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Football Season Opens Suturday

The Woodville foot ball season opens Saturday with its first conference game, and patrons of Kirby Hi will turn out and get a first hand eye-full of Coach Telford's warriors.

The game is to be called at 2:30 and the admission will be 50c., played at the Fairgrounds gridiron.

It is true the Woodville team has been *defeated twice this season, but* they were only practice game encounters, then, too, the game at Saritoga was played by a Woodville second string team.

In fact this game with Saritoga was played with only two boys who had ever been in a game before, and Saritoga lined up its first string team against our amateurs.

Those who know football, play the game, talk it and dream it will tell you any team that holds the better team to a 32 score will say that the team that got stepped on "wasn't so rotten!". And while the Booster editor is not very well acquainted with foot ball, we do read the scores in the daily papers of the big games and occasionally read of 85 to 0, and we wonder just how poor was the team that came out at the small end of the horn.

The game with Livingston also a practice game was a bit different The first string team from K. H. was used and they gave a fairly good account of themselves. It is a known fact Livingston has a heavy, fast team and they also have nine letter men—so much for Livingston

The Woodville graduating exercises deprived the heads of their two ends as well as nearly wrecking the back field. Coach Telford says it he can plug up these two weak spots his team will undoubtedly give a good account of itself this season

In the Saritoga game Coach Telford says he has some very good material coming along with the youngsters. The outstanding boys are Joe Tucker, Walter Cain and Lee Norton.

The Livingston game resulted in a 14-0 score and 11 men from Woodville were taken over for the battle.

Anybody will tell you that a 14-0 score was nobody's walk-away game

In actual play the weak spots on the Kirby Hi squad were confined to the ends and the backfield Gilbert Wright is reported to be the best man developed, in a play-by-play analysis for the Livingston game.

Livingston, as usual, turned out a punk crowd. This was the case while we openated the Livingston paper. In fact, Livingston is famous for its poor attendance at football and base ball games—just like Woodville—only DIFFERET, for Woodville always turns out a good enthusiastic bunch of sideliners.

Prof. J. H. Slack will be on the job with his school band—first up and down the main drag with a parade, and then at the fairground gridiron to help pe pup the gang—both on the center of the field as well as on the side lines.

An admission charge of 50c will be collected at the gate and those who pay will be tagged, and it is reported to The Booster a deputy sheriff will be on the job looking for those who are not properly decorated with this aforesaid tag. Say, can you imagine Carlton Young and Leffie Rainey being pinched for crashing the gate?

The schedule for the season follows:

Oct. 8 *Silsbee at Woodville.
Oct. 15 De Ridder, La., at De Ridder
Oct. 22 *Kirbyville at Woodville.
Oct. 29 *Burkville at Woodville.
Nov. 5 Corrigan, not decided where
Nov. 11 *Buna at Woodville
Nov. 19 Open date.
Nov. 24 *Jasper at Woodville.

Come out to the game and root for for the home boys, you foot ball enthusiasts. Get on the band wagon and show Kirby High boys you're pulling for them to win.

When you go out don't forget to bring along the pocket book—the boys need the money.

THE SPURGER OIL WELL EXCITEMENT

As The Booster goes to press no definite report can be made in regard to the big gasser. A report in the daily papers Monday stated the well came in as a 30,000,000 cubit foot gasser, and that information could not be obtained as to the plans of the operators—whether the hole would remain a gasser or if they would drill deeper and attempt to bring in an oil well.

The hole was cemented in last week and it is reported the operators exto drill through this week—one report stated the gas pressure was so strong they expected trouble in getting the cement to properly set.

However, before the Booster comes out next week there will undoubtedly be news of a definite character to report in this well's progress.

Marriage Licenses

John B. Penticost
Alma Virginia Mahan
J. W. Hubert Mrs. Bernice Segrest
Jim Best Mattie Lee Richardson
Bryan Martin
Frances Lucille Richardson

Colored

Thomas Scott Lydia Peacocks
Chas Powell Anna May Armstrong

List of Jurors--- Grand and Petit

Th following is the list of the grand jurors as drawn by the jury commission, to serve at the October term of the district Court which convenes on October 31, 1932.

GRAND JURORS

J. B. Best	T. C. Hicks
C. G. Shivers	Amos Watts
T. C. Crews	J. S. Spurlock
J. C. Clark	J. F. Boyd
S. P. Sims	Dallas Spurlock
J. V. Harris	A. P. Sheffield
W. A. Swearingen	Ross Seamons
M. E. Best	A. T. Nash

PETIT JURORS

(First Week of Oct. 31, 1932)

Frank Pope	A. N. Owens
Archie T. Nash	B. D. Hawkins
Buford Bradshaw	R. E. Pennington
J. A. Williams	Lester Cruse
W. D. Kincaid	N. T. Bell
Henry Wilson	J. J. Spinks
W. N. Hatton	G. S. Melvin
J. W. Richey	A. E. Pedigo
B. P. Smith	J. D. Wickline
Geo. W. Moye	J. H. Lazenby
Albert Bumstead	L. D. Gant
W. D. McNeil	W. H. Fortenberry
J. H. Tucker	W. P. Stewart
Chas. D. Ogden	T. L. Nolan
W. C. Tolar	H. C. Day
R. Bingham	W. B. Dailey
R. B. McCree	Amos McAlister
E. W. Tubbs	J. W. Fitzgerald
R. B. Pool	E. P. Graham
Guy Willford	H. E. Caraway

(Second Week, Nov. 7, 1932)

Allen Anderson	C. W. Richards
D. P. Sheffield	C. J. Cruse
W. T. Edgar	Pope McBride
Andrew Smith	W. A. Sawyer
J. T. Read	W. C. Waters
J. B. Levins	W. L. Gober
L. B. Hatton	J. E. Gardner
P. H. Powell	T. R. Jordan
W. M. Bingham	J. W. Lazenby
W. P. Williams	J. B. McGrew
Jerry Grimes	Jas. A. Hatto
Mose Hayes	W. B. Jordan
R. A. Roaan	W. L. Dull
J. L. Hatton	Lester Young
W. A. Goode	E. N. Richardson
Sam Poindexter	W. J. Peters
J. C. Davis	J. B. Young
O. A. Keith	E. J. Riley, Jr.

(Fourth Week, Nov. 28, 1932)

Frank Fain	Hal Barclay
C. C. Holmes	Jessie Johnson
G. R. Wright	T. H. Busselle
R. K. Best	R. R. Bendy
John Richardson	J. T. Vinson
B. E. Mayo	Geo. McInis
J. C. Sheffield	V. H. Means
Burton Gant	Ed Read
E. R. Rawls	J. E. McBride
H. F. Rimer	J. B. Spurlock
F. Y. Collier	E. J. Sullivan
J. T. Lindsey	A. B. Odum
R. F. Gray	C. A. Watts
R. C. Compte	LeeNeal
C. N. Richie	H. M. Watts
Jessie Dominey	C. H. Dean
J. B. Coffman	W. J. Dean
R. C. Bumstead	T. V. Seamons

(Fifth Week, Dec. 5, 1932)

T. E. Sturrock	W. V. Goolsbee
J. H. Pool	E. W. Minyard
H. M. Coward	L. G. Jordan, Jr.
Jace Nowlin	C. E. Best
J. W. Harrison	J. R. Ogden
L. L. Mock	H. E. Seamons
R. S. Melvin	N. A. Platt
J. H. Gilmore	J. H. Bendy
Clyde Freemon	R. Priest
L. G. Miller	Gus Hollomon
J. L. Wiggins, Jr.	S. P. Day
S. B. McBride	W. Z. Parsons
J. P. Yawn	Ed Farrell
T. C. Rock	A. R. Hatton
H. C. Pedigo	J. B. Dean
J. E. Mathews	J. D. Seamons
O. A. Norton	W. C. Crews
S. B. McAlister	R. Z. Lazenby

PROGRESS IS REPORTED

By wireless via the grapeline route word is circulating about to the effect Woodville is either going to be lucky or unlucky in its application to the Federal Refinance Corporation for funds with which to install a system of water works and a sewer disposal plant.

Several new homes are going up in Woodville and if these two city improvements are going over people hope the matter will be settled soon.

In the event the plan does not materialize there will be several homes modernized with water and home grown systems of sewerage, but these home improvements will not be started until the Finance Corporation has rendered its decision.

Messrs. R. K. Best, Hill Best and Lee Best of Town Bluff were county seat visitors Tuesday.

Booster's Amendment Interpretation

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS TO BE VOTED ON NOV. 8

Nine Constitutional amendments are to be voted on by the people of Texas at the regular election in November this year. Now, that other matters of election are over, these amendments should receive the attention of the voters of the State in the interest of an intelligent registration of the will of the people

Two years ago there was too little thought given to the amendments, and although the danger in some of them was pointed out and the voters [illegible] of the dangerous ones [illegible] some of the good ones refused passage

The nine amendments are on the following questions:

1. House Joint Resolution No. 24 provides that only sufficient amount of property on which taxes are delinquent shall be sold to satisfy the amount due, and provides for [illegible] that the owner shall have the right to redeem said property [illegible] the purchaser paid plus a filing fee of $1 and 25 per cent additional on the original price and fees [illegible] After two years the property [illegible] $1,000 or less and not over 50 [illegible] the total cost to the owner [illegible] charges, the land cost, [illegible] redemption. After [illegible] the same, owners rights are forfeited

The Booster believes this amendment will be of some value to the people and will support it

2. House Joint Resolution No. 2 provides for the authorization of counties and cities bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to issue bonds for seawalls, breakwaters, and for sanitary purposes, on two-thirds vote of the qualified voters. The amendment provides proper safeguards for the payment of bonds and interest.

This amendment will be of benefit to the cities and counties mentioned and may serve to stop State remission of taxes. We shall vote for it.

3. House Joint Resolution No. 6 provides that $3,000 of the assessed taxable values of all residence homesteads as now defined shall be exempt from all taxation for State purposes except in those counties now receiving remissions of taxes for improvement purposes, but when again subject to taxation shall also apply to these.

No. 3 is a good and just amendment. It will save the State much. Many people have had their homes sold and moved to the poorhouse where they have since been supported at public expense. We approve it.

4. House Joint Resolution No. 12 provides that the Legislature of the State of Texas shall have no power to release or extinguish, or to authorize the releasing or extinguishing, in whole or in part, the indebtedness, liability or obligations of any corporation or individual, to this State or to any county or defined subdivision thereof, or other municipal corporation therein, except delinquent taxes which have been due for a period of at least ten years.

We favor No. 4. The legislature has not gone too far in this connection.

5. House Joint Resolution No. 1, provides for establishing the inhibitions against voting of any persons in this State and provides that no person shall hold two offices of honor, or trust, or emolument, nor shall they receive moneys from the State while holding two places of trust, emolument, honor or compensation.

The Booster favors this amendment.

6. House Joint Resolution No. 21, provides for the consolidation of the offices of tax assessor and tax collector in counties of 10,000 population or over.

No. 6 provides for the consolidation of the offices of tax assessor and tax collector. If one believes the abolishment of jobs is the way to answer questions of the depression, of course one will support this measure. The present law provides for compensation of the assessor and the collector. The new amendment would leave the matter of compensation with the legislature. It has been suggested that the change would remove no cost of the assessor's office, instead the compensation would go to the collector. This, however, has been denied by members of the legislature, *who assert the saving to* the State would amount to the sum paid in salary to the assessor, as the work would be done under the direction of the collector who is already paid for his services.

7. House Joint Resolution No. 2 provides that hereafter when bond elections are held by any county, counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or county or defined district only qualified electors who own taxable property in the State, political subdivision, county, district, city, town, or village, where such election is held and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall have a right to vote.

The Booster favors the amendment. Bond elections have been [illegible] of property owners by three to [illegible] a vote on a watch, a radio, or a car and nothing more.

8. Senate Joint Resolution No. 28 provides for the expenditure of the State of Texas an amount of money through appropriations by the Legislature necessary for holding a Texas Centennial, commemorating the [illegible] period of early Texas history.

The Booster opposes [illegible] No. 8. It favors a centennial but doubts the wisdom of some legislative authority for the appropriation of money for such expenditure. It is claimed that the amendment would only permit the expenditure of money for the purpose mentioned. In this we do not concur; it is rarely possible to appropriate money for one specific show and prevent others being cared for by the same statute. We will contribute an amount of more than our pro rata share of the taxes would be for the centennial, but we are against taking down the bars on such appropriations. Strong forces are at work to secure the passage of this amendment, and it may be accomplished, but not with our vote. It is a dangerous piece of legislation and will cause trouble in the future. Under the rule Texas might find itself supporting fairs in various localities should it approve it. In passing, we might add, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, through its committee on public expenditure, has issued a warning against it.

9. Senate Joint Resolution No. 26, provides for the placing of all lands and other property heretofore set apart and appropriated for the establishment and maintenance of the University of Texas, together with all the proceeds of sales of the same heretofore made or hereafter to be made, and all grants, donations and appropriations that may herefter be made by the State of Texas, or from any other source, except donations limited to specific purposes, shall constitute and become a Permanent University fund. And the same as realized and received into the Treasury of the State (together with such sums belonging to the fund, as may now be in the Treasury), shall be invested in bonds of the United States the State of Texas, or counties of said State, or in School Bonds or municipalities, or in bonds issued under and by virtue of the Federal Farm Loan Act approved by the President of the United States July 17, 1916, and amendments thereto, and the interest accruing thereon shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature to accomplish the purpose declared in the foregoing section; provided that one-tenth of the alternate Sections of the lands granted to railroads, reserved by the State, which were set apart and appropriated to the establishment of the University of Texas, by an Act of the Legislature of February 11, 1858, shall not be included in, or constitute a part of the Permanent University Fund.

The Booster will also vote for No. 9. It will preserve the money coming from loyalties on oil and lands, permitting interest to be used.

C. S. Spurlock Won A Race With Death

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Spurlock drove to Spurger Saturday evening expecting to spend the week end It was about suppertime when Cecil Ratcliff drove up to the A. P. Sheffield home with a truck. With him was his wife and little year and a half old baby.

Ratcliff wanted to know what were the chances to get to Houston in a hurry. He stated his baby was slowly strangling to death with two peas in his wind pipe Mr Spurlock said "just a minute while I get my hat" They loaded into the Spurlock car and drove the old bus at the speed limit At Silsbee they phoned to a Houston hospital and the doctor told them exactly where to come and that they would be waiting.

When about a block away the baby died The doctor were waiting at curb and when informed the baby had ceased to have been [illegible] some time. When told he gave the infant and hastened to the elevator Expensive artificial [illegible] Just as he got the baby on the operating table another physician entered, inserted a tube with a bulb on the end, forced the [illegible] right lung [illegible] instrument and [illegible] rolled on the [illegible] examination and another [illegible] and the attempt to save [illegible] The baby [illegible] the doctor [illegible] [illegible] operating table [illegible] [illegible] tube [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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Editorial Notes

ON PAGE one of this issue is a notice to taxpayers something about delinquent State and County taxes and the penalty and interest. It will pay all to read the notice and govern themselves accordingly.

THEY DO SAY the County of Jefferson's sheriff's office costs the State $10,000 annually. Well, now will someone kindly tell the world if Sheriff W. W. Connaton can be blamed for a technical charge. That's all we want to know.

IT IS VERY evident that the Lufkin educational system does not believe in newspaper publicity as the school employes extended to newspaper men have been denied the year Previous to this year the Daily News has employed a paper writer at its own expense. This year the board of trustees will have to worry along without the services of Morris Prunk, who is perhaps one of the best small city sport writers in all of Texas. One of the other Prunk will be disappointed in one of the great newspapers and in one of the big metropolitan dailies.

ONE OF THE amusing things happened when the Texas Legislature met in Austin. There is not much time for the Sterling-Davenport faction to be settled between now and October 8th the time for the opening of the special session, which will be called when and if Governor Sterling gets ready.

WHAT'S THE use? Up there in New York a man attempted car robbery three operatic and oil stocks this year can outdo and in fact but no least $10,000 aboard, was robbed in broad daylight at one of the docks by several members of the underground gang land inhabitants. With cannon, tear gas, machine guns the gangsters who undoubtedly needed the coin had no trouble at all in successfully separating the coin from the operators of the armoured car. It seems as though law and law enforcement officers ought to be connected with a choice assortment of tinware. Such a plan in New York as well as in the Windy City should be recommended because of the great savings the city could make by pursuing such a procedure. The financial saving would be great. First in the cost of the armoured car and then in the weekly payroll of the so called officers of the law-enforcement department of the city. And, too, it would be a great savings to the gangsters themselves. With no law officers about, the gangsters could pull off their stuff with one or two men less—say the outlooks, for instance.

Voice of the Press

In 1931 Texas was one of the five leaders among the states in the matter of expenditures for highways. New York came first with an expenditure of $70,004,295; Pennsylvania, second, with $57,641,283; New Jersey, third, with $48,859,249; Louisiana, fourth, with $47,217,124; and Texas, fifth, with $41,204,463. Louisiana's expenditures came following the issuance of $60,000,000 in State bonds for highway purposes. What the expenditures for highways will be in 1932 in Texas remains to be determined. The amount probably will be about what it was last year. It is apparent that fine progress has been made in developing a great highway system in this State. There still is much to be done, however, and it is unlikely that Texas will get a comprehensive, connected highway system until a large State bond issue is provided. Most states that have a complete system, such as North Carolina, Missouri, Illinois and others, got them through the State bond route. This is obviously not the time for Texas to consider a big bond issue for new highways. Eventually, however, we may come to that.

A slowed down in highway construction in Texas next year is in prospect. Diversion of part of the gasoline tax to the payment of interest and sinking funds on bonds taken over from the counties under the provisions of the act passed at the last regular session of the legislature, will certain construction work. There will be no further aid from the counties in building State highways. And money advanced by the Federal government on relief loans is going to be charged against Federal aid allotments for highways. And so money will not be available for building highways in the near future as rapidly as in the past, unless there is a big gain in revenue from the gasoline tax occasioned by an increase in the number of vehicles used. There is no prospect of an increase in the gasoline tax.—Houston Post.

The inevitable has happened. Once more it has been demonstrated that it is uneconomic to charge more than the traffic will bear. The advance in postage rates from 2 to 3 cents has been found unpalatable to the public. The department and the subcommittee on post office, empowered by the act of supersedeas to investigate the postal rates recommended early in duration of the 72-cent rate, that three month have been required to demonstrate that the rate is much too high. The fact pertaining to the 3-cent rate were well known to all who were in Congress when 4-cent postage was in force. Congress, however, was in an administrative extremity and was willing to go along with the 4-cent rate in the hope that the revenue would be increased by the increase in the rate. Congress was advanced that a return to the old rate as quickly as possible is deemed advisable. As might have been expected, when the 3-cent rate was put into effect, everybody who could do so cut down on their use of the postal service, or cut it out altogether. Business houses, forced by economic conditions to save at every point, found other means of sending communications in many instances. Warning was sounded from many quarters when congress was considering the raise in first class postal rates in the last session. That body was told that to raise postal rates, when everything else besides taxes was down would be reported by the [illegible] as a [illegible] of congressional [illegible] [illegible] Post.

[illegible] Bill Pace's [illegible] Bill Pace's [illegible] Bill Pace's [

Deaths

FORMER TYLER COUNTY RESIDENT BURIED SATURDAY

Early last week the news came to friends that Mrs. Lulu Bower of Yuma, Ariz., had passed away on Monday of last week, Sept. 26th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ettie Barnes. Thursday two of her sons, R. C. Bower of Houston and W. H. of Beaumont were in Woodville to make funeral arrangements, expecting the remains to be here Friday.

Between Sanderson and Del Dio the train was held 30 hours between two washouts, as West Texas is suffering from severe floods the past few weeks so the funeral cortege did not reach Woodville until Saturday afternoon.

Many of friends from Jasper and other places near came Friday who could not return again Saturday. Woodville friends prepared to entertain the family, but were disappointed by the late arrival.

Mrs. Bower was 85 years of age, and with her deceased husband who died many years ago, raised her family of four boys and one girl, one other daughter passed on years ago at the age of eleven years in Woodville. Mrs. Bower was in the mercantile business here for years. A member of the Methodist church she was a [illegible] Christian character, a good neighbor and [illegible] her family to take [illegible] world as honored [illegible] Mrs. Eva Parr [illegible] Woodville [illegible] W. F. [illegible] Per Jeff [illegible]

MRS. STELLA CHRISTIE
For Tyler County Scrapbook

Theatre

[illegible] SATURDAY
[illegible] RIDE
[illegible] CAVALIER
AND
JANET McDONALD
IN
"LOVE ME TONIGHT"

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY
WILL ROGERS
IN
"BUSINESS AND PLEASURE"

OF INTEREST TO TEXAS BAPTISTS

Texas Baptists will hold Associational meetings and institutes in each of the 107 groups in the state, beginning Oct. 9th, in the interest of the Every-member canvass campaign. During the last few days there have been meetings in each of the 17 districts, in all parts of the state. At these meetings plans were made for the Associational group meetings and the work was placed in the hands of 107 committees, each serving in its own territory.

Sunday, Oct. 16 has been designated as "State Mission Sunday," and on that day most of the 3000 churches will take special offerings for this cause. The campaign closes in "pledge week," Oct. 23-30.

In the every member canvass campaign the half million Baptists of Texas are attempting to raise $600,000 for missions and benevolences. This sum will represent a gift of $1.20 per person for the entire year to these causes, and those directing the campaign feel very much encouraged.

THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

Judge J. E. Sturrock, chairman of the Tyler County Chapter, Woodville, received the following letter, which will be of interest to all concerned in the work of the Red Cross, both from a national character as well as the local chapter:

"J. W. F. Arey, special field representative of the office, St. Louis, Mo., will arrive in your chapter about October 10 for the purpose of assisting with the preparation for the forthcoming Roll Call. I feel sure that Mr. Arey will be able to acquaint you with a county-wide plan for [illegible] membership. The [illegible] be made of the time [illegible] arrange to [illegible] with you the [illegible] Roll Call. It [illegible] the [illegible] Chairman, it [illegible] been [illegible] time [illegible] advice you about [illegible]

NO CHANGE IN SQUIRREL SEASON

[illegible] to Chapter inside [illegible] for Tyler county [illegible] open [illegible] bag [illegible] November and December.

We [illegible] one of the best [illegible] in Texas, no doubt [illegible] will be made to make [illegible] conform to the [illegible] adjoining counties, [illegible] near [illegible]. This will help [illegible] to avoid confusion as to the [illegible] season in Tyler county as [illegible] to the adjoining counties.

Hamilton county farmers have been [illegible] by the county agent how to destroy beds of stinging red ants at a cost of about 3 cents per bed. A solution of sodium cyanide is poured in the beds when all the ants are at at home.

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Woodville Locals

Miss Jessie Gray was suddenly taken ill Tuesday night and her friends are much concerned about her.

Leffie Rainey was a business visitor in Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schoonover of Chicago arrived Wednesday of last week for a visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. J. H. Willard. Mr. and Mrs. Schoonover have spent most of the past year in California.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Tatum spent Sunday with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tatum at Smith Ferry.

500,000 TAX SPENDING BODIES

The statement was recently made from an authoritive source that there are upwards of 500,000 tax spending bodies in the United States.

It is estimated that during the fiscal year to end June 30, these bodies will have spent the sum of $14,000,000,000—one-fifth of the national income. Where, in 1903, the per capita annual cost of government was $19.39, it is now about $125—an increase well in excess of 600%.

The present predicament of the country is largely the result of these tax increases, made necessary by political waste, inefficiency and selfishness, and by the creation of new bureaus and boards, each with its list of employes, and by unwarranted extension of government activities into fields which should properly be left to private initiative. Unless a start is made toward genuine government economy, which will lop off unnecessary commissions and eliminate waste and duplication of effort, the wealth and earning power of our citizens will be confiscated by taxation.—The Bayou City Tribune.

COWS EAT HILLSIDE RANGES OF COUNTY SHORT ON CALCIUM

Men are not so smart after all. With all natural endowments and modern education they can still learn things from the lowly animal, even a cow.

A valuable element was being left out of the rations of the average cow until recently when a plains herd was discovered eating a hole in the side of a caliche hill, now calcium in adequate quantities is considered as necessary as salt.

Taylor County ranges are low in both calcium and phosporous, according to County Agent C. Metz Heald. Cattle are getting only about twenty-five per cent as much of these minerals as they should have and the seventy-five per cent should be made up with a salt mixture containing fifty to sixty per cent minerals, the agent declared.

Deficiency of these minerals cause creeps, soft hoof and poor lamb and calf crops, Mr. Heald said.

Feeding livestock on caliche or lime stone, will also build bone and weight on animals.

The discovery was made accidentally in pens in Yellowhouse canyon north of Lubbock.

One day last spring he went into the pens and found that the animals had eaten back into the canyon, space wide enough for a wagon or truck to drive in. He soon discovered that the animals liked the caliche and daily ate it with their grain ration.

It has long been known that a small amount of limestone was a necessary part of rations for livestock. But as far as it is known this is the first time that herds have consumed Caliche of limestone in any quantity tity.

Cattlemen state that the animals from the Stanton pens has wonderful bone structure and that they were able to carry a heavier weight than those without a regular ration of lime.—Abilene Times.

Hog Production Wanted On All Texas Farms

An important factor in the expansion that should take place in Texas agriculture, by way of increased livestock production, is the production of hogs. Less than half of the farms of Texas report having hogs and thus indicate that they are not producing pork and pork products for home use or securing a cash income from this source. In the mid-west the hog is known as the mortgage payer and mortgages on many farms in this state could be paid off if the proper kind of live stock production was carried on.

While hog prices dropped to extremely low levels a few months ago, the price has recently risen to a point where good profits can be made where home produced feed is available. There are fine local markets available for hogs produced in this state and the Texas markets are always begging for high grade hogs from Texas. Every Texas farmer should be producing his own pork products and where possible secure a good cash income from the sale of surplus hogs.

Opening of 1932 Foot Ball Season

Saturdy Oct. 8

Woodville vs. Silsbee

(The First Conference Game)

GAME PLAYED AT FAIRGROUND FIELD. BALL PUT INTO PLAY AT 2.30 SHARP
SLACK'S SCHOOL BAND WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE TO PEP UP THAT ENTIRE CROWD
DON'T MISS THE PARADE AND — COME — COME
Remember this is the 1st Conference game of the season

Watch for the PEP PARADE

Woodville Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis of Camp Ruby spent Sunday with the sister, Mrs. Bertha Prescott.

Among the many to go to Fairview Tuesday were Mesdames M. C. Tatum, J. R. McCombs, Esca Walker, Dan Cobb and Dan Rawls.

Earl Prafka returned Sunday from a visit near Chester with W. A. Barnes. His parents from Port Arthur also spent Sunday in the Judge W. A. Johnson home.

Mrs. John C. Davis and children were Beaumont visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Sturrock and daughter, Sybline visited in the Ed Ferrell home in Colmesneil Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. Masterson has returned from a visit in Voth and Beaumont.

Miss Sara Beth Bean went to Village Mills Tuesday for a visit.

Much interest just now in oil. Sam Jeffcoat of the Spurger community was paid $2,900.00 cash this week for a fourth royalty in 200 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordan Anderson drove to New Willard Sunday and their grandmother, Mrs. R. A. Brown, returned home with them after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Williams. Her sister, Mrs. S. E. Dinelly, who was enjoying the visit with her returned to her home in Pine Bluff, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riley of Port Neches spent Sunday with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cobb were Beaumont visitors Monday.

Rev. D. D. Swearingen of Warren spent Sunday in the J. B. Riley home.

Mr and Mrs. J. H. Coffman were in Port Arthur Wednesday of last week to visit the son Homer, who was in the hospital recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rozell of Nederland and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Rozell of Beaumont made a short visit in the George Boyd home Saturday.

LISTEN TO THE CRITIC AND YOU GET NOTHING DONE

In every community there are men and women who get things done. These people come in for free advertising and criticism and very little thanks for the work they do, because whenever one does anything that one is sure to be criticised. The only way to avoid criticism it to DO NOTHING and BE NOTHING, stand for everything and take a position oen nothing. But criticism does not faze the person who is really busy and engaged in doing useful work. Such a person really has no time to note the quibbling of the critics, and criticism falls off such a person as does water off the back of a duck.

The fellow who gets things done in any community is the backbone of our civilization and existence as a nation. Without him society would drift back into chaos and civilization would revert to barbarism.

There are millions of excuses for inaction, but the man who gets things done needs no excuse, and if he falls in any undertaking he is the last one to make excuses for his failures. He is just a good sportsman and takes it all as a matter of course and as a part of his life experiences.—Madison Cooper, in the Flower Grower.

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