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FLOYD COUNTY LEADS ALL WEST TEXAS IN VALUE OF CROPS PRODUCED. LOCKNEY IS IN THE HEART OF THE BEST FARMING SECTION OF THE PLAINS, AND IN THE GREAT SHALLOW WATER BELT

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C. OF C. WILL HOLD BIG BANQUET

DECEMBER 9TH SELECTED AS DATE FOR ANNUAL FEAST AT MONDAY LUNCHEON

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Monday at noon it was decided to have a community banquet, Tuesday night, Dec. 9th, at which time a program will be given consisting of music, readings, speaking, etc., and a feast will be prepared for the occasion.

The following committees were appointed to prepare the banquet:

General Arrangements—T. B. Hill, chairman; other members to be selected by Mr. Hill.

Furnishing the Eats—H. B. Adams, chairman, other members to be selected by chairman.

Musical—Prof. Collum, chairman, to select rest of committee.

Program—A. B. Brown, chairman; Dr. H. H. Ball and N. G. Jackson.

The banquet will be financed by each person paying for their plate, and arrangements for serving and place where banquet will be held will be arranged by next issue of paper.

F. M. Kester read a petition that had been prepared for submission to the postal department ant the seven day mail route from Estelline, and asking for a change in the route so it would come by Silverton, and the petition will be circulated for signers. The committee will make a final report at the next meeting.

Mr. H. S. Bolin, nightwatchman, was present and made a short talk about the nightwatchman job, stating he believed the hiring of a watchman would help to lower the fire insurance keyrate. Mr. Jackson stated that the employment of a nightwatchman has caused the insurance rate of Floydada to be lowered. Mr. Bolin held the club of the route he was now covering in Lockney as nightwatchman.

Mr. Truett called the organizations attention to the fact that the trash that was taken up in cleaning off Main street was being dumped on the streets in the residence section of town, and the Chamber of Commerce asked City Secretary, Floyd Huff, to call the city councils attention to the fact and request that dumping of trash on the streets of the resident section be stopped at once. Mr. Huff was also asked to call the city councils attention to insanitary conditions about the business part of town, and most especially about the laundry, and request them to take steps to stop the practice allowing offensive conditions to remain in town.

Messrs. A. B. Brown and G. Aubrey Thomas, on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce, thanked Mr. W. O. Shurbet, commissioner, for purchasing the road grading outfit for this precinct and for the good work he was doing in road building. Messrs. W. O. Shurbet, A. B. Brown and G. Aubrey Thomas were appointed as a committee to go to Plainview and confer with Capt. Winfield Holbrook, manager for the Texas Land & Development Company, in reference to setting back the syndicate fences and widening the road at a point between eight and nine miles west of Lockney on the Plainview road, as at this place the road is so narrow that it can not be properly graded.

An extra large crowd of business men were in attendance, and a very enthusiastic meeting was held.

ONE DEAD, SEVERAL HURT IN BIG SPRING AUTO CRASHES

Big Spring, Nov. 24.—One was killed and several injured in automobile accidents near Big Spring Saturday and Sunday. Clyde Fryar, age 19 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fryar, was killed ten miles northeast of Big Spring on Saturday when the car he was driving overturned. A companion, Floyd Hull, suffered serious injuries. I. N. Coffee of Loraine is in the hospital here suffering from a fractured jaw sustained when his automobile struck a mule on the highway two miles west of Big Spring.

A family of tourists suffered bruises and cuts when their automobile overturned near Knott, Texas, twenty five miles north of Big Spring.

Buya Wise Place

R. C. Hutsell has bought the S. C. Wise place, near the college building, and will move to the property with his family on the first of December.



Mrs. Warren G. Harding

FLORENCE KLING HARDING IS BURIED BESIDE HUSBAND AT MARION WITH SIMPLE SERVICE

Marion, Nov. 21.—Under a leaden November sky, Florence Kling Harding was laid to eternal rest in Marion cemetery today beside the mortal remains of her husband whom she helped to rise from country editor to the presidency of the United States.

Grouped around the gray vault, with heads bared to the chill wind that carried a flurry of snowflakes, hundreds paid a last tribute to the widow of Warren G. Harding, twenty-ninth chief executive of the nation. Inside of the small vault, the few relatives and the friends who were with her in the last days of her life, listened to the brief services that preceded the final commitment of her body to its last resting place.

The casket, a veritable mass of flowers, was carried into the narrow room. The Reverend Jesse Swank, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Episcopal church read the regular burial service of his church. The Reverend George M. Landis, who had been President Harding's pastor, pronounced the benediction and hardly had his words ceased when softly on the air swelled the refrain of "The End of a Perfect Day" from two score male throats. The Carrie Jacobs Bond song in volume then died in last soft tones of harmony. The brazen tones of bugles sounding taps rung through the cemetery and as the final notes ended, the vault doors were gently closed and the silent crowd turned away.

The funeral services which were held at Epworth Church were equally simple. There the Reverend Swank delivered a short sermon and prayer was said by Dr. Landis. It was Mrs. Harding's wish that "The End of a Perfect Day" be sung at her funeral. The Columbus (Ohio) Republican Glee Club, numbering more than forty voices, furnished all the music at the services today. The club has sung at virtually every important occasion throughout the presidential years of Mr. Harding, journeying to Washington when he was inaugurated president.

Mrs. Harding's body will lie beside that of her husband in the receiving vault at the cemetery until the proposed Harding memorial, which will be erected on a high bit of ground outside the city limits, is completed when they will both be moved there.

NEFF TO PRACTICE LAW IN HOUSTON, IS REPORT

Austin, Nov. 24.—A State House rumor Monday was that when Gov. Pat M. Neff's administration ends, Jan. 20 next, he will return to the practice of law and locate in Houston. Several weeks ago Gov. Neff announced that it was his intention to resume the law practice at the expiration of his term, but he did not say where he would locate. He said that he had the subject of location under advisement. Since issuing that statement, the Governor has been silent as to his future plans.

It is rumored in Austin that the Governor may become associated with former Congressman Thomas H. Ball at Houston.

Douglas Watson Operated On

Douglas Watson went to the sanitarium at Lubbock Sunday, where he was operated on for an infection in one of his ears, that has been giving him trouble for some time. He was detained at Lubbock for treatment for the entire week, and will have to make trips to Lubbock for treatment for several weeks.

Turkey for Everybody—



NEED \$31,306,984 TO OPERATE THE STATE LEE HIGHWAY TO BE REBUILT IN FLOYD

Control Board Fixes Sum. Required for Next Biennium

Austin, Nov. 21.—Total appropriations recommended by the State Board of control to be made by the next legislature aggregate \$31,306,984, as compared to requests totaling nearly \$42,000,000.

In the amount recommended is \$1,407,330 for five new institutions created since the appropriations of two years ago, including Texas Technological College, South Texas Teachers' College, auxiliary to Austin insane asylum and two new agricultural experiment stations. With their amounts deducted the total is \$29,899,654, which is \$200,000 less than the recommendations made to the last legislature for the state departments and institutions.

Explaining the totals S. B. Cowell, chairman of the board, said:

"We first found how much money would be available and then built the bill accordingly. It was no fault of the institution heads that they asked for more than we could allow them or new buildings. They submitted a statement of their needs, as we requested, and then we endeavored to make a fair allotment of the funds and allowed the buildings the heads said were most needed.

"Our estimate is that there will be a gross income of \$40,000,000 during the next biennium, which leaves an apparent surplus of nearly \$9,000,000, but we have to absorb a deficit of \$2,000,000 in the general fund, besides an expected \$3,000,000 appropriation to supplement the available school fund, \$1,500,000 to aid the rural schools, various amounts to meet authorized deficiencies, the ever-present emergency appropriations and the expense of the legislature, besides other possible calls."

Chairman Cowell thinks that there will be no deficiency following the next legislature if the money bills do not exceed the board's figures.

NEW ROAD MACHINERY DOING GOOD WORK

The new Holt tractor and 12-foot Gallion grader have been at work the last few days on the highway leading west on Locust street. This part of the street has been put up in first class condition, as it is now in the best shape it has been for more than a year, and possibly better shape than ever before.

This road machinery can do the very best of work and the people of Precinct No. 2 will see a great change in their roads as soon as the grader can get over all of them. Mr. Shurbet is to be congratulated on his selection of this machinery, and before long Precinct No. 2 will have as good roads as there are to be found in this section.

STRIKE OIL IN WELL IN HUTCHINSON COUNTY

Amarillo, Nov. 23.—Drilling into a second stratum of oil sand at 3,027 feet Friday, the Western Enterprise Co. believe the new well, the Spurock, in Hutchinson county, has touched the heart of the pool in that territory.

Oran Wilson was over from Plainview Tuesday on business.

FIRST NATIONAL SENDS MONEY TO FRANCE IN TWO HOURS

Prompt Service Gets Confirmation From Paris In Short Time

One day last week a customer walked into the First National Bank and requested that the bank wire 700 Francs to Paris, France. The efficient force of the bank got busy and within two hours time had a confirmation from a Paris bank that the money would be paid to the party at that end of the line.

Mr. A. B. Brown, president of the First National Bank, states that service and efficiency are two of their greatest assets, and that it is a pleasure for his bank to do things with dispatch and accuracy.

GOVERNMENT GINNING REPORT FOR FLOYD COUNTY

According to the government report there were 8,557 bales of cotton ginned in Floyd county up to November 14, as compared with 2,876 on the same date in 1923. Hale county has ginned up to the same time 9,772, as compared with 2,012 on the same date last year.

More than 10,000 bales of cotton has been ginned in Floyd county up to today, and there is possibly more cotton than this amount yet to be picked and ginned in the county.

DR. GREER INSTALLS CHLORINE GAS MACHINE

Dr. N. E. Greer has just received a Chlorine Gas machine and has fitted up a special room, where he will give Chlorine Gas treatments for colds. He states this is the best machine on the market with which to administer the treatment, and he has fitted up a room so he can give the treatment to several patients at a time, as the treatment is administered by being in a closed room and inhaling the gas which is sprayed into the room from the machine.

Will Return to U. S.

Kelly Rhine, who has been stationed with the U. S. troops in Honolulu, Hawaii, writes his parents that he will leave that place for the United States early in December.

Gets Finger Broke

While moving a house Monday one of the trucks slipped catching the little finger of Walter Byars' right hand between the truck and a concrete wall breaking and mashing the finger very badly.

Moved to Littlefield

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Clements left Tuesday for Littlefield to make their future home. Dr. Clements has opened up a dental office in that city. Their many friends in Lockney regret their departure from this city.

NOTICE

On the evening of Dec. 5th at 7:30 o'clock at the school auditorium the Mothers Club will entertain the faculty, school board and others. Let each member come and bring their husbands.

TO FORM ORGANIZATION TO FIGHT FOR LOWER TAXES

Austin, Nov. 24.—A prospective organization of the next legislature may be called "the free lance club," according to members who were in Austin Monday. It may be called by some other name, but the objects will be the same. Its main purpose will be to enforce economy and reduce tax burdens.

According to members here there will be a concerted effort to consolidate some of the departments and abolish a number of burdens and boards or reduce three members to one member, as well as carry out other economies in reducing the personnel of state officers and employees. Still another purpose is to see that the property owners of Texas are not called upon to pay any additional taxes. This club in the embryo is determined that the present taxpayers shall not be called upon for heavier tribute and that if more money must be had it will have to come from wealthy sources now escaping taxation or not paying a full share.

Holds School of Instruction

Z. T. Reed spent Saturday at Silverton giving instructions to the Masonic lodge at that place on Masonic work.

LOCKNEY PAYS MORE FOR COTTON

REPORTS THAT OTHER TOWNS PAY BETTER PRICES ARE UNTRUE

One day last week, a Mr. Biglow, who lives northeast of Lockney, brought four bales of cotton to town on his truck and got the bids of the local cotton buyers, and said he was not satisfied with the price, and carried the four bales to Floydada, where he got the Floydada buyers to bid on them. Later in the day he returned to Lockney and sold the cotton to Leslie Floyd for the bid he had received that morning.

From time to time it is norated on the streets that the buyers in other towns are paying more for cotton than the bidders here in Lockney, but the facts are that in Lockney the farmer sells his cotton to the buyers on a competitive bid, every buyer in town bidding for the cotton, and in this way the very highest price that is possible is obtained by the farmer. The price of cotton is sent out daily by the cotton exchanges of the East and the buyers in every town can pay according to the cost of transportation in reaching the Eastern markets, and the only difference otherwise would be in grades of cotton, therefore Lockney can pay just as high price for cotton as any of the surrounding towns, and by selling cotton on the streets to the one bidding the highest, in most cases the farmer gets a better price than he would obtain at other towns, where there is no competitive bidding.

Lockney has a dozen or more men buying cotton and it is to the interest of all the buyers that the farmers sell their cotton here, therefore they expect at all times to pay as much for cotton as can be obtained elsewhere. Bring your cotton to Lockney and sell it, get the bids of all the buyers and you will obtain the very best price to be had.

TWO ACCIDENTS IN DAY AT CLOVIS; ONE FATAL

Clovis, N. M., Nov. 23.—Mrs. E. W. E. McClendon of 518 Axtell street, Clovis, was killed in an auto accident on the Clovis-Portales Highway Saturday afternoon. Her companion, Mrs. T. E. Boyd, was bruised.

Stuart Overton, 119 West Grand Avenue, employe of the Santa Fe shops, was run over by a locomotive in the yards Saturday morning, his body being badly mangled.

PART OF FLOYDADA'S HITCHING RACK DOOMED

Floydada, Nov. 23.—One of the landmarks of Floydada soon is to be torn away in part. Half of the old chain hitchrack around the courthouse will be removed at an early date. Need of more room for automobiles on the square and less for wagons and other horse-drawn vehicles is assigned as the reason for this disturbance of one of the city's traditional landmarks.

New O'Donnell Bank

O'Donnell, Nov. 23.—S. I. Sells of Weatherford has organized a new bank here, known as the People's National Bank of O'Donnell, with a capital stock of \$25,000. A charter has been applied for and the bank will open for business about Jan. 1.

FLOYDADA MILL IS SOLD TO GRAIN MEN

Floydada, Nov. 23.—Boothe Brothers, dealers in coal and grain at Floydada and owners of one of the largest elevators in the city have purchased the Floydada Mill and Elevator from J. A. Abernathy. The Floydada mill and elevator is the only flour mill in Floyd county and was built six years ago by Abernathy.

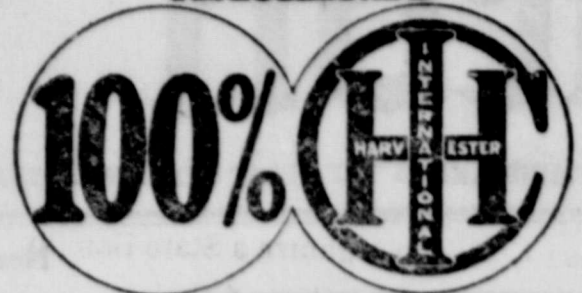
Boothe Brothers will continue the operation of the plant and will take possession next week. Abernathy has not announced his future plans.

Visits of the Stork

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ivey, 16 miles northeast of Lockney, Monday night, Nov. 24, a girl.

T. E. Luke, Muleshoe, Texas, Nov. 20th, a girl; named Fonda Jane, weight 8 1-2 pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Duke lately moved from Lockney to Muleshoe.

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Ex-Congressman Stephens Dead
Hon. John H. Stephens, for twenty

years congressman from this district, died in Monrovia, Calif., Tuesday morning. He had been living there since he retired from congress eight years ago. He leaves a widow (his second wife) and several daughters by his first wife. His remains will be buried at Vernon, his former home

PLAINS BOASTS

RICH LOAM SOIL

The surface soil of the North Plains and Panhandle is a rich alluvial loam from twelve inches to four feet in depth, which is overlaid by a clay sub-soil varying from a brown to a reddish brown in color, which retains the moisture and permits excellent crops to be grown even thru the driest years.

There are no roots or rocks to hin-

der the farmer in cultivating the soil as a consequence virgin land is ready for the plow without one cent of expense. There is no alkali or chemicals harmful to vegetables in the soil. Geologists believe that the section was once the bed of a vast inland lake, but that it was drained in the process of time, leaving wonderful rich and productive soil.

Farm life in the North Plains and Panhandle is just as pleasant as it is profitable. An extensive system of good roads bring the farmers within easy reach of the cities. A few minutes drive from any part of the Plains country takes the rural farmer to town. Farm homes throughout the entire area are as a whole modern and comfortable. The majority of them have running water from elevated tanks and others have abundance of water supplied by wind mills

U. S. EXPENSE TO WIPE OUT BIG SUPPLIES

Lower Assessment May Be Possible After June But Not Before Says Expert

Washington, Nov. 15.—With the public generally looking to the administration for further tax reduction in the near future, the condition of the treasury's balance sheet is not such as to warrant optimism as to its passage until after June 1, next, despite estimates of a surplus of \$300,000,000, by that time. Actually a deficit of \$37,543,202.89 now exists in the face of a \$75,000,000 curtailment in government expenditures for the first four and a half months of the fiscal year will be essential to end up with any kind of a surplus which would entitle the public to further tax relief. It is this situation which President Coolidge will have in mind when he tells congress next month that governmental parsimony must be practiced to the last degree.

Naval Bill Up

Any sort of financial kicking over the traces by the unruly Sixty-eighth congress would come close to shattering all dreams of the administration for further popularity out of tax cutting. Even the \$150,000,000 naval construction bill which is up for action at the short session is regarded with qualms by those anxious to deliver tax cuts next year. If passed it is chargeable to expenditures of the current year. The administration, however, is committed to this measure.

The present pessimistic outlook, however, does not extend to a point where a deficit is in sight at the end

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Shift Reform

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PLOT TO RESTORE LIQUOR IN STATE, SAYS COMMITTEE

Dallas, Nov. 22.—Vigorous protest against the proposed inaugural ball for Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, Governor-elect of Texas, was contained in a report of the civic righteousness committee adopted at the Saturday afternoon session of the Baptist Convention in session here.

The report, which was read by Dr. G. Townsend of Belton, also stated that the committee had definite information from a reliable source that movement is under way to nullify the prohibition laws of Texas at the next session of the state legislature to permit the sale of light wine and beer by drug stores.

The report condemned the use of state building for the inaugural ball, which it was pointed out will be captured by an all-night dance.

The delegates voted commendation of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas or its work in behalf of prohibition and also voted to support the league in the fight to prevent nullification of the state liquor laws.

MORGAN LENDS \$100,000,000 TO FRANCE

Paris, Nov. 21.—The Chamber of Deputies tonight, by a vote of 535 to 29, approved the bill for a loan of \$100,000,000 to France, through the Morgan interests.

The new French loan will be issued in America at 93, it was stated by a deputy, who is a member of the chamber's finance committee, after the committee had approved the bill. It will draw 7 per cent.

The previous loans negotiated in New York were under blanket authority extended by parliament which has since expired; consequently the government must have specific authority in the present stage.

In presenting the bill for reference to the proper commission of the chamber this afternoon the finance minister announced the loan to be for 25 years and said the total proceeds will be turned over to the Bank of France to reduce the sum of its advances to the state.

Clementel said the previous loan had the appearance of mortgaging France's gold reserve, while the present loan bore a different aspect as the government would have full freedom to place the \$100,000,000 as it wished.

BANK IS ROBBED AS TOWN WATCHES STUNTS OF FLYERS

Loving, Nov. 24.—Four men robbed the Loving State Bank at 10:30 o'clock this morning. While an airplane was doing stunts over this little Jack county town, attracting the attention of the citizens, the robbers entered the bank with drawn guns, took all the money in sight, and departed in an automobile.

The airplane disappeared in a southerly direction, apparently following the course taken by the robbers. The bank secured a \$1,200 in cash.

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- 1 Iron Gray Mare Mule, 14 1-2 hands high, 8 years old, a good one.
- 1 Dark Bay Mare Mule, 15 1-2 hands high, smooth mouth, good work animal.
- 1 span Red Bay Horse Mules, about 15 hands high, 6 years old, good workers, weight 975 lbs. each.
- 1 4-year-old Bay Mare Mule, 15 1-2 hands high, good work mule, wt. about 1000 lbs.
- 1 Bay Mare Mule, 15 hands high, 3 years old past, weight about 850 or 900 lbs., been worked some.
- 1 Coming 3 year-old Horse Mule, 15 hands high, not broke, a good one.

CATTLE

- 1 Big Light Red Milch Cow, 8 years old, cross between Durham and Jersey, and calf by side.
- 1 Full-blood Jersey Cow, 6 years old, with calf by side.

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- 1 4-wheel P. & O. Lister in good condition.
- 1 2-wheel Oliver Lister, good shape.
- 1 Milwaukee Row Binder.
- 1 Hay Rake.
- 1 J. I. Case 6-plow Cultivator, good shape.
- 1 Bradley Disc Harrow, with seed-er attachment.
- 1 Bradley Stalk Cutter.
- 1 Tripe Disc Avery Bob Cat Breaking Plow, in good shape.
- 1 2-disc Avery Bob Cat Disc Plow, in good shape.
- 1 12-hole Kentucky Wheat Drill, in good shape.
- 1 Feed Chopper, as good as new.
- 1 6-foot cut John Deere Tandem Disc.
- 1 Iron Wheel Wagon.
- 2 Header Barges.

There will be considerable otherstuff offered for sale by other parties at this sale.

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ANOTHER GROWING INDUSTRY OF THE PLAINS

The Ranchman Receives About 50c a Pound for Wool; We Pay \$25 a Pound for Finished Product

By Phebe K. Warner

You can raise most anything you want in those so called desert lands of West Texas from a thoroughbred billy goat to barrels and barrels of oil. It is hard to understand how the same soil that is underlaid with pools of blackest oil will produce the whitest sheep and the most beautiful Angora goats. But that is not for any of us to understand. That is one of Nature's secrets. And Nature is always springing one of her happiest secrets on the people of West Texas. A few years ago the universal idea was that most of West Texas was good for nothing. Some times folks get fooled that way in a new country. Then it was discovered that cattle could live and grow on these wide open ranges. That enough water and pasture could be found on several sections to support a few cattle. A little later somebody discovered things to eat would grow there too and then the cowboys began to dream of homes on the Plains. If they could raise enough of anything to support a wife they sure wanted to try the experiment.

What was the result? Homes began to dot the long stretches from horizon to horizon. Folks began to get friendly and neighborly in the far West. Then down through the years another West Texas product appeared. It was the meek and lowly sheep. Then followed the little frisky, friendly goat. Goats remind us of the flapper species of the animal kingdom. They are so "kiddish" and cute and pretty and stylish. That is where the flapper gets her idea of the permanent wave. And who knows. Maybe the flappers will turn out to be as valuable to humanity some day as the Angora goats.

Crop Worth 15 Million—

Anyway the goats are rolling up their quota of a \$15,000,000 crop for West Texas this year. The goat and sheep ranches are one of the outstanding features of South West Texas, centering around San Angelo and San Antonio as the principal markets. Other prominent wool and mohair markets are Kerrville, Del Rio, Mertzon and Uvalde. The little city of Kerrville claims an 800,000 pound wool market this year. All told, West Texas has marketed 39,000,000 pounds of wool and mohair this year which is 2,000,000 more pounds than was reported last year. Of this amount 7,000,000 pounds is mohair. The price for mohair this year has ranged around 27 cents, while wool has sold as high as 40 to 45 cents per pound. The mohair market has been the highest this year for the past ten years, and the entire clip has now gone to the Eastern markets while it is estimated that only 400,000 pounds of wool it yet to be marketed.

All of which is a wonderful story of push and progress. The wool and mohair industry is comparatively young in Texas, but today Texas leads the nation in the production of these two essential commodities. The total production of wool in the United States is around 225,000,000 pounds annually. Of this amount Texas produces almost one-tenth. And her share of the mohair is even greater than this. And now comes the sad part of the business.

\$25 a Pound as Dress—

You notice we said it had all been shipped to the Eastern markets. That may mean hundreds of thousands of miles away. Shipped out at forty cents a pound. And Jimmy Christ-mas! We bought a new wool dress the other day in a West Texas town and we have just weighed it to see how much of a bargain we got. That dress weighed less than two pounds and cost us more than \$25.00 a pound. Some ranchman received about 50 cents for the wool in that dress because we forgot to dock it on the buttons. That wool multiplied its original value just ONE HUNDRED times from the time it left the sheeps back until it reached my back. The ranchman got 50 cents for it and I parted with \$50.00 to get it back. And I live about 250 miles from the sheep on which it probably grew. The thing I would like to know is who got the other \$49.50 difference between the amount the West Texas ranchman received for the wool after he had fed the sheep all year and sheared the wool and what a West Texas woman pays to get a home product back home.

Yes, there were a lot of transformations and transfers between West Texas and West Texas. We realize that. It had to be shipped to some market two or three times and then to the spinner and then to the weaver and then to the ready to wear factory and then back to the merchant and finally to the consumer. And somebody had to design the garment into which it was made and it took several years of training at big expense to do that. In fact we marvel how anybody ever did learn to de-

sign some of the creations our wool is transformed into.

Then somebody had to be paid to pack and unpack, and take it down and hang it up several times a day until the last woman to try it on decided to take it home. In it's a sheep's dress to a woman's. If you don't believe in evolution just look at a hand full of wool and the modern dress of a woman.

Why Not Here?—

And now we are wondering just how many of those transformations might have been made right here in West Texas between me and that West Texas sheep. And how many more people right here at home might have been given employment if that wool had gone through all the stages from first to finish within the 250 miles of where it was produced. Has anybody any cheaper fuel with which to manufacture new products into finished products than West Texas? Are we producing the superintendents of industry here at home to direct the work? Are we training the Textile engineers to handle the machinery? Are we training our girls to design the millions of garments sold and bought in Texas every year? The West Texas farmer gets about 50 cents for his product. The West Texas consumer pays \$50 to get the 50 cent product back. Where does the \$49.50 go? And is there any way to keep more of that business at home to build up our own state, our own industrial life, our own resources, our own child life, our schools, and our homes, and our communities. Is it any wonder that Texas is 44th in the scale of her support of her public utilities? Is it any wonder that she is 37th in the support of her schools? Is it any wonder that she is 34th in the scale of education? Texas is allowing all the profits of her own products to go to build on every other land but her own. She receives the least for her products and pays the final cost to get them back ready to wear, while her own children stay out of school to help produce the raw materials that give other millions employment. How long will Texas and especially West Texas impose on the rights of her innocent and hard working children in this way? How long will we all continue to stretch thousands and thousands of unnecessary miles between the Texas producer and the Texas consumer who live on adjoining farms? Everyone of our 5,000,000 men, women and children should be a booster for Texas industries and Texas made products. Let's create a demand for more home products by wearing more "raised and made in Texas clothes."

REGISTRATIONS TOTAL
759,969, BIG INCREASE

Increase Over 1923 More Than 110,000, Highway Commission Announces

Austin, Nov. 22.—The 1924 motor vehicle registration for the first ten months of the year totaled 700,669. Included in this number were 696,508 passenger motor vehicles, 3,481 motor busses, 58,470 commercial motor vehicles, 2,094 trailers and 116 tractors.

The increase over the same period of 1923 was 110,849, and would have been 25,000 more had reports been received by the highway department from those counties that have been enjoined. The highway department is hopeful that these suits will be settled before the first of the year so that these counties can make their reports. If they are, registrations for 1924 are going to exceed 825,000.

The State Highway Commission is now shipping out the various printed supplies, chauffeur badges, dealers' plates and other supplies to the county tax collectors throughout the state. Motor vehicle and commercial motor vehicle plates are being shipped direct to the tax collectors from the

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices, to be elected by the people of Lockney on the 8th Tuesday in April, 1925:

For City Marshal:
O. C. BAILEY.

Grady R. Crager

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Day Phones 126 and 121; Night 75
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When you have money to deposit in a bank, your first consideration should be surety of your money being placed in safe hands, and to this end the State of Texas, saw fit to organize a State Banking System and this bank is a member of that system.

We appreciate the accounts of the farmers and the laborers, as well as the accounts of the business men, and we will appreciate you opening an account at our bank.

This is a guaranty fund bank and your money is protected by the Guaranty Fund of the State of Texas. Can you ask for a safer place to deposit your savings.

THE LOCKNEY STATE BANK

THE GUARANTY FUND BANK

manufacturer.

The department is sure that all supplies will be in the hands of the collectors so they can begin the collection of 1925 revenues by Dec. 1.

Registrants paying the 1925 fees during the latter part of this year are warned not to put the new plates on their cars before Jan. 1. All motor vehicles operated on the highway during 1924 should display the old plates and the 1924 seal, for if they do not they are subject to arrest and the payment of a fine.

Registrants are especially requested to fasten the new plates securely to their motor vehicles. If they do this, it is pointed out, it will eliminate a great extent their being lost or stolen and also save themselves the embarrassment of being held up by

officers.

WOMAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR COLORADO

Abilene, Nov. 24.—Miss Mary Snyder, 21, daughter of D. H. Snyder, prominent cattleman of Colorado, Texas, was instantly killed Sunday night when the automobile in which she was riding with her parents and two smaller sisters, overturned ten miles southwest of Colorado. Little Francis Beal Snyder, 7, was seriously injured, the other occupants of the car escaping.

W. A. and W. S. Mitchell of Runnels county are here this week visiting and also save themselves the embarrassment of being held up by

CHRISTMAS GOODS

OUR CHRISTMAS LINE WILL BE READY FOR YOUR INSPECTION THIS WEEK.

Call in and look it over.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

RED CROSS DRUG STORE

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

FREE

Coal Shovel With Each Ton of Coal

WE ARE GIVING A GOOD STEEL STOVE SHOVEL FREE WITH EVERY TON OF COAL.

NOW IS THE TIME TO LAY IN YOUR SUPPLY OF COAL FOR THE WINTER. Later on the winter will be upon you, the time will be here to put up your heating stove, and you will be phoning for a supply, the other fellow who has not put in his supply of coal during the warmer weather will be in the same shape, therefore, the coal dealer will have a rush on, and you will not be reached with the prompt and efficient service you can now secure, besides coal will probably be higher priced in the winter, and you will save money by getting your supply now.

Bring Us Maize Heads

WE ARE IN THE MARKET PAYING THE VERY TOP PRICE FOR YOUR MAIZE HEADS—BRING YOUR MAIZE, KAFFR, FETTERITA, HEGARI AND OTHER HEADS TO US AND GET THE BEST PRICE FOR THEM THE MARKET AFFORDS.

LOCKNEY COAL & GRAIN CO.

PHONE 60

BURTON THORNTON, Manager



A THANKSGIVING SUIT OR OVERCOAT

These clothes are worth more money. But we're selling them unusually close because it's Thanksgiving time and because we want more volume. All the smartest styles from Hart Schaffner & Marx; sizes for every one.

JUST RECEIVED A NEW SHIPMENT OF OVERCOATS

E. L. AYRES, DRY GOODS

Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

Personal Mention

A. J. Crager spent Monday and Tuesday in Amarillo attending the Retail Merchant's Convention.

Mrs. O. E. Stevenson was over from Plainview Monday and Wednesday looking out a location for the family to live. She stated that Mr. Stevenson was improving and it is hoped he will be able to take charge of the Lockney Variety Store, on Dec. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dines and children left Tuesday for Fort Worth to attend a family reunion of the Dines Thanksgiving. Before returning home they will visit her mother in Jack county.

T. L. Griffith has been in Cleburne this week on business.

Mrs. C. D. Fowler was in Plainview Monday on business.

Frank Barber and Lawrence Gruber were in Quitaque and Flomot on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Pennington have been at Waco and other points down in the state for the past week.

Cecil Cope has resigned his position with the Beacon, and has accepted a position with the Lockney Drug Co.

Roscoe Gass and wife spent Monday in Amarillo at the Retail Merchant's convention.

Mrs. Virgil Brazell and Mrs. James Hannon are here this week to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Griffith.

Rev. Green B. Patterson, of Vigo Park, was here Tuesday visiting his brother, Rev. J. P. Patterson. Rev. Patterson was en route to Vigo Park to take charge of the station Methodist church, having been sent there by the conference at Abilene a few weeks ago.

Dr. O. C. Boone will be absent from Lockney from Dec. 1st to 20th, going to Quitaque for this period of time, after which he will return to Lockney.

Fred Buchanan returned to his home in Silverton Saturday, after having been here several days receiving instructions in Masonic lodge work.

LOST—Thoroughbred Four-use raincoat in Lockney, or taken from truck back of Ozark Garage. Reward for return.—Beacon Office.

PROVIDENCE

Nov. 25.—The box supper at the school house Friday night brought \$48.44. Miss Lorene Lovvorn got the cake for being the prettiest girl and Mr. Walter Boedecker got the cake for the ugliest boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wright entertained the young folks Wednesday night with a party. Those present were Misses Jewel Carter, Ruby Williams, Ila and Thelma Bennett, Mayme and Ruth Phillips, Lyt and Della Ratjen, Myrta and Lorene Lovvorn, Dora Leudeman and Alene Ballard; Messrs. Bob and Amos Ratjen, Bill and Dock Bennett, Harold and Wyatt McLaughlin, Russell Crouch, Albert and Fred Leudeman, R. C. Phillips Jr., Clyde Bramlet; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Allgood and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clements.

Mr. Sam and Brooks Jones returned Monday from a deer hunt down below San Antonio. They reported seeing lots of wild turkeys and deer. Sam was the only one lucky enough to kill a deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wright and family are moving to Plainview this week by the conference at Abilene a few weeks ago.

Miss Lorene Lovvorn made a business trip to Plainview Friday.—Reporter.

Senior News

This is examination week in high school and let us say as Kipling did, "Lord God of hosts be with us yet. Lest we forget, lest we forget."

The football boys go to Idalou on Thanksgiving day to play the Idalou team. We are hoping they will win so that it will give them an even number of victories and defeats. Lockney has defeated Idalou once and it promises to be a good game. The local boys have had much hard luck this year, although they have shown up well and have beaten every team near their weight and strength.

The Lockney high school has one of the best faculties it has ever had. Although they cause us to trouble our brains with a little learning, they back us to the very limit in every thing that is right, and we are sure they will guide us safely through the year.—Reporter.

SUDAN GRASS SEED CROP MOVING SLOWLY

Sudan grass seed movement was low during the three-weeks period Oct. 21-Nov. 11, but considerably ahead of the belated movement last year. About 40 per cent of the crop has been sold by growers in the Texas Panhandle, 50 per cent in eastern New Mexico, 60 per cent in southeastern Colorado, and less than 10 per cent in Kansas, Nebraska, and Indiana.

Prices on Nov. 11 were about the same as or slightly lower than three weeks ago, and averaged about \$1.25 per 100 lbs., lower than last year on about the same date. In leading districts they ranged from \$3.50-\$4.50 per 100 pounds, basis clean seed, and averaged about \$4. Prices in the Texas Panhandle continued to be lower than in some other districts and averaged about \$3.80.

The quality of the 1924 crop is much better than that of last year in practically all districts.

Pretty Negligees Arrive in Many Styles



Just before Christmas the annual new crops of negligees make their appearance in the shops. They are of many kinds, ranging all the way from the little breakfast jacket, pretty, brief and frivolous, to rather gorgeous affairs of satin or velvet in long negligees. With them appear boudoir and breakfast caps—these are belongings that make an enticing appeal as Christmas gifts.

A light and silky cotton corduroy, in many rich and cheerful colors, has proven itself to be about the best medium for negligees that are at once practical and handsome. They are cut on graceful lines, and the easiest things to slip on in the morning. One of them, in lenna-colored corduroy, is shown here. Sometimes a lining to match, of mercerized and silky-looking cotton material, is used, but as often they are unlined.

Girls Start Hockey Practice



Above is shown Miss Dorothy B. Lee, who is captain of the Bryn Mawr hockey team now preparing for several games with the teams of other colleges. Miss Lee is the daughter of Elisha Lee, vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Father Sage Says

Although the English are supposed to be the tea drinkers of the world, yet it can't be denied that it's had a hull lot to do with our national life. Remember the Boston Tea party and Teapot Dome.

Judge Jacob H. Strahl



Judge Jacob H. Strahl of the American Palestine line, Inc., heads a syndicate of American Jews who purchased the S. S. President Arthur from the Emergency Fleet corporation. The ship was bought for the purpose of arranging pilgrimages to the Holy Land. The President Arthur was formerly the enemy ship Princess Matloka. The purchase price is said to be \$60,000 and added thousands will be spent to give the ship comfortable cabin accommodations throughout.

Jailed by Rivera



Lieut. Gen. Damazo Berenguer, former Spanish minister of war and senior officer of the army, who has been sent to jail for six months by Dictator Primo de Rivera because he attended a political meeting of prominent men who seek to overthrow the dictatorship.

Gas on Stomach Won't Let You Sleep

Gas pressing on the heart and on the stomach, unless due to other organs sometimes causes a restless, nervous feeling and prevents sleep. Adlerika helps any case deep-seated causes. The QUICK action will surprise you. Because Adlerika is such an excellent intestinal evacuant it is wonderful for constipation—it often works in one hour and never gripes.—Lockney Drug Co.

It Is the Woman Who Sacrifices Most in Matrimony

Which makes the greater sacrifice in marriage, the man or the woman? A bored and weary husband who has been writing in one of the magazines on that topic asserts that men are the sacrificial goats in matrimony. He says that men give up far more than women do when they get married, because a man offers up his personal liberty and his money on the matrimonial altar.

He deposes that, before a man is married, he can stay out as late at night as he pleases; that he can do as he likes; that he can spend his income upon himself, and that he can flit about from flower to flower in the rosebud garden of girls, but that after marriage—to use the classic phrase of the day—there's nothing doing in any of these lines for poor Mr. Benedict.

It is natural for all of us to think that our lot is the hardest in the world and our sufferings the greatest ever borne. So it is but human for a man to believe that he sacrifices a great deal more than a woman does in marriage. But that is because no man has ever been a woman or a wife, and therefore he has no perception of what a woman gives up when she gets married.

For a woman sacrifices all that a man does, and then some. She gives up her personal liberty, her financial independence, her right to amuse herself with gay flirtations with the op-

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BUSY REXALL STORE

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You will always receive courteous, attentive service from Roscoe Gass, E. L. Woodburn and Cecil Cope, who will be pleased to serve you at all times.

Brunswick Phonographs and a Complete Line of Christmas Goods here for you to make your gift selections from.

A complete line of Drugs and Drug Sundries, and we carefully compound all prescriptions from the purest and freshest of drugs. Make our store your store, and visit us real often.

ALL KINDS OF FOUNTAIN DRINKS

This Plane Won't Fly to North Pole



This airplane, in which Roald Amundsen, noted explorer, planned to fly over the North pole, met a sad ending when it crashed near Seattle. Wesley Grey, the pilot, was severely injured.

posite sex. And she also gives up her name, her very identity, and often her home and country. For after marriage a woman is known merely as an appendage of her husband, and the courts have decided that the man shall be the sole judge of residence of a married couple.

Undoubtedly every man not a millionaire, is a financial sacrifice to his family. The money that a man would enjoy spending on travel, on fishing and hunting trips, on his own personal hobbies and tastes, has to go to the butcher, and grocer, and milliner, and dressmaker; for music lessons for Mamie and operations on Bobby's adenoids.

But even so, no man is such a sacrifice to his family that his wife is. If they are poor, she also has to do without the things she would like to have, and, in addition, she gives the supreme sacrifice of her body to her children. She goes through agony to bear them and she gives to them years and years of absolute self-abnegation. Nights that are broken walking the colic, covering restless little sleepers, getting water for thirly little lips, watching over sick beds. Days that are full of unremitting toil cooking, washing, mending, answering endless questions, always with the cry "Mo-o-ther!" echoing in her ears. Men tell their wives that they ought to be thankful that they don't have to go out into the world, and that they have nothing to do but stay at home and take care of the children but one Sunday afternoon alone with the offspring will reduce any able-bodied man to the verge of nervous prostration.

Men say that they give up their financial independence when they marry, but at least they have the handling of their money. They bestow it on their wives and children. They do not have to beg anybody for every penny they get. They have their independence left.

It is the woman who has been a wage-earner before her marriage, who has had her own pocketbook, who tastes the gall of the cup of the not have to beg anybody for every financial dependence in matrimony. Therefore, I say that when men complain of what they sacrifice in matrimony, they don't know what they are talking about. They ought to try women's and of it for a while. woman doesn't even dream of taking

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OCTOBER DOLLAR WORTH

60.6 CENTS

New York, Nov. 24.—In October a dollar was worth just 60.6c in the purchase of the necessities of life, according to figures compiled by the National Industrial Conference Board. The present figure is compared with a par value of the dollar in July 1914.

The increase in the cost of living since July, 1924, is 65 per cent, but the October figure shows a decrease of 19.3 per cent from the high peak which was reached in July, 1920.

DEFICIENCY IN GENERAL

FUND NOW \$2,574,000

Austin, Nov. 24.—The deficiency in the general fund is mounting higher

than expected. On Monday it had gone to \$2,574,000 and if no substantial call to pay outstanding warrants is made before Dec. 1, the deficiency on that date will be in excess of \$3,000,000.

The state pay roll and incidentals amount to an average of \$515,000 monthly and the November expenditures will be added to the present deficiency about Dec. 1. It was stated

in the State Treasury Monday that a call will probably be made before Dec. 1 and thus keep the deficiency below \$3,000,000 for the present.

YEAR'S COTTON FORECAST

IS 12,992,000

Washington, Nov. 21.—The cotton crop was estimated today at 12,992,000, equivalent 500 pound bales by the Department of Agriculture. A crop of 12,816,000 bales was forecast a fortnight ago. Last year's crop was 10,139,871 bales.

Of the total crop, 11,147,524 running bales, counting round as half bales, had been ginned prior to Nov. 14, compared with 8,369,498 for 1923 and 8,869,978 for 1922 to that date, the census bureau announced.

The estimate of the crop was made on the basis of facts available to the crop reporting board as of Nov. 14, covering the condition, probable yield, per cent of acreage abandoned, per cent of the crop picked and ginned and upon the actual ginnings to Nov. 14.

The preliminary estimate of production by states follows:

Virginia 30,000 bales; North Carolina 760,000; South Carolina 720,000; Georgia 990,000; Florida 27,000; Alabama 980,000; Mississippi 1,110,000; Louisiana 465,000; Texas 4,650,000; Arkansas 1,125,000; Tennessee 350,000; Missouri 160,000; Oklahoma 1,390,000; California 61,000; Arizona 109,000; New Mexico 58,000; all other states 16,000.

About 68,000 bales additional to California are being grown in Lower California, Old Mexico.

Round bales included numbered 265,656 compared with 213,494 for 1923, and American-Egyptian bales included numbered 2,493, compared with 13,084 for 1923.

W. M. U. Holds Meeting

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met in a joint business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Perry, with Mmes. Wofford, Byars, Martin, Rud Perry and Dyer as joint hostesses.

After the business meeting a social was given in honor of the elderly mothers of the church and it was a pleasure to have these good mothers in our meeting.

The house was decorated with yellow crepe paper and autumn leaves. A program was rendered as follows: Welcome Address—Mrs. Martin.

Solo, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine"—Mrs. Wofford.

Reading—Estelle Byars.

Duet, "When You and I Were Young Maggie"—Estelle Byars and Gene Dyer.

Bro. Walker made a talk on his trip to the convention. There were thirty-eight present. We were served with turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, celery, buns and coffee. Yellow chrysanthemums were used for favors.—Reporter.

Epworth League Social

The members of the Epworth League and a number of visitors enjoyed a social in the basement of the Methodist church Saturday night, Nov. 22.

A number of good games were enjoyed by all. Everyone stating that they enjoyed the evening.

At a late hour refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Elva Johnson, Irene Ritchey, Susie Fields, Eunice White, Lula Wright, Florence Gorman, Nona Wells, Dora Same, Nora Sams, Eva White, Wanda Steinbaugh, Willie Belyen, Essie Mae Eliand, Jetty Ritchey, Mary Belyen, Beulah Mae Fields; Messrs. Raymond Meriwether, Theo Thompson, Joe Neeley, John Stapleton, Earl Hicks, Lee Griffis, Presley Garrett, Bert Wells, Weldon Logan, Ivan Thompson, Paul Cooper, Hilery Shurbet, Roy Griffis, Theodore Craft and Edward Newman.—Reporter.

Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club

The women of Sand Hill met with Miss Faulkner in the home of Mrs. Cross Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 19, to organize a Home Demonstration Club. There weren't as many present as we would like to have seen, but we organized a club, Miss Faulkner taking charge of the organization. Mrs. A. R. Hanna was elected president; Mrs. Walter Knight, vice president; Mrs. O. S. Miller, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. C. C. Green, reporter. The other officers will be appointed by the president on the next meeting day.

We had an enjoyable and interesting meeting. Miss Faulkner talked to us about the Kitchen contest which will begin Jan. 1st or not later than Jan. 15th, 1925. We hope there will be a good number register in this contest. We are sure of the fact that all that do enter will be greatly benefited.

We will have a candy demonstration given by Miss Faulkner on the next meeting day and also Christmas gifts and ideas will be given and expressed by all present.

We meet Dec. 3rd at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. H. Taylor. Everyone come, let's have a good time.—Reporter.

CHRISTMAS GOODS READY

We have received a nice stock of Christmas Goods and have them ready for inspection.

Old Santa Claus says "Stewart Has It," and he will appreciate you calling at this store and looking over the many items for useful and sensible Christmas Gifts. Shop early and avoid the rush.

STEWART DRUG COMPANY

MEAT SALTS

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BULK COCOA, DRIED FRUITS OF ALL KINDS, INCLUDING PACKAGE, BULK DATES AND FIGS.

PLAINVIEW GRAHAM FLOUR AND CREAM OF WHEAT.

WATCH FOR OUR SOAP DEAL IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND RECEIVE A NICE WAITER FREE WITH EACH \$1.00 WORTH OF SOAP PURCHASED.

CASH GROCERY

SELLS FOR LESS

PHONE 59

Vera Thomas Entertains

Friday night, Nov. 21st, the Freshman class went on a hay-ride out to Vera Thomas' two and one-half miles west of town. The wagon and team were furnished by Kellie Teaff. We were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kester, Mr. and Mrs. L. Gruver and Miss Malone.

We reached the Thomas home at 8:00 o'clock. After playing many lively games, such as Flying Dutchman, Pop the Whip, King Whip, etc., weines, rolls, marshmallows, and pickles were served to thirty-one Freshmen and chaperones. We played several more games and left at 9:45 o'clock. All reported an enjoyable time.—Reporter.

NOTICE

The time of the year has come to pay our wholesale accounts, and we are going to ask our customers to pay us, so that we can meet our obligations.

Lockney Grocery Co.

Mrs. Dewey Floyd and baby and Mrs. Gilbert Bean and baby went to Canyon Saturday to visit Mrs. E. M. Walling. Mrs. Bean is visiting over in New Mexico before her return home.

SELLING AT 1-2 PRICE

ALL LADY FRANCES AND BESS ANN FALL AND WINTER HATS

ONE-HALF PRICE

VELVET HATS, \$4.75 to \$6.00 values, going at—

SPECIAL \$2.50 & \$3.75

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF GIFT GOODS have arrived for Christmas buying.

STAMP GOODS

We have a large assortment of Stamp Goods for Christmas shoppers.

BEAUTY PARLOR

Visit the Beauty Parlor in connection with our Millinery Shop.

LaMode Hat & Gift Shop

As if Across a Desk—

WITHOUT moving from his chair, Mr. Lockney business man can call a distant point and transact business as if across a desk. You, too, have access to this nation-wide system of communication and while you may seldom have occasion to talk to points thousands of miles away, you have almost daily use for service to nearby places.

NEVER was our long distance service better, our facilities more ample, or the desire to serve greater. The rates are reasonable and "Station-to-Station" rates are much cheaper after 8:30 p. m.

LONG DISTANCE will give you the rate anywhere at any time.



SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

PUBLIC SALE
FRIDAY, DEC. 5th

At the J. E. Watson place, 4 1-2 miles south of Lockney, 10 miles northwest of Floydada, 1-2 mile north of Pleasant Valley School building, beginning at 10 o'clock sharp.

WORK STOCK

- 1 span Black Mules, smooth mouth, 15 3-4 hands, wt. 2,500 lbs.
- 1 span Mules, smooth mouth, 15 1-2 hands, wt. 2,200 lbs.
- 1 span Black Mules, 4 yrs. old, wt. 2,100 lbs.
- 1 span Brown Mules, 4 and 6 yrs. old wt. 2,000 lbs.
- 1 Kid Pony, a good one.
- 1 span Grey Mules, 7 yrs old, wt. 2000
- 1 Work Mule, 6 yrs. old, 15 1-2 hands
- 1 Work Mule, 5 yrs. old, 16 hands.
- 1 Work Mule, 4 yrs. old, 16 hands.
- 1 Work Mule, 3 yrs. old, 16 hands.
- 2 Black Mares, 11 and 12 yrs old, wt. about 1100 lbs. each.
- 1 Sorrel Mare, 12 yrs. old, 16 hands.
- 1 Coming 3 yr.-old, unbroken Mule.
- 2 Coming.. 2 yr.-old, unbroken Mules

MILCH COWS

- 5 good Milch Cows, ages from 4 to 8 years old.
- 1 Registered Roan Durham Bull, 4 years old.
- 1 Jersey Cow, 5 yrs. old, fresh Dec.
- 1 Jersey Cow, 3 yrs. old, giving milk.

- 2 Jersey Heifers, fresh soon.
- 2 Fat Hogs.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 High wheel Wagon.
- 1 Low wheel Wagon. 1 Cultivator.
- 1 2-row Godevil. 1 1-row Godevil.
- 1 P. & O. 4-wheel Lister.
- 1 Disc Harrow with trucks.
- 1 3-section Drag Harrow.
- 4 sets of Chain Harness.
- 1 pair Wagon Harness.
- 1 Single Buggy Harness.
- 5 Good Leather Collars.
- 2 McCormick Row Binders.
- 1 Champion Grain Binder, 8 foot.
- 1 60-tooth 2-section Harrow.
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- 1 John Deere 16-disc Harrow.
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- 1 Slide Godevil. 1 Oliver Lister.
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RURAL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS GO OVER WITH PUNCH BY AGENT IN FLOYD COUNTY

Floydada, Nov. 22.—The successful
organization of eight rural home dem-
onstration clubs with a total member-
ship of over two hundred women of
Floyd county; the management and
successful administration of two
large comprehensive exhibits, one at
Lockney, and the other at Floydada,
showing the character of the work of
the various clubs; and winning sec-
ond place at the State Fair of Texas
in the sewing department of the
home demonstration exhibits there
with dresses made by members of the
newly organized clubs in Floyd coun-
ty are the results of four months of
home demonstration work under the
leadership of Miss Mabel Faulkner,
who was installed as home demon-
stration agent of Floyd county July
first.

This showing has been made possi-
ble by the hard work of Miss Faulk-
ner who has traveled over five thou-
sand miles in her car over all parts of
the county, explaining the work to
hundreds of rural women, getting
them together at their various homes
and giving demonstrations of every
character looking to lighten their
daily tasks and make their home
work more profitable and more enjoy-
able. The conservation of food and
ditching material is the object of
home demonstration work.

Clubs are now organized and func-
tioning successfully at Aiken, Lock-
ney, Sammit, Hinson, Fairview, All-
man, Harmony, and Lone Star. More
clubs will be organized in the very
near future, according to Miss Faulk-
ner.

Gaming and dressmaking have
been two tasks that the various clubs
have worked on so far. In the gam-
ing season the eight clubs put up
hundreds of cases of vegetables,
meats, and fruits, saving hundreds of
dollars worth of food that otherwise
would have possibly gone to waste. A
complete canning apparatus is being
used for this purpose by the various
clubs. Now that the gaming season
is over the clubs are turning energet-
ically and enthusiastically to the task
of learning better dressmaking thru
the employment of time saving sew-
ing methods under the tutelage of
Miss Faulkner.

The exhibits put on in Floydada
show conclusively that the work is
progressing successfully. Seven of
the clubs had exhibits, the eighth
having been organized recently out of
the clubs that became too large. The
different clubs entered their work in
different exhibits and in competition
with the other clubs making altogether
or so, a large display that attracted
hundreds of visitors from all parts of
the county.

The Sammit-Harmony club won
first prize after the judging had been
completed by Mrs. Joubert Clements,
the home economics teacher in Floy-
dada high school, and Miss Nardel
Grisner, Home demonstration Agent
of Hinkley county.

Following the exhibit, thirty-eight
clubs, some wearing thirty-eight of
the fifty three dresses shown in the
exhibit, had their pictures made at
Floydada. Some of the women came
in for twenty miles to be at the show
and to get in the picture. Mrs. Wil-
kinson of the Allman community
made dresses under in a basket to be at
the show and find out what her neigh-
bors were doing, so great was her in-
terest in the home demonstration
work in the county.

This is Miss Faulkner's first assign-
ment of home demonstration work.
She completed her home demonst-
ration work at the West Texas State
Teachers' College at Canyon, and
taught home economics two years in
the Hereford high school prior to her
coming to Floydada.

Under her leadership, the various
clubs are now promoting the idea of a
county fair for Floyd county. The
Floyd county fair has not been held
now for the past five years and it is
the desire of the various women's
clubs that the institution be revived.
The idea is being looked upon with
favor by the Floydada Chamber of
Commerce and other organizations of
the county.

CLUBS ARE LACKING

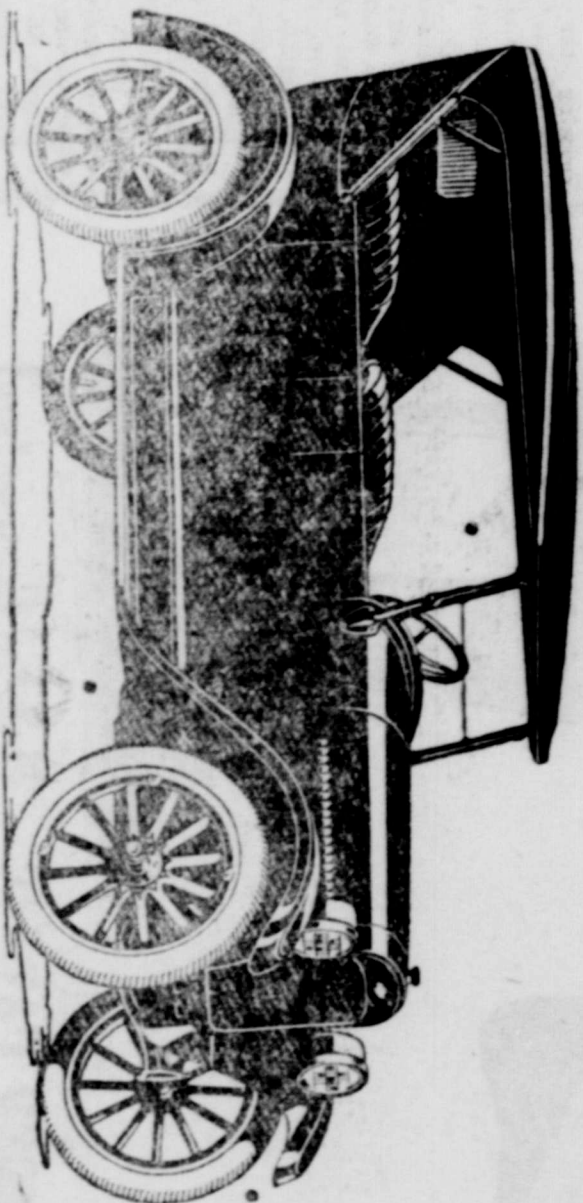
Kees, Swisher County, Nov. 22.—
Seventy dollars in cash, and 500 blank
money order forms were taken from
the safe of the post office here last
night by burglars who gained their
entrance through the window of the
building, and knocked the combina-
tion from the safe.

The robbery was discovered by
Postmaster Carl W. Smith early this
morning when he opened the Post
Office. The post office here is locat-
ed at the rear of the Farmers' State
Bank.

Melvin B. Johnson, Post Office in-
spector from Amarillo, arrived here
today to investigate the case. To-
night he had found no definite clues
to work on, he said.

He is attempting to locate the rob-
bers by broadcasting the numbers on
the money order blanks, so that they
can be recognized if any attempt is
made to fill them in and cash them. 000.

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WORK AT ANTON IS PRO- GRESSING VERY RAPIDLY

Lubbock, Nov. 22.—The Creso
Smith Lumber Co. has purchased one
half block for a lumber yard site in
the new town of Anton, on the main
line of the Santa Fe, twenty-four
miles northwest of Lubbock. This is
the fourth lumber yard located in
that town. The townsite well drilled
by Contractor M. L. Morgan Friday
night in seven and one half hours is
now seventy feet with thirty feet of
water, enough to supply the entire
town. The Anton Townsite company
have started actual construction of
three stucco dwellings and three
brick business houses. Grading all
main streets starts Monday morning.
Date of opening sale of lots Wednes-
day, December 3.

SANTA FE MAN TO BE OFFI- CIAL IN FLOYDADA BANK

Floydada, Nov. 22.—W. B. Hall,
who has been cashier at the Santa Fe
station at Floydada for the past eight
years has resigned his position effec-
tive Dec. 1 to accept the place of
Martin Gilly, assistant cashier of

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bottom of the pile. It is best to open the pile at the same place each time and then cover thoroughly each time. Radishes and Kohl-rabi can be stored for a short period of time by placing them in moist sand in the cellar.

Cabbage can also be stored out of doors. Dig up the whole plant and place it with roots upward. Leave all the leaves and roots attached. It is best to place two or three rows close together on the ground and then a row on top between the lower rows. Cover like you do vegetables in the preceding paragraphs.

Should the above vegetables be wanted for use early in the Winter, store in boxes in the cellar. Place a layer of vegetables then a layer of sand on each. Be sure there are no damaged vegetables, because a vegetable with a slight cut or bruise will deteriorate quickly.

Celery may be stored in several ways. One is to take up the plant with roots attached and plant in moist earth placed in boxes in the cellar or storage house. Keep the earth moist, but do not wet the top of the plants. Onions should be stored where there is plenty of ventilation, also the air should be cool. They should be cured thoroughly before storing. Squashes should be stored where there is plenty of ventilation but the temperature should be higher than any of the other cases.

Storing of sweet potatoes has become so important that the Extension Service at College Station has written several articles which thoroughly cover the storing of sweet potatoes. These articles will be sent to those who write and ask for them.

The United States Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., will send bulletins on the canning and drying of vegetables to those who write for them.

ORGO SEED MOVEMENT HAS STARTED IN SOME DISTRICTS

Sorgo ("cane") seed movement had started in some districts by Nov. 11, according to reports received by the United States Department of Agriculture. The movement to date, although below normal, is ahead of that of last year when rains interfered considerably with threshing and caused repeated delays. It is estimated that about 5-10 per cent of the crop has been sold by growers.

Prices offered to growers on Nov. 11 were slightly higher than a month ago and last year on about the same date. In the heaviest producing districts prices for black and red amber orgo averaged about \$1.30 per 100 lbs., basis clean seed, and for sumac orgo about \$1.60.

The quality of the crop averaged considerably better than that of last year, only one or two districts indicating the quality to be inferior this year.

Texas and Oklahoma—More movement had taken place in the Texas Panhandle than in any other district except central Tennessee. Ten to 20 per cent or more of the sumac orgo seed crop had been sold by growers in about half the counties reporting. Prices ranged mostly from \$1.50-\$1.75 and averaged \$1.60 per 100 lbs., basis clean seed. The quality of the Texas crop was considerably better than last year.

Five to 10 per cent of the sumac orgo seed crop had moved in a number of counties in western Oklahoma. Prices averaged about 30c per 100 lbs., higher than in Texas, most of the prices being around \$2. The quality in this state surpasses that of last year.

H. L. A. Frank of Plainview was in Lockney on business Monday.

Examine Your Title

Many land titles are defective. There are many un-released Vendor's Liens, Deeds of Trust and other liens and defects shown by the records of this county, the parties who can execute the release or other instrument to effect the cure of the defect, may be living today, are liable to die or remove to parts unknown at any time. An ABSTRACT will show the record. Delays are dangerous. Act NOW, and have your ABSTRACT prepared by

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E. C. Nelson, Jr., past commander of the local post and J. E. Dickey, finance officer drew the plans for the new building after making a study of various Legion homes in this part of West Texas. The building committee who have charge of the work for the Legion consists of C. H. Davis, T. P. Collins and Roy Snodgrass. The contract for the construction work was let to H. M. McDonald, local contractor.

The new building will be located on the corner of Virginia and Fifth sts., a block off the square. The building will cover two lots, one of the lots having been given to the local post by W. M. Massie of Floydada.

The local post of the Legion, of which T. R. Webb, is post commander, has been contemplating the building of a suitable home for the past six years since its organization. Funds for the work have been obtained largely from the profits accruing to the Post from two Fourth of July celebrations held in Floydada the past two years. Additional funds for the completion of the building will be derived from the sale of associate memberships to citizens of Floydada other than ex-service men who wish to avail themselves of the club facilities of the Post. The local Post is one of the liveliest in West Texas and one of the largest from the standpoint of membership as well. At present its membership approximates one hundred men and Legion authorities believe this membership will be greatly increased following the completion of the building. For the past six years the Post has maintained quarters in the Barrow building on the north side of the square for their club room and meeting place.

FRESH VEGETABLES MAY BE KEPT ALL WINTER

Most of the vegetables can be stored, canned or dried and kept until Winter. It is best to plant at one time as much as will be needed and then store, can or dry for Winter use. Many of the vegetables for home use can be stored in cellars and pits during the Winter. Beets, salsify, parsnips, carrots, rutabagas, turnips and Irish potatoes can be stored in outdoor pits, providing they are covered so as to keep them from freezing. Cut off the tops and place them in a conical pile, cover with about eight or ten inches of straw, hay or leaves and then with six to eight inches of earth. If the weather becomes extremely cold a thick layer of manure should be placed over the pile. A sheet or some old sacks help to keep the cold out and the heat in. When a few of the vegetables are wanted, dig a hole on the south side near the

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LEGION POST AT FLOYDADA TO HAVE \$5,000 CLUB HOUSE

Floydada, Nov. 10.—Construction of the new club house of the American Legion at Floydada was started Monday morning. The new building will cost \$5,000 and will have a club room, reception room, kitchen and game rooms. Pool tables and other recreation features will be installed and the building will

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FOR SALE—Furniture, Cooking and Heating stoves, at my place west of school house.—Geo. T. Meriwether.

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HAVE one type, a Dodge sedan, good as new, for sale or trade, a bargain for cash or easy terms. If interested see me quick.—C. E. Wilkinson.

COME GET MULES—Three black horse mules have been taken up at my place, owner can have same by paying feed bill and for this notice.—Clark Hancock, 3 miles west, 1-2 mile north of Lockney.

FOR SALE—Two brown mare mules, 16 1-2 hands high, 3 and 4 years old.—See me at Lockney Produce, Floyd Teaf. 9-tf-c

FOR SALE—A tract of land close in will sell any amount from 10 to 60 acres.—N. A. Cummings, Rt. 1. 8-3tp

BAZAAR—The Methodist Ladies will hold their bazaar at the First National Bank on Saturday, Dec. 6.

FOR SALE—My place in west Lockney.—C. L. Cowart. 7-4tc

BARGAINS—1 five room residence on 1-2 acre of land in Lockney with plenty of 16 year old fruit trees and grapes, with good easy terms. Also 18 acres of land adjoining the town of Lockney, fairly well improved price \$2,000, easy terms. Also 40 acres adjoining the town of Lockney, \$75 per acre, with terms.—Col. N. H. Lewis, Lockney, Texas. 8-3tp

FOR SALE—A good milch cow.—Carl Ferguson, on Johnson farm, 5 miles southwest of Lockney. 9-2t-c

FOR SALE—1 span yearling mules, 1 mile east of town.—G. T. Traylor.

FOR SALE—One section of land, 7 miles northeast of Floydada, \$38 per acre.—See Mrs. J. L. Montgomery, Rt. 3, Floydada, Texas. 9-5t-p

ATWELL ASSERTS JAMAICA GINGER RULES ARE LAW

Wichita Falls, Nov. 24.—The department regulations with reference to the sale of Jamaica ginger, commonly known as "jake", which went into effect last May, calling for double strength of ginger, was held by Judge Wm. H. Atwell of the United States district court to be the law governing the sale of this medicine.

The ruling was made in delivering a charge to a jury which had been impanelled to try a case in which the defendant was charged with the sale of Jamaica ginger for beverage purposes.

It was ascertained by analysis that the Jamaica ginger in question in the case did not contain the proper amount of ginger known as double strength as called for in the regulations. The defendant pleaded to the court and jury that he had purchased the Jamaica ginger from the manufacturer with the understanding that the solution was manufactured in accordance with the regulations calling for a double portion of Jamaica ginger, which it is said makes the medicine unfit for beverage purposes.

The court, however, held that the druggist who sells Jamaica ginger which does come under the specifications of the regulation is violating the national prohibition act and as a result the defendant in the case was found guilty as charged.

Prior to May, 1924, druggists were permitted to sell Jamaica ginger containing a single portion of ginger. Judge Atwell's ruling in effect means that the sale of Jamaica ginger which does not contain a double portion of ginger, or 400 grains to 1,000 cubic centimeters of alcohol, is a violation of the law, regardless of whether the seller is aware of the ginger contents.

WORK ON RALLS WATER SYSTEM TO START SOON

Ralls, Nov. 24.—Contract has been let, materials has arrived and work will start on the \$50,000 water system recently voted by this city. The contract includes one deep well, a 50,000 gallon reservoir on a 100 foot tower, necessary electric booster pumps and water mains and fire plugs to cover all the retail and 80 per cent of the residential district of the town.

Estimates show that the saving on fire insurance will more than pay the interest on the bonds and upon the completion of the present contract, a fire insurance survey will be asked with a view to securing the reductions permitted under a recognized water system with adequate fire fighting equipment.

Aiken School Will Present Pageant
The Aiken school children will present a pageant "The Corn Festival," on Friday night, November 28th. Everybody is invited to attend the pageant.

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