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LOCKNEY'S BIG PICNIC-BARBECUE

All Arrangements Are Made for A Big Celebration in Lockney The Fourth and Fifth.

Plans are being rapidly worked out for the big basket picnic on Friday, July 4th, and free barbecue on Saturday, July 5th. Committees are hard at work, getting everything ready, which will be perfected in a few days.

The list of amusements will be large and varied, including base ball games both days, horse races, relay races, public speaking, etc.

The first day, Friday, the 4th, will be a basket picnic, and all are invited and urged to bring a well-filled basket for Friday's dinner. Town and country people alike are invited to participate. Everybody in Lockney is urgently requested to do some cooking on Thursday, and have it packed in a box, ready for the wagons which will call Friday morning to gather it up. Do not put in your box plates or knives so that they may become lost. The committee will provide these items.

Be sure to have your box ready, and phone this office or E. P. Thompson or E. Guthrie, so that a list may be made out to aid those gathering up same to call on you. Just cook a cake, a few pies, boil a ham, bake a hen, fry a few chickens, or anything you have.

Let every family be present on the picnic grounds, and we will spend a good time together in the good old fashion way.

L. H. Newell, President of the First State Bank of Floydada, was in the city Thursday. The writer had the pleasure of meeting with Mr. Newell, and talking with him for an hour on the silo, and hog raising. He is an enthusiast on both silo and its bi-products, he having just erected a large silo on his place near Floydada. He will test out the proposition thoroughly, and we are sure that he will make a success of the enterprise. He is also one of the biggest hog raisers in the country, and is making good money in this enterprise also. He is going to add silage as a feed for these hogs and we are confident that he will greatly add to his income by so doing. Others will follow, and in a few years silos in Floyd county will be as numerous as barns and windmills. Our natural resources are kaffir, maize and June corn, and when it is put into silage and fed to cattle and hogs, it will bring more dollars here than dimes. Silos and cattle feeding, hogs and dairying will make this country wealthy and at no distant date we are going to come to realize these facts, and follow the example of Mr. Newell and others in Floyd county who have erected silos.

Big shipment of Uvalde honey to arrive soon. Watch our ad for prices and other announcements.

Thompson & Reeves.

In a Big Tent on The Grounds JULY FOURTH

"A Convict's Honor" That Great Comedy-Drama!

There is no character to be found with such power to compel alternate laughter and tears, as is shown in Jerry, the tramp. Moral: Beware of crime.



Mr. Med C. Ellis

Who will present

"A Convict's Honor" sparks with pretty lines like a dew drop glistening in the sun light. There is something in it which pleases the most critical, and leaves an impression not easily forgotten.

"A Convict's Honor"

CROSBYTON WINS OVER LOCKNEY

An Interesting Game Wednesday, The Score Standing Nine To Five.

The Lockney ball team went to Crosbyton Wednesday and played a match game of base ball, and was taken to a cleaning by a score of 9 to 5.

The game was witnessed by a large crowd both from Lockney and Crosbyton. Several cars went from here, loaded with enthusiastic fans, who gave the team their hearty support, but there was nothing doing. Lockney could not get the grapes.

Our team was a little off, and just a few bad errors cost them the game, however, they played some nice ball.

That's all right boys, you can't win all the games. Just ginger up and try harder the next time to play an errorless game.

Elected Principal.

Prof. Claud V. Hall of Floydada has been elected superintendent of the public school at Ralls, Texas, for the term of 1913-14. The citizens of that town are to be congratulated upon their good fortune in securing Prof. Hall, who is a most able and efficient instructor and under whose management the school is certain to do most excellent work. —Post City Post.

You are invited to make our store your headquarters on the occasion of our big celebration July 4th and 5th. Come and see us whether you are in need of anything or not.

Thompson & Reeves.

The cool store, the Lockney Drug Co.

Silos Have Arrived And Will be Erected

There is now standing on the track in the railroad yards a shipment of Saginaw silos for Messrs. Will McGehee, B. S. Livingstone, A. J. Blackwell and Arthur Byars. The silos will be unloaded Monday, and hauled out to the farms of these men, where they will be erected at once.

Instructions have been issued to all postmasters to handle the daily papers with all dispatch, giving special attention after letters have been put up.

Among those mentioned for governor to succeed Mr. Colquit, is Lieutenant Governor Will H. Mayes. The press of Texas will give Mr. Mayes a solid support should he decide to enter the contest. He is the best man in the state for the place, and his duties as lieutenant has brought him in close touch with the needs of the state. The governor's job is a big one, but Will H. Mayes is a big man and is able to handle the ship of state in a manner that will be acceptable to the people to the people. We are for Mayes.

G. L. Kennedy and family of Joplin, Mo., was in the city this week. They have rented a place in town, and will move here from Plainview, where they have been making their temporary home.

A. N. Asky, of Silvertown, and A. J. Asky of Quitaque, were in the city Tuesday, on business.

Badly overstocked on window weights and will sell in quantities at 1 cent per pound f. o. b. Abilene, Texas. Have 6, 7, and 8 pound weights. Write M. Pierson, Rule, Texas. 43-4t.

MASONIC PUBLIC INSTALLATION

A Banquet at Hall Follows Ceremonies at The Methodist Church.

Tuesday in Lockney was a big day for the Masons, the occasion being their annual installation. The ceremonies took place at the Methodist church at 3 o'clock p. m., E. P. Thompson acting as installing officer.

The members of the order met at their new hall at 2 o'clock, and marched to the church in a body, Prof. E. C. Nix acting as marshal for the occasion. Immediately after the officers were installed, the Masons and their families repaired to the hall, and at 6 o'clock a sumptuous supper was spread, which was enjoyed by a big crowd.

Interspersed with the eating was speech making by Masons and Eastern Stars. Mr. E. P. Thompson acted as toastmaster, and the following responded:

D. C. Lowe, "Antiquity of Masonry." Mr. J. H. McGehee, "Why I am not a 'jiner.'" T. Z. Reed, "Working Tools of Masonry."

Wynette Britton, recitation, "Lamb Skin."

E. C. Nix, "Relation between Eastern Star and Masonry."

Rev. Leon Henderson, "Brotherhood of Man."

Each toast was responded to, and each after-dinner speech-maker handled the subject assigned in a very interesting manner.

The occasion was one long to be remembered in the annuals of Free Masonry in Lockney, and the entire entertainment was well arranged, and was in keeping with the splendid environments which surrounded it.

The order of Free Masonry is on the up-lift in Lockney, as is evidence of their new handsome home which they just moved into.

Luther and Ernest Fry, J. R. Fox, Johnnie Broyles and Dea Burgan witnessed the ball game at Crosbyton Wednesday.

W. E. Broyles transacted business at Floydada Wednesday.

Attention is called to the big ad of E. Guthrie, appearing elsewhere in these columns. Mr. Guthrie is offering some red-hot bargains.

Contractor Will Allen will begin today the erection of two new modern residences, one for France Baker and one for Vernon Dillard. Both will have handsome homes when completed. Mr. Baker is building in the West part of town and Mr. Dillard in the Brewster addition.

Picnicer's headquarters, the Lockney Drug Co.—The cool store.

D. J. Muncy returned to his home at Cliffside Tuesday after a business visit to our city.

Stop in at the cool store when you want to rest.—Lockney Drug Co.

RELEASE ASKED FOR MRS. MUNCY

Release of Peters From Floyd County Jail Will Be Sought at Same Hearing.

Habeas corpus proceedings to secure from imprisonment of Mrs. Birdie Muncy, charged with killing her husband J. M. Muncy, at Lockney, May 24, will be held at Floydada next Thursday. Habeas corpus proceedings for Horace Peters, who was arrested in connection with the crime, will be tried at the same time.

Charges against Mrs. Muncy and Peters will be brought before the grand jury at regular session in September. Judge L. S. Kinder says he will not call a special session of the grand jury to hear these charges before the September term unless he is asked to do so by the State.

It is understood that a change of venue will be asked for the trial of both parties.—Hale County Herald.

Habeas corpus proceedings have been waived in the case of Mrs. Muncy, and the case will be taken up by the grand jury Monday.

Peters has been grand bond, and is here at home with his parents.

List Of Games For Lockney

The following games have been matched on Lockney diamond: Petersburg Saturday June 28th; Plainview Monday June 30th; Ralls Thursday July 3rd; Gasoline July 4th; Tulia July 5th.

B. Y. P. U. Programme.

Subject—Medical Missions. Leader—Vera Fry.

Song—"The Great Physician." Scripture Reading, 2nd Kings 1:14—Tate Fry.

What is Meant by Medical Missions—Mollie Philipps.

Song.

What is the first great purpose of the Medical Missionary—Mrs. Beall.

What is our board doing along that line—Mable Dagley.

Song—No. 107.

What does Jesus' example teach us as to combining the work of preaching and healing—Bee Collier.

Benediction.

Looses Second Game this Week.

Lockney ball team went to Tulia Thursday and played a match game of ball, which resulted in a score of 8 to 7 in favor of Tulia.

Lockney played winning ball to loose. In the sixth Lockney pulled off a tripple play on the Tulia boys, with first and second occupied, Foster on second gets a fly ball, whips it to Cheshire, who covers second. Cheshire whips it to McCollum on first, retiring three men.

Another feature of the game was O. R. McCollum's home run in the fifth.

Fourth of July Celebration

Two Days Solid
F U N

Skating, Wrestling, Jumping, Riding, Automobiling, etc
Fine Basket Picnic Friday
Old Settlers of Floyd County Especially invited, Some one will Make them an Address.



Free Barbecue One
D A Y

Base Ball, Horse Racing, Public Speaking, Foot Racing etc.
Free Barbecue Saturday
Everybody Invited. Come Prepared to Stay Both days, and Enjoy Yourself

‘, “In The Good Old Way” ,‘

A Touching Scene.

That was a very touching scene on the north side of the square last Friday noon when a brother unexpectedly met a sister whom he had not seen in sixteen months because of the fact that the strong arm of the law had deprived him of his liberty during that time.

Some two years ago, while R. L. McMurtry, now a citizen of Tulia, was Sheriff of Briscoe county, a store at Quitaque was burglarized one night and a boy, Dave Miller, was one of the accused, and after a court trial, the jury found him guilty, and being too young to send to the penitentiary, he was sentenced to serve two years in the State Reformatory.

Last week Dave completed sixteen months of his time and on account of good behavior he was granted a full pardon, and he came straight home to his folks, who now live in the eastern part of the county. The boy's mother died several year ago, but a little sister and father have deeply grieved because of the boy's misfortune.

Last Friday at noon the boy arrived in Tulia and when Mr. McMurtry met him on the street he at once recognized him and invited him over to the Plaza Restaurant to take dinner with him, and while they were eating Mr. McMurtry noticed Annie Miller, the boy's sister, who had just come to town with a neighbor, Mrs. Crawford, pass the door, and when the former sheriff remarked, "there goes Annie," Dave got up and went out to meet her, but the sister not expecting him for eight months yet, failed to recognize him

when he spoke to her, but when he said "sister don't you know me?" she instantly gathered him to her bosom and as the two stood there in silent embrace, weeping for joy, those who happened to be near did not try to resist the tears flowing down their own cheeks.

It is, indeed, a sad thing when misfortune of this kind overtakes a boy, but Dave has paid the penalty as required by law, and comes home to his sister and father to live a dutiful son and brother, and every encouragement should be given him that he might live a life of usefulness and be a credit to his country.—Tulia Enterprise.

Marriage License Issued Friday, 13th, 1913.

Last Friday, June the 13th, 1913, County Clerk W. B. Clark issued marriage license to Mr. J. A. Wyly and Miss Kate A. Wilson, both of the Lone Star neighborhood in the north end of the county.

Both are well-known people in their community. Miss Wilson is a daughter of L. T. Wilson, a long-time resident of this county. They were married Sunday.

In this good year of 1913, the "thirteen" has lost its bane,—or probably the folks are getting over thier superstitions regarding Friday and the 13th.—Hesperian.

I have a large number of 4 ft. wire fence stays, the kind that need no staple and ties to each strand of wire. Am selling below cost. Sample can be sent if desired. Write M. Pierson, Rule, Texas. 43 4t.

Sells Hogs to Lockney Dealer

The Hesperian is authority for the statement that two carloads of hogs was sold at Floydada to Daff Griffith, who in turn shipped them to the Fort Worth market. The raisers and feeders of these hogs were J. E. Staley and L. H. Newell. This is Mr. Staley's fourth car this season, and Mr. Newell's third. These men are especially pleased over the result of marketing their feed on the hoof instead of in the grain.

The success of these men can be the success of every farmer in Floyd county. While every farmer might not be able to feed a car of hogs, however, he can feed as many as his feed and means will permit. There is always a market price for these hogs, and a price that pays handsomely, and net more money than by selling the feed.

There is an under production of meats in this country, and the markets will continue good, regardless of the tariff or any other agency that might have a tendency to drag it down. The people of this country must be fed, and as we have a population of meat eaters, the hog will continue to lead as a wealth producer.

Moral: Raise more hogs, and better hogs. Feed your crops at home, and make a profit both ways.

I will be at the ice house til 9 a. m. on Sundays; positively will not be open any longer.

Jim Shepard. Batter up!

Floyd County Cotton Crop Worth \$182,417.

The Texas cotton crop for 1912 is the most valuable one in the history of the cotton industry according to preliminary estimates furnished the Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association by the Federal Census Bureau. The Texas yield in 1912 was 4,880,210 bales of 500 pounds or 624,000 bales more than the 1911 crop, while the 1912 yield in the United States was approximately 3,000,000 bales less than in 1911. The excessive yield in Texas was absorbed by floods, drouths and unfavorable conditions in other southern states. The world's consumption of cotton in 1911 is reported by our Census Bureau to be 20,402,000 bales of 500 pounds net and the 1912 production will, according to reliable estimates, fall slightly under these figures. The 1911 world's production amounted to 22,297,000 or an over-production of approximately 2,000,000 bales. The average price of cotton for 1911 was 9.9 cents per pound and in 1912 the price was 12.05. The 1912 Texas crop, including seed, sold for \$338,538,822 which is an advance of \$90,658,000 over the 1910 crop, its nearest competitor.

There were 2,629 equivalent 500 pound bales of cotton produced in Floyd county from the crop of 1912 and the lint and seed sold for approximately \$182,417. The lint sold for \$158,397, 1,314 tons tons of seed produced in this county brought \$14,020.

Nickell-West.

Fred Nickell, son of J. A. Nickell, and Miss Fannie West, daughter of C. C. West, of the Lee neighborhood, were married last Sunday at the West home in that community.

The elder Mr. Nickell as well as Mr. West, are both well-known in business circles at Floydada, and the young couple are said to be very popular among the social circles of their neighborhood.

The newly-weds were in the party which had started to church from the West home, when the shooting of Mr. West, referred to in another column, took place, and will be witnesses in the case when the trial comes up later in the Dickens courts.—Hesperian.

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You Cannot Afford

to let your best calves and yearlings die of blackleg, when a few dollars worth of

A
SIMPLE
SAFE
SURE
WAY

BLACKLEGOIDS

will save them.

Just a little pill to be placed under the skin of the animal by a single thrust of the instrument.

No Dose to Measure.

No Liquid to Spill.

No Strain to Kill.

FOR SALE BY

Lockney
Drug Co.



Land Bargains

IN FLOYD COUNTY

The S. W. 1-2 of Sec. No. 62, Blk. G. D. & W. Ry. Co., three miles from Lockney. Price \$25, 1-3 cash, balance 1-2 and 3 years at 8 per cent.

Sec. No. 29, Blk. D. 3, 12 miles from Lockney. Price \$12-50 per acre.

East half of Sec. No. 41 Blk. G., 9 miles from Lockney. Price \$21 per acre, 1-3 cash, balance 1-2 and 3 years at 8 per cent.

East half of Sec. No. 31, Blk. D. 2, 5 miles from Lockney. Price \$25 per acre, 1-2 cash, balance 1, 2, 3 and 4 years at 8 per cent.

160 acres out of Sec. No. 37 Blk. G., Price \$25 per acre 1-2 cash, balance 2, 3, and 4 years at 8 per cent.

1-2 Sec. in Blk. A. M. Price \$11 per acre. Good terms. 1 Section in Blk. A. M. Price \$12 per acre.

3 1-2 sections in Blk. D. 3. All under 16 miles of fence, 200

acres in cultivation, two fields, 4-room house, splendid sheds and lots, 2 wells and windmills and close to good school. This is all fine Plains land and a big bargain at \$12.50 per acre. 1-3 cash, balance 1, 2, 3 and 4 years at 8 per cent.

1 section improved, all under fence, good 4-room house, well and wind mill, 250 acres in cultivation, good large barn about 9 miles from Lockney and 8 miles from Floydada. Price \$20 per acre, about 1-3 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years at 8 per cent.

480 acres, 300 of which is in cultivation, good 6-room house, good barn, well and windmill, close in. This is an ideal home at \$31 per acre. Good terms.

160 acres, nicely improved on Floydada and Lockney road. Farm in fine state of cultivation. Everything nice. Price \$32 per acre. Good terms.

G. W. Brwster Land Co.

LOCKNEY, TEXAS.

Items of Interest

Tulia will hold her annual celebration July 17.

A contract has been let for developing an oil well at Canyon.

The Canyon Normal students will celebrate the Fourth with a picnic.

The little 7-year-old son of E. E. Winn was drowned at Plainview last week while bathing in a tank with a party of boys.

A carload of cross-arms came in yesterday for the Southwestern Telephone Company's new copper circuit to Floydada. The company will build three new copper circuits to Amarillo, three to Lubbock and two to Floydada. The Floydada circuit will be put in first because at present the only connection between Plainview and Floydada is by a ground circuit.—Plainview Herald.

First Brick For Rural School

The trustees of the Sandhill School District No. 9, are this week advertising for bids for the erection of a school building to be of brick and equipped with modern heating and lighting.

Their \$5,000 bond issue has been taken up by the state and their money is now at hand.

The old school building was sold Saturday, one room to J. R. Jones and one to A. J. Womack, both of Sandhill.

It is the intention of the board to have the building ready for occupancy by the September term school opening.

This will be the first brick rural school building in Floyd Co.

Will Ship Hogs.

Bring in your hogs July 4th, when we will make a shipment. We have bought and shipped 8 cars of hogs in the past 28 days, amounting to nearly \$10,000. One car came from the Sand Hill country, two from Floydada and three from Lockney.

Remember the date and have your hogs here for shipment on July 4th.

Daff Griffith.

Bring your country hams 20c per pound and country bacon at 16 2-3c per pound.

J. A. Baker.

We will trade for anything in the way of second-hand goods.

W. D. Mayben.

Bring me your sick watches. I'll cure 'em.—W. M. Martin, at the Lockney Drug Co.

Are You a Woman?

Take **Cardui**

The Woman's Tonic

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Missouri State Life

Are the people to place your protection with. They are safe, reliable, dependable, and are as everlasting as the hills. See

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Buy Your Lumber and Builders' Material From The

Lockney Lumber Co.

They carry the best grades of lumber and will treat you right. See them when you get ready to figure your bill. They also handle the best oak lumber.

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On account of being manufacturers of firearms as well, the Winchester company are peculiarly able to know the best requirements for ammunition. This partially answers the question often asked: "Why do Winchester cartridges excel?" The rest of the answer

is contained in their large, modern plant and their extensive knowledge of the firearms and ammunition business. Winchester Cartridges are made for all makes of rifles and pistols and always give entire satisfaction.

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The New 1913 Saginaw With the Patented Angle Steel Rib

Saginaw Silo

Last season's Saginaw Silo was pronounced utterly perfect by dairymen and stockmen all over the country. For 1913 it was wholly unnecessary to attempt improvement. Yet, despite this, we came out with this 1913 Model. The big feature of the 1913 is the ANGLE STEEL RIB. This ingenious invention adds about 50% to the life of a Silo. And that's wonderful, when you consider the Saginaw is already known to be the strongest and most durable Silo ever built.

Doing the "Impossible"

The Angle Steel Rib has done what other Silo makers only a year ago considered impossible. It has given you increased and increased a Silo which the heaviest wind storm can't even shake or tilt. All because the Angle Steel Rib absolutely prevents any up-and-down slipping of staves. Moreover, this marvelous invention forces the remote possibility of your Silo caving in when empty.

The Angle Steel Rib is a Structural Steel Reinforcement curved to the curve of the Silo. It is strongly secured by strong, reliable brackets which are securely attached to alternate staves. Such ribs fit firm to staves and adjust itself to any variation in the diameter of the Silo. Built on the same structural principle as the big "I" Beams used in giant steel frame buildings. One Rib reinforces the other. Think of what it means to have these brackets, unbreakable Angle Steel Ribs reinforcing your Silo. To fully appreciate the patented Angle Steel Rib, you must get our new "Free Silo Book," which pictures and explains it.

Other Noted Features

The Saginaw was famous first as "The Silo With the All-Steel Door Frame." Then followed the Saginaw Tower Arching Hoop. Next came the celebrated Saginaw Base Anchor. And now comes the Angle Steel Rib—the most astounding feature of all.

5 Big Factories

The Saginaw is far the most popular Silo on the market. Five thousand Silo factories have had to be built. Last season we received orders for 121 Silos in a single day.

Strong as a Skyscraper

The Saginaw Silo, with its steel frame stands as solid as a modern city skyscraper. It cannot blow down. It cannot twist. It cannot warp. It cannot collapse. It cannot shift on its foundation. Like a Black Oak, it is noted for its great resistance to the Saginaw siloing system.

Bright, Clean Silage

No rack, second silage ever comes out of a Saginaw. It is green and pure close to the silo, right next to the walls. Animals love the silage, have and thrive wonderfully on the rich, succulent food. Don't get a Silo that rots silage.

Get Latest Silo Book

Our latest book on Silos is about ready for mailing. It not only fully describes the 1913 Saginaw, but also contains a wealth of information on Silo Building and Silage. Don't miss getting it. Write for it—no matter how far you live—and get your book, and we'll look it over.

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Men's Suits.
157 Suits for men and young men to select from—Will be sold regardless of cost, as follows:
All \$30.00 Suits \$20.00
All 25.00 Suits 16.25
All 20.00 Suits 13.75
All 15.00 Suits 10.00
All 10.00 Suits 6.75

Boys' Suits.
High grade goods, well made and a good assortment on hand, all full peg. 94 Suits, age 8 to 18, nobby things in worsteds, cashmeres, etc., nothing reserved.
\$2.00 Suits \$1.20
2.50 Suits 1.50
3.00 Suits 1.95
3.50 Suits 2.25
4.00 Suits 2.75
4.50 Suits 3.00
5.00 Suits 3.25
6.25 Suits 4.00
8.00 Suits 5.00
10.00 Suits 7.75

Men's Pants.
Nothing Reserved.
\$8.00 Pants \$5.25
7.00 and \$7.50 Pants 5.00
5.00 Pants 3.50
4.50 Pants 3.00

3.50 Pants 2.40
3.00 Pants 2.00
2.50 Pants 1.75
2.00 Pants 1.25
1.50 Pants 1.10

Overalls.
An immense stock, all sizes. Every one goes. Your choice of extra heavy blue, light blue, Expressman's stripe and brown. 75c

Slickers.
Fish Brand 0 size pomel slicker \$2.75

Men's and Boys' Shirts.
Every one in the house; get your choice early.
\$3.50 Shirts \$2.25
2.00 Shirts 1.50
1.75 Shirts 1.25
15.0 Shirts 1.00
1.25 Shirts85
1.00 Shirts75
.85 Shirts60
.75 Shirts50
.50 Shirts39

We have just received a new shipment of the best work shirts ever shown in Lockney. Extra long faced sleeves—While they last 39c

Hats.
John B. Stetson Hats, Big 4 style

for \$3.75
Navajo style 3.50
All other styles, your choice 2.90

Other Hats
All \$3.00 and \$3.50 Hats \$2.25
All 2.50 Hats for \$1.50 and 1.75
We have also grouped a great assortment together, your choice 1.00

Shoes.
All Oxfords and Low Cuts to go—nothing reserved in Low Cuts.
\$5.00 grades \$3.95
4.50 " 3.50
4.00 " 3.25
3.50 " 2.75
3.00 " 2.25
2.50 " 1.75
2.00 " 1.40
1.50 " 1.10

On all high shoes including, some our new stock for fall, which is now in the house, we offer you a discount of 10 per cent.

Piece Goods.
We want to clean up this department especially.
All \$1.00 goods, including silks and messalines \$.75
All \$.75 goods50

All .50 goods35
All .25 goods19
All .15 goods10
All .12 1-2 Ginghams10
All .10 " 8 1-3c; all 8 1-3c Ginghams, 16 yds \$1.00.

We show some great values in this line in short lengths, including Everett shirtings and seersucker stripes at 16 yards for \$1.00. Apron Ginghams 10 to 20 yard lengths, per yard 5c.

All Calicoes including our short lengths, per yard, 3 1-2c.
"C" grade House Canvas, per yd 4c.
All 12 1-2c bleach 10c; all 10c 8 1-3c.

Hosiery Special.
About 1200 pairs childrens 12 1-2c school hose, go in sale at 7c.

Extra Specials.
Men's Elastic Seam Drawers 50c value, per pair 39c.
Clarke's O. N. T. Spool Cotton, per dozen 45c. We will sell you one doz. or all we have at this price.

Best grade oil cloth, white or colored, per yard, 15c.
All Lawns, Laces, Embroideries, cut deep, purchase at once if you want choice.

Ladies skirts to go at reductions of 25 to 50 per cent—in other words half price on a great many.

E. GUTHRIE, Leader in Low Prices

Personal Mention

Mrs. Carl McAdams and Miss Ruby Thompson visited in Plainview Thursday.

R. M. Broyles, Barlow Hill, Will Johnson and the writer and son Lester went over to Crosbyton Wednesday to see the ball game.

Remember we have peaches every day, fresh and fine, juicy and sweet. Try a basket.
Thompson & Reeves.

The Beacon will be issued next Thursday instead of Friday, in order to give the boys an opportunity to take in the picnic.

The Ladies Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will do all kinds of plain sewing. Button holes and hemming napkins a specialty. For further particulars see or phone Mrs. Daff Griffith, Mrs. E. P. Thompson or Mrs. J. L. Guest. 40 tf

See our 5 and 10 cent counters. There is money to be saved at the Racket Store. 41-t

Fine line of candies at the Racket Store.

When you attend the picnic remember the Lockney Drug Co. is the coolest place in town.

Make the Lockney Drug Co. your Headquarters July 4th and 5th—coolest store in town.

Johnnie Broyles and Jefferson Thomas went to Plainview Thursday afternoon.

T. R. Brown, student in the A. & M. College, is visiting friends in this section.

Mrs. Ira Williams of Plainview is the guest of Mrs. Z. T. Riley this week.

H. C. Kell and little daughter of Quitaque were in the city Thursday.

Med C. Ellis came in Wednesday from Southwest Texas, and is rehearsing "A Convict's Honor," to be put on here the 4th and 5th.

Clyde Reeves visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reeves, north of town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Best smoke in town on July 4th at the Lockney Drug Co.

Leroy Johnson, representing the John Deer Plow Co., was in the city Thursday.

Mance Woods, representing Maverick Clarke Litho Co., was in the city Thursday.

C. L. Cowart went to Floydada Thursday as jury commissioner to select grand jurymen for special session Monday to take up the Muncy and Peters case.

Dr. J. L. Guest has traded his 80-acre tract of land east of town to Joe Wilson for his place in town.

Miss Myrtle Reeves was in the city Thursday from her home north of town, visiting with her brother, Clyde Reeves.

There will be a show on the picnic grounds on the nights of the 4th and 5th, under the large tabernacle which will be erected. Med C. Ellis and company will present "A Convict's Honor." This show will please everybody.

The cool store for the picnic is the Lockney Drug Co.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Newt Childress, June 24th, a boy.

The Barbecue Arrangement Committee has secured a large tabernacle, which will be erected on the picnic grounds, near the depot lake. This will furnish plenty of shade for everybody who wishes to rest.

Everything cold and refreshing July 4th and 5th, at the Lockney Drug Co.

The little 5 year old girl of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reeves is quite ill at their home in Lockney, and at this writing, Thursday a. m., her condition is reported critical.

Come to see us July 4th and 5th, rest and cool yourself.
Lockney Drug Co.

J. C. Guest took in the ball game at Tulia Thursday.

Dr. H. Z. Pennington has moved into his new residence.

We have received a big assortment of crockery and queensware. Very swell line to select from.
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Judge J. N. Stalbird went to Amarillo Wednesday on business.

S. I. Farnsworth went down to Floydada Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Byars has returned to her home at Arch, New Mexico.

M. V. Showalter came in Wednesday from Austin.

Announcement!

If your piano needs tuning, save it for Nunn & Vaughn. They will be back in Lockney to do your work in about thirty days. We want to thank those who had work done, and assure we are at all times ready to make good any promise. Our headquarters are at Amarillo with the Leyhe Piano Co. A postal will reach us there in care of the 60. If we please you, tell others; if we don't, tell us. We expect to make your town from time to time and take care of our customers' pianos in the right way—hold your work for us—Y. H. Nunn and J. V. Vaughn.

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Messrs. A. B. Martin of Tulia, and R. L. Penry of Plainview, attorneys for Mrs. Muncy, were in the city Thursday.

Brown sugar that don't get hard.

J. A. Baker.

H. D. Hyde came to Lockney this week and returned home with contracts for heating and plumbing the new First National Bank building and for plumbing D. C. Lowe's residence.

Just received a shipment of Mason and Every-Ready fruit jars.

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Brown sugar that don't get hard.

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PHONE NO. 47

The Lockney Beacon

BEN F. SMITH, Editor.

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Look well to the prompting motives of the sharp shooters who are firing from ambush in opposing the proposed educational bond issue which means so much for state institutions and the people of Texas in general.

The people elected the members of the 33rd legislature. Those members acting under the instructions of their constituency, submitted an amendment to the constitution looking to the helping of the educational institutions of the state. You will have an opportunity of approving the issue July 19—Do so.

A vote for "Amendment No. 18" means the helping of the State University which by acts rather than words has proven that it is the home of the boy and girl of moderate means seeking education.

The political agitator demands a vote against the bonds ignoring the fact that the adoption of a Constitutional Amendment authorizing a bond issue in favor of education also gives a sadly needed opportunity for assistance to the eleemosynary institutions of this state which will be benefitted under this act.

On July 1st there will become effective in Texas a new law that gives every county in Texas or political subdivision thereof the right to vote on the question of whether or not there will be permitted in the territory a pool hall or pool room. The law makes it optional with the Commissioners' Court to order the election of their own initiative or they shall when petitioned by 200 voters of the county or 50 voters in the precinct, order the election.

Mason's Elects Officers.

Last Saturday the Lockney Masons met in their new hall for the first time and among other matters, officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows:

T. Z. Reed, Worshipful Master; Henry Anderson, Senior Warden; J. C. Guest, Junior Warden; Carl McAdams, Secretary; J. C. Garrison, Treasurer; A. L. Raines, Tyler; Leslie Floyd Senior Deacon; Joe Ramsey, Junior Deacon; B. O. Downs, W. B. Matthews, Stewart; J. S. Miller, Chaplain.

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AMENDMENT NUMBER 18

What Constitutional Amendment No. 18 Will do For the Educational Interests of Texas.

The state organization in support of Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 asks these pertinent questions of Texas voters:

1. Are you not in favor of an arrangement that will make it possible to provide at any time without great delay adequate dormitory facilities at the A. & M. College, so that never again will it be necessary for the cadets of that college to live in tents?

2. Are you not in favor of allowing the University, without adding one cent of tax burden on the people, to bond its permanent income for the purpose of providing adequate buildings and grounds for the thousands of students that crowd its halls?

3. Are you not in favor of providing fire-proofs buildings for the young women in the Girl's Industrial College, for the students of the four Normal Schools and for the institutions that house our unfortunate blind, deaf, dumb and consumptive?

4. Are you not in favor of having all the public institutions of Texas constructed and equipped so that the sons and daughters of Texas, who are trained in our state schools, may have equal opportunities with the youth of other states?

5. Are you not in favor of the state paying for its public improvements in the same manner as is practiced by communities, towns and cities, in street grading and in the erection of school buildings?

6. If you favor educational progress and enlightenment and believe that opportunities for the boys and girls of Texas should equal those offered the youths of other states, cast your vote on July 19 for Senate Joint Resolution No. 18. It comes last on the ballot.

A fishing party, composed of O. R. McCollum and wife, O. W. Fry and wife and Lee Underwood and wife went to Lubbock last Saturday afternoon, where they joined Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Narris on a fishing trip to the Yellow House. Abundant of fish were caught and a splendid time reported, the Lockney people returning home Sunday afternoon.

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EDUCATORS URGE AMENDMENTS

Give Reasons Why Votes Should Endorse Higher Education July 19th.

The educational institutions under the control of the State of Texas have long suffered from inadequate support. The rights of the young men and the young women of Texas, as well as the safety and prosperity of the Commonwealth, demand that these institutions be placed upon a plane of reputable efficiency. A sure and ready means of accomplishing this acceptable and patriotic service is at hand. On the 19th day of next July the voters of Texas will have an opportunity to amend the Constitution in such a way as to give prompt and permanent relief to the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the College of Industrial Arts and the four State Normals. Every patriotic Texan going to the polls on that day should cast a ballot reading as follows:

"For amendment to Section 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, A. and M. College, State Penitentiary System and other public improvements, and building of warehouses for agricultural products."

The proposed Constitutional amendment, which passed the Senate without a dissenting vote and the House of Representatives by practically a unanimous vote, gives the people an opportunity to provide buildings and equipment for their higher institutions of learning, and, if necessary, to issue bonds on the real property of the penitentiary system, and, when desired, to erect warehouses for agricultural products. The adoption of the amendment would make it possible for the people, through their representatives, to provide in a business-like way for these several great interests.

The University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the College of Industrial Arts and the four State Normals have practically reached their limit in the number of pupils they can successfully instruct, and all of these institutions are in need of more buildings, more teachers and more equipment. The increase in population, the growing interest in education and the enlarged service rendered by our schools demand the expenditure of large sums of money in order to insure their continued efficiency. The issuance of bonds would provide funds to meet the needs of the several institutions without burdening the people of Texas.

The twenty-cent limit of local school taxation in rural districts has been raised, local taxation for common schools is rapidly increasing, school houses are being built, school terms lengthened, and the general efficiency of the schools improved. It seems but the part of wisdom that our higher institutions of learning should be dealt with in a business-like way, in order that they may be able to meet the constantly increasing demand for service. The development of these higher institutions is absolutely necessary to the vigor and efficiency of the public schools. If the head suffers, the whole body suffers.

Clarence Ousley,
W. B. Bizzell,
J. L. Long,
Mrs. P. V. Pennybacker,
W. S. Sutton,
F. M. Bralley,
Mrs. Cone Johnson.

Turns Car Over And Breaks His Arm

Last Friday, while on the return trip from Dallas with a new Krit, J. R. Meriwether had the misfortune to turn the car over between Lockney and Floydada. The cause of the accident was a soft, slick place in the road which he ran into, the car skidding and turning over on its side. Mr. Meriwether was running at a moderate rate of speed. He had his lights on, but mud looks same as dry dirt by light of the car. There were three in the car besides Mr. Meriwether: Chas. Irby, Ira Smith of Estelline and Walter Young, traveling salesman for Tinsneson Saddle & Hardware Co., of Dallas. In the turn over Mr. Young received a broken arm. The car was righted in a few minutes, and the party came on to town, where medical attention was given Mr. Walker. He returned to Dallas by rail Saturday morning.

Floyd County Singing Convention.

The Floyd County Singing Convention will meet with the Muncy people the first Sunday in July. We are expecting a good time and want everybody to come, and help us to praise God throughout the day in song service. We send an urgent appeal to every class in the county to be present and help us make this a day to be long remembered by the people of Floyd Co. Come, let us strive to not let the singing cause suffer any longer in our county by uniting our efforts and pulling together in such a way that will create an enthusiasm in the one science which we will carry to heaven with us, where it will be perpetuated throughout eternity with perfect voices, all free from discord. It will be picnic and barbeque time and most likely many of the people will be tired, but come along and hear the singing, if you don't sing, and it will rest you. To lighten the burden of all in feeding the people on these occasions, let the neighboring communities help Muncy to feed the crowd so we all can be prepared to let our souls feast on the singing of God's praises and not have our strength taxed to the limit in preparing for the day. We are just starting, and let us start right; and make each meeting a day of great rejoicing and soul feasting. Remember the date and come.

Earl Rainer, Pres.

W. S. Meller, formerly of this county, was in Floydada Sunday night and Monday from Paducah, where he has been engaged in grading on the Quanah, Acme & Pacific extension to Roaring Springs. Mr. Meller's equipment is such that he handled the heavier work on this extension. Asked Monday whether he would do work on the road leading northeast from Floydada to a connection on the Denver he said, "If they build and give me an invitation I may bid on some of the work."—Hesperian.

Remember the Fourth.

HOWARD BROS. SEE LANDS

New Orleans Owners of 200-Section Block Northeast Floyd Spend Week Here.

Edgar B. and Albert P. Howard, of New Orleans, owners of a large block of land lying to northeast of Floydada in Floyd, Briscoe, Hall and Motley counties, spent the last week in town and on their lands on a trip of inspection, leaving for home this morning. From Saturday until Tuesday was spent on their lands by the Howards, they being accompanied on the trip by W. M., and J. M. Massie and G. V. Slaughter.

It has been freely predicted that these parties in company with local capital would build a railroad from the Denver southwest through their lands to Floydada. However, this has neither been confirmed nor denied publicly here. Early developments should prove whether this conjecture is founded on facts.—Hesperian.

33 New Farms Opened up in Floyd County Annually.

33 new farms are opened up in Floyd county every year and the latest Federal Census Report is which are based on data gathered in the spring of 1910 show a total of 620 farms in this county at that time. In 1900 we had 286 farms. We have a total of \$7,708,052 invested in farm property and our farms are worth \$12,432 each including equipment. The total number of farms in Texas at the rate of the last census was 417,770 having increased 65,580, or 19 per cent during the past decade. The value of all farm property in the State is \$2,218,645,000. The average Texas farm is valued at \$5,311.

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Uncle Tom Morrison went to Plainview Monday.

Come to the picnic the 4th and 5th of July.

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G. L. Mayfield, Dist. Atty.
W. B. Clark, Clerk.
A. C. Goen, Sheriff.
County Court convenes third Monday in January, April, July, and October.

A. B. Duncan, Judge.
W. B. Clark, Clerk.
A. C. Goen, Sheriff.
J. B. Bartley, County Attorney
B. C. Willis, Tax Assessor
Commissioners' Court meets in regular session 2nd, Monday in February, May August, and November

A. B. Duncan, Presiding Judge
John Howard, Com. Prect no. 1
Wm. McGehee " " " 2
R. L. Orman, " " " 3
Chas. Trowbridge, " " 4
Justice Court of Prect. no. 2 convenes the 4th, Friday and Saturday in each month.
H. L. Moore, J. P.

Lodges.

Lockney Lodges, A. F. & A. M. meet Saturday night on or after the full moon of each month.
T. Z. Reed, W. M. 1
C. L. Cowart, Secy.

The Lockney Lodge M. W. A. meets every second and fourth Saturday in each month.
J. H. Byington, C. C.
Homer Howard, Clerk.

Lockney Camp No. 1280, W. O. W. meet 1st and 3rd Saturday nights in each month.
Lloyd Nichols, C. C.
T. S. McGehee Clerk.

Lockney Lodge, No. 396, K's of P meet every Tuesday night.
Carl McAdams, C. C.
A. Meriwether K. of R. and S. J.

Lockney Local Lodge No. 311, socialists meet 1st Saturday in each month at 2 P. M.
J. T. Hill Sec.

I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday night in each week.
Henry Thagard, N. G.
J. H. Byington, Secy.

Churches

Church of Christ: Services begin every Sunday morning at 10:30. They consist of singing prayer, reading and preaching, or Bible talks; Breaking of Bread and contribution follow. Sunday 3:30 p. m. is the Bible study in classes. Wednesday night is the prayer meeting. All are invited to these services.

Methodist Episcopal Church, South, services every Sunday as follows:
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
E. P. Thompson, Supt.
Preaching at 11 A. M. and, 7: P. M.

Sr. Epworth League at 3 P. M.

Junior League at 2 P. M.

Prayer service and Teachers' meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

A cordial invitation is extended to all people to attend these services. Come, a hearty welcome awaits you.

Leon Henderson, P. C.

Services every Sunday morning and evening at Baptist Church.
Sunday school at 10 a. m. E. C. Nix, Superintendent. Ladies' Aid Society meets at 2 p. m. first and third Saturdays in month. Everybody is cordially invited to attend our services.
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JIM ORR, Proprietor

NOW! Is The Time

For thirty days, beginning with May 26, Lockney Sheet Metal Works of Lockney, Texas, will sell at actual cost of manufacture tanks and stock tubs. If you need anything in this line you will do well to figure now. Write Box 364 or phone 75, Lockney, Texas, for figures on anything you need. Mention this ad in writing.

Lockney Sheet Metal & Plumbing Works

Farmers' Exchange

We are paying highest prices for all your produce and will sell your groceries lowest. We keep on hand all the time a supply of bread. Beginning first of next month will give away one 10c can of baking powder with each hundred pounds of flour purchased. Also will reduce price on bucket coffee 10 per cent, \$1.00 bucket 90 cents.

Farmers' Exchange

Phone 30. Lockney, Texas

Batter up.

For Sale—A nice two-room house in the east part of town. Will sell for half of original cost.

41-tf A. B. Hatcher.

Eld. J. R. Jones of Roswell, is visiting E. Guthrie.

Judge Mark Logan of Amarillo was in the city Wednesday.

Buy White Crest flour. Better than the rest. Best of the best. J. A. Baker sells it.

We have just received a shipment of Heine Pure Foods, such as preserves, pickles, olives catsup, relishes, etc.

J. A. Baker.

R. M. Broyles went down in the Gasoline country Monday on business.

Jim Orr has opened a skating rink at Floydada.

You can get the best grade of niggerhead coal at

Cobb & Elliott Grain Co.

Mrs. Geo. W. Brewster returned from Stephenville Wednesday, where she attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Roberts.

Jake Hammonds was here from Center Tuesday, attending the Masonic installation.

Uncle John Wimberly was in the city from Briscoe county Tuesday.

Many useful household goods to be found at the Racket Store.

Dr. Crawford was here from Silverton Tuesday on business.

Chas. Irby and Jim Meriwether went to Quitaque Tuesday on business.

Dr. H. E. Stolp of Flomot was in the city Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Guest spent Tuesday night with friends at Plainview.

Cras. Trowbridge was here from the South part of the county Tuesday, attending the Masonic installation.

Foud—A Rebecah pen. Owner call at Beacon office and pay for this ad and get pen.

Have you found a bunch of keys? They belong to the Beacon. Return them and we will reward you.

A. J. McCollum of Quitaque was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Shackelford is visiting at Leede, Oklahoma.

Frاند Copeland came in this week from Gunter.

J. Harding Nall has gone to Canyon to enter the Nromal.

Notice for Bids.

The school trustees for Common School district No. 9, Floyd County, Texas, will receive bids for the construction of a brick school building at Sand Hill not later than 12 o'clock, Saturday, June 28, 1913. Plans, drawings, specifications can be seen at A. G. McAdams Lumber Company, Lockney, Texas. All bids are to be left with Claude V. Hall, Floydada, Texas. The school board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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Messrs. Jerry Kendrick and Geo. Wilson have been at Roswell this week to buy feed.

Lost—A bunch of keys, with ring attached, with accident policy number 504882. Return to this office and receive reward.

France Baker and Vernon Dillard have received each a house bill of lumber, and will begin in a few days the erection of nice residences.

Jim Dines, who was kicked in the face by a horse a few weeks ago, is able to be on the streets again this week.

S. C. Ross, veterinary surgeon, is back from college at Kansas City, and will practice his profession in Lockney. Office at Lockney Drug Store. 33 tf

If you have sick stock see S. C. Ross, the veterinary. 40

Wanted to Trade.

My 214-acre place, one mile of town for raw land. Place well improved.

W. R. Sams. 44 2t

R. H. McClure of Silverton was in the city Tuesday en route home from Callahan county. Mr. McClure is the new paper man at Silverton.

Judge J. N. Stallbird made a business trip to Plainview Monday.

Laymen Meeting.

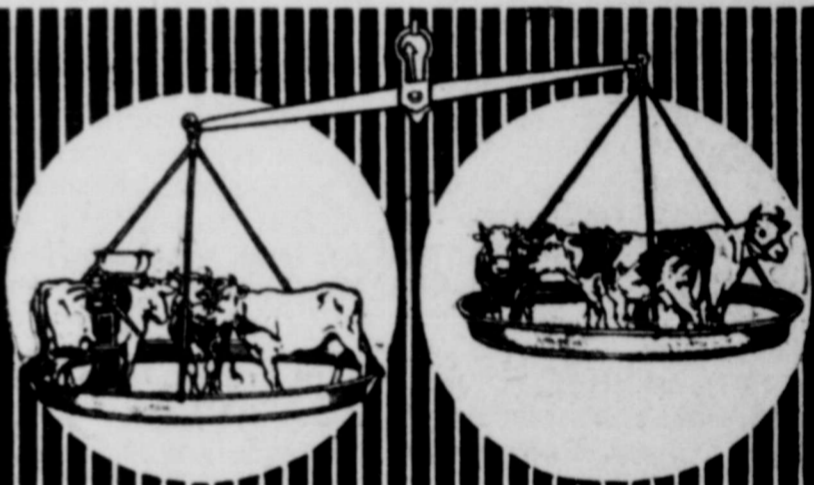
Program for the Baptist Laymen, at the Baptist Church, June 29th, at 5 p. m.

General topic—Consecration—Deacon Fry, Bro. Moon.

Concentration—E. C. Nix, Bro. Starks.

Religion in business—T. Z. Reed, Walter Bell, Mr. Teaver. Individual Responsibility—Ed Reeves, Sam Henry.

Testimony and Experience—General Discussion.



Three cows and a DE LAVAL CREAM SEPARATOR

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Thousands upon thousands of cow owners have already proved this statement; any experienced dairyman will verify it for you.

With such a big saving it is hard to understand why any cow owner should try to get along without a De Laval Cream Separator.

If you are selling cream or making butter, and have no separator, or else an inferior machine, we know if we could put a De Laval on your place we would be doing you a personal favor.

If you haven't a separator don't make the mistake of starting with a "cheap" or inferior machine. When you do buy a separator—as soon as you can—be sure to get the best—the De Laval. Remember, you can't make money by trying to save money in the purchase price of a cream separator. A De Laval costs only a little more than the cheapest and will save you twice as much and last five to ten times as long as other separators.

**E. P. THOMPSON & SON
LOCKNEY**

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J. A. BAKER

WE WANT YOUR PRODUCE

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|------------------------|---------|
| Hams | 20c |
| Country Bacon | 16 2-3c |
| Country Lard per pound | 15c |
| Butter per pound | 18c |
| Hens, per pound | 9c |
| Fryers, per pound | 15c |
| Turkeys, per pound | 11c |
| Ducks | 11c |
| Geese | 12c |
| Eggs, per dozen | 10c |
| Old Roosters, each | 15c |

J. A. BAKER