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SYNDICATE BRINGS PROSPECTORS HERE

Colorado People Say Plains Land Is as Good as Colorado Land.

H. I. Miller, of New York, Vice-President of the Pearson Syndicate, was in Lockney last Saturday afternoon with a party of Colorado prospectors, who were investigating the syndicate irrigating propositions in the Lockney country.

The writer interviewed some of the prospectors, and found them to be men of experience and prominence from the irrigated districts of Colorado State. In conversation with Mayor Hamilton and others, State Senator W. A. Drake, of Port Connell, Col., said: "You people have as fertile land and better adapted to irrigation than in Colorado. Your inexhaustible supply of underground water, can be lifted for less expense than our system of reservoir irrigation in Colorado. Our irrigated lands is worth from \$150 to \$200 per acre, and you Lockney people have better soil, and your lands will eventually be worth more money. All you need is capital to develop your country."

The Pearson Syndicate last week bought 60,000 acres of land in the Lockney and adjoining shallow water country, and are spending two million dollars in developing same.

Already nearly fifty irrigating wells of 1,500 to 2,500 per minute capacity have been sunk and it is the intentions to put down three hundred and fifty more; seven hundred acres have been put out in orchards and work is progressing on putting in 60,000 acres in alfalfa. The Syndicate is going to put their lands under a highly developed state with irrigating wells, good farm houses, and improvements, alfalfa fields, etc., and sell to actual settlers in tracts of 20, 40, 60, 80, 120 and 160 acres each. Each farm will be completely equipped so that the purchaser can move onto it and begin work at once.

The Pearson Syndicate is doing a grand work in the Lockney country, and are developing what will eventually become the biggest and richest irrigating districts in Texas. Every foot of undeveloped irrigating land will be worth \$75 per acre in a few years, and irrigated land from \$150 to \$200 per acre.

Clyde Smith Dies From Operation

Clyde Smith, son of John Smith of the Flomot community, was taken to Plainview last week, where he was operated on Friday for appendicitis. He died from the effects of the operation Saturday, and was buried in the Plainview cemetery.

He was well known in this community, and the many friends of the family regret to hear of his death.

Just received a car of White Crest.

J. A. Baker.

J. B. DOWNS

The land man requests when you are in town to come to see him in the First National Bank building. I have the best trading list in West Texas. No deal too large

for me to handle. None so small to merit my best attention. Submit a proposition that will bear inspection. I have land in any county of the state to exchange for Plains land. The real estate business should be better now than it has ever been before. There many dissatisfied land owners on account of the drought which has covered the largest portion of the United States, which will tend to make many changes. As I am carrying on extensive advertising of Floyd county lands, I will ask all that have land listed with me to come in and we will go over and

perfect same, so there will be no mistake when the buyers come. If you have a house to rent, or want to rent one, come in and see me. I render and pay taxes on non-resident land. I have several good bricks, clear of debt, to trade for Plains land. Thanking you one and all for past favors, I am yours for business,

J. B. DOWNS

BRING IN YOUR EXHIBITS FOR FAIR

Lockney Wants to Make a Creditable Showing at the Panhandle State Fair.

As the time draws nigh for the Panhandle State Fair at Amarillo, October 5th to 11th, it is very important that farmers bring in their best samples of products. Lockney is anxious to have creditable exhibit at the Fair, and the country at large should co-operate with the town in getting together products that will make a good showing. Bring the best you have and leave it at Brewster's office.

Cotton Brings Thirteen-Fifty

Cotton was sold on the Lockney market Tuesday for \$13.50. This is the highest price paid for cotton this season on any market in the Panhandle.

Lockney always pays more for cotton than surrounding towns.

Accidentally Shot While Hunting.

Reports from Hurley at early this morning indicated that Ross Harp, who was accidentally shot while hunting last Sunday, was resting easy. Young Ross is a son of A. E. Harp of Plainview. The young man is seriously injured.

"THE CAMPBELL ARE COMING"

Miss Walter Campbell Stands at Head of List Again This Week.

"The Campbells are Coming," was a Scottish battle cry. This week Miss Walter Campbell stands at head for second time. The other candidates show a nice gain. Miss Ella Ratjen deserves special mention for gain made. Who'll lead next week.

Lockney on Movies.

A moving picture was made of the business section last Saturday. The reel will be in charge of the Lockney State Bank.

It is the intention of the business men to have this picture run at several fairs this fall.

Granted Divorce.

Mrs. Effie Bell was granted a divorce from her husband, Council Bell, in district court Monday. She was awarded the custody of her children.

Attention is called to the big ad of E. Guthrie's appearing elsewhere in these columns. Mr. Guthrie is going after the business, and has made some sensation prices. His big Red Tag Sale starts tomorrow.

Notice.

People owing me for colts are now due and past due, and you are requested to call and settle. 1-4t. P. M. McDonald.

Lockney College Opened Tuesday

Lockney College and Bible School was opened for the 1913-14 term with a goodly enrollment of pupils. Prof. T. W. Croom, graduate of the Henderson school of Tennessee, is president of the College. He will be assisted in the work by his brother, D. F. Croom, late of Oklahoma. Miss Ethel Carruth, also of Oklahoma will have charge of the primary grades, and will also teach a class in music.

The school will be graded as follows:

T. W. Croom will have charge of the High School and College Work; D. F. Croom, the Intermediate and Miss Carruth the primary.

Tuesday and Wednesday were spent in classifying and mapping out course of study, and Thursday class work was taken up.

The expression department is vacant, but will be supplied later on.

There is a bright outlook for the school this year. Both President Croom and his brother comes to the school highly recommended and are men of character and teachers of experience.

Standing of Beacon's Piano Contestants.

Following are the standing of the contestants in Beacon's Piano contest up to 6 o'clock p. m., Thursday:

Walter Campbell, Lockney,	18015
Josephine Nichols, Lockney,	16525
Wynette Britton, Lockney,	12640
Mamie Alford, Hello Girl, Lockney,	11765
Miss Vera Smith, nine miles North of town,	10,845
Girlie Hewitt, Curlew,	10715
Ella Ratjen, Providence,	8800
Glenna Dillard, Lockney,	6770
Ollie Miller, Quitaque,	1000
Pleasant Valley Sunday School,	705
Eula Mickey, Sandhill,	500
Mattie Lee Kell, Quitaque,	500
Minnie Turner, Lockney,	500
Miss Ford, Petersburg,	500
Lucy McGhee, Bobbitt,	375
Vaden Whitt, Lockney,	750
Mrs. Virgil Teaver, Flomot,	250
Lena Juarrett, Curlew,	1250
Maggie Bryant, Muncey,	255
Ora Moore, Lockney,	125
Irick Church and Sunday School, Irick	
Meteor Church and Sunday School, Meteor	

FREE COUPON

Beacon's \$350 Piano Contest
10 Free Notes

For

SEPTEMBER 26th. This Coupon must be voted within Twenty days (20) from Issue.

B. F. SMITH, Publisher.

Staples

Calico, per yard 31-2c
A good 31 inch percale per yd 7c
Forest percale, yd wide, fast colors, per yd 9c
Apron Gingham, all grades 16 yards for \$1.00
A very fine 36 inch bleached muslin, former price 10c, 8-1-3
Red Tag price
An excellent 39 inch Sea Island domestic, very fine at 14 yds for \$1.00
A heavy round thread skirt- ing, a small case direct from the mills, 11 yds for \$1.00
All chevrons and 10 waist goods, 12 yards \$1.00
All 12 1-2c gingham, per yd 10c
A beautiful line of bookfold gingham, in dark, fall shades, a great variety, 11 yds for \$1.00
A dandy 9-4 Brown sheeting per yd 20c

Outing Flannels

A very large line, all grades, a cracker-jack 10c outing in a great variety of colors, full weight, to go in this sale 8-3-4c
A very fine fleecy white outing, good weight, 11 yards for \$1.00
We also show a number of grades of heavy blanket outings and on each piece you'll find the Red Tag attached, nothing reserved.
Space forbids our quoting prices on other staples but we have them all at cut prices.

Blankets

The swellest line ever shown in Lockney. Grades from \$10 per pair on down to the lowest. Our high grade, pure fleeced wool blankets, \$10 grade grade cut to \$7.95
A very fine pure wool blanket in neat patterns \$8.00 grade cut to \$5.95
We will show you a line of \$5

blankets that other retailers ask \$8.50 for, we cut these to \$4.65
A beautiful line of \$5 wool blankets, large size and exclusive patterns, Red Tag price \$3.95
A large size Wool Nap blanket in \$2.25 grade cut to 90 pairs of high grade cotton blankets that ordinarily retail at 1.50 per pair we offer you \$1.10

Hats

A great assortment of hats up to 3.50 value, many nobby ones, Red Tag price 95c each
Special high grade 3.50 hats, large staple shape, Red Tag price 2.65

John B. Stetson Hats

A good assortment, light and black values seldom offered.
Style Big 4, reg price 5.00 cut to \$3.95
Style Laloo, reg price 5.00 cut to \$3.75
Style Kenney, reg price 4.50 cut to 2.95
Out to \$2.95
Style Dakota, reg price \$5 cut to 3.75
All Stetson dress hats cut to 2.95
Just think, you can buy a John B. Stetson hat for less money than you ordinarily pay for a common grade.

Other Hats

All \$3.00 hats \$2.35
All 2.50 hats 1.90
All 2.00 cut to 1.40

Dress Goods

We are showing fine line in dress goods. All new, bought especially for fall 1913 business. Silks, Suitings and Coatings in great variety. We show you some exclusive patterns with beautiful new trimmings to match.
All 1.00 good, Red Tag price 80c
All 75c goods 55c
All 65c goods 50c
All 50c goods 39c

All 35c goods " " 22c
All 25c goods " " 10c
All 1.50 goods " " 1.25
All 1.75 goods " " 1.25
All 2.00 goods " " 1.45
All 2.50 goods " " 1.95
All 3.00 goods " " 2.30
You can surely find something in this line that will gratify the most fastidious.
Some beautiful light weight waists, only a few, to close 85c

Skirts

We make an excellent showing here.
All 7.50 Skirts, cut 5.25
All 6.50 " " 5.00
All 5.00 " " 3.95
All 4.50 " " 3.25
All 4.00 " " 3.00
All 3.50 " " 2.50
A special job lot, many good skirts to clean up at almost your own price.

Pants

A big line, consisting of Washington Trousers, Curlee Pants and several other well known makes. Look for Red Tag.
All 7.50 Trousers cut to 5.00
All 6.00 " " 4.75
All 5.00 " " 4.25
All 4.00 " " 3.00
All 3.50 " " 2.50
All 3.00 " " 2.25
All 2.50 " " 1.90
All 2.00 " " 1.35
All 1.75 " " 1.10
All 1.50 " " 1.10
All 1.25 " " 80c
All 1.00 " " 80c
All men's overalls and jumpers to go at 80c.

Shirts

We're overstocked on this line, and we're going to make a quick clean up. Have assorted a special lot of 50c, 75c, 90c and \$1.00 to clean up quick at 45c.
Flannel Shirts, no better can be had, all sizes, from 7.50 per pair on down.

Specials in Work Shirts

Only a few dozen of this special shirt, will be sold while they last at 20c.
Boys' Work Shirts—A few to go at 20c.

Underwear

A showing that is hard to equal from \$5 per suit down.
High grade fleeced lined and ribbed union suits for boys and girls, up to size 34, Red Tag price two suits for 85c
Men's heavy fleeced lined shirts and drawers, per suit 85c
Men's heavy ribbed shirts and drawers, per suit 85c
Men's heavy ribbed union suits 90c

Ladies heavy fleeced lined shirts and pants, per suit 85c
Ladies full bleached vests and pants, a real nice garment, per suit 85c
A very nice wool shirt and drawers for men, former price per garment 1.25, Red Tag price 85c
Our stock of woolen underwear is too big to enumerate. Have all grades up to \$3 per garment. We have used the knife freely on the prices and can surely please you as to quality.

Sweater

We handle the celebrated Bradley Line of knit goods together with other well known brands. All grades, all prices, for men; boys, ladies, Misses and children.

Sweater Specials

A neat little Jersey sweater for boys and girls, a few dozen only, Red Tag price 25c
All 50c Sweaters 40c
All 75c " " 55c
All 1.00 " " 85c
All 1.25 " " 95c
All 1.50 " " 1.15
All 1.75 " " 1.25
All 2.00 " " 1.55
All 2.00 " " 1.55
All 3.00 " " 2.20
All 4.00 " " 3.00
All 5.00 " " 4.25 and 3.90

Shoes

ton, per dozen 49c
Darning cotton, 3 spools for 5c
D. M. C. cotton, 4 skeins 5c
Clark's O. N. T. Lustrite, per dozen 45c
A short horn comb, each 1c
Boys suspenders, per pair 5c
An elegant assortment of ladies lace collars, baby Irish work, each 20c
Hair pins, large box 5c
Ladies handkerchiefs, 2 for 5c
Our prices are right, we cannot quote prices on every thing.

Hosiery

Lot of Hosiery—socks and stockings for the whole family.

Specials

100 dozen of childrens school hose up to size 9 1-2—a smooth ribbed piece of goods, per pair 9c
A heavy 2x2 ribbed hose for boys and girls in the 20c grade, Red Tag price 15c
(You'll pay 25c for this hose at some houses.)
Men's Hose.
A special lot of heavy black and tan hose—we will place on sale at 7 1-2c per pair.
Another Soap
60 dozen heavy weights in a nice black and tan, per pair 11c former price 15c
Notions
Our prices speak for themselves. Cedar pencils per dozen 8c, these pencils are rubber tipped.
A good black pencil, No. 2 lead, with good black rubber, per dozen 10c
Safety pins, 2 cards 5c
Clark's O. N. T. Spool coat.

Ladies Coats and Suits

We now come to the greatest item in the high cost of living for the average farmer. We can truthfully say that we believe we have West Texas beat on Shoe prices. We will quote only a few special lots of Endicott Johnson & Co's high grade welt shoes, most of which run from \$3.50 to \$4.50 in price. Red Tag price \$2.70. These shoes are up-to-date goods and are high grade wels.
Special lot of Ladies high grade shoe values from \$3 to \$3.50, Red Tag price \$2.00 per pair.
A special lot of Misses 5-strap Roman Sandals, will be closed out one day during this sale at 75c.
Another special lot of Peters 18 carat and diamond special shoe values \$3.75 to \$4.50 will be Red Tagged at \$3.00.
Another tough pliable work shoe, solid oak soles and insoles Red Tag Price \$1.95.
We are making some striking reductions in our Shoe department and no shoe will be sold that will not be reduced at least 10 per cent, and many prices are cut in two.

Men's Suits

The celebrated Schloss Bros. clothes Sewell and other lines. All \$35.00 Suits cut to \$27.50

All 30.00 " " 23.90
All 25.00 " " 19.90
All 20.00 " " 15.95
All 15.00 " " 11.90
All 12.50 " " 9.90
All 10.00 " " 6.95
We have some odds and ends, broken suits, etc., and can rig you up in a new suit anywhere from 3.00 per suit up. No house will attempt to compete with our prices.

Men's Overcoats

A good stock. The price is cut.

No merchant, we believe, has attempted anything like our showing of Ladies' Misses' and children's coats in a town twice the size of Lockney. With our full line in, we will show you over 150 styles to select from, at prices from 90c up to 30.00.
We have the cream of the New York market in this showing, and priced so low that competition does not attempt to compete, yet the tag goes on every one and they all go in to make this sale the greatest in the history of Floyd county.
The suit line will not disappoint you either in style, quality or price.
All \$30.00 Coats tagged \$22.00
All 25.00 " " 19.00
All 20.00 " " 15.00
All 17.50 " " 12.75
All 15.00 " " 12.00
All 12.50 " " 9.35
All 10.00 " " 7.95
All 8.50 " " 6.00
All 7.50 " " 5.50
All 6.00 " " 4.10
All 5.00 " " 3.10
All 4.00 " " 3.10
Reductions on down. Suit reductions will run about the same. Better make your selections the first week, for this will be the last call at such prices.

Don't wait till the last and expect to find the cream of the stock at your disposal. Bear in mind many lines will be broken the first week, and, of course we will hardly feel justified in making any new purchases, as the sole object of this Sale is to clear out our immense stock.

E. GUTHRIE, LEADER IN LOW PRICES

Lockney, Texas



THE FARMER'S FIRST AID IN SICKNESS.

WHEN there is sickness or an accident on the farm, haste in calling the doctor is vital. Life may rest on minutes—Don't wait until sickness occurs, and THEN wish you had a telephone. Order it NOW from our nearest manager, or write.

THE SOUTHWESTERN TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE CO.



MAY GET TWO CUTTINGS OF ALFALFA

The Texas Land and Development Company has already taken one cutting of alfalfa from land which was sod last January. They may reasonably expect another cutting this fall. Alfalfa growers say that this is a good showing.

The land was ploughed during the winter, and flooded. It was then pulverized and alfalfa planted.

E. Graham, north of town two miles, has cut four crops of alfalfa from land on which his hogs ran until June 1st. He secured 4 1-2 tons to the acre and has refused \$20 a ton for it. The cost of producing this alfalfa, including hire of labor, hire of team, irrigating and interest on investment in machinery, Mr. Graham says, has been \$26 an acre. That leaves him a net return of \$64 an acre, plus the value of the clover to his hogs until June 1st.—Hale County Herald.

START YOUR LIVER DON'T STOP WORK

Dodson's Liver Tone Acts Mildly, But Surely. Liven up Your Liver and You Stay on Your Feet.

It is the experience of calomel users that if they take enough of the drug to have the desired effect, it seriously interferes with their work the day after. But this is the least important item, for calomel is often a dangerous drug and acts on the system violently.

Don't take chances with calomel. Get a bottle of the pleasant, safe and perfectly harmless Dodson's Liver Tone, guaranteed to take the place of calomel. Instead of making you feel worse the next day it makes you feel better—and you actually are better, for no remedy in the world liven up the liver, regulates the bowels and really rejuvenates the system any better than this does.

You are the sole judge of its merits. Agents for Dodson's Liver Tone is fully authorized to hand you back your money without question if it fails to please you—and relieve you.

Remember, what you need is Dodson's Liver Tone. A large bottle and a good guarantee for 50c at the Red Cross Drug Store.

Congressman to Visit Floydada.

The Floyd County Hesperian is authority for the following:

"Word has been received in Floydada by John P. Matthews, from Congressman Stephens, that his duties as head of the Committee of Indian Affairs, would call him to the southwest sometime in October, probably about the 10th and that he would make Floydada on a visit, on his itinerary.

Arthur B. Duncan General Land Agent

AND ABSTRACTORS FLOYDADA TEXAS

Buys sells and leases Real Estate on Commission; Renders and pays taxes for non-resident land owners; investigates and perfects titles; furnishes abstracts of title from Records. Owner of complete abstract of all Floyd county lands and town lots. Have had more than 25 years experience with Floyd county lands, and land titles. List your lands and town lots with me if for sale or lease. Office in Court House. Address Arthur B. Duncan.

Notice.

The public school is one of the greatest factors in our country, when reinforced by good, wholesome, reliable newspaper, it gives the American child a practical education. Without the aid of newspapers the public school can not give a boy or girl that degree of general intelligence that you wish your children to have. You can get The Lockney Beacon and The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News for one year, three papers a week, for \$1.80.

We accept and receipt for subscriptions at this office. Do the ordering and take all the risk.

Missouri State Life

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

A. J. McDowell

General Western Agent, Plainview, Texas

COBB & ELLIOTT

Proprietors of City Elevator

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN, SEED AND ---COAL---

LOCKNEY, PHONE 60 TEXAS

Wonderful!

The New 1913 Saginaw With the Patented Angle Steel Rib

Saginaw Silo

Patent No. 617772

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 **DAIRYMEN AND STOCKMEN A RIB**, which the heaviest wind storms can't even SHAKE or TILT. All because the Angle Steel Rib absolutely prevents any up-and-down slipping of the staves. Moreover, this marvelous invention forever ends the remote possibility of your Silo sagging in when empty.

5 Big Factories

The Saginaw is far the most popular Silo on the market. Five mammoth Silo factories have had to be built. Last season we received orders for 847 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 Great Oak, it is rooted to the ground by the Saginaw Anchoring System.

Bright, Clean Silage

No rank, stored silage ever comes out of a Saginaw. It is sweet and pure clear to the edges, right next to the walls. Animals love the silage, favor and thrive wonderfully on the rich, succulent food. Don't get a Silo that spoils 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 letter, come in and get your book and we'll take it over.

Other Noted Features

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

The McCLURE COMPANY
Formerly Farmers' Handy Wagon Co.
Saginaw, Mich. Des Moines, Iowa. Minnesota Transfer, Minn. Cairo, Ill. Ft. Worth, Texas.

WILL McGEHEE

WINCHESTER RIFLE and PISTOL CARTRIDGES

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.

FOR SALE BY DEALERS EVERYWHERE.

A. G. McADAMS LUMBER CO.

Screen Doors, in Every Size
Lime, Cement and Brick
Doors and Paint
Sash, Mouldings, Blinds
Lumber, Bois'D'arc, Lath And Shingles
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HOME BAKERY AND RESTAURANT

Fresh Bread, Cakes, Pies, Cookies, etc. Prompt Attention Given to Special Orders. Short Orders Day and Night. At old State Bank Building.

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THE LOCKNEY GARAGE

MACHINE AND REPAIR SHOP

Gas, Lubricating Oils, and General Line of Auto Supplies

A full line of Electrical goods. Do wiring and installing Lights

Waller & Dyer, Props

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

NOTICE

WE will not carry anybody thirty days who fails to pay their accounts when due. Interest will be added on all past due accounts.

Farmers Exchange

Personal Mention

W. A. Armstrong, cattleman from Floyd, was in our city Tuesday on business.

Lee Montague of the Brakes country was in the city this week.

Roy Bruner was up from the Brakes country, Saturday on business.

Mrs. John Oswell, of Plainview, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Brewster last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paddock, of Moline, Ill., were in Lockney this week looking after their interests.

Tablets, pencils, inks and all kinds of school supplies at the Racket Store.

T. W. Thagard was in attendance on court at Floydada Monday.

Mr. Kimble, of Gasoline, was trading here Monday.

Every thing to eat at the Home Bakery.

Dr. J. C. Guest attended court at Floyd Monday.

U. S. Crum attended court at Floydada Monday.

Joe Robinson was in attendance on disrrict court at Floyd Monday.

Watches, clocks and jewelry repaired by W. M. Martin, at Lockney Drug Co.

Mrs. John Carpenter, of Plainview, was the guest of her friend, Mrs. J. D. Pelphrey this week.

Buy your school supplies at the Racket Store.

Gasoline Pumping Engines always in stock at Lockney Sheet Metal Works.

Roy Phillips left today for Kansas Citymarket with a shipment of fat cattle.

You will find a complete line of school supplies at the Racket Store.

J. C. Garrison topped the Kansas City market this week with a shipment of Black Angus cattle.

Oysters! Oysters! Oysters! at the Home Bakery Restaurant.

Floyd Barber was a witness in district court Monday.

Judge F. P. Works of Amarillo and Judge Mayfield of Plainview, were in the city Tuesday on professional business.

Big fresh, juicy and fat oysters at the Home Bakery Restaurant.

Jim Taylor of the Brakes country was in the city Monday, loaded out with supplies from the Lockney Grocery Co.

Z. T. Riley attended district court at Floyd Monday.

For Trade—A good six-eye range stove to trade for feed.

D. F. Jones. 2 4t

Messrs. W. E. McClure and L. B. Sweeney, of Silverton, attended the Masonic Lodge here Monday night.

Key Green, cashier of the State Bank at Floydada, was a visitor to our city Wednesday. He says cotton is beginning to come in at a lively rate at Floyd and all business feels the effects of it.

County Judge Kendrick, of Tullia, was in the city this week visiting with relatives. Judge Kendrick is favorably mentioned as a candidate for district judge of this district to succeed Kinder, who has announced his intention of retiring.

Winter is here in full blast. Let me put those winter togs in wearing shape.

Johnie Sams,

The Tailor.

The Beacon for the news.

BAKER'S PRODUCE Market

Eggs, per doz.	25c
Hens, per pound,	9c
Broilers, per pound,	13c
Fryers, over 2 pounds,	12c
Fryers, over 3 "	10c
Old Roosters, each,	15c
Ducks	11c
Geese	11c
Guineas, each,	15c
Pidgeons, each,	10c
Turkeys, per pound,	12 1-2c
Old Toms, per pound,	10c
Lard, good, per pound,	18c
Bacon, good, per pound,	18c
Butter, bulk, per pound,	20c
CREAM, per pound,	28c
Onions, per pound,	3c
Cabbage, per pound,	3c

ALL PRICES IN TRADE

J. A. BAKER

General Merchandise

Lockney, Texas

Test Shows Water 99.59 Per Cent Pure

South Plains water is 99.59 per cent pure, according to analysis jurt received by the Texas Land and Development Company from the chemical laboratories of the University of Texas.

Six samples of water were sent and the lowest analysis is 99.4 per cent. This water was taken from a shallow well about south-east of Plainview. The well is operated by a wind mill. The water shows 602 parts solids in the million, or .6 to 1 per cent.

Roy Carruth and sister, Miss Ethel, come in last Saturday from Davidson, Okla. Mr. Carruth has entered Lockney College, while his sister will teach in same institution.

C. R. Caldwell, the champion yarn spinner, and writer of "Jest and Suggest," blew in just ahead of the norther this week. He came around and told us a new one.

The first real norther of the season struck the Plains Wednesday night. Fires and stove building was the chief occupany throughout yesterday. There was a scarcity of winter clothes.

Notice.

To those who have been in the habit of borrowing my car, I wish to say that I will not under any circumstances loan this car out to any one hereafter. I don't mind to accomodate my friends, but you cant get my car any more.

J. C. Garrison.

Prompt and good work. Bring me your watches.

W. M. Martin.

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After October 1st we do not propose to sell them unless their account for the previous month has been adjusted in a satisfactory manner to the merchant.

Please take warning.

Lockney Retail Merchants Ass'n.

Notice to Farmers!

We are now ready to do your cotton ginning. We thank you for your last year's cotton ginning, of which you gave us a liberal patronage. And we hope to see every man that is interested in cotton come to see us, get acquainted, see how nice our machinery is running; see those naked cotton seed we are ginning, and that beautiful cotton sample we are making. We feel that with our twenty-five years' experience in the gin business enables us to do cotton ginning on a level with the best that can be had anywhere.

We want to say to the man that has cotton, that it is to your interest and very important that you keep your cotton very dry. Don't even let the dew fall on your cotton, as wet cotton won't do anything. Dry cotton will thirid itself; dirty cotton will clean itself. We will give a \$5.00 Stetson Hat as an inducement for dry cotton to the man that brings the greatest number of dry bales of cotton to our gin this season.

We wish to say in regard to the \$1 for bales weighing over 500 pounds, that we failed to get that in print as it should have been. We do not charge anything for bales weighing over 500 pounds, but we would be glad to have bales range from 450 to 550 pounds, for the ginners are requested to wrap the cotton well at the ends by cutting the bagging plenty big to cover good. Bring us fifteen hundred pounds of seed cotton and we will make you a nice bale. By so doing we will greatly improve our cotton and get a good price when we go to market. We understand that the one dollar is to be collected from the railroads by the steam ships, and the farmers and ginners have nothing to do with it.

Don't listen to knockers, but bring your cotton on. We are located near depot, Lockney, Texas.

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We have fifteen cotton mills in Texas representing an investment of \$2,229,000, running 112,404 spindles and having a capacity of 40,000 bales, a yearly output valued at approximately \$2,250,000 and giving employment to 1,000 people.

Our cotton mills use less than one per cent of our cotton production; the remaining ninety-nine per cent seeks the foreign factory. The people of Texas consume approximately 220,000 bales of cotton per annum and yet out of the 40,000 bales manufactured in Texas, at least seventy per cent of it must find a market outside of the State, due to our failure to patronize home industry. It would require 1,500 cotton mills of the capacity of our present factories to consume the product of our farms, call for an investment of \$250,000,000, give employment to 150,000 people and add approximately a quarter of a billion dollars in value to our cotton crop.

These desirable conditions can only be obtained through co-operation and by fostering and encouraging this important industry.

The cotton mill and the cotton farm are inseparable comrades and in promoting the prosperity of the former we build up the latter.

C. S. Patton, district plant chief; H. O. King, district traffic chief; T. K. Becker, general commercial superintendent, of the Southwestern Telephone Co., were here this week on business connected with the company.

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Sells The Old Kell Ranch in The Brakes

R. M. Broyles closed a deal Tuesday whereby the old Henry Kell ranch under the cap rock becomes the property of C. M. Rogers of Swisher county. The consideration was not stated, but it is understood that it sold for a good price.

Former Lockney Girl Weds Sunday

Miss Bessie Wilson and Byron Brown were married Sunday morning at 7:30 o'clock, at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. S. A. Barnes officiating. The young couple were accompanied to the paronage by Misses Clara Belle Wilson and Hattie Workman.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Brown left in their car for a five days' trip to New Mexico and Colorado. After October first they will be at home to their friends at 616 Jones Street—Plainview Herald.

Gray-Moon.

A pretty wedding took place Sunday morning, Sept. 21, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moon at 9 o'clock a. m., at which time Miss Georgia E. Moon and Mr. D. N. Gray were united in marriage.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Leon Henderson of the M. E. Church.

The bride wore a lace and voile dress over blue. The room was tastily decorated in pink and white.

At the noon hour, a three-course dinner was served.

The groom is a progressive farmer of Hale county, and has a new bungalow nearly completed for his bride on a farm ten miles west of Plainview.

The bride is known in the Plains country as being a successful nurse.

Congratulations and best wishes for Mr. and Mrs. Gray go with them to their new home.

Not Paint

With linseed oil at \$1, what sort of oil do you think they use in "paint" at \$1.75 and \$1.50.

That stuff is counterfeit paint. You can cheat yourself; you can not cheat Time or Weather.

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One machinery concern alone has sold 51 one irrigating outfits in this and the Plainview communities.

ROAD BUILDING.

Demonstration Work and Machinery on Exhibition at the Dallas Fair.

Building a public highway is the most important human event of this age and intelligent construction of roads the greatest triumph in modern science. It is authoritatively estimated that sixty cents of every dollar spent on public highways is wasted through faulty construction or in unwise methods of maintenance.

The exhibits of road machinery and model roads will be a public highway institute that every person who visits the State Fair of Texas at Dallas should attend.

The latest types of the most perfect road machinery will be parked on the Fair Grounds for convenient inspection. There will be model highways and demonstration roads laid out and samples of road materials and construction will be exhibited and their value and utility explained.

The improvement of our public highways is the most stupendous problem confronting the people of Texas today. We have 140,000 miles of public highways and 4,652 miles are surfaced with stone, gravel or similar materials. We spend approximately \$53.60 per mile per annum on public highways. The per cent of public highways improved in Texas is 3.2 and in the United States 7.14. We spend approximately \$7,500,000 per annum on public highways and \$3,000,000 annually on paved streets. Of this amount \$4,000,000 is raised by bond issues and \$3,500,000 by taxation. We spend on an average of \$2.00 per annum per capita on our roads and the average in the United States is \$1.55. We have four per cent of our public highways classed as "improved" and the average in the United States is nine per cent.

There is no better investment than money intelligently spent on public highways and every dollar invested in road improvement adds three times its value to adjoining property and every argument that applies to the improvement of private property will apply with multiplied force to the improvement of public property, and especially to public highways, as every farmer must use the roads.

There are many important lessons that can be learned from the good roads exhibit at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 18 to Nov. 2.

Rockvale lump coal \$7.50 per ton at J. L. Orr's.

For Sale.

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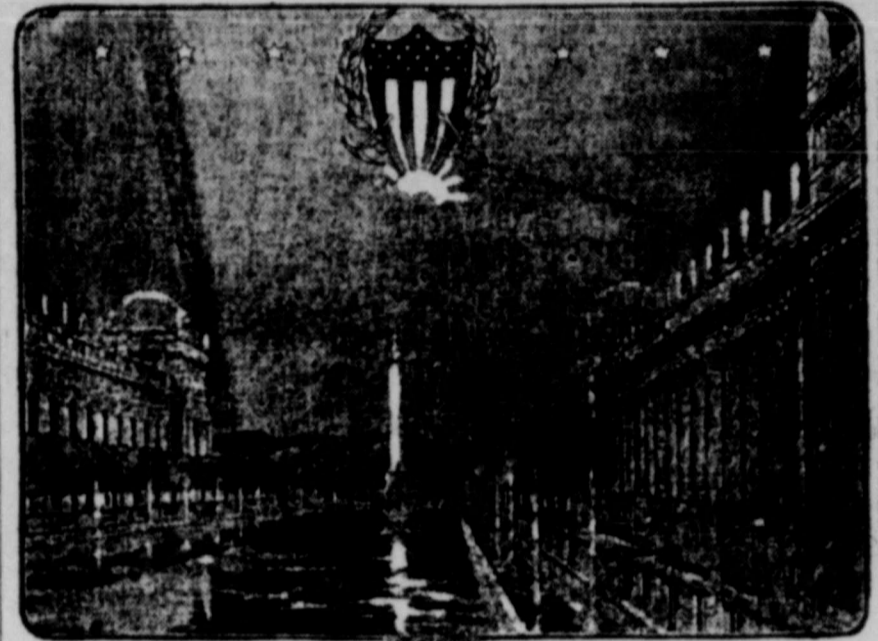
Fresh fish and oysters at Home Bakery Restaurant.

Car of meat salt just unloaded. J. A. Baker.

Clyde Reeves visited his parents in north part of county Tuesday and Wednesday.

With a view to irrigating the fertile acres around Hurley, Fort Worth and Eastern capitalists have organized a \$40,000 corporation, says the Fort Worth Record. The company will install an electric plant at Hurley and furnish power to raise water from wells in the Hurley Valley.

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LOOKING toward the hills of Marin county through the entrance of the great Court of Sun and Stars upon the harbor. In the center is seen a colossal column whose spiral represents man's climb towards fame. At the summit of the column the huge symbolical figure is designed to convey the spirit of success.

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BEN F. SMITH, Editor.

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Col. R. P. Smyth is growing three hundred bushels of sweet-potatoes to the acre on Hale irrigated land. The crop was only watered twice.

The Tarrant County Public Schools have adopted "Child's Study of Nature" for use in the primary grades. The book was written by A. A. Whyte, of Lockney, Texas. Mr. Whyte has been a teacher in the rural schools of the South Plains for a number of years. Floyd county has already adopted the book.

Will Form New Baptist Association.

At the meeting of the Staked Plains Baptist Association held at Plainview last week, it was decided to create a new association, and divide the old one.

Speaking of the matter the Plainview Herald says:

"This Association has comprised the Baptist Churches of seven counties. It was decided that this territory is too large to do the best work, and the Association was divided, the dividing line being the county line between Hale and Floyd Counties. Those churches located on the Hale county side will remain as the Staked Plains Association, and will hold its next meeting at Crosbyton, Tuesday after the second Sunday in September of next year. The other Association will form a new organization at such time and place as may be designated by the church leaders."

Summary of Property Assessed and Values

Through the courtesy of Tax Assessor B. C. Willis, we give below a summary of property assessed and valuations in Floyd county for 1913:

Acres, 621,626; val.	\$4,362,060.
Horses, 7,270,	284,860.
Jacks and jennets, 119,	7,165
Lots,	598,065
Cattle, 19,248	382,875
Sheep, 1006	2,010
Goats, 13	40
Hogs, 4210	12,750
Dogs, 11	415
Buggies, wagons	
Automobiles, 1188,	35,145
Mdse	148,340
Impt.	37,130
Engines	6,700
Money on hand	63,295
Credits	164,100
Miscellaneous	72,930
State and Nat'l Banks	123,710
R. R.,	121,905
Rolling stock	19,924
Intangible assets,	94,807
Telegraph and telephone	6,110

Total \$6,544 336

Robert Hall, cashier of the Petersburg State Bank, is authority for the statement, that the Petersburg section has the best crops it has had in five years. He says: "Every farmer has an abundance of maize, and is selling his surplus for a good price. Many of them have as much as one hundred tons and some have as high as three hundred tons, which means a big surplus. Our bank deposits are steadily increasing and our merchants are doing a good business."

Floyd County Fair Takes Place in October

Floyd County Eighth Annual Fair will take place at Floydada, October 10th and 11th, which will be Friday and Saturday. The premium list will cover a wide scope as has been the custom, and will include farm products, poultry, live stock, culinary and textile products which will carry premiums amounting to about \$500.

List of Grand Jurors.

The following grand Jurors investigated the violations of the law in the county since the last term of court:

W. A. Knox, foreman; J. T. Hinkston, R. L. Reeves, C. C. Krause, A. J. Womack, L. H. Lewis, A. H. Manning, J. W. Sims, W. J. Teaver, A. D. White, W. O. Teague, R. C. Scott.

J. A. Bently, door bailiff and T. H. Edwards, P. H. Flynn and Jim Shepherd, riding bailiffs.

The grand jury adjourned last Friday after returning seven true bills of indictments.

Floyd county has a suit in Federal court at Amarillo this week, in which Isaac C. Enocs of Mississippi is plaintiff. Mr. Enocs is suing the county for a correction of the deed of conveyance of Floyd county school lands sold by J. J. and R. M. Ellerd to Mr. Enocs wherein \$7600 is cited as a part of the consideration, this being incorrect.

Sues for Custody Muncy Children.

Habeas corpus proceedings were filed during the session of the court at Plainview, by D. J. Muncy against Mrs. Birdie Muncy, for the custody of her two children, Elbert and little sister, by Grandma Muncy, of Lockney. The habeas corpus was granted and hearing set for Sept. 23rd. It was stated by attorneys in Floydada Monday that the children had been adopted some two weeks ago by their grand parents in Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Baker.

Will Run For District Judge.

Judge R. C. Joiner of Plainview, while in Floydada this week, announced definitely to his friends that he would be in the race for the judgeship of the district. Judge Kinder has announced that he would not ask for re-election.

Judge Joiner is well acquainted over the district and has presided in Judge Kinder's stead in a number of counties where he has made a good impression. It is announced that he will have an opponent in the county judge of Swisher county, but the latter still has the matter under advisement. — Hesperian.

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One way Colonist fares to California and Northwestern States will be on sale September 25 to October 10. Fare approximately \$30. Summer tourist rates on sale daily Low fares to the Gulf. Call at depot for full particulars C. C. MILLER, Agent.

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After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing all my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of continuous success, and should surely help you, too. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper.

GREAT RED TAG SALE

Begins Saturday, September 27th
Ends Saturday, December 6th

60 - Sixty Great Bargain Days - 60

Owing to the flattering outlook for the greatest crop in the history of the Plains and finding the New York and Boston markets in a most excellent condition for buying, on our last trip east, we bought very heavily and to great advantage to our many customers. We bought goodsc heaper, quality considered, than ever before, and we're now loaded with a \$20,000 stock of the best selected goods ever brought to Lockney, in fact, our house is running over, with new goods arriving daily. The drought cut our crops short, yet there will be a bountiful harvest, which, at the prevailing price will leave the people and country in a prosperous condition. Yet those who know us can tell you that it is not our policy to carry over a raft of winter goods and offer them from year to year as new goods.

Hence, to clear out this immense stock and foster our future plans, we inaugurate this the greatest sale in the history of the town. We defy all competition. Don't fail to **Supply Your Needs for the Fall and Winter Before the Stock is Broken**

No such opportunity will knock at your door again. Avail yourself of the opportunity. You may call us foolish to throw this stock of new goods on the market at such prices just at the beginning of the most prosperous season of the year, but we know our business. Everything strictly cash. No goods sent out on trial, yet we will cheerfully refund your money if your purchase does not please you. That's our plan—your money back if your purchase does not please you.

'-, '-, Look For The Red Tag; Look at The Prices! '-, '-,

Stock consists of high grade staple piece goods, a large assortment of fall dress goods varying in price from \$3 per yard down to 10c. A complete line of ladies coats and suits, some of which will not be in the house till the first week in October. The newest things in ladies skirts, petticoats, etc. An immense line of gents furnishings, with suits ranging in price from \$3.50 to \$35.00 per suit. We sell the celebrated Schloss Bros. Clothing. A complete line of boys and young men's clothing. A six thousand dollar stock of Shoes consisting of high grade specialty lines. Steadfast and Beltrite Shoes for men, J. & K. Shoes for ladies, Endicott Johnson's line of heavy Shoes. Logan Shoe for boys and girls. A complete line of Hats at all prices, including No Name and John B. Stetson Hats.

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Millinery Opening

I will have my new fall and winter stock of Millinery Goods on display, Saturday, September 27, upstairs in the Furniture Department of E. P. Thompson & Son. We will show all the latest in Millinery this season, and the ladies of Lockney and country are cordially invited to be present on this occasion. Respt.,

Mrs. G. W. Ford

Attention Farmers!

I am now ready to gin your cotton, and am equipped to give you first-class service. I have installed a boiler and huller and will gin your cotton in the bolls. I guarantee you satisfaction and first-class work. Gin located north Part of town. Bring me your cotton either in bales or seed and I will treat you right.

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Apportionment School Tax For 1913

Following is an apportionment of the district school tax of Floyd county for the year 1913:

District No. 1	\$ 661.39
" " 2	564.80
" " 3	573.40
" " 4	556.10
" " 5	514.00
" " 6	222.42
" " 7	1,062.30
" " 8	435.34
" " 9	1,119.25
" " 10	354.08
" " 11	371.74
" " 12	281.36
" " 13	407.76
" " 14	415.38
" " 15	545.12
" " 16	134.30
" " 17	337.62
" " 18	294.69
" " 19	817.94
" " 20	333.24
" " 21	405.60
" " 22	189.36
" " 23	473.60
" " 24	215.72
" " 25	299.08
" " 26	559.20
" " 27	205.24
" " 28	490.32
" " 29	269.60

Hale County	54.60
A.	3,125.64
B.	5,912.72

Total \$22,172.91

Public School Notes.

It has been said, "What we get out of life, is what we put into it." The same may be applied to school going. Some pupils come to school for one thing and some for another. Not all come for business. Experience has proven that the boy or girl who really works and who tries will advance in spite of things, his teacher thrown in.

Experience has also proven that the boys and girls who take hold of their work in school, be it arithmetic, history or work in a literary society, are, in a general, the leaders in society in the later years of their lives.

Again, it is a fact that great numbers of boys and girls fail in school and in turn fail in life. There are various reasons for this. To begin with, every boy and girl should have parental backing at home. Encouragement should be given to inspire effort, for any life, especially the young, need a word of encouragement now and then. Another reason for failure lies in the fact of irregularity. No pupil, however intelligent he may be, can succeed in school without punctuality on every recitation throughout the school year.

Again, failure may be the direct result of the pupil not preparing his lessons before hand. Parents may render a valuable service at this point in encouraging the boy or girl to be regular in their habits of study and life in general. No boy or girl will succeed in school who does not prepare their lessons before time of recitation.

Another reason for failure lies in the fact that school going and school work is not looked at from a business basis. There is a business side to school-going and there is the play side. One brings success and the other miserable failure.

So, after all, "We get out of life what we put into it."

W. L. Vaughan.

We will handle a complete line of the adopted school books and school supplies this year. All books will be sold for cash. Lockney Drug Co.

Tax For Floyd County For 1913

The following table, taken from the Assessor's Rolls, show the various taxes for Floyd county for 1913:

State	\$15,059.12
State school	11,131.75
Contingent	3,272.79
State Poll	571.50
School Poll	1,130.00
County Tax	16,360.20
Special	19,621.00
District School	22,172.95
Total	\$89,618.06

Sunset Sweets.

The farmers are very busy harvesting their crops. The yield is much better than expected.

Mrs. Chas. Jarrett is visiting her mother in Lockney this week.

Misses Anna and Pauline Sims have returned from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson have returned from Paducah. R. C. Covington and Frank and Charley Jarrett were trading in Lockney Saturday.

Pete Knight and family visited relatives below the cap rock Saturday and Sunday.

Aunt Cindy Cox and daughter visited Mrs. Moon one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones attended church at Lone Star Sunday.

Paul Sims and sister, Mrs. West, visited at Lockney Sunday.

J. H. Upton attended lodge at Lockney Saturday night.

J. W. Sims has been doing grand jury work at the county capital this week.

The N. F. C. S. C. will meet at this place the first Sunday in October. We are expecting a good crowd, and have the promise of some good musicians. We extend an invitation to all to come and bring a well filled basket. Mr. Editor, you and family have a special invitation. Shoo! Fly, Shoo!

The South Floyd County Parents and Teachers Association will be held on the Third Sunday in October.

DIRECTORY

Courts.

District court, convenes on first Mondays in February and August.

L. S. Kinder, Judge.
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. Prec. no. 1
Wm. McGehee " " " 2
R. L. Orman, " " " 3
Chas. Trowbridge, " " " 4
Justice Court of Prec. no. 2 convenes the 4th, Friday and Saturday in each month.
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Lockney Lodges, A. F. & A. M. meet Saturday night on or after the full moon of each month.
T. Z. Reed, W. M.
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The Lockney Lodge M. W. A. meets every second and fourth Saturday in each month.
J. H. Byington, C. C.
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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 Rebeckah Lodge No. 131 meets every Monday night in each week.

Mrs. Anna Crum, N. G.
W. R. Wofford, Secy.

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 8:30 P. M.

Junior League at 4 P. M.

Prayer service and Teachers' meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:30.

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

S. J. Upton, 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. every Monday in each month. Everybody is cordially invited to attend our services.
Rev. H. G. Finley, Pastor.

Farmers Union meets Saturday before 2nd and 4th Sunday in each month in W. O. W. hall
J. S. Dickey President,
T. F. Casey, Secretary