

## DALLAS FLOOD-SWEPT

### Trinity River Wreaks Death and Desolation in Lower Suburbs. Many Lives Lost

Dallas, May 25.—(Special)—The worst flood Dallas has any record of started unexpected about 2 o'clock this morning with a rush of water from the upper tributaries of the Trinity river, where Saturday and Sunday cloudbursts had visited the sections around Wichita Falls, Childress, Denton and other places. The water seemed to rise up in great bodies from the river bed, as well as to sweep down in great torrents. The surprised residents of the suburbs of Dallas and other portions of the river valley were terror-stricken. Firing of guns and pistols and explosions of dynamite were resorted to give the alarm for aid. City and county officials and various organizations started in with a will at the work of rescue. The water has risen to the height of fifty-two feet, nearly ~~seventy~~ feet higher than ever before recorded at the government gauge.

More than 1,000 houses are inundated in Dallas and 5,000 persons are without shelter. The number of lives lost is estimated all the way from twenty to one hundred, and \$2,000,000 worth of property damage has been wrought. All railroads entering Dallas are sufferers, and traffic is paralyzed. Telegraph and telephone lines to the west and south have been prostrated or submerged all day and Dallas isolated from points in the source of the flood. It is impossible to procure a list of the dead.

The sheriff's office, which has largely directed the work of rescue, has no list, but many lives are known to the department to have been lost. The city water works is flooded to the point of suspension for any domestic use, the electric light plants are flooded and the city is in darkness.

Mayor Hay has, by proclamation, closed all business houses except drug stores. A mass meeting this afternoon organized relief forces and citizens subscribed about \$10,000. Every available piece of river craft is pushing the rescue work. Thousands of head of livestock have perished. The big Commerce street bridge is partly wrecked, 600 feet of the Texas & Pacific railway bridge swept away and tracts and bridges or trestles of other lines badly washed out.

#### TRESTLE COLLAPSES

Dallas May 25.—(Special)—Moving slowly at first and then turning completely over with a great crash, 600 feet of the western end of the trestle work of the Texas & Pacific railway bridge went into the flood at 10 o'clock this morning, carrying a number of men to their death. Seven others were carried into the flood but were afterwards rescued or swam ashore.

The flood had reached the fifty-foot stage at the moment the trestle work collapsed. Eight men

were carrying a rowboat across the bridge. Seven other men were on the trestle. One man was ground to a pulp between the masses of debris. Accounts differ as to the number of men who were thrown into the flood. Six men have been accounted for.

#### SAW NINE GO DOWN

W. P. Rebell, of Oklahoma City, says he counted nine men who went under the water and did not come up. He was accompanied by J. Rebell, his brother, and both escaped from the trestle at the last moment.

Over 5,000 people stood helpless on the bank and watched the drowning men after the trestle collapsed. The Merry Widow was the only boat in service. The Katy Putnam is out of commission and lay within 200 feet of the wrecked trestle, unable to aid those who were struggling for life in the seething current.

There are reports of many charcoal burners being drowned in the bottom lands south of the city and of Italian laborers in South Dallas. At the sheriff's department this evening the estimate was given out that perhaps as many as from fifty to a hundred persons were drowned in Dallas and vicinity. Nothing tangible, however, will be known before tomorrow.

At a mass meeting of citizens, held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, more than \$6,000 was raised for the relief of the flood sufferers in Dallas. A relief committee of ten was appointed to act under instructions from the mayor and a

finance committee of ten was named to secure additional funds.

The committee has authority to seize buildings necessary for the housing of homeless people, acting under instructions from the mayor. It is requested that public buildings, churches, etc., be thrown open for this purpose.

#### Realty Transfers

The following are the real estate transfers for week ending May 22, as furnished by the W. B. Joiner Abstract Co.

Jos. H. Wayland and wife to J. Y. Ligon, lots 1 to 8 blk 3, Riverside addition to Plainview, \$800.

Linnie M. Murphy and husband, J. G. Murphy, to Dick and Tom Williams, a 2/3 interest in and to S 1/2 sur 17 blk D7, \$1 and other consideration.

W. A. McWhorter and wife to W. U. Wessels, S E 1/4 sur 18 blk A4 \$2720.

John T. Haynes and Miss Joe Haynes to I. Z. Powell, lots 13 and 14 blk 56 Plainview, \$10.

R. L. Moore and wife to E. A. Cram, sur 4 blk R, \$7,680.

I. Z. Powell and wife to J. L. Dorsett, lots 13 and 14 blk 56 Plainview, \$2,000.

R. P. Smythe to R. L. McMurry, 143 1/2 acres out of S W 1/4 of sur 20 blk JK2, \$100.

J. A. Taylor and wife to I. Z. Smith, 40 acres out of sur 11 blk P, \$1990.

I. Z. Smith to W. H. Stagner, all of the J. T. Phillips sur 10 blk P, \$1990.

G. A. London and wife and B. N. Graham to Wm. T. Moreland, lot 6 blk 36 Plainview, also parts of lots 7 and 8 same blk, \$1600.

J. F. Evans to R. L. McClung, sur 17 blk E, \$1, correction deed.

E. L. Hill and wife to E. Beaumont, S 1/2 sur 68 blk D2, \$1 and other consideration.

E. Beaumont and wife to B. W. Baker, S 1/2 sur 68 blk D2, \$3785.

## PRAETORIAN BANQUET

### Newly Organized Fraternal Order Dines Large Number of Members and Guests

The Praetorian Banquet held at the K. P. Hall last Tuesday night was a success in all its bearings.

The address of welcome was made by Mayor J. R. DeLay, who in a few well chosen words bade the organization welcome to Plainview.

Mr. S. W. Meharg acted as toastmaster. The following toasts were given and appropriate responses made: Why a grocer should be a Praetorian; Reponse: Mr. Sawyer. Why an offiite holder should be a Praetorian: Mr. Campbell. Why a minister should be a Praetorian: Dr. Mays. Why a young man should be a Praetorian: A. C. Hatchell.

Mr. T. J. Aycock, a visiting and traveling man, and one of the charter members of one the first councils organized in Texas, made an interesting talk on the order and paid a splendid tribute to the people of Plainview. Why Plainview was elected as headquarters for the plains country was well set forth by the promoter, the Rev. McGlasson. The central location, fine climate and great future were the chief attractions.

The Modern Order of Praetorians was organized in 1898. The first council in 1899. The subject and principles have so impressed the people that its growth has been phenomenal. The order is now erecting a fourteen-story steel fireproof building in Dallas.

There have been seventy-eight or nine applications for membership in Plainview. The banquet was in charge of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church,

which is enough to say in its favor, as these ladies are well known as successful managers of such affairs. Covers were laid for a hundred guests.

Come in and take a look at our laces and embroideries. The best and cheapest line in town. Plainview Mercantile Co. 22-2

Dodson - Brown pickles, Elko brand vinegar and fresh canned goods. Phone 27. Hamilton & Miller.

For sale, cheap, 1 new Lister, 1 new Cultivator, 1 Planter, 1 Acme Harrow, 1 Mower and Rake, 1 second-hand Wagon. Carter Mercantile Co.

The wonder is how the Second Store can sell everything so cheap. On North Covington street. 17-

#### NO. 9081.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF  
**CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK**  
At Plainview, Texas, at the Close  
of Business on the 14th day  
of May, 1908.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts, \$209,966.14	
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	4,392.43
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....	1,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	7,455.65
Due from other National banks (not reserve agents).....	7,479.60
Due from State banks and bankers.....	19,666.68
Due from approved reserve agents.....	22,134.94
Checks and other cash items.....	364.85
Notes of other National banks.....	860.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	68.39
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ.	
Specie.....	3,000.85
Legal-tender notes.....	11,150.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$312,539.53</b>

Liabilities	
Capital stock paid in...\$100,000.00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	3,914.86
Due to other National banks.....	3,909.77
Individual deposits subject to check.....	174,140.60
Time certificates of deposit.....	20,574.30
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	10,000.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$312,539.53</b>

STATE OF TEXAS )  
County of Hale ) ss I, E. B. Hughes,  
Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. B. Hughes, cashier  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of May 1908.  
O. Holland, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest {  
Jas. B. Posey  
Wayne Paxton  
J. N. Donohoo  
J. L. Vaughn  
Directors

## La gest Company of Prospectors Yet Landed at Plainview

The Soash Land Company last week brought in the largest number of prospectors that have ever been brought to this country at any one time. A train of ten or fifteen cars came in loaded down with homeseekers from the north-

west. A large number of autos and other vehicles were in readiness, which were soon loaded with the visitors and speeding out into the beautiful plains country. A heavy rain impeded their return to town, impressing the fact upon the strangers that it does rain in

the Panhandle. Soash Company are doing a big thing for this part of the state by their enterprise and push. At least ten sections were sold during the last excursion, the visitors buying everything in sight. Let the good work go on.

#### Central Plains College

Dr. Gladney, president of the Central Plains College and Conservatory of Music, is making extensive preparations for next year's work. He has engaged a teacher of music from the Berlin conservatory, with whom he will make a tour of the entire plains country.

Dr. Gladney is a well-known educator and has done a great work in the short time the college has been established.

He has engaged an efficient corps of teachers, some of whom have been with him during the past year.

The educational facilities afforded by this institution of learning are of great advantage to the youth of this part of the state.

Plainview is already known as an educational center, and with every year its advantages in that line are improving.

Mrs. W. E. Armstrong is now occupying the editorial chair of The Herald, vice D. H. Stovall, resigned. As Mrs. Armstrong is already well known in the community, an introduction will not be necessary.

Harrison Bros. and Co. Paints meet the demands of the most exacting. Fulton Lumber Co. 20tf  
Saddles are taken out of L. P. Martin's place of business because they are cleapest and best.

Schloss Brothers clothes, the best on earth, \$10 to \$25. Plainview Mercantile Co. 22-2

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The celebrated Jackson corsets latest style. Plainview Mercantile Co. 22-2

#### Jersy Cows For Sale

I have a car load of full-blood Jersey Cows for sale. Most of them are fresh and all good milkers. Parties desiring to buy can call on or address me at Tulia, Texas.

J. C. FRYE.

A business meeting of the Mystic club was held at Mrs. Hal Wofford's Wednesday afternoon.

roc bleached domestic by the bolt this week for 7 1/2c at Carter Mercantile Co.

Lost—In Plainview, a silk watch fob with gold-stone compass attached. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to me. tf Choc Morgan.

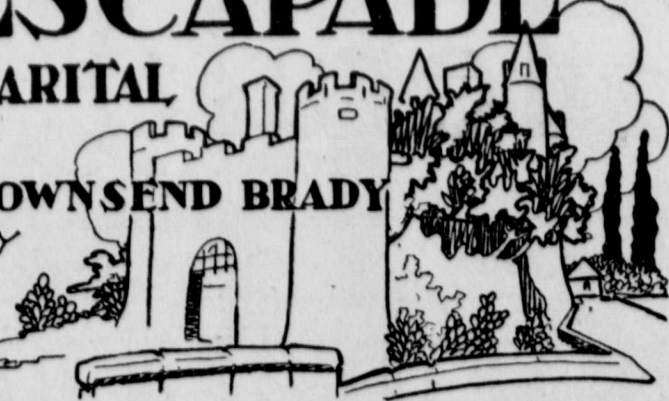
Flour. We handle Pride of Denver, Belle of Wichita and White Falcon. Phone 27. Hamilton & Miller.



# The ESCAPADE

A POST MARITAL ROMANCE  
BY CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY

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## SYNOPSIS.

**CHAPTER I.**—The Escapade opens, not in the romance preceding the marriage of Ellen Slocum, a Puritan miss, and Lord Carrington of England, but in their life after settling in England. The scene is placed, just following the revolution, in Carrington castle in England. The Carringtons, after a house party, engaged in a family tilt, caused by jealousy.

**CHAPTER II.**—Lord Carrington and his wife each made charges of faithlessness against the other in continuation of the quarrel.

**CHAPTER III.**—First objecting against playing cards with the guests, Lady Carrington agreed to cut cards with Lord Strathgate, whose attentions to Ellen had become a sore point with Carrington. The loss of \$100,000 failed to perturb her, and her husband then cut for his wife's L. O. U. and his honor, Carrington winning. The incident closed except that a liking for each other apparently arose between Lady Carrington and Lord Strathgate.

**CHAPTER IV.**—Additional attentions of Lord Carrington to Lady Cecily and Lord Strathgate to Lady Carrington compelled the latter to vow that she would leave the castle.

**CHAPTER V.**—Preparing to flee, Lady Carrington and her chum Deborah, an American girl, met Lord Strathgate at two a. m., he agreeing to see them safely away.

**CHAPTER VI.**—Ellen fled, Strathgate driving. He attempted to take her to his castle, but she left him stunned in the road when the carriage met with an accident. She and Debbie then struck out for Portsmouth, where she intended to sail for America.

**CHAPTER VII.**—Hearing news of Ellen's flight, Lords Carrington and Seton set out in pursuit.

**CHAPTER VIII.**—Seton, locating a fishing village, hit the trail of Ellen and Debbie. He then rented a fast vessel and started in pursuit, Carrington pursuing Strathgate.

**CHAPTER IX.**—Strathgate, bleeding from fall, dashed on to Portsmouth, for which Carrington, Ellen and Seton were also headed by different routes.

**CHAPTER X.**—Strathgate arrived in Portsmouth in advance of the others, finding that Ellen's ship had sailed before her.

**CHAPTER XI.**—Strathgate and Carrington each hired a small yacht to pursue the wrong vessel, upon which each supposed Ellen had sailed.

**CHAPTER XII.**—Seton overtook the fugitives near Portsmouth, but his craft ran aground, just as capture was imminent.

**CHAPTER XIII.**—Ellen won the chase by boarding an American vessel and foiling her pursuers—Strathgate, Seton and Carrington. Carrington and Strathgate, thrown together by former's wrecking of latter's vessel, engaged in an impromptu duel, neither being hurt.

That worthy fisherman, Cooper, who was sailing Strathgate's boat, albeit he did very well, was a mere tyro compared to Carrington. Indeed, Carrington felt as if he were sailing his boat for love, honor, happiness, revenge, all the passions that can engross a heart and move a soul. Strathgate was no sailor, but after an hour's rapid sailing even he could see that eventually Carrington would overhaul him. He spoke of this to Cooper, wringing a reluctant admission of the truth of his conclusions from the sailor, but the latter promised to put him alongside the merchant ship at least before Carrington ran him down.

For perhaps an hour the three vessels—the ship and the two small boats—held on, every moment bringing the little chasers nearer their great quarry. The Flying Star was making no especial effort at speed. Her royals were not yet set. She was proceeding on her voyage rather leisurely, in fact, and the others were in high hope, Carrington, especially. He thought that he at last had Strathgate where he could not escape, and if Ellen and Deborah were on that ship, they could not get away, either.

Into this peaceful nautical passage at arms, suddenly a new factor was introduced. That, of course, was Ellen's boat. Sheltered by the island neither Strathgate nor Carrington had noticed it until it suddenly shot into view. Now Ellen had a better wind than any of the other three. On a broad reach she came down on the big ship, as a sailor would phrase it, hand over fist. Her little boat was heeled over until the lee gunwale was awash and danced over the waves at a terrific pace.

Carrington saw the boat first. The reckless way in which she was being sailed caught his eye. It was too far for him to distinguish who sailed it, but he could tell that one of them was a woman. Something made him believe that it might be his wife. He gave the tiller to Haight, went up forward and stared hard. He would have given anything for a glass but there was nothing of that kind in the fisherman's boat and he had to trust to his unaided eyesight. The longer he looked the more sure he became that it was Ellen. His first impulse was to alter his course and head directly for her cutter, but he realized the moment he conceived the design that he could never intercept her, that his only chance was to overhaul the ship for which she was evidently making. He would thus lose no distance. If she did not intend to try to board

the ship he could chase her afterward. The sailors on Strathgate's boat evidently pointed out the situation to him just as it had presented itself to Carrington, so all three held on.

Ellen had the shortest distance to sail, and a free wind, while the ship and the other two boats had a hard beat before them. There was nothing Carrington could do in fact but hold his course, yet with what a fever of impatience he continued his steady beat to and fro across the harbor. The only satisfaction he got was that with every tack he gained perceptibly on Strathgate. Indeed the boats passed each other close enough for conversation, but Strathgate had nothing to say to Carrington and Carrington controlled himself waiting for a convenient opportunity to express himself fully and unequivocally.

Both of them, moreover, were engrossed in the other boat. As the boats converged upon the ship, there



"I'll Kill You."

was no doubt in Carrington's mind, or in Strathgate's, as to the identity of its passengers. The wind was getting stronger as they drew farther out into the open channel and the rate at which they were drawing nearer to the ship grew correspondingly slower. Carrington gritted his teeth in his vexation.

Still he held on. It was such a race as he had never sailed before. He held on although he knew that if the wind increased, his case was a hopeless one; held on, although he saw Ellen's boat in a few moments would intercept the ship; held on, when he saw that boat disappear on the lee side of the ship; held on when he saw the ship thrown into the wind to make a half board so that her way was practically checked; held on when two figures appeared upon the deck of the ship, and one, a boyish looking youth, walked over to the weather gangway and stood in full view of the approaching cutters, waved a hand, lifted a cap disdainfully and then disappeared; held on when he saw the boat which the two had abandoned, trailing astern at the end of a long line.

It was my lord's nature to hold on doggedly so long as there was the faintest possibility of success and beyond. And he kept up the chase of the big ship even though she suddenly covered with light canvas and, catching the full force of the breeze, greatly accelerated her motion. He held on even though a slant of the wind brought the breeze over the quarter of the big ship as she bore away on her course to the eastward. Carrington marked that with sudden surprise. The ship was not going to America apparently.

But it was evident, even to the most sanguine mind, that the game was up. Strathgate's boat was suddenly put about. The earl had abandoned the chase and was going back to harbor. Carrington was not so easily daunted, or perhaps he was more blind to the possibilities, for he strove to persuade the boatmen to continue the chase. He would have sailed to France, or to America, or to the end of the world, in whatsoever boat he was on so long as it would float. But the boatmen were not so minded. They were not provisioned for such a cruise nor prepared for it. Not even the incentive of unlimited financial rewards with which Carrington strove to dazzle them could make them agree to continue the pursuit. They were clamorous for putting back to Portsmouth, seeing plainly that they had failed. It was only the personal authority of Carrington's rank and station which kept them from summarily

dispossessing him from the helm. They were not quite ready for that when Strathgate's boat came rushing down toward them.

It was Carrington's opportunity. Balked in his chase of his wife, he determined to wreak his vengeance upon the earl. As the boat drew close to his bows, by a sudden sweep of the helm he sent his own heavier cutter crashing fair into it. The force with which he struck the other boat caused Strathgate's smaller vessel to hang on the bows of Carrington's boat. There was no loss of life, for Strathgate, scarcely worse for the disaster, followed aboard Cooper and the lad, scrambled aboard Haight's cutter.

White with passion Strathgate rushed aft, shaking his fist at Carrington, who sat laughing bitterly in the stern sheets. At Strathgate's back were Cooper, furious over the deliberate wrecking of his boat, and the boy eager to join in the fray.

"By heaven!" cried Strathgate, fiercely, "what did you mean by that?"

"I should think that my meaning was obvious even to you," says my lord, indifferently, although he was

(To be continued)

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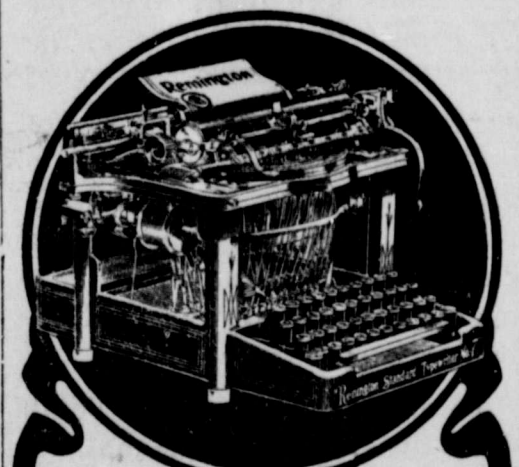
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is soon turned to a sad one if he has to walk the floor every night with a crying baby. McGee Baby Elixir will make the child well—soothe its nerves, induce healthy, normal slumber. Best for disordered bowels and sour stomach—all teething babies need it. Pleasant to take, sure, and safe, contains no harmful drugs. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by J. H. Wayland Drug Co.

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## The Work on C. H. & G. Ry. Begins

Actual work has been begun on the Colorado, Hereford & Gulf, which is to run from Trinidad, Col., to the Gulf coast in Texas, with Hereford as the central point of operation. The shops, division and general offices are to be located in Hereford.

### Pupils Attention.

Prof. Jerome Duncan of Stamford Collegiate Institute offers a free \$50 scholarship to pupil writing best paper on Early Texas Indians—their origin, character and habits. Scholarship will admit to literary classes.

Prof. O. H. Cooper, president of Simmons College, Abilene, will give a History scholarship which will cover tuition fees for one year to pupil sending in best paper on Texas' Greatest Benefactors. Time to cover period of Texas history from discovery of Texas, 1685, up to colonization period.

Papers to be sent in to Mrs. W. E. Armstrong or Mrs. E. Graham, by July 15, 1908.

Exchanges please copy.

Misses Bessie and Myrtis Parr left Wednesday morning for their home in Denton. Miss Myrtis will return in September to take the position of principal of the east side school.

### Death of Mrs. Whipp

Mrs. Mattie Whipp, wife of C. C. Whipp and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Frye, died last Monday morning at 3 o'clock.

Before her marriage to Cecil Whipp she was employed for several years in the office of the telephone exchange, making many friends by her courteous treatment of all those with whom she came in contact. Mrs. Whipp's father is tax assessor of this county. The family is one that has been prominent in the history of Plainview for years, being among the first settlers.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church Monday afternoon by Dr. Mayes, pastor of the church. The Herald extends sympathy to the entire family in their great bereavement.

### A Bargain

I am offering at a bargain for the next few days, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in block 62, original town-site, and block 21, Lakeside addition, Plainview, also 140 acres of patented land out of section 1 in block C, Hale county, Texas, or will trade the land for good residence property in Plainview. Call or write the owner, S. S. Stonker, Plainview.

### A Smile

is a pretty hard thing to accomplish when you're blue, bilious and out of sorts. This is a sure cure for all kinds of stomach and liver complaints—constipation and dyspepsia. Ballard's Herbine is mild, yet absolutely effective in all cases. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by J. H. Wayland Drug Co.

M. W. Sellers from Tiptecanoe, Ind., was in the city the first of the week prospecting.

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### Low Rates to Albuquerque, New Mexico.

For the 16th National Irrigation Congress to be held in Albuquerque, New Mexico, September 29th to October 3rd, 1908, inclusive the Pecos and Northern Texas Railway in connection with the Eastern Railway of New Mexico will offer unusually low rates. It is suggested that those desiring to avail themselves of this opportunity to visit Albuquerque, and assist in making the National event a memorable and successful one, notify the Railway Agent so much in advance as possible in order that necessary facilities and train service may be arranged for their accommodation.

Tickets will be on sale from September 23rd to September 28th inclusive, with return limit October 31st. The round trip fare from Plainview, Texas, will be \$14.00.

D. L. MEYERS, G. P. A.,  
Amarillo, Texas.

J. N. COLE, Agent  
Plainview, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, who have been residents of Plainview for some weeks, left Monday morning for Abilene. Mr. Cooper was in charge of the Thomas Buggy Co. at this place.

The place to buy when your money is short is at the Second Hand Store.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned, that the Commissioners Court of Hale County, Texas, will meet as a Board of Equalization on the second Monday in June at the Court House in Plainview, Texas. J. W. CAMPBELL, Clerk Hale Co.

Mrs. J. J. Milwee is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Dorsey.

### Vegetable Plants for Sale

We can place them in Plainview same day pulled if trains are on time. T. JONES & Co.  
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Friday, May 28, 1908

#### A Cleaner Plainview

The Mayor of Plainview has made strenuous efforts for a clean, healthy town. The city health officer has written an able article on the subject in the columns of this paper but still the town is far from being as clean as it should be. In place of burning waste papers, old rags, tow sacks and other articles that could be disposed of in that way they are thrown by some of our citizens into streets and alleys to be blown by the wind into the yards of the more particular neighbors. Dead chickens and tin cans and every other conceivable form of rubbish is thrown out to breed disease and blot the escutch-

eon of our beautiful town. Cleaning up day was observed in some parts of the city, in others it was neglected entirely. Every inhabitant of Plainview, man, woman and child, should conspire to make the town the cleanest on the plains.

If a certain amount of civic pride could be infused into the heart of each citizen, Plainview would advance so rapidly in beauty and cleanliness that the most sanguine would hold their breath and she would be known as the model town of the Panhandle.

A new paper is to be started at Chillicothe by Early Hendrix, late of the Vernon Hornet. He will put in a modern plant and will no doubt get them out a good paper. He has had the experience.—Hall County Herald.

With the court house going up, steel being laid on the old grade for the railroad and new business and dwelling houses springing up on every hand, Dimmitt will present a busy aspect this summer.—Plainsman.

The women of Oklahoma will have their first opportunity to exercise their right to vote on the fourth Tuesday in July. On that date school trustees will be elected in the rural districts of Oklahoma, and the constitution of that state

provides that women shall be entitled to vote in all school elections.—Hall County Herald.

Hereford people are revelling in the luxuries of home-grown strawberries and garden truck. The fruit and melon crop will come along in a short time and the people will have a good taste in their mouths all summer.—Hereford Democrat.

#### Taft Asks Negro to Dine With Him.

Fayetteville, N. C., May 22.—Solicitor N. A. Sinclair returned last night from Savannah, Ga., where he went to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Mary McNeill.

On the train with Sinclair was Secretary of War William H. Taft, Republican candidate for the presidential nomination, and three attendants, two white men and a negro. The secretary of war and his party boarded the train at Charleston, S. C., having returned from a trip to Panama, and being then on their way to Washington. The secretary ordered four covers laid on his table for dinner. On account of the considerable bulk of the secretary, it was found necessary to extend the table, which usually comfortably accommodates four people, in order that the party

might find seats about it.

As Mr. Taft and his three companions appeared in the dining car and were preparing to take their seats the conductor of the train appeared and quietly informed Taft that in South Carolina, where the Jim Crow laws are rather stringent, negroes are required to wait until all the whites on the train have completed their meal before they are allowed to eat.

The negro companion of the secretary was forced to retire, in spite of the protests of Taft.

#### Amarillo is After Packing House

Amarillo, Texas.—Business men here and over the Panhandle who are interested in the proposition are to take \$75,000 in the bonds of \$150,000 packing house company to be organized here, according to the proposition made at a mass

meeting here this week for O. W. Butt, the packing house man who has been induced to develop the enterprise.

Mr. Butt will take the other \$75,000 and stock will be issued on the plant represented by that capital. It is Mr. Butt's intention to make the plant equal to the situation. He is an experienced packing house builder and manager, and after investigation of the situation over the Panhandle expresses himself as confident that the plant will earn money from the start. The required amount of bonds is now being sold among the business men here.

Two good rains have blessed the Plainview country in the last few weeks. The first fell on the night of the 19th inst., making glad the hearts of the farmers and insuring good crops this year.



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Imperial quarts sweet pickles . . . . .	25 c	King Coffee, a 40c value . . . . .	30 c
Imperial pints sweet pickles . . . . .	20 c	McLaghlin's cup and saucer . . . . .	85 c
Imperial quarts chow-chow . . . . .	20 c	lucket coffee . . . . .	75 c
Imperial pints chow-chow . . . . .	10 c	Three pounds-to-the-dollar value . . . . .	\$1.00
Ten ounces chow-chow . . . . .	10 c	Silk soap, twenty-eight bars for . . . . .	9 c
Nine ounces sweet relish . . . . .	10 c	Ring apples, per pound . . . . .	10 c
One pint of onions . . . . .	20 c	Two pounds Sunshine oats . . . . .	10 c
One gallon of pie peaches . . . . .	47½c	Two pounds Mother's oats . . . . .	10 c
Three pounds pie peaches . . . . .	12½c	Two pounds Friends' oats . . . . .	10 c
		Libby's pork and beans . . . . .	7½c

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Bring this ad with you as your memorandum and look these things over. CARTER MERCANTILE CO.

## Local News

Any items given this office for this page will be appreciated

Passenger arrives from North 6:40 p. m.  
Passenger departs for North 8:00 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.

Fresh butter at West Side Market.  
Miss Allene Penry is on the sick list this week.

Phone 48 for pure home-made lard. Miller's Meat Market. 22-2  
Mrs. Ralph Shuffler is quite sick this week.

A \$60 steel range, used four months, for \$30, at the Second Hand Store. 17-

Bob Knight came near drowning last Wednesday. When rescued he was nearly unconscious.

All kinds of cook stoves and steel ranges at half prices at the Second Hand Store.

The land firms of the Hanby Realty company and the Burleson land company have consolidated and are now known as the Hanby-Burleson land company.

Competent combination book keeper and salesman wants position in Plainview. See Hanby-Burleson Land company.

We are receiving lumber bought since the big decline in prices. See us before you buy. A. G. McAdams Lumber company. 5-

Our motto. "Highest quality meats." West Side Market

New stock linoleum at Carter Mercantile company's.

I am prepared to pasture a few head of cattle near town.—G. D. French. tf.

S. E. Moore, the well-known photographer, will come in from Portales and be ready for work by June 1st.

Fresh Meats at Miller's meat market. Phone 48, north side square. 22-2t.

Home-made sausage, fresh and pure, at Miller's meat market. Phone 48, north side square. 22-2t.

Mr. Winn, of Iowa, has purchased lots on "Restriction" street. The work on his residence has already begun.

Nash's rooming house over the Second Hand Store is the place to get a good bed for 25 cents. Phone 195. 17-

American Lady and American Gentlemen and low cuts at Plainview Mercantile Co. 22-2

Hamilton & Miller will pay highest market price for chickens and eggs. Phone 27. Hamilton & Miller.

We are sorry to learn that Miss Jennie Rossen got her ankle badly sprained in getting out of a buggy. Though she is unable to walk at present we hope she will have a speedy recovery.

See the Plains Lumber & Grain company for cotton seed to plant. We have the celebrated Strahan variety. 18-

Asking a friend: "Where do you buy your groceries?" "At Dorsett & Sawyer, also cooking utensils, washing machines and baby buggies."—Phone 29 tf

## EASTERN STAR.

Chapter meets every Friday before the full moon, in Masonic hall, over City bakery. Mrs. R. C. Ware, W. M. Chas. Vincent, W. P. All sisters and brothers are cordially invited to meet with us or communicate with above officers.

## The Social Realm

Happenings of the Week in the World of Pleasure

Items of local interest are solicited for this department, and when possible will be published in these columns. Copy for the society department should reach us not later than Thursday noon to insure publication. Address all communications for this department to Mrs. W. E. Armstrong, society editress, or phone 166.

### Garden Party

The garden party given by Mrs. L. A. Knight on Thursday of last week, was the largest and one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind ever given in Plainview.

The lawn was amply provided with chairs and rustic seats for the many guests. In a flower-wreathed booth, Miss Bettie Knight dispensed delightful punch throughout the afternoon. The spring time colors of green and white were carried out in the appropriate refreshments.

One of the most enjoyable features of the afternoon was the guessing contest in which Mrs. Bert McWhorter of Lubbock won the favor, a pretty pin in the form of a leaf. Hand-painted souvenirs were given each guest.

In the receiving line were the hostess, Mrs. Robert Burch, Mrs. Hanby and Mrs. J. W. Campbell. Those present were Mesdames Bert McWhorter of Lubbock, Dye, David Tudor, Robert Tudor, Hunley, Richard McWhorter, Meharg, Geo. W. Carter, Otto, Hugh Burch, E. Graham, Cole, Harp, Brasheare, Maxey, Green Wilson, Randolph, Hughes, James W. Grant, Henry Slaton, M. A. Slaton, Atkins, Wofford, Charles McClellan, Rosser, Callaway, Best, Lloyd Mayhugh, J. T. Mayhugh, Baer, Newman, Hughes, Ware, Penry, Joiner, Wooldridge, C. S. Williams, Hanby, Vaughn, Wardlaw, Humphrey, Martin, Kinder, Wheelock, Harlan, McCormack, Armstrong and Miss Parr.

### The Mystic Club

On Wednesday afternoon the Mystic club had a call meeting with Mrs. Wofford. The object of the meeting was to arrange for an entertainment for the benefit of the public library.

Mrs. Abraham has kindly consented to give a reading at the Baptist church on the evening of the 5th of June, the proceeds to go to the library fund.

Mrs. Walter Day was at home to the Highland club and a large number of invited guests at its regular meeting last Thursday afternoon. Seven tables were set for the forty-second contest in which Mrs. L. P. Martin carried off the blue ribbon and Mrs. Henry Slaton won the favor for high score. Strawberries and a dainty ice course was served during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson entertained the teachers and a few of their friends of Wednesday night of last week. The occasion was one long to be remembered by those present.

The Missies Hall entertained Tuesday night complimentary to the Missess Parr before their departure for home. A delightful ice course was served during the evening to honor of guests and a few other friends.

Mrs. James Walker Grant entertained with a six o'clock dinner Tuesday night in honor of Mr. F. Dowen, of Kansas City, grand father of Miss Ina Dowden.

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**L. P. MARTIN**



## Mrs. Victor H. Trammell Passes Away

A telegram received by M. F. Lee Wednesday night announced the sudden death of Mrs. Victor H. Trammell at their home at Bovina, Texas. A week old baby boy was left to the bereaved husband.

Mrs. Trammell was formerly Miss Mollie Hunt, of Clarendon.

She graduated last year from the literary department of Clarendon College and was married to Rev. Trammell soon after and they moved at once to Bovina where he was pastor of the M. E. Church.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Trammell have scores of friends here whose hearts will be saddened by her untimely end, and the Banner-Stockman joins with those friends in extending sympathy to the heart-broken husband.—Banner Stockman.

Mr. Trammell is well known in Plainview, being a brother-in-law of H. A. Wofford and John H. Hunt.

Miss Hattie Price left last Tuesday morning for her vacation.

### Two Boys Drown

Comanche, Texas, May 18.—Marshall and Durwood Cunningham, sons of Jay Cunningham, about 10 and 6 years old, were drowned in Mercer creek this evening at 4 o'clock. The little fellows it is thought had gone in bathing and the stream being slightly swollen from late rains no doubt caused them to mistake their depth. Full particulars are not known here, but it is said their mother heard a scream and got close enough to see the oldest go down the last time.

The unfortunate boys mentioned above were cousins of Mrs. R. E. Burch and Mrs. C. C. Callaway of this city.

W. W. English was in town the first of the week showing some very fine heads of wheat grown on his farm four miles west of town.

Sewing done at reasonable prices. Furnished rooms at C. C. Callaway's residence. Misses Callaway and Jones. tf

### Buzz Wagons Too Roomy

One thing about these buzz wagons that we don't like is that they are too roomy. Then there are other things, too. Who wants to take his best girl riding in a vehicle big enough for a union depot, and which requires both hands and feet to steer it properly?—Midland Examiner.

The Brand wonders what the Midland editor wants to do with his feet and hands. Usually a timid man would give a fortune to find some employment for such useless appendages when out courting, and now he is kicking because the inventor has made a contrivance for that very purpose.—Hereford Brand.

Cheer up, gentlemen. Who ever heard of an editor riding in an automobile, anyhow?

### Valued Same as Gold

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Plainview Drug Co. 25c.

### Van to Edit New Sheet

F. L. Vanderburg will establish a new paper at Memphis, his deal for the Hale County Herald having fallen through. Memphis has one good paper, but needs another, and Van is the man to give Hall County what they need. Our best wishes are extended.—Banner Stockman.

### Boys Will Be Boys

and are always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns or scalds. Don't neglect such things—they may result serious if you do. Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment according to directions right away and it will relieve the pain and head the trouble. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by J. H. Wayland Drug Co.

### Teachers Leave

The teachers of the Plainview public schools were unanimously re-elected for next school term. Miss Bessie Parr and Miss Eddie Erummond resigned to take positions elsewhere. Both have been influential and successful teachers in our midst for several years, and their final departure is to be regretted in a social as well as an educational line.

### It Reached the Spot

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike county, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee by Plainview Drug Co. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

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

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# Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co.

## The Knocker Gets In His Mean Work

A short time ago a farmer from one of the northern states came to our town. He had been corresponding with a real estate firm here, and on his way to Plainview from Amarillo a booster (?) accosted him on the train and told him, on the quiet, that he could show him some very good land propositions.

The following morning the prospector went out with his new-made friend—who seemed so very anxious to save him money. The stranger showed him a section that was priced to agents at nineteen dollars per acre, and the tract was not to be cut, but sold in a lump. The curb-stone agent priced the farmer a quarter-section of the land at twelve dollars. Why he did so is not known.

The farmer would not buy until he had seen the firm with whom he had been corresponding, but assured the other man that if he found no other bargain equal to the one he had offered he would close out with him. Of course, no such deal could be found anywhere equal to the so-called one that the knocker had presented, so the farmer finally went back to him to close the bargain. The agent told him that he would have the papers ready in a few days. Then the prospector returned to his home in the north and waited. Finally Mr. Knocker wired: "Things O. K. Deal through. Come at once." Upon receiving the message the farmer sold out and came back to Texas. But after arriving here he found that the good brother could not deliver the goods. The result was that the prospector lost confidence in our real estate men in general, for he had naturally taken this man for one of the town's bona-fide land agents.

The farmer was of the honest, straightforward type of men who have been coming to the plains and buying homes. This incident has naturally made him bitter against the country and the people, so now it is improbable that he will ever be induced to locate here.

Now, why did this real estate man play this trick on the farmer? It does not seem that he could possibly profit by the deception. Hence, the only conclusion that one might reach is that he was trying to knock the country. Why, though, is one of the abstruse problems that we cannot solve.

The whole affair simply resolved itself into nothing more than a big expense for the curb-stone man, for the farmer kicked strenuously against the treatment that had been accorded him, and finally prevailed on him to pay his expenses—about fifty dollars' worth.

### Woman Suffrage

A lady of Hagerman, N. M., who has been superintendent of the public schools of that place for the past year, is a candidate for the democratic nomination for county superintendent. The women of the great southwest are coming to the front.

### What It Means

We are tired of answering questions! "Fewer gallons, wears longer" means that you don't have to paint your house so often, and you don't have to use so much paint. Costs less for the job, and you don't have to do the job so often.

The new paint is not new at all. It's the biggest-selling paint in the United States, and the firm that makes it is 152 years old.

Devoe Lead and Zinc—fewer gallons than mixed paints—wear twice as long as lead and oil.

### Nothing Can Touch Us

Floods are devastating other sections of Texas, and death-dealing cyclones are playing havoc in adjoining states, but the great plains country towers serenely above such trifles, while sunshine and shower make glad the hearts of its inhabitants.

### A Californian's Luck

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, Cal. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee by Plainview Drug Co.

Miss Myrtle Haynes and her sister, Miss Lutie, attended the alumni banquet last week. Miss Myrtle is a graduate of Plainview High School.

### The End of the World

Should it come tomorrow would find fully 1-3 of the people suffering with rheumatism of either slight or serious nature. Nobody need suffer with rheumatism for Ballard's Snow Liniment drives away the trouble, relieves the pain instantly and leaves the user as well and supple as a two year old.

Last Saturday's heavy rain delayed the north bound trains, thus preventing the arrival of news from south and east.

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. 15-

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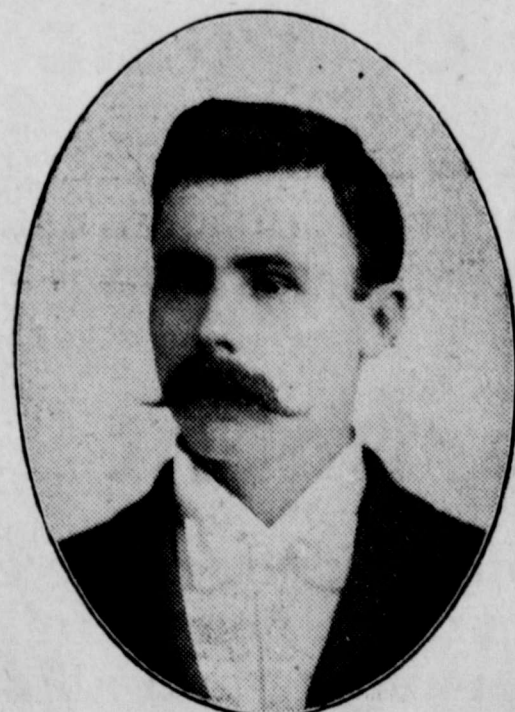
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## Our Faculty

is not only strong in point of scholarship, but strong **in ability to teach.** Graduates of the great universities are at the head of the school, and while we are intensely Christian yet we are not running a church. Religion is in no sense a secondary affair with us, yet we do lay mighty emphasis upon education---Christian education---broad and deep.

## Board and Tuition

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### Our Dormitories

Remember that we have dormitories for both boys and girls, so are prepared to give equal and necessary attention to one as well as the other. This is no small fact to remember. There is no safer school for your children in the world. There are no secluded places where mischief can be planned.

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Our strict military discipline keeps everyone under constant surveillance so occasions of evil are reduced to the possible minimum.

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### Music Department

Our music department is under the directorship of one of the greatest masters in America, a graduate of the Royal Conservatory of Berlin, Germany. He has been a student under the foremost masters of Europe. The work of the conservatory embraces music of all kinds, and we are prepared to perfect our students in the art.

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