is not manly or brave to do a gentle deed, or be polite and courteous. The greatest and most heroic deed is the good deed. Monuments do not always follow in the wake of the doer of the greatest deeds; neither does the multitude always acclaim the real hero. There are often greater heroes in the ranks of the spectators than is he upon whom they are gazing with wonder and admiration. He is truly great who has the spirit of doing the kind of act described by Charles Lamb when he said, "The greatest pleasure I know is to do a good deed by stealth and have it found out by accident."

The heroic deed is not necessarily performed in a dramatic setting; indeed it is seldom that it is so surrounded. It is quite likely that if the decision were left to those who study such things they would say that the greatest heroism, self-sacrifice and fortitude must be credited to patient, pain-racked, troubled, God-fearing women who toil and struggle and bear burdens daily which many of the world's so-called heroes would sink under. And they do this, too, without expectancy of reward here or hereafter, but only because they love those for whom they struggle and toil and sacrifice. It is possible for every one to be a hero in the various battles of life. Indeed, it may not be too much to say that every one has that within him of which heroes are made, and that this heroism would be manifested if he were placed under circumstances that would bring sufficient pressure to bear upon his better impulses to bring out the best that is in him. "If thou hast the gift of strength,

then know Thy part is to uplift the trodden low

Else in a giant's grasp until the end A hopeless wrestler shall thy soul contend."

The most imperative duty, the noblest work, the most godlike deed, is that of helping others, for "He that loveth not his brother whom he hath seen, how can he love God whom he hath not seen?" This best of work consists in lightening burdens, brightening faces, making merry the hearts of the needy, encouraging the despairing, lifting up the fallen and putting a song in the hearts of the grieving and hopeless.—Dallas News.

Poor old Bob Henry of Waco. Not being content with the unmerciful defeat he suffered five years ago, he has announced he will again run for United States Senator. We wonder if he will back the sheet this time. He may and should get the vote of Ferguson and his bunch.

Congressional leaders have refused to permit authority of congress sought by federal executive departments to send further money to foreign powers. A bill was prepared granting the authority, but it will not be introduced.

The Dutch will eat flour made from Northwest Texas wheat. The great West Mill & Elevator Co. of Amarillo has sold ten thousand barrels of bakers' flour for export to Holland during the month of July. The mill is on running day and night, with a capacity of 800 barrels per day. The flour will be sent through the Galveston port.

NEARING THE PEAK

President Harding and Budget Director Charles G. Dawes, has reminded all department heads that retrenchment and economy is the program. Expense of administering the federal government for the fiscal year beginning July 1 will be about \$60 for every man, woman and child in the United States, according to the estimate of the National City bank of Chicago, printed in its circular for July. Governor Neff and State Treasurer John W. Baker are quoted as having said that the estimates made by the state board of control called for \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000 more revenue than there is in sight and that the lawmakers must provide the money to make up the deficit. Pre-war industrial conditions are here. Near pre-war prices are here, but the tax budgets are nearing the peak and may go to the top next year.

PRESS COMMENT

The railroads are to receive a loan of \$500,000,000 from the government. Why is it that such loans cannot be provided for the cattle, sheep and cotton industries? These industries are more in need of money than the railroads.—Childress Index.

There is a big Jersey farm over in Crosby county. The promoter has now \$70,000 invested in high grade Jersey cows. He recently bought 20 head of Jersey cows at \$5,000 a piece. He has a male leased at the small price of \$100 per year. This male is not for sale. He charges \$1,000 for the service of this male. This man evidently has a wide vision of the future dairy possibilities of the Plains country.—Beacon.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

- Mrs. Mattie Ward and husband, E. W. Ward, to Ella Davis, lots 7 and 8 in block 6 in the McClelland addition to Plainview; consideration \$3,950.
- Mrs. T. D. Lipscomb and husband, T. D. Lipscomb, to B. R. Chapman, lots 5 and 6 in block 71 in the Highland addition to Plainview; consideration, \$200.
- Mrs. Emma Schulz to J. M. Adams a tract out of survey 12 in block JK-3 in Hale county; consideration \$10 and other valuables.
- J. H. Slaton and wife and E. M. Carter and wife to Nannie F. Calvert lots 1, 2 and 3 in block 31 in Highland addition to Plainview; consideration, \$900.
- A. R. McElreath and wife to A. J. Allison lot 21 in block 4 (enlarged) in the Central Park addition to Plainview; consideration \$4,600.
- Claud Gentry and wife to W. H. Richardson, lots 7 and 8 in block 5 in the Highland addition to Plainview; consideration \$10,000.
- Jas. H. Bargaly to Scott W. Downs lot 14 in block 47 in the Original addition to Plainview; consideration, \$682.
- Mrs. N. E. Kirkpatrick to Fred S. Williams, lot 14 in block 9 in Plainview; consideration, \$700.
- D. W. McGlasson and wife to J. M. Waller, lots 13 and 14 in block 56 in Plainview; consideration, \$5,000.
- C. B. Ogg and wife to Thomas F. Davis lots 5 and the south half of 6 in block 14 in the McClelland addition to Plainview; consideration, \$7.50.
- R. W. O'Keefe and wife to Solon Clements, lot 14 in block 31 in the original town of Plainview; consideration, \$18,000.
- Mary P. Bates and husband, H. B. Bates, to W. S. Gentry, blocks 7 and 8 in the Orchard addition of Hale Center; consideration, \$800.
- First State Bank of Eastland to A. R. McElreath, lot 21 in block No. 4, (enlarged) in the Central Park addition to Plainview; consideration \$6,000.
- Clarendon is now enjoying quite a building boom.
- Canyon has rejected all bids for street paving as the figures were above the money available.

ANNOUNCEMENT

For the old firm of Vaughn & Augspurger I wish to announce that we have divided the interests of the old firm in such a manner that J. D. Vaughn & Sons of Tulia will have the Tulia territory for the Case Tractor and Implements and the undersigned, personally will have the business in the Plainview territory, conducting the same under the personal name of S. J. Augspurger.

We will continue to serve in the same location on North Broadway, where will handle Case Tractors, Grand De Tour Disc Plows and Disc Harrows, Emerson-Brantingham Drills and parts for same giving the kind of service that Case owners have a right to expect.

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S. J. Augspurger

PHONE 709

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

ANOTHER FRAUD SCHEME

Persons who have the habit of paying offhand for parcel post packages delivered C. O. D., without taking the precaution of determining something about the senders, are warned by the Post Office Department to control the habit.

An investigation has been started by post office inspectors into the operations of various persons who have been using the mails to extort. The different persons have all used the same system; sending packages of small value at high prices to persons whose names had been selected with considerable care and who were considered likely to pay first and examine afterward.

Packages in the name of a one-time beauty specialist have been arriving at hotels in the New York section. They contain bottles filled with fluid, which according to the labels, were invaluable for sunburn and tan. They were, however, too small bottles to balance the \$7 paid in each case for the package.

But the latest of these frauds came to light in Quannah this week. More than 40 post office patrons here received yellow slips in their mail which stated that there was a C. O. D. package on which was \$1.03. This being a trifling sum, several business men who got such notices addressed to their wives or daughters, dug up the coin and took the packages home. When opened the shipment was a steel needle for embroidery work, valued at the outside at 5 cents.

The shipping tags on the parcels showed that they were mailed from Electra, this state. Many have been refused by those to whom they were sent, and very one who took one out and paid the \$1.03 got stung to the limit. There are many variations of this sort of graft and we may be on the lookout for C. O. D. parcel post shipments from time to time. The grafters need the money.—Quannah Tribune Chief.

Mennonites to South America

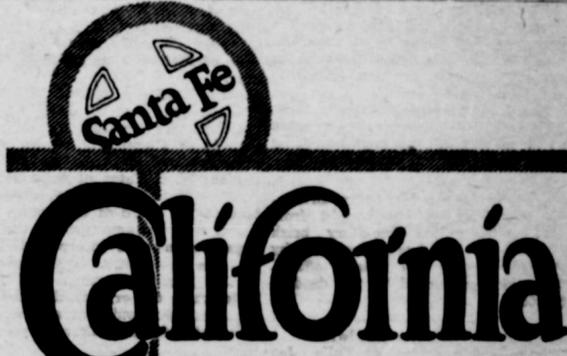
Buenos Aires, July 16.—The greatest religious exodus since the Children of Israel fled from Egypt is just getting under way today.

Sixty thousand Mennonites, members of a religious sect, which does not believe in war were fleeing to Paraguay from the United States and Canada. They propose to establish their own nation within Paraguay and manufacture and sell goods. United States capital is said to back them.

Members of this sect had trouble during the war with Germany when they objected to going into the American and Canadian armies.

So they've decided to shake the dust of these countries off their feet and move to Paraguay.

P. T. Tillatson of Rotan was in town



SUMMER EXCURSIONS

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You may visit the GRAND CANYON OF ARIZONA on your way.—The World's Scenic Wonder.

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T. B. GALLAHER,

General Passenger Agent, AMARILLO, TEXAS

LOOK OUT FOR GRAFTERS

State Treasurer Baker Resigns Austin, July 16.—John W. Baker, Texas state treasurer, resigned to Governor Neff this morning.

The state-treasurer authorized to the Associated press the announcement that he will become first acting vice president of the Breckenridge State bank of Breckenridge.

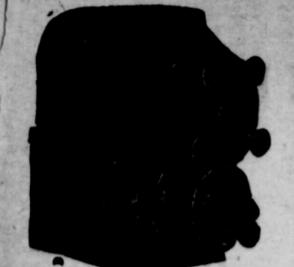
Mr. Baker is now serving his second term as treasurer of Texas.

Following the acceptance of State Treasurer John W. Baker's resignation this morning, Governor Neff announced that he had appointed G. N. Holton, the present chief clerk in the treasury department, to succeed Mr. Baker.

The big crops promised in this country are going to be a means of attracting many sharp fellows here who are looking for easy money, and have many get-rich-quick schemes, to offer as a means of separating the people from their hard-earned money. If you have any spare cash put it in the banks, invest it in real estate, town property or buy new automobiles. The home should teach the grafter—found Ralls a Ralls Banner.

The A. & S. crops in Garza county this year are reported the best since 1914.

NEWS
Herein fail not, I have you said court on the said first the next term thereof, this your endorsement thereof how you have executed v. Given under my hand and seal said court, at office in Plainview, this, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1921.
W. D. DARB
Clerk District Court, Hale County, Texas.
By M. Della Ansley, Deputy at



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DISARMAMENT WILL NOT REDUCE POWER
To Attain Equality at Sea the Present Building Program Will Be Completed

Washington July 11.—Whatever is the outcome of President Harding's movement toward limitation of armament, it can be stated now that the United States will permit no weakening of her relative international position. Neither political nor naval considerations will be allowed to jeopardize American interests.

Determination to this effect was emphasized by a high spokesman of the administration, in elaborating upon the official statement which announced the conference proposal. It is taken to mean two things.

1. That the United States will maintain the same insistence upon its rights abroad that has characterized the administration's foreign policy thus far and will not relax its hold on these rights in any conference on political or economic topics.

2. That the United States believes its naval armament should be equal to that of any other country and to attain this goal probably will request the completion of its present naval construction program.

The same administration authority differentiated plainly between "disarmament," looks upon the present world need as a reduction or limitation of armament, but does not conceive a conference which would approach anything like total or even approximate disarmament.

Both army and navy leaders in the American forces already are speculating upon the possibilities of the probable conference—the difficulties attendant upon such a venture, the differences of opinion it would create and the various interpretations which arise from any suggestion for limiting armaments.

American navy men insist, first, that this country, from the standpoint of its own safety, should complete its 1916 building program. This would give America a quota of fleet battle cruisers which she does not possess at present, and would make American sea power approximately equal to that of Britain, assuming she also concluded her present program.

Navy men also ask: where does armament reduction begin, and where does it end? To effect a general limitation, they suggest, the conference must deal not only with battleships and other surface vessels, but with aircraft, submarines, guns, shells, bombs, gas and a host of other materials employed in modern warfare. What are you going to do about reducing personnel, they ask, and what about arsenals, navy yards, etc.?

All these questions must be answered by conferences of technical experts which might extend into a period of many months.

As for limiting land forces, army men point out that the United States has reduced her strength to a point even below the basis fixed in the treaty of Versailles, limiting Germany. Germany was allowed to maintain an army of 100,000—or about one soldier to 600 of population. Legislative action has cut the American Army to 150,000.

Great Britain, considering her overseas possessions, is within the limit fixed by the Versailles treaty as sufficient to maintain internal order, but France is estimated to have a standing army of 800,000 and Japan a regular army of 296,000, with organized and trained reserves that bring the total well past the million mark. In any armament conference, experts opposing those of the recent peace conference itself.

A. L. Gardner, of Petersburg, passed through town Wednesday night en route to the Temple sanitarium where he goes for treatment.—Ralls Banner.

Honorable District court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the county of Hale, at the Court house thereof, in Plainview on the 1st Monday in August, A. D. 1921, the same being the 1st day of August, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1963, wherein Lillie Box plaintiff, and E. C. Box is defendant. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF HALE.
In the District Court of Hale County, Texas, August term, 1921.
To the Honorable District Court of Hale County Texas:
Now comes Lillie Box, hereinafter called plaintiff, who resides in Hale County, Texas, complaining of E. C. Box, hereinafter called defendant, whose residence is unknown to the plaintiff, and, praying for a divorce, for grounds says:

1. That on or about the 15th day of December, A. D. 1909, plaintiff was duly and legally married to defendant at Martha, State of Oklahoma, and continued to live with him as his wife until on or about the 20th day of November, A. D. 1920.

2. That plaintiff has been an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of twelve months, and has resided in the said County of Hale, where this suit is filed a period of six months next preceding the filing thereof, having become an inhabitant of said state on or about the 16th day of September, A. D. 1911, and a resident of said county on or about the 1st day of September, A. D. 1920.

3. That at all times, while married to the defendant, plaintiff has conducted herself with propriety, doing her duty as a wife, has at all times treated defendant with kindness and forbearance, and has not been guilty of no act bringing about or causing the hereinafter described acts, or conditions on defendant's part.

4. Plaintiff further shows to the court that she is modest and a lady of refinement and that the defendant represented to plaintiff that he was a man of refinement and culture and caused this plaintiff to believe such representations and induced plaintiff to marry him, and that said representations so made by the defendant were false and fraudulently made. That for about four years, during the time plaintiff and defendant lived together as wife and husband, the defendant did pretend to preach at various places during said time; afterwards, many times since, the defendant has been guilty of gambling, playing cards, etc. That defendant disregarding the solemnity of his marriage vows and his obligations to treat plaintiff with kindness and attention, shortly after the defendant quit attempting to preach, he commenced a course of unkind, harsh and tyrannical conduct towards plaintiff, which continued, with very slight intermissions until she finally separated from him on or about November the 20th, 1920. That on divers occasions, while plaintiff lived with defendant as aforesaid, he was guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages towards her of such a nature as to render their living together longer, as wife and husband, insupportable. That on or about June 1919, defendant cursed and abused this plaintiff and called her various kinds of names and again during June 1920 the defendant cursed and abused plaintiff and called her various bad names because she wanted to come to Plainview with her sister, who was to be operated on at the sanitarium at Plainview, Texas. And that it would have been convenient for plaintiff to have come to Plainview with her sister at said time as she lived only a short distance from Plainview; and that since that time, of June, 1920, the defendant had thrust on plaintiff a series of studied vexations and deliberate insults, which continued until on or about November the 20th, 1920, when this plaintiff was forced to leave the defendant; and that on November the 20th, 1920, the defendant again cursed and abused this plaintiff and made threats against her all of which were humiliating and very injurious to plaintiff's health as well as to her feelings and physical strength. That defendant is a man of violent passion and ungovernable temper and is overbearing, which makes it impossible for this plaintiff to live with him as his wife.

5. Plaintiff will further respectively show this court that the defendant is a very large man, stout and healthy and that he has failed and refused to provide for plaintiff as he should have according to his circumstances and financial ability. That plaintiff has had to work hard and that during the fall of 1919 this plaintiff put in the wheat crop and made a steady hand in the field, while the defendant was out loafing and idling around at various times did nothing but gamble. That in consequence of the cruel and inhuman treatment above mentioned, together with the threats aforesaid and such brutal outrages conducted defendant and seek employment elsewhere, so she could care for herself toward her, and together with the neglect and refused to support her the plaintiff was forced to leave the defendant without being further disgraced by the association with this defendant.

6. Plaintiff further shows to the court that before her marriage to the defendant that her maiden name was Lillie Watts and she especially asks the court to decree her maiden name.

7. Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition. That on final hearing plaintiff have judgment dissolving the marriage between plaintiff and defendant and granting her an absolute divorce; and plaintiff especially prays the court that her name be changed to Lillie Watts; and for such other and further relief as the court shall think proper to grant, or as plaintiff may be entitled to, either at law or in equity, and for costs of suit.

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in office in Plainview, Texas, this, the 28th day of June, A. D., 1921.

W. D. DARB
Clerk District Court, Hale County, Texas.

Citation by Publication
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hale county—GREETING:
You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hale if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, E. C. Box, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the

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You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hale if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, N. W. Thompson whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hale, at the Court house thereof, in Plainview on the first Monday in August, 1921, the same being the first day of August, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 1st day of June, A. D. 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1946, wherein O. F. Wilson plaintiff and N. W. Thompson defendant. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: That plaintiff purchased from the defendant on or about the last day of March 1916, a large dapple-gray Purcheron mare, under the guarantee and warranties that they and each of them were in the best of health and sound in every respect, and paid therefor the sum of \$2100.00, the same being evidenced by three promissory notes, each in the sum of \$700.00, bearing interest from date until paid at the rate of seven per cent per annum, due in one, two and three years from date bearing date of May 1st, 1921. That at the time he purchased said mares, the defendant stated and represented to the plaintiff that said mares were in the best of health and were sound; that they had never had any sickness or trouble of any kind and that if they were not in good health and if not sound, as represented and guaranteed, that the said defendant would refund the said notes and take back the said mares purchased; that said mares are not in good health and sound, all of which the defendant knew at the time. That one of said mares, within a few hours after plaintiff took charge of her, became lame and useless, and has been lame and useless ever since, that she is unable to move about or do any work and is of no use or benefit to him and is of no value. That under an agreement made between plaintiff and defendant, defendant was to purchase all of the horse colts received from said mares at the stipulated price of \$500.00 each when they were yearlings. That at the time he purchased said mares, defendant represented to him and guaranteed that said mares were in fold by a \$10,000.00 stallion, that such statements and representations were false and untrue and that said mares were not in fold, all of which was well known to the defendant.

That said false and fraudulent representations were made by the defendant for the purpose of inducing this plaintiff to purchase said mares, that said statements were false and untrue and were known to the defendant to be false and untrue when he made them; that they were material and were relied upon by this plaintiff and were made in Hale County Texas, that plaintiff would not have purchased said mares had it not been for the warranties that they were sound and in good health, that they, and each of them, were with colt by a \$10,000.00 stallion. That plaintiff here tenders back the said mares and demands possession of said three notes, that if the defendant has sold said notes or does not surrender them in the court, he prays for judgment in the sum of \$1500.00 for damages; that said mares are not worth more than \$600.00, wherefore, he has been damaged in sum of \$1500.00 aforesaid and plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, that he have judgment cancelling the said three notes, that defendant be required to surrender them in this court for such purpose, that if he fails to do so he have judgment for \$1500.00 and for all costs in this behalf expended and for such other and further relief, in law and in equity, to which he may be entitled.

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in office in Plainview, Texas, this, the 28th day of June, A. D., 1921.

W. D. DARB
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of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Hale if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, M. J. Wright, whose residence is unknown and the unknown heirs of M. J. Wright, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Hale, at the Court house thereof, in Plainview on the 1st Monday in August, A. D. 1921, the same being the 1st day of August, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 28th day of June, A. D., 1921, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1964, wherein B. L. Ray is plaintiff and M. J. Wright is defendant. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

1. On or about November 1st, 1916, this plaintiff was the owner entitled to lien in favor of State of Texas for original purchase money, possession and lawfully seized in fee simple, of a tract of land herein after described, situated in the County of Hale, State of Texas, holding the same in fee simple title, and then and at all times since that date, and is now owner in fee simple of the said land and at all times since that date and is now entitled to the possession and use of the said property, that afterwards, to-wit:

2. On or about the 1st day of February, 1921, the defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed plaintiff of the said premises and unlawfully withheld from this plaintiff the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of \$5000.00. That the premises so entered upon unlawfully withheld by the defendants from plaintiff are described as follows: Known as the Southwest 1-4 of survey 8, block C-4, certificate number 58 issued to the L. & S. V. Ry., company, and containing 160 acres of land, more or less in Hale county Texas. Beginning at the northeast corner of survey 9, block J. K., Hale County, Texas, and what is known as the Summerfield Sod Monument: Thence north with the east line or survey 11 and 12, both in J. K.; north with the east line survey 26 and with east line of survey 31 in block S-1 in all north 7603.2 varas to the northeast corner of survey 31 in block S-1 in Hale County, Texas; thence west 2851.2 varas to the middle point of the north line of survey 32 in block S-1, also being the middle point of the south line of survey 8, in block C-4; thence north 950.4 varas; thence west 950.4 varas to the middle line of the said survey 8 in block C-4, Hale County, Texas; thence South along the west line of survey 8, block C-4, Hale County, Texas, in all 950 varas to the southwest corner of survey 8, block C-4; also the southwest corner of this tract, thence east with the south line of said survey 8 in block C-4 in all 950.4 varas and at the place of beginning.

The chain of title of this plaintiff as follows: Certificate of purchase, State of Texas, to W. M. Duvall, date May 7, 1906. Recorded in Book one, page 78, Deed Record Hale County, Texas.

Proof of Deaths of W. M. Duvall and Heirs
Proof of heirship, Lee Duvall, affiant, Zoe Duvall, Mrs. S. L. Stout and Myrtle Ship, heirs of W. M. Duvall, deceased; Date 22 day of December, 1906. Filed for record Jan. 1st, 1907, recorded in book 14, page 356 of the Deed records of Hale County, Texas.

Partition Agreement
Lee Duvall, Myrtle M. Ship, Mrs. Zoe McCance (Duvall) joined by her husband, Mr. E. O. McCance. Filed for record March 2, 1907, recorded in book 14, page 460, deed records of Hale County Texas.

Quit Claim Deed
G. W. Stout, Mrs. S. L. Stout to A. I. Frame, date 14th day of September, A. D., 1907, filed for record October 5, 1907, book 13, page 592, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

Warranty Deed
A. I. Frame to E. G. Thompson, date July 20, 1914, filed for record Dec. 15, 1915, recorded in book 36, page 228, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

Warranty Deed
E. C. Thompson to G. S. Ballard, Jr., date August 10, 1914, filed for record, Dec. 13, 1915 in book 36, page 228, Deed records, of Hale County, Texas.

Quit Claim Deed
G. S. Ballard, Jr. to Mrs. E. T. Burch, date Sept. 27, 1916, filed for record Oct. 6, 1916, book 35, page 198, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

Warranty Deed
Mrs. E. T. Burch joined by her husband, R. E. Burch, to B. L. Ray, plaintiff herein, date Nov. 1st, 1916, filed for record Nov. 25, 1916, recorded in book 38, page 537, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

This plaintiff further represents to the court that the said defendants asserting some claim of title or

color of title to the said property, the character and nature of the said claim not known to this plaintiff.

5. Plaintiff further says that he and those whom under and is claiming the said land have held and used, occupied and paid taxes on the said land for a period of more than five years, and by virtue school land of warranty deed, duly recorded, and as hereinbefore set out. He has had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the said land, the tenants herein above described; and enjoying and using the same and paying all taxes thereon and for a period of more than five years prior to the filing of this suit; and this he is ready to verify.

Wherefore this plaintiff prays the court that the defendants be cited by publication as required by law, and that on final hearing this plaintiff have judgment against said defendants for title and possession of the said land and for all cost in this behalf expended for all other and further relief both legal and equitable as the court deem this plaintiff is entitled to put up on the facts developed at the trial of this cause.

M. J. BAIRD,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF HALE.
Before me the undersigned authority on this date personally appeared M. J. Baird attorney for B. L. Ray, and being personally and well known to me and being duly sworn upon his oath says that the place of residence of defendants named in the above styled case is unknown to him.

M. J. BAIRD, Affiant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this, 25 day of June, A. D., 1921.

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Plainview, Texas, this, the 28th day of June, A. D., 1921.

W. D. DARB
Clerk District Court, Hale County, Texas.

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1. On or about November 1st, 1916, this plaintiff was the owner entitled to lien in favor of State of Texas for original purchase money, possession and lawfully seized in fee simple, of a tract of land herein after described, situated in the County of Hale, State of Texas, holding the same in fee simple title, and then and at all times since that date, and is now owner in fee simple of the said land and at all times since that date and is now entitled to the possession and use of the said property, that afterwards, to-wit:

2. On or about the 1st day of February, 1921, the defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed plaintiff of the said premises and unlawfully withheld from this plaintiff the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of \$5000.00. That the premises so entered upon unlawfully withheld by the defendants from plaintiff are described as follows: Known as the Southwest 1-4 of survey 8, block C-4, certificate number 58 issued to the L. & S. V. Ry., company, and containing 160 acres of land, more or less in Hale county Texas. Beginning at the northeast corner of survey 9, block J. K., Hale County, Texas, and what is known as the Summerfield Sod Monument: Thence north with the east line or survey 11 and 12, both in J. K.; north with the east line survey 26 and with east line of survey 31 in block S-1 in all north 7603.2 varas to the northeast corner of survey 31 in block S-1 in Hale County, Texas; thence west 2851.2 varas to the middle point of the north line of survey 32 in block S-1, also being the middle point of the south line of survey 8, in block C-4; thence north 950.4 varas; thence west 950.4 varas to the middle line of the said survey 8 in block C-4, Hale County, Texas; thence South along the west line of survey 8, block C-4, Hale County, Texas, in all 950 varas to the southwest corner of survey 8, block C-4; also the southwest corner of this tract, thence east with the south line of said survey 8 in block C-4 in all 950.4 varas and at the place of beginning.

The chain of title of this plaintiff as follows: Certificate of purchase, State of Texas, to W. M. Duvall, date May 7, 1906. Recorded in Book one, page 78, Deed Record Hale County, Texas.

Proof of Deaths of W. M. Duvall and Heirs
Proof of heirship, Lee Duvall, affiant, Zoe Duvall, Mrs. S. L. Stout and Myrtle Ship, heirs of W. M. Duvall, deceased; Date 22 day of December, 1906. Filed for record Jan. 1st, 1907, recorded in book 14, page 356 of the Deed records of Hale County, Texas.

Partition Agreement
Lee Duvall, Myrtle M. Ship, Mrs. Zoe McCance (Duvall) joined by her husband, Mr. E. O. McCance. Filed for record March 2, 1907, recorded in book 14, page 460, deed records of Hale County Texas.

Quit Claim Deed
G. W. Stout, Mrs. S. L. Stout to A. I. Frame, date 14th day of September, A. D., 1907, filed for record October 5, 1907, book 13, page 592, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

Warranty Deed
A. I. Frame to E. G. Thompson, date July 20, 1914, filed for record Dec. 15, 1915, recorded in book 36, page 228, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

Warranty Deed
E. C. Thompson to G. S. Ballard, Jr., date August 10, 1914, filed for record, Dec. 13, 1915 in book 36, page 228, Deed records, of Hale County, Texas.

Quit Claim Deed
G. S. Ballard, Jr. to Mrs. E. T. Burch, date Sept. 27, 1916, filed for record Oct. 6, 1916, book 35, page 198, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

Warranty Deed
Mrs. E. T. Burch joined by her husband, R. E. Burch, to B. L. Ray, plaintiff herein, date Nov. 1st, 1916, filed for record Nov. 25, 1916, recorded in book 38, page 537, Deed records of Hale County Texas.

This plaintiff further represents to the court that the said defendants asserting some claim of title or

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Plainview



W. W. Thompson Celebrates Birthday Anniversary

W. W. Thompson's birthday anniversary is today, but it was celebrated Sunday at his home in this city, when his children and grandchildren gathered, and a big dinner was served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson of Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Byars and children of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hart and children of Floydada, and the two small Thompson boys, all of the sons and daughters being present except John, is attending an electrical college in Milwaukee, Wis.

Mesdames Kerley and Pillar Are Honorees at Bridge Party

Mrs. J. R. Kerley of Fargo and Mrs. Raymond Pillar of St. Louis were the honorees at a bridge party given Friday afternoon by Mrs. E. H. Bawden.

There were four tables for the games. Mrs. J. C. Anderson made high score, and was presented with a bouquet of Killarney roses.

The favors were sweet peas. The hostess served peach ice cream, angel food cake and orange crush.

Entertains N. B. B. O. Club

Last night Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keck entertained the N. B. B. O. club at their home with bridge. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Merrell, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Merrell, and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Norwood of Lubbock, Mrs. R. A. Pillar of St. Louis, and Mrs. J. R. Kerley of Fargo, S. D. Refreshments were served after the games.

Tonight the Kecks will entertain the Forty-two club.

Miss Walker Becomes Bride of Mr. Guy Gibbs

It has been many a day since such beauty and setting combined so delightfully with the happy hearts that make up a wedding party as did Tuesday morning at the Presbyterian Church in the marriage of Miss Lorraine Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Herbert Walker to Mr. Guy A. Gibbs of Plainview, Texas.

Masses of ferns, palms and evergreens banked the altar and chancel and formed a background for the decorations which were a profusion of sweet peas. A bewitchingly flower-bedecked arch marked the place where the impressive words of the ceremony were said by Reverend Charlton of Bucklin, Kans.

While the guests were assembling Miss Rose Ansell presiding at the organ rendered a specially selected program of music, and just before the nuptial, Miss Kathryn Charlton sweetly sang, "Believe me if all those emblems of peace," and Mr. Fleeman of Pratt, Kans., rendered, "The Lord's Prayer" and "Oh, lay thy Check on Mine." The ruddy party entered to the strain of the wedding march from Lohengrin while Mendelssohn's was played as a recessional. During the ceremony "Love's Greeting" was softly played.

The procession was led by the ushers Messrs. W. D. Wagner and Ely Moore followed by the sister of the bride, Miss Marcella Walker who served as Maid of Honor. Next came the bride entering on the arm of her father and was met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Mr. Z. T. Huff of Plainview, Texas.

The bride was a picture of girlish loveliness in her wedding suit of navy blue, with heavily embroidered with accessories in harmony, with which she carried an arm bouquet of Killarney roses.

Miss Marcella Walker wore a beautiful gown of dawn gray organdy with a light being trimmed with meditation frills of lace and having narrow French ribbons in delicate tints falling at intervals from the waistline. The same effect was carried out in the bodice and her picture hat. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of pink buds.

On the bridal trip, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs will be at home at Plainview, where the groom is a prominent young business man.—Dalhart Texan

Judge and Mrs. L. S. Kinder and daughters, Mrs. Ben Smith and Miss Lucile Kinder, have gone to the Colorado mountains in their car.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spencer, who have been to Yellowstone Park on their honeymoon, will return the latter part of this week. He wired yesterday that their car was having a hard time in the mud at Idaho Springs, Colo.

Miss Ida Lou Hatchett of Lamesa returned home yesterday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jim Phillips. Miss Alberta Hatchett, another sister, who is a student in Canyon Normal, came down Sunday to visit Mrs. Phillips.

C. A. Pierce of Plainview Mercantile Co. left this morning and Miss Abbie Brown will leave tomorrow morning. They will meet in St. Louis P. M. Burns of Colorado, Messrs. Burns and Lavelle of Tulsa, and will also visit Chicago, New York and other eastern markets buying fall and winter stocks of goods for the Burns & Pierce stores at these three places.

Dr. O. T. Morris will leave tonight for Sherman, to be at the bedside of Mrs. Morris who is sick from an injury with him.

Notice to Our Patrons

We Have Instituted a New Policy Which Will Include the Discontinuance of Free Delivery

On Friday Night, July 22

We find that the cost of delivery is heavy and that our customers necessarily have to pay this cost. We already hold our prices as low as possible but we find no alternative to adding the cost of delivery.

To eliminate this additional cost and give you the benefit in closer prices we will discontinue free delivery.

Our policy will also include a strictly spot cash plan, positively no tickets will be made for anyone.

The idea is to give you more groceries for the same money or the same groceries for less money and you will do well to watch for our price ads in the local papers.

We Sell **SKINNER'S** the highest grade Macaroni, Spaghetti, Egg Noodles and other Macaroni Products. Phone 35 and 36

Looper Grocery Co.
East Side of Square

PLAINVIEW WILL HAVE UNUSUALLY WEALTHY SEASON

Boswell Says the General Conditions on Plains Could Hardly Be Better

I don't see how general conditions in our section could be much better," declared John Boswell, Plainview's commercial secretary, here yesterday to attend the Panhandle-Plains Commercial Executives' Association.

Boswell pointed out that the farmers of Hale county were prosperous and that this naturally brings prosperity to all lines of business in Hale county. He stated that Hale county farms have this year produced another bumper wheat crop, which is bringing money into Plainview and the surrounding country. To make conditions still better, conditions are ideal for row crops and early fall crops.

The prosperity of the farmers of the county is causing bank deposits to swell, notes are being retired rapidly and money conditions over the county are rapidly improving. The visiting secretary stated. All Plainview business firms are finding their banks rapidly depleted and most of them are sending out rush orders to replenish their supplies of goods.

Several new business firms have opened in Plainview recently, but Boswell states that the lack of quarters is all that prevents others from doing so. He predicts that at least six large new business houses will be under the course of construction in Plainview within sixty days to help care for the situation.

He believes that the next twelve months will see unprecedented growth over the entire Panhandle and Plains. To base this prediction on the fact that the Texas oil fields are in such a condition that many people must leave them to make a living elsewhere and that farmers in all parts of the state, dissatisfied with their present conditions, are seeking new locations. The many successive bumper crops of the Panhandle have convinced these seekers for new locations that the Panhandle and Plains country is really the land of opportunity.

Boswell believes that thousands of families in other sections would gladly move to the Panhandle and Plains if they had the means to do so. If resident and non-resident owners of undeveloped property would improve it and rent it to such farmers, he believes that it would result in general benefits.—Amarillo News.

Today's Local Markets

Wheat, No. 1, bushel	\$1.10
Oats, lb.	9.65c
Eggs, doz.	18c
Cream, lb.	24c
Butter, lb.	30c to 40c
Fryers, lb.	22c
Old roosters, lb.	5c
Hides, lb.	1 1/2c

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Archibald and little daughter of Durant, Okla. arrived Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. J. L. Vaughn. Mrs. Archibald was before her marriage Miss Ross Fowle. Mr. Archibald is publisher of the Durant Daily Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Merrell, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Merrell and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Norwood of Lubbock are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keck, and Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Wayland.

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Marriage Licenses

Otho C. Spence and Miss Inez Marie Honan, July 16. He is the son of D. H. Spence and she is the daughter of J. C. Honan, and the families are prominent in the west part of the county.

Oran G. Wilson and Miss Merle Mary Moore, July 18. He is employed at McMillan's Drug Store and she lives in Snyder. He left last night for that place, where they will be married.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson of Kansas, who have been here for several weeks visiting his parents, will leave today for South Dakota to visit relatives before returning to their home.

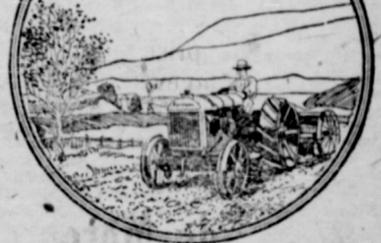
Will Hold Public Sale

C. C. Krause will hold a public sale at his place, five miles east of Petersburg, Thursday July 28, beginning at 10 o'clock. A list of the sale will be published in Friday's News and includes horses, mules, dairy cattle, O. I. C. hogs, chickens, farming implements, household goods. Auctioneer T. J. Allen of Petersburg will have charge of the sale.

Mr. Krause announces that he will move away from this country.

Saturday the fire company was called to the home of C. E. Whitman account of a Maxwell car having caught fire from defective electric wiring. The car was saved without much damage.

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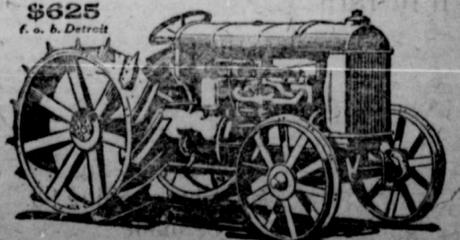
While the Fordson Tractor has power in plenty to drag plows and harrows through the heaviest soil, it is light enough, small enough and so easily controlled that it can handily be put to many tasks about the farm, that will save you time, money and work.

In fact the Fordson will do every power job, both draw-bar and belt, more quickly and at less cost than it can be done with any other form of power. So every month the whole year 'round the always dependable Fordson will prove itself a paying investment, because of its capabilities, its economy and efficiency.

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OUT DEMON

Ancients Had Cruel Methods of Relieving Headaches.

People of Today Would Be Apt to Consider the Remedy as Worse Than the Disease.

"Headaches are bothersome things," writes Prof. Roy L. Mouldie of the University of Illinois in the Scientific Monthly. "People have been annoyed by them for a long time, seven thousand years at least, and probably longer. We are all quite willing, when afflicted with a headache, to agree with the people of the Stone age that a headache is a demon, and we would be willing to do almost anything to get rid of it."

The pain, whether due to a blow to the head, indigestion, nervousness or any other cause, certainly reminds one of a demon, and it is readily understood that a primitive man should have the idea of releasing this demon as being the cause of his suffering. He devised a method by which he could get rid of the demon, whether the cause was due to eye-strain, brain congestion, or nervousness, it must be admitted that his method was not very different from the one devised by his descendants.

The cure adopted for a headache was performed by a shaman or medicine man in some remote fastness, and here the patient was completely recovered. The method consisted in opening a variety of ways to the demon.

The method, which consisted of prehistoric methods of relieving headache, have been described by the late Dr. O. S. Rivers, in his book "The Dawn of Civilization." He tells us that the ancient Egyptians used to release the demon by the use of a special class of incense, which was burned in the presence of the patient. The incense was prepared by the priest, and the patient was to breathe the fumes of it. The incense was made of a variety of plants, and the patient was to breathe the fumes of it for a certain period of time.

The patient was to lie on his back, and the priest was to stand over him, and to breathe the fumes of the incense into his face. The patient was to breathe the fumes of the incense for a certain period of time, and then the priest was to say a certain prayer, and the patient was to be cured.

The method of relieving headache by the use of incense, was one of the most common methods of relieving headache in the ancient world. It was a method which was used by the ancient Egyptians, the ancient Greeks, and the ancient Romans. It was a method which was used by the ancient Chinese, and the ancient Indians. It was a method which was used by the ancient Persians, and the ancient Arabs.

Dickens and Thackeray.
Gilbert K. Chesterton, who is a great admirer of Dickens, has this to say of him:

"Now, the interesting thing is this: That Dickens, whom so many considered to be a vulgar enthusiast, saw the coming change in our society much more soberly and scientifically than did his better educated and more pretentious contemporaries. . . . There is no trace in Thackeray of the slightest consciousness that progress could ever change its direction. There is in Dickens, the whole of 'Hard Times' is the expression of just such a realization. It is not true to say that Dickens was a Socialist, but it is not absurd to say so. And it would be simply absurd to say it of any of the great individualist novelists of the Victorian time. He felt the society changing; and Thackeray never did. . . . Now, for this reason Dickens must definitely be considered in the light of the changes which his soul foresaw. Thackeray has become classical; but Dickens has done more; he has remained modern."

Treatment for Hip Disease.
Hip joint disease in children has been looked upon as almost always due to tuberculosis of the bones of the joint. But Dr. Halfdan Sundt, who is medical superintendent of Fredrikshvern Coast hospital in Norway, has recently published a pamphlet in which he asserts that 43.4 per cent of such cases are not tuberculous at all. Immobilization for a long period has been the standard treatment, but Dr. Sundt divided his cases into groups, one of which he allowed to run about freely with no treatment, and he found after three years' observation that the final results were just as good in those as in the other cases.

Serious Matter.
"You like my film play?"
"Yes, I do." said the professor.

"Then all of love's labor is lost?"
"Oh, no, I can't say that. You see, the film star says; and by the great gods of Venus I just ought to make love."

"TACTILISM" THE LATEST ART

Pictures Can Be "Seen" by Touch, Is Declaration Made by Inventor of New Fad.

Among the things that "have their day and cease to be," artistic extravaganzas hold a prominent place. The wild vagaries of impressionists, cubists and futurists one by one eclipse what has gone before.

"Tactilism" is the name of a new "art" invented by Signor Marinetti, the Italian futurist, who, recently, to a large audience of painters, art critics and society people in Paris, explained its principles. It is a method of conveying impressions through the sense of touch, "which has hitherto been neglected by the arts."

Marinetti told how he had tried to establish a series of conventions, which could be easily learned, by which different touches would bring forth definite ideas. For instance, something rough, spiky and hot to the touch would give the idea of the Sahara. The seas would be conjured up by something smooth and cold, like silver paper, and Paris by a mixture of silk and velvet. It is an evidence of the readiness of the day to take up anything new that this adventurous futurist pioneer is now the lion of the season. He intends to be in Paris for some weeks, but has already received so many invitations to attend fashionable receptions and evening parties that he confesses that he hardly knows how to cram in all his appointments.

DESIGNED TO UPHOLD WEIGHT

Elephant's Foot Is Enormous, Even When Compared With the Size of the Beast.

That twice around an elephant's foot equals its height seems almost incredible, yet such is the fact, and a little reflection will show you that it is not so wonderful as it appears to be. Things are large or small, comparatively, and if we could see the foot of an elephant by itself, it would present a far different appearance as to size from what it gives when overshadowed by the mountain of flesh it supports. The elephants in the Indian commissariat being dieted according to height require to be measured annually to determine the amount of food to which they are entitled. At present this is done by means of the ordinary standard with crossbar on top, but formerly it was done by placing a rope around the animal's forefoot close to the ground, and multiplying the length so obtained by two. This measurement generally gives a quarter of an inch or so more, but never less than the exact height.

Use of Peat as Fuel.
Few have realized that peat might replace coal and break to a large extent the dependence of some of the northern states upon distant coal mines.

For several months a Minneapolis company has been engaged in the preparation of peat for fuel, said to be the only enterprise of its kind in the country. A machine has been perfected that digs, macerates and spreads out to dry 700 tons of wet peat in a day, or a quantity sufficient to produce 100 tons of dry fuel. That's how much peat contracts in the drying process. One man operates the machine.

During the summer the machine was operated on a bog near Minneapolis, and peat, processed at the University of Minnesota, was burned with satisfactory results in a Minneapolis office building.

A crusher plant, with a capacity of 500 tons of peat a day, has been built in Minneapolis during the winter to produce powdered peat, and in the spring ten peat digging machines are to be started on the Minnesota bogs.

Delivering the Goods.
Edouard Belin, the inventor of photography by wire, said at a dinner in New York:

"Of course, the transmission of photographs by wire was thought out before my time. But my predecessors, though their theory was all right, could not put it into practice. So nothing much came of their work, for an inventor's backers insist on the prompt delivery of the goods.
"An inventor can't treat his backers as Whistler, the painter, treated his sitters. One of Whistler's sitters, you know, was in a hurry to have her portrait. Finally she said:
"Now, Mr. Whistler, you've been at work on this portrait of mine a very long time. When will it be finished and delivered?"
"Perhaps never, ma'am," said Whistler calmly."

Boys Study Reforestation.
Reforestation clubs for boys are being formed in the public schools of Louisiana. Seeds and trees are supplied by the state department of conservation and prizes are offered for the best results. The work is timely in view of the assertion, made recently by the forest service, that timber is cut and burned in the United States four times as fast as it is growing.

Not Wasted.
Miss Sue Brett—So you courted that girl for six years, did you?
Footlight—Yes, I did.
"And you didn't marry her?"
"No."
"Then all of love's labor is lost?"
"Oh, no, I can't say that. You see, the film star says; and by the great gods of Venus I just ought to make love."

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"What will you do about it?"
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"COEUR DE LION"

Relic of Great British Monarch Found at Rouen.

Intact, Though Shrunken in Dimensions, When Discovered 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 antiquaries 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 lid—probably 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 shrunken 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 Fontevault abbey, where they lay, as he directed, at his father's feet. Napoleon III once promised to hand over to Britain 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 Fontevault raised such a storm of protest when I announced my intention of removing them that I thought better of it."

Fontevault 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 entering 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 is 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.

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JACK FROST HOLDS SECRET

Yet We May Gather Something of What Must Be Learned If One Would Remain Young.

As if to crown the year, autumn . . .

ness and golden days of summer warmth, but occasionally opens the door and lets old winter in. It all happened as predicted, remarks the Minneapolis Journal. No wind played as usual on the hilltop, the stars came out clear and bright, the moon was gorgeous in its round refulgence, but there was an ominous stillness in the air. When the door was left ajar, stinging cold sent her arrow through.

The next morning when the sun arose he had more work than usual on his hands. The frozen forms of sparkling dew hung pendant from the drooping goldenrod and crowned the aster with a beauty new. The smoke rose straight skyward from the many chimneys round about, while the roofs steamed with incense unknown to them for many weeks.

Autumn had simply turned another page to bear witness to her versatility. She announced that time was up for ripening grape or late strawberry blossom. The wondrous drama that had for five months past been staged in every garden was for the season closed, but the mighty color pageant of October still remains to celebrate for days in hill and dale the harvest bounty.

What is the secret of this transformed world in field and pasture? Jack Frost has brought with him invigorating air together with the wine and zest of the whole year. But he has steadily put to sleep the flower fairies of the summer. And he has done it by checking the flow of sap and leaf, stalk and trunk. In place of flexibility there is now rigidity of stem and petal, and where pliability was once the mark of garden life stiffness is now upon her flower children.

Who can fail to see written in the garden a parable for man? All is well for him as long as he keeps his frame plastic and his mind open to new ideas and enthusiasms. Vital interest in new issues and a large openness of mind do much to keep a man young. But once let dogmatism touch him, or let him become crabbed or cocksure, set or opinionated, and the frost touches him to check his growth.

Richard Le Gallienne cites well the secret of the frost in saying that "a man is not old till he ceases to fall in love, carries a pocket mirror to examine his tongue." The frost hits him when he begins to say that times are changed and begins to speak of young people as a separate and disappointing class." The frost touch of rigidity is the secret of Jack Frost.

No time limit has been set to growth in the garden of the human mind. When a man is so foolish as to stake these limits for himself, then he makes himself liable to the benumbing blight of Jack Frost.

Real Republican Prayer.

On March 4 the school children of Terre Haute were instructed to utter a two-minute prayer for Mr. Harding. One primary teacher told her children all about Mr. Harding, the position he was taking and all the responsibilities he was to have. So at eleven o'clock she said: "Now, children, fold your hands and bow your heads. This is the time we're going to pray."
But up went the hand of a very ardent little Methodist Sunday school scholar. "Please, teacher, may I lead in prayer?" he asked.

His teacher nodded, and he uttered his earnest little prayer. "Dear Mr. Harding—Please bless us and keep us forever and forever. Amen."—Indianapolis News.

How to Avoid Colds.

Before you leave a warm room and open the street door to go out, always remember to shut your mouth. Keep it closed until you have walked briskly for about ten minutes. Then, if you keep on walking, you may talk as much as you please.

If you keep your mouth closed and walk briskly, the air can only reach the lungs by a circuit of the nose and head and become warm before reaching them, thus causing no derangement of these very important organs. On the other hand, large draughts of cold air dash directly in upon the lungs, and in a few days you wonder how you caught that awful cold.

Increase Sea Safety.

Lifboat davits, described and illustrated in Popular Mechanics Magazine, are so designed that one man, by turning a crank, can lower a boat with ease. They are now being installed on a number of ocean liners, greatly increasing the potential safety of sea travel as well as the comfort of passengers, if use of the boats becomes necessary. The one crank operates both the outward swing of the davit and the falls. Because of the improvement in ease of lowering, larger lifboats can be used, with more commodious storage space for fresh water and provisions.

A Would-Be Auditor.

Well, what did you think of my acting? asked an amateur player of a truthful but diplomatic member of the audience.
"I can say this," replied the spectator frankly. "I have a friend who I am confident would have given \$500 to have heard you."
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NEWS GOES FAST

Drum-Beat in Africa Has Telegraphic Speed.

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

News is carried by drum-beat 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 inclusion-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-quarter 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 brown and muscle and sinew. At his birth, 25 years ago, he weighed only 15 ounces, his head was not much bigger 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.

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 sandals. "Why?"
"Notwithstanding our already overcrowded market," said the poet, "that duffer is sure to start writing poetry again."

Novel Coiffure.

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, Ma?"

United States' Naval Strength.

Either of the two American fleets, the Atlantic or the Pacific, is far greater than the famous fleet of the United States which sailed around the world in 1907-1908, says the Argonaut.

SUNK BANK'S MONEY IN WELL

How Gold Belonging to Georgia Financial Institution Was Kept Out of Sherman's Hands.

How the money of the State Bank of Georgia was successfully hidden during Sherman's march to the sea, and how the entire sum, which was between \$150,000 and \$200,000, was returned to the bank virtually intact, makes a strange story. An old subscriber sends us the tale.

On the evening of November 28, 1864, Wallace Cumming, cashier of the Bank at Savannah, was ordered to take the money out of danger, for Sherman was approaching the city. Cumming's wife, who subsequently wrote the story of the adventure for her grandchildren, accompanied him on a special train that was hurrying to cross the Altamaha river before the southern troops cut the bridge. The gold was packed in nail kegs. At Thomasville they hired an empty store and placed the kegs of gold there. Jerry, one of Cumming's servants, took turns with a man named Ross in guarding the store at night.

Later they transported the money to Macon, where the State bank had a branch office. In April, 1865, news came that another federal force was making its way southward, and what to do with the money became again an anxious question.

Finally they decided to wear what gold they could, bury some and sink the rest in a deep well. Each member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nesbit, with whom the Cumming family had lived for six months, wore wide belts made of heavy linen, which they had stitched full of \$20 gold pieces. That of course took care of a comparatively small sum. Every day Mr. Cumming made several trips between the house and the bank, and on each trip came home loaded with money. Nesbit, who owned a large iron foundry, cast a long, found iron bar, about the width of a \$20 gold piece, and sharpened at one end. One night Nesbit and Cumming went out into the front yard, which was a mass of rosebushes in full bloom. They thrust the rod down close to the roots of a bush and as deep as their united strength could sink it; then they filled the hole with gold eagles, which they dropped in one by one, and threw loose earth over the top. In that way they buried between \$30,000 and \$40,000; and they kept a record of how much was buried under each rosebush. The rest of the money they sewed up in little bags, which they placed in boxes and let down into a deep well. Two days after the gold was buried the Yankee army took possession of Macon and seized the assets of two or three other banks in Savannah.

Cumming was captured, but all that the army found in his vault was several barrels of Confederate money and a few hundred dollars in silver that he had not had time to hide. The money remained in the garden and in the well more than two years, and all of it was recovered and returned to the bank at Savannah except one small package of gold \$1 pieces, which was lost in the mud and water.—Youth's Companion.

Hard Fate of Brilliant Woman.

French newspapers are making terrible revelations of the poverty in which many of the greatest French savants are found to live. The first woman doctor to practice medicine in France, Mme. Madeleine Bres, has just been discovered by the newspapers living in extreme poverty and completely blind. She is 82 years old.

Mme. Bres was a poor man's child, and when a child was employed in the hospital conducted by the Sisters of Charity at Nimes. When she was 15 years old she married a bus conductor, who was jealous of her attainments. After marriage she took lessons in Latin and gained her degree at 28. Later, by special intervention of the Empress Eugenie, she was enabled to attend examinations in medicine and study under the most noted French physicians.

After practicing for 50 years, however, her sight failed and for some years she had lived on the verge of starvation, refusing the invitation of the public charity authorities to enter the paupers' home.—London Herald.

Not Needed.

A certain Democratic candidate for a state office in the last election tells a story on himself, and he evidently appreciates the humor in it, now.
"I was billed for a speech at a county seat," his story goes, "and the Republican county chairman saw my announcement. He immediately wired to his state speakers' committee: 'Send one of the best speakers you have for Thursday night. So-and-So is to speak here the night before.'"
"I went to the town and made my speech. The next day the Republican county chairman wired his speakers' bureau: 'Cancel all arrangements for meeting tonight. It is not needed now.'"
—Indianapolis News.

Giant Gas Tank Being Built.

The second largest gas holder in the world is under construction in Baltimore. When fully inflated the gas tank will stand 223 feet high and will have a capacity of 10,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

United States' Naval Strength.

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PUBLIC OWNERSHIP A "BEAUTIFUL THEORY"

The following editorial on "Public Ownership" is taken from the Mansfield (Ohio) News.

"The theory of public ownership, federal control, municipal plants, etc., is beautiful. Socialistic dreams are enchanting. One for all and all for one would seem to be a slogan under which humanity could go forth on a grand promenade, or transform this earthly adobe into a veritable paradise.

"But theories and plans that don't materialize, don't function and are not workable, don't get us anything, anywhere, anytime.

"If a thoroughly efficient merit system were in effect and public ownership would insure the practice of the same business principle that brings efficiency and success in well-managed private business firms and corporations, it is possible it would be advantageous to have practically all public utilities owned or controlled by nation, state or municipality.

"But there are few shining examples of success of federal, state or municipally-owned, operated, or controlled plants or utilities. There must be more of a separation of politics and business before public ownership or control will be success.

Federal control of the railroad, telephones and express companies furnished little proof of merit or ability. Actual ownership would possibly have been more disastrous to the public that foots the bills. In a measure Uncle Sam is the easy boss—too easy of upon our utility companies if anything done. The same is true, in the main, of every municipally-owned utility. Properly safeguarded by legislation that protects the rights of the people, while at the same time recognizing the benefit of public utilities that minister efficiently to the people and that should be granted fair opportunity to reap proper financial return, the private individual, firm or corporation is more apt to furnish efficient service at a fair cost than any of the publicly-owned utilities.

"Some day, when there are fewer professional politicians and the spoils system is scrapped, there may be a better chance for so-called public ownership which is now too often made the vehicle through which the political leeches fasten themselves upon the tax-paying public."

HEALTH NOTES

Dark, dirty and poorly ventilated rooms a re consumption factories. Shun them.

Contagion is mainly spread by contact of the infected person with a well person. Sometimes just plain carelessness is responsible for the contact.

Be careful with your health and jeopardize your life.

Publicity and education are now universally conceded to be of prime importance in promotion every phase of health work.

Your worst enemy—spread of disease and death—the common fly. Swat him.

Intended community will not permit teacher and child to remain in an unhealthful environment and have the process labeled "Education."

Under circumstances should the tuberculous mother be permitted to nurse her child. This is necessary for the health of the mother as well as the protection of the infant.

All children from homes in which there is or has been tuberculosis should be carefully and repeatedly examined by a competent physician for the early protection of the disease.

Excitation is less annoying than a pock-marked face and less expensive than a third-class funeral.

Do not tire easily and are "all played out," don't dope yourself with so-called "tonics" and stimulants. See your doctor and insist upon having a thorough examination. Weariness is usually the first sign of tuberculosis.

The prevailing popularity of motion pictures and their value in health education have prompted the State health officer to provide several high-class reels on health subjects. They are furnished to health officers, societies, and schools without charge on application. On account of the strong demand, however, it is advisable to make requests well in advance if the pictures are wanted for any particular date.—By Dr. M. M. Carrick, State Health Officer.

TEN BILLIONS USED TO BUILD ARMAMENTS

Washington, July 14.—More than ten billion dollars a year now is being spent for war purposes by nations invited to the disarmament conference called by President Harding, it was shown today in official budget statements filed with the Federal Reserve board here.

England, France, Italy and the United States and Japan now are spending each year for past wars and preparation for future wars more money than is disbursed for any other single purpose.

France's war charge is approximately 60 per cent of her total revenues while France is plunging at the rate of 90 per cent every five cents out of each dollar collected by the United States government goes for the maintenance of the army, navy, interest on the war debt and to support ships under obligations acquired as a result of the great war.

Italy is spending approximately 50 per cent for war purposes, and Japan more than 60.

The Tom Waggoner ranch near Electra is shipping six thousand steers to the Kansas City markets.

A Mysterious Find

Last Friday a Mexican laborer who was grubbing on the Oscar Knox farm in the Ogden settlement, dug into an old trunk and found therein three old-time six shooters, an old hat, a pair of shoes and a cartridge belt full of cartridges. The trunk, guns and its contents were of a make of twenty-five years ago.

The Mexican had started to grub up a mesquite tree. There was a big pile of rocks around the tree, which he removed. He had not dug very deep until he struck something that sounded like a box. He at once began to dig it out and found that it was an old trunk, containing the above mentioned contents.

The hat had a hole through it, which in every way resembled a bullet hole. Also one of the shoes had a hole in it that looked like it had been shot in there. The whole affair is a mystery to everyone and the sheriff's office. The trunk is not over thirty inches long, and it is evident that no one was buried in the trunk, otherwise there would have been a skeleton in it. The three six-shooters were of the old style of thirty years ago, with very long barrels, and broke as did the side arms of that day. Every indication also showed that the trunk had been there for years, as it was metal lined and the old rawhide covered type.—Paducah Post.

Montana Mule Produces Colt

Montana has mare a mule that has become the mother of a sturdy colt, according to a dispatch from Dillon, Mont. Dr. J. W. Butler, state veterinarian, has made official record of the birth of this colt but withholds the name of the owner because he says the ranchman "doesn't want to be plagued with a flood of fool questions."

Although this is but the fourth record instance, in the history of veterinary science, that a mare mule has dropped a colt. Dr. Butler states that there is no question about the legitimacy of the colt in question and is preparing data for the information of breeders, veterinarians and the bureau of animal industry of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

It is said that the mule will be bred again in the hopes that she will produce a female with the reproductive ability of its mother and perhaps thus propagate the breed.—American Hereford.

Baby Drinks Fly Poison

Little Ruth Sullivan, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sullivan, one mile south of town, died Saturday evening after swallowing some Daisy Fly Killer about two o'clock in the afternoon.

According to the attending physician, the parents had removed the poison from the regular container and put it in an ordinary pan, and placing the pan under a fly trap in easy reach of the baby they went to the field to work. On returning they found the child very ill, and about 8 o'clock death came.—Lubbock Avalanche.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Plainview, in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business

RESOURCES			
1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c)	\$1,663,339.62		
Total loans	1,663,339.62		
Deduct:			
d Notes and bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank (other than bank acceptances sold)	238,823.86		
e Foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank, not shown under item d above	238,823.86	\$1.42	
2. Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured, none			
a. U. S. Government securities owned:			
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. Bonds par value)	25,000.00		
b All other United States Government securities	7,806.17	32.5	
3. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:			
b. Banking house, none; Furniture and fixtures		16.4	
7. Real estate owned other than banking house		28.8	
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		12.9	
100. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		78.43	
11. Amount due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the U. S. (other than included in items 8, 9 or 10)		204.01	
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town of reporting bank (other than item 12)		16,961.1	
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	225,831.83	4,858	
14. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		6,070.19	
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,850.00	
16. Other assets, if any, U. S. Fund Citizens National Bank		259.77	
Total	\$1,834,904.14		
LIABILITIES			
17. Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00		
18. Surplus fund	100,000.00		
19. Unpaid profits	9,059.79		
20. Circulating notes outstanding	25,200.00		
21. Amount due to national banks	52,958.14		
22. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the U. S. and foreign countries (other than included in items 21 or 22)		99,194.26	
24. Certified checks outstanding	4,000.00		
25. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	3,106.96		
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	159,259.36		
26. Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):			
26. Individual deposits subject to check		100,000.00	
27. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		194,429.64	
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31	960,487.60		
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):			
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		395,897.89	
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, items 32, 33, 34, and 35	395,897.89		
39. Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts)		95,000.00	
Total	\$1,834,904.14		

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALE, ss:
I, J. C. Anderson, Jr., cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. C. ANDERSON, JR., Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1921.
(SEAL) GENEVA SEIPP, Notary Public, Hale County, Texas.
CORRECT—Attest: C. S. WILLIAMS, A. B. MARTIN, CHAS. NEY, Directors.

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 On June 12 on Lockney road, ham-High man's coat, mixed size 38. Reward. Return to office.-Sidney Curtis, Ellen.
FOR SALE OR TRADE-Any- are, and exchanges galore. Sub- your propositions to J. B. Downs, Lockney, Texas. 71-tf
FOR SALE CHEAP-One Port Huron separator, ninety-four head cattle and fifty calves. Will give terms.-T. J. Shelton, Plainview.
FOR SALE-Fox type writer, as good as new, \$65.00.-C. W. Tandy. 1f-17
FOR BEST PRICES on groceries, see Franklin, west of the city hall. New, fresh stock. Farmers can drive up on two sides and get waited on at once.
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FOR RENT-600 acres wheat land, close to Plainview.-J. B. Nance. 2t
 Why pay more for milk, when you can get it delivered at your door for 15 cents a quart. Phone 478, C. B. Rees.
 38 acres close in to trade for house and lot in Plainview.-Wofford and Gullidge.
 We are paying highest market prices for eggs. Get our prices on groceries. Everybody's Grocery, between City hall and Guaranty State Bank.
FOR TRADE-for land in Hale Center, residence in Plainview, forty half-interest in eighty acres Missouri, containing rich soil, within 1-2 miles of

WANTED-Second hand furniture. We also do repairing.-Winfield-Moore, phone 147, north of Nash Rooming House. 18-4t
FOR SALE-1 sulky-plow, 1 gang, binder, gas engine, hay baler.-Sansom & Son.
 Home in Plainview to trade on well improved 10 or 20 acre tract outside of city limits, north or west of city.-Sloneker & McInnish.
ENGRAVED PRINTING - The News has a line of samples of engraved visiting cards, wedding invitations, announcements, etc., and can furnish such work promptly.
FARM WANTED-Wanted to hear from owner of a farm or good land for sale for fall delivery.-L. Jones, Box 551, Olney, Ill.
 Investigate the Studebaker line of automobiles. Have us demonstrate them to you. Several different types to be seen at Reynolds Motor Co.
FOR SALE-Dodge touring car top, nearly new, at a bargain.-Phone 593
DRESSMAKING and plain sewing, reasonable price, satisfaction guaranteed.-Claudie Hill, first house west of Harvest Queen Mills. 17-4t-p
 Good home in Plainview to trade for land. Home is clear and property must be worth the money, and not much incumbrance.-Sloneker & McInnish.
FOR SALE-An unimproved half section of land near Hale Center or would consider a trade for good Plainview property or good automobile. Box 54, Hale Center, Texas.
LOST-One second hand rug. Finder return to Winfield-Moore, phone 147.
FOR TRADE-160 acres improved land, 1 mile of Meadow for small farm near Plainview.-M. M. Culwell, Owner, Meadow, Texas. 17-5t
 One light bay horse about 4 years old, white spot in fore head, both hind feet white taken up at my place 4 1-2 miles north of Abernathy.-H. D. Smith.
NOTICE-If you have equities in cattle or sheep you will exchange for easily encumbered lands, give full particulars Plainview News.
WANTED-To trade good automobile as first payment on 4 or 5 room house, and pay balance monthly.-Inquire at this office.
FOR SALE-Plenty of mules, horses and mares on hand at all times, also new harness. Come in and look. Some terms until after harvest.-A. L. Sanford, mule barn.
FOR SALE-New Butterfly cream separator. Can be seen at Plainview Produce Co.
 A good six-room house on West 7th Street, No. 808, with bath room and all modern conveniences, in nice condition for sale, \$5,000 dollars, on easy terms.-C. W. Tandy, owner.
FOR SALE-Eighty acres of land, twelve miles north of Lockney, half in cultivation, well fenced, price \$40 acre, terms.-J. B. Snider, Rt. 1, Lockney, Texas. 2t
 The best bargain in Hale Center, a 160 acre tract, from Plainview, 900 acres in cultivation, two houses, large barn, and other improvements. Low priced, but high quality, \$5,200.00 cash will handle the deal, balance good terms. Better see us quick.-Sloneker & McInnish.

NOTICE
 The city teams are cutting weeds on the streets and alleys and anyone desiring their weeds cut can get these teams to cut them for a reasonable charge. Also if the people will keep their alleys clear of weeds the city will grade and drag them. Those desiring weeds cut see J. M. Waller of J. C. Hooper, aldermen.
 C. F. VINCENT, Mayor.
WANTED-To rent wheat farm or position or might buy quarter-section improved farm if price and terms right.-W. H. Hand, Rt. A, Plainview.
 I will gladly furnish coal to the churches of the town at actual cost.-E. C. Hunter, coal dealer, phone 8. 18-4t
FOR SALE OR TRADE-Avery tractor, 8-16, in good running order, will sell on easy terms.-J. D. Yoder, Spring Lake. 19-tf-c
FOR SALE-Modern grocery on the South Plains, making money, good opening, act quick. Answer care of Plainview News. 18-3t
 Two corner lots for sale, east of First Christian church, may take in some trade.-John Ryden. 16-tf-c
FOR SALE-Large Federal truck. Very thing for hauling wheat or heavy freight, at a bargain.-Apply at News office.
FOR SALE-Several good young mares and some farm implements.-See W. S. Meharg.
 Fine 160 acre farm, well improved, all good land, oil well being drilled near the land, fine prospect for oil, 8 miles of Erick, Okla., to trade for land near Plainview.-Sloneker & McInnish.
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WANTED-Hides, poultry and eggs.-Panhandle Produce Co.
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Ellen School Notice
 Notice is hereby given that the trustees of the Ellen common school district No. 24, Hale county, Texas, will at ten o'clock, Saturday, August 6th, 1921, offer for sale the old Ellen school building to the highest bidder. Terms cash, or nine months payments, subject to the approval of the trustees. Said trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids if not satisfactory.
 J. A. LINE,
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 A. H. PORTER, Trustees.

FOR SALE CHEAP-Walnut bed and dresser, same as new, Oliver typewriter and office desk, baby buggy slightly used and an oil heater at Perry and Cram's office. 12-tf
FOR SALE-10x14 tent. Apply to Knight Auto Co.
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WANTED-Green and dry hides at L. D. Rucker Produce Co.
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 We have seventy-five head of horses and mules to sell on twelve months' time.-J. W. Boyle & Son.

CHURCHES

Dr. Lowber Will Deliver Series of Lectures
 Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Lowber of Austin will spend the month of August in Plainview. They were neighbors of Mrs. J. L. Vaughn and family in Kentucky many years ago. The editor of the News knew Dr. and Mrs. Lowber more than twenty-five years ago.
 Dr. Lowber is a Christian minister and was for a long time pastor of the church in Austin. He is recognized as one of the leading scholars in the Brotherhood, and has traveled extensively in all parts of the world. He is a well-known lecturer and author, and while here expects to deliver a series of three lectures on religious topics.
District Superintendent Coming
 Rev. Allie Erick and wife of Pilot Point, will be here and he will hold services at the Nazarene church Wednesday night. Rev. Mr. Erick is the superintendent of the Hamlin district of the Nazarene church. He is a half-brother of R. M. Erick of this city.
Announcement
 Circle No. 2 of the Methodist Woman Missionary Society will meet Monday afternoon, July 25, with Mrs. A. B. Miller. All members urged to be present, and visitors welcome.
Holiness Church
 An old-fashioned Holiness rally will be held at the Nazarene church Wednesday night. We expect to have with us Rev. Allie Erick of Pilot Point, district superintendent of the Hamlin district. He will bring us a soul-stirring message. Everybody invited to attend this service.
 J. P. INGLE, Pastor.
First Christian Church
 Bibles school at 9:45 a. m. Sunday. Pastor Davis will preach at 11 and 8:30 o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend these services.
 Will Brand 5,000 Calves
 Littlefield, July 16.-The annual roundup and branding of the calves on the Will Brand ranch. The calf crop is large this year it being estimated that more than 5,000 will be branded. This is a very interesting event to the new comers but a tremendous lot of hard work for the cowboys participating.

About People You Know
 W. P. Clements, head of the history department of Wayland College of Plainview, was in Canadian in the interests of his school the first of the week. He also visited his old classmate D. M. Wiggins, in this city. They attended the old Baptist Academy in in Canadian together.-Canadian Record.
 Rev. J. T. Upchurch, for 19 years superintendent of Baracah Home at Arlington, Texas, and founder of that institution, in company with a celebrated quartet from the home and Rev. Alonzo Monk, Jr., pastor of the Arlington Methodist church, will arrive in Amarillo and begin a series of meetings in the Polk Street Methodist church Tuesday, July 19.-Amarillo News.
 R. M. Peace of Plainview, was in the city Sunday. He made the morning talk at the College in the absence of Bro. Sanders who is away holding a meeting.-Lockney Beacon.

Freight Rates Prohibitive
 Washington, July 15.-Present freight rates on livestock are destroying the West and the railroads will be among the worst sufferers in the long run if they are not lowered, S. H. Cowan, representing the American Livestock association, told the interstate commerce commission today.
 The railroads should not be allowed to sacrifice the future of the West on the altar of present revenues," Mr. Cowan said. "The livestock industry is the only one that can make the waste places productive."
 "With livestock down to pre-war levels and feed costs high, the industry cannot stand present railroad rates, which are from 70 to 75 per cent higher than before the war."
 Senator Hendrick's of Wyoming quoted from reports of the department of agriculture to show that there had been a great reduction in livestock production partly due, he said, to freight rates. He urged immediate relief.

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