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SYNDICATE HAD TO STOP WORK

Manager Pearson Syndicate Says
Floyd County Commissioners
Forced them to Stop Work

Elsewhere in this paper is articles from the Plainview Herald in reference to the Syndicate's work being discontinued in Floyd county, and giving as a reason therefor that the commissioners court had failed to fix roads and culverts so that the company's big trucks could haul material to their operations. In order to get these articles verified, and find out the actual status of the Syndicate's operation in this county, we call Mr. R. S. Charles, manager of the Pearson Syndicate, at Plainview, on long distance and asks him for a statement in reference to this matter which he makes as follows:

Plainview, Texas,
Nov. 6, 1913.

To Editor of Lockney Beacon—
Dear sir: In compliance with your request for a statement in reference to certain articles appearing in the Plainview Herald, to the effect that operations in Floyd county had been discontinued, will say that the same were correct. We have tried to get the roads and culverts fixed since last summer, but without any result. It was impossible to continue to advantage our work in Floyd county in shape roads and culverts were in and had to discontinue same for the present.

Respectfully,
R. S. Charles,
Manager Pearson Syndicate,

In reference to the above we wish to say that Floyd county will sustain a great loss through the stopping of the Syndicate's work in this county, by means of irrigation development and the money spent. We hope that the court will take this matter up next week and fix the roads and culverts as asked for.

Will Begin Operations At Hale Center

The Texas Land and Development Company is moving its drilling outfits to the Hale Center community. R. S. Charles, local manager, said today that he hoped to begin drilling wells southwest of Plainview next week.

The Company moved its drills from Floyd county because the Commissioners failed to put roads and bridges in condition so that the company's big truck could be used to transport materials.

Mr. Charles says that his company will put down probably 25 wells in the Hale Center neighborhood. A second rotary drill has been ordered and parts of the drill have come in. Local engineers expect this big rotary to begin work within a week after the first one starts digging. —Plainview Herald, of November 4th.

The Greatest Reductions

For the purpose of moving our entire stock of young men's and men's clothing, we will make special reductions and the best prices for the season from now until

December 1st.

Many prices are almost cut in two. You can find just your size at almost your own price. Suits, prices from \$3.00 to \$35.00

Ladies, Misses and Children's Cloaks.

Some extra low prices on these goods. A good stock to select from. Coats from \$25 cut to \$19 down to coats at 85c. That's the grades and prices. At \$5.25 we can show you a few coats that cannot be equaled at the price.

Shoes.

Our line of shoes is still complete having just received our last full shipment which fill in all broken lines. The line of boys and girls school shoes is especially strong and at the reduced prices is a saving worth while.

E. GUTHRIE

Leader in Low Cash Prices

Lockney, Others Follow Texas

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,.....	45035
Ella Ratjen, Providence,.....	41010
Josephine Nichols, Lockney,.....	40290
Wynette Britton, Lockney,.....	39015
Vera Smith, Lone Star,.....	38580
Mamie Alford, Hello Girl, Lockney,.....	37305
Girlie Hewitt, Curlew,.....	20855
Glenna Dillard, Lockney,.....	12090
Mattie Lee Kell, Quitaque,.....	1070
Ollie Miller, Quitaque,.....	1000
Pleasant Valley Sunday School.....	705
Eula Mickey, Sandhill,.....	500
Minnie Turner, Lockney,.....	500
Miss Ford, Petersburg,.....	500
Mrs. Virgil Teaver, Flomot,.....	500
Lena Juarrett, Curlew,.....	1250
Maggie Bryant, Muncey,.....	255
Ora Moore, Lockney,.....	125

FREE COUPON

Beacon's \$350 Piano Contest
10 Free Notes

For
NOVEMBER 7th. This Coupon must be voted within
Twenty days (20) from Issue.

B. F. SMITH, Publisher.

C. S. Peyton of Amarillo, district plant chief of the Southwestern Telephone Co., spent the day here Tuesday, looking after the company's interest.

Ira Broyles and family and Fred Dukendier left last Sunday for Eldorado, where they will spend a month with Bill Kelly, on a hunt.

Board of Education Holds Meeting.

Monday the Floyd County School Board held an important meeting at Floydada.

Among other business attended to was the approval of the County Superintendent's apportionment of the County and State school funds of \$12.50 per capita.

The board recommended the adoption by the schools of Floyd county of "Nature's Study" by Prof. A. A. White.

The creation of the office of Superintendent of the schools was also recommended.

PHOTOGRAPHS

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No need to wait for a fine day, however. With the equipment of the modern studio, you can be taken one time as well as another.

Make an appointment to-day

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The Photographer in Your Town.

LYCEUM COURSE MONDAY NIGHT

Lyceum Course At College Chapel
Monday Night Under Auspices B. B. C. Club.

The long felt need of a high-class entertainment in Lockney is now realized through the efforts of the Bachelor Boys Commercial Club, and we take pleasure in announcing that they have procured for your pleasure and entertainment, the Dixie Lyceum Course, consisting of five entertainments.

This course will begin Monday night, Nov. 10th with Miss Annie Therse Devault, who will present such interesting recitals as the "Melting Pot," "The Music Master," "Mother," "Polly of the Circus" and "Christmas Carol." These are all first class numbers, and will be highly entertaining.

This course is the same that has been secured by Floydada, and those who have attended the previous numbers are already familiar with the high grade of entertainment furnished by the Dixie Bureau. To those who have attended these numbers at Floydada and other places, we need not make any statement regarding the merits of these entertainments, but to those who have not seen them we will say that you will be well paid for your trouble. The price of admission will be 20, 35 and 50 cents.

In this connection,—the first of the Club's public entertainment, we wish to announce for them that the Bachelor Boy's Commercial Club has been organized for the purpose of procuring for the town all good entertainments that visit this section, and in order that their efforts may be crowned with success it is necessary that the people of Lockney give the boys their hearty cooperation and liberal patronage. To fail to do this, will be failing in the support of a worthy enterprise. So let's give the boys a big crowd next Monday night.

Walter Campbell Again Leads Contest

The voting this week has been general and all leading candidates show steady gain. Walter Campbell still holds the lead, making the second time she has held first position for two weeks. Ella Ratjen is second with Josephine Nichols and Wynette Britton close competitors for third place.

Miss Mamie Alford polled a strong vote, which again puts her in the running. Also Miss Vera Smith received a good vote.

Girls, there are only six more weeks until the piano will be awarded and you should get every subscriber you can between now and then. Every vote will count in the final wind up.

There are lots of our subscribers who have not renewed for their paper and with a little effort you can get these votes.

Mr. Farmer, let us figure your grocery bill. We can save you money.

Lockney Grocery Co.

P. O. PRIMARY

Will be Held by Democratic patrons of Local Office to Determine Choice for P. M.

A petition to J. N. Stalbird, chairman of the Democratic party of Floyd County, is being circulated and signed among the patrons of the Floydada Post Office, asking for a call of a preferential primary to be held at an early date to determine the choice of the patrons of the office for postmaster under the Democratic administration, succeeding Mr. J. D. Starks, whose commission expires in the early spring of 1914.

It is understood that this primary will be held with the cognizance and advice of Mr. Stephens, whose nomination to the post office authorities and the president will be made according to the outcome of the primary. He is quoted as saying that the primary will be "Fair to the patrons, fair to the aspirants, and fair to himself." This upon his recent visit to the city.

Mr. Stephens has numerous personal friends in Floydada, all of whom agree that this primary should be a most excellent way to choose a postmaster.

The petition will be forwarded to Judge Stalbird at Lockney at an early date.—Hesperian.

Paint Put-On

Think of paint put on and not by the gallon.

A gallon of paint in the can is of no account to anybody. Put it on. Now reckon its cost and value.

The secret is: one paint goes twice as far as another. A good one goes twice as far as a bad one.

You have a job, say an average job. It'll take 10 gallons Devoe and 12 or 15 or 18 or 20 of midling poor, very poor and trash. You know painter's wages in your town. Put the prices of a gallon of paint and the painter's day wage together. You can, we can't.

Devoe costs less than any inferior paint; there are hundreds of them.

One paint is as good as another, so long as it lasts good; one lasts months and another years; and the one that goes furthest lasts longest.

J. F. McCarty of Floydada has shipped a coyote pup to a relative in old Alabama. This will be a distinct curiosity to the people of that section, as they never saw a coyote in that state.

We have blanks for interest remittances. Bring your old interest receipts to us and we will send off your interest free of charge.

Lockney State Bank.

Geologists Survey Cottle County.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Paducah Oil Company has met with some discouraging propositions on the present well on which they are at work, they are not going to abandon the proposition by any means.

About two weeks ago the company voted to have a geologist to survey the county and give them what information he could. He came last week and has been diligently at work ever since. A complete map has almost been completed of the county and it is expected that a final report will be made within the next few days.—Paducah Post.

Mrs. Upton Hurt in Runaway.

A message came from the Lakeview community Saturday noon saying that Mrs. S. J. Upton had been thrown from her buggy during a runaway and quite seriously injured. Dr. McFarling hurried out there, and found the lady pretty badly bruised up, but not seriously so. Just before she was thrown from the buggy, the horse had ran away with a little son, and thrown him from the buggy, and the lady thought she was able to manage the excited animal, with the result as above. Mr. Upton, who was on his way to Lockney where he was to preach, was reached at Plainview, returned hastily and went out home about three o'clock.—Tulia Herald.

WOODMEN TO BUILD GREAT SANITARIUM

Lodge of Texas Planning Erection of Hospital for Treatment Tuberculosis to cost \$100,000.

The Woodman of the World in the jurisdiction of Texas will erect a great sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis. The plan involves an expenditure of more than \$200,000. This announcement was made from Dallas, Texas, Saturday.

The sanitarium is to be the gift of 190,000 members of the W. O. W. in Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. It is estimated that one-third of the entire membership of this fraternity is in the three states coming within this jurisdiction.

A committee, consisting of Chairman W. A. Fraser, Dallas, sovereign adviser of the fraternity; O. S. Lattimore, Fort Worth; E. D. Henry, San Antonio, Jewell P. Lightfoot, Austin; Lewis Rogers, Gainesville, and H. W. Wiseman, Cleburne, will visit and inspect sites offered as soon as the State Fair closes. The committee says that it is expecting to receive offers of other sites during this week.

Sites have been offered from Amarillo, Corpus Christi, Fort Bliss, Alpine and Carlsbad, in Texas. Two of these offers are from members of the W. O. W.

It is contemplated that the sanitarium will have in connection with it a modern dairy, poultry department and gardening enterprise, to supply the use of the persons who will be at the institution. Sufficient grounds for such a plan must be offered in the site.

The purpose of the sanitarium is to provide a place for the scientific care of those members of the W. O. W. in Texas, New Mexico and Arizona who may be or become afflicted with tuberculosis. The sanitarium will be equipped in the most approved manner for the treatment of patients.

It has been demonstrated that the "white plague" may be cured without difficulty if simple rules of health are observed; the patient kept well nourished and given lots of pure air and sunshine. It is easy enough to prevent infection from tuberculosis.

So that there would be no danger from such an institution in proximity of any town.

Campbell to Enter Senatorial Race.

Washington, Oct., 17.—Former Governor, T. M. Campbell was in Washington on his way to Texas from New York.

Mr. Campbell would not talk for publication, but assured several Texas Congressmen today that he will enter the race of United States Senate when the Senatorial contest opens.

Come to Lockney to live.

\$350 Piano Given Away \$ 50

F R E E

Big Voting Contest to start with Lockney Beacon Sept. 1st, 1913
The Contest will start Sept. 1st and close Dec. 24th. A handsome \$350 Leyhe Piano will be given to the Lady, Girl, Church or Lodge in Floyd, Briscoe, Motley and Hale counties that receives the greatest number of votes.

The Plan

With every \$1.00 paid to the Beacon on subscription, either new, renewals or old subscribers, we will give 500 votes. In addition to votes given on subscription, there will appear in every issue of the Beacon, from Sept. 1st to close of contest, a free coupon, which will count ten votes when clipped out and mailed to this office. There will be established at the Beacon office a ballot box, which will be locked and key turned over to the Lockney State Bank, and will not be opened until the day of closing of contest. When contest is closed the ballot box will be turned over to three judges, to be selected, and votes counted and piano awarded. Will keep a register of votes as polled, and a list of contestants and their standing will be published weekly.

Call and see the instrument at J. R. Fox Confectionery. There is no red tape to the contest. Any lady or girl can contest for the piano. No votes can be obtained in other way save the plan above---votes in paper and subscription. Fill out the nominating blank and send to the Beacon office.

Lockney, Texas, _____ 1913

To Contest Editor:

ENROLL

IN BEACON \$350.00 PIANO CONTEST

The Lockney Beacon



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.

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Every thing to eat at the Home Bakery.

Notice.

All those knowing themselves indebted to me are requested to come in and settle. My expenses being heavy in school, I need the money as early as possible. 7tf
Dr. J. L. Guest.

**Commercial Club
Boys Entertain.**

The Bachelor Boy's Commercial Club entertained the young people of the city last Friday night with a Hollowe'en party at the home of E. P. Thompson's.

The guests began to arrive at 8 o'clock and were met at the door by Misses Ruby and Bess Thompson and were all made acquainted and to feel at home. Misses Olga Thomas and Mattie Lee Wilson delightfully entertained all with songs and music. Interesting conversations and scary ghost stories were told befitting the occasion. The guests were divided into four divisions and a contest was held to see which division could write up the best ghost story in ten minutes. Several real startling ones were told during which the hair of more than one stood on end as they drew closer to the fire. The prize of a delicious box of chocolates was awarded to Mabel Dagley's division by the judges, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thompson and Osborne McCollum.

Corley Ayres then furnished amusement by endeavoring to take an apple from a pan of water with his teeth. He got the apple all right.

A dainty lunch of sandwiches, fruit salad, chocolate and cake was served after which the guests departed for home and their paths beset by strange forms and visions of terrible goblins which terrify the whole country on this night.

The Boys feel very grateful to Mr. E. P. Thompson and family for their hospitality in opening their beautiful home to them for the evening.

A Story a Day

A story a day for the 365 days of 1914—that is part of what you get by subscribing \$2.00 for The Youth's Companion's new volume. The fifty-two weekly issues of the Companion will contain at least 365 stories, and all the other kinds of good reading that can be crowded between two covers—the best advice on athletics for boys, articles on dress and recreations for girls, contributions by famous men and women, suggestions for the care of the year's subscription of \$2.00 there is included a copy of The Companion Practical Home Calendar for 1914, and all the issues for the remaining weeks of this year, dating from the time the subscription is received.

If you want to know more about The Companion before subscribing, send for sample copies containing the opening chapters of Arthnr Stanwood Pier's fine serial of life in a boy's school— "His Father's Son." With them we will send the full Announcement for 1914.

The Youth's Companion, 144 Berkeley St., Boston, Mass.

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.

Missouri State Life
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A 100 Per Cent Treatment
In this age of scientific advancements the general public is beginning to realize that there should be changes, advancements and improvements in the methods of treating diseases. The public no longer asks a doctor what school or college he is a graduate of, but they ask him and his patients to show what diseases he has cured.
The sick and the afflicted are beginning to demand that a cure be found for every disease, and even every case. It is reported in the Scriptures that Christ "Healed them all." So it seems that all the science of medicine, surgery and the less comprehensive methods of physicians of the Twentieth Century have not yet learned as much as was known by the man who lived in Galilee 2,000 years ago, and did not claim to know anything, except the relation of man to man, and of man to his creator.
The Weltmer School and Sanitarium of Nevada, Missouri was founded by Prof. Sidney A. Weltmer, and altho Prof. Weltmer and his faculty of healers, who have been associated with him in his work for 15 years, do not lay any claim to divine powers, yet they have developed from the teachings of Jesus Christ regarding the healing of the sick a very thorough, systematic and scientific method of mental treatment which in sixteen years has accomplished the healing of thousand who have been unable to find relief else where.
The Weltmer Sanitarium is well equipped. They have evolved a plan of treatment based on Prof. Weltmer's ideas in which all methods of treatment are combined, and which have proved to be often helpful and never hurtful, and the patient gets the benefits of Massage, manipulation, electric treatment and all manner of baths and exercises which have been worked out and found to be beneficial.
We give below the statement of a woman in our own country who was cured of nervous and vital depletion caused by valvular heart trouble and has enjoyed perfect health for five years and who has received many incidental benefits from the services of the Weltmer Institute.
"On January 24th, 1908, I went to Prof. S. A. Weltmer's Institute at Nevada, Mo., not knowing but a very little about his method of healing, but had been under the care of the best doctor in Okla. for 12 months, but he did not seem to do me any good. So my husband decided to send me to the Weltmer Institute for treatment. I went and took treatment just four weeks and came home feeling very much better. My husband was so well pleased with the treatments that he sent me back again on May the 20th and I took four weeks of treatment and came home well and strong. I now do all my housework for a family of six- and you may know what a farmer's wife has to do, but I never enjoyed better health in my life, in fact perfect health."
MRS. NORA O'BRIANT
Plainview, Texas.
For further particulars regarding treatment or Sanitarium accommodations, write WELTMER INSTITUTE, Dept. S. A. W. NEVADA, MO., U. S. A.

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Announcement Colum.

We are authorized to announce the following, subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1914:

For District and County Clerk:

R. C. SCOTT,
T. W. DEEN
W. B. Clark

For Sheriff and Tax Collector
A. C. GOEN

For Treasurer

MRS. ADA THAGARD

For Tax Assessor.

B. C. WILLIS

Personal Mention

The best meal in town at the Home Bakery. Phone 94.

Granville Wade had business in Floydada Monday.

A. B. Muncy was in the city last Friday on business.

A. J. White was in Amarillo last Saturday on business.

Fresh bread at Gruvers Gro. Store. White Star Bakery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bolin, Oct. 27, twin girls.

J. C. Fortenberry, was in the city Wednesday on business.

The best oysters you ever ate at the Home Bakery. Phone No. 94.

S. A. Henry came in on Saturday's train from the Dallas Fair.

P. D. Coulson left last Saturday to visit the Dallas Fair.

Let us figure with you on that fall bill of groceries. We can save you money.

J. A. Baker.

E. C. Hewitt was in the city from his Curlew place Tuesday.

R. F. Wilkinson returned last Saturday from the Dallas fair.

Lost—Two sacks of seed wheat between Lockney and Frank Coles. Return to E. Rahloff.

A. J. Cameron of Briscoe county was in the city Wednesday with cotton.

Vergil Teaver, merchant of Flomot was in the city Thursday on business.

Buy the boys a suit at the Racket Store where you can get the newest and best for less money, also men's gloves, caps, sweaters and notions, etc. 11-2

Sheriff A. C. Goen was here from Floydada last Saturday on business.

Henry Witte attended the Dallas fair the later part of last week.

To One And All.

To those auto drivers, buggies and vehicles that pull my posts, unstaple my wire and go through my pasture causing my stock to break out, will be dealt with according to law.

7-4 wp. R. W. Long

The E. C. Huckaby place known as the old Walling place is off the market. Mr. Huckaby lives in Coryell county, but will move onto his place.

D. C. Lowe, Cashier of the First National Bank accompanied by Mrs. Lowe, attended a session of the County School Board at Floydada Monday.

FOR SALE—A two horse hack for \$20. See Dr. H. H. Talley. 9 2 wks

Miss Inez Hendrix came in from Snyder last Saturday and will teach expression at the college.

Mrs. T. D. Wallace of Briscoe county was here Wednesday on her return from a visit to her son in New Mexico.

Just received a new line of Men's Hats, Caps and Gloves. Let us show you.

J. A. Baker.

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General Merchandise

Lockney, Texas

We will have regular weekly shipments of candies. More for your money that elsewhere, at the Racket Store. 11-2

J. T. Ott of Fowler, Colo., who traded for 160 acres of land four miles northeast of town through J. B. Downs last summer will move onto same and improve it. He was here this week and left Wednesday to move his family here.

White Crest is the best, accept no other claimed to be just as good.

J. A. Baker.

Leslie Henderson, manager for the Leyhe Piano Co., of Amarillo was in the city Tuesday on business.

The Beacon man motored to Floyd Monday and motored back through as muddy roads as we have seen on the Plains.

Geo. Meriwether returned the later part of last week from Leakey, Texas. George says that country is full of game, but he didn't have time to hunt any.

When you want candy you can get the newest, the best and a good bit more for less money at the Racket Store.

Let us ship your cream, the price is getting to be better, and there is money to the man that ships cream. Lockney Gro. Co.

Come to Lockney to live.

We have a fresh car of Royal No. 10 Flour. We guarantee it to be as good as any flour on the market. Buy a sack—once used always used.

Lockney Grocery Co.

The government of the United States has gotten itself in an attitude of "put up or hush up" in its demand on the Mexican president, calling for his resignation. If Huerta should refuse to resign, there is nothing left for this country to do but to invade the greaser republic and lick the stuffing out of the Mexicans.

Have you tried that chilli a the Home Bakery. Phone 94.

Buys Grocery Store.

J. H. Gruver has purchased the grocery stock of the Ed Reeves Grocery Co., and taken charge. Mr. Reeves will visit East Texas on business this fall. The stock will be moved into the hardware building on the East side.

White Star Bread at Lockney Gro. Co.

The protracted meeting closed at the College Chapel last Sunday night. There were several additions to the church by confession and baptism.

Notice to the Public.

I have purchased the interest of M. M. Day and M. C. Ellis in the Happy Hour moving picture show.

Mr. J. M. Ramsey has been employed by me to run same and any courtesy shown him will be appreciated.

We will conduct a clean show, and our pictures will be of high moral standard. We ask for a continuation of your patronage, and we will promise you first class entertainment at all times. Respectfully,

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J. A. Baker.

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LOCKNEY STATE BANK

AT COLLEGE AUDITORIUM

Monday Night, November 10th

Miss Annie Therese Duvault

will present

The following recital under the auspices of The Bachelor Boys Commercial Club

"The Melting Pot," "Mother," "The Music Master," "Polly of The Circus" and "Christmas Caral."

Everybody Invited to Attend Prices 20, 35 and 50 Cents

MURDER CHARGE AGAINST WOMAN

Mrs. Ellie Lake Arranged at Dallas for Brown Killing.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 3.—A charge of murder by aiding and abetting Meade Barr in the killing of Florence Brown, here last July, has been filed against Mrs. Ellie M. Lake, according to announcement made here today.

A charge of murder was filed against Barr several days ago, before his arrival here from Indiana, where Barr, a convict, made confession of the murder, which he has since retracted.

C. F. Merrick left yesterday day for Celeste, Texas, to spend the winter. Uncle Charley says he always feels sad when he gets ready to leave the Plains, but we told him to cheer up, that he would be back when it got hot in Hunt county.

Died in Virginia.

Miss Della Whitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Whitt, died at Cameron, Va., Oct. 30, and was buried in the old family burying grounds. Mrs. Whitt left here in August with her daughter for medical treatment, and was with her continuously until death relieved her of her sufferings. She has been suffering for a number of years with a nervous trouble and it was thought that a change would do her good.

The Beacon joins the many friends of the family here and elsewhere in expressions of deepest sympathies in their hour of sorrow.

I wish to say, that I am anxious to please customers and keep store open late at night and will wait on customers at any hour and not complain of it, but please do not ask me to open store on Sunday as I do not think it right to sell goods on Sunday.

J. H. Gruver.

Bryan Denies that Ultimatum Was Sent

Washington, D. C.—With fourteen warships at the very doors of Mexico, with barracks all over the country preparing to rush troops to the border, Secretary of State Bryan today issued a statement denying that any ultimatum had been given Huerta that he must retire immediately. Published reports have said that this ultimatum, from President Wilson, was delivered to Huerta last Sunday by American Charge O'Shaughnessy.

Several months ago the Southwestern Telephone Company sent a man here and made a survey of the town, and led us to believe that something would be doing in the way of an up-to-date system in Lockney. But it seems there has been nothing stirring. They built a good system at Floyd and Plainview, and left us with an antedated system that would hardly do credit to a backwoods town in Arkansas. Manager Ross is doing the best he can under the circumstances but he is compelled to put up with rotten equipment.

Tammany Hall's defeat in New York is a well merited rebuke of corruption practised in Sulzer's impeachment. The people will rebuke at the polls every time when unquestionable politics is practised.

Buyhrs Coming.

I have buyers coming for small tracts of land, and I also have some good clear brick property bringing good revenue to exchange for land in Floyd County. I have merchandise stock, dry goods, groceries, hardware, etc. to trade for Floyd county land, and also have some good clear tracts of land to trade for unincumbered property in Lockney. My bulletin is now out for November, call at my office in the First National Bank and let us talk the exchange business over. If you have anything to exchange, I want a straight understanding so I may get it in the bulletin by the first of next month. I belong to the C. R. E. D. A. of Topeka, Kans. which puts me in touch with buyers and traders from all parts of the United States. Call around at my office and make yourself at home.

J. B. Downs, the Land Man. Upstairs in First National Bank building.

Wednesday Book Club.

Wednesday Book Club met on Wednesday, Oct. 22nd with Mrs. R. M. Broyles. On account of cold weather not all the member were present. We were glad to have with us Mrs. W. T. Brown of Wallis, Texas, sister of our President.

Our next lesson will be second and third acts of Comedy of Errors, meeting with Mrs. J. B. Downs, November 12th. Reporter.

Try that fresh White-Star bread at Famous Exchange.

Keister's Ladies Tailoring College

is open all the year. Students can enter at any time.

We also carry a full line of millinery. See me.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas

At last we have a razor good enough to Guarantee for Life



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Sizes and shapes to fit any face and adapted to any beard.

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That I am here to stay; that I can make most any watch keep time; that my prices are as low as any good workman's in the state; that I also repair jewelry and engrave; that I guarantee my work to give satisfaction; that I will always show my appreciation of your patronage by getting your work out promptly.—W. M. MARTIN, at Lockney Drug Co.

30 Days

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As it is impossible for us to carry over an account this time, so, beginning Nov. 1st, we will sell only for cash, or 30 days. It will depend to a great extent about us extending a line of credit after Jan. 1st, 1914, as to how you settle your present account. We would like to be able to extend to you fall dating again this time, but cannot do so now. So if you cannot pay in thirty days please do not ask for credit. Your business has been highly appreciated by us, and we have nothing but the kindest regards for you and hope to have a continuation of your business, but circumstances force us to adopt this plan. We will make our cash prices very attractive, and can save you money on nearly everything you buy from us. On our implements, wagons and buggies we will make no change but will sell you on fall dating as before. Come in and let us show you what the CASH will do

:-: E. P. THOMPSON & SON :-:

The Lockney Beacon
BEN F. SMITH, Editor.

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Sixteen Texas people have been awarded Carnegie hero medals and cash donations for work of heroism performed.

The quail season was out Saturday, November 1st, and several of the local sportsmen have been hunting. The quail are more numerous in the Brakes this year than ever known.

President Wilson has designated November 27th as Thanksgiving Day for the American nation. The nation should, like an individual, then in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for his manifold blessings the past year.

England, Germany and France are co-operating with the United States in handling the Mexican situation. While several of these powers have warships in the Mexican waters. They have promised to take no action until this government has announced its policy.

Congressman John H. Stephens visited Floydada last week, and promised another visit within the next two months. Politicians get mighty friendly during campaign. But the people are always glad to see their congressman whether it be a long or short space of time between visits.

County Court Proceedings.

County Court continues in session this week. This morning it is announced by Clerk W. B. Clark that all business has been transacted for the term except the probate docket which will be taken up and for which court is being held open.

Wednesday agreed judgment were entered in two cases against the P. & N. T. Ry. Co., one of A. L. Stovall, damage suit on a shipment of livestock and W. A. Brewster et al, also a damage suit ensuing from a livestock shipment.—Hesperian.

Banks Makes Splendid Showing

In the bank statements of Lockney, appearing in last week's paper show a combine deposits of \$128,774.45. This is a splendid showing and equally, if not better than the statement for the corresponding period last year.

The cotton crop is about half out, and when it is all in the dispoits will be greatly increased. The financial condition of Floyd county is in better shape than it was last fall.

Plainview is arranging to organize a militia organization.

Development Company to Discontinue Work.

Work of the Development Company in Floyd County had to be suspended until the Commissioners would consent to make some road improvements, according to Company officers.—Plainview Herald.

The Beacon does not know just what are the nature of the Development Company's demand on our court, but if it is anything in reason, and within the power of the Commissioners to grant, the work should be done. All will agree that the Syndicate work in this county is adding wealth to the county's resources. Land that sells \$100 per acre will bring more taxes to the county than land that sells for \$20 per acre.

These remarks are not meant in any sense as a criticism of the commissioners court, but merely to call attention of our commissioner to the matter, that he may look into it.

The Texas Land and Development Co., is fixing up a library at Plainview for benefit of farmers on their property, and others interested in irrigation, and diversified farming. The Herald, in speaking of the matter, says: "All the leading magazines on agricultural and live stock will be secured. Bulletins on all phases of farming and stockraising will be gotten from various state experiment stations. And these will be available at all times. Special attention will be given to the silo; to different plans for keeping and using silage. Information will be available in case a farmer has sick stock. The library will place in the hands of our farmers much valuable information, without cost."

The deep well at Spur has been abandoned after reaching a depths of 4,489 feet. The cause of discontinuing the project was the fastening of casing which could not be removed.

Plainview sportsman are arranging a rabbit hunt to cover a radius of eight miles square. They want to rid the country of Bre'r Rabbit.

Lost—A black heavy dress coat in the neighborhood of Mrs. M. E. Riley's. Return same to Beacon office. 10-2 wks. p

Mrs. M. A. Lovelass of Hillsboro has returned to her home after a pleasant visit to her son W. E. Lovelass.

Discovered at J. A. Bakers. Bread, cakes and pies. White Star Bakery.

Died at Petersburg.

T. L. Bracken, of Petersburg, died at Mineral Wells Monday, and was brought to Petersburg and buried Thursday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted in Calvary Baptist Church at Plainview by Rev. C. R. Hairfield, pastor of Calvary Church.—Plainview Herald.

Notice.

We can no longer take care of those Ironing Board Coupon books.

E. P. Thompson & Son.

Go to
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For First-class work and courteous treatment. Treat all right.
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Office at Red Cross Drug Store
Res. Phone 15. Lockney, Texas

D. J. THOMAS, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon
Office in Rear of New Millinery Store.
If you need Eye glasses, Dr. D. J. Thomas has them—He will examine your eyes and fit the glasses.
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LOCKNEY, TEXAS

For trade—New saddle. Trade for hay and feed.
J. L. Orr.

DR. E. O. NICHOLS
Specialist on Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Will be in Lockney on second and fourth Saturdays after the last of September.
Glasses Fitted Plainview, Texas

A. P. McKINNON
Attorney-at-Law
I buy and sell land on commission and negotiate loans on Real Estate.
Floydada, Texas

Keister's Ladies Tailoring College
OPEN ALL SUMMER
We teach every step from the drafting Patterns to the finished garment.
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Principal

Wonderful!
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 Dairymen and Stockmen 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 the staves. Moreover, this ingenious invention forever ends 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 slotted in strong, malleable brackets which are securely attached to alternate staves. Each rib is free to move and adjust itself to any variation in the diameter of the Silo. Built on the same structural principle as the big "T" beams used in giant steel frame buildings. One Rib reinforces the other.
Think of what it means to have these trustworthy, unbreakable Angle Steel Ribs covering your Silo! To fully appreciate the patented Angle Steel Rib, you must get our new free Silo Book, which pictures and explains all.
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 547 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 Giant 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 enticing flavor and thrive wonderfully on the rich, succulent food. Don't get a Silo that spoils silage.
Get Latest Silo Book
Our latest Book of 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—or better, come in and get your book and we'll talk it over.
The McCLURE COMPANY
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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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All Work Guaranteed. Only Disc Roller Machine in the Country
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Saved Girl's Life
"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.
"It certainly has no equal for la grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Thedford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without
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If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.
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Red Cross Drug Store

Viriden-Rigdon.

Mr. Willie Viriden and Miss Alza Rigdon, both of Lockney were married last Sunday afternoon by Rev. R. E. L. Muncy, at the latter's home, at Muncy.

Miss Alza Rigdon is the youngest daughter of Commissioner G. F. Rigdon and wife, and the groom is the son of S. J. Verden, also a substantial citizen of Lockney.

The newlyweds will continue to make Lockney their home.—Hesperian.

Bread, pies and cakes of all kinds at the Home Bakery. Phone 94.

STATISTICS SHOW WELL IS CHEAPER

United States Reclamation Service Gives Some interesting Facts on Irrigation.

"The cost per acre of water rights or of water for irrigation in the arid regions, under the present conditions of construction, is far higher than is usually appreciated," says C. J. Blanchard, Statistician of the United States Reclamation Service.

This cost is high, Mr. Blanchard says, because of the necessity of providing storage; also the notable increase in the cost of materials and higher labor costs.

Then Mr. Blanchard gives a list of ninety modern irrigation systems, built by private or corporate capital, at an average cost of nearly \$53 an acre for water rights. This list covers Colorado, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah and Washington. The Belmont Canal and irrigated District of Nebraska costs only \$25 an acre for water rights. The Kenewick Canal, in Washington, required \$163 an acre. Most of the projects are under \$100 an acre.

On projects developed under the Reclamation Service of the Government the costs from \$22 to \$93 an acre, with an average somewhat below that of private projects.

Over the Shallow Water Belt of Northwest Texas the cost for installing a well and pump is considerably less than this average.

PAY LAST RESPECTS TO JUDGE DALTON

Was Buried by Odd Fellows and Elk Lodges Last Sunday Afternoon.

The Funeral of Judge L. W. Dalton was held from the family residence last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Revs. Street and Gates conducting the services at the home and the I. O. O. F. and Elk lodges concluding them at the I. O. O. F. cemetery immediately afterwards. The I. O. O. F. and Elk Lodge members assembled at their respective lodge rooms at 2:30 p. m. and marched to the Dalton home to attend the funeral after which they marched to the cemetery, where they paid their last respects to their departed brother. Also members of Plainview Bar acted as pallbearers at the family residence, placing the remains in the hearse, where they were turned over to the Elks and Odd Fellows for burial.

Quite a large number of friends formed the funeral procession that was more than three-fourths of a mile long.—Plainview News.

J. B. Nance, land man of Plainview handles non-resident lands in Floyd and Hale Counties. Address Plainview, Texas.

USE OF CALOMEL PRACTICALLY STOPPED

Dangerous Drug Giving Way for Safer, More Reliable Remedy.

Hundreds of people in this vicinity alone have stopped the use of dangerous calomel when their liver is acting slowly, and take Dodson's Liver Tone instead.

Dodson's Liver Tone is always safe and has none of the bad after-effects which so often follow the use of calomel. It is a pleasant tasting vegetable liquid that starts the liver gently and of the health, etc.

Many preparations have sprung up that imitate the claims made for Dodson's Liver Tone, but remember Dodson's Liver Tone is the tried and tested remedy that has proven such a good medicine and is so satisfactory to every user—is the reason these imitations are on the market. Dodson's Liver Tone cannot hurt anyone and if it fails to do all that it is claimed for it the Red Cross Pharmacy who sells it, will give you your money back with a smile.

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. 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.
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 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. 32

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 4 p. m 1st and 2nd Sunday 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

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 or me to handle. None too 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



Better cookies, cake and biscuits, too. All as light, fluffy, tender and delicious as mother used to bake. And just as wholesome. For purer Baking Powder than Calumet cannot be had at any price. Ask your grocer.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.

You don't save money when you buy cheap, or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to sour milk and soda.

NOTICE

I have purchased the stock of Groceries of the **Ed Reeves Gro. Co.,** and will combine the same with my other business. I will appreciate a share of your grocery trade, and assure you of fair and courteous treatment.

J. H. GRUVER

KING'S CANDIES FOR AMERICAN QUEENS

I searched the whole town high and low
To find a present sweet
Enough to bring My Queen of Hearts,
And lay it at her feet.
I found at last these sweetmeats, made
by Kings for Queens like you.
At The Lockney Drug Co.

Notice to Patrons

The First National Bank has gotten moved into its new home. We are now in better shape to serve our patrons than ever. Our new home is conveniently arranged and modern in every particular. We wish you to feel that this bank is your bank, and we want you to enjoy our nice new home with us. When in town come in to see us and make yourselves at home. If you have letters to write you will find stationery, and convenient place to write. Just make yourself at home, and if we can help you in any way we will be glad to do so.

To our lady friends: We are fitting up a room for your convenience. When in town call and make use of same. You will find everything arranged for your comfort. Resp't.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

U. S. DEMANDS HUERTA RESIGN

Belief In Mexico City That Huerta Will Make Point Blank Refusal to Relinquish Post.

By Associated Press.
Mexico City, Nov. 3.—President Huerta must resign the presidency of Mexico without loss of time, and must not leave as his successor, General Aureliano Blanquet, his minister of war, or any other member of his official family or of any unofficial family or of an unofficial coterie whom he might be expected to control.

This ultimatum from Washington on behalf of the United States government was conveyed to Huerta through his private secretary, Senor Rabago, by Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American Charge d'Affairs, acting under instruction from the State Department.

Senor Rabago presented the memorandum to his chief late Sunday, but up to this evening President Huerta had returned no answer, and, as far as could be learned, had guarded its contents from almost all his official and intimate counsellors.

Those who learned of the Washington note regarded Huerta's position as such that he will be forced to give one of two answers—refusal point blank to comply with the demand, possibly going so far as to hand the diplomatic representative his passports—or elimination of himself officially.

Those who are most intimate with President Huerta insist that the latter course would not be taken for many reasons, chief among which is that such action would be tantamount to submission to the rebel forces.

Among officials in Mexico there is no longer existing doubt that the Washington administration favors the rebel cause, and they are convinced that this pre-emptory demand for Huerta's retirement from the office of president is the only means adopted by President Wilson and Secretary of State Bryan to assist Carranza to win.

President Huerta summoned the diplomatic corps to the national palace tonight, but for what purpose has not been revealed. Three ministers, those from Germany, Norway and Russia were absent.

I am practicing medicine for my health. Food and raiment are necessary to good health. I will gladly serve you if you will pay me so I can pay those I owe. See me at once.

Dr. D. J. Thomas.

RHEUMATIC SUFFERERS SHOULD USE

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The Best Remedy For all forms of **Rheumatism**
LUMBAGO, SCIATICA, GOUT, NEURALGIA, AND KIDNEY TROUBLES.
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STOP THE PAIN Gives Quick Relief No Other Remedy Like It
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SAMPLE "5-DROPS" FREE ON REQUEST
Swanson Rheumatic Cure Co., 125-126 W. Lake St., CHICAGO

The Guyton & Nichols Sanitarium

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

A new and up-to-date private institution, equipped especially for patients requiring surgical attention.

Wanted—Intelligent young women to enter the training school for nurses.—Mrs. J. V. Guyton R. N. in charge.

LOCKNEY GETS ANOTHER RAIN

Ground Thoroughly Soaked and Additional Season Added.

Lockney and all Floyd county received another big rain Monday night. The precipitation we judge to have been from one to one and a half inches.

At Floydada considerable hail accompanied the rain Monday afternoon, but no damage was done.

This recent rain adds additional season to the already splendid soaking the ground has received this fall. Winter wheat will be greatly benefited, although it is a setback to crop gathering. If this fall's rain is any indication of next years seasons, we may expect the biggest crops ever known on the Plains, and throughout Texas.

A Correction.

The Beacon erred last week in its statement that Dr. D. J. Thomas would office with Joe Vandergriff. It should have been Dr. Dial. Dr. Thomas will remain at his present offices.

We gladly make this correction, and regret we got names mixed up.

For Tax Assessor.

In this issue of the Beacon will be found the announcement of B. C. Willis for tax assessor of Floyd County; subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1914.

Mr. Willis is the present incumbent, and has been serving the people in this capacity for several years. He has given the people entire satisfaction, and has been a faithful officer.

There is no better or worthier citizen in Floyd county, than Ben Willis, and the man that dons the official garment that he has worn so long and with such credit to himself, will have to be "going some."

There is nothing further we could say. Every voter in the county knows him, and know that his work as assessor has met all the requirements of the laws of the state and county. If elected, the duties of the office will be discharged in the future as in the past, impartially, and honestly.

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

Johnie Sams,
The Tailor.

Dr. W. H. Freeman and family have gone to Cordell, Oklahoma, where they will spend the winter.

While in Town

Don't forget to get a sack of the famous **"White Lilac"** Guaranteed to be as good as any flour ever shipped into Lockney.

Farmers' Exchange

Phone 30. Lockney, Texas

SANTA FE "EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL"

At Lockney, Wednesday, Nov. 19, 12 to 2 p. m.
Plainview, Wednesday, Nov. 19, 2:45 to 4:45
At Floodada, Wednesday, Nov. 19, 9 to 11:45

SPECIAL FEATURES: Domestic Science, Poultry, Dairying; Silos and Better Farming.

EQUIPMENT: One coach for ladies' meetings, equipped and handled by representative of the Extension Department Texas University, Austin, Texas. One car with poultry including chickens, turkeys, geese and ducks, and poultry equipment. One car with dairy cows and dairy equipment. Three flat cars with silo models and silage machinery. One extra coach for meetings. Two extra cars. Making a train of nine cars.

EVERYTHING FREE: Every man and woman is invited. The train will come, rain or shine.