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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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### **DOLLAR DAY IN LOCKNEY MARCH 23**

WILL HOLD MONTHLY TRADES DAY ON FOURTH MONDAY IN LOCKNEY

to inauguarte a monthly trades day, ing shop, and a garage in connection. day, and make it to the interest of kinds of repairs and welding. the people of the Lockney country to come to Lockney to buy their supplies. PETERSBURG BAND to sell real bargains to the people on these special bargain days, and to buy goods in such quantities that they will effect a real saving to the buyers to visit Lockney on these days and par- BANDS WILL GIVE CONCERT IN bank closed in order to rid itself of last term. ticipate in the bargains offered.

The intention of the trades day is not for the special benefit of any one firm, but for the benefit of the entire town, and every merchant in the town that the Petersburg band will be in is requested and expected to do their part toward making it a success.

Further details concerning the barsame plan that was used for a couple of months last fall, when prizes were offered to the visitors on trades days where each merchant gave a special prize for that day to the person who GOVERNOR SIGNS AUTO brought in the nearest number to the number on display in their store.

Lockney merchants desire to let the people of this section know that it is to their mutual advantage to trade at home, and to this end the trades day will be used as a means of acquainting them with the facts concerning bill regulating glaring automobile farmers who had been doing business T. H. Clark, V. A. Thorn, L. Utsman, Class B, Baker Mercantile Co., Lock- be ready to furnish the country with here at a saving to the purchaser.

concerning the trades day in the next issue of the Beacon.

#### 54 GALLONS OF BOOZE FOUND BY LUBBOCK OFFICIALS

Labbock, March 3.—Clisk Melton and Clarence Reed, both widely known Lubbock men, were arrested on the highway leading to Clovis last night when Sheriff H. L. Johnston, Deputy Sheriff Vernice Ford and Special Deputy J. C. Roberts surprised them in the alleged act of transporting 54 gallons of whiskey, valued at \$1,200.

The men surrendered without a struggle and were brought with the booze to the Lubbock County jail, where they were still being held to-

Individual bonds of \$2,500 will be asked if the prisoners are allowed to the cost of maintaining the station leave the custody of the officers before trial. Melton and Reed are both past middle age.

#### 30-FOOT FALL FATAL TO HALE COUNTY FARMER

36 years of age, died yesterday morn- man Republic, is dead. ing at 2 o'clock at the Plainview Sanitarium, from injuries received when after a four-day struggle with peri-Sunday afternoon at the Slaton & for appendicitis. Jacob farm, 11 miles west of Plain-

Soon after the accident Ed Maloon of Garner Bros., drove to the farm and brought the injured man to the had set in. sanitarium in an ambulance. His injuries were such that no hope for his recovery was entertained.

& Jacob farm for two years and for- as chief executive of the republic. merly was in the employ of Guy Jacob for three years in Floyd county. He leaves a wife and four children, two hoys and two girls. The body was Wesley Chapel in Jack county.

### MEXICAN KILLS MEXICAN

an, Sunday night.

years acted as foreman over Mexican snake." bill, which Contres claimed was owed frightened by a rattle snake while him by Arbidres.

the fight which ended in his death. in alcohol to preserve it.

Montgomery Brothers of Clovis, N. M. Putting In First Class Machine Shop and Garage

Montgomery Brothers of Clovis, N. M., have rented the A. R. McCollum building, at the corner of Main and At the meeting of the Chamber of Locust Streets, and are installing a Commerce last Monday it was decided first class machine, repair and weld-

beginning on Monday, March 23rd, at They will be open for business towhich time the merchants of Lockney morrow (Friday) morning, and are Banking and Insurance Commission nelled the grand jury, and sounded the will put on special bargains for the equipped to do lathe work, and all was notified to take charge of same. civil docket, with only eight cases

# **TO BE HERE SUNDAY**

LOCKNEY SUNDAY AFTER-NOON AT 3 O'CLOCK

Prof. Collum asks us to announce Lockney next Sunday afternoon and will give a concert in connection with the Lockney band, at 3 p. m., either gain day will be worked out at the on Main street, if the weather is pretnext meeting of the Chamber of Com- ty, or if the weather is bad, the conmerce, and it may be run along the cert will be held in the college audi-

Everybody is requested to come out and hear the two bands in concert.

HEADLIGHT BILL

State Law will Become Effective 90 Days After Adjournment of the Legislature

Governor Ferguson, and it becomes a during this time. Watch for further announcements law 90 days after the adjournment of

the legislature. declared unconstitutional several years a radius of one hundred miles that did Watson, D. M. Moore, O. M. Watson, Furniture Co., and City Bakery, Lock-

Granbury, secretary to Speaker Lee money tied up in real estate causes a rance, W Ed Brown. Satterwhite, represents several years heavy burden on all the banks of this | Two divorce decrees were entered written upon this subject. Mr. Gran- hands. bury is a student in the school of en-

The university is designated the official testing laboratory for anti-glare devices. Each county commissioners court is authorized to designate necessary testing stations in a county. Headlights must be tested once annually for which a fee of 25 cents will be charged, the surplus funds above to be transferred to the road and bridge fund of a county.

#### PRESIDENT EBERT OF GERMANY IS DEAD

Plainview, March 3 .- Cecil Mathes, ick Ebert, first president of the Ger- who is to serve 50 years for attempt-The end came at 10:15 this morning county white woman.

he fell from a 30-foot windmill tower tontis, after an unsuccessful operation two years' sentences. They were: An-

until this morning when death came. Huntsville at Southland. President Ebert died 17 days after Mr. Mathes had been on the Slaton the sixth anniversary of his election Floyd Huff's Mother Died Thursday

#### Snake Has Nothing on This Hen George Traylor was displaying an

egg, which was laid by one of his hens ipped to Jacksboro, for burial at Sunday, on the streets of Lockney the attack. Monday morning. The egg was an exact reproduction of a rattle snake, Huff, of Lockney, and Mr. and Mrs. showing the head, eyes, the entire Huff left Friday morning for McLean, AT LEVELLAND SUNDAY body and the rattles on the snake's tail. We have seen various freak Levelland, March 3 .- Dan Arbidres, eggs in our time, but we must ac-Mexican, was placed in the county jail knowledge that this is the first time at Lubbock following the fatal shoot- we ever knew of a hen laying a rattle ng of Mateo Contres, another Mexi- snake. The egg was such a good reproduction of the snake that all see-Arbidres, who has for the past ten ing it at once would say "a rattle

labor crews in Hockley and Cochran The egg was laid in the hen house counties, told officers the trouble at the Traylor home Sunday, and it is arese out of a quarrel over a \$5 labor supposed that the hen was badly

the egg was in the moult. Eye witnesses say Contres pressed Mr. Traylor expects to place the egg

### WELDING SHOP IN LOCKNEY STATE BANK BEING **RE-ORGANIZED**

TERNOON WILL BE OPENED NEXT WEEK

it will again be opened within the next 43 cases having been disposed of. few days, or some time next week.

It is stated that the bank will be of 100 men on Monday morning, one opened next week, and that it will venire to appear on Monday, March be much stronger and in better shape 16th, and another vehire of 100 hunthan it has been for many years.

Condition of First National

in the history of the bank. At the for Monday, March 16tth, and the Milclose of business Tuesday evening ler-Hobart murder case, transferred the National bank, the cash on hand is set for Monday, March 23rd. was \$355,961.77, and the loans and The grand jury for this term of discounts was \$263,000.00. In an in- court is composed of the following terview with Mr. Brown, he stated gentlemen: E. C. Henry, foreman; that the bank was in shape to pay off W. B. Clark, J. P. Hart, W. G. Collins, every depositor in spot cash without F. F. Ewing, J. P. Sims, Eb Rankin, condition to carry on the affairs of Perry, J. D. Carr and W. A. Baker. the bank, he also stated that the clos- The first petit jury is to appear Austin, Feb. 27.—The Williamson business institutions of the town and Snodgrass, T. F. Love, J. W. Malone, the merchandise that can be bought headlights, was approved today by with the other bank, and serve them W. B. Hatchett, P. H. Carzine, J. L.

The bill which was written by Reed tied up in real estate. He stated that Bob Reeves, A. P. Barker, E. R. Law

#### gineering at the University of Texas. SEVEN STARTED ON THEIR JOURNEY TO STATE PRISON

Lubbock, Feb. 28.-Seven men, four from Lubbock and three from Hale counties, were started on their trip to Nice Little Home Has House-Warmthe state penitentiary at Huntsville, this morning to pay debts to society aggregating 67 years.

The Lubbock county men were J. C. Tucker, two years for bootlegging in Lubbock county, and four years for the same offense in Scurry county; Homer Reed, two years for attempted robbery of an Idalou store; Willie Coleman, negro, three years for boot-Berlin, Germany, Feb. 28.-Freder- legging, and Willie Hall, 17, negro, ed statutory assualt on a Lubbock

Hale county prisoners all received drew Newman, bootlegging; R. L. Sal-He seemed to be resting well after yer, bootlegging; and Angus Simmons the first opration until Wednesday, hijacking. Simmons is a negro. The when he became restless and physi- men were accompanied by Sheriff H. cians announced that local gangrene L. Johnston and Deputy Vernice L. Ford of Lubbock county, who turned His condition grew steadily worse them over to Warden Bud Russell of

> Mrs. A. C. Huff, age 58 years, of McLean, Texas, died suddenly last Friday evening at 9:30 from an attack of heart failure, dying within 20 minutes after having been struck by

Mrs. Huff was the mother of Floyd where they attended the funeral and burial of Mrs. Huff, which took place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Huff was the mother of twelve seven being married and two who are still living at home. She is survived by her husband, also.

#### Hohlaus Gets Hand Hurt

J. H. Hohlaus has been suffering considerable pain the past week, caused by getting a sliver of steel from at the Beacon office-you will please a hammer stuck in his hand several call for them at once, as the last order ty jail has started. It is to be located chosen as missionary for the associadays ago. The hand became inflamed has arrived and we wish to get them on the southeast corner of the public and blood poison threatened.

### DISTRICT COURT **NOW IN SESSION**

BANK CLOSED LAST FRIDAY AF. SPECIAL VENIRES ORDERED FOR CASES TRANSFERRED FROM TULIA AND AMARILLO

The Lockney State Bank closed its | The District court of Floyd coundoors last Friday afternoon about 3 ty began it March 1925 term Monday o'clock upon orders from the local dir- morning with Judge R. C. Joiner on ectors of the bank, and the State the bench, at 10 o'clock and empan-We are informed that the bank is now of the civil docket that were continued undergoing a re-organization, and that from last term, out of a total of 51

Tuesday morning the civil appear-We are informed that the reason ance docket was taken up, and it was for the bank closing was that it had found that there were 34 cases to apsome old securities on hand that were pear, that number of civil cases havpractically worthless, and that the ing been filed in the court since the

Three special venires were ordered dred men to appear on March 23rd. The Stringer and Hyman cases, trans-The First National Bank of Lock- ferred to Floyd county from Swisher ney is in the best condition it has been county, on a charge of rape, are set there was \$554,470.62 on deposit in to Floyd county from Potter county

a minutes notice, and still be in a good P. L. Fagan, G. A. Thomas, J. T.

ing of the other bank had brought no Monday of next week. The jury is Class A, W. M. Massie, Floydada; all nconvenience to his bank, and that composed of J. W. Massingale, Chas. he was striving to care for all those Weigand, J. B. Wiggington, Paul The bill replaces the law which was Bank of Lockney was the only bank in Womack, C. L. Zimmerman, R. W.

of research, as Mr. Granbury obtain- section, and practically every bank has Tuesday by the district judge. Bared his master's degree upon a thesis more or less real estate on their bara Lagow was granted divorce from William E. Lagow, and J. L. Wood was granted a divorce from Effie Wood.

#### NEW AMRRICAN LEGION HALL OPENED AT FLOYDADA

ing Party Friday Night-Good Program Rendered

In response to an invitation the Ed-Floydada Friday night of last week where they attended a house-warming gion, it being the celebration of the Lockney. completion of the Legion Home, recently constructd in Floydada. The Legion home is a nice wooden structure, consisting of two large reception rooms, a men's cloak and toilet room, a ladies' rest room, and a kitchenette, and is well proportioned to care for the needs of Legion Post of that city. A nice program consisting of music, talks, jokes, etc., was enjoyed, with Judge E. C. Nelson, Jr., as toastmaster. Refreshments of brick ice cream and cake were served to about seventyfive ladies and gentle-

#### AMARILLO WOMEN TO WAR ON BOOTLEGGERS

Amarillo, March 3.—Declaring war on bootleggers and general lawlessness, church women of Amarillo, have organized a Law Enforcement Lea-

They will co-operate with Sheriff Wiley Pollard, county and district attorneys and other authorities in the enforcement of the law, they declare.

"There is too much bootleg whiskey being sold in Amarillo," one of the children, nine of which survive her, leaders has been quoted as saying, when the organization meeting of the league was held.

To all those who are due Medallions off our hands.

LOVING CUPS PROMISED BY BUSINESS MEN OF COUNT

Lockney and Floydada Business Men Offer Trophies in All Departments of Scholastic Effort

Considerable interest should be added to the forthcoming School Fair and Interscholastic Meet to be held in Floydada on April 4th and 5th by the announcement of a list of loving cups to be given by Lockney and Floydada various divisions of the interschlastic contests.

Thirty-three loving cups are to be according to announcement made by Parent-Teachers Association of Floy- a general survey of the country. dada, who have been working in cooperation with each other and with the School Fair Directors. The list surprised, stating. "of course I knew as announced is an imposing array and will doubtless help to stir up to some in the last few years, from refurther heights the interest in the ports receive, but I thought this was pronounced. Eighteen out of thirty- never dreamed that it was being set-Director General Olin S. Miller.

create and maintain interest in this Lockney country. year's events, but they are expected to be of lasting value in this respect. To three consecutive years.

The list of the donors of cups and special prizes, together with the was in on that deal and would gladly events for which they will be given give the power and service when and are as follows:

#### Literary Events

round county championship, rural school, Hesperian Publishing Co. Floy. pect to lend much to the development ney; Boys' debate, First State Bank, electric power for the needs of the Elmore, G. W. Eads, H. T. Bridges, hey; Boys debate, First State Balls, farms for irrigation purposes just as Mr. Brown called attention to the J. H. Fowler, Bert Bobbitt, T. C. As- Lockney; Junior Boy declaimer, Tom fact that possibly the First National siter, E. L. Boothe, T. R. Webb, C. A. Stewart and Dr. N. E. Greer, Lockago. It provides that the rays of a not have a lot of money tied up in H. S. Sanders, C. E. Tannahill, S. E. headlight must be cast in a line parreal estate, his bank, outside of the Stiles, G. M. Tate, C. B. Sims, A. L. er, Rutledge & Co., Floydada; Senior er, Rutledge & Co., Floydada; Senior ting a lot of good advertising through allel with the road and not upward. banking house, not having one cent Sparks, A. L. Glass, N. T. A. Byars, girl high school declaimer, Baker the efforts of the Judge Kelso and the Campbell Co., Floydada; Senior girl rural school declaimer, C. H. Davis ent time, and many articles from the rural declaimer, Rutledge & Co., Floy. the Eastern newspapers from time to dada; Senior boy rural declaimer, 1st time relative to the Plains country. National Bank, Floydada; Junior boy rural declaimer, Maury Hopkins, PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY BILL Floydada; Essay writing, Class A, Wilson Kimble, Floydada; Essay writing, ward school, Awtrey Grocery Co., Floydada; Essay writing Class B high tion law came before a brisk attack school, Angel & Childers, Lockney; today unscathed when the House de-Essay writing schools, Lockney State feated the committee amendment for Bank, Lockney; Junior speller, H. B. the Durham election bill providing for Adams, Lockney; senior speller, W. a preferential primary system and in M. Massie, Floydada; Sub-junior turn defeated the bill itself. The vote speller, Star Grocery Co., Floydada; was 49 to 66 on the amendment and tor and Mrs. H. B. Adams, went to Extemporaneous speaker, Lewis & 42 to 73 on the original bill. Davis Gin Co., Floydada; Music Mem- However, further consideration was of the McDermott Post American Le- Arithmetic contest team, F. M. Kester vote reconsidered and spread upon the

Athletic Events

Winning track team, Class B, Floydada Drug Co., Junior boys' track terms was set for special order Friday team, Class A, C. R. Houston & Co., at 10 a. m. Floydada; Girls' volley ball team, B. & A. Drug Co., Floydada; Winning WHITFILL STARTS WORK track team, class B, 2-in-1 Store, Lock ney; Boys' tennis singles, E. E. Boothe Floydada; Girls' tennis, singles, Martin Dry Goods Co., Floydada; Win & Sons will start pouring concrete for ning track team, Class B, junior boys, the foundation of their new gin, which R. E. Patterson, Lockney; Girls' ten- is to be located near the gin they nis doubles, Higginbotham-Bartlett built this season. The new gin is to Co., Lockney: Boys' tennis doubles, be a duplicate of the old one, four 70-Lockney Drug Co.

from 6 inches to approximately 15 be completed within a few months. inches in height, the joint committee Plainview Herald. from the two town clubs announces.

Mrs. R. F. Farley Died Tuesday Quitaque, died Tuesday morning about 7th, at 3 p. m., in the directors room 2 o'clock at the Plainview sanitarium. of the First National Bank. She was carried there Sunday afternoon suffering with diptheria, which had caused an obstruction in her meet with us to discuss plans for the throat. She was breathing only four Lyceum course.-Reporter. times a minute. After an operation her breathing was easier, but she did

not have strength to rally. Funeral services were held at Quitaque Wednesday, under the direction

New Jail Started at Plainview Construction on the new Hale coun-

### LIGHT MEN HERE **INSPECTING TOWN**

PROMINENT BANKERS AND TEX-AS UTILITIES COMPANY MEN HERE

Judge I. R. Kelso, General Attorney for the Texas Utilities Company, J. B. Scott, District Manager of the Texas business firms for excellence in the Utilities Company, William L. Ross, of William L. Ross & Company, Inc., bankers of Chicago, Ill., and Edward J. Costigan, of Whitaker & Company, given and a half dozen special prizes, Bonds and Stocks, of St. Louis, Mo., were in Lockney Monday looking over the Mothers' club of Lockney, and the the company's property and taking

Mr. Ross, when asked what he thought of the country, said he was that the big ranches had been cut up school fair, which is already becoming still a sparcely settled country and five schools of the county had made tled up so fast." These gentlemen are entry last week, it was announced by fiananciers, and are looking for good investments at all time, and they were Not only are the cups expected to quite favorably impressed with the

The editor of th Beacon told Judge Kelso that his company was expected retain one of the cups the school or to furnish us with electric power for ndividual must win continuously for irrigation wells on every 40 to 80 acre tract in this section at an early date, and the Judge's reply was that "he where it was needed."

> The Texas Utilities Company is making great strides in developing their plants so as to care for the needs of this section of the country, and exsoon as the country is developed sufficient to justify the installation of irrigation wells on small acreages of

This section of the country is get-Texas Utilities Company at the pres nd B. P. Woody, Floydada; junior girl pen of Judge Kelso are appearing in

### LOST IN LOWER HOUSE

Austin, March 3.-The Terrell elec-

ory team, E. Guthrie & Co., Lockney; assured when the House ordered the journal. The Bonham bill dividing the regu-

lar session of the legislature into two

#### ON A NEW LOOMIS GIN

Within the next few days Whitfill saw Loomis stands. The machinery The cups too be given range in size has been ordered and the new gin will

MOTHERS' CLUB NOTICE The regular business meeting of the Mrs. R. F. Farley, age 22 years, of Mothers Club will be Saturday, Mar.

Every one is urged to be present. Messrs, Wilkinson and Adams will

Rev. Y. F. Walker Becomes Missionary of Floyd Baptist Association

At the regular Workers' Meeting of the Floyd County Baptist Association of Garner Bros. undertakers of Plain- held with the Silverton church Tuesday of this week, Rev. Y. F. Walker, who has just resigned the pastorate of the Lockney Baptist church, after serving for a term of two years, was tion and will begin upon his duties as such at an early date.

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H. B. ADAMS, Editor and Owner

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#### LEGISLATURE IS SANE

cent of th revenues derived from the some station (perhaps in the county business done in the state, within the "at town) of each county and have state. This law was known as the his headlights on his car tested and Robertson law, and was passed for the set at just the right angle, and as the law requires this only done once each

purpose of furthering the institutions of the State of Texas, and to keep forof the State of Texas, and to keep forof line, after he has got the official miums here, and using the money to bled any more for the 364 remaining side of the state. Seventeen large insurance companies withdrew from the lating it by having each car light exat every session of the legislature way to get shut of it. The better way effort to get the law repealed, with the same result each time, complete dutomobile manfacturers put nonfailure. These companies want Texas fore they are allowed to be sold in business but they are not willing for the state, then all cars would have Texas to get anything out of their the non-glaring lights and there would tion home insurance companies have been organized and prospered, becoming strong institutions, with practicaly every dollar they have invested in Texas securities and institutions. Last week the legislature killed the bill offered which would have permitted these companies to re-enter the state, and we think the legislature acted These insurance companies painstaking effort to use only want our money to build a greater the very best of pure, fresh po- Rew York, Philadelphia, or some othities or institutions, and all that they all real constructive legislation when is no drag in the garden seed market want to do is sap the people of Texas out of premiums, and it is immaterial Texas ever builds and devel-

These companies should never tutional, but never the less the tax e allowed to enter the state, if it is assible to keep them out. There has time the legislature spend passing it. Like most city gardeners, of the back hat have continually been trying to ear down the insurance and hometerests in the state would be detri- Washington, the two great emanci-Intered April 14th, 1902, as second ment, instead of an asset, should they Lockney, Texas, by act of Congress methods. Texas don't need New York or some other foreign city to tell her what and how she should do, and the sooner that Texas lets such concerns know that we don't want or won't have none of their interest paying schemes, unless they can toe the mark according to our own laws, the better off Texas will be.

PATRIOTISM AND EDUCATION

erty and democracy and the result-

and engenders a universal love of

country; it becomes a foremost pro-

or environment.

foundation of future progress, the

Plainview Defeats Floydada

district meet to be hold at Lubbock.

nore such men be ours."

#### ANOTHER NUISANCE LAW

The legislature has passed and Gov. ton, the seion of wealth and aristoc- with fresh crisp vegetables. Miriam has signed, and it will be a racy, yet both arose in this freedomlaw 90 days after the adjournment of loving land to the highest office withthe legislature, the glaring headlight in the gift of the nation. The month law. This is another one of those of February may, therefore, be well ness ability knows one thing with Some years ago a law was passed crazy laws that proves to be of no termed the patriotism-rejuvenating enough certainty to give practical adin Texas, demanding that insurance value for anything but petty graft, period. companies doing business in the state Each car owner will be required to It has been said that 'Civilization is the less he has to pay out of his incompanies doing business in the state Each car owner will be required to it has been said that Civilization is come for living expenses, the more his be required to invest a centain per make a trip at least once a year to in a race between Education and Casprofits will be and the more cash he

THE PASSING DAY

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Plant That Spring Garden.

editor writes that as we see it would be to make the some of his subscribwrite something about spring gardens. He did not say be no need of such a law. Of course, picion that the sub-



most any kind of a foolish law can be scribers are overstocked passed, when it carries with it a fee seeds for which they are finding poor that will feather the pockets of a few sales because of the continued dry more office seekers, and what does it weather. East Texans have so litamount to them whether the law is the dry weather that, when it fails to enforced or not so long as they get rain for a few weeks, they are inthe fee each year. Once there was a clined to think "It Aint Gonna to Rain law introduced in the Kansas legisla- No Mo'." Therefore they sit down and ture to force the chickens to go to wait to see what is going to happen. reost at 7 o'clock and stay on the West Texans, having gone through until 7 o'clock the next morning, but repeated drouths, know that a rain t wouldn't work. There are many of is sure to follow every dry spell, and er place, and say by their action they these nuisance laws, and it always they plant crops just as though they seems that they have precedence over are expecting rain the next day. There it comes to getting by in a hurry. This in West Texas, I am guessing, and law, like the one passed some years there should not be any where else.

#### . . . Plant Now and Plant Often.

I am not an authority on gardening. yard variety, I plant nearly as much The spring gardening fever usually his me hard with the first mild spring days and dies in the This is the month of Lincoln and heat of the early summer. The vege tables die along with my garden paters; the transformers of the early (ever. Often there is a race to see ideals of this naiton into tangible ac- which will die first. I have a farmer complishments. In commemorating friend, though, who used to sell me the respective birth anniversaries of vegetables, and he gave as the rule or his success that he began planting hese commanding figures of our his- his garden early, planted in small tory, men, women and children of the quantities, and at intervals of about present vision with renewed appre- two weeks. He pays no attention to ciation our nation's struggle for lib- the weather or the moon when he thinks it is the time of year to begin planting certain things. The frost ant equality of opportunity to all- gets his vegetables sometimes and o the opportunity to emerge regardless casionally the ground is too dry to of environment or circumstances, bring them up, but he soon has more Abraham Lincoln, the child of pover- in the way. The seed cost mighty ty and democracy; George Washing- by planting often he keeps supplied

#### Prepare to Live at Home.

vice in regard to it. He knows that tastrophe.' The nation that cherishes will have to show for his work. He the memory of Lincoln and Washing- also knows that if he spends more than ton shall not fail in its duty in civili- his receipts he will soon be broke. That zation's race and will rear its child-statement is so simple that it really sounds foolish, yet some people do not hood in the environment of the ideals appear to have learned the lesson. The is established by these men. We did tarmer who can produce not fail on Flanders Fields-neither vegetables and corn and shall Castastrophe triumph. The her- syrup and honey and milk and butour heroes we will eternally and truit and berries and many other We are accomplishing this things on his place, while also growby setting up an education which ing cotton, is more than foolish to grow gives inspiration to our patriotism, nothing but cotton, leaving the other that stimulates ambiitons and ideals money. The farmer who follows the for service. This system we shall one crop method lives poorly because jealously guard and foster as a mem- he has to pay for all he eats, and an orial to these men; it thus becomes a occasional crop failure wipes out the patriotic factor; it eliminates class little profit he makes.

#### Advertise Your Surplus Products.

conent of national ideals; it evaluates | Most farmers are poor salesmen and self with equality of opportunity and able products and other things for neasuring results in terms of ability to go to waste. Why not profit by the In the World War, through those ness men and place a small advertise who stood for it, this same force prov ment in the local newspaper? If you ed a citadel to national morale. It is machinery that is not needed, there is now knocking at the doors of legisla- sure to be some one who would like ion seeking laws where laws are not to have it, if only he knew about it. A o carry the American flag into every small advertisement will help to sell school; it is the motive power which surplus fruit, butter, chickens, eggs, and dozens of other things about the has led thirty metropolitan newspap- place that you do not need. It has ers to initiate a nation-wide oratorical been said that there is somebody wantcontest on the interpretation of our ing and ready to pay for everything Constitution, a national movement one can find to sell, if only the seller which President Coolige has outspok- and the buyer can get together. The enly endorsed. It is making Ameri- best way to get them together that has canism the foundation-stone; it is un-sver been found, and the cost is small, tiring in its advocacy of universal not usually more than a quarter or half culture, irrespective of origin, status dollar. The farmer who uses this selling plan regularly will find that it pays well. In many states a large The work of our YESTERDAYS part of the country papers is filled has been done. The task of TOMOR- with such advertisements, but the ad-ROWS is still in our hands, in which vertising idea does not seem to be education must be recognized as the used much by Texas farmers.

### enemy of crime, the backbone of mor- Automobiles and Good Roads a Boon.

the essential of citizenship. This is lived as much as eight or ten miles task—the translation through from his trading point was at a great education of these ideals into realities to get anything to market. Good roads Lincoln and Washington-"May and automobiles are changing that. A ten mile trip is now a half hour's delightful drive instead of two or three hours of hard toil. A telephone call from a merchant or a neighbor a doz The girls of the Plainview high en miles away may close a trade in chool basket ball team defeated the a few minutes and delivery can be virls of the Floydada high se cool team made almost as quickly as a merchant in a game played at the high school court in Lockney last Friday after-day methods, and the farmer who noon by a score of 32 to 15. The vic- would succeed must keep abreast of tory made the Plainview team the the times. He must use the methods champions of Hale, Motley, Floyd and not trust to chance, as so many Lamb and Bailey counties, and they have been doing. What would you are to represent these counties in the think of the merchant who would say: sold more overalls than anything cise las year, so I will hendle nothing but overails this year, and will sit J. P. Johnson, formerly of Lockney, down and walt for the people to come but now of Fort Worth, has been here and buy them?"



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BISCUIT CONTEST IN THE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

Demonstrations on the making, baking and scoring of biscuits are being given this week by Mabel Faulkall the Women's Clubs over the Counwith these demonstrations.

better methods, recipes and the under-

cedure as set forth in the instructions essary, the biscuits many stand in the put out by A. & M. Extension Ser- pans before baking if kept cold.

cuits.

Afte the demonstration has been given to the women in the clubs, those desiring to enter the contest will register by signing an enrollment card. Each contestant will follow recipes given below and make biscuits at home. The contest will be tried out first in the Home Demonstation Clubs and the winners will baking powder, two or three times. try out in the County Contest which Cut in the shortening with a knife or does the later. He allways says will be held in Floydada the latter rub in with a spoon. Mix with a spoon "Thank youse," and hustles after an part of April. The winner in the or saptula adding enough of the milk County Contest will then be sent to to make a soft dough, slightly stiffer the State Contest, which will be held than for making powder biscuits. Turn during the Short Course at A. & M. onto a floured board and knead very in July. At both the community con- lightly a little longer than for baking was worth. He couldn't "hustle" betest and the county contest the bis- powder biscuits, but having a smoothcuits will be judged by committees er surface. Cut out. Place in unappointed by the County Home Dem- greased pan a small distance apart. onstration Agent. The judges will Bake in a hot oven 12 tot 15 minutes grade the contestants on two points- or until thoroughly bakd. the biscuits exhibited and the individual's score of her products.

Every woman in the club should take advantage of this contest and

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try to carry out the aims of the same as near as they possibly can. All who enter the contest must register with We have moved our Milli- the Home Demonstration Agent and Furnished by The West Texas Chamnery Shop to the balcony on then they will receive the rules and ber of Commerce.

Directions for Measuring: ful. A measure of liquid mean all sale also. that the cup or spoon will hold. Sift standard cups and spoons to measure

Recipe No. 1 Baking Powder Biscuit (12 to 14 Biscuits)

2 cups sifted flour.

1-2 teaspoon salt.

3 to 4 teaspoons baking powder. 2 tablespoons shortening.

(have fat cold and solid). 1-2 to 3-4 cups cold milk (sweet).

All materials should be cold as possible. Sift together the flour, salt and ner; Home Demonstration Agent, to baking powder twice. Cut or chop in the shortening with knives or rub in ty. The 1925 Biscuit Contest starts lightly with a spoon until the mixture is well blended. Add just enough cold The object of this contest is to in- milk to make a soft dough that can crease the interest in the activities of be handled on the board without stickthe Women's Home Demonstration ing, mixing with a knife or spoon. clubs, and to render service to its Mix quickly and handle the dough very members by means of an endeavor; lightly. Place on lightly floured To raise the standards of biscuits; board and pat or roll to the thickness 2) To improve the diet by the use of 1-2 inch. Cut with biscuit cutter. of better baked biscuits; (3) To teach Place biscuits a short distance apart in an ungreased pan without greasing lying principles in making of biscuits; and bake in a hot oven 12 to 15 min-(4) To teach the saving of materials, utes or until thoroughly baked. Skill time, and energy; (5) To teach the in handling the mixture lightly and women to judge the quality of bis- quickly will result in fine biscuits, with a golden brown crust and with-This contest shall consist in the out flour on the surface. Baking powmaking, baking, and judging of both der biscuits that are ideal, have rough baking powder and sour milk biscuits, tops, because of small amount of by each contestant, using the improv- kneading that is necessary in order ed methods of manipulation and pro- to have a light fluffy product. If nec-

Recipe No. 2 Sour Milk Biscuits

(12 to 14 Biscuits) 2 cups sifted flour.

1-2 teaspoon salt.

1-4 teapsoon soda (scant).

2 teaspoons baking powder. 2 tablespoons shortening.

About 3-4 cup thick sour milk Sift together flour, salt, soda and

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tax within the time prescribed, on er | It appearing that Floyd county conbefore March 15, 1925. Copies of the tains a population of 9758, according forms may be obtained from offices of to the last United States census; and collectors of internal revenue and It furthers appears that said Combranch offices. The tax may be paid mon School Districts No. 8 and No 31 in full at the time of filing the return, have heretofore, to-wit, on the 7th or in four equal installments, due on day of May, 1917, been properly esor before March 15, June 15, Septem- tablished by orders of the County ber 15, and December 15.

#### WEEKLY NEWS SUMMARY

Following are the recipes used in West Texas Exposition, to be held at Now, therefore, I, E. C. Nelson, Jr., Correct measurements are neces- dent and his directors are planning hereby order that an election be held sary for good results. All measures to stage, this year, the greatest fair in each of said districts on the 28th are level. Heap all dry materials that has evere been at San Angelo. day of March, A. D. 1925, the election lightly into the measuring cut or spean This date was well timed and so set in said District No. without packing and level with the that all livestock at Dallas Fair and Sunset schoolhouse in said District, back of a knife or spatula. Divide Wichita Falls and intermediate places and the election in said District No. a spoon lengthwise to measure half could be here and the dates are so ar- 31 to be held at the Mountainview spoonful. Divide a half-spoonful ranged that the Goat and Sheep Rais- schoolhouse in said District, as said cross-way to measure a quarter spoon ers Association can hold their annual Districts were established by the re-

Mineral Wells-A new concrete and flour before measuring. To measure steel auditorium will soon be under of the legally qualified voters of each a cup of flour, do not dip cup into construction here according to Sidney of said Districts desire that said Disflour, but fill cup by large spoonfuls. Webb, chairman of the building com-Both recipes that follow call for mittee. It will be completed in time to be used by the 7th Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Midland-The question of a County fair is now up again for consideration and Midland is expected to come across with a real "up to the minute" county fair during the fall of 1925. there will be no failure when the time show. A fair for a town or county is an educational project in that it teaches the value of good seed, better poultry and bigger producers of milk and butter on the farms.

\$350,000 railroad bonus has been raised for the extension west to the New Mexico line. The matter is now up before the officials for action. Levelland will be the objective point on this new proposed railroad.

GROOM SELLS PAPERS CHAINED TO FIRE PLUG, BRIDE THERE

Tahoka, Texas, Feb. 28 .- "Extra! Extra!! Star-Telegram! Read the latest about all what is! Extra!"

It was B. H. O'Neal speaking or rather, shouting at the top of his voice. They laughed at him, and he grinned sheepishly back at them.

Some bought a paper and handed it back to him, with the command that he sell it again. And he did, yelling at the top of his lungs:

"Extra! Extra! Star-Telegram! Read the latest about all what is! Extra! Extra!!"

O'Neal isn't a regular newsboy. One could tell that by the way he cried his wares. He forgot to make proper change, dropped nickels and dimes on the side walk in his excitement, and swore under his breath at most of his customers. A first-class newsie never

other customer. But O'Neal didn't hustle after other customers. He couldn't. He just stood in one spot and yelled for all he plug. And he yelled "high, wild and told him to, and he knew them better

than to refuse to do their bidding. It was all because O'Neal saw fit to get married and not let his friends know about it. He is a lumber man and has lots of friends in th city. When they learned what he had done. Kangaroo court was convened. Sentence was quickly passed.

While O'Neal was selling papers the young women friends of the bride, nee Miss Nora Willoughly, took her in charge. She was conducted to the fire plug where her husband was loudly and diligently selling papers. After she had been permitted to see what it came to disposing of papers, she was requested to go through a second

After the fun-making was over the couple was lavishly entertained by their many friends. O'Neal "took in" several dollars

was permitted to keep to start house- VOU. keeping with.

Order for School Election In Common School Districts Nos. 8 and 31

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Floyd Whereas on the 18th day of Feb- Phone 114 ruary, A. D. 1925, a petition was pre-

fessional man, and farmer is required in Common School District No. 8 of to use Form 1040, regardless of this county, and whereas on said date form 1040A is used for reporting in- District No. 31, of this county, on the come of \$5,000 or less derived chiefly question of consolidating said districts Forms have been sent to persons tions bearing the requisite number of who last year filed returns of income. signatures of legally qualified voters Failure to receive a form, however, of the respective districts, and being

Board of School Trustees of said counminutes of said Board, Volume 1, page

It further appearing that said dis tricts are contiguous in their terri-

San Angelo, will be October 26th to in my official capacity as County 31st inclusive. W. E. Blanton, presi- Judge of Floyd County, Texas, do spective orders hereinabove referred to, to determine whether a majority tricts be consolidated for school pur-

the Commissioners' Court of this general election.

Lubbock-This city reports that the fied voters of this state and county tive districts aforesaid shall be enditdistrict of which they are residents, and all voters who favor the proposed consolidation of the aforesaid districts shall have written or printed

on their ballots the words: For Consolidation of School District, and those opposed to the proposed consolidation shall have printed or written on their ballots the words: Against Consolidation of School Dis-

The sheriff of this county shall give | notice of said elections by having this order published for four weeks prior to said elections in some newspaper of general circulation that has been continuously and regularly published for more than one year previous to

ty, Texas. Dated this 23rd day of February,

the date of this order, in Floyd Coun-

E. C. NELSON, Jr.

County Judge, Floyd County, Texas



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wedding ceremony, right then and It is time to begin thinking about that New Spring Suit of Clothes-Let us fit you seemesters the control of Clothes-Let us fit you seemesters out with a genuine Tailorthrough his paper sales. These he made Suit that will please

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Sonatina Op. 55, No. 2 (Third Move-

(Elmerweich) Leona Cope.

(Schytte)-Lucy Ewing.

Said." Nila Joe Preen.

(Lange)-Evon Griffith,

ence."-Ruth Stapleton.

mann) - Maenon Meriwether.

(Philip E. Bach)-Gene Dyer.

nent) (Kuhlau), and Spinning Song

Reading-"The Man Who Couldn't

Sonata in D Major (First Move-

ment) (Haydn), and Traumerie (Schu

Reading-"What the Little Girl

Sonatina Op. 55 No. 2 (Third Move-

ment) (Kuhlau), and Solfeggietto

Sonatina Op. 55 No. 2 (Third Move

Reading-"A Matrimonial Experi-

Sonatina Op. 55 No. 2, (Third Move-

No. 1 (Paderewski)-June Guthrie.

Rhapsodie March (duet) (Liszt).

Pie Supper at Aiken Friday Night

Last Saturday evening, February

A number of games were played and

Misses Opal Lee Shurbet, Lillian

and Irene Ritchey, Lillian Collier, Mae

Eva and Vera White, Nona Wells,

Jake Griffith and L. V. Shurbet, Mr.

Mrs. Ned Henderson and Mrs. H. O.

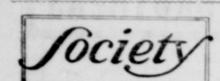
the prizes offered in the various clas-

Subject: Biscuit Making.

Demonstration by Miss Faulkner.

served to the following:

Lubbock this Week



The pupils of Miss Lauream Christian, piano, and Mrs. Charles Simpson, expression, gave a recital at the high school auditorium Tuesday night beginning at 7:30. The following is

the program that was rendered: Crossing the bridge (Iriml), and Aspeggio Waltz (Crawford) .-- Martha Meriwether.

Valse Vivi (Rowe) -- Mary Leda Mc-Adams.

Sonatina Op. 136 No. 1 (Reinecke) and The Guitar (Jessie L. Gaynor)-Anice Stewart.

In Hanging Gardens (duet) (Davis) -Ermine Ida ar Mary Gaynell

Reading - "Laddies." - Herman Thornton.

Little Indian March (Henlein)-

Roy Thornton. The Dancing Horses (Ewing)-

Rythmic Orchestra, Glenna Collins at Aiken school house Friday night, givthe piano.

Nocture (Gabriel)-Estell Byars, tion of that community. Rippling Waters (duet) (Anthony) Every is invited to attend. Rowing by Moonlight (duet) (Bilbro)-Estell Byars and Gene Dyer. Entertained Saturday Evening bro)-, and What the Band Played (duet) (Bilbro)-Rythmic Orchestra, 28th, Miss Lesta Shurbet entertained Virginia Miller and Anis King at the a number of her friends at her home.

Reading-"Raitsy and I Are Oudt" at a very late hour refreshments were -Bertha Ragle.

Simple Aneu (Thorne) -- Mavis Da-

Showers (Fink) - Delma and Ada Foster, Susie Fields, Eunice April Floyd. Sonata in C Major (Second Move- Elva Johnson, Willie Belyeu, Myrtle

ment) (Mozart), and Evening (Fran- Leonard, Katy Lou Mayes, Mildred eis Dillon)-Hazel Gruver. Melody-Caprice (Read) - Eunice Lubbock. Messrs. Calvin Harris.

Little Boy Blue March (Sngleman) ly, Edward Newman, Leo Cooper, -Rythmic Orchestra, Beth Thomas at Bonnie and Lee Griffis, Eston Harris,

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#### Lockney Home Demonstration Club

The Lockney Home Demonstration Club held quite an interesting meeting on last Thursday in the basement of the Methodist church. Quite a few ladies were present and showed much interest in the "Quick Bread" demonstration given by Miss Faulkner our Home Demonstration Agent.

She gave a very interesting demonstration of breads, explaining things that will be of much benefit to all housewives. At the close of the demonstration several ladies gave their asmes to enter the bread contest to be held sometime in April. It is not too late for you to enter yet, so come to the next meeting, give your name the secretary and help out your

Our next subject will be, "Study of 9:30 a. m .- Devotional .- Gorce Ap-Clothing and Textiles," also rules and regulations for the dress contest. This s a subject that should interest every women, so show your lovalty to your elub by being present and enrolling 10:15 a. m.-Woman's Part in Church judge; W. R. Rexrode, n the contests. The success of our club depends upon YOU. A few cannot maintain a live club if most of its members come just when the program presents something that you especially wish to learn, and never put any 1:00 p. m .- Board Meeting. thing worth while into the club yourself. Surely you can devote two afternoons in each month to the club work. It will be time well spent for we are going to have some especially good things during this year. Our first attractive feature will be next Thursday A. & M., will be here to address us. Sonata in C. Major (Second Move- We feel very fortunate indeed to have ment) (Mozart) and Slumber Song him meet with us. We extend a hear- 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School.

> your friends with you. Time: 2:30 o'clock, (be prompt). Pastor of Plainview Church Day: Thursday, March 12.

Place: Methodist Basement .- Re-

#### Aiken Home Demonstration Club

nent) (Kuhlau), and Faust Waltz amost instructive talk on "Bread and Bread-Making.

She also told us about the biscuit contest now on, and the rules and re-There will be a pie supper at the cipes we are to follow if we enter the contest. We hope to have several conen by the Parents-Teachers Associatestants in the Aiken club-no better cooks are found anywhere, so why not try for state honors.

All who decide to nter, be at the next meeting and receive full instructions from Miss Faulkner

Following is the program for Mar. 11th: 2:30 p. m.:

Hostess-Mrs. D. M. Marshall. Roll Call: A simple decorative

Order of Business. Leader-Mrs. M. C. Henry.

Subject: Study of Clothing textiles Rules and regulations for the 1925 dress contest.-Miss Faulkner.

Perry, Mamie and Leora Hargett from 1. How to know them .- Mrs. O. L.

Theodore Craft, Joe Foster, Joe Nee-2. How to buy them .- Mrs. John

3. How to care for them .- Mrs Robert Jones. and Mrs. Deskin Shurbet, Mr. and

Adjournment.-Reporter.

#### Meat Canning Demonstration Attending Musical Festival at

A few days ago our Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Mabel Faulkner, The following Lockney people are and several of the women of Aiken attending the music festival which is who were interested in canning met being held in Lubbock today, Friday at the home of Mrs. G. E. Rigsby, for a meat canning demonstration.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meriwether, and A calf had been killed two days be-Maenon and Martha Meriwether, Mr. fore, and Miss Faulkner brought two and Mrs. T. H. Stewart, Anice, Alice pressure Coopers and her Burpee sealand Holland Stewart, Mrs. Roy Grif- er, and Miss Dye, the Hale County fith and Evon Griffith, Mrs. E. Guthrie Demonstration Agent, also brought and June Guthrie, Mrs. E. E. Dyer her canner and sealer, and we proand Gene and Roy Dyer, Mrs. Carl ceeded to can meat.

McAdams, Carl and Mary Leda Mc- The No. 3 tin cans were used and Adams, Mrs. G. A. Thomas, Hazel the most delectable roasts and steaks Gruver, Roy Jarnigan, Eunice Cole- were canned from the hind quarter.

man, Miss Lareuam Christian, and The fore-quarters were made into possibly others. Misses Maenon and chili and soup stock. Altogether, Martha Meriwether, Evon Griffith, about sixty-one cans were put up and June Guthrie, Gene Dyer, Mary Leda under the efficient management of McAdams, Anice Stewart, Eunice Miss Faulkner and Miss Dye, it was Coleman, Hazel Gruver, Laurenm so easily done, that we feel like we Christian and Roy Jarnigan will com- must have at least one canner and pete in the contests of the festival for sealer in the community.- Reporter.

#### Services at Church of Christ

Sunday Morning and Night Lone Star Home Demonstration Club | Elder W. R. Smith of Plainview, The Lone Star Home Demonstra- will preach both morning and evening tion club will meet Tuesday, March at the Church of Christ, at the College 10th, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Wingo Auditorium next Sunday.

in an all day meeting. Each member His sub ect for the morning service. is requested to bring one article for will be "Christian Responsibility." and at the evening hour, "Positive

Divine Law." The public is invited to attend, and Besides the biscuit making there the membership is urged to be presare a number of other things Miss ent.

Faulkner will tell us about and if STH SUNDAY MEETING TO BE

Program for 5th Sunday Meeting civic affairs of the community in which of the Floyd County Association to he lives. be held with the Lone Star Baptist help us "make the Best Better."-Re- Church, beginning March 27th, at 10 COUNTY ELECTION OFFICIALS a. m., 1925.

10:00 a. m .- Devotional .- J. S. Bar-

10:15 a. m .- The Church as a Teaching Force and the Best Way to En-

list the Members in Attendance.-

W. B. Jordan, G. W. Tubbs. 11:00 a. m.-Sermon-Y. F. Walker. NOON

1:00 p. m.-Devotional.-J. W. Sims. 1:15 p. m .- The Church as a Mission Force.-J. M. Harder, H. M. Reed. 2:00 p m .- Can an Association Succeed Without a Missionary ?-Mitt, Bullard, J. C. Scott.

to Select a Missionary .- J. W. Saf-Followed by Round Table Discus-

8:30 p. m.-Sermon-W. R. Derr.

Saturday

plewhite. 0:48 a. m .- What Can We Do With Our Delinquent Members?-R. E. L. Muncy.

Work .- Mrs. L. V. Smith, Mrs. Cap Ellison.

11:00 a. m.

2:00 p. m .- The Security of the Be-

liever .- J. Pat Horton. 3:00 p. me-Should a Church Celebrate the Lord's Supper in the Absence of the Pastor or Other Ordained Preacher ?-Y. F. Walker, J. M. Harder.

when Mr. Daugherty, a specialist from 8:30 p. m.-Sermon.-Virgil Lem-

ty invitaition to all clubs in the coun- 11:00 a. m.-Sermon.-Cal McGahey. ty to visit with us on that day and 8:30 p. m.—Sermon.—T. Z. Reed. hear Mr. Daugherty. Come and bring

#### Floydada Preacher Called as

Rev. J. Pat Horton, pastor of the LORENZO MASONS WILL Baptist church at Floydada, has been called to the pastorate of the Plainview Baptist church. The call was issued by the congregation of the The Aiken Home Demonstration Plainview church, following a meet-

There were seventeen women present last Sunday, at which time he was to being a Masonic hall. ment) (Kuhlau) and Minuet Op. 14 to learn how to make better biscuits. give the church an answer. Rev. Hor- There are twelve residences under For sale by Stewart Drug Co. Lock Miss Faulkner was with us and gave ton is considered one of the strongest construction and a greater number nev. Texas

HELD AT LONE STAR MAR. 27 the state, and is quite a pulpit orator, are stuccos. and takes quite an active part in the

At the February term of Commis- for City Marshal: sioners Court of Floyd County the following election officials for the 17 voting precincts of the county were named for the next two years:

Floydada: S. E. Duncan, presiding judge; A. C. Goen, J. M. Wilson, R.

Starkey: J. W. Howard, presiding judge; Ed. Kelley, W. E. Smith, E. W.

2:45 p. m.—Qualifications of and How judge; Henry Graham. Sand Hill: Tom McLain, presiding judge; A. R. Hanna, Mason Riley, El-

mer Mickey. Lockney: W. M. McGhee, presiding judge; Carl McAdams, G. B. Harris,

E. E. Wells. Aiken: G. M. Tate, presiding judge;

J. E. McAvoy. Providnce: H. J. Ratjen, presiding judge; R. J. McLaughlin.

Lone Star: Bert Bobbitt, presiding Sunset: R. L. Orman, presiding

judge; H. B. Bradshaw. Fairmont: Z. Hawkins, presiding

judge; George Tibbetts. Cedar: J. G. Fortenberry, presid-

J. V. Gillev. Center: Carr Scott, presiding judge

Baker: D. Bumbalought, presiding judge; L. J. Davis, J. D. Hart, R. P. Antelope: Will Graham, presiding

judge; J. H. Lloyd. Lakeview: W. N. Jones, presiding judge; W. C. Wright, C. F. Battey, Clarke Bolding.

Harmony: G. L. Snedgrass, presiding judge; R. B. Gary Goodnight: J. W. Taylor, presiding

judge; J. I. Edwards.

BUILD TEMPLE

Club had a very interesting meeting ing on Wednesday night of last week. Lorenzo, and several more to be erectlast Wednesday at Mrs. Rigsby's. Rev. Horton preachd in Plainview ed within the next few months, one

Baptist preachers in this section of recently completed. Most of these

#### CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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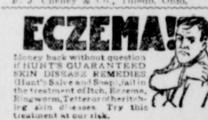
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### **Personal Mention**

here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. on buying. A. B. Blount and Mrs. F. E. Brown Miss Lou Emma Henry came down and other relatives,

on business Tuesday.

Lysle left Tuesday for Ft. Sumner, and other points in New Mexico, to

from Canyon last Friday and spent Ed Vaughn of Silverton was here the time until Monday visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Henry.

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elatives in Lubbock.

W. C. Watson was in Lubbock Tues-

A. G. Mitchell and wife left this On February 16th from 8:30 to

Mexico Wednesday visiting his nep- Mr. Copeland, formerly of Lock-Sparks and Walter Childers. He is this season.

route to points in Indiana.

Gid Waller visited his grandmother, As many of you know Mr. Cope-

Plainview, spent Sunday in Lockney, ful in selecting his teacher, visiting Mrs. Nichols' parents, Mr. After much consideration, he de

Messrs. A. B. Brown, George and Clippingee is one of the very best

cute indigestion last Thursday that

loyd spent Sunday in Canyon visit-

Mrs. A. B. Brown spent Wednesday and Thursday in Amarillo shopping.

TRYING TO REGAIN THEIR INHERITANCE

Farm Movement in Order to

Receive Benefits

Floyd (Fatty) Teaff and Bill Whor-Mrs. Veribel of Claude, Texas, is inspect some land they are figuring ton have decided that the place they should be is at home on the farm with dad and ma, and they are trying to leave the impression that it is a back to the farm movement, that their hearts have been melted and that they have come to realize that father and mother needs their manly figures to help them with the hardships of the farm life, and therefore they are gothe many heartaches and pains they from being the case with Fatty and Bill. The Teaffs and the Whortons five north of Lockney, and within a few miles of the greasy well, that has created some little stir above town, and the true facts are that Fatty and Bill have smelt a rat, and think that before the good luck happens, and should the greasy well prove to be a gusher, pa and ma might forget that they ever had such sons and cut them out of their wills, and they would lose a great inheritance, and in accordance with this line of thoughts they have decided that the time to act is now. and that it would be far better to get

> an get out of us" in their faces. We are afraid that if the oil well Hair Cut 30c oes not develop pretty soon, however, that these young men will tire of the slow farm life, and again return to the bright lights of the "center of the best farming section of the Plains."

the good will of the old folks at home save them from flinging the old story

of "youv'e come home to see what you

Artic Baker spent a few days We are awaiting develouments in his week visiting with friends and both the oil fields and the Teaff and Whorton homes.

#### Radio Program Heard

eek for a few days visit at Haskell, 9:30 p. m., there was broadcast from station WFAA, Dallas, a singing pro-Frank Barber and family are in gram given by the music pupils of dereford this week visiting friends Gunter College, under the direction of Mr. J. Frank Copeland, voice

hew, Lawrence Gruver, and Henry ney, is teaching at Gunter College

The program was enjoyed by many Mrs. O. T. Hewett, teacher of the of Mr. Copeland's friends in and Ramsey school, was carried to Plain- around Lockney. This program was riew Tuesday afternoon for an oper- the best the writer has ever heard over Radio. Many others have made the Ed Whitfield was here this week same statement. Several have said from Plainview, visiting and on busi- that it was the most distinct they have ever heard. They also stated Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Trussle and that they would have known Mr. Cope family of Wichita Falls, spent last land's voice anywhere by it being so week in Lockney, visiting the family clear and distinct. Of course, there is a reason for this.

Mrs. E. R. Waller, in Plainview last land has spent several season's in Chicago, studying voice culture. When Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols of he went there he was very, very, care-

cided on Mr. D. A. Clippingee. Mr

Tab Meriwether, Wm. McGhee, R. E. teachers in the land. It is always Patterson, Z. T. Riley and H. B. best to get the best teacher, although Adams were in Lubbock Tuesday af- the tuition is higher. Mr. Clippinger is left Wednesday morning for Fort tern folks (who are always broke) orth on business and to attend the Lowever, this is a very reasonable

Mrs. A. H. McGavock, Mrs. E. A. Some listeners mentioned the egan, and Miss Gldays Douglas of smoothness and steadiness of the

#### Bible Thoughts for the Week

Sunday.

UNDERSTANDING -

WORLD'S BEST NEWS-The an-For unto you is born this h is Christ the Lord .- Lake

#### Tuesday.

KEEP THE WORD-Whose keepeth the word, in him verily is the

rd of God is quick, and powerful. nd sharper than any two-edged word piercing even to the dividing inder of soul and spirit, and of the heart.-Heb. 4-12.

POWER OF THE WORD-For the

THE GOODNESS OF GOD-ON at men would praise the Lord for s goodness, and for his wonderfu

#### Friday.

VERY GOOD-And God saw every hing that He had made, and beh t was very good.—Gen. 1:31.

THE INFINITE PROTECTOR-II take the wings of the morning. and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; even there shall Thy hand

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gram, that the rythem was very reg- training more than ever since having ular throughout the songs sang. That the program broadcast, instruction and lots of practice makes same singers. So if you

where. So let's get together all who this paper later .- A Pupil.

was due to the hours of practice the Some time in April there will be singers did before program. A little another program broadcast by the of the better kind tune in on station

Now, surely there is as good ma- WFAA, Dallas, on the night of this terial in West Texas as there is any program. The date will be printed in

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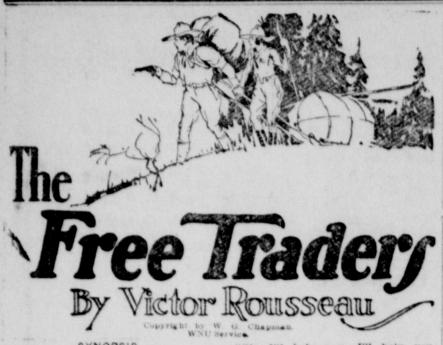
I OLKS TAKE THE HOME NEWSPAPER FOR GRANTED, JUST LIKE THEY DO THE RAILROAD

ID SELDOM STOP TO THINK WHAT OUR YOUN WOULD BE LIKE WITHOUT A NEWSPAPER

JY TOWNS THAT AINT GOT NEWSPAPERS WILL OFFER ALL KINDS OF SUPPORT TO GET



avan taht bawe on SHOULD BE JUST AS GENEROUS



Two more have gone to meet them

with a message. They're coming from

alone against the stream. Keep to

the left channel past the Island, then

run ashore, and you'll be safe in the

forest, wherever you are going.

Lee made no audible reply, but his

mind automatically registered Es-

girl again, raised her in his arms

so that her face rested against his

shoulder, and carried her out of the

As he turned at the entrance he

saw that Rathway had risen to his

lake that came into view,

ing to creep on by inches.

would be members of their party.

If once he could round the point of

shore, take to the woods, make for the

mission, where he meant to leave the

Lee felt his spirits rise. It was a

one of these they could live in the

forest till she was able to continue

that odd sense of tender companion-

ship in his heart for her, fed, perhaps,

he had dreaded had not come to pass.

He had feared that if ever again he

few more strokes, and he meant to

The pulling had grown to be an

enormous effort. Lee was again con-

scious of fatigue. He felt drowsy in

the increasing warmth of the sun. He

could have fallen asteep in a moment.

activity. From far away he had

caught the urgent warning of immi-

nent danger, the faint put-putting of

CHAPTER VI

Trapped on the Island

the oars again, redoubling his efforts

And of a sudden his attention was

attracted by something creeping

along the opposite shore. It was a

to gain the shore before the motor

boat rounded the point.

And instantly he began straining at

But suddenly his senses leaped into

pid toward the lake's shore.

girl for safe-keeping.

had happened.

Hurry, hurry!"

knees again.

CHAPTER 1.—Lee Anderson, Royal Canadian Mounted Police sergeant, is sent to Stony range to arrest a man named Pelly for murder. He is also instructed to look after Jim Rathway, reputed head of the "Free Traders, likelt liquor runners. At Little Palls he finds Pelly is credited with having found a gold mine, and is missing.

"Oh, I'll help you, I'll

CHAPTER II .- At the hotel where Anderson stops, a girl, obviously out of place in the rough surroundings, appears. A halfbread whom Anderson hears called Pierre, and a companion, "Shorty," annoy the girl. Anderson interferes, earning the enmity of the two alone against the stream. Keep to

CHAPTER III.—The girl sets out for Sisten Lake, which is also Anderson subjective. He overtakes her and the two men with whom he had trouble the night before.

CHAPTER IV .- Plerre and "Shorty rise on, Anderson and the girl follow-ing. In the hills the road is blown up, before and behind the two. Anderson, with his horse, is hurled down the mountain side, senseless. telle's instructions. He bent over the

CHAPTER V.—Recovering conscious-sees, Anderson finds the girl has dis-expected, but the fluding of her hair, evidently hurriedly cut from her head where it had been caught by her fall-ing horse, assers him she is alive and probably in the power of Pierre and "Shorty." On foot he makes his way to Siston Lake. There he finds his companion of the day hefore, and companion of the day before, and Rathway, with a girl, Estelle, a former sweetheart of Anderson's, who had abused his confidence and practically wrecked his life. Rathway strikes Es-telle, and after a fight Anderson, with Estelle a belp, escapes with the girl.

and began chafing his hands. She looked at Lee in bitter bate.

"Haven't you done me wrong enough ta the past, that you should come here to kill my man?" she cried. "Do you think you can arrest him? You couldn't get a mile from here before you would be captured."

But Lee, without paying any attention to her, hurried to the bedside, and looked down at the captured girl. She lay there, an unconscious, huddled heap, one knee bent under her. Her face was deathly white, and there was a scalp wound at the back of her head which had been bleeding freely. She breathed faintly. Her heir was cut short and jagged about her head, making her look more than ever like a boy.\*

Estelle laid Rathway gently down and came toward Lee with sudden comprehension. "It's for her?" she whispered earnestly, laying her band upon his arm. "You came here to rescue her?"

She read the answer in his eves.



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mall canoe and a single man in it-Rathway!

It was impossible not to admire the sourage that inspired the man after the drubbing he had received. Rath way was, of course, on his way to warn the expected party.

Lee drove hard for the left middle channel of the lake. The main body of Siston lake came into view, a vast expanse of shining water, the shores receding into the hazy distance. out of which a small, black object be gan to be visible, like a bug skimming the surface.

Now the canoe containing Rathway was almost abreast of him.

A few more furious pulls-ten, ftteen; now cance and motor boat and promontory were all hidden behind the point of the island. Lee labored at the oars, turning the York boat's head toward the bank. Once there, they would be safe. But his strength was failing him. Curse the clumsy boat. which hardly seemed to move!

The putting of the motor engine had grown infernally loud. It added a horror of its own to that sense of pursuit which makes the bravest man something of a coward, the added horror of the fugitive who hears the distant bay of bloodhounds.

Then suddenly the motor stopped. That meant that the cance had come abreast of it. Rathway was passing the intelligence. And the shore was still a hundred yards distant.

There was no chance of reaching it unobserved. It would be neck and neck for it, and it was doubtful whether Lee could have escaped alone, much less with the girl and the pack to carry. He swung the boat's blunt nose toward the nearest patch of reeds. Twenty yards! He put all his strength into that last effort. Now the reeds were closing about him. In front of him a little open channel appeared. Using one shortened oar as a paddle, he drove vigorously, and found himself in temporary safety. A thick wall of reeds extended between bimself and open water, rendering the

Blood was dripping from the wound York boat invisible. in his scalp, and he was staring about Then the motor began to roar. The him in the eager effort to remember. | shouts of its occupants became audible. Lee crossed the open space at a | The motor boat had rounded the point. run, scrambled down the descent. Lee had escaped discovery by the placed the girl in the bottom of the skin of his teeth.

boot, and, seizing a pair of oars, he And very cautiously, so as not to gan to pull furiously for midstream, betray his whereabouts by any un-The current caught him and sent him | due agitation of the reeds, Lee pushed whirling along toward the long, flat, the boot toward the island. His plan wooded island in the middle of the must now be to drive ashore, trusting to escape detection until nightfall and In a minute or two, however, the to make the wooded shore of the lake flow of the river, diffused over the in the darkness.

whole of the lake, ceased to afford him Through the reeds the marshy foreany appreciable assistance. The heavy shore began to be visible, and a sandy York boat responded only slightly to spit projecting to the water's edge. the pull of the single oarsman, seem. Above it was a hummock overgrown with birch and red spruce, with a Suddenly Rathway appeared upon tangle of sheep laurel and birch and the promontory, Estelle beside him, poplar behind it.

clinging to him. He pushed her from Lee worked his heavy boat noise him, shaking his fist at Lee, and his lessly toward this spit. But suddenly hearse, furious beliews came across he stopped. The motor boat was comthe water like the rearing of an en- ing up the open channel hardly a raged beast of the forest. For a few stone's throw distant. He could bear moments he stood thus outlined Rathway in it, bellowing commands to against the rising sun; then he dis his companions. He could hear the reeds rustling against the boat's side Lee struggled at the ears. From as she forced her passage through time to time he strained his ears to them.

eatch the sounds of the oncoming "They're not in here!" he heard motor boat. Although the new arrivals Rathway say with an oath, "Get into would know nothing of his activities the channel and best up the island!" at the promontory, he was pretty Lee, crouching in the stern of the

sure that any solitary oarsman ap- York boat with his pistol is his hand. pearing in that region would be breathed a sigh of relief as the motor stopped by them; then he would be at boat withdrew. The roar of her entheir mercy, for Pierre and Shorty gine began to grow fainter. In a few minutes it had died away.

Lee forced the York boat ashore the Island, where he would be out upon the spit of sand, and stooping,



Lee Forced the York Boat Ashore Upon the Spit of Sand, and Stoop ing, Raised the Girl in His Arms and Carried Her Into the Shelter of Spruce Thicket, Where He Laid Har Gently Down.

raised the girl in his arms and carried her into the shelter of the spruce thicket, where he laid her gently down. For the first time since her injury, he had the opportunity of examining her. Her prolonged unconsciousness

slarmed him. But she was beginning to revive at last, and, after assuring himself that the pulse beat fairly strong, he proceeded to make as thorough an examination as possible of her injuries.

He turned his examination first to the cut in her head. He tore strips from his shirt, went down to the water and cleansed them thoroughly; then, returning, he proceeded to wash and bandage it. It was a bad gash from a

rock, and she had bled a good deal, which was a good thing, relieving the concussion which had no doubt been the cause of the prolonged insensibility. Having ascertained that she seemed to have received no bodily injuries beyond contusions. Lee examined her limbs. He saw that one knee bung awry. In a moment he had the toint had been dislocated.

Short of the setting of a broken into position, and Lee prayed fervently that the girl's unconsciousness would last until he had put to her service the knowledge which he had acquired with the Canadian army medical corps upon the western front.

It was unnerving, holding that white knee between his hands, so instinct with life, so fragile, delicate, so wonderful when viewed as a piece of mechanism which he was to manipulate like some clumsy journeyman, called in to repair the work of a master.

Fortunately Lee had assisted at precisely that same operation several times in the field; and, trying to disregard the moans of pain that came from the girl's lips as he proceeded, he fumbled with the displaced bone.

But that struggle was terrible, for the body of itself knows no dignity. Conscious, Lee knew that the girl would neither have flinched nor moaned; but unconscious she could not control the protests of the body, which had to be restrained by something almost brutal in its frank violence.

But Lee struggled on, feeling the shaft head of the bone scour the edges of the socket under the cap. A final struggle, the weight of his whole body and shoulders thrown to his taskand suddenly it was accomplished.

The joint slipped into position, the tortured body ceased its protest, and Lee rose, the perspiration streaming down his face. Trembling in the nervous reaction

from the struggle. Lee listened to the increasing noise of the motor boat again. It rose to a roar as it passed again

along the channel immediately in front of his biding place, and gradually windled away.

Leaving the girl where she had fallen back into unconsciousness. Lee ascended one of the spruce trees and scanned the channel. The motor boat most impossible to quiet her. was moving up the shore of the Island along the edge of the reeds. It contained Rathway and two other men.

he direction of the promontory, ness. This contained three men also.

Six on the trail; and Lee guessed that they would leave no nook unsearched in their determination to loente himself and the girl.

The island appeared to be about a mile in length by a third wide. Lee. seeing that discovery was only a matby nightfall, he could return with the breathing was soft and regular. girl and try to escape to the mainland. If it were discovered, their situation would be no worse.

He strapped one of the packs about his back, picked up the girl, and, thus encumbered, proceeded through the thick brush, making for the opposite shore, where he put the girl down in a small declivity where the growth was thickest. Removing the tip pannikin from the outside of the pack, he obtained water and poured some down the girl's throat. He noted that the swallowing reflex was present. . favorable sign in unconsciousness, as he had learned at the front.

Toward the middle of the afternoon the sun, which had shone brilliantly throughout the morning, went permanently behind the clouds. Another snowstorm was beating up. A few oft flakes began to fall.

Suddenly a distant hubbub broke out and continued. There was no mistaking what was meant. The York board had been discovered.

The Free Traders began to beat across the island, calling to one another. Their voices gradually sounded nearer. Crouching beside the girl in the thick of the brush, Lee walted. At a distance he saw two of them pass through the trees and disappear. The shouting died away.

As soon as they had passed him, leaving the girl where she lay, Lee slipped softly through the undergrowth, making his way back to the sandy spit. His expectations were confirmed. The York boat had dis-Reascending the spruce tree, he saw

he two York boats moored to the motor boat in mid-channel, a man with a rifle seated in it on guard. They were trapped on the island.

Lee made his way back, and waited while the afternoon wore away. The snow fell thicker. He took off his mackinaw and placed it over the girl. She was no longer in a coma, but semi-conscious, and unaware of her surroundings. She muttered and tossed; sometimes it was all Lee could do to quiet her. And the disjointed fragments of speech that fell from her lips indicated the same mental anguish that she had revealed to him during their ride through the range.

He shuddered to think of her mental agony if she had awakened to find herself a prisoner in Rathway's power at the promontory,

And even in the darkness of their desperate situation, he drew new hope from his resolution. And gradually his plans formed in his mind.

Then night began to fall, and Lee breathed a vast sigh of relief. Unless his plans miscarried, they should be safe upon the mainland well before midnight.

These depended, of course, upon his being able to capture one of the boats.

The best plan for the Free Traders would have been to have withdrawn that Lee could not swim with the girl across that stretch of ice-cold water. Lee felt sure that, in their eagerness, feeling secure in their numbers, they would encamp upon the shore, either beaching the boats or leaving them gaiter off, and discovered that the anchored under the single guard in the middle channel.

About half an hour after dark he bone, there are few operations more set out on his investigations. He painful than the restoration of a joint moved through the brush as softly as any Indian, and, booted though he was, hardly a twig crackled under his feet.

Making his way toward the central portion, where the trees were sparser and the ground undulating, he soon discovered what he was looking for, the distant glow of a camp fire.

Four men were seated around the fire, drinking and conversing loudly. It was impossible to make out their faces in the darkness, but Lee waited patiently until the light of the fire fell upon each, and ascertained that none of them was bearded.

Rathway, then, was either in charge of the motor boat, with the sixth man, or had been forced to return to his headquarters, owing to his condition.

Lee circled the camp, and discovered, to his joy, the York boat, beached on the shore about twentyfive yards distant. The men had not troubled to draw it up on birch rollers, where it would have been a matter of time and labor to float it again; it lay with its keel in the mud, careening to the lap of the little waves.

Lee cogitated. If the men got drunk that night, it might be possible to make off with the boat without arousing them. On the other hand the probabilities were that through fear of Rathway they would stay sober enough to guard it effectively. And the delay was telling upon his nerves. He decided that at all cost it was necessary to make the attempt as

quickly as possible. He made his way back to the girl, strapped the pack on his back, and. taking her in his arms, began to approach the encampment by a circultous route through the trees.

In the darkness, staggering over the uneven ground, and loaded as he was, the task was an all but impossible one. But, added to this, the girl awakened and began talking disjointedly, sometimes crying out in fear. It was al-

She clung to him, monning. For a whole hour he tried to assunge her terrors, until at last she dropped Another York boat was coming from asleep again from weakness and weari-

Once more Lee took up his task. Now the campfire came into view. The four men were still visible about it. shouting and quarreling; they were drunk, but not drunk enough to ren-

der escape without a fight possible. Creeping, almost inch by inch, to the extension of raspberry brambles. Lee ter of time, decided that it would be followed it down to the water's edge better to abandon the boat and take and laid the girl down. He looked at get the pack, but, snatching it from refuge somewhere in the underbrush. her apprehensively for a moment, but the boat, leaped ashore, and, running her eyes were closed in sleep and her

He was within five and twenty yards of them before they perceived him, and then they seemed to take him for one of their party. Lee's impressions were of confused shouting and challenging His coolness disconcerted and bewildered them; he was almost upon them before Pierre recognized him.

"By gar, it's dat d-n fourdusher " he shouted

And on the instant Lee was into the thick of them. A tall ruffian grasped a rifle and rushed at him. Lee fired. The man, shot through the hand. dropped the rife, and, uttering a howl of pain, took to his heels in the undergrowth.

A second man was alming at him. Lee brought the butt of his pistol down upon his head, and the man, collapsing in a mumbling heap, lay face upward upon the ground. Shorty was pulling desperately at a gun. Lee swung at him, missed his skull, but knocked him sidewise with a blow that laid his cheek open to the bone. Shorty dropped and lay still.

Pierre, who had made no movement stupidly.

"Hands up, d-n you!" Lee shouted. Plerre's arms went up to their full height. Lee frisked him, took his gun, took Shorty's and the third man's, glancing wound of that kind was not and tossed them into the undergrowth likely to be a serious one. On the as far as he could fling them. He other hand, the agony was growing stooped and picked up the rifle that the first man had dropped. And, within a few seconds of the opening melee. Lee found himself, by virtue

of the surprise, master of the situation. But there was no time to be lost, for the tall ruffian who had fled was howling somewhere along the shore. and all depended upon the nearness of throughout his body, and this was be the motor boat. Lee, covering Pierre. backed quietly to the place where he will. He was no longer conscious of had laid the girl. He picked her up and ran toward the boat with her.

Instantly Pierre's figure was blotted out in the darkness.

Lee had set down the rifle when he picked up the girl; he placed her in the bottom of the boat, ran back and him drop in his tracks. found it and threw it inside, together with the pack from his shoulders. He raised the heavy anchor. He threw all his weight against the boat, which receded in a trail of viscous mud until it was affout. Lee leaped in, seized ing. All the while the wounded man was howling along the shore.

Lee pushed desperately with the

oars till he was in deeper water. He pulled furiously for mid-channel, he did so there came a sound that for Estelle had had many good qualities. one instant almost unnerved him, what of heart; she was reckless and paswith the psychological effect of that all-day listening to it—the chugging mean about her. She was the daugh-

of the engine. Then, as he reached open water, he saw by the light of the them to the promontory, knowing pallid moon that issued for a moment through the storm-clouds, the black speck of the motor boat trailing the

second York boat dimly. But suddenly the rattiling of the engine died in a splutter. The motor boat was about a hundred yards distant. The next instant the bang of a rifle confirmed Lee's hopes. The engine had either run out of gasoline or

had become out of order. Instantly Lee was pulling as he had never pulled before. Again the rifle sounded. Twice more. Now the motor boat was almost invisible in the

darkness. Then, simultaneously with another discharge, something struck Lee a violent blow in the side that knocked him

on his back. He was up in a moment, and putting with all his might, though he knew be



Lee Had Set Down the Rifle When He Picked Up the Girl. He Placed Her in the Boat, Ran Back and Found It and Threw It Inside, Together With the Pack From His Shoulders.

was wounded. But at all cost he must reach that nearing, welcome shore. He felt the wet blood trickling down him. His breath was coming in short gasps.

He bent to the oars with all his resoution set upon the completion of that lourney. At last the shore seemed to reach out to him, the forests parted. the distant shouts died away. He ran he boat aground.

Lee's brain seemed preternaturally acute. In that moment he did not forsome fifty yards, placed it carefully in the brush at the base of a tall pine. Then coolly Lee stepped out into the He ran back, picked up the girl, and, open space and made his way toward carrying her in his arms, began to make his way into the thick of the forest.

And all the while he ran, he was weighing everything. The Free Traders would not know that he was wounded, they would certainly abandon the pursuit as bopeless; he must carry the girl a mile into the forest, where the light of their fire would not betray them, returning for the pack in the morning. He suffered no pain, and seemed momentarily endowed with some extraordinary vitality, but there was a numbness in his side which seemed to be spreading upward.

He had no idea how serious the wound was; everything that was himself was set upon the completion of the last phase of his task, so that, if be died, the girl should at least come back to consciousness in the forest and not in Rathway's hands.

He struggled on, felt himself weakening, felt himself choking, and set down the girl in order to draw breath. But as he raised her again, he felt a sudden stab of agonizing pain, and something grated beneath his heart. He realized then that the rifle bullet of aggression, was staring at Lee had split one of his ribs, probably glancing off again, and that the bone had given way under the strain of the girl's weight.

In a way this reassured him, for a unendurable. Every step was now torture. Three or four times, when it seemed impossible to proceed, Lee was forced to set the girl down and, leaning against a tree, to gasp for breath.

Eternities seemed to be passing. All his left side was now a flaming hell of pain, which radiated from the wound coming an automaton, driven by the muscular control over it. A hundred times he felt that the next step must be his last. And yet some monitor in the back of his consciousness kept insisting that he must complete the mile he had set himself, and would not let

And as he staggered on, he was surprised to hear himself talking to himself, and he listened with mild interest, as if he were overhearing the remarks of a third person.

He heard himself solemnly addressthe cars, fired another shot in warn- ing Estelle, thanking her for having relieved him of the last vestige of the love that he had once felt toward her.

He had thought he loved her once, and that love, aithough unworthily bestowed, had not been wholly folly. sionate, but there was nothing perty or

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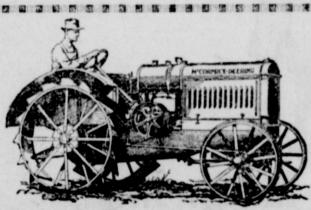
# A. J. White & Co.

Mrs. J. L. Guest and daughter, Miss Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams and Free Traders-Continued from Page 6 Leota, of Plainview, spent Sunday in Milton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. ter of a well-to-do lumberman, and she QUICK action will surprise you. Be-Lockney, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Mcllroy and family, near Hale had been well educated; but there was Frank Ford, and Miss Dorothy. Center Sunday

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HOPKINS RE-ELECTED SEC-RETARY AT FLOYDADA

Floydada, March 3 .- Maury Hopins, who has just completed his third ar as secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, was re-elected o that position for the fourth ye r the first meeting of the new board directors of the organization Mon-

The new directorate of the organiation recently elected are T. R. Webb, president; R. E. Fry, vice president; Lon M. Davis, O. P. Rutledge, J. V. Daniel, J. R. Yearwood and C. R.

The work contemplated by the loydada chamber through the coming year will follow the same lines as in the past giving especial interest to securing publicity concerning Floydada and Floyd county's agricultural possibilities and resources through the medium of newspaper publicity, exhibit program, and other methods; the building of a closer co-operation and understanding between the business interests of Floydada and the people of the surrounding trade territory; and improvements of the generd civic conditions of the city of Floyd

tors was to adopt the policy of disouraging transcient solicitors who have various and sundry advertising over the country to the various busi-

otal of nearly three hundred active nemoers with a budget that compares avorably to that found in many towns

### Banker's Wife Advises Lockney People

"I had stomach trouble so bad evconstipation-it often works in one stage, and had earned some reputa-

some taint in her blood, some atavistic

For a long time Lee had known

whom he had never met. Kean was

laughing stock of the little community. When, burning with anger, he went

to confront Estelle, it was to find that

she had been warned of his discovery,

and had fled from the place-to Kean.

Lee never made any inquiries. As soon as possible he secured a trans

fer to another post; then he was sen-

to France, and his life had no room

ever, while in the tremehes, he had

had a letter from Mrs. Kean, enclosing a copy of a marriage certificate.

She was thinking of a divorce, and

wanted to know whether he could give

her any information about the couple.

But the letter had shaken him a

good deal, as had the meeting with

Estelle that day as well. What an

It was a queer personality that

talked, the fragments of the man whom

he had once been, and Lee discovered

that this lost portion of his personality

was recalling to mind all sorts of

queer things, quite trivial and unim-

portant episodes of that unhappy en

And so one part of him held colloquy

with the shade of the woman who was

now nothing to him, while the other

held the unconscious girl, and drove

And to his horror, in that dim light

the girl he clasped seemed to take on the aspect of Estelle, and he found it

and pulled himself together. This was

not Estelle, it was his comrade of the range whom he was carrying. The

phantom disappeared into the past, and

once more Lee was aware of that odd

sense of tender companionship. He

rested her head more gently against

At last, when he was satisfied that

he had gone the mile he had set him-

self, he laid the girl down gently on

the ground, and, breaking off some

spruce branches, he made a bed for

her and wrapped her in his mackinaw

And with that it was all he could

do to hold himself together while he

examined his own wound as best be

He saw that It was a mere flesh

wound. The hone had taken the force

of the bullet, which had glanced off

and one broken end was working into

He tore seme strips from his shirt.

and having brought the ends into po-

sition, bound the a tightly. And then

he dropped to the ground at the girl's

feet and inpard immediately into a

To be continued next week

chirlous slumber.

was to her that he was talking. But then he heard her moan slightly

the lagging body onward.

his shoulder

e knew nothing of either.

tion as a clever mimic.

the gossips said.

for feminine interests.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

nothing of the stories that were being The following marriage licenses has circulated by all the gossips of the been issued by the county clerk since town, nor that her name was associated with that of a man named Kean.

Buren Cates and Miss Lucy Goins, one of a gang selling liquor to the J. W. York and Mrs. M. J. Merchant Indians, and he had a wife in Chicago.

Lee learned, about a month before March 3rd. date set for their marriage, that | Roy Bacco he was the commiscration and the

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buckets.—See C. G. McCleskey.

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> 22-tf-c IF IT IS WINDMILL WORK you want done or pipe fitting, see me at A. J. White & Co .-- W. H. Sparks. 22-5

FOR ALL KINDS OF SEWING- FOR SALE-Red seed oats, 65c per 24-tf-c Lockney.

#### Notice to Ice Customers

We will change our ice books this year and put out new books. All customers holding ice books from last year, please turn in your books to the light office at N. E. Waller's Garage and receive pay in full for them. All books not turned in by March 10th become null and void .- C. R. Wilkin-

FOR SALE-Two incubators, two brooders, 2 small brooder houses and one galvanized oat sprouter with glass front-See Ira Broyles, at Floyd County Lumber Co . 23-tf-c

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A FISH STORY-BUT

NOT ONE OF ANDY GUMP'S

E. G. Langford of Lockney has reeived a letter from his brother-in-law C. W. Bailey, who is spending the winter months at Point Isabel, Texas. Mr. Bailey states in his letter that he had caught a man eating Shark on the 16th of February, that measured 9 feet and 8 inches in length and weighed 618 pounds. Mr. Bailey says it was the largest fish he ever saw, and he is having this big fish mount ed. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey will leave Point Isabel about March 10th for their home in Duncan, Okla., and they will come by Lockney and spend a week or two with kinfolk, and old friends. Mr. Bailey is going to bring his man eating shark back with him and show the people of Lockney and Duncan, Okla., how large fish grow down at Point Isabel.

P. A. Jones of Silverton was here on business Tuesday.

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