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### By Always Using CALUMET BAKING POWDER

Just flour—ordinary flour—is all that is required with Calumet, and no special ingredients, such as sour milk or soda, are necessary. The baking powder itself supplies these for you. Think of the expense and trouble saved. For best results use only Calumet—your baking will be uniform under every condition.

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#### ABILENE INUNDATED

Defeated Junction City High 17 to 2—Mayor Pitched First Ball.

[From Saturday's Daily.]  
The Abilene high school opened its season of baseball yesterday afternoon with the Junction City high school in which the local high school inundated the visiting team with 17 scores against the visitors' 2. It was an easy walk away for Abilene's high school team. Captain McDonnell had the Junction bunch completely hypnotized with his Hindoo puzzles letting them down with two hits. Mayor Rice threw the first ball and some people say it grooved.

The Abilene team fielded splendid yesterday for its first exhibition before the limelight. Merrifield received the ball in great form and his pegs were accurate. Briny at short, Jolley at first, Huffman at second and Hogan at third all played good ball. S. Campbell, C. Nicolay, Kincaid, O. Smith and J. Campbell in the outfield did not have a chance. The members of the Abilene team proved themselves to be regular slab artists as they pounded the minute spherical bun for 15 hits, knocked one pitcher out of the box and had the second on the verge of collapse.

Score by innings:

R H E	
Junction City	000 000 110—2 3 4
Abilene	306 213 308—17 5 1

Batteries: Abilene, McDonnell and Merrifield; Rathart, Lee and Hall. Umpire—Herbert Sommers.

#### DEPOSITS OF THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK GUARANTEED

No bank in Abilene had its deposits insured in the Bankers Deposit Guaranty and Surety Company one minute sooner than did the Farmers National Bank. It was not so great a change for us, as we already had the confidence of the public, so we did not hasten to advertise it, yet we want all our friends to know that aside from the absolute guaranty of the bank's large capital and surplus and the great financial strength that comes to us through our wealthy stockholders and our experienced directors, composed of the most prominent business men of Abilene, we have still further guarded our deposits by having them insured by the above company, so that there is not a possible chance for loss on the part of our depositors.

We invite our friends to do business with us and promise you the very best treatment at all times.

#### THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK

#### ABILENE IS ON LIST.

Its High School Credited for Normal Training Class.

The state board of education, at its meeting yesterday approved high schools as normal training schools, and students who complete the work of these schools will be given state certificates to teach. Abilene heads the list.

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Does your cough annoy you at night, and do you raise mucus in the morning. Do you want relief? If so, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you will be pleased. Sold by C. S. Northcraft & Co.

How Good News Spreads.  
"I am 78 years old and travel most of the time," writes E. F. Solson, of Elizabethtown, Ky. "Everywhere I go I recommend Electric Bitters, because I see my excellent health and vitality to them. They affect a cure every time." They never fail to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, invigorate the nerves and purify the blood. They work wonders for weak, run-down men and women, restoring strength, vigor and health that's a daily joy. Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction is positively guaranteed by J. M. Gleason.

#### REACHES A WIDE FIELD.

Abilene Center of Great Telephone Extension.

Kansas telephone users do 95 per cent of their long distance talking in the territory now covered by the independent lines which are united by the long distance copper lines of The Home Telephone & Telegraph companies. This company has been a great help to isolated companies, which have not had the advantage of long distance connections. All their circuits are metallic copper lines. The Home Telephone & Telegraph company has working relation or contracts with all other independent long distance companies. It is possible for independent telephone subscribers at Abilene to talk anywhere over this large system of net work of independent companies. As Abilene is practically in the center of this long distance system their general offices are located here.

#### IN CLOUDS OF DUST.

Streets Were a Blinding Whirl of Dirt.

A gale of wind and unsprinkled streets made this another distressing day in town. Late in the afternoon when it had become unbearable longer the fire hose was used on the down town streets. The city administration is a little slow to comprehend what is needed.

#### BASEBALL DOINGS.

President Cabb has received three more contracts this week: H. Brauer, a fast second baseman from Illinois; "Muggsy" Monroe and "Red" Ward. "Muggsy" writes that he is in fine condition and is ready to commence the fight for the pennant at once.

The local management has completed negotiations in transferring "Red" Ward to Minneapolis.

It is rumored that Ellsworth has signed Poindexter, who played out field for it last year, as manager. Ellsworth is the only team known in any league under the national agreement that deposed a manager who won a pennant for it a year previous. It is sure hard luck for George Siegle who piloted Ellsworth through a successful season last year. Ellsworth will have a classy team this season. It is understood that it even outbid Texas league teams in that stall for ball players.

The high school team will play a team composed of the alumni Monday afternoon. It is reported that the alumni has a fast team picked and will have Eddy and Sommers for its battery. If you want to see a great game don't miss this one.

It looks as though that high school bunch has started out for the high school championship of Central Kansas and we have no doubt but that the boys will secure it.

The committee in charge of the baseball funds at Junction City raised \$2500 in subscription in two days. That sure is going some. The Abilene management has had a strenuous time in getting the merchants to shell out their coin. The committee will start out again Monday morning and it is hoped the management will get all that it goes after.

Every town in the league is promising better grounds. They also are praying that Abilene will have its alfalfa cut more regularly this season.

#### Gordon After His Job.

A Topeka dispatch says D. R. Gordon is there consulting with Governor Stables about the office of state gas inspector which J. T. White of Ottawa recently resigned.

#### Herrington People Are Really "Scared" Things at Night.

Herrington, Kan., March 23.—That the ghost like form of G. Borbach, formerly a wealthy man of this city, is appearing every evening at sundown on the front porch of the house in which he died, is the sworn opinion of practically every citizen living in the west end of Herrington.

The ghost scare has become so general that the neighbors in the vicinity of the house are living in their homes in horror and the vast traffic that once came in over West Walnut street has been shifted to other streets in the city—the house, the neighborhood and this part of the city is shunned.

It is said that a white form, representing in every detail the profile and features of the late Mr. Borbach appears on the front porch of his former home. The house is an odd affair—the front porch topped with a huge cone like tower. The house itself is built in ghostly detail and in its situation upon the brow of a steep hill, it has caused consternation among the people of the city.

At his death Mr. Borbach was one of the wealthy citizens of Herrington. He came here in the early days when the Rock Island and the Missouri Pacific first built through the city. He bought up considerable land at that time and when the Rock Island established their large terminals in this city the property was turned into a torture.

Last summer Mr. Borbach died. He owned at that time many houses over the city and was considered wealthy. He lived in a small but most queer house on the brow of the Walnut street hill and for many years was a well known figure in this part of the city. He spent all of his time in warm weather on the front porch of the house smoking a large old pipe. His position on this porch, the smoking of the pipe and the general surroundings gave the place a distinctive touch—and the touch still remains.

The house has been vacant most of the time since the death of the old man. His sons have tried to live in it but they declare openly that in the night they hear noises, and the door to the front porch will open as the ghost of the old man walks to his customary seat, lights his pipe and smokes.

All who have lived in the house make the same statements and the place is known as the "Retreat of the Borbach Ghost." People who have passed the house during the night claim to have seen him on the porch. Peter Popp, general foreman of the Hawley lumber interests in this city, and a sane business man declares that he has seen the ghost of the old familiar figure on the porch many times. During the present moonlight nights many reports of the ghost have been given.

#### PERFECT CONFIDENCE.

Abilene People Have Good Reason for Complete Reliance.

Do you know how—  
To find quick relief from backache;  
To correct distressing urinary ills;  
To surely cure sick kidneys?  
Just one way—your neighbors know—  
Have used Doan's Kidney Pills;  
Have proved their worth in many tests.

Here's Abilene testimony.  
Mrs. Nancy Purves, 210 E. North Sixth street, Abilene, Kan., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for ten years and would not know what to do without them. I publicly recommended this remedy some time ago and I now gladly confirm all I then said."

On Feb. 13th, 1906, Mrs. Purves said: "I was a victim of kidney complaint for years and often in the morning my back was so lame and painful that I could hardly move. I lacked ambition, was nervous and also had dizzy spells. I tried any amount of medicine but only found slight relief and I was in despair. Doan's Kidney Pills acted differently than anything else I had previously taken, going at once to the seat of my trouble and relieving me. Since then my back has bothered me but Doan's Kidney Pills have always brought me prompt relief. I cannot speak too highly of this remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Lovers of good health should prevent sickness instead of letting themselves get sick and then try to cure it. So long as you keep your liver, bowels and stomach in a healthy and active condition you won't get sick. Ballard's Herbina relieves constipation, inactive liver and all stomach and bowel troubles. C. E. Northcraft & Co.

#### Commission Tangle Promises Results as Was Predicted.

Only one ticket will be in the field for the spring election April 5. Nominations closed last night. It is: For mayor, A. W. Rice. For commissioners, L. H. Kump, J. K. Fornay.

For members schoolboard: C. W. Holt and O. P. Fenton, first ward; H. H. Keel, second ward; P. G. Hoffman, third ward; J. B. Engle, fourth ward; E. O. Farrar, attached territory.

The businessmen of the city feel that the city administration in its anxiety to continue in office has tangled the city's affairs badly. Many leading attorneys say that the irregularities of the calling of the election on commission government have made it doubtful if any bonds can be sold or any paving done. This at a time when the city was at last ready to go ahead has been a damper on all enthusiasm and the taxpayers do not like the outlook. It is probable that, as the administration does not seem inclined to clear the records but to go on with the irregular proceedings regardless of the good of the town, the businessmen who really want Abilene to do things will unite in some legal action to carry the matter to the courts. It is mighty poor policy to invite law suits for the city and it seems strange that any official would not have a care for the town's interest regardless of personal office-holding. Considering the grief and trouble the town has had it is about time to do things right.

#### HIS CONSCIENCE HURT.

So He Sent \$100 to the County Treasurer.

County Treasurer Morse today received an unsigned letter inclosing \$100 in bills. The letter said: "I used to be in business in this county 10 years and maybe I did not pay as much taxes as I should. So I send \$100 to clear my conscience. Put it where it belongs." It will go into the general fund. The letter was postmarked Herrington but had no indication as to the sender. It is not believed that the custom will become general.

Germs of Disease should be promptly expelled from the blood. This is a time when the system is especially susceptible to them. Get rid of all impurities in the blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and thus fortify your whole body and prevent illness.

#### SHIFTING SOIL.

Real Estate Transfers Reported by J. E. Keel, Abstractor.

- B. Peter and wife to August Olson et al lots 16, 17 blk 19, Herrington, \$2400.
- E. A. Tupp and wife to J. E. Youtney 21 acres in s e ¼ 12-16-4, \$90.
- Susan A. Ruse to William Smith lot 6, blk 2, R. & A. add Abilene, \$2300.
- Gustaf A. Dahlstrom and wife to Carl Philip Dahlstrom und. int. in s ¼ sw ¼ 8-11-4, \$1.
- John Johntr and wife to O. Hogan lot 13, blk 23, Fairview add Abilene, \$13.
- C. A. Minick, trustee to Otto Bandelow sw ¼ 23-14-2, \$11,000.
- C. A. Minick et al to Otto Bandelow sw ¼ 23-14-2, \$11,000.
- Mary A. Kauffman to Peter Minick sw ¼ 23-14-2, \$10,000.
- Dora E. Kneer, gdn, to Elwood Kilgrove lots 7, 8, 9 10, Chapman, \$1650.
- G. L. Pealling and wife to School District No. 24 tract 16x10 rds in ne cor of s e ¼ s e ¼ 20-11-3, \$50.
- J. E. Keel and wife to Dickinson Co. B. & L. assn, lot 7 and 8, blk 23, K. & H. add Abilene, \$1400.
- Wesley J. Graves and wife to Jackson Coulson lot 6 and e ½ lot 7, blk 29, K. & H. add Abilene, \$2200.
- Louisa M. Reed to Hattie A. Waring, lot 76, Fifth street, S. & A. add Abilene, \$700.
- Dickinson Co. B. & L. Assn to C. W. Snyder lots 7 and 8, blk 23, K. & H. add Abilene, \$1400.

#### Saved a Soldier's Life.

Facing death from shot and shell in the Civil war was more agreeable to J. A. Stone of Kemp, Texas, than facing it from what doctors said was consumption. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough, that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 120 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. I now weigh 175 pounds." For coughs, colds, La Grippe, Asthma, Hemorrhage, Hoarseness, Croup, Whooping Cough and lung trouble, its supreme. 50c. \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. M. Gleason.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine for impure blood, eruptions, weakness and general debility—it is positively and absolutely CURE.

# Have You Tried?

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? We can furnish positive proof that it has made many remarkable cures after all other means had failed.

Women who are suffering with some form of female illness should consider this.

As such evidence read these two unsolicited testimonial letters. We guarantee they are genuine and honest statements of facts.

Cresson, Pa.—"Five years ago I had a bad fall, and hurt myself inwardly. I was under a doctor's care for nine weeks, and when I stopped I grew worse again. I sent for a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, took it as directed, and now I am a stout hearty woman."—Mrs. Ella E. Alkey, Cresson, Pa.

Baird, Wash.—"A year ago I was sick with kidney and bladder troubles and female weakness. The doctors gave me up. All they could do was to just let me go as easily as possible. I was advised by friends to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier. I am completely cured of my ills, and I am nearly sixty years old."—Mrs. Sarah Loughton, Baird, Wash.

Evidence like the above is abundant showing that the derangements of the female organism which breed all kinds of miserable feelings and which ordinary practice does not cure, are the very disorders that give way to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Women who are afflicted with similar troubles, after reading two such letters as the above, should be encouraged to try this wonderfully helpful remedy.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No sick woman does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine. Made exclusively from roots and herbs, and has thousands of cures to its credit.



Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health free of charge. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

#### THEY CAN GET \$1 EACH.

Superintendent to be Paid for Visiting Each Room.

County superintendents of Kansas are to receive larger traveling allowances. Some of the superintendents asked E. T. Fairchild, state superintendent if the old ruling of \$1 expense allowance for each school visited still applied under the law passed by the 1909 legislature requiring a superintendent to spend a certain time in each school room that he visited. When C. C. Coleman was attorney general, he decided that the law allowed only \$1 for a school, no matter how many rooms were in the school building. Attorney General Jackson says in a letter to State Superintendent Fairchild:

"This opinion was based upon a somewhat technical definition of the word 'school' and General Coleman expressed himself as very much in doubt as to the correctness of his view.

"Since then the legislature has amended the statute relating to the visiting of school by a county superintendent and has provided that the county superintendent must spend a certain time in each room or school under the charge of each teacher. It has, therefore, made an apparent attempt to define the word 'school' and to compel the county superintendent to treat each room as a school in his visits of supervision in the county.

"I am, therefore, of the opinion that there is no reason why the county superintendent should not be allowed the same compensation for visiting each room maintained in a school district as is allowed for visiting the ordinary district school. The time required by the new statute mentioned in each room is the same and such requirement of the statute imposes an additional traveling expense upon him. It is my opinion that each county superintendent should be allowed \$1 as traveling expenses for visiting each room where a teacher is employed."

#### Sold Two Motor Cars.

C. A. Hodge today delivered two Staver touring cars, 30 h. p., one went to C. W. Taylor of Pearl and the other to C. Vanderwill of Solomon. They are handsome machines.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver pills invariably bring relief to women suffering from chronic constipation, headache, biliousness, dizziness, callosities of the skin, and dyspepsia. Sold by C. E. Northcraft & Co.

Autos Sold Today.  
F. L. Dockelader of Marion, Kan., purchased a Model T Ford of the Union Electric Co.

W. J. Graves purchased a Model 10 Buick of E. E. Coulson & Co.

She Borrowed Two Dollars.  
Manhattan Nationalist: "Well if she was a fake, she was about the best one that I ever saw." So spoke W. O. Dunn, local Union Pacific station agent today. Mr. Dunn was referring to the one Maude R. Agniel, M. L., of Rich Hill, Mo. She is the woman to whom Mr. Dunn gave transportation to Solomon and also paid a hotel bill here in Manhattan. That was about three weeks ago and Mr. Dunn has not as yet received any remittance from her. Mr. Dun is out about \$3 on the little deal.

#### Close of the School.

Number of boys enrolled 8, girls 11, total 19. Number of days taught 20. Average attendance 18. Number 18. Number of pupils neither absent nor tardy for the month 13. Those neither tardy nor absent for the entire school term were Daisy Mae Vogt, John Hagans, Willie Lee, Frank Hagans, Willard VanScyoc and Belle Hagans. The others not tardy were Ethel Hamms, Mabel Feik, Francis Hamms, Jonas Feik, Carrie Lee, Bessie Feik, Benton Vogt, Florence Feik, George Steinborn, Pearl Snyder and Ida May Vogt. Total enrollment for the entire year was 22. Number of visitors for this month 60. School closed with a program given at 11 o'clock after which a bounteous dinner was served by the patrons of the school. Everyone reports a good time except the superintendent who had to go without his dinner in order to make the train. Grace VanScyoc, teacher.

#### State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss:

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney and Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Notary Public. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.