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Edgar Brash Writes Story of His Ex- Boy Scout Ofperiences While Lost In Guadalupes

(From Lamera Reporter) My 1925 Hunting trip and exper- of NOT having one. Texas.

started to cook some supper. But ca. We gathered some fire wood, we refused this, having eaten a late cooked some supper and went to bed. dinner we were not hungry. The Tuesday we got up, got breakfast wind was blowing pretty hard and i. and decided to go over was turning cold again.

went to the Pine Canyon Springs, about a mile from the house. We that night and my, how the wind overing lots of country. Weil, blew and the snow fell.

on his house went to five below zero, that hung over the top of the moun-

Monday morning we went up Pine Canyon to hunt and up in the day we jumped a bunch of deer. One Edgar, or at least we think so. He and I doing all the shooting at this Going on over to him, we found him still alive so I took another shot at him and after he ed and how they breathed his last we began at once to akin him. It took the two of us uite a while to skin him and get him leaned and his head cut off, immedately after we built a fire, washed our hands in the snow and decided est our lunch. While eating our lunch around a nice warm fire, the conversation ran along many chanst wonderful discovery man ever , not being able to answer him d him what was the most wonderful. He said, "When man learned to build a fire." Since going through with him. Because I did not learn be yelled and whistled, but we the wonders of a fire, but I can say

I found out the extreme discomfort

ences while lost for five days and Well, we sat there quite a while nights in Guadalupe Mountains of and each took a half of the deer and he the head and we started for camp. Our loads were quite heavy and of proved to be one of the most inter-The trio of hunters, comprised of course we had to stop and rest quite esting ever held in O'Donnell. J. P. M. C. Hamilton, H. E. Williams and often. But as time wore on I hav- Fitch, regional executive for the myself, left home some time before ing the lighter load, became impadaylight Saturday morning, Decem- tient to reach camp. So as he stopber 26, 1925 It was pretty cold but ped to rest once I told him I would warmed up somewhat during the day, go on to camp and put my game It must have been close to seven o'- down and come back and help him clock p. m. when we arrived at the with his. This I did, and when we ranch owned by Mr. Walter Glover, got the deer all to camp the after-Going in and knocking on the door, noon was pretty well gone. The we found Mr. Glover at home who weather was awfully cold and snowinstantly made us welcome and ing and the fog and wind still held

Having some little gifts for Mr knees a severe twist the first day, citizenship. He has been engaged and Mrs. Glover and the little girl, and was of corse bothered with a we gave these to Mr. Glover and stiff leg and sore knee. Well, we 'framed" it up for me to go up hig nd skirt around the rim rock, Uncle immediately pitched camp, ate a bite Edgar to take the middle and Mr. and went to bed. It sure was cold Hamilton to go low down. Thereby out noon Uncle Edgar and I came Sunday Mr. Glover came up to the bzack together and sat down by the camp and told us the thermometer fire he had built, ate our lunch and hought we would wait for Mr. Hamand commented on the dense fog ilton. After waiting for a long time he fog seemed to get worse instead of better. It would blow before the wind like smoke and was terribly thick. It was also snowing hard and ast. While laying there by a nice a buck and was killed by Uncle warm fire the snow flakes would fall on my coat and my attention was alled to the many different shapes of flakes and the beauty of them. How each flake was perfectly form-Some large, some small, some pointed and some other shapes too num-

erous to mention. Having sat there for quite a while and hollering for Mr. Hamilton, we decided to go to camp and hunt out the base of Signal Peaw. This we did, and just as we separated, we heard five shots. But the shots came nels mos tof which I can't recall. from Pine Canyon and the had last But while sitting there Uncle Edgar seen Mr. Hamilton on the east side seed me if I knew what was the of the mountains. We kept on most wonderful discovery man ever hunting and picked out a certain point to meet on and I was the first there. Just as Uncle Edgar came in sight three shots boomed out and we knew Mr. Hamilton wanted us for my horrible nightmare of experienc- something. Making our way in the es I can truly say I heartily agree direction of the sound of the shots,

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fical Lectures

The Boy Scout meeting held at the State Theatre Thursday morning states of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, and Scout Executive Palmer of Lubbock were present. In honor of the visitors, the banks, post office and most of the stores in town were closed for the hour of the meeting. The O'Donnell band out everyone in splendid humor to hear the address by Mr. Fitch.

Mr. Fitch proved himself a force ful speaker and no doubt his explanation of Boy Scout Work will bear fruit for many a day, as many of is hearers had never before realized its value to the development of our in Boy Scout work for twelve years and is reconized as one of the foreest leaders in the movement in the

Led States. Honoring the visitors, a luncheon de luxe was spread at the Recall Cafe where about fifty of the town's business men met for a social and husiness hour. At the close of the meal, Mr. Fitch paid the citizenship of O'Donnell a very pretty compliment for its progressive spirit in maintaining our splendid band and n the manner in which we were ooking after the welfare of the boys He said we could build cities but hey would be worthless unless we built the proper citizenship to main-

ain them. Local Scoutmaster Ben T. Brown thanked Mr. Fitch and Mr. Palmer for their efforts in trying to help our Eoy Scouts, and to show that his heart was really in the work he said he had ten dollars to start the ball folling to help further the movement. The following responded as fast as Secretary Ben S. Coin could write the names: Dr. C. P. Tate, \$10; Dr. J. F. Campbell, \$10; B. F. Rodgers of Jefferson, \$10; William Tredway, \$10: E. L. Sorrels, \$10: Rev. J. Wood Parker, \$10; Edward Singleton, \$10; E. M. Wilder, \$10; making a total of \$90.

There yet remains a small deficit on the pledge made last year and this money must be raised. A committee will be appointed to collect the remaining amount at an early

O'Donnell Day At Slaton's Revival Meeting

An announcement was received this week by Elder W. A. Kercheville, pastor of the Church of Christ, from the pastor of the Church of Christ at Slaton, where a revival meeting is being held, that next Tuesday night had been designated as O'Donnell night and invited Elder Kercheville to bring his congregation and fill the pulpit on this occasion. After consulting the members of his church, the local pastor accepted the invitation and will be accompanied by a large number of people.

It is proposed to leave early in the evening and assemble at some point en route where a lunch will be spread. Not only the members of the Church of Christ are invited to make the trip, but everyone will be

welcome and are urged to go. During this meeting, other towns will be invited to participate the same as O'Donnell. That is something different in reviral meetings and it is likely that other pastors will follow in the wake of the Slaton pastor in bringing about a more friendly and cooperative feeling among the churches of the South

O'Donnell Band Attraction At Littlefield C. of. C. Meet

Passes Away

James Buford, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williams died at the family home Friday morning at 1 o'clock after an illness of about two weeks. The child was recovering from a severe attact of pneumonia when complications set in which its weakened condition could noe resist. The child was two years, six months and eighteen days of age at the time

The funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. W. C. Hart at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and burial was had at the O'-Donnell cemetery immediately fol-

The floral decorations were profuse and beautiful. Besides wreaths and sprays given by individuals, the Methodist Sunday school and the Junior.chass of the High School each gave a beautiful boquet of flowers. The parents of little James Burford have th esincere sympathy of everyone in the loss of their only child,

New City Hall Nearing Completion --- Old Glory Unfurled February 22

The new city hall is about completed and for the first time old glory losted from the mast pole on Washngton's birthday. The City Counil is now utilizing the room in the upper story for meeting purposes. The fire truck and equipment will scen be moved to its new home on the lower floor and a man will be on duty day and night.

It has been decided to place the big siren near the telephone office and as soon as the proper motor arrives it will be installed. It is said hat the siren can be heard from five to ten miles. If in the next few days you hear a sound that will send a thiver up and down your spinal column don't think its Gabriel blowing his horn or the wail of a lost soul: it will only be the fire department trying out the new siren.

Six year terms for presidents will never do. The voters ought to have chance to take an interest in their government oftener than that.

About fifty citizens, including the O'Donnell band, attended the dis-James Buford Williams trict meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Littlefield Monday. Those attending report that Littlefield accorded all visitors open house for the day and are enthusiastic over the reception given.

C. E. Kelley made a one-minute talk for O'Donnell at the meeting and Geoffry Holman made a fiveminute talk for "My Home Town." Notwithstanding the fact that Geoffry had not prepared a speech for the occasion, but spoke extemporaneously, it is said that his talk was good and was defeated only by a Ralls boy to enter the contest at Amarillo next June. H. L. Hohn also spoke for O'Donnell.

Bandmaster Ab Taylor left here with his band Sunday noon, spending the night at Lubbock so as to have the boys in better condition for playing. En route they played at Tahoka, Slaton, and Wilson and gave a concert at Lubbock upon their arrival. Everywhere the boys played they were given an ovation and the encouragement they received on the trip will put new pep in their work.

Following is a partial list of those who attended the meeting, exclusive of the members of the band:

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Busby, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kelley, Mrs. Major H. Rodgers, Geoffrey Holman, Mr. and Mrs, E. J. Tredway, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tredway, H. C. Gantt, Mr. Watson, Dr. C. P. Tate, Mose Sanderson. Clyde Ash, E. S. Scrimshire, W. H. Veazey, D. A. Baggett, H. E. Gillespie, W. L. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Taylor and son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Rochell.

The next meeting will go to Crosbyton, this town winning the meet over Lamesa by a small margin.

E. C. Wilcox came down from Childress first of the week on a business trip and to renew acquaintances with his many friends here. Wilcox says that he has not lost one ounce of love for the O'Donne'l country and never misses a chance to give us a boost. He is planning to put in a crop on his new place and says that he will soon have his land ready for planting.

Husbands (with all their faults) are mighty handy things to have around the house.

Scientists may come and scientists may go, but Mars goes on forever.

CHANGE of DATE

On account of sickness of Mrs. L. Bowen Beauty Specialist, she will be unable to fill her engagement at this Store on February 22-27 as previously advertisd.

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And played with his toys, And rode his little cart wheel.

He was a smiling lad of two, A happy little cow-boy And his cute ways and sayings, Filled his home with joy, Mornings-He stood in the door To watch his Daddy go away Then kissed mamma good-bye, And out he'd go to play.

Mie was so cute and tiny And loved by one and all, Some one always picked him up When'ere he took a fall. Then one night at bed time. He said, "I feel so bad," To see the baby suffer, Made us all feel bad.

We watched over the little form, Many long nights and days The nurse trying to cure him, In many different ways. One night the nurse told us, "He can't live through the night The home began to darken, That had always been so bright.

We all stood around him, Here's where we did wrong, For we wept in sorrow, When the doctor said, "He's gone."

But we all knew we'd miss him, So we wept for him in grief.

We should have wept in gladness When we saw his relief. Some day we will go to meet him, In heaven where he's gone; Looking down on us,

Waiting for us to come on.

Willie Joe Hubbard Celebrates Birthday

Master Willie Joe Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hubbard, enjoyed the greatest day of his young life Monday when he celebrated his fifth birthday. A number of his friends responded to Willie Joe's invitation to come over and have a good time with him on this occasion. Mrs. Hubbard and Mrs. Roy Everett looked after the young folks' entertainment and everyone present claim they had as much fun as did the little host. Upon entering the children registered their names, ages, and the thing they most desired which record will be kept for future referonce. After having tired of playing numerous games, the youngsters were called to the dining room which had been appropriately decorated in Washington's birthday colors, the room being darkened and red shades over the lamps and at each plate was a big red apple. Refreshments of \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1932; \$1,000. cake, fruit salad with whipped cream was served. When the time came for blowing out the five candles which decorated a large cake, each child made a wish and all blew to-

The register showed the following n, Eula Jim Harla Burdett, Claud Norris Mansell, Roy Elmo Everett, Lucile Burdett, Ira Marie Mansell, John Williams Garner, Nancy Ruth Garner, Lorene

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the dear people of O'Donnell for their kindness during the illness and death of our darling little boy, James Buford. We also thank the Senior class of the High School, the Sunday School class and others for the many beautiful fioral offerings given. May God's richest blessings be upon you.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wiliams.



ORDER FOR SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS: Counties of Lynn and Dawson O'Donnell Independent School Dis-

On this the 28 day of January, 1926 the Board of Trustees of the O'Donnell Independent School Disrict convened in special session with J. he following members present:

W. L. Gardenhire, President, J. M. Payne, Secretary, R. L. Wagner, J. L. Schooler, E. J. Tredway, H. L. Horn and Jeff Musick, and among other proceedings had by said board vas the following:

There came on to be considered he petition of A. W. Gibbs and fifty of." one others, asking that an election be ordered upon the question of issuing the bonds of said School Dis- ment thereof." trict in the total principal sum of Sixtyfive thousand dollars (\$65,interest per annum, to become due and payable as follows: \$500.00 on March 1, 1927 to March 1, 1931, inclusive; \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1931 of the O'Donnell Independent School to March 1, 1941, inclusive; \$1,500 .-00 on March 1, 1942 to March 1, 1946 ; \$2,000.00 on March 1, 1947 Regular Session of the Thirty-sevento March 1, 1956, inclusive; and \$2, th Legislature, in 1921, shall be al-500.00 on March 1, 1957 to March 1, lowed to vote at said election. 1966, inclusive, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of brick mater- shall be given by written notice

It appearing to the satisfaction of the board of Trustees that said pet- trict, and the Secretary of this Board ition is signed by more than twenty is hereby authorized, ordered and (20) taxpaying voters of said district, and that such petition conforms to the law in all other respects, it is accordingly-

of O'Donnell Independent school District, as follows:

That an election be held at the dependent School District, in the be four full issues of the paper. Counties of Lynn and Dawson, Special Laws passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty seventh Legismitted to the Resident Qualified said election. Property Taxpaying Voters of said District, for their action thereupon:

District be authorized to issue the coupon bonds of said School District in the sum of sixtyfive statutes hereinabove mentioned. thousand dollars (\$65,000.00), to become due and payable, serially, as follows, to-wit:

March 1, 1929; \$500.00 on March 1

1930; \$500.00 on March 1, 1931; \$500.00 on March 1, 1927; \$500. 00 on March 1 1928; \$500.00 on 00 on March 1, 1933; \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1934; \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1935; \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1936; \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1937; \$1,000,-00 on March 1, 1938; \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1989; \$1.000.00 on March 1, 1940; \$1,000.00 on March 1, 1941; present: Sheridan Potter, Nora Lou \$1,500.00 on March 1, 1942; \$1,500. 00 on March 1, 1943: \$1,500.00 March 1, 1944; \$1,500.00 on March it was moved by H. L. Hohn, and 1, 1945; \$1,500.00 on March 1, 1946 seconded by Jeff Music, that it be \$2,000.00 on March 1, 1947; \$2, passed. Whereupon, the question 000.00 on March 1, 1948; \$2,000 00 on March 1, 1949; \$2,000.00; bers of the board voted "Aye": W. on March 1, 1950; \$2,000.00 on March 1, 1951; \$2,000.00 on March Wagner, J. L. Schooler, E. J. Tred-1, 1952; \$2,000.00 on March 1, 1953; \$2,000.00 on March 1, 1954; \$2,-000.00 on March 1, 1955; \$2,000.00 on March 1, 1956; \$2,500.00 on on March 1, 1957; \$2,500.00 on Independent School District in the March 1, 1958; \$2,500.00 on March counties of Lynn and Dawson, Texas 1, 1959; \$2,500.00 on March 1, 1960; \$2,500.00 on March 1, 1961; \$2,-500.00 on March 1, 1962; \$2,500.00 Independent School District. on March 1, 1963; \$2,500.00 on March 1, 1964; \$2,500.00 on March 1, 1965; \$2,500.00 on March 1, 1966: and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent (6) per annum, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a public free school building of brick material within the limits of said District, and to levy and collect annually a tax on all taxable property in said School District, such tax to be for the payment of the interest on and to provide a sinking ONCE. One small bottle Lavoptik

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of the State of Toxas particularly Sections 8 and 9, Chapter 62. Special Laws passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-seventh 1 cgislature, in 1921, and any other statutory provisions applying.

It is further ordered by the board of trustees that the f li wing named persons shall be, and they are hereby appointed officers of said election M. Christopher, A. W. Gibbs G. C. Grider, Jeff Shook, and J. W. Shaw.

It is further ordered that the ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment there-

"Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in pay-

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the 000.00), bearing Six per cent(6) above expressions, thus leaving th other as indicating his vote.

> It is further ordered that none but resident qualified taxpaying voters District, as incorporated by Chapter 62, of the Special Laws passed at the

It is further ordered that three weeks prior notice of said election ial, within the limits of said District; thereof duly posted in three public and, O'Donnell Independent School Disdirected to post such notices.

It is further ordered to have said notice of election published in some Ordered by the board of trustees published in said O'Donnell Independent School District, to-wit, the O'Donnell Index, which notice shall be published once each week until school house in the O'Donnell In. the date of said election, which shall

It is further ordered that said incorporated by Chapter 62, of the election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 62, of the Special laws passed at the Regular Session lature, in 1921, on the 2 day of of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, in March, 1926, and which date is not 1921, and amendments thereto, and less than thirty (30) days from the any other statutory provisions apdate of this order, at which election plying; and this Board of trustees in accordance with said petition the will furnish all necessary ballots and following proposition shall be sub. other election supplies requisite to

It is further ordered that the manner of holding said election shall be "Shall the Board of Trustees of governed by the General Election the O'Donnell Independent School Laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the

And it is further ordered that immediately after said election has been held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the Board of trustees of said School District, and shall return the ballot boxes to the Secretary of such board, who shall safely keep the same and deliver them, together with the returns of the election, to the board of trustees at its next regular or special meeting, and further orders are reserved until the returns of the said election are made by the duly authorized election officers, and received by this board.

The above order having he being called for, the following mem-L. Gardenhire, J. M. Payne, R. L. way, H. L. Hohn, and Jeff Music; and none voted "No".

W. L. Gargdenhire, president. board of trustees of the O'Donnel

Attest: J. M. Payne, secretary board of trustees of the O'Donnel

Woman's Case Amazes O'Donnell People

A business man's wife suffered for two years with sore, watery eyes, which pained day and night. Finally she tried camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. This helped her AT fund sufficient to pay the principal usually helps ANY CASE weak, of said bonds at maturity, as autstrained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum horized by the Constitution and laws eye cup FREE. Haney Drug Com-

CHURCH OF CHRIST

and 7:30 p. m. respectively.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Young Peoples Training Class. 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday night. We extend cordial welcome to all to attend. W. A Kercheville, Pastor.

The members of the First Baptist Preaching service every Sunday church have completed the work of morning and evening at 11 a. m. plastering the walls and putting up ceiling. This improvement greatly adds to the appearance of the interior of the church. It was planned early in the year to complete the other unit of the building this spring, but the work has been postponed for

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Officers Shoot from Chevrolet get practice was held at the police revolver range in Griffith Park, Los

Present day officers must be train- the automobile. ed to shoot from the wheel as well as from the hip.

Police Officer H. W. Holman, 1925 champion revolver shot of the Los Angeles Police department, recently demonstrated the absence of vibration in the modern automobile by drilling six bullets through the bullseye of a regulation target while shooting from his car with the motor running at full throttle.

get groups while shooting from the here this week demonstrating the front seat, while sitting astride the Farmall to the farmers. He reports

fender as a rest for his pistol arm. The car used was a Chevrolet touring model which Officer Holman purchased recently. The unique tar-

Angeles. The marksman observed all rules governing regular target practice except that he shot from

Farmers Buy **New Farmalis**

C. A. Mongold, representing Nis-Officer Holman made perfect tar- lar Hardware of Lubbock, has been car hood and while using the front the sale of these machines to the

consequences of the contract o Palmer 2, W. L. Gardenhire 1, G. B. Morris 1, E. J. Tredway 1, A. J. Barnes 1.

> Mr. Mongold stated that W. L. Palmer would look after the distribution of the Farmall in the O'-Donnell country and he would be pleased to show them in actual work on his farm northwest of town.

> may desire to be selected as the de-

HARD TO EXPLAIN WHY EARTH QUAKES

Still Much to Be Learned on the Subject.

Seismologists' explanations of the earthquake prevalence in the Far West offer no basic reasons. They say that the Santa Barbara temblor was tectonic, that it was caused by a recurrent slip along old fault lines near the Pacific coast, and that the slip was probably set in motion by the slight quakes in Montana. This really gets nowhere, for it has long been known that the Pacific coast has many fault lines, and there is not even an effort to explain why the preliminary tremors were felt in Montana, where there are no fault lines, and where there had been no earthquakes in the

It is predicted there will be continuing quakes for some time, and they may be felt in widely separated parts of North America. This is, however, no cause for alarm. Except in regions of known earthquake prevalence, where the faults are marked, an earthquake seldom or never does which a few months ago was lightly felt in Cleveland and more markedly in New England and Canada, Was quite innocuous. The Montana quake was one of the severest in a nonearthquake region, but the damage was comparatively small and there was no loss of life.

As for California, the danger is more real, but it is to be borne in mind that only two disastrous earthquakes have been recorded in that state, the really calamitous San Francisco temblor and the one which rethe small city of Santa Barbara. the law of probabilities no more cities are due for visitations for a long

time. That the danger is considered ; very slight is proved by San Francisco's magnificent rebuilding on the ruins of the destroyed city.

We cannot tell the wherefore of earthquakes and we cannot predict when or where they will occur. It is possible, of course, for citles in earthquake regions to build with some thought of earthquake possibilities, but otherwise nothing can be done, and American life is not to be disturbed by phenomena as yet so inadequately explained.—Cleveland Plain

Expositions Costly

Such exhibitions as the one recently n progress at Wembley entall an enormous expenditure to put over ! properly, and whether they will result ! in loss or gain is always problematical. London's first big exhibition, that of 1851, was a great financial success, says the Montreal Star. More than 6,000,000 people visited the Crystal palace, and the surplus, after paying all expenses, was nearly \$750,000.

The next one, held in 1802, was not place those that get smashed up.

so succession. Shorily after its oping the prince consort died and w the American Civil war broke out its receipts were so impaired that, though they totaled about \$2.250,000, there was a final deficit of \$50,000. The Paris exhibition of 1867 showed a profit of \$540,000. In Vienna in 1878 a loss of nearly £2,000,000 was sus tained; the Philadelphia exhibition showed a loss of about \$1,250,000, while the Paris international exhibition, although it attracted 16,000,000 visitors, showed a deficit of \$6,250,000. Then luck changed. A series of small exhibitions held at Keneington were all successful, while the Chicago World's fair and the great exhibition at St. Louis both showed big profits. In 1908 London's White City proved a fairly profitable undertaking in spiteof a wages bill of \$4,000,000.

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Chamber of Commerce To Meet Monday Evening

en building Monday evening at 7:30 or the purpose of recogn nber of Commerce and every en of the town and surrounding ntry is invited to attend.

uring the rush of the winter and ason the Chamber of Commerce has been inactive and it is sed to revive the organization outline a program of work for

Donnell cannot progress withut an organized body to further its interests. It .. requires cooperation to accomplish anything worth while. Attend this meeting and help put new life in our Chamber of Commerce and let's show the world that we are a ave people.

Simpson Broadcasts Explanation to Voters

While in town this week Sheriff Wesley Simpson stated to the Index man that the District Court was keeping him too busy to talk politics or visit the voters and it will probably be five or six weeks before he can get away from the duties of his office. However, when he catches up with his work he expects to permily canvas the county and see of his candidacy for sheriff and tax ollector. He hopes that the voters will not put themselves under oblias to anyone until he has an tunity to plead his claim for

LOST-Casing, tire carrier, tail light and license No. 783419, in fact ut all the rear end of a Ford car. on road to Randall school. Finder will please return to O. R. Curtis and receive liberal reward.

Feeling that the president must be lonely in the White House, many of the office seekers will decide to drop in and keep him company.

The boys will probably say they can never get to school on time until they are provided with automobiles for that purpose.

Perhaps one reason why so few she knocks, is that she is wearing overalls.

WIFE and HUSBAND BOTH ILL WITH GAS

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Littlefield C. of C. Sends Letter of Appreciation

In recognition of the excellent work done by the O'Donnell band at Littlefield Monday, Clayborne Harvey, secretary of the Chamber of commerce writes Bandmaster Taylor the following letter:

Littlefield, Texas. February 24, 1926. Mr. Taylor, Bandmaster,

O'Donnell Band,

O'Donnell, Texas. Dear Sir:

I am taking this occasion, on the part of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, to express our sincere and hearty thanks to you and your band for the courtesy shown us by your presence and the excellent music you furnished us during the convention. I might state that I have been in the music game for many years and I have my first time to hear a band as young as yours play with the expression and excercise he execution that your band did while in our town.

Trusting that we shall have the pleasure of having you and your organization with us again in the near future and assuring you that if at any time we can be of any service to you either from a musical standpoint or otherwise, do not fail to call upon us.

Yours truly.

Littlefield Chamber of Commerce. Clayborne Harvey, Secretary.

P. H. Northcross was a visitor in Lubbock Monday.

Ben T. Brown and John S. Fritz transacted business in Dallas last week. Mr. Brown went on to Belton where he visited Mrs. Brown and his charming young daughter for a day before returning.

Senior Class Play

The Senior Class was greeted with a capacity house at the State Theatre Friday night of last week when it staged the play, "Petrel, the Storm Child." The play was in three acts and histronic ability of no small degree was displayed by the members of the cast throughout its rendition. The class was assisted by the band which rendered a number of pieces, also Ab Taylor's Singing folks recognize Opportunity when Orchestra gave numbers between

Thirteen members of the class formed the cast as follows: Delbert Beaton as Captain Stubbs, W. B. Hohn as Sim Freemtn, Maurine Mc-Daniel as the Storm Child, Martin Lines as Lem Gale, Mary Joe Ballew as Amanda Libby, Thady Gardenhire is gone. It alsa helped my husband." as Jabez Kingman, Geoffrey Holman (signed) Mrs. B. Brinkley. ONE Harry James, Howard Tredway as Ezra Green, Roxie Hancock as Bessie Stubbs, Oma Fairley as Mrs. Kingman, Golda McGill as Cecile, a Maid, and Martin Lines as Mr. Brief, a Lawyer.

The play was so well received that the class plan to put it on at a number of the rural schools, beginning tonight at Wells.

O. E. S. No. 725.

Order of Eastern Star meets every first and third Mondays at 7:00 p. m. All loca

and visiting members cordially invited.

Mrs. Beulah Orson, W. M. Mrs. Margarite Middleton, Sec.

NO PAYMENT DOWN. PRINCIPLE to pay for five years. Read the balance. A few tracts, of land North of Morton in Cochran and Bailey counties Texas, clase to stores, gins, schools, plenty of neighbors. No better lands on the Plains. Priced from \$25 to \$30 per acre. Nothing down. Requirements; house or dugout, well and 75 acres in cultivation this year, principal made in 3 notes, payable, 5, 10 and 15 years on or before, 6 per cent interest payable annually. Will soon be sold, act at once. Write, tell me who you are, where to find you and I will see you immediately. J. M. Patterson, Box 68, Lubbeck, Texas.

O'Donnell Band To Give Many Concerts

Bandmaster Ab Taylor has arranged a number of concerts to be given by the band during the next few days. The first appearance will be made at the Hancock school Friday night. On the Friday night following the band will play at Wells to assist in a class play being put on. On the following Friday night the boys will give a concert at Draw and the next Friday night at Wells. In addition to the band, Mr. Taylor has organized a singing orchestra which is said to be right up to the minute.

These concerts are being given to raise money to purchase music and otherwise assist the band.

The band boys must have uniforms and the citizens of the town are very unappreciative if they do not see that the boys obtain them. When the Index man proposed to give one uniform if someone else would give another, C. E. Kelley of the First National Bank called his hand and Ben T. Brown pledged another, so there are three uniforms pledged. If you can't pledge a full suit, give a cap, pair of britches or pair of shoes. The boys must have these uniforms and we must provide them.

Den't worry about how many people are bigger and richer than you: look how many are smaller and

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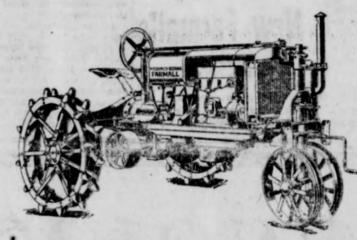
WHEN you educate yourself for greater things;

WHEN you keep track of the small things and have a bank account to do it with, you will accomplish whatever you set out to do

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Mrs. Dickinson Hostess To Missionary Society

Mrs. Dickinson entertained the ladies of the Miscionary Society Monday effection with a George Washington party. Patriotic colors were used in the decorations of the rooms. Various games were enjoyed by all those present. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Lines, Veazy, Everett, Hicks, Horn, Jones, Garner, Johnson, Gibson, French, Estes, Scrimshire, Harris, Bowlin, Schooler, Gillespie and Burdette.

The regular bake sale of the ladies Missionary Society will be held at Bowlins Grocery Store Saturday, February 27.

The program for the all day meet of the Womans Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, Wednesday Hardberger sold his two gins to Mr. March 3, will be as follows:

Study-"From over the border." 10 A. M .- Opening Song.

Devotional- Rev. W. B. Hicks. Address of Welcome-Mrs. W. H.

Mission Study Leader-Mrs. John Randal.

Piano Solo-Mrs. Gillespie. "Life above the Border"-Scrimshire and Mrs. Estes.

Missionary Study-Mrs. J. Eldridge.

12 O'clock-Lunch. 1:30 Music—O'Donnell Band. Devotional—Rev. Jno. E. E. Eld-

"Backgrounds."- Mrs. W. . I

"Health Play."-Fifth Grade Girls "Making Contacts with Mexicans." Mrs. Everett.

"Reading"-Clydene Jones. "Education"-Mrs. J. W. Camp-

"Plano Solo"-Mrs. D. A. Baggett. "What Mexicans Delieve"-Mrs. Gillespie.

Vocal Solo-Mrs. J. W. Campbell. "Religious Work"-Mrs. Harris nd Mrs. Bowlin.

Benediction-Rev. W. C. Hart.

To Tahoka Man

A deal of considerable importance was made this week when John Pemberton of Tahoka. The purchaser has already taken charge of the property and will shortly begin overhauling both plants in anticipation of a heavy run this fall.

Mr. Pemberton will move here with his family and he and two sons will have active supervision of both gins. W. H. Harland, who has been with the Hardberger gins for the past two years will remain as head ginner with the new owner.

The Hardberger gins have been popular with the farmers and the new owners will use every effort to beep them up to thestandard set by the Hardberger brothers.

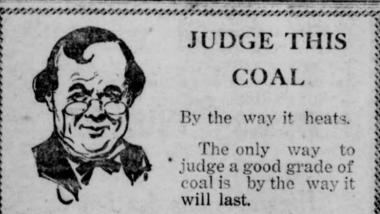
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O'Donnell, Texas.

Pride Events

Dave Hanes seems to have made more corn than he needs, for he is hauling corn to market this week.

Bill Cathey is very busy now geting everything necessary to start farming since he has to make a living for two.

A short time back a new house was started on the road to O'Donnell and by getting some information it was learned that Dewey Thomas and wife were to occupy the residence when completed. Now Dewey's very nicely improved and he is Hardeerger Gins Sold placing feed in the new lots getting ready for two.

There is quite a bit of sickness over the country at present. Flu is a severs epidemic and is dreaded by everyone.

George Lightfoot and family have been on the sick list but are improving at present.

Mr. Miller's family have been sick this week. Indications are for an improvement.

Earnest Harris has been experiencing the fiu, but is expected to be at work soon again.

Mr. Winters has changed his way of farming and instead of "Gee, Beck" and "Come, Kit," he says a tractor won't stop by talking to it, gut only when the gas plays out or he cuts it off.

The light snows that came put some people busy, but did not last long. However, there is a great onging for more moisture soon.

Prof. Cargile reports the attendance has fallen off considerably since the flu has been in the country.

Curtis Hanes seems to thing horses are too slow to do his farming and that 160 acres is too small for him to attend, so he is going to try ? or 3 hundred acres for 1926 crop.

Mr. Disheroon is grubbing some now. He says he hasn't time for anything else as it is such a nice job. It is reported that Mr. Stevens is

to be included in the Pride community during 1926. John Simmons has decided to farm

this year and is going to work an Curtis Hanes place.

Mr. Lindsey is going to move to Runnels County. He intended movig last week, but on account of catarrahal fever was detainedgafis catarral fever getting among his family, he was detained a week or two. They are improving.

Charley Cathey has decided he likes sandy land rather tuan so many weeds.

People are very busy making preperations for a crop. Most every day some indications are shown, some plowing, grubbing, and others aie doing various other things even hauling out new plow tools. Let's all hope and work for a prosperous L. H. C.

J. M. Crouch and J. T. Voss were here this week from Munday. Mr. Crouch came here two years ago and at once saw that this country had a future and before leaving purchased a half-section east of town. Besides the increase in the value of the land, Mr. Crouch has received a splendid rental each year, and, naturally, is enthusasiastic over his investment wherever he may be.

Mrs. Malvin Brown is spending the week in Clovis, New Mexico, the guest of her mother.

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Ford Buys Large Tract Of Land For Airplane Service doubtful if the race.

land at Maynard, Ind., by the Ford no more than a hanger for the shelt-Motor Company was announced Sat- er and servicing of airplanes," the urday. The property, which is lo- statement said. cated on the Illinois-Indiana state line, approximately twenty-five miles southeast of Chicago, will be utilized as the Chicago terminal of the Ford for servicing airplanes. The build-Air Transport service. Since establing, which will be 123 feet wide and lishing of the Detroit-Chicago airline on April 13, 1925, Ford planes have been landing at the government fitld at Maywood, Ill. Considerable the air transport service. To facildifficult was experienced by Ford itate the movement of planes in piolits in reaching the landing field due to smoke and fog setling about Chicago. This will be avoided by length of the hanger will be instalthe new location which removes the led. This feature will be made posnecessity of traversing the petropolitan district.

In announcing the purchase, the company stated that the property will be utilized as a landing field only.

"The Ford Motor Company intends no manufacturing activity of ing field.

The purchase of 1,400 acres of any sort and contemplates building

The hanger, incorporates several many of the most modern facilities 103 feet long, will be constructed as to adopt itself to future expansion in line with future development of and out of the buildings, sliding doors designed to open the entire sibly by the use of a cantilever type of roof.

The property is but six miles from the Chicago assembly plant of the company at Hegewisch and is in excellent condition for use as a land-

will give him a second term. Since this is his first term in office it is doubtful if anyone will oppose him

Mr. Weatherford is an old-timer in this section and has always stood four-square for the upbuilding of the country. He served the City of Tahoka as city secretary for a number of years and could have conunique features of construction and tinued in the office indefinitely had he not chose to seek the office of tax assessor of Lynn county.

Before coming to this county, Mr. Weatherford lived in Borden county where he served as county and district clerk for a number of years, and a lot of Borden county folks say he made a good one.

to see all the voters of the county before the election, but should he fail to see you, he will appreciate your vote just the same.

NOTICE OF SALE

Having sold our agency for the Texhoma Oil & Refining Company's products to Jeff Musick and M. H. Rodgers, we take this method of expressing our sincere appreciation for the loyal patronage given us during the time we have been in business. We respectfully ask that you continue your patronage to the new firm assuring you that they will appreciate it and will strive to give you prompt and efficient service. With best wishes to all,

G. A. Haney, C. J. Beach, John Earles.

Cane for Sale-I have some bright bundle cane for sale. Will trade

NOTICE

City Council of the City of O'Donnell asks for and will receive bids from any citizen for assesing and collecting the taxes of said city for the year following the letting of the contract. The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids must be in the hands of C. T. Kibbe, Mayor, by 2 o'clock p. m. on the 5th day of March, 1926.

C. T. Kibbe, Mayor.

Notice is hereby given that the J. M. Weatherford Asks For Re-Election As Tax Assessor

The many friends of J. S. (Jim) Weatherford will be pleased to learn that he will make the race to succeed himself as Tax Assessor. During his incumbency Mr. Weatherford has made an efficient county official and E. S. Scrimshire, City Secretary. no doubt the voters of the county some for calves. See J. J. Pugh.

THE ECONOMY STORE

Another Mistake

A little mistake in the Index last headlines over the announcement of Miss Viola Ellis as a candidate for Aprons, full cut and well made-\$1.15 county treasurer read, "Miss Viola Ellis Announces for County and District Clerk." Some of Miss Ellis' friends got mad about this and cussed the editor and the editor cussed Men's Belts _____ could make such a mistake is unex-Bias tape, all colors..... plainable, but it was made and all | Elastic ... Mr. Weatherford will endeavor we can do is apologize. Miss Ellis Hair nets, all shades ... -is a candidate for county treasurer, but if she was a candidate for county and district clerk she would make Santo napkins.... Happy Smith and T. Cowan do some fast running to beat her.

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c Hancock Announces for Dawson County

he Index takes pleasure this k in carrying the announcement Mac W. Hancock as a candidate the office of sheriff and tax ector of Dawson county, subject the action of the voters at the ocratic primary in July.

his is the first time that Mr. cock has ever asked the voters Dawson county or any other couned him to get in the race that he they will vote.

finally yielded, and now that he is in. he expects to do all in his power to eriff and Tax Collector of win, but will conduct his campaign upon his own merits.

Mac Hancock has been living in Dawson county for the past twentythree years and his stock-farming operations have brought him in contact with a great many people and there is not one with whom he has had dealings can say he is not a square shooter. He is in the prime of life, knows the people whom he will serve, capable and honest, and if elected will make his county a dandy good sheriff and tax collector. The or office and at first he was a lit- Index asks tha tthe voters give his timid about making his announce- candidacy due consideration when t, but so many of his friends making up their minds for whom

Call For Bids

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of O'Donnell at its meeting to be held on the 5th day of March, 1926, will receive proposals from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in the City of O'Donnell that way desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of the said City

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker in the City of O'Donnell desiring to bid shall deliver to C. T. Kibbe, Mayor of said city of O'Donnell, on or before 2 o'clock, p. m. on the 5th day of March, 1926, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay on the daily balance of the funds of the City of O'Donnell, payable every thirty days for the term of the next hree years from date of selection of such depository.

ied by a certified check for not less than \$100 as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder and that if his or its bid should be accepted, he will enter into a bond as provided by Revised Stautes of the State of Texas; and upon the failure of the banking corporation, association or individual banker, that may be selected as such depository, to give the bond required by law, the amount of certified check shall go to said City of O'Donnell as liquidated damages and the said City Council shall readvertise for bids.

C. T. Kibbe, Mayor.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. J. T. Hicks of Wellington, spent part of last week visiting their son, Rev. W. B. Hicks and family. The elder Hicks filled the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday in the place of his son.

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H. E. GILLESPIE

Resolved

Whereas our Heavenly father in his Divine Wisdom has seen fit to call home little John Burma Parker, and whereas there is now an unfilled acancy in the home of our beloved Bro. Parker that never can be filled on earth, therefore be it resolved hat we The Pastors Association present these resolutions to the bereaved family and pen one copy to our

Resolved first; That in the home roing of Ittle John Burma we exend our deepest sympathy to the pereaved family in their sad hours ad commend them to Him who is The Great I Am."

And further Resolved: That as we know their home shall be overshadowed by this gloom of despair, yet we know Heaven shall be Dearer and fairer by the new ties now made.

Be it further resolved, that we exress as a unit our Faith in Him who said, "I will come again and receive you unto myself that where I am there you may be also.' And that we look with explicit faith To the great Day when Little John Burma shall be raised in Power and

Resolved too, that as a Pastors Association we feel that one of our Co-Laborers and his noble companion shall feel and know that we as a body and individually are weeping with them as they weep.

Adopted in open session this 22nd day of February, 1926.

Signed:

W. B. Hicks, W. A. Kercheville. C. C. Montandon,

F. M. Townzen. W. K. Horn.

Drug Stores to Remain Closed Until 2 O'Clock | Rev. W. E. Hicks returned Satur

In order to give the clerks an opportunity to attend church and Sunday school, the drug stores will remain closed on Sundays until 2 p. m. This is in line with the policy of the Pastors Association in bringing abount a concerted action of the peop-le of the town to attend church and Sunday school.

Texhema Oil Company To Enlarge Siorage Room

J. W. Kelichere, of Dallas, district uperintendent of the Texhoma Oil and Refining Company, was here first of the week checking in Jeff Musick and Major E. Rodgers as the new agents of the company.

Messers. Musick and Rodgers reently purchased the agency from the Highway Garage people and will make their beadquarters at the coal office of Mr. Rougers. The new firm state they intend to push the sale of the Texherna products to the limit.

The deal included the storage anks owned by the Highway Garage people, and it is likely that additional storage tanks will be erected by the company at an early date.

Both the new proprietors are well nown O'Donnell business men and no doubt will make a success of their venture. Le assuming charge of the siness, they ask all the old customers to continue their patronage and solicit new business from these who have not been using the Texm products. They will sell only sholesale quantities.

Nethodist's Retain Lead In day School Attendance

Sunday school report for February Il is as follows:

Side Baptist 88 31 Tetal.

day from Paline where he had been to attend a meeting of the United Brotherhood. Rev. Hicks says that he had an enjoyable trip and at the meeting had the pleasure of hearing two members of the British Parlie. ment lecture. He was also a guest at a banquet in honor of the visitors at which over 7.00 people were en

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Quartet to Give Concert At Regular Meeting High School February 27

The Simmons University Male Quartet, known in Abilene as "Simmons' Big Four," will render a secular program in O'Donnell at the high school building Saturday evening, Feb. 27, under the auspices of the high school.

The quartet has just returned from an extended West Texas tour touching nine of the principal cities in this section. The University Chural Club, assisted by the quartet, readered a very interesting program at Lamesa Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, to a large

The quartet composed of four of the best singers in any university in Texas, according to music critics in more than two dozen towns where the quartet has sung in the last two months. The singers are Rudolph Caffey, Anson; Lackey Beckham, Savoy; Burl King, Abilene; and Ira Marshall, Floydada. These men are students under Prof. H. Grady Harlan, head of the voice department of | Taboka Monday. Some are of the the University.

High school students have tickets for sale. The price is 50 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kirkland of Valentine, came here last Friday to sttend the funeral of little James Burford Williams, Mrs. Kirkland is a sister of Mrs. Williams.

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O! W. M. U.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church instead of having a regular meeting at the church met with Grandma Veazey out at the home of her son, W. H. Veazey.

Devotional was led by Bro. Horn, was engaged in for about 30 minu-

At the close of the lesson Mrs. W. H. Veaney served lovely ice cream Horn, Mesdames Horn, Musick, Mid- citizens dleton, George Newsome, Yandell, Rodgers, Sanderson, Morris Sanderon, Sorrels, Goddard, Mansell and Grandma Veazey.

The W. M. U. will meet at the church next Monday afternoon for the purpose of packing a crate of eggs for Buckner Orphans Home.

Lee Christopher was seen hanging ound the county clerk's office in lows in lifetime troubles.

District Court being in session in Tahoka this week, a great many of our citizens were in attendance-or were over in Borden county waiting for the grand jury to adjourn.

E. J. Tredway reports that chicken thieves have been working full time these dark nights. He lost his flock of fine cacklers one night last week. B. D. Brookins also lost a bunch of hens the same night. A load of buckshot promiscuously scattered through the anatomy of these night prowlers would have a tendency to make them respect people's hen

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Whitmere, who live near Newmoore, had its hand caught between a door and the facing Thursday evening and was painfully injured. Lon Light brought the child ti town and it was treated by Dr. Campbell.

Phunny Phoebe wants to know over here to vote.

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Miss Viola Ellis Anno nces For County Treasurer

The Index takes pleasure in carrying the announcement this week of the candidacy of Miss Viola Ellis for County Treasurer, Miss Ellis is now principal of the Newmoore school and is a young lady of high after which the regular bible study ideals and attainments and is well qualified to fill the office she seeks. She was practically raised in Lynn county, being the daughter of S. W. Ellis of Three Lakes, who is regardand cake to the following: Bro. ed as one of the county's staunchest

> The Index asks that the voters of the county give Miss Ellis their earnest consideration when making up their minds for whom they will vote, and believes that a vote for her would be a vote in the right direc-

Following is Miss Ellis' Ar nouncement:

To the votors of Lynn County:

I am announcing as a candidate for County Treasurer of Lynn County. I have been a citizen of Lynn opinion that Lee was getting up his County for ten years, having came courage to ask Happy Smith to issue here in 1915 at the age of fifteen the papers that sometimes gets fel- years I have either attended school, or taught school for the past several years, and am teaching at the present time.

> As to qualifications of course, feel capable of filling the office or, I should not ask for it. Should a public office ever be entrusted to me, public confidenceand public welfare should ever be uppermost in my mind and dominate my actions.

My school shall engage all of my time until the middle of May. After that time I hope to see every voter in the county and I hope no one will decide against me before he has had an opportunity to talk with me.

Viola Ellis

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Return To Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scott have returned to their home in Dallas, after having lived here one year. The Scott's are fine people and i is O'how the people on Mars ever get Donnell's loss that they could not make up their minds to remain longer with us. Mr. Scott still owns ex-For Sale-Home School Reference tensive farming interests in the property.

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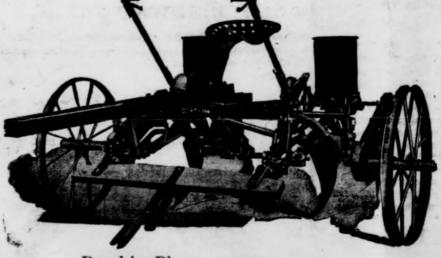
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SENIOR NEWS

We are happy over the results of nelped us in any way to make it a

V. B Hohn, Raymond Busby and Geoffrey went to Littlefield Monday. The first two mentioned are members of the O'Donnell band, and the later spoke before the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on "Our Town."

Yes, we will be represented at the County meet. Roxie Hancock and only way to reach him is by adveroffice at O'Donnell, Texas, Delbert Beaton are the Senior de-

We urge the public to hear the Simmons College Quartette at the too, if you will only try. Methodist Church Saturday evening, February 27. They will be here ce the following as candidates under the auspices of the High School

JUNIOR CLASS

The girls try-out debates was held District Attorney 106 Judicial last Monday and Sue Gates, a junior, won first place. Juanita Millsap another classmate, won third place.

Desmond Yandell was out of chool several days last week.

Leona Stokes visited in Snyder last week.

The seniors and juniors were delightfully entertained Friday night The February 12, when the sponsors, Misses Rice and Rodgers, honored them with a valentine party, at the home of Miss Rodgers.

Hear Simmons Sollege Male Qautette at the Methodist Church Saturday night February 27.

Farm for Rent-Will rent farm on third and fourth. Applicants to farm on halves will not be considered. Apply at the Index office.

J. F. Wilhite came out from Fort Worth last week to visit his brother, B. F. Wilhite, and was so enamored of the town and country that he has decided to make his home here. Mr. Wilhite's family will arrive next

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Dr. J. F. Campbell and E. A. Lackey both believe that it pays to adour class play, and we thank all who vertise. Last week the former advertised for a lost part from his car and the latter a fine watch. Within a few hours after the Index had been mailed, the lost articles were returned to them. Maybe you have lost something or want to sell something. If you have, maybe the Index has a reader who has found that very thing or wants to buy that article and the tising. Dr. Campbell and Mr. Lackey know that one gets results by advertising in the Index. You can,

Close Call

A narrow escape from serious injury and possible death was had Thursday morning by the occupants of the dental offices of Drs. C. E. Waller and L. D. Stephens in the Warren building. A fool and a gun had met on the lower floor and the gun not being loaded was discharged and a bullet crashed through the ceiling, pierced the floor of the dental office, struck the brick wall and was deflected through the ceiling and passed out through the roof. bullet missed one patient's head by only a few inches. The fool and the gun were not injured and neither were the occupants of the office, but the latter were unanimous in the belief that a fool is born every minute to keep the stock supplied.

Goes Wild on Joy Juice

A "cullud lidy" imbided too much joy liquid Sunday afternoon and made herself to obnoxious even to was taken to the city bastile and inthe people of her own race that she carcerated therein by Chief Wimberly. Even while being led through the streets her joy knew no bounds and she rent the air with vociferous outbursts. Upon being placed on the carpet in front of Mayor Kibbe Monday morning the dusky damsel refused to divulge where she had obtained the joy-juice further than some "Brownwood niggers" had givtwenty-five bucks with trimmings to en it to her. She was assessed buy permanent waves for her sisters

has had the flu during the past two

Mrs. I. U. Durham returned from Oklahoma last Thursday where she has been visting her daughter, Mrs. Lee Tickner. She reports the arrival of a winsome grand-daughter luring her visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elmore left Monday morning for Dallas where they expect to spend several weeks. In a practice game with Plainview Monday afternoon the Randall boys basketball team lost to the visitors

with a score of 9 to 10.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Meador of Joe Bailey, spent Sunday night with Mrs. | Satisfactory Service Guaranteed

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mears of evelland were visiting relatives here during the past week-end.

A Lamesa photographes made pictures of the school and achool building here Monday aftern on for the Dawson County School Annual.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mears are entertaining a new baby girl this week. This wee maiden is the first girl the stork has presented to the Randall community in many moons

T. L. Sanders and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Doss Hastley of O'Donnell Sunday afternoon. (B. B.)

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Mrs. Suyder, who live on a farm, died Saturday and was besied at the O'Donnell cemetery Sunday afternoon. Eld. W. A. Kersteville conducted the funeral services at the

The parents of the little boy were unable to attend the benial as an- Garrett Avenue, Dallas, Texas.

Edward the little som of Mr. and other child was seriously ill at the

210 acres in cultivation for third and could not get an answer from him. For Rent-Section of land with fourth. Plenty good grass and water, two-room house. Twenty-five

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We finally madeup our minds to answer him so we could tell exactly miles west of Lamesa. Reference where to go for him. I then fired required. Address J. E. Scott, 200 my gun three times and got an answer and we knew about where he was. Leaving our sweaters and guns by a large boulder, we went in his direction. Uncle Edgar having to stop and rest told me to go on to him and he would follow later When I got to Mr. Hamilton he had just finished skinning his deer and cleaning him and cutting him up. He, or rather both of them sure were bloody. After I rested a few minutes we each took a half or rather I took the third quarters and he took the rest and I his rifle and started to go to Uncle Edgar who was waiting down the side of the mountain for us. When we got to him, he and Mr. Hamilton divided the fore quarters in two and that equalized the load. Returning to the place Uncle Edgar and I had left our guns and sweaters, we got same anl returned to camp. After hanging up the meat in a nearby tree, we prepared and ate supper and "turned in" for the long cold night.

> The next day was Wednesday and it was foggy and cold. As we were finishing breakfast, Mr. Glover came to camp and we had quite a nice of course was the denseness of the ing the low route and Uncle Edgar very damp. As best I could, I sta fog and how it held on and the zero weather we had had. Then the sub ject of conversation changed to a man getting lost. Uncle Edgar wondered if a man could get lost bad in the hills and Mr. Glover gave a very emphatic "Yes." Mr. Glover, "If a man does get lost, he ought to take down the first canyon he comes to." "Then," said Mr. Hamilton, "There are some bluffs in some canyons a thousand feet deep and impossible to go around, how can he go over these?

"There are very few of these," said Mr. Glover, "and when a man comes on one of these high bluffs he should climb out of the canyon and come down a backbone or side of the

"Now if you fellows are ready to go don't let me detain you," said Mr. Glover. And after unsuccessful attemps to get him to go with us, we departed up Pine Canyon on the supposedly last day of our hunt.

During the past days of the hunt, trudging through the snow, my feet that direction. Thinking it was the had become cold and when we came direction in which I wanted to go, I to camp at different times, I got my went headlong in the snow, fog and feet too close to the fire and burned wind. the soles off both of my boots. Having only a pair of Nettleton shoes on the ground but some places were Wednesday, I had made up my mind free from snow. Under trees where, it should be shown. The boys a I would not take the rim rock, but as the wind would blow the snow it would be middle man. Mr. Hamil- would melt, and in some open spaces pretty girls.

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well protected from the wind and snow. Owing to the extreme cold snow, I could not resist the tempta- the weather the snow had from ion to work out this place for deer. over hard. Even when I would w lover gave a "But," said him I would go up high and see of 1 loud, indescribable noise, and real could not scare something up. "Al- ing that any game could hear me ight," he said, "I'll wait here for walked real slow and careful a you." Then I started up the hill and looked a long way ahead, it was a pretty stiff climb. When 1 Winding around and working had gone quite a way I yelled to him way to the bottom of this canyon to go on up Pine Canyon to the "Pot found it to be very smooth and a hole" (a hole of water in solid rock most free from rocks of any that very seldom is known to have Just fine for deer to rest, protects been dry) and I would top over and rom the weather. Imagine meet him there. When I heard his alright, I started off again. As I said before, it was a pretty stiff! climb and when I reached the top 1 was hot and tired. Then I sat down to rest and eat a sandwich and to cool off. Owing to the extreme cold my shoes were light and thin, I tru of the fog and the wind, I was not ong in cooling off. Looking straight in front of me was a long gradual slope to the bed of a shallow canyon and several deer tracks leading in

There was quite a bit of snow on

on on account of his stiff knee, tak- too it would be free from snow ed in these places, but quite a Then coming on a pretty socket, times I would have to walk over

> sctacy when I saw the bed of t anyon just literally covered in d racks some headed up the cany nd some were going down. ourse the snow was quite deep he bed of the canyon and realis ed along the sides of the canyon. as not bad walking by all mean I was fresh, full of vim and expect ion and my hopes ran high. ides of the canyon being a radual slope and deer trails or hem to, gave me easy going down.

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