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SPLINTERS

A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance.—Prov.

TRAGIC—

One of the tragedies of a West Texas industry was enacted here this week. Drouthy cows being shipped to grass—gaunt, hollow eyed, long haired, ragged creatures followed by stunted, drawn, undernourished calves that bore testimony to a condition that cattlemen know all too well. No rain for months, grass parched, curling and dying, water holes gradually drying up, wells playing out, long hours of work and worry hoping and praying for a rain, cattle in unmarketable condition consuming feed at ruinous prices, occasional fleecy clouds floating high overhead that hold but little hope, more often wind and the accompanying sand, finally the long shipment out to grass with cattle dying enroute, falling markets and mounting expenses. These are the things that try men's souls—men who have fought, bled and died in an industry that has made the name of Texas famous the world over as the premier producer of beef.

PROHIBITION—

Practically an uneventful week, the even tenor of this drowsy hamlet unbroken except for the unheralded appearance of the West Texas Dry Special Train which chugged in here Wednesday and liberated some dry oratory. The natives looked, listened, and considered the words of the wise. Uninspired to applaud, too polite to boo, the audience maintained a respectful silence. Again was issued the challenge of Rev. Mr. Sharp to debate three questions, all of which when boiled down mean "Is drinking good or evil?" The challenge was printed in the papers of the county about a month ago. The statement that no one had offered to meet Mr. Sharp in debate is correct as far as we know but the statement made at the Wednesday speaking that no one who believed in the repeal of the 18th Amendment or the sale of 3.2 beer had said a word cannot go unchallenged. On the same page of the Post that carried the debate challenge, there was also a two column lengthy editorial, which we, in our feeble way, attempted to clarify the issue now before the people. Had not Mr. Sharp seen our poor effort in its original, he might have seen it reprinted later in some of the papers of statewide circulation. But frankly and candidly, we believe that any outburst of oratory, wet or dry, now loosed on the people will be of no avail. The minds of the people are already made up. The blind leaders of the blind have lost their following, the people are now turning to the leadership of the greatest statesmen of the age, President Franklin D. Roosevelt and our own John Nance Garner, who point the way to hope.

COMPLIMENTS—

Our attention has been called officially to the success of our botanical efforts, or perhaps lack of effort, by the mayor of the town who compliments us on our fast growing cockle burrs which landscape our office in a profusion of green. Our garden in the rear of the office is a thing of wonder. But as a gardener of native herbs, the Mayor has no peer. The sunflowers that abound the vicinity of his office are especially fine this year in view of the fact that they have had but little rain. Accept our compliments, Mr. Mayor.

The old familiar plea of this publishing company, "Brother can you spare a \$1.50?" Yeah, you.

Local Business Changes Hands This Week

The Williams Barber Shop of this place was purchased this week by Chester Haynie of Truscott who assumed management Wednesday. The shop is one of the most modern equipped shops in West Texas and will be run under NRA regulations. Mr. Haynie announces. Mr. Haynie is a barber of many years experience and has worked in Dallas, San Antonio, Waco, Sweetwater and other West Texas Places. For two years he worked in the beauty parlor of the Plaza Hotel in San Antonio and is a specialist in ladies work. In acquiring the Benjamin shop he adds the name of Haynie to three shops in Knox County. Two brothers operate shops at Munday and at Truscott. Mr. Pate will retain his former position under the new management. Mr. L. M. Williams, former owner of the shop was recently admitted to the bar and is now engaged in the practice of law at this place. Of above the average in education and coming from a family of distinguished jurists, those who know Mr. Williams predict for him a bright future. He is now connected with the law firm of James A. Stephens.

FOURTH CLASS POSTMASTER EXAMINATION

Receipt of applications to close Sept. 8, 1933.

The date for assembling competitors will be stated in the admission cards which will be mailed to applicants.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Gilliland, Texas and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interest of the service to fill any vacancy by reinstatement. The examination will be held at Vernon, Texas. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$562 for the last fiscal year.

Applicants must have reached their twenty-first birthday but not their sixty-fifth birthday on the date of the close of receipt of application.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the postoffice for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application blanks, Form 9 and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications must be properly executed and on file with the Commission at Washington, D. C. prior to the hour of closing business on the date specified at the head of this announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Clinton and Doris Gage, Ennis Taylor of San Saba, Mr. O. L. Kirk and family and Otis Lindsey and wife of Benjamin, John Capehart and Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick of Vera attended a reunion of the Taylor family at Vera at the home of Mr. Taylor's daughter, Mrs. Hubert Shipman last Sunday.

Mrs. R. M. Hamby of Lubbock, Mrs. Marion McGintie and sons, Oscar and Fred McGintie of Plains, Mrs. Fred McGintie, Misses Montie and Claudia Draper of Post, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sams of Benjamin, and Mr. A. M. Sams and family of Benjamin attended a reunion at the home of Jack Propps at Gilliland this week.

Home Loan Company Ready For Business

The Home Owners Loan Corporation is now ready to do business in Knox County according to M. F. Billingsley of Munday, recently appointed attorney for the association in this county. G. R. Eiland of Munday has been appointed appraiser of the county. This is a department of the Federal Government and is designed solely for the purpose of aiding distressed home owners who are about to lose their private homes to private loan companies. The Home Loan Corporation is not in competition with private loan companies and will make no new loans but will refinance home loans that are in distress condition. Applications for loans should be made to either Mr. Billingsley or Mr. Eiland.

CHRISTIAN REVIVAL TO START SUNDAY AUGUST 20 AT TRUSCOTT

A two weeks revival will start at the First Christian church of Truscott Sunday, August 20, to be held by Rev. C. V. Allen of Crowell, Texas, and Rex. M. A. Buehler of Cleburne. Rev. Allen will deliver the sermons on the first Sunday morning, Sunday evening, and Monday evening until Rev. Buehler arrives to take charge Tuesday night, August 22.

Mr. Buehler is a renowned preacher of Texas and is known especially well in this section of the country. He was pastor of the church in Truscott for some time about twelve years ago. He later moved to Marfa, Texas, and from there to Cleburne to assume duties as pastor of the Christian church there. He is a graduate of Texas Christian University, and has had about 15 years experience as an evangelist and preacher.

Committees were appointed to make plans for the meeting at a business session of the members of the church held July 23. Inez Eubank was elected as junior choir leader and pianoist and Lamoine Tarpley as helper. Mr. Jolly Myers was appointed as choir leader. The entertainment committee consists of Mrs. A. S. Tarpley and Mrs. Jolly Myers. Mr. L. P. Jones was appointed to be the finance committee.

Mrs. Homer Barham, Miss Lela Jones and Dan Tarpley make up the publicity committee. The visiting committee consists of Mrs. A. S. Tarpley, Mr. Jolly Myers, Mrs. J. C. Eubank, Mrs. C. C. Browning, Mrs. V. W. Browning, Mrs. Homer Barham, Mrs. Claude Gerald and Mrs. John Black.

PLAINS CATTLE SHIPPED HERE TO PASTURE

A train load of cattle, 24 cars in number, as unloaded here Thursday at the shipping pens of the Santa Fe yards. Owned by J. M. Crawford of Channing, the cattle are being sent to the Parramore ranch in King County to grass. Benjamin is the closest shipping point. The cattle will be driven to the ranch, a distance of about fifty miles. Max Gardner has accepted a contract to deliver them. The train of cattle consist of about 600 young cows, 300 calves and 100 yearlings. Due to an extended drouth on the north plains area these cattle are in poor condition and have not yet shed their winter hair. They have been fed on cake and straw for several months. Owing to their condition they will be on the trail for about ten days to two weeks.

Misses Mary Sue and Hazel Berry of Lovington are visiting in the home of E. B. Sams this week.

Jake Lowe and family of Chillothe visited friends here Sunday.

"Dry Special" Stops Here Wednesday

The West Texas Dry Special Train was in Benjamin Wednesday afternoon and with it its retinue of prohibition speakers which included B. D. Sartin, former county judge at Wichita Falls, and Rev. Frazier Smith. The "train" is an automobile behind which is pulled a trailer made to resemble a pullman coach. Loud speaker equipment is also carried. The "Dry Special" came to Benjamin from Knox City following a speaking at that place in the morning. Other Knox County towns visited were Goree and Munday on Tuesday afternoon and Tuesday evening and Truscott Wednesday afternoon following the speaking in Benjamin.

Rev. Jim Sharp, pastor of the Methodist Church at Knox City, introduced the speakers and reiterated his challenge to meet any wet speaker in joint debate in Knox County.

Rev. Frazier Smith recalled some of the evils that attributed to whiskey in pre-prohibition days and stated that since 1928 the wets had maintained one of the "lowest, basest, most unscrupulous lobbies" at the national capitol.

He gave the cost of enforcing prohibition since 1920 to 1932 as slightly exceeding a quarter billion dollars and said that over a half million dollars had been collected in fines and otherwise. Illustrating the ease with which whiskey could be obtained by minors in saloon days, he drew from his personal experiences and cited two instances that he and other boys and girls indulged in the forbidden drink. Making light of the statement of wets that mixed drinking and wild parties are prevalent among the young people in this prohibition era, he told the crowd that compared to his "wild parties" in the saloon days the present day youngster did not know anything. "The bootlegger is not a product of prohibition but was prevalent during the days of the saloons," he declared. He referred to President Roosevelt as a dictator.

Judge Sartin patterned his speech along patriotic lines and quoted a statement of Gen. John J. Pershing made while he was in France with the Expeditionary forces in 1918 but failed to tell of Pershing's present attitude toward prohibition. Judge Sartin declared that the legalization of the brewing industry would create no new jobs, but "make bartenders of soda skeets," "saloon keepers out of merchants," and bring poverty, misery, and want to the masses. Postmaster General Farley of the Roosevelt cabinet was painted as a "crooked Tammany politician" who had appointed a negro as assistant attorney general to cheat the veterans of the World War out of their just dues. Declaring that if one were a loyal Democrat he would go to the polls and vote against repeal and 3.2 beer and thus ended his "patriotic appeal."

The hat was passed around to help defray expenses.

Mrs. Chas. Moorhouse is in Mineral Wells for her health at the present.

Dial Glenn and James McCanlies are vacationing in New Mexico this week.

Chas. Moorhouse returned from Midland Friday where he had been on business.

Mrs. W. C. Glenn is visiting her daughter in Dumas this week.

Tom Bivins and family of Paducah and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bivins and son William Lee are visiting in Alvord this week.

Truscott Family Hold Annual Reunion

Members of the "Uncle Bob" Myers family held a reunion at the home of Mr. Myers August 3 at Truscott at which 62 persons attended. "Uncle Bob" as he is affectionately known among a wide circle of friends, has reached the age of 85 years. The reunion was held in honor of Mrs. Eva Willingham and daughter Ruth, of Hamlin. Mrs. Willingham is a niece of Mr. Myers and has been an invalid for the past eleven years. She had not seen her uncle in thirty eight years. Her husband died a year ago. Those attending brought dinners with them. Those present were G. W. Myers and family of Truscott, Cullen Eubanks and family of Truscott, Mrs. Grover Parris and child of Vernon, Mel Myers and family of Electra, D. B. Petts and family of Wichita Falls, Clyde Myers and wife of Truscott, Aubrey Myers and family of Truscott, W. E. Ryder and family of Truscott, T. J. Ferguson and family of Crowell, Mrs. Maude Swabs and son of San Antonio, Ed Davis and family of Rule, William Pettis of Truscott and Mrs. Willingham and daughter.

SUMMARY OF WORK DONE BY KNOX COUNTY CLUBS

Knox County Home Demonstration Club women are beginning now to realize how much work has to be done to improve their bedrooms before the achievement days in October. During the spare time that the women have had during the hot summer months much time has been devoted to interior improvement, especially in the bedroom. The report sent in from 7 of the 9 active clubs show that 40 rooms have been improved in some way. 20 rooms have been papered, 29 have refinished floors and woodwork, 40 pieces of furniture have been refinished, 54 new mattresses added, 75 added new bedding, 9 closets were built and 76 closets were remodeled either by adding shelves, rods for hanging clothes shoe racks or papering. Many other interesting changes are being made in the bedrooms and all at a minimum cost.

Foundation patterns not only make dresses fit better but save money declare the home demonstration women who are everywhere enthused over this new idea in dress making. 47 of these patterns have been completed in Knox County and each pattern has been used to make from 1 to 5 dresses.

In the 4-H clubs, demonstrations have been given on Clothing, (selection, planning, storage, care and construction), bedrooms (furnishing and arrangement), and canning, especially of beets and tomatoes.

From the clubs that reported an enrollment of 103 active club members, 62 dresses have been made, 63 have planted tomatoes, 57 have planted beets, and 59 of these have planted other vegetables. 95 pair of pillow slips have been made, 67 bedrooms have been improved and of these, 67 have been thoroughly cleaned, 62 have rearranged the furniture, 4 built closets, 26 improved closets, 8 papered rooms, 15 refinished furniture, 7 refinished wood work and 5 refinished floors. 33 made some article for their rooms and this included 16 dressing tables, 11 book shelves, 3 tables and 13 other odd pieces that the individual needed in her room. All of these articles were made at a minimum cost as no article reported cost over 25c. Scrap lumber and orange boxes were used in most cases.

Misses Lucille and Marguerite Stephens were visiting relatives in Crowell Wednesday.

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CLUB MEMBERS SEND THANKS TO BENJAMIN PEOPLE

We extend our sincere thanks to those people of Benjamin who so generously and so kindly gave of their money that we might attend the Farmer's Short Course at College Station last week.

We assure you we appreciate what they did and shall ever feel grateful for their help.

Mrs. R. M. Almanrode,
Mrs. Roy Jones
Miss Nila Mae Roden.

AUSTIN, Aug. 17.—During the past year 605 persons have died of appendicitis in Texas, according to the Director of Vital Statistics for the State Department of Health. Many of these deaths were caused by the persons' ignorance of the disease.

There are two forms of appendicitis, acute and chronic. The form that appears suddenly, with great pain is acute. Chronic appendicitis may extend over a long period of time and consists of slight attacks at intervals, but, at some time, there will usually occur an attack worse than any before and the disease may then become serious.

The acute attack appears suddenly. The first symptom is pain, sometimes over the entire abdomen, sometimes in a particular portion in the right side of the abdomen. Sometimes this pain extends around to the back or down into the right limb. The pain is cramp-like and is often mistaken for colic. The fever rises to 100 or 101 degrees and the pulse becomes quickened. Chronic appendicitis is the result of repeated attacks of the milder forms of appendicitis.

How to prevent appendicitis? Keep the body in perfect health as long as possible. Watch your teeth, your tonsils, any place where an infection may occur. Get plenty of good food, plenty of sleep, plenty of exercise. Have a thorough examination at least once a year and have your teeth examined and cleaned by a dentist at least once every six months. This kind of watchfulness will not only help you to avoid appendicitis, it will help you to avoid many other illnesses as well.

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THAT IF YOU NEED MEAT JUST TELL US WHAT KIND.

THE CASH MARKET

EVERETT—VALLEE

A nice home wedding occurred Monday morning at nine o'clock when Nita Exerett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Everett who is one of the substantial Mexican farmers, was married to Antonio Vallee. Miss Nicolosa Sisnosa was bridesmaid and Cucu Ohova as best man.

Several friends of the groom attended the ceremony.

They will make their home at the A. H. Sams place where the groom has employment.

Rev. Toby performed the ceremony.—Reported.

Mrs. W. Meinzer, Nela Beth, Claudia Opal, and Wiley Joe spent Sunday in Breckenridge visiting relatives.

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PANTS, Pressed .25
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J. D. KETHLEY O.D.

Optometrist

Munday Texas

Texas Theatre

SEYMOUR, TEXAS
ANNOUNCEMENTS
WEEK, AUGUST 18

Friday, Saturday Matinee

A rousing story of man, woman, and horseflesh in the ranch country—Bristling with action and romance.

Tom Keene and Betty Furness in
"CROSS FIRE"
"Scrappy", "Silly Symphony"

Saturday Night

Just what you need. Laughter and more laughter—Its here.

Wheeler and Woolsey in
"SO THIS IS AFRICA"
Raquel Torres—Esther Muir
"Alias, The Professor"
"Silly Symphony Cartoon"

Monday-Tuesday

Scotland Yards stumped—An American Romance, Comedy, Drama blended into a wonderful

Love story with
Clive Brook, Helen Vinson in
"MIDNIGHT CLUB"
with Geo. Raft, Alison Skipworth
"POP EYE The Sailor"
"Straight Shooter"

Wednesday-Thursday

Men, Events, Conditions, Post war history of America—Think about it, cry about it, remember it, Love it, Its ours, U. S. A. Never the less—

"HEROS FOR SALE"
with Richard Barthelme, Alice MacMahon, Loretta Young. Also
"Belasco's Band" "Bosko Cartoon"
COMING—SEPT. 6th.
Don't Forget the Date

SPECIALS

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

LEMONS, PER DOZEN,	.15
BANANAS, PER LB.	.05
COFFEE, PECOS, PER LB.	.26
GRAHAM CRACKERS, MILK & HONEY, 2 LB. BOX	.29
POST BRAN, PER PKG.	.10
LETTUCE, PER HEAD	.05
SOUR PICKLES, QUART JAR	.17
MUSTARD, QUART JAR	.17
PEAS, ABSCO, NO. 2, 2 FOR	.25
KRAUT, NO. 2 1-2, PER CAN	.10
VANILLA, 8 OZ. BOTTLE	.25
EAGLE BRAND MILK, PER CAN	.19

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August 18-19**

LEMONS, Fancy Red Balls, Large Size, DOZ.	.19
PEACHES, Fancy Calif. Elberta, DOZ.	.25
ORANGES, Med. Size, Red Balls, DOZ.	.19
LETTUCE, Crisp and Firm, HEAD	.05
POTATOES, No. 1 Utah Cobbler, 10 LBS.	.40
CRUSHED PINEAPPLE, GAL.	.49
MARSHMALLOWS, Red and White, 1-2 LB.	.10
GRAPE JUICE, Red and White, Pints,	.17
GINGER ALE, 12-oz. Bottle, 2 for	.19
SUGAR, Pure Granulated, 10 LBS.	.59
MILK, Red & White, 2 Tall or 4 Small	.15
MAYONNAISE, Red & White, 8 oz.	.15
PEANUT BUTTER, QUART,	.25
BOLOGNA, PER LB.	.15
ICE CREAM SALT, 5 LB. CARTON	.09
B. E. PEAS, DRY, 4 LBS FOR	.25
ARMOUR'S BREAKFAST BACON, SLICED, LB.	.17
FRESH VEGETABLES AT LOWEST PRICES.	
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ORDER OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF KNOX.
Suit No. 2344, Vol. 8, Page 43.
The Statte of Texas, To the Sheriff
or any Constable of Knox County,
Texas—Greeting:

Whereas, on the 14th day of February 1933, Leroy Brooks recovered in the District Court of Knox County, Texas, a judgment against R. J. Head for the sum of Six Hundred Ten and 66-100 dollars which amount is actually due thereon; with interest thereon from the 14th day of February 1933, at the rate of ten per cent per annum and costs of suit together with a foreclosure of a lien against R. J. Head on the following described property, to-wit:

Lots Numbers Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Block Number Seventy three (73), of the town of Goree, in Knox County, Texas, as shown by the map or plat of said town which is of record in the Deed Records of Knox County, Texas

as said lien existed on the 14th day of February 1933, and it is ordered by said judgment that said property be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgment. And if said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, the excess should be paid over to the said R. J. Head. But if said property should not sell for enough to pay off said sums of money, the balance due shall be made as under execution, and such order of sale shall have the force and effect of a writ of possession, and the officer executing same shall make a good and sufficient deed, and place the purchaser of said property in possession thereof within 30 days from date of sale.

Therefore, you are hereby commanded that you proceed to seize and sell the above described property as under execution, and make a good and sufficient deed to such purchaser and to place said purchaser of the same in possession thereof within 30 days after the day of sale, and you apply the proceeds thereof to the payment and satisfaction of said sum of Six Hundred, Ten and 66-100 Dollars, together with the interest that may be due thereon, and the further sum of Nine and 25-100 Dollars, costs of suit, together with your legal fees and commissions for executing this writ. And if the said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, then you are hereby directed to pay over the excess thereof to the defendant R. J. Head. But if you fail to find said property, or if the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy said judgment, together with interest and costs of suit and the costs of executing this writ, then you are directed to make the money, or any alance thereof remaining unpaid, out of any other property of the defendant R. J. Head as in case of ordinary executions.

Herein Fail Not, but due return make hereof within 30 days from the date hereof, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court of Knox County, at my office in Benjamin, this 10th day of August 1933.

Roy Phillips, Clerk District Court, Knox County, Texas.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF KNOX.

In the Justice Court, Precinct No. 1, Knox County, Texas, L. Simpson Lumber Company, plaintiff, vs The Big Four Ranch Company, a corporation, defendant.

Whereas by virtue of an alias execution issued out of Justice Court Precinct No. 1, Knox County, Texas on a judgement rendered in said Court on the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1932, in favor of said L. Simpson Lumber Company for the sum of \$148.70 and all costs of suit, and against the said Big Four Ranch Company, No. 610 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 31st day of July A. D. 1933 at 3:45 o'clock, P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Knox, State of Texas, and belonging to the said Big Four Ranch Company, a corporation to-wit:

Abstract No. 87, Survey No. 11, 640 acres.

Abstract No. 213, Survey No. 101, 120 acres.

Abstract No. 214, Survey No. 99, 318.5 acres.

Abstract No. 243, Survey No. 105, 640 acres.

Abstract No. 245, Survey No. 109, 640 acres.

The above described of the original grantee H. and T. C. Ry. Co.

Abstract No. 482, Survey No. 21, 640 acres.

Abstract No. 483, Survey No. 23, 640 acres.

Abstract No. 486, Survey No. 29, 640 acres.

Abstract No. 487, Survey No. 31, 640 acres.

Abstract No. 489, Survey No. 35, 471.5 acres.

Abstract No. 490, Survey No. 27, 321 acres.

All of the above described of the original grantee C. T. and M.

Abstract No. 1004, Survey No. — 886 acres of the original grantee, Day Land and Cattle Company.

Abstract No. 1408 Survey No. 32

640 acres.
Abstract No. 1559, Survey No. 20

640 acres.
Abstract No. 1561, Survey No. 30

640 acres.
Abstract No. 1562, Survey No. 22

640 acres.
Abstract No. 1645, Survey No. 38

640 acres.
All of the above described of the original grantee D. and W. Ry. Co.

Abstract No. 1647, Survey No. 104

630 acres, original grantee H. and T. C. Ry. Co.

Abstract No. 1648, Survey No. 36

471 acres original grantee D. and W. Ry. Co.

Abstract No. 1804, Survey No. 98

334 acres.
Abstract No. 1833, Survey No. 122

40 acres.
The two last above described of the original grantee H. and T. C. Ry.

and on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1933, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.

on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the Big Four Ranch Co. in and to said property.

Dated at Munday, this the 31 day of July A. D. 1933.

M. H. McCarty,
Constable, Precinct No. 6, Knox County, Texas.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF KNOX.

In the county court of Knox County, Texas, John Herrin, plaintiff vs. J. C. Kuhler, Defendant.

Whereas by virtue of an alias execution, issued out of the County Court of Knox County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court, on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1933, in faor of the said John Herrin, for the sum of (\$406.68) Four hundred six and 68-100 dollars, and all costs of said suit, against the said J. C. Kuhler, No. 735 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1933, at 6:30 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Knox, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. C. Kuhler, to-wit:

Lots No. 9 and 10 in Block No. 4, of the original town site of Rhineland, Knox County, Texas.

And on the 5th day of September A. D. 1933, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash all the right, title and interest of said J. C. Kuhler, in and to said property.

Dated at Munday this the 4th day of August, A. D. 1933.

M. H. McCarty,
Constable Precinct No. 6, Knox County, Texas.

upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Knox, State of Texas, and belonging to said W. W. Coffman, to-wit:

Abstract No. 1399, Survey No. 86 Block No. 45 consisting of 90 acres of the original grantee, H. and T. C. Ry. Co. Being same land acquired by him in the division of the estate of Miss Mary Coffman, Deceased, as shown by partition deed, recorded in the office of the County Clerk of Knox County, Texas, to which reference is here made in complete description of said land.

And on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1933, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the court house door of said county I will offer for sale and sell for cash at public auction all the right, title and interest of said W. W. Coffman in and to said property.

Dated at Munday, Knox County, Texas, this the 31st day of July, A. D. 1933.

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COUNTY OF KNOX.

In the County Court of Knox County, Texas, John Herrin, plaintiff vs. J. C. Kuhler, Defendant.

Whereas by virtue of an alias execution, issued out of the County Court of Knox County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court, on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1933, in faor of the said John Herrin, for the sum of (\$406.68) Four hundred six and 68-100 dollars, and all costs of said suit, against the said J. C. Kuhler, No. 735 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1933, at 6:30 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Knox, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. C. Kuhler, to-wit:

Lots No. 9 and 10 in Block No. 4, of the original town site of Rhineland, Knox County, Texas.

And on the 5th day of September A. D. 1933, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash all the right, title and interest of said J. C. Kuhler, in and to said property.

Dated at Munday this the 4th day of August, A. D. 1933.

M. H. McCarty,
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I WISH TO ANNOUNCE THAT THE MUNDAY NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION IS NOW IN A POSITION TO INTELLIGENTLY TAKE APPLICATIONS FOR FEDERAL LOANS AT 4 1-2 PER CENT INTEREST.

ALSO THAT I WILL TAKE APPLICATIONS FOR LAND BANK COMMISSIONER'S LOANS WHICH ARE BASED ON 75 PER CENT OF THE APPRAISED NORMAL VALUE OF THE FARM OR RANCH, AND OR CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

I HAVE JUST HAD A CONFERENCE WITH ONE WHO HAS THE CORRECT KNOWLEDGE AND INFORMATION CONCERNING BOTH OF THE ABOVE KINDS OF LOANS, AND FEEL NOW THAT I CAN TAKE APPLICATIONS OF THE ABOVE KIND WITH A MAXIMUM POSSIBILITY OF SUCCESS, AND THE POSSIBILITY OF A MINIMUM COST TO THE APPLICANT.

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FARM ACCOUNTING CONTEST LAUNCHED

Bankers Evolve Plan for Stimulating Important Aid to Farm Success

THE Cache county, Utah, bankers recently added a stimulus to banker-farmer cooperative work by launching a farm accounting contest. At a meeting of the Clearing House Association the project was put before the bankers, and methods and plans formulated.

Each bank in the county agreed to enroll a minimum of five farmers in the farm accounting project. The names of the farmers when enrolled will be sent to the Secretary of the Clearing House, and also to the Extension Division of the Utah State Agricultural College. The bankers agree to cooperate and keep in close touch with each farmer they enroll so as to insure the completion of a maximum number. The bank which succeeds at the conclusion of the contest in enrolling the largest number of farmers completing the project will be given a special recognition at the annual meeting.

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The banks of Cache county have agreed to subscribe to an award fund, which will be presented to five winners as follows: first prize, \$35.00; second prize, \$25.00; third prize, \$20.00; fourth prize, \$12.50; fifth prize, \$7.50.

Recognition for Good Farming

In addition to the cash prizes, every farmer customer enrolled, who scores sixty per cent or more, will be awarded a special certificate issued by the Clearing House Association and the Extension Service jointly in cooperation with the Agricultural Committee of the Utah Bankers Association.

The scoring will be done on the following basis:

Farm and home account records (accurate and complete)	50%
Success of year's operations as brought out in the summary of the year's business	25%
General appearance of farm and improvements and condition of livestock and poultry, (judging to be done during the summer months)	25%

The contest will end December 31, 1933. The judges will be the County Agent, the County Key Banker, a representative of the Clearing House Association, and two representatives selected by the Extension Division of the College.

Would trade 160 acres of land in Dawson County all in cultivation, well improved in good community, for smaller farm in Knox County. Address this office.

GARNER URGES ALL TO VOTE FOR REPEAL OF THE 18th AMENDMENT

Because it violates a fundamental principle of government and has not produced a satisfactory or effective solution of the temperance problem, Vice President John N. Garner calls upon the people of Texas to vote for the repeal of the 18th Amendment.

The Vice President's plea was contained in a letter addressed to Roy Miller, Texas Director of the National Democratic Campaign, and released from Committee Headquarters here today. The letter in full follows:

In response to your inquiry as to my position concerning the Eighteenth Amendment, I beg to remind you that I voted against its submission when it was first presented to Congress because I believed it violated a fundamental principle of government. Since then I have availed myself of every opportunity to assist in bringing about its repeal.

In obedience to the platform of the last Democratic National Convention and on the first day of the session of Congress following, as Speaker, I submitted the question of repeal to a vote of the House of Representatives. I considered it my duty to do so because the American people by overwhelming vote, had ratified the party platform which demanded repeal.

That the Eighteenth Amendment has not accomplished the results expected of it, even by its advocates, all will agree. That it has not produced a satisfactory solution of the temperance problem is the judgment of a vast majority of the people of this Republic.

I shall exercise my duty as a citizen on the 26th of August by voting to repeal the Eighteenth Amendment and trust that every citizen of Texas likewise go to the polls and perform a similar duty. I especially urge my fellow Democrats to thus support the party and its leadership.

John N. Garner.

Tom Bivins and family of Paducah and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bivins and son William Lee are visiting in Alford this week.

Chas. Moorhouse returned from Midland Friday where he had been on business.

The Bank as a Rebuilder

IN place of a 3 per cent loss on an investment of \$40,000 a large New York savings bank is now getting 6 per cent profit on an investment of \$80,000, because it had the good business judgment to spend \$40,000 in modernizing a group of 40-year-old tenement houses on the lower East Side which it was forced to take over on mortgage foreclosure, says an article in the American Bankers Association Journal. A year or two ago the owner, who had always kept up his mortgage payments, began to neglect the property, it became run down and the tenants began to leave.

The bank remodeled the buildings completely, putting in an oil-burning heating plant, incinerators and other modern changes, with the result the buildings are now entirely rented, and there is \$14,000 a year coming in instead of several thousand going out. At that rate the improvements will pay for themselves in three years.

This same bank has done 15 other renovation jobs similar to this, and all have proved profitable. The bank has its own architects and is employing seven painters who are kept busy continuously.

ANNOUNCING

Change in ownership of the Williams Barber Shop, August 16. This shop will hereafter be known as the

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