

## I AM CLOSING OUT MY IMPLEMENTS AT COST L. P. MARTIN

### TO BEGIN CAMPAIGN

#### Baptist College Committee Takes Action in Matter

At a meeting of the "college committee" of the Staked Plains Baptist association, held in this city last Monday, definite action was taken relative to the proposition of resuming operations on the work of establishing a Baptist college here. As a result of the official action taken at this session of the committee, negotiations are now pending with outside parties looking to the inauguration of a campaign of education having for its object the establishment of this school, and it is confidently expected by members of the committee that men will shortly be put in the local field to carry on this campaign and to assist in raising the necessary funds for the establishment of the new school.

The session this week was attended by all members of the committee, consisting of Rev. G. I. Brittain, R. J. Goode, L. G. Wilson, Dr. J. H. Wayland, Judge L. C. Penry and Thornton Jones.

A proposition has already been extended a gentleman to come here and assist in raising the funds by thoroughly canvassing the local field, and a leading member of the committee stated to a Herald re-

porter that there was little doubt as to his coming as soon as practicable.

#### Larsen Sells

C. E. Larsen, former secretary of the W. P. Soash Immigration company, and who will be remembered by many Plainview citizens as the gentleman who personally superintended the establishment of the Plainview offices of the Soash concern, has sold out his entire interest in the company to his partner, W. P. Soash. The latter gentleman will, it is said, will have entire charge of the company's concerns hereafter.

Mr. Larsen made a number of warm friends during his brief stay here, and regret is expressed over his departure.

#### Graham Announces.

County Attorney E. Graham announces in this issue of The Herald for re-election to the office of county attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Attorney Graham is now serving his first term in office, and, as is the Democratic custom where an officer has honorably discharged the duties of his office, he seeks an endorsement term. Mr. Graham has been a resident of a Plainview country for about eight years, and during that entire length of time no word of public reproach has attached to his character as a straightforward, honorable gentle-

man. Mr. Graham's friends—and they are many—claim for him a pre-eminent qualification for the work of his present office in the fact that he stands for a strict enforcement of the law as it stands upon the statutes of this state. His theory of the matter is that if a law is a bad one it should be wiped from the statutes, but enforce all laws alike; and he makes bold the statement that so long as a law remains in force in this state he intends to enforce it to the very best of his ability.

Mr. Graham's friends, for this very reason, make the further claim that he should have the office another term, and they express no doubt whatever over his ability to secure it at the hands of the good people of Hale county.

#### Orders Supplies

The Northwest Texas Telephone company has placed the order for the supplies necessary to begin the work of improving their system in this city, mention of which was made in The Herald several weeks ago.

In addition to erecting a new building for the accommodation of the local business, the service here will be greatly improved in many respects. A new switchboard will be installed and considerable wiring will be done.

#### Dunn Coming.

S. J. Dunn organizer for the Farmer's Union, will deliver an address to the farmers of Hale county at this place on Thursday of next week, at 2 o'clock in the

### NORFLEET IS BOOMING

afternoon. The place of meeting has not yet been arranged.

The following letter relative to the matter was received here this week:

Mr. A. E. Harp, Plainview, Texas.

Dear Sir:—I wish you would line your people up to receive Mr. S. J. Dunn, organizer for the Farmer's Union, who wishes to talk with them on the sugar beet industry. I am sure if this beet can be grown any where in the United States it can be grown in your garden of Eden.

Would appreciate it very much if you would let me know what date would suit your people best for him to come there. He will be ready to come there any time after next Monday.

Get in line for boosting the country on the farming proposition.

Most respectfully,

Lon D. Marrs.

T. J. Tilson, president of the local organization of the Farmers Union, has the matter in hand and is endeavoring to secure a good attendance of farmers at the meeting here. In this he hopes to succeed, since court will be in session next week and a goodly number of farmers will doubtless be in attendance upon that occasion. It was decided to have the lecturer come here Thursday.

#### Woodmen Address.

W. E. Young, deputy organizer for the Woodmen of the World, delivered an address to the local camp of that organization last night at Woodmen hall.

Special rates for joining the organization have been put on for the next two weeks.

#### Preaching At Mission.

Services will be held at the Mission hall Saturday and Sunday next. On Saturday night President Jas. L. German of Lockney Christian college will conduct the services, as he will also on Sunday night. On Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. Jas. T. Reagan of Mickey will occupy the pulpit.

#### Engagement Extraordinary

The management of the Bain theater announce as an engagement extraordinary for the week beginning next Monday Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Clark, late of the Raymond R. Teal Musical Extravaganza company, which played so successful an engagement recently in Amarillo, being pronounced decidedly the best attraction that appeared there this season. Geo. H. Clark is said to be the best character comedian in the theatrical profession. He and his wife have played all the leading vaudeville theaters in the United States.

Their opening comedy is called "Finnegan's Troubles," in which they will introduce good singing, dancing and funny comedy situations, together with elegant costumes.

#### Rushing Land Company Reports Big Sales of Real Estate

That the Norfleet community, a portion of the great Plainview country is keeping pace with the remarkable development of other portions of the country was made manifest again this week in the numerous sales made by the Rushing Land company, with headquarters in that place. Some six or eight new purchasers are reported for this week alone, and it is said that nearly a thousand acres of land in the Norfleet community changed hands as a result of the last excursion to this country.

J. J. Rushing of the Rushing Land company has made frequent trips to the north and east with a view of interesting prospective purchasers in the Norfleet country, and he has accomplished a remarkable work in advertising this whole section of the state by the elaborate and yet judicious manner in which he has gone about it. In this connection it may be remarked that Mr. Rushing has recently had printed a large quantity of very expensive booklets which perhaps represent the highest degree of proficiency in the printer's art that has ever been shown heretofore in a Panhandle printery. These booklets, giving plain statements of facts about his section of country, are being distributed freely wherever he thinks they will do the greatest good for the country, and by their use and the directing of his personal energies on behalf of the end they seek, he has met with noteworthy success in directing attention to this community.

The Norfleet country is a veritable garden spot, and it is seldom that a prospector, once induced to visit it, leaves without making the purchase of a home for himself. A remarkably productive portion of that great expanse of wealth has come to be known to fame as "the Plainview country," it is attracting widespread attention because of its fertility and peculiar adaptability to the production of all the staple crops of the Panhandle. Even the most conservative predict that the Norfleet land values will enjoy an increase during the next year never before known, the more especially as its fame spreads as "the land where crop failures are unknown."

#### Speed Withdraws.

Hugh Speed, for some time past connected with the Plainview Hardware and Implement company in this city, has severed his connection with that firm by selling all his interests therein. In another column of this paper will be found an announcement of the election of new officers for the company.

Mr. Speed's plans for the future have not been made public.

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"If you please, my lad," interrupted the maid, coming in unannounced in her excitement.

"What do you mean," cried Carrington, "by interrupting me in this way?" "Please, my lad," curtsied the maid, terrified but standing her ground, "Mistress Stocum's hat and cloak are gone, too."

"What?" roared Carrington. "It's better than we thought, Bernard," said the admiral, rising and slapping him on the shoulder. "Heart up, my lad. It can't be so bad if she's taken the little American with her. That girl's as pure as the driven snow."

"And do you mean," said Carrington, turning fiercely upon the admiral, "to imply that Lady Ellen is not in the same class?"

"Tut! tut!" said the old man. "By no means. I only meant to cheer you up. If Lady Ellen had intended to run away with Strathgate she would never have taken her friend along. She's used the man ignorant of the construction the world would put upon her action. We must find them, lad. We must find them at once."

"There's Seton!" ejaculated Carrington, peering through the window. "Charlie!" he called. Seton turned. "Come here quickly, bear a hand."

There was that in Carrington's voice which indicated some grave emergency. Seton ran across the lawn and vaulted right through the window.

"Lady Carrington's gone," said Carrington, bluntly. "Did you know anything about it?"

"You insult me!" cried Seton, fiercely. "How should I know anything about it?"

"You've been hanging around her ever since you came here. I've caught you a dozen times alone together."

"Lord Carrington," cried Seton, "I'll not be catechized and insulted in this way another moment."

"It was you or Strathgate," continued Carrington, hotly, "one or the other of you, but Strathgate's got ahead of you. He's gone and Lady Ellen with him."

"Great heavens! You can't mean it!" "It's true," said the admiral, stepping between the two angry men, "but they have Mistress Deborah with them."

"The dog!" cried Seton, "not satisfied with one, he must take two."

"Are you interested in the Puritan as well as in my wife?" cried Carrington.

"I'll answer that question, Carrington," said Seton, "when we catch up with the fugitives. I presume you're not going to let them go unpunished?"

"Not I," said Carrington; "I'll follow them to the end of the world, and when I eventually overhaul them, I'll settle with Strathgate. Then, if there's anything left of me, I'll settle with you."

"At your service," said Seton. "I presume that you start at once?"

"I do. Immediately."

"I shall do the same thing," said Sir Charles. "If I come across them first, I shall send word to you, and I trust that you'll do the same by me."

"Don't fear," answered Carrington as the other turned and dashed out of the room.

"You'll find me at Portsmouth, Carrington," said the old admiral. "I'll be glad to render you any assistance in my power. You won't fail to call upon me, will you?"

"I will not. Will you tell the duke and duchess and the others that they may take their own time in departing, but that they better be out of the house before I get back."

"Assuredly."

"Now, you will excuse me, I know," said Carrington, rising.

"God help and God bless you!" said the admiral as Carrington ran out of the room.

A few moments later, booted, spurred, cloaked, armed for his ride, he came down the hall. An early riser for her on that eventful day was Lady Cecily. Her maid had carried a strange bit of gossip to her. Her heart bounded at what she conceived the providential opening that it afforded her. She never made a quicker toilet in all her life, and she presented herself at the door of the hall just as Carrington took his departure.

"Bernard," she cried, catching him by the arm, "what a relief! What a release!"

My lord stood very straight and tall. His eyes snapped viciously. Lady Cecily must have been blind not to have seen how thin the ice upon which she trod.

"She has gone, the little country girl," cooed Lady Cecily. "When you have taken vengeance upon Strathgate you will come back to me, and remember that whatever happens to you, I care very much. I can't forget your lips last night."

She looked up at him and came closer, careless of who might see or hear.

"Madam," said my lord, very stiff and stern. "I, too, cannot forget last night. I was a fool then, but I shall be no longer. Will your ladyship kindly release me?"

He drew himself unmistakably away. "What, Carrington!" she cried in dismay.

"I mean it both now and forever. And hark, ye, madam, when I return with my wife, I think she will not be best pleased to find you here."

"Are you going back to that —?" and Lady Cecily used a rough word better fitted for the camp than the court.

"You Jezebel!" cried my lord, raising his hand as if to strike her.

He was white with passion and indignation. Lady Cecily shrank back against the door terrified. My lord's hand fell by his side, and without another glance at her he strode down the gravel path where the lightest and best of the grooms held two horses.

My lord sprang to the back of Sallor, put a spur into the horse and raced madly down the driveway, past the lodge gate, out upon the main road, and turned his head toward Portsmouth. Had he not been so imperious with the lodgekeeper, he would have found out as Sir Charles Seton did a few moments later when he came out mounted upon his first-rate horse for hard riding, that the carriage and turned westward.

It was in that direction, therefore, that the young soldier rode, his mind in a turmoil as to whether Strathgate had run away with Mistress Deborah or Lady Ellen, and his soul filled with hot indignation against his host on a number of counts.

Neither of them knew that two hours before a muddy, blood-stained man, riding horseback upon a coach horse from which the traces and other parts of harness had been cut, had passed the gate on the way to Portsmouth at a gallop that bade fair to kill the horse. Strathgate had recovered consciousness after awhile, and thinking that the two women would go back to Portsmouth by some means or other, had mounted the less tired of the two horses, somewhat refreshed by the half hour's rest, and had galloped in that direction.

Thus the three men rode with lust in the heart of one, vengeance in the minds of the other two, and murder in the souls of all, while the two women rocked merrily on in their stanch little boat through the green seas, unknowing and unheeding all that had occurred.

(To be continued)

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## Public Schools

### Resume Work

The public schools of the city were resumed last Monday morning, after a three weeks' vacation in account of the smallpox scare. Much to the gratification of the teachers the schools opened with nearly a full attendance, the scare over the smallpox having evidently been entirely dispelled.

Both teachers and pupils reentered into their duties with accustomed regularity and ease, and the work of the school room is now moving along nicely again.

### Electric Power

Fully determined at all times to keep abreast of the progress of the town, the Herald Publishing company has ordered an electric motor and will install electric power in its printing offices at an early date. Power will be supplied by the Plainview Electric Light and Power company.

### Improved Service

Manager J. N. Morrison of the electric light plant completed the job of moving the plant last week and an improved service is promised for the future.

A day current will be put on immediately and power will be supplied various enterprises in the city.

### Grocery Changes

By the terms of a deal consummated last week the grocery business formerly conducted by Williams brothers passed into the hands of Hamilton & Miller. The consideration involved was not made public.

Williams brothers had long been engaged in the grocery business here, their establishment being one of the oldest in the city. Their plans for the future have not been announced. The new firm is composed of J. A. Hamilton and R. T. Miller.

### Completing Residence

A handsome new residence is just being completed in the southern part of town for W. M. Glover, who resides some ten or twelve miles in the country. When his new home is completed Mr. Glover will remove to Plainview.

### Confederate Reunion

A meeting of the reunion executive committee in Canyon City last week brings up afresh the talk of another reunion in Plainview, and the idea of such a gathering seems to meet with popular approval here. The sole trouble just now seems to be in the matter of getting someone to take the initiative.

It will be remembered by the older citizens of the town that perhaps the greatest gathering ever held in this place was that of the reunion of the old soldiers a few years ago. Those who appear to be most interested in the matter declare that a record-breaking attendance could be had here this year. They advance the idea of having in connection with the reunion, a street carnival of some sort, with a stock show, farm and garden display and racing. There is said to be plenty of time in which to get up the meeting if taken in charge at once.

Mayor Jas. R. DeDay is in receipt of a handsome and valuable present this week in the shape of a stick pin made of a gold nugget taken from the famous Spring Creek mine in the Black Hills of South Dakota, said to be the second richest mine in the world. Accompanied the stick pin, which was sent by a friend, are several bits of gold bearing quartz, showing nuggets imbedded in the rock.

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### Transfer Lines Sold

J. D. Kendrick, proprietor of the Red Wagon Yard, this week sold the business of the Plainview Transfer Lines, which he carried on in connection with his stables, to McKinty & McGehee, who will hereafter conduct the business with the assurance to the public of first-class service.

### Quinn Closes Out.

Quinn the shoe man has closed out his business in this place, and report states that he will leave the city. This report, however, has not been verified.

### Pipkin Moves.

The firm of J. W. Pipkin & company has removed from old quarters on the west side of the square to the building formerly occupied by Quinn the shoe man on the south side.

### Bonny H. Arrives

Bonny H. came in last night to remain indefinitely with Dr. A. L. Hawkins. Bonny is the doctors fine young stud, and was shipped from his former home at Georgetown to this place this week.

Bonny is only four years old and is one of the prettiest animals ever seen here. He is mostly of French Coach extraction.

### Moore to Return

Plainview people will be glad, doubtless, to learn that S. E. Moore, one of the best photographers that ever visited this section of country, will shortly return to Plainview and will reopen his photographic studio here.

Mr. Moore writes that during the coming summer months he expects to operate studios in both Plainview and Portales, his present home. He will spend the first week of every month in this city.

Mr. Moore is well known to Plainview people, having formerly conducted the studio at this place, and his return will call for universal expressions of gratification from those who wish work in his line.

### Realty Changes.

A deal was made through the agency of J. B. Hanby this week whereby J. D. Kendrick disposed of his city property, consisting of

a large number of city lots, to a purchases whose name was not made public, the consideration being \$4000.

Another deal, also made through the Hanby agency, was that of the purchase by Mr. Kendrick of a section of land a short distance in the country, the consideration being the same as above.

### For Sale.

One new Moline wagon, two good work horses, and one Hereford bull; cash or note.

H. D. ROSSER.

### Compliments Plainview.

"All things considered I feel just as if the people of the Plainview country were just a little bit better than any other community of people I have ever met," said J. W. Ware in speaking to a Herald reporter of his removal from Plainview to Portales, N. M., to engage in the mercantile business.

Continuing Mr. Ware said: "In leaving here I got just as close to Plainview as I could, for I certainly regret having to leave the Plainview people."

### Big Entertainment.

The Woodmen of the World are preparing to entertain their friends throughout the city on next Tuesday week.

It is proposed to lease the Bain theater for that night, and the doors of that building will be thrown open to the public. An address on Woodcraft will be given, followed by a banquet, it is stated.

Strayed—One black mare, 15½ hands high, shod all around and scar on left hind foot. Liberal reward offered for any information leading to her recovery. Report to J. H. Hayden, Plainview Drug company

### "Class Meeting."

The Woodmen of the World will hold a "class meeting" next Thursday night. All Woodmen are invited.

### New Woodman.

Fifteen new applications for membership were filed at the meeting of the Woodmen of the World Thursday night.

The W. O. W. is carrying on a campaign for new members, and is meeting with remarkable success.

### Shoeklee Company Moves.

The Shoeklee Tailoring company, Arthur Patrick proprietor, has removed from the building formerly occupied by Quinn, the shoe man, into the old postoffice stand on the south side.

### To Exchange

Some good improved suburban acreage property, suitable for truck gardening, etc., close in, to exchange for good Plains land.

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**Owner,**

Box 498, Amarillo, Texas.

### Pythian Banquet

The ladies of the local lodge of the Pythian Sisters celebrated the initiation of nine new members into their order last Friday night with a splendid banquet and a general good time. In addition to the ladies themselves a number of the male members of the Pythian order were present, and the general expressions of those present declare it to have been one of the most enjoyable social occasions of the year.

The list of candidates admitted to membership include the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell, Lee Shropshire, Mrs. R. C. Ware, Cleve Hatchell, Lee Wardlaw, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Hunsacker and L. W. Sloneker.

Considerable merriment was afforded the auditors by the administration of a very impressive side degree upon Cleve Hatchell. Miss Madge Hall officiating in the ceremony of administering the solemn obligation.

Punch and cake were served the guests.

### League Program.

Following is the program for the next meeting of the Epworth League, next Sunday afternoon:

Subject—The father's care for the material needs of his children. Matt. 6:25-34.

Leader—Miss Pearl Pearson.

Responsive reading, Ps. 27:23-29.

Bible illustrations.

What have we found to be the severest tests of our faith in God's fatherhood!—J. L. Berry.

What sort of needs can we consistently exclude from the classes of things that God cares for?—Mrs. R. S. Griffin.

Is there any inconsistency in having anxiety in our lives?—L. D. Rucker.

How can we better prove our trust in God than with reference to material needs?—Miss Myrtle Gilliland.

Is it not possible that some of us are called upon to bear testimony to God's faithfulness by incurring material loss for righteousness' sake?—Mrs. T. S. Barcus.

Why is it so difficult to seek first the kingdom of God since we admit that we ought to seek it?—Miss Lena Cannon.

### Gibson-Wright

The marriage of C. S. Gibson and Miss Alma Wright was solemnized at the home of E. M. Carter in this city Sunday morning at 7:30 a. m. The groom is a well known resident of Crowell, while the bride is the charming daughter of J. R. Right of Silverton and is a niece of Leroy Wright of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson left on the early morning train Sunday for their future home at Crowell.

### Officers Elected.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Plainview Hardware and Implement company the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

W. Bain, president.

K. E. Bain, Silverton, vice-president.

R. P. Smythe, secretary.

### Calls Pastor.

The pulpit committee of the Baptist denomination here has extended a call to a new pastor for the Plainview church, a position lately made vacant by the resignation of Rev. T. P. Speakmon, who has removed to Canyon City.

Members of the committee declined to give out the name of the prospective pastor for publication, but one of them made the significant statement that the Plainview church was likely to have as its pastor soon one of the most prominent and best pulpit orators in the state.

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**S. E. MOORE**

### To The Voters of Plainview

In the city election to take place April 7, 1908, all voters will be required to present not only their poll tax receipt for state and county but also receipt showing poll

tax for city, paid before February 1, 1908.

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Jas. R. DeLay,  
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## Local News

Any items given this office for this page will be appreciated

Passenger arrives from North 7:05 p. m.  
Passenger departs for North 7:20 a. m.

**NOTICE:**—All announcements of any church pertaining to services are welcomed to the columns of the HERALD FREE. But any announcement of a Bazaar, Ice cream supper or any plan to get money is looked upon as a business proposition and will be charged accordingly.

### Announcements

The Herald is authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. Campbell for re-election to the office of district and county clerk of Hale county, Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of S. J. Frye for re-election to the office of tax assessor of Hale county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The Herald is authorized to announce the candidacy of John V. Ligon for re-election to the office of sheriff of Hale county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

The Herald is authorized to announce John G. Hamilton as a candidate for re-election to the office of county treasurer of Hale county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

The Herald is authorized to announce Judge George L. Mayfield as a candidate for the office of county judge of Hale county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

The Herald is authorized to announce J. F. Watson as a candidate for the office of city marshal of Plainview, subject to the city election.

The Herald is authorized to announce A. M. Stoddard as a candidate for the office of city marshal of Plainview, subject to the April election.

The Herald is authorized to announce Chock Morgan as a candidate for the office of city marshal of Plainview, subject to the action of the April election.

The Herald is authorized to announce Jas. R. DeLay as a candidate for re-election to the office of mayor of the city of Plainview, subject to the city election in April.

The Herald is authorized to announce N. K. Smith as a candidate for re-election to the office of county surveyor of Hale county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

The Herald is authorized to announce Col. J. M. Shropshire as a candidate for county commissioner of precinct number one, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

The Herald is authorized to announce G. A. London as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Hale county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The Herald is authorized to announce E. Graham as a candidate for re-election to the office of county attorney of Hale county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### STEPHENS' POULTRY YARDS

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BREEDER OF

Barred Plymouth Rocks ("Ringlett" strain.)  
Single Comb Brown Leghorns.  
Mammoth Imperial Pekin Ducks.  
Inspection and correspondence solicited.  
Yards on East Ridge Addition.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS.

### SINGLE COMB

## Rhode Island Reds

IDEAL PRINCESS STRAIN

Cockerels for sale, sired by cock winning 3rd at Kansas State Poultry show, Wichita, 1907. They are big, red fellows. Price \$1.50 to \$2. Can spare a few sitings of eggs from Pen A, \$2 per 15 eggs; Pen B, \$1.50 per 15 eggs. Am booking orders now. W. B. Joiner, Plainview, Tex.

Miss Blanche Brazele has returned from a trip to Kentucky.

C. E. McClelland has returned from a fishing trip.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Polk Bryan on March 26, a girl.

Charley F. Pickett of Lubbock was here one day this week.

A. G. McAdams Lumber company sell best paint made; also cheap lumber.

L. A. Knight made a business trip to Amarillo the latter part of last week.

**For Caskets, Burial Robes and Embalming see E. R. Williams.**

J. N. Jordau was a visitor to Amarillo the latter part of last week.

Let us figure on your paint bill we can save you money. Fulton Lumber Co.

Mrs. Robinson is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Hall now of this city.

For the genuine "Niggerhead" coal, only at Tandy-Coleman company's.

R. N. Spellman of Onarga, Ill., is here on a prospecting trip to the Plainview country.

Headquarters for alfalfa and feedstuff. Ten-bale lots of alfalfa 50c. Buy of Tandy-Coleman company.

Joseph Martin of Tuscola, Ill., was numbered among the numerous prospectors to the Plainview country this week.

We are receiving lumber bought since the big decline in prices. See us before you buy. A. G. McAdams Lumber company.

R. B. Morter, who has charge of the Lubbock office of the Rectigraph Abstract company, was here on a brief business trip this week.

Don't buy so-called "Niggerhead" coal when you can get the simon-pure at Tandy-Coleman company's.

A number of new homes are being erected in Highland addition, which has all along enjoyed a steady growth.

Bring your country produce to Warren & Reeves' grocery store. Highest prices paid. West side of square.

A child was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Robbins at Athens. The mother was formerly Miss Maude Hall of Comanche.—Comanche Exponent.

For Sale or Trade—One Hereford bull, Callahan, registered, four years old, a fine animal. Six miles west of Plainview.

12-15 C. S. EBELING.

Misses Ethel and Alma Brewster accompanied by their brother, Grady, were here from Lockney several days this week on a visit to their aunt, Mrs. J. M. Shater.

W. D. Benson, a well known attorney of Lubbock, was here Monday en route home for a trip to the north, having spent several weeks there on a business mission.

Mesdames J. M. Bass and Ira Robbins, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Hall of this city, came in from their homes at Athens Wednesday on a visit of a few weeks to homefolks.

Buy the best. We have just received a car of the Davis Piedmont Smithing coal, shipped direct from the mines under the mines' seal. We store in a close bin, keeping it free from dust. Tandy-Coleman company, Plainview.

LOST—From Plainview on Saturday, March 21st, one big black horse, no brand, sixteen hands high, coming four years old, with tie rope on, and a red sorrel horse, about 15 hands high, brand unknown. When last seen had bridle on. Will pay a liberal reward for their delivery to Shipley & Shipley, or any information leading to their discovery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Bryan, March 27, a boy.

New shipment of Ladies' Tan Oxfords at Carter Mercantile Co's.

Judge Ferguson of Lubbock was here this week.

W. R. Redfearn of Canyon City was here for a short time this week.

Big shipment of Ladies Voile and Panama Skirts at Carter Mercantile Co.

**Funeral Supplies of all kinds at E. R. Williams' Furniture Store.**

Mr. Worsham of Amarillo passed through the city this week en route to Lubbock on a business trip.

L. W. Sloneker made a business trip to Lubbock the early part of the week.

Mayor Jas. R. DeLay made a brief business trip to Lockney last Saturday.

The C. E. McClelland Insurance Agency writes fire, tornado, hail and livestock insurance.

The C. E. McClelland Insurance Agency writes fire and tornado insurance both in the city and country.

For hail and live stock insurance see The C. E. McClelland Insurance Agency.

Bonds! We write all kinds of bonds. The C. E. McClelland Insurance Agency.

The C. E. McClelland Insurance Agency represents nineteen old line fire insurance companies.

A. W. Hartung of Hooper, Neb., is here this week looking at the country. He is well pleased with the prospects, and will go into the immigration business, bringing prospectors from his part of the country.

Mrs. E. R. Williams and baby, who accompanied Mr. Williams to Dallas two weeks ago on the account of the death of the latter's father, are sojourning in Waxahachie, where they will spend several days yet before returning to their home in Plainview.

Spring is here, and with spring comes hail. You can have protection on your grain crops by securing a hail insurance policy at reasonable rates. For particulars call on or write The C. E. McClelland Insurance Agency, Plainview, Texas.

Mrs. Hal. Wofford left for Fort Worth Tuesday in response to a message announcing the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Gullege. It will be remembered that the latter, in company with her husband, visited Plainview last summer, and made many friends while here.

Mrs. M. A. Barnhardt came down from Amarillo Sunday night with a view of securing a good location for a first-class boarding house here. Mrs. Barnhardt and husband conduct the Amarillo hotel cigar, and news stand. It was not learned whether she succeeded in securing the desired location or not.

Go to Murphy Lumber Company to buy your lumber and building material. We manufacture our own lumber and can sell as cheap as any yard in Texas. Remember we do a wholesale and retail business. Located on the railroad, east of the depot. Mr. C. A. Bivins is our business manager and will be ready to accommodate you at any time.

E. R. Williams returned last Sunday night from Dallas, whither he was called recently by the death of his father, R. M. Williams. The latter died Sunday afternoon a week ago and was buried at Hillsboro on the following Tuesday afternoon. He was an old Confederate veteran and was well and favorably known throughout his section of the state.

Pictorial Review Patterns at Carter Mercantile Co.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter this week, a girl.

Mrs. Dorsey went to Lubbock this week.

Carter Mercantile Company, "The home of Hart, Schaffner and MarxClothes."

Will Bucie of Canyon City has assumed charge of the soda fountain at the City Drug store.

Look at our line of Art Squares Mattings before buying. You can save money.

Carter Mercantile Co.

The Christian denomination of this city will hold Sundry school in Mission hall Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. H. C. Randolph and little son Leslie were called to Amarillo on Wednesday to attend the bedside of Mrs. Randolph's father, who was very sick at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Webb, formerly of Missouri but now of this city, are building a handsome residence on Highland avenue. They will take possession as soon as completed.

Rev. T. S. Barcus and family moved into the new Methodist parsonage this week, the building having been completed by the workmen. It is a neat and commodious new home for the Methodist pastors.

J. W. Ware and family leave this week for Portales, N. M., where Mr. Ware will engage in the mercantile business, having already leased a building for that purpose and ordered his stock of goods. Mr. Ware has for some time past been engaged in the profession of teaching in this country, and he and his estimable family will be greatly missed by local society circles.

R. C. Bailey, a late arrival in the Plainview country from Bloomington, Wis., and who has settled on a section of land near Runningwater, purchased while he was on a prospecting trip here last fall, was in the city today and ordered The Herald sent to T. W. Harper, Bloomington, Wis. The latter also bought land here last fall and will remove to this country next fall.

### Read This.

We have received our new collar machine and everybody is well pleased with its work. This makes our machinery complete. We guarantee our work to be as good as any laundry in Texas. White vests, collars and cuffs our specialty.

Robert King, manager. Eighteen years experience.

Shallow Water Laundry.

### Optician.

Max Stern of Chicago, well known as a first-class optician throughout these parts, has returned to Plainview. He will made his headquarters at the City Drug Store.

### Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the firm heretofore existing under the name of Phelps & Phelps, and comprising J. T. Phelps and G. M. Phelps, is this day dissolved by mutually consent. J. T. PHELPS G. M. PHELPS

**KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS**

WITH **Dr. King's New Discovery**

**FOR COUGHS COLD AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.**

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We have opened up a  
**MEAT MARKET**  
next door to the Plainview  
Supply Co., and cordially  
ask a liberal patronage  
from those who need any-  
thing in the meat line

**H. C. MILLER**



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In Hale, Swisher and adjoining counties.

If you want to buy, or have any land to sell, write or call and see us. Special attention given to lands of non-residents.

Merrell-Reeves Realty Company  
Plainview, Texas.

### Specialist.

I treat all diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, also have glasses and pay special attention to fitting them. Plainview March 19 and 20. I. E. SMITH, M. D. 11-12

# BASSETT LAND COM'Y

EMMA AND PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

Over 50,000 Acres Farming Lands  
IN —N— PASTURES, CROSBY COUNTY

No Finer Agricultural Land on the Plains. Farms  
and Cotton Gin on the Property

\$10 PER ACRE \$4 Cash; balance in one to six years at 8 per cent interest  
Any size tracts from 160 acres up

New Town of **CROSBYTON** on This Tract

40-Acre blocks about this town, \$15 per acre, same terms. Selling  
rapidly and improving fast

See **JOHN C. LEWIS**, Agent, opposite Club Hotel

Send us buyers and we will divide equally our commission and pay you 2½ per  
cent cash.

## HE SEES THE BADGER

Obstreperous Easterner Initiated in  
to Ways of Western Life by  
Flodada People

The following story taken from the Floyd County Hesperian is given a touch of local interest by the fact that the victim thereof is said to be identical with the man who "worked" Plainview in pretty much the same manner recently, and while dependent upon the Plainview business men for his meals while here proceeded to call down unnamable anathemas upon the southern people in general. Wonder is still being expressed over his escape from a badger fight or something equally strenuous while in this city. The Hesperian's story is as follows.

Friday afternoon a fight was arranged between the old white dog and an old badger that has seen many a fierce battle and is trained in all the arts of canine combat.

The owner of the dog did not at first want him to fight, but the boys seemed so anxious for a fight that he finally agreed. It was an easy enough matter to get some one to hold the dog, but as the badger had a fierce disposition, it was hard to get a person of sufficient bravery to try it. However a man was found with all the prerequisites and by skillful coaching became very proficient in knowledge as to how to pull. When all was made ready and the command was given to "let'er go" the box was thrown from over the badger and every thing scattered. The man with the badger gave it a good strong yank out into the clear and the other man turned the dog loose.

Such a hubbub had never reigned before. All was consternation. The dog after a very short struggle gave it up and was hooted as a coward. Many had lost money on the outcome. The dog has always proven a worthy foe, but on this occasion he seemed to have lost his nerve. Sadly the losers arranged another fight with a younger badger, as they wanted to show their confidence in the old dog. The gentleman who had formerly held the badger, was this time required to hold the dog. The result was the same. Some called it a fake. A yell of dismay that was heard all over town was given and then all was still. With only the memory of duty well done to cheer them, the losers wended their

wearily way homeward.

The next night while the gentleman was engaged in a 42 game a rough house was raised, but it did not seem to scare him. That same night he was initiated into the mystic order of Who is Who by the pouring of water—three buckets and a coal scuttle full, after which he departed in peace for more intellectual fields.

To say that the gentleman was worked does not say that he was worked as badly as were the business men of town. We have all had our laugh, but it was to the tune of \$4 per laugh. Jealousy seems to have been the leading spirit of the whole scheme. The stranger had cast reflections on the intellectuality of the south, and instead of giving it the silent treatment which such remarks deserved, rougher means were used. The badger jokes were all right, but after that the bounds of reason were passed and we can only offer regrets that our town's reputation has been abused.

### Locust Trees

I have 5000 black locust trees for sale, ranging from four to ten feet in height. These trees are at Lockney, but specimens may be seen planted at The Herald office, where orders may be left. Now is a good time to beautify the city. Prices: Four feet, 15 cents; 6 to 8 feet, 25 cents; 8 to 10 feet, 35 cents. S. L. Boone.

**To Land Agents & Others:**  
My 160-acre farm near Wright is not for sale now for less than \$20 per acre. S. H. BAKER.

### Want Commandery

An effort is being made toward the establishment of a commandery of the Knights Templar in this city at an early date, and all Knights are requested to call and leave their names with E. B. Hughes at the Citizens bank or with Judge L. S. Kinder.

The object is to meet with all Knights Templar resident in Hale and adjoining counties and discuss with them the advisability of this action, and other fraternal matters connected with the order.

### District Court

District court will convene in this city next Monday. It is not thought that the grand jury will have much work before it, but a number of civil cases are docketed for this term.

### NOTICE.

We have received our coupon books and hereafter all goods sent out will be C. O. D. (cash or coupons on delivery).  
Cash Grocery Store.  
Next door east of post-office. Phone 174.

### Tree Planting

Much favorable comment is being made nowadays by strangers coming into Plainview over the fact that much tree planting is being done in the city. It is pointed out that this is one of the best possible ways of beautifying the city, and the public-spirited citizens of Plainview are lending their efforts towards the city's improvement along this line.

Among those most recently to engage in the work of planting shade trees are G. A. London and N. A. Price, who have done some effective work along this line during the week.

### For Street Sprinkler

The movement announced in The Herald two weeks ago for the installation of a street sprinkler here this summer is meeting with expressions of approval on all sides, and there seems to be little doubt now that the town will enjoy the sprinkler.

Mayor Jas. R. DeLay is one of the prominent and most ardent supporters of the proposition, and urges upon everyone the necessity of the matter. His name heads a subscription list for raising money sufficient to defray the expenses of running the sprinkler. The proposition is to raise a guarantee of as much as \$125 per month.

Judge Lancaster, another leading spirit in the movement for the sprinkler, points out that a committee should get together and make a just apportionment of the subscription moneys, so as to work no injustice to anyone, and states that if every business man around the square would contribute his just share of the expense it would scarcely be felt in a financial way, while conferring untold benefit upon the town. He says it should be done from a sanitary standpoint if no other.

### Durocs For Sale

Registered Duroc pigs for sale at \$10 per head at weaning time. John Estes. 15-20

### Banks Consolidate

The consolidation of the Plainview Bank and Trust company and the Citizens State bank, announcement of which contemplated change was made through these columns several weeks ago, took place Monday with the removal of the business of the former into the building occupied by the latter, in the Wayland stone block.

The new officers of the consolidated institution, whose names have already been given, have assumed their new duties and the work of the new bank is being done in the same old satisfactory manner that has made both institutions famous heretofore.

### Fifth Sunday Meeting

The "fifth Sunday meeting" at the Baptist church in this city last week was well attended and the greatest interest was manifested in the proceedings. Prominent speakers addressed the meeting and discussions of things religious proved beneficial to all those who attended.

### Spelling Bee

An old-fashioned "spelling bee" was the attraction and amusement afforded a number of Plainview people at the Wayland building on Saturday night of last week. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Woman's Home Mission society of the Methodist church.

Mayor Jas. R. DeLay gave out the words.

County Treasurer J. G. Hamilton has returned from a pleasure trip to Comanche, where he visited relatives for a week or ten days.

# PLAINVIEW

AND OTHER POINTS ON

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Plainview, Lubbock and Floydada, Texas

General Agents for Lands on the  
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We make a specialty of Farm and Ranch land in Hale, Lubbock and Floyd counties.

Our business is to plant a farmer on every farm, and to this end we have land in any size tract in any part of Texas.

Lands for homes lands for investment and lands to exchange for other land. Good paying businesses and rental property to exchange for Plains land. We do a straight commission business and will appreciate a share of your trade. Call on or write us at Plainview, Lubbock or Floydada, Texas.



### It's a Temptation

just to look at our assortment of canned and bottled fruits, jellies, jams, etc. And it's a temptation you can yield to without regret. LIKE ALL OUR GROCERIES our canned and bottled goods are put up in strict conformance with the Pure Food Law. And our prices are such that it's both a waste of time and money to do your own "doing up."

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## LUBBOCK AUTO TRANSFER Co.

Daily from Plainview to Lubbock

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\$3.50 ONE WAY; ROUND TRIP \$6.00

Tickets on sale at Dr. Wayland's  
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Leave Plainview at 8 a. m.; Make trip in 2½ hrs.

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Blood Out of a Turnip.

any more than you can get satisfactory work out of poor lumber. We handle the Best Lumber and Building Material and it will pay you to let us figure your bill before buying.

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CORN MEAL, GRAHAM

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DELIVERIES MADE  
ANYWHERE IN  
TOWN.

SEE OR WRITE US  
FOR PRICES.  
PHONE NO. 140.

Get to All Prices

FROM APRIL 6 TO APRIL 16

We have about 400 sorts of the spring goods on hand and will give you during the next ten days, from April 6 to April 16, we are going to give you these goods at prices we have never before offered you.

Dress Goods

We have a quantity of Dress Goods, including the latest styles in all the new and most popular fabrics.

Hats

We have a quantity of the latest styles in hats, including the most popular and most fashionable.

Furnishings

Our Furnishings, including the latest styles in all the new and most popular fabrics.

The Broken



Dollar Store

Suits

We have a quantity of suits, including the latest styles in all the new and most popular fabrics. Prices range from \$25 to \$75.

Laces, Embroideries

We have a quantity of laces and embroideries, including the latest styles in all the new and most popular fabrics.

Remember we sell goods for only a small per cent profit. NOT AT A RICH PROFIT.

REMEMBER THE DATES

APRIL THE 6th to APRIL THE 16th

AND THE PLACE

THE BROKEN DOLLAR STORE

YOURS FOR COURTEOUS TREATMENT AND RIGHT PRICES

L. W. Stoncker's Broken & Store

L. W. STONCKER PROPRIETOR

Blaine, Texas

# Cut to All Prices

## — LISTEN —

We handle clothing of J. A. Ruhl, St. Louis; J. L. McTeer, Knoxville, Tenn.; the International people, Chicago, and the Majestic people, Chicago.

FROM APRIL 6 TO APRIL 16

We have about 400 suits of this spring's goods on hand and other shipments coming in, so during the next ten days, from April 6 to April 16, we are going to give you these goods at prices we have never before offered you

### Suits

Some of our Suits ranging in prices from \$15 to \$25 will go at

**\$10 to \$12.50**

and those ranging from \$7.50 to \$12.50 will go from

**\$5 to \$7.50**

You cannot afford to miss this sale, so come early and get a pick, for they must go.

### Laces, Embroideries

We have a large line of Laces and Embroideries, and they must go in this sale. Allover Laces and Embroideries that sell at from 50c to 75c will go at from

**35c to 50c**

# The Broken



# Dollar Store

### Dress Goods

We have a large line of Dress Goods, Ready-made Skirts, Waists, etc., and all colors and prices in Elbow Gloves.

### Pants

We have 200 or 300 pairs of pants ranging in prices from \$1.25 to \$1.75 that will have to go at

**\$1 per Pair**

### Furnishings

Our Hosiery, Shirts, Shoes and Ties are complete. See them before you buy.

Remember we sell goods for only a small per cent and  
**NOT AT A RICH PROFIT**

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**— THE BROKEN DOLLAR STORE —**

YOURS FOR COURTEOUS TREATMENT  
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# L. W. Sloneker's Broken \$ Store

Plainview, Texas

L. W. SLONEKER, Proprietor



# News of the Neighboring Counties

## Lockney.

The Lockney Beacon.

E. M. Walling left last Saturday for Plainview with a gun in his hand. He will sure make em "come to law" all right.

Mrs. A. J. Sams, with her daughter and son, Cora and Buck, of Plainview, were down the first of the week visiting Mrs. A. J. Baker.

Mrs. W. A. Gould who has been at Plainview for some time visiting her father's family, passed through Lockney last Saturday en route to Floydada to visit her husband.

W. T. Mise, of Plainview, representing Jackson Automobiles, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday talking to the land men and others on his subject.

J. B. Posey, C. A. Wofford, Lee Wofford and E. T. Thompson, left for Plainview last Tuesday. Posey to visit his wife and relatives at Herefords, to attend business at Plainview, and Thompson, to Plainview on business.

## Emma

Crosby County News.

Frank Bedingfield has placed lumber on the ground for a nice little residence on his place northwest of Emma.

A number of carpenters are engaged building a residence on J. H. Oliver's place a few miles east of town.

R. R. and R. L. Travis are going to build for themselves a nice, new barn each. Improvements of this sort are not only valuable to our country, as it shows that our people are prospering.

Just as we go to press a message over the telephone reaches us to the effect that J. A. Noble's barn is on fire, and there is no chance to save it. Mr. Noble is one of the best farmers in the north part of the country, and we venture the assertion that a fine lot of feed was destroyed.

There has been some little excitement over the report that the editor's baby boy had measles, smallpox, or some other awful, terrible something. Ye editor has figured that for quite a while that his eldest son would make the world feel his existence sometime, but had not figured that he would be driving people into their dens, stopping schools, etc., before he had the age of one year.

Some telephone men of Lubbock were in Emma the first of the week repairing the line between Emma and Lubbock some interest was aroused here in behalf of a local system for our town and Mr. Alexander, the president of the company stated that they would put in a switchboard here if we would get as many as thirty to take phones either in their business houses or residences. Our people can not afford to miss this, so let us keep on working at it, and we will get it. Everybody needs a phone and everybody will take one when they learn the convenience attached to phone connections of neighbors, home merchants and doctors.

People over the country are pretty well up with their farm work, and many are taking advantage of the spare time, good roads and good weather by going to the breaks after wood.

## Lubbock

The Avalanche.

Plainview is trying to raise funds sufficient to maintain a street sprinkler during the warm summer months.

Attorney W. D. Benson made a business trip to Plainview since

our last issue.

J. E. Barr of Plainview came down to inspect a herd of cattle for the Kokenot & Kokenot people, R. M. Clayton & Son and others, who will ship right away.

Dr. P. D. Reynolds, formerly of this place but now of LaLande, N. M., came in on the auto from Plainview Thursday morning and is greeting his many friends with that familiar smile that won't wear off.

Lubbock had a small fat stock show last Saturday. Geo. M. Boles had one of his fine registered bulls on exhibition here and he was a dandy and was the source of many favorable remarks during the evening. The Peerless Hereford Stock farm has several hundred of this excellent breed of cattle—the kind that carried off the big prizes at the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth—Herefords.

## Canyon City.

The Canyon City News.

The last of the Randall county bridge bonds were called in and paid off this week.

Will Bucie left Wednesday for Plainview where he has secured a position as clerk in the Wayland drug store.

According to the Hereford Brand issue of last week, the contract has once again been let for the Panhandle Short Line—"to begin within 60 days," says the Brand.

May and we are to hold a private election for the purpose of electing delegates at large to the Democratic convention to be held at Denver. The primary is to be open to Democrats only and the issue is Bailey or anti Bailey.

G. W. Sturm, of the Vermillion County News, Dana, Indianr, was a visitor at The News office Friday. He is out looking at the country, going from here to Tulia and Plainview, from there he will backtrack and go to Alamogordo, New Mexico.

W. T. Garrett has gotten up a petition and forwarded it to the postoffice department, asking for a rural route as follows: From Canyon City west 13 miles to the corner of Coker's ranch; thence 2 miles south to the Abbott corner; thence via Umbarger back to Canyon City. The petition had 103 names of those who will be served, or supposed to be if the route be established.

## Floydada.

Floyd Hesperian.

James McDermitt of Plainview has recently moved into the J. M. Billard house.

J. D. Price, formerly the pest house occupant, was made a free man last Monday and allowed the privilege to roam at large once more with the free.

A Bryan and Bailey club has been started here and the purpose is to give to these men the support it is thought each deserves. Bryan is supported as the next Democratic nominee for president, the censure of Bailey is termed "unwarranted." A list of fifty or more names was secured in a short time. If the Democrats believe that the persecution of Bailey is unwarranted and that they are perfectly right in giving him their support, because without this he can not be expected to do what is required of him. We are not acquainted with the Bailey issue sufficiently to pass an opinion, but as we understand it the senator was cleared of the charges against him by the legislature. Some called it a Bailey legislature. If it was one-man legislature and not a state legislature, then are

we ruled by a despot and our vests are not our own. We have put poor representatives in the high places if they will clear a criminal and the state had better send elsewhere for its voters.

## Democratic Committee Elect New Chairman

Responding to a call by Chairman J. M. Shropshire, the Democratic Executive committee of Hale county met in the private office of DeLay & Lancaster last Tuesday and elected H. E. Skaggs chairman of the committee for the ensuing two years. Besides the election of precinct committeemen this was the only business of importance transacted.

The three members of the committee present at the meeting Tuesday were J. M. Shropshire, W. H. Ragland and Jas. R. DeLay. Chairman Shropshire stated that the meeting had been called for the purpose of electing a new county chairman and the appointing of members of the committee, one from each of the various precincts throughout the county.

Upon nomination by W. H. Ragland, H. E. Skaggs was elected chairman of the committee for the next two years.

Upon the nomination by Jas. R. DeLay, the following committeemen were elected:

Precinct No. 1—J. E. Lancaster.  
Precinct No. 2—Clint Alexander.

Precinct No. 3—R. W. Lemond.  
Precinct No. 4—B. B. Morton.  
Precinct No. 5—J. J. Rushing.  
Precinct No. 6—W. H. Ragland.

Retiring committeeman J. M. Shropshire was asked to give H. E. Skaggs, the newly elected presiding officer, official notice of his election as said presiding officer.

## B. Y. P. U. Program.

Following is the program for the next meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union, next Sunday:  
Subject—Courage, Psalms 27.  
Leader—Miss Hattie Price.  
Hymn and prayer.  
Select reading—Mrs. Speed.  
Scripture verse on subject—Miss Annie Hatchell.  
Hymn,  
Select reading—Mrs. Webster.  
Talk on subject—Mr. Irick.  
Solo—Cleve Hatchell.  
Closing exercises.

## Pest House Vacant

After all the clamor for its erection during the excitement over the smallpox scare of a few weeks ago, the city pest cause, built in accordance with the demands of an excited populace because of seven cases of the disease at that time, and after two weeks' occupancy by a pair of lonely victims, is vacant again.

These two victims are the only ones ever put into the pest house, and there is believed to be little likelihood of any one else ever occupying it, since the smallpox scare as well as the disease has died out.

## Praises Plainview Preacher.

The protracted meeting that has been in progress at the Methodist church closed last Sunday night with nine additions, six by baptism and three by church vows. Rev. C. M. Shuffler of Plainview did some very fine preaching, in fact all of his sermons were above the ordinary, scriptural, eloquent and soul stirring.

Rev. Shuffler left Monday for his home at Plainview, bearing with him the hearty good will of the church here, and also the assurance that their prayers for his success in the great and noble work that he is doing for God and humanity, would follow him wherever he might go.

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This sale includes everything we have in the store in the way of groceries, from Soap up to Flour. Don't wait. We are going to move this stock in 10 days. Everybody come and bring your neighbor. We can show you more in 20 minutes than we can tell you in a week.

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