

# Lockney Beacon

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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## POULTRY SHOW NEXT WEEK

CATALOGUES HAVE BEEN SENT OUT GIVING RULES, REGULATIONS AND PREMIUM

The annual show of the Floyd county Poultry Association will be held in the McCollum building in Lockney Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, December 16, 17, and 18th.

The catalogue giving the rules, regulations and premium list for the show has been printed by the Lockney Beacon, and is now being placed in the hands of the poultry raisers of the county, and to the people who are sending birds from other states.

The Floyd County Poultry Show is one of the biggest and best in the State, and each year it is demanding more attention from the poultry raisers of the country. Floyd county is one of the best poultry raising counties in the state, and each year the amount of poultry is getting larger. There are more pure bred flocks of nearly every kind of chickens and turkeys in the county, and the competition at the poultry show is very keen each year.

Every one who has birds of show class should get them ready and enter them into the show at once. Entries can be made by letting Ed Bishop, secretary, Floydada, Texas know of your desires, stating how many birds you have to enter, the breed, and he will arrange for special coops. Enter your birds to be shown in Lockney next week, and if you have no birds to enter, come to the show and look the birds over during these three days.

## SHOAF REJOICES OVER LOCKNEY SECURING DENVER

Former Secretary Praises Citizens For Fight They Made To Secure Denver Road

The following letter has been received by the Editor of the Beacon from E. S. Shoaf, secretary of the Wellington Chamber of Commerce, leaving here last May to accept the position at Wellington. The letter follows:

December 2, 1926

H. B. Adams, Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Lockney, Texas.

Dear Mr. Adams: Please permit me at this late date to congratulate you and the citizens of Lockney upon the securing of the Fort Worth & Denver South Plains railroad. I personally know how you and the entire committee have so unselfishly given your time and money in an effort to secure this railroad. Of course, there are very few who will not be benefited either directly or indirectly by the building of this great line, although many did not give either time or money.

To my mind there is no question about the future development of West Texas, and I believe that within five years that the Panhandle of Texas will more than double in population, and I am sure that Lockney will secure its share of the ever increasing population.

Again I wish to congratulate the entire citizenship.

With best personal wishes I am, Yours very truly, E. S. Shoaf, Sec.-Mgr. Wellington Chamber of Commerce

## BOX SUPPER AT AIKEN NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be a Box Supper at Aiken next Friday night, the proceeds of which will go to the school. Every one is cordially invited to attend and enjoy the occasion.

## BOX SUPPER AT ROSELAND NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be a box supper at the Roseland school house, next Friday (tomorrow night) December 10. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

## Singing at Prairie Chapel Sunday Afternoon

There will be a singing at Prairie Chapel next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. The new song books will be here at that time and the singers will use them. Everybody is invited to come and take part in the singing.

## ROAD BOND ELECTION CALLED FOR DECEMBER 31

\$500,000 Issue to Pave Lee Highway Through Floyd County is Petitioned For

The proposal to issue \$500,000 in bonds for the paving of the Lee Highway, through Floyd county, will be passed on by the voters of Floyd county on December 31. The formal order was issued by the Commissioner's Court Tuesday.

### Petition is Granted

The petition, bearing the signatures of eighty-one persons, was filed with the court at the opening of their session Tuesday morning. The names of several heavy tax payers appear on the list, and the signatures to the petition are divided about evenly between residents of the sections around Lockney and Floydada.

The proposal has been discussed widely by representatives of the 9 counties on the Lee Highway extending from Red River in Wilbarger county on the east to Farmer county on the New Mexico state line on the west, and the determination to put the proposition up to the voters in all the nine counties simultaneously was arrived at. In Floyd County members of the Lee Highway Association, who had taken a lead in studying the plan, have expressed strong convictions that the road should be made of the very best construction possible. They have adopted a resolution "Build a road that will outlast the bonds," and will carry on an active campaign in favor of the issue with this thought in mind.

### Part of Big Plan

The Floyd County section of the highway, if the bond issue to be voted on, is successful, will be a part of the biggest plan conceived in the southwest in the matter of highway construction. The total length of the route will be 270 miles through the state. The bigness a feasibility of the thing is declared by leaders of the association in this county to make Floyd County people can lend themselves to in this decade. It involves concerted action on the part of all counties. The Hesperian was unable to learn how many of the counties had called elections at a late hour last night. Hale county is known to have called an election the same day of that of the Floyd County election. In that county an east and west and north and south route will be paved if the issue carries. \$1,000,000 in bonds will be voted on in that county for the bisecting lines of highway.

W. P. Dumas, leading bond attorney in this county, prepared the papers that are being used in the election in this county. The election is based on the law passed by the 39th Legislature on October 19, which changes some of the routine details in connection with the preparation of the petition and order for election.

All members of the commissioners' court were present at the session which ordered the election and all voted for the order to be issued, calling for the election. The exact details as to places for holding the elections in this county, presiding officers and assistant judges, are given in the formal order of the court for the election, which is to be posted this week, and also appears in this issue of the Hesperian.

### Early Issuance Not Probable

In a road construction program which involves aid from Federal and state highway funds, officials of the Lee Highway Association have called attention to the fact that considerable time, sometimes as much as a year, elapses between the date of a successful bond vote and the actual sale of the bonds the tax levy and construction of the highway. On such a large project it is possible that even two years may elapse before it is possible to reach the work, because State and Federal projects on which the state and national funds are already pledged takes precedence. This afforded one of the reasons for the anxiety to get an early vote in this county, it is declared. When a new highway commission goes into office at Austin in January, it is thought to be one of the possibilities that the supporters of the Lee Highway project will be able to get a hearing and action on any projects the voters in their respective counties may favor, as is given some projects now already under way, but which have not yet been allocated funds.

An active campaign will be started soon, according to the plans of the proponents of the highway bond

## GOOD RAINS OVER WESTERN TEXAS

MORE THAN INCH OF RAIN FELL OVER LOCKNEY COUNTRY PAST WEEK

A general rain fell over West Texas as the last of the week and the first of this week, reports showing that from one to three inches covered the entire Western part of the state. The weather has been cold the last three days, and Wednesday, and until noon Thursday, a slow drizzle and foggy weather has prevailed.

In this section of the country the rain has been very beneficial to the wheat crop, as wheat planted late was said to be needing rain very badly. The rain has made the roads very muddy and travel has been very bad. For the amount of water that fell it is believed that the ground is wet deeper down than ever before.

The thermometer registered below freezing all day Wednesday, and the weather was very disagreeable. The moisture put out by these rains will take care of the wheat crop until in January or February, and pretty weather is hoped for through the holiday season.

## LAST FORECAST OF YEAR SHOWS 219,000 BOOST

18,618,000 Bales to Make Up Crop Crop, Is Latest Guess, Said

Washington, Dec. 8.—A further increase of 219,000 bales in this year's cotton crop as a result of favorable condition during the last two weeks in November was shown in the primary report of the department of agriculture today which placed total production at 18,618,000 bales, or 9,309,000,000 pounds not including linters. Exact information as to the size of the crop which will be available for the market must await the returns of ginner, the final report of which will not be available until next March. Ginnings to December 1 totalled 14,644,966 running bales, the census bureau announced.

## QUARTET WILL SING AT FLOYDADA AND ROSELAND

The V. O. Stamps Quartet will sing at Floydada Sunday afternoon, Dec. 12, and at the Roseland school Sunday night, December 12, and will hold a concert in Floydada, Monday night December 13, and a concert at Roseland Tuesday night, December 14. Everyone is invited to attend these programs.

## MEMPHIS, TENN., BANKER SHOOTS SELF

Memphis Man Admits Shortage of \$300,000 and Puts Bullet Through His Own Heart

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 7.—Memphis financial circles were stirred today by the third sensational failure within five weeks when business of the American Savings Bank and Trust Company was placed in the hands of state bank examiner after an employee admitted shortages of \$300,000 and then killed himself.

Clarence Henochsberg, assistant cashier and teller, fired a bullet into his heart after telephoning Abe Plough, Memphis capitalist, of the shortage and saying he would kill himself unless help could be obtained to save himself and the bank.

## POLLARD CONFERS WITH HIS NEW ASSISTANTS

Austin, Dec. 10.—Attorney General-elect Claude Pollard of Houston, here to address the University of Texas law students at their annual banquet tonight, held a conference with five of his assistants recently named. He said that all of his ten assistants are making arrangements to come to Austin Jan. 1.

Those in conference Monday were Miss Ethel Hilton, Galveston; H. G. Chandler, McKinney; Joes S. Brown, Marshall; Allen Clark, Greenville, and Galloway Calhoun of Tyler.

Misses Loraine Still and Allen Davis spent the week end visiting with friends in Canyon.

Issue, to put before the taxpayers of the county all the facts possible within the limit of time before the voting day.—Hesperian

## SEND IN SANTA CLAUS LETTERS AT ONCE

CHILDREN'S LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS WILL BE FEATURE OF NEXT EDITION

Next Thursday, Dec. 16th, the issue of the Lockney Beacon will carry the letters of the children of the Lockney country to Santa Claus, and all the little boys and girls, who want Old Santa Claus to remember them this Christmas, are requested to send in their letters, so that we can print them and see that Santa Claus get to read them in the Beacon.

Send in the letters by Tuesday, if possible, so that they will not be left out of next week's paper on account of arriving at this office late.

## CONGRESS IS NOW IN SHORT SESSION

PROPOSAL TO OUTLAW POISON GAS IN WAR IS LATEST PROBLEM OFFERED

Washington, Dec. 7.—With receipt of a thick sheaf of recommendations from the White House and the opening of the doors to general debate congress got a fair foretaste of what it is in for during the three months session ahead.

The familiar issues of prohibition, taxes, farm relief, the world court and Muscle Shoals all had a place in the picture, and the newcomers included a proposal to outlaw poison gas in warfare and a senatorial investigation.

President Coolidge's annual message, sent to the capitol by messenger and read by clerks in both senate and house was listened to with about the usual attention, and evoked the usual praise from Republicans and disapproval from Democrats.

"Uncle Joe" Honored Immediately the reading was over, the senate struck into the actual work of the session, but the house lingered only long enough to let in a new batch of bills and resolutions and then adjourned for the day out of respect for Uncle Joe Cannon, for many years its speaker.

The afternoon's proceedings in the senate showed that branch of the legislative machine functioning in mid-session form. First of all, it ground out a resolution of investigation voted 70 to 7, to inquire whether Arthur H. Gould, the new senator from Maine, was disqualified from senate membership because of his reputed connection with a payment of \$100,000 some years ago to an official of Canada.

Then Senator Bruce, a Maryland wet, read to an almost empty chamber a speech including the Volstead act of many charges, and his fellow-Democrat, Sheppard of Texas, replied with a general and specific denial. Senator Edwards of New Jersey, also a Democrat, interjected a notification that he would call up after Christmas his resolution for a national wet and dry referendum.

## Farm Relief Gets In

The poison gas treaty meantime was given an opening when Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee gave notice he would call it up tomorrow for ratification. A fight is in prospect.

Farm relief was absent from the floor discussion, but it got officially into the tangle when Representative McKeown, Democrat, Oklahoma, put in a bill to stabilize basic crops by fixing a means of standardized production. The proposal went to the house agricultural committee.

Taxation was discussed more quietly but no less generally. Chairman Greene of the house ways and means committee, the revenue body in the house, issued a statement forecasting a none too hopeful outlook, for any form of tax legislation at the present session, while Senator Simmons of North Carolina, ranking minority member of finance committee said he was "gratified that the president follows the position taken by Representative Garner and myself several days ago, in the demand we made for non partisan treatment of the tax question."

Garner is from Texas, and ranking minority member of the ways and means committee.

World Court Ghost Appears Although the president did not mention the world court in his message, (Continued on Page 4)

## TWENTY YEARS IS PICKETT SENTENCE

"Bucket of Watches" Episode Brings Second Conviction for Youth

Lubbock, Dec. 8.—J. M. Pickett, for some time a prisoner in the Lubbock county jail, but more recently a prisoner of Dickens county, was given a 20 year sentence in district court at Dickens, Tuesday, charge of theft of over \$50. Pickett will be remembered in Lubbock as the man with a "bucketful of watches", said to have been stolen here and at other points.

The defendant had no lawyer, but went on the witness stand in his own defense. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty and the judge immediately passed sentence. He will be confined in the Crosby county jail until he is taken to the state prison.

## 5 Years in Crosby

Pickett was recently given a 5 year sentence in Crosby county on a burglary charge, and the Dickens judge stated that his 20 year sentence would begin as soon as he had served the 5 year term.

There are about 40 charges against him in Dallas county, and he is also wanted in Lamb, Scurry and Hale counties and at Clovis and Portales, N. M., in connection with the burglaries alleged to have been uncovered by the finding of the loot in a bucket in a house at Lubbock.

## RAIL BUILDING HELPING TEXAS

Officials Say Two Systems Spending \$15,000,000 in the State

With the greatest railroad building program in Texas in the last decade now under way, the vast amounts of money let loose for building materials and labor will do much to offset the effect of the low price for cotton, R. C. Andrews, district manager for the rail service division of the American Railway Association, said Tuesday.

Mr. Andrews was mentioning the railroad construction projects just set under way by the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad on the South Plains of Texas and those of the Southern Pacific lines in the Rio Grande Valley. About \$15,000,000 is being spent jointly by these two systems in building the new mileage.

Other favorable factors in the general business situation which Mr. Andrews noted are the prospect for the heaviest movement of fruits and vegetables from Texas producing centers on record and the continued high output of the oil industry in Texas and the Southwest.

Mr. Andrews said that Southwest railroads are moving the largest tonnage on record this year. He admitted that the cotton situation is considered serious and he said that acreage reduction next year is imperative "for the future of the whole cotton producing industry."—Dallas News.

## FLOYDADA MAKES PLANS TO "LIGHT UP"

Floydada, Dec. 7.—Floydada will be the best lighted city in West Texas if the present plans of the Texas Utilities Co., are carried out. The city officials recently signed a contract with that company to furnish 96 street lights, sixty of which will be used for a "white way" and thirty-five for residence lights.

The contract calls for 250 candle power globes, which is a larger light than any town in West Texas has at the present.

## WILL HOLD AUCTION SALE HERE SATURDAY, DEC. 18TH

Auctioneer John McDonald will hold street sales twice each month in Lockney, his next sale date will be Saturday, Dec. 18th. Mr. McDonald on the above date and at all future sales will sell anything that the farmers and others of the country have to sell. It is his intention to build up a sale day for every two weeks in Lockney, and hold these sales on Saturday afternoons. The sale for Saturday, Dec. 18th, will begin at 1:30 o'clock. All those desiring to have stuff auctioned off at that time are asked to bring it to Lockney on that day.

J. L. Northcutt has been suffering considerably from the effects of having his left arm vaccinated the past week, but is much better at this time.

## TOWN OF BORGER BURNING TODAY

FOUR BUILDINGS GONE FROM BLAZE; FEAR TOWN IS DOOMED; NO ONE INJURED

Borger, Texas, Dec. 9.—Fire, originating from defective wiring in the Rig Theater, had destroyed four business houses and was threatening the entire business section early today. The loss at midnight was estimated to be in excess of \$50,000.

The fire is fanned by a strong north wind and with only meager fire fighting equipment, the city is apparently at the mercy of the flames.

The fire was discovered by the machine operator of the Rig Theater, shortly after 11 o'clock. Volunteer fire fighting squads working in relay are removing contents of stores from several blocks around the center of the fire.

The stores burned, all of which are a total loss, are: the Rig Theater, Palace Clothing Company, a confectionery and a restaurant.

With almost half a block in the business section afire, and meager equipment to combat the flames, fear that several business blocks and possibly a number of residence blocks would be destroyed.

Practically every citizen in the city is assisting in combatting the flames which are leaping high into the air.

Fear that a number of lives could possibly have been lost and scores injured when a terrific explosion almost wrecked one business house was expressed by rescue squads.

Thousands are shivering from the wintry blasts that swept over the Pan handle yesterday. Women and children rushing from downtown hotels in the wake of the conflagration, were taken care of by citizens who have opened their homes to them while the flames spread.

Fear that nearby oil wells drilling in the business district would further add to the conflagration's might was expressed, and all possible precautions are being taken.

Long distance lines to Borger failed to answer at 1 o'clock this morning.

## MAN IS KILLED WHEN CAUGHT IN CONVEYOR

Vernon, Dec. 6.—George Organ, about 55, was fatally mangled here late today when his right leg became caught in the conveyor of the Vernon Cotton Oil Company's hull house, where he was employed. The leg was badly mangled and the victim died a few minutes after reaching a local hospital.

There were no witnesses to the tragedy. C. A. Kressenberg, mill superintendent, had just left the hull house where Organ worked alone. Cries of the victim attracted workmen in other parts of the plant and the machinery was stopped while the remains of the victim's leg was extracted from the conveyor.

Nothing is known of Organ's relatives. He has been employed by the company about three months.

## LUBBOCK MAN IS VICTIM OF ATTACK

Lubbock, Dec. 7.—Tommy Owens, Lubbock citizen, was attacked by an unknown man early Tuesday in a local hotel. Owens was slightly injured before cries for help brought aid and the man escaped by the fire escape. Owens said he had \$1,500 in cash on his person at the time of the attack, which he believed to be the reason for the attack.

A man who had registered at the hotel is being held in the city jail pending investigation.

## TEXAS GETS \$40,000,000 FROM GRAIN THROUGH FT. WORTH

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 8.—Texas farmers were paid \$47,747,400 for the 20,498 cars of 1926 grain marketed through the Fort Worth exchange, it was revealed here tonight in figures given out by exchange officials.

This year's crop ran 7,697 cars more than last year's total and only 431 cars short of the bumper 1924 crop, all figured up through November, practical end of the grain crop year.

Visits of the Stork Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pope, 10 miles southeast Lockney, Friday, Dec. 3rd, a girl.

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WHAT WILL BE THE EFFECT

This question is in the minds of a lot of people at this time in the State of Texas. We refer to our courts and the wholesale pardoning policy of the present administration on the number of pardons for the term of office as governor, during which time Mrs. Ferguson has had the reins, has been astounding to most people. Very soon after she was installed in office pardoning began. It has kept up a very steady gait, until after the primary when it was known that her reign must come to an end soon, no doubt a deluge of applications were shoved upon her, and as a result the list has grown steadily. Thanksgiving brought a large number and several batches since that time. Christmas and new year will no doubt have their fling, and the list will be greatly augmented. We do not take the position that the policy of pardons is all wrong. In some cases we believe that they are justified, but we cannot think that the wholesale pardoning of convicted men and women can be the proper thing to do. We believe the effect on the morale of the State will be bad. We believe it

will have the effect of encouraging crime. Fact of the business the wave of crime going on over the state at this time is no doubt the result of the effect that such actions have had on the minds of those criminally inclined of the country. It has become apparent that about all that is necessary is to get a list of people to sign a petition and the work is done. The fear of punishment is the success of the criminal laws, and when there is no fear there will be no respect for laws by that class of people who are continually breaking them anyway. The failure of the courts, the juries and the so-called law-abiding citizens of the community to back up the peace officers is responsible for much of it. One of our exchanges the "Vernon Record" says: The unusual and unprecedented number of pardons issued during the last few weeks cannot fail to arouse a feeling that our legal machinery is being made into a mockery and that if justice is to be obtained it must come from one's own efforts.

"But there is no reason for blaming the Governor with all this condition. She may be primarily responsible, but she is by no means wholly so. When we get grand jurors that indict, petit jurors that try, and states attorneys that prosecute people convicted with crime join with a long list of friends, including public officers of all ranks, we can't blame the governor very much for granting pardons. Hardly a pardon is granted that is not supported by a long list of names of respected citizens. When bankers, business, and professional men, mayors, and county and state officials ask the governor to grant a pardon, these latter ones more than the Governor are responsible.

"The regrettable feature of this situation is that it reveals a lack of respect for the law and that the courts is more wide spread than one could believe possible in a citizenship that claims to stand for the best interests of the great majority whose lives and property are placed in jeopardy by acts of criminality." The failure to mete out justice to

begin with must have been the trouble the prisoner should have never been able if the cases where "they say" sent to the penitentiary. This is a positive accusation against the courts of the Country, and should not be continued. If a person is unjustly convicted it is wrong and if justly convicted then we do not see the justice of releasing criminal from the punishment assessed. We are confident that it will prove a boomerang to society, and will cause a lot of folks to disrespect the laws, believing to begin with that they will possibly never be caught because of the failure of the citizenship to cooperate with peace officers, and if caught will possibly be acquitted by some hook or crook of the courts, and if convicted will be given a pardon before they go to prison or shortly afterward. Let justice reign. We are sure that the new administration will be besieged with a deluge of applications after all have been given feels she can afford to release, and it remains to be seen just what Dan Moody will do. Criminals and their friends and their attorneys will of course test out the new machinery and the months following will determine what the results will be with the new governor in the chair.—Lubbock Avalanche.

FIVE AMARILLO OIL COMPANIES ARE SOLD

AMARILLO, Texas, Dec. 4.—What was considered consumption-of sale of five oil companies here today, was

Methodist Church

Sunday, Dec. 12th, 11 A. M.

SERIES SERMONS

Subject:

"MAJORITY REPORT" vs. "MINORITY REPORT"

7:15 P. M.

Sermon:

By Rev. E. E. ROBINSON

A WELCOME TO ALL

the acceptance of the Itallo Oil Company of Los Angeles by officers of the Fly-Blackburn, Magic Eighty, Sunburst, Apex and Homestead companies. The price for the five totaled \$1,615,000 the total capitals to check of the companies was \$605,000.

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#### SHORTAGE OF MATERIAL DELAYS GAS LINE LAYING

Texas Gas Company Says Line Will Be Finished by March 1st to South Plains Towns

The construction of the gas lines from the Panhandle Field to the towns of the South Plains, which was to have been completed by January 1st, has been delayed until March 1st, on account of a shortage of material, according to W. W. Graves, an official of the company.

Contracts for all the work, including both carrier lines and distributing systems were let several weeks ago, the contracts having been distributed among several contractors in order to have all the work going forward at the same time and be completed in a short period of time.

#### E. RAY SMITH WILL BE CHIEF OFFICE DEPUTY

We have a letter from E. Ray Smith, teacher in the Fairview school, in which he states that he will be the chief office deputy of Sheriff and Tax Collector P. G. Stegall, when Mr. Stegall takes charge of the office on the first of January.

Mr. Smith has resigned as teacher in the Fairview school to accept the new position.

#### MRS. J. H. BYINGTON VERY SICK

Mrs. J. H. Byington, who has been in a critical state for several years, is reported to be very bad sick at her home in Lockney, and little hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Harve Bolin and family and a sister of Mr. Byington of Plainview, are here at her bedside, and other relatives are expected within the next few days.

#### GRANDMA TEAVER IS HURT BY FALL LAST TUESDAY

Mrs. Teaver, age 88 years, mother of W. J. Teaver, fell Tuesday and painfully injured one of her hips. It is thought that no bones are broken but she has been confined to her bed since that time, and on account of her age she will be some time recovering.

#### FARMERS ARE HARD HIT IN CENTRAL TEXAS SAYS ANGEL

W. W. Angel and W. R. Childers returned Tuesday from a trip to Waco, Texas, where they attended the Masonic Grand lodge meeting as delegates from the Lockney Lodge.

Mr. Angel says on account of the low price of cotton, and not having raised sufficient feed to care for their needs, the farmers of Central Texas are in bad circumstances this year, as they have no money with which to buy feed to carry their stock through the winter.

# WOLFE'S

## Specials Friday and Saturday

### Continuing to December 24th, 1926

As each Christmas passes, we resolve that we will give presents that are more useful. This Christmas above all others will show the largest percentage of gifts given to be those of usefulness and durability and as the old adage "it is more grateful to give than to receive" we offer a few suggestions of gifts that you will be glad to give.



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### WHAT TO GIVE?

- Lingerie as a personal gift is always acceptable.
- Silk Teds on special sale from \$2.25 to \$5.95
- Silk Jerseys and Crepe Gowns, on special \$2.95 to \$7.95
- Rayon Pajamas in newest floral patterns only \$3.95

### FINE LINENS

FOR HER CHRISTMAS

- Luncheon Sets, Table Cloths with Napkins to match. Priced at \$2.25 to \$19.50 Set
- Linen Towels, only \$1.00
- Bath Towels, with Washcloth to match, only \$1.00

### HOSE

- For those who seek appropriate gifts for friends this offering of Sheer, all Silk Chiffon Hose. In beautiful shades, ready for Gift Shoppers \$1.49
- Other Hose up to \$3.50

### TIES

Distinctive ties, the designs in very newest novelty, \$1.50 values, only—

\$1.00



### GLOVES

The newest gloves for men. A gift he will enjoy and one that we guarantee to be good

\$2.00 to \$3.95

### 'KERCHIEFS

Just arrived for the Holidays new initial handkerchiefs, linen and silk—

25c to \$1.00



NOW IS THE TIME TO SELECT "HIS" GIFT FROM THESE SUGGESTIONS

### MEN'S SHIRTS

Solid colors, white, tan, grey and mixed colors, collars attached or without collars shirts that are a pleasure to see but more wonderful to wear, \$4.00 values, only—

\$2.98



### SOX

Here you may find just the newest patterns in Men's Sox and priced from per pair

25c to \$1.00

### MUFFLERS

Every man wants a Muffler this chilly weather, \$3.00 values only—

\$2.45



- We suggest Leather Hat Boxes, Special \$2.95 to \$12.50
- Hand Bags, Special \$1.00 to \$1.95
- Suit Cases- Overnight Bags at Holiday Prices.

### OVERCOATS

A good Overcoat—regular \$30.00 for only \$19.75

Select him a suit—all prices reduced.

Uncle Sam requests early shipment of gift packages, which means early Christmas Shopping—an ideal condition in which we all might help.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH

# SACRIFICE SALE

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH

## Continues Until December 24th

At the earnest solicitation of many of our friends who have not been able to do their Fall buying and due to the further fact that we need to REDUCE our stock of Fall and Winter Merchandise, we have continued this Sacrifice Sale until Friday, December 24th. We have been having a wonderful business during this Sacrifice Sale, but there are many people who have been unable to complete their buying and this opportunity is offered them to SAVE MONEY on their purchases.

Our stock is yet very complete and every item offered in the Sacrifice Sale will remain the same price or be reduced until the night of December 24th.



### LADIES' AND MISSES'

READY-TO-WEAR  
Nothing Reserved  
LADIES' COATS

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| \$35.00 values | \$26.75 |
| \$25.00 values | \$19.75 |
| \$22.50 values | \$17.75 |
| \$20.00 values | \$15.75 |

The Latest Styles

CHILDREN'S COATS

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| \$6.75 values  | \$5.45  |
| \$10.75 values | \$8.45  |
| \$15.00 values | \$11.75 |
| \$16.75 values | \$12.75 |

### NEW FALL MILLINERY

Nothing Reserved  
LADIES & MISSES HATS

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| \$8.00 values | \$5.95 |
| \$6.00 values | \$3.95 |
| \$5.00 values | \$3.65 |
| \$4.00 values | \$2.95 |
| \$3.50 values | \$2.65 |
| \$3.00 values | \$2.35 |
| \$2.50 values | \$1.85 |

### BLANKETS! BLANKETS! BLANKETS!

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| 66x80 Wool Plaids, \$15.00 values, now       | \$11.75 |
| 66x80 Wool Plaids, \$9.00 values, now        | \$7.25  |
| 66x80 Part Wool Plaids, \$5.00 values, now   | \$3.98  |
| 72x84 Extra Heavy Plaids, \$5.00 values, now | \$3.98  |
| 66x80 Heavy Plaids, \$3.00 values, now       | \$2.58  |
| 64x76 Grays and Tans, \$2.25 values, now     | \$1.78  |

## FLORSHEIM Sale

\$885

This Famous Shoe Offered at—  
**FLORSHEIM SHOES FOR MEN**  
Sacrifice Sale ..... \$8.85

EVERY DOLLAR SPENT—ALL OVER THE STORE DURING THE REMAINDER OF THIS SACRIFICE SALE ENTITLES YOU TO COUPONS FOR FREE SILVERWARE, ALSO A CHANCE AT THE 26 PIECE Wm. ROGERS & SONS SILVER SETS TO BE GIVEN AWAY 3:30 P. M., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18th, AND FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24th

Save your Silverware Coupons, which we are redeeming daily and your Numbered Coupon to participate in these drawings.

### SILK UNDERWEAR

Munsingwear and Carter Brands, Bloomers, Pajamas, Teddies and Gowns at Bargain prices.  
\$2.25 Munsingwear

### BATH ROBES

—for Men, for Women—a splendid selection. They make ideal Gifts.



LADIES' STYLISH up to the minute FOOT-WEAR offered in this SACRIFICE SALE at ASTOUNDING REDUCTIONS.

## CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

### AT SALE PRICES

#### FOR MEN—

Warm Gloves  
Dress Gloves  
Dress Shirts  
Wool Shirts  
Sweaters  
Jackets

#### FOR MEN—

Leather Coats  
Stetson Hats  
Underwear  
Wool Hose  
Silk Hose  
Handkerchiefs

#### FOR MEN—

Hose Supporters  
Ties  
Overcoats  
Bath Robes  
House Shoes  
Suit of Clothes  
Hats

#### FOR WOMEN—

Wool Scarfs  
Beads  
Ear Screws  
Purses  
Toilet Articles  
Wool Hose  
Silk Hose

#### FOR WOMEN—

Handkerchiefs  
Rayon Bloomers  
Rayon Teddies  
Rayon Gowns  
Rayon Pajamas  
Dress Patterns  
Blankets

#### FOR WOMEN—

Bath Robes  
Dress Hats  
House Shoes  
Coats  
Dresses  
Set Table Silver

#### FOR BOYS—

Suit of Clothing  
Overcoat  
Sure-Fit Cap  
Weatherbird Shoes

#### FOR BOYS—

Leather Vest  
Lumber Jack  
Sweater  
Wool Shirt

#### FOR BOYS—

Belt  
Tie  
Gloves  
Socks  
Handkerchief

#### FOR GIRLS—

Coats  
Wool Scarfs  
Sweaters

#### FOR GIRLS—

Silk Dress Patterns  
Hand Bags  
Silk Hose

#### FOR GIRLS—

Toilet Articles  
Towel Sets  
Slippers

BRING THIS LIST WITH YOU TO DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING. SAVE THE SILVERWARE COUPONS.

### MEN'S CLOTHING

THE CURLEE AND FRAT LINES AT SACRIFICE SALE PRICES



You will find here the newest and most up to date Men's and Young Men's Clothing to be found anywhere—and at prices that are real bargains. Give our line a once over before you buy.

Note our prices—

|                     |         |
|---------------------|---------|
| Men's \$55.00 Suits | \$42.75 |
| Men's \$47.50 Suits | \$37.75 |
| Men's \$40.00 Suits | \$32.75 |
| Men's \$37.50 Suits | \$26.75 |
| Men's \$32.50 Suits | \$23.75 |
| Men's \$27.50 Suits | \$21.75 |



MEN'S OVERCOATS

|                         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|
| Men's \$40.00 Overcoats | \$31.75 |
| Men's \$37.50 Overcoats | \$29.75 |
| Men's \$30.00 Overcoats | \$23.75 |
| Men's \$25.00 Overcoats | \$20.75 |
| Men's \$20.00 Overcoats | \$15.75 |

WORK CLOTHING, MEN AND BOYS Boys' Hawk Brand Unionalls \$1.19 Ages 2 to 8

We feature the genuine Hawk Brand—which there is no better made.

|                            |        |                   |        |
|----------------------------|--------|-------------------|--------|
| \$1.75 Overall for         | \$1.39 | \$2.50 values for | \$1.94 |
| \$1.50 Boys' Overall for   | \$1.24 | \$2.00 values for | \$1.64 |
| \$1.25 Boys' Overall for   | 90c    | \$1.50 values for | \$1.24 |
| Men's \$3.25 Molekin Pants | \$2.69 | \$1.25 values for | 99c    |
| Men's \$2.50 Duck Pants    | \$2.19 |                   |        |

### GLOVES

Sacrifice Sale Prices

|                          |     |
|--------------------------|-----|
| 7 oz. Canvas Gloves, pr  | 9c  |
| 10 oz. Canvas Gloves, pr | 13c |
| Men Jersey Knit Gloves   | 14c |
| Men Napa Goat Gloves     | 44c |
| Men Leather Gloves       | 48c |
| Men Horsehide Gloves     | 98c |
| Men's Dress Gloves at—   |     |

Sacrifice Sale Values  
Men's Gloves for dress wear make ideal gifts for him. A large lot of new styles to select from. Don't fail to see them.

MEN'S LUMBER JACKS  
Heavy plaid wool Lumber Jacks. Plenty to select from.

MEN'S PLAID WOOL SHIRTS

We were fortunate in getting a few dozen of these good shirts at a bargain. We pass the bargain on to you. Look them over.

### MEN'S TIES

Dozens of new ties just opened. A wonderful lot awaits your selection, and all at a bargain in price.

"Look At Your Hat—Everyone Else Does!"  
Tan And Gray Hold Sway



WHAT colors have the call for Fall? Light and Medium Tan, and Gray, and Blue-Gray, and Green-Gray. We have them all to strike a match with all Fall suits. Contrasting bands or the new youthful, cheerful striped bands, too. The quality looks down on the price.

The Mallory Aristocrat Hat, \$7  
Other Mallory Hats \$6 to \$10

MALLORY AND DAVIS BRANDS  
\$7.00 values for \$5.95  
\$10.00 values for \$8.95

PRESENTING THE HATS OF UNEXAMPLED SMARTNESS  
**MALLORY HATS**

EXTRA SPECIAL  
MEN'S AND BOYS' LEATHER VESTS, SHEEP-LINED COATS, BLANKET LINED COATS, Drummer's Samples—No two alike—at the lowest price we have ever quoted. You should make us an early visit and secure one of these Bargains.

### BOYS' CLOTHING

Famous Perfection Brand—all wool line. All with 2 pair trousers. Every suit in our store has two pair of pants, and are ALL WOOL. We have the best suits we have ever shown and at the lowest prices.

SACRIFICE SALE VALUE  
A few Boys' Short Pants Suits to close out 1-2 Price

### FUR SCARFS

A good showing of Ladies Fur Scarfs at Sacrifice Sale Prices.

### SILK HOSIERY

All the New in Ladies Silk Hosiery at Bargain Prices—  
\$1.00 Woolen Hose, only 79c  
\$1.50 Humming Bird — \$1.19  
\$1.75 Wayne Knit — \$1.37  
\$2.00 Wayne Knit — \$1.64

### UNDERWEAR

FOR THE FAMILY

Sacrifice Sale Prices on Munsingwear Coopers and other good brands. Men's heavy Ribbed Unionalls—

|                       |        |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Men's \$1.50 values   | \$1.19 |
| Men's \$2.25 values   | \$1.89 |
| Men's \$3.75 values   | \$3.15 |
| Boys' \$1.25 values   | 99c    |
| Boys' \$1.00 values   | 88c    |
| Ladies' \$1.25 values | 99c    |

### WOOLEN SCARFS

For Ladies  
We are showing a large assortment of New Beautiful Wool Scarfs—ideal for the cold weather and greatly in style at this time.  
Sale price — \$2.79 and Up  
Bloomers at — \$1.88



### SHOES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY



This department is FULL of Standard Brands of the world's best Footwear—Florsheims, Peters, McElroy Sloans and others. SACRIFICE SALE PRICES.

Boys' Shoes, Sizes 2 1-2 to 5 —  
\$5.00 grade \$4.25  
\$4.50 grade \$3.90  
\$3.75 grade \$3.20

Large Girls' Oxfords, sizes 2 1-2 to 8—  
\$6.00 grade \$4.90  
\$5.00 grade \$4.15  
\$2.90 grade \$3.35  
\$3.50 grade \$3.10

Misses' Shoes, sizes 12 to 2—  
\$4.00 grade \$3.45  
\$3.50 grade \$3.10  
\$3.00 grade \$2.60  
\$2.50 grade \$2.19

### GROCERIES FOR CHRISTMAS COOKING

Everything Carried in a

GROCERY STORE

to make glad the heart

of every member of the

FAMILY

CANDIES  
NUTS  
FRUITS  
CURRANTS  
DATES  
CITRONS  
CAKES  
PRESERVES  
CANNED GOODS  
WHITE CREST FLOUR

Silverware Coupons Given in this Department

HOLIDAY MERCHANDISE IN LARGE QUANTITIES THE KIND THAT IS USEFUL AND LASTING—BUY YOUR GIFTS NOW AND AVOID THE BIG RUSH

MERCHANTS PRODUCE COMPANY, OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS

We, in company with the other merchants of Lockney, are members of this company, which was organized for the sole and only purpose as a guarantee that the prices paid for produce here shall be at least as high as that paid in any surrounding towns.

Bring Your Turkeys, Chickens, Eggs, Etc. to Lockney, Whose Price is Always Right

## BAKER MERCANTILE CO.

"The Store With the Goods"

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

### HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

Here you will find Christmas Gifts of the lasting and useful variety. The kind that will make this Christmas remembered by some for a lifetime. These are only a few of the hundreds of items you will find in this department:

HOLIDAY MERCHANDISE  
IN LARGE QUANTITIES  
THE KIND THAT IS  
USEFUL AND LASTING

Shot Guns  
Targets  
Silverware  
Clocks  
Dishes  
Flash Lights  
Pressure Cookers  
Electric Irons  
Maying Washing Machines  
Perfection Oil Stoves  
Round Oak Stoves  
Round Oak Ranges  
Congoleum Rugs  
Atwater Kent Radios  
DeLaval Separators  
Safety Razors  
Pocket Knives  
Alluminum Utensils

We give Silverware Coupons in this Department on every dollar Cash Purchase—also FREE chances at the Two 26 Piece Silverware sets to be given away.

# SHOPPERS' HEADQUARTERS

## HOLIDAY SPECIALS

To each person buying as much as \$5.00 at one time, we will give absolutely FREE a beautiful Hand-tinted, Silver Framed Picture. This offer lasts until the 100 Pictures are gone. Be sure and call for yours.

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| 20c Durham Hose                              | 15c    | U. S. Army Jackets, "New"                     | \$2.50    |
| 25c E. & F. Hose                             | 20c    | \$1.75 "Blue Bell" Overalls                   | \$1.50    |
| \$1.00 Boot Wool Sox                         | 65c    | \$1.75 "Blue Bell" Jumpers                    | \$1.50    |
| 75c Dress Wool Fancy Hose                    | 50c    | Express Stripe Jumpers                        | \$1.50    |
| 1 lot of Ties                                | \$1.00 | 1 lot Coat style, 2 pocket Sweaters           | \$2.50    |
| 1 lot of Ties                                | 50c    | 1 lot Coat style, 4 pocket Sweaters           | \$3.75    |
| Lumberjacks, "Buckskin"                      | \$4.50 | 1 lot Children's Sweaters                     | \$2.00 Up |
| Lumberjacks heavy plaids, \$7.50 values, now | \$5.85 | \$1.50 Suit Cases                             | \$1.19    |
| Boys' Lumberjacks                            | \$4.95 | \$1.75 Suit Cases                             | \$1.50    |
| Boys' Lumberjacks                            | \$4.45 | \$3.50 Suit Cases                             | \$2.95    |
| Men's Sheep-lined Dress Kid Gloves           | \$2.50 | \$4.50 Suit Cases                             | \$3.99    |
| Bixbys Shoe Polish, all colors               | 15c    | \$5.00 Suit Cases                             | \$4.49    |
| Dyanshine                                    | 50c    | Ladies 1 buckle Overshoes                     | \$2.15    |
| Shinola Shoe Polish                          | 10c    | Boys' 1 buckle Overshoes                      | \$2.25    |
| 12 oz. Canvas Gloves                         | 20c    | Men's 1 buckle Overshoes                      | \$2.50    |
| 8 oz. Canvas Gloves                          | 15c    | Men's 4 buckle Overshoes                      | \$3.75    |
| Heavy Jersey Brown Gloves                    | 25c    | Children's Red Top Boots                      | \$2.50    |
| Boys' Jersey Grey Mixed Gloves               | 20c    | Ladies' Boots, Rubber                         | \$3.50    |
| Goatskin Gloves                              | 50c    | Men's Boots, Rubber, Hubble Fishing Hip Boots | \$8.75    |
| Boys' Goatskin Gloves                        | 50c    | Trunks, suit case style                       | \$6.50    |
| Sheep-lined Coats, long, \$12.50 Coats, now  | \$8.75 | Ladies' 2 tray Trunk, with hat box            | \$22.50   |
| Boys' Sheep-lined Coats                      | \$6.75 |   |           |

MANY OTHER ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION. COME AND SEE

# FLOYD HUFF

## THE CLOTHIER

### FORMER BUSINESS MGR. OF BAYLOR CHOSEN FOR TECH

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4.—A man well known in West Texas and hailed as "entirely in sympathy with all student movements," E. W. Provence of Waco, was unanimously chosen today by the Texas Technological college board of trustees as business manager to succeed R. M. Chitwood, recently deceased.

Backed by fifteen years school experience with Baylor University, Waco with recommendations of President S. P. Brooks, of Baylor, and Pat M. Neff, trustee chairman, Provence is expected by Tech officials to amply fill his new post. President W. P. Horn of the Lubbock institution said today.

Those attending the Tech board meeting are: R. A. Underwood, Plainview; Mrs. John A. Haley, Midland;

C. M. Meadows, Waco; H. T. Kimbro, Lubbock; Mose Newman, Sweetwater; Dr. P. W. Horn, president of the college, and Amos G. Carter, chairman of the board.

### GRANVILLE WADE FORMER RESIDENT DIES AT JAYTON

News reached Jayton Thursday afternoon that Granville Wade was seriously ill with pneumonia and was not expected to live through the night. This prediction was justified as he passed away a few hours later.

Granville was born in Gray county December 10, 1879 and came with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wade to Kent County in his early manhood, among the first to choose Kent county for his life residence. During the many years he has made his home in this country he has had the confidence and respect of his fellows. A

good citizen, an honest and industrious man. His sudden death will be lamented by his many friends over the country. He is survived by a wife and seven children, father and mother, three brothers and two sisters. The funeral will be held today at Jayton and interment made in the Jayton Cemetery.

The Chronicle joins with the many friends of the family in extending sincerest sympathy in their great bereavement.—Jayton Chronicle.

Mr. Wade was a former resident of Lockney and has many friends in this section who mourn his passing.

### BUSINESS COLLEGE FOR PLAINVIEW SOON

PLAINVIEW, Dec. 4.—J. E. Watson of this city will establish a new business college for Plainview which will open its doors to students on

the first day of January 1927. Mr. Watson will act as president of the college and has leased the second floor of the Third Nation Bank building and remodeling operations are now under way to make space for the new college.

This will give Plainview three colleges, including two business colleges and Wayland Baptist college. Mr. Watson is the founder of the college in Plainview now known as "Lipperts Business college" which was formerly known as Watson's Business college.

### \$4,273.05 DELINQUENT TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID

Payments On Current Tax Bill Also Coming In Better Than Usual Says Maddox

At the close of business at the collectors office Wednesday night, the last day of grace for the payment of delinquent taxes before suit is to be instituted on order of the Commissioner's Court, Collector J. R. Maddox had issued receipts covering \$3,984.91 of real property taxes and \$289.14 of personal or insolvent taxes the total collections having run \$4,273.05. Based on a total of \$25,000 in delinquent taxes, said to be outstanding collections thus made were approximately one-sixth of the total.

Sheriff and Tax Collector J. R. Maddox also said that taxes for the current year are coming in really better than usual. The office had taken in \$5,991.44 in current year taxes on real and personal property at the close of November business Tuesday night.

Friday and Saturday, December 15 and 11 Mr. Maddox will spend at Lockney for the collection of both delinquent and current taxes, he has announced. He also stated that the office here would be kept open those days.—Hesperian.

### C. OF C. IS RE-ORGANIZED BY QUITAQUE CITIZENS

At a mass meeting of about 50 of the citizens of Quitaque there last Wednesday night a complete re-organization of the local chamber of commerce was effected and definite steps taken toward incorporating the town. H. O. Woods, automobile dealer, was elected president, and Husk Perry, lumber yard manager, secretary. These men pledged themselves to the advancement of Quitaque and the surrounding territory. E. Burgess, J. L. Tunnell and O. R. Lipperts were appointed a committee to circulate petition which will be presented to the county judge asking that an election be called for the purpose of incorporating.

### GIN AND SEED HOUSE AT HAPPY UNION DESTROYED

Fire completely destroyed the gin and seed house owned by W. J. Burgess at Happy Union early Wednesday morning of last week.

The Plainview fire department was called in the morning and by the use of 120 gallons of chemicals were able to control the fire so most of the seed could be saved. The gin and seed house were burned to the ground before the arrival of the department.

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank the good people of Lockney for their kind words, deeds and floral offerings during the illness and death of our darling baby and grand child.—Mr. and Mrs. Loren Reece, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Reece and family.



## WE WANT TO BE OF SERVICE TO YOU

We offer you a good safe bank in which to deposit the money you receive from the sale of your cotton and feed, and we would appreciate you starting an account with us, if you are not already a customer. You can keep a better account of your transactions if you pay your bills by check, and a check always serves as a receipt for all money paid out.

## SECURITY STATE BANK

Small enough to know you, large enough to serve you  
The Bank for Everybody

## A BEAUTIFUL \$170.00 RADIO RECEIVING SET IN CONSOLE CABINET FOR \$1

WHO WILL GET IT? JUST THINK ONE DOLLAR A DREAM THAT MAY COME TRUE GIVES A MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF PLEASURE.



## THE WESTERN 5 CONSOLE MODEL

Some lucky person is going to get this handsome Western Five Radio Receiving Set (less tubes and batteries) mounted in console cabinet with BUILT IN LOUD SPEAKER.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

## YOU MAY BE THE ONE

Trade where you can get tickets on this beautiful Radio, with each \$1.00 cash purchase made at our store we will give you a ticket. Watch for date of awarding and bring your tickets. If you are present and you hold the lucky ticket, pay \$1.00 and this Console Model Radio Set is yours.

## WALLER MOTOR COMPANY

GAS, OILS, TIRES AND ACCESSORIES, GENERAL REPAIRING, STORAGE  
BUY THE BEST—MICHELIN TIRES AND TUBES  
LOCKNEY, TEXAS

A Satisfied Customer is Our Best Advertisement. We have many satisfied customers living in Lockney.

We will trade for livestock or give you good terms.  
LET US SHOW YOU  
J. W. BOYLE & SON MUSIC STORE  
PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

# Christmas Goods Arriving Daily

AND WE ARE PLACING THEM ON DISPLAY MARKED AT SPOT CASH PRICES, ELIMINATING THE EXTRA PROFITS THAT ARE NECESSARY ON CHARGE ACCOUNTS. BETTER GOODS FOR LESS MONEY.

Much nicer presents can be bought this year for less money than you had to pay last year. Come in regularly and look over our stock and select the presents you will want for your relatives and friends for a Christmas remembrance. You can find most any kind of a present you could desire in our big stock of Christmas goods. Look this line over before the rush comes on and make your selections before the stock is broken.

The REXALL Store

# Lockney Drug Co.

## Run-Down gave out easily

"MY health wasn't any account at all," says Mrs. H. L. Cayton, of Washington, N. C. "I would start to do my housework and I would give out before I had done anything at all. I did not have any strength, and if I did the least thing it seemed to tax me so I could not finish. I was run-down sure enough. Several of my friends had taken Cardui and they said to me, 'Why don't you try it?' I knew I needed something to build up my general health and to increase my strength. Finally one day when I was recovering from a spell of sickness, I decided to try Cardui. I got a bottle and began to take it. I could notice that I was improving as my appetite got better and I did not give out nearly so quick. I took several bottles and I felt lots better.

"Two years ago I decided to take it again. It built me up and made me feel like a different person. It is the grandest medicine for women that I know anything about."

## CARDUI

For Female Troubles

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Stamford—West Texas scores again. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce agricultural exhibit at the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition has been awarded the gold medal in competition with practically every state in the Union.

Memphis—L. M. Thompson, county agent, is conducting an exchange list for the purpose of getting native blooded gilts placed with farmers in this section who need them.

Quannah—Numbering of Quannah's business houses and residences is in to getting out a city directory. The progress here as a preparatory step work is sponsored by the city, the chamber of commerce, and the Retail Merchants Association.

Plainview—The new Harvest Queen Mill recently began operations in this place with a daily capacity of about 800 barrels of flour. Products of this mill, wheat and corn meal flours made from the Plains grains, are to be known as "Everlite". The cost

will be \$150,000.

Artesia—A highway from this place to Las Cruces, N. M. will be opened according to present plans. Work on the 10 road has already begun.

O'Donnell—O'Donnell is the proven garden spot of Texas according to a local farmer. J. J. Hodnet, residing near the high school lives entirely at home, through truck gardening on a 140 X 150 foot plot of ground. This year he raised almost every kind of vegetable, all kinds of flowers, shrubbery and started a young orchard.

Bledsoe—Work on a temporary school building to relieve the congested conditions in the Bledsoe schools is nearing completion here.

Hale Center—A contract calling for the expenditure of \$37,919 has been awarded for the installation of a complete system of water works for Hale Center.

Anherst—A new grain company has located at Anherst, promising for grain and to deal in all commodities connected with this line of work.

Anson—B. M. Whitaker, Exhibit manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and Manager Homer D. Wade of that organization were guests at a luncheon here December 1 at which time Whitaker made an ad-

dress on agricultural problems to service man to assist farmers and members and farmers of the community who were special guests. Similar lectures are given by Whitaker in any section calling upon the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for a here. During full capacity runs, 32

pickers are employed besides packers shelled pecans in car lots, grading machines. Shelled pecans from the plant will be retailed and sold to wholesalers all over the north-ern states in addition to shipping un-



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POULTRY NOTICE

The Merchants Produce Company of Lockney has been organized and are now in the market for all your produce and cream. This association will at all times of the year pay the highest market price that can be obtained in this section of the State for your produce and cream.

DON'T SELL YOUR TURKEYS UNTIL YOU GET OUR PRICES

We are now in the market for your Turkeys. We can supply you a market that is as high or higher than you can get at the surrounding towns. We have been discriminated against in prices heretofore, but we are now in a position to give you as much or more for your Turkeys than you can get anywhere in West Texas.

Bring Your Turkeys to Lockney to Sell Not Later Than December 10

The Merchants Produce Company of Lockney is composed of every business firm in the entire town and we have organized a company so that you can get the very best market and the highest prices for your produce and cream every day in the year. We will meet the prices of the highest bidders at all times and protect you against selling your poultry at a price lower than you could receive elsewhere.

Our produce house and cream station is located in the Bynington & Middleton building across the street in front of Baker Mercantile Co. Mr. Deuard Hamilton, well known to the poultry raising people of the Lockney country will be in charge of the station, and will be glad for his friends to call on him at this place.

MERCHANTS PRODUCE CO.

Deuard Hamilton, Mgr. Lockney, Texas

BRING TURKEYS TO LOCKNEY

Lockney is now in position to pay you the highest prices for your Turkeys, Chickens, Eggs and Cream. Bring in your Turkeys while the Christmass market is on, and you can get the top prices for them.

PURE MICHIGAN MEAT SALT

We have a good supply of Michigan Meat Salt on hand in 35 and 70 pound sacks. Get your supply now.

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Does your Cream Separator Separate Money

from you or for you!

A CREAM separator is supposed to make money for its owner—yet there are hundreds of thousands in use today losing money because of poor skimming. Their owner's profits are going into the skim-milk instead of the cream can.

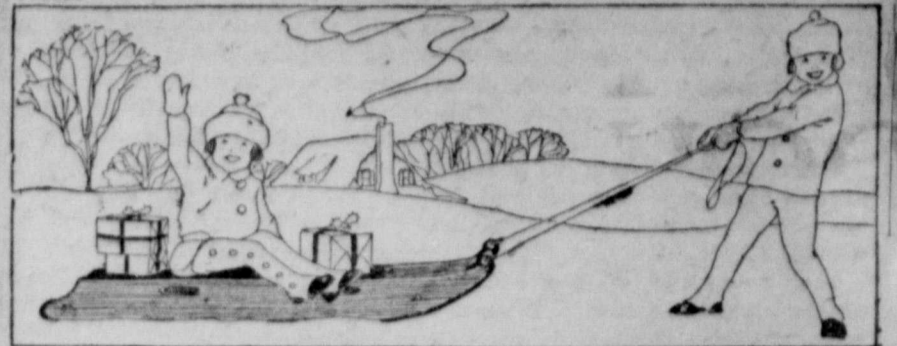
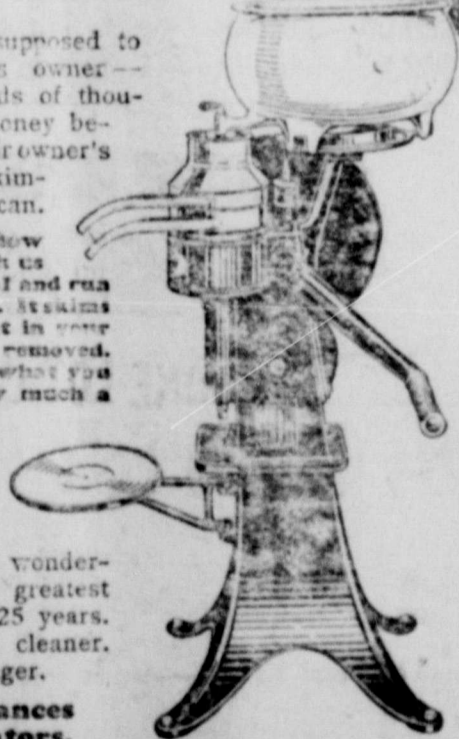
Here is an easy way to show up such cream thieves. Ask us to bring out a new De Laval and run your skim-milk through it. It skims so clean that any butter-fat in your skim-milk will surely be removed. Then you can tell exactly what you have been losing and how much a new De Laval will make.

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SEE and TRY the NEW De Laval



TOYLAND IS NOW READY TOYS FOR EVERYBODY CAN BE FOUND IN OUR BIG STOCK

Many of our toys for the Christmas Season have already arrived and are now on display in our store. Come in and see our line, and bring the children with you. Make your selection of the things you will want for Old Santa to bring the children now before the stock is broken.

This store is headquarters for Santa's Toy shop and we have a large stock of variety goods and candies to supply your needs.

STEVENSON'S VARIETY STORE



FOR CHRISTMAS

—A Gift of Lasting Beauty

Make your Gifts this year reminders of your thoughtfulness and affection for many years to come. Give something that will bring joy and happiness every day in the year, thus prolonging the holiday season long beyond the actual Christmas Day.

In our beautiful Gift and Holiday Shop, which will have its Grand Opening Tomorrow, Friday, Dec. 10, you will find Gifts of every description for every member of the family and for every friend on your list. These Gifts include many rare and exquisite imports from the treasure chests of Italy, England, France, Australia, and many another far-off land, as well as the handiwork of the finest artists in our own country. Gifts of marble, hammered brass and metals, carved woods, silver, ivory, china, porcelain and lustre wear are among the wonderful selections that we have gathered for your Holiday shopping.

SOUTH PLAINS DRUG COMPANY

OLEN B. SCOTT, Manager

GIFT HEADQUARTERS FOR THE PLAINS WEST SIDE SQUARE PLAINVIEW, TEXAS



CONGRESS IS NOW IN SHORT SESSION (Continued from Page 1)

The senators themselves were not content to let the subject sleep. Senator Trammel, Democrat, Florida, who voted for ratification last session introduced a resolution proposing withdrawal of the senate's approval for American membership in the tribunal. Senator Trammel's proposal went to the senate's legislative waiting list without debate.

communications between the chief executive and the legislative body. After its reading the house plans to take up the first of the annual appropriation bills which provide funds for the governmental departments.

LONE STAR

There will be a box supper at Lone Star Friday night of this week. The money will go for play ground equipments and library books. Everybody is welcome.

Providence Home Demonstration Club.

The Providence Home Demonstration met at their club room Nov. 23 and held an all day meeting. There were fifteen members present and our demonstration agent Miss Bass

was also with us. We had two very instructive lessons which we all enjoyed very much. We had an informal table setting for our first lesson. At noon we served a nice two course dinner to make it more practical. We all took part in this lesson very heartily. Miss Bass then gave us a lesson in rug making which we all appreciated very much.

Miss Bass also explained the latest kitchen improvement contest, and several of our members expect to join same in the near future.

She also told us that she was going to take part in the rug contest that is to be carried on in Hale and Floyd counties this winter with as many of her club members as wished to enter. There was several nice rugs promised from our club. She brought with her some nice rugs for samples which were well made and very pretty. One of them took first and second prize at the fair.

There was a nice collection of fruits and vegetables given to Mrs. McCollough in her shower for which she wishes to thank her many friends for the kindnesses shown to her.

Our next meeting will be held Dec. 14. The subject will be Christmas

gifts and Christmas giving. We wish to have as many attend our next meeting as possible as it is our intention to hold the election of new officers for the coming year and also plan some of our programs for our next year's work.—Reporter.

BOY REFUSES TO TALK OF SHOOTING TRAGEDY

Dallas, Dec. 6.—A murder charge was filed against Gaston S. Dossey, Dallas youth, alleging he shot and killed his wife, Gertrude, 20, with a pistol Sunday night.

The young man, held without bail in the county jail, refused to give details of the tragedy which cost the life of his wife on the eve of her birthday, to have been celebrated Monday.

Mrs. Olabelle Wiseman, roommate of Mrs. Dossey, told officers she and Mrs. Dossey returned from a picture show about 11:30 p. m. Mrs. Dossey had prepared to retire when the telephone rang and Dossey, from whom his wife was separated, asked if he could drive by to see her. Mrs. Wiseman stated that Mrs. Dossey finally agreed after he had told her he wanted to give her a diamond ring as a

Christmas present. A few minutes later a car drove up to the curb and Mrs. Dossey went out. Mrs. Wiseman related, in spite of the warning of her room mate. The latter went to the door and heard Mrs. Dossey say: "No, I don't ever intend to live with you again and I will not get in the car," Mrs. Wiseman said. "Then several shots were fired and I saw Gertrude fall to the ground as the car drove away," Mrs. Wiseman concluded.

Miss Lauream Christian to Present Pupils in Piano Recital

Miss Lauream Christian will present her pupils in recital at the High School Auditorium tomorrow (Friday) night.

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HOLIDAY SPECIALS

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

For the remaining days of December we are offering all of our Suits and Overcoats at extremely low prices. Come in now without delay and select that Christmas Suit or Overcoat.



MEN'S SUITS

- All regular \$25 to \$28.50 Suits, with two trousers, 3 piece suits, now— \$16.00. Extra Trousers \$3.50. All regular \$30 to \$32.50 Suits, with two pants, 3 piece Suits, now— \$21.00. Extra Pants \$4.00. All regular \$35 to \$39.50 Suits, with two pants, 3 piece Suits, now— \$25.00. Extra Pants \$4.50. All regular \$42.50 to \$49.50 Suits, with two pants, 3 piece Suits, now— \$33.50. Extra Pants \$6.00. \$55.00 to \$59.50 Suits, with two pants, 3 piece Suits, now— \$42.00. Extra Pants \$7.50.

THREE SPECIAL LOTS MEN'S SUITS \$9.75—\$19.75—\$29.75. These are mostly suits with one pair of trousers and are about— HALF PRICE

MEN'S OVERCOATS

- Special Lot Men's Overcoats \$9.75. \$18.50—\$20.00 Men's Overcoats \$15.95. \$22.50—\$25.00 Men's Overcoats \$19.85. \$27.50—\$28.50 Men's Overcoats \$22.50. \$30.00—\$32.50 Men's Overcoats \$25.00. \$34.50—\$35.00—\$37.50 Men's Overcoats \$29.50. \$39.50—\$42.50 Men's Overcoats \$32.50. \$45.00—\$47.50—\$48.50—\$49.50—\$55.50— \$57.50—\$58.50 Men's Overcoats \$35.00.

MEN'S TOP-COATS

- \$25.00 Men's Top-Coats \$19.50. \$27.50—\$28.50—\$29.50 Men's Top Coats \$23.50. \$30.00—\$34.50— Men's Top-Coats \$25.00. \$42.50—\$45.00—\$47.50 Men's Top-Coats \$35.00.

ONE LOT OF MEN'S OVERCOATS

\$9.75

Gift Suggestions for the Men Folk

- TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS, BELTS, BELTOGRAMS, MUFFLERS, BATH ROBES, SILK ROBES, HOUSE SLIPPERS, SMOKING STANDS, HATS, CAPS, SUIT OR OVERCOAT, SHOES. Are All Appropriate Gifts.

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don't lose them through neglect.  
Distance is no excuse—time nothing—expense  
within your reach.  
WHEN YOU USE THE TELEPHONE you can  
sit at your fireplace, and no matter what the weather,  
or the distance—your voice!—your spirit!—you!—  
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### ROUSING "PEP" MEETING STAGED BY BUSINESS MEN

Appreciation of High School Student  
Body and Football Team Shown  
By Visit to School

More than thirty business and professional men of Floydada Wednesday morning of last week took the high school student body and the Whirlwind football team in particular, completely by surprise, with a visit to the school, where they staged an impromptu "pep" meeting in the auditorium. Superintendent Wester assembled the student body for the arrangements but the arrival of the business men was a complete surprise to the students. Their arrival was the signal for a hearty round of cheering, and they took their places on the auditorium stage, the "old boys" gave 15 rabs for the Whirlwinds. Quick to sense the situation the school cheer leaders responded with rabs for the merchants.—Hesperian.

### S. H. BOLIN ENJOYING ARIZONA WEATHER

We print the following letter from Mrs. Alice Quillin, relative to her father, S. H. Bolin, who is spending the winter at her home in Phoenix, Arizona:

December 2, 1926.  
Mr. H. E. Adams.  
Dear Sir:  
I am sending you a check for the Beacon for another year. My father S. H. Bolin wishes me to tell you that he likes Phoenix and the climate just fine, and is enjoying himself very much. He wants to correct the statement he made to some of his friends. He thought the population of this city was five or six thousand and it is 50,000. He wishes me to say that while you were battling with the dust and wind Thanksgiving we had a lovely, warm sunny day. He sure is basking in the sunshine and watching the traffic go by. He is well and consumes a generous supply of apples and pears during the day besides eating three hearty meals.

Yours truly,  
Mrs. Alice Quillin

### Man Sleeps Like Log, Eats Anything

"After taking Adlerika I can eat anything and sleep like a log. I had gas on the stomach and couldn't keep food down nor sleep." R. C. Snyder ONE spoonful Adlerika relieves GAS and often brings surprising relief to the stomach. Stops that full, bloated feeling. Often brings out old waste matter you never thought was in your system. Excellent for chronic constipation.—City Drug

### Piano Recital By Miss Armontrout's Class

A piano recital was rendered at the High School Auditorium last Friday night by pupils of Miss Mae Armontrout's class. A good crowd of patrons and friends were present, and the program rendered spoke well for the musical ability of the teacher. Miss Roberta Barber was awarded a pin by the judges as being the best piano student in the class.

### Fortenberry-Yearly

Joe Yearly and Miss Fay Frances Fortenberry were married Wednesday Nov. 24th, at the home of Rev. R. E. L. Muncy with Rev. Muncy officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Fortenberry of the Muncy community. Mr. Yearly is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Yearly of the Liberty community. Mr. and Mrs. Yearly will make their home in the Cedar Hill community.—Hesperian.

Miss Emma Sue Buchanan, who is attending school at the Canyon State Teachers College, is here visiting her parents.

Miss Fannie Cash, teacher in Plainview public schools, and Miss Lillian Cash, teacher in the school at Aiken, spent the week end in Lockney visiting E. L. Woodburn and family.

## ISIS THEATRE

Program Week Commencing  
MONDAY, DEC. 12th

Monday and Tuesday—  
FLORENCE VIDOR AND  
RICHARD CORTEZ  
— IN —

"The Eagle of the Sea"

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Wednesday and Thursday—

"The Return of  
Peter Grimm"

FEATURING JANET GAYNOR  
COMEDY—"THE WIFE TAMER"

Friday—

MARY PICKFORD  
— in —

"Little Lord Fauntleroy"

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Saturday—

Wm. FAIRBANKS  
— in —

"The Man from  
God's Country"

COMEDY—"PLEASE REMIT"



Give Golden moments and hours of restful, careful transportation, this Christmas. Give princely luxury and beauty.

Give a Buick!

The ransom of a prince could buy no more princely gift.

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### TWO MEN DIE IN RANGER AFTER FALL

Ranger, Dec. 5.—Sam Hullin and J. L. Crabb, who were burned Saturday night when they fell into a vat of hot water at Chestnut and Smith Plant No. 108 near Ranger are both dead.

Hullin died late Saturday night and Crabb passed away at 6 o'clock Sunday morning.

Both victims of the accident are survived by families. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

### SAFE IS STOLEN AT FLOYDADA LAST THURSDAY

The Magnolia Filling Station at Floydada was robbed last Thursday night of approximately \$100 cash and several checks. The small safe was carried about seven miles east of Floydada where it was almost totally wrecked and left in the edge of a large lake. Sheriff J. R. Maddox and C. Y. Carter, owner of the station, went out and got the safe and several valuable papers. No clues have been discovered to date.

## NORTHCUTT'S

### SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Good Flour, every sack guaranteed,

|                                   |        |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 48 lb. sack                       | \$1.90 |
| Gallon Blackberries               | 65c    |
| White Swan Corn Flakes, large box | 12c    |
| P. & G. Soap, per bar             | 4c     |
| Best Dry Salt Bacon, per lb.      | 21c    |
| 8 lb. Pail Compound               | \$1.04 |

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## NORTHCUTT'S GROCERY

### SPECIAL CLUBBING OFFERS NOW IN EFFECT

From now until December 24th, we will make the following Special Clubbing offers:

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| LOCKNEY BEACON, per year                            | \$1.50 |
| STAR-TELEGRAM, daily and Sunday 1 year              | \$7.45 |
| Total   | \$8.95 |
| <b>Both Papers, one year .. \$7.75</b>              |        |
| LOCKNEY BEACON, one year                            | \$1.50 |
| STAR-TELEGRAM, daily without Sunday, yr.            | \$5.95 |
| Total   | \$7.45 |
| <b>Both Papers, one year .. \$6.60</b>              |        |
| LOCKNEY BEACON, per year                            | \$1.50 |
| DALLAS MORNING NEWS, daily and Sunday one year      | \$6.95 |
| Total   | \$8.45 |
| <b>Both Papers, one year .. \$7.30</b>              |        |
| LOCKNEY BEACON, per year                            | \$1.50 |
| DALLAS MORNING NEWS, daily, without Sunday one year | \$5.50 |
| Total   | \$7.00 |
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## BUY A GIFT A DAY

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- Have first pick of the best Gifts.
- Have opportunity to shop, compare and be sure of good values.
- Find it easier to choose suitable presents.
- Avoid crowds, confusion, mistakes, and disappointments.

### MEN'S OVERCOATS

#### EXTRAORDINARY OVERCOAT PURCHASE

We have just received a shipment of overcoats made of American all wool Kersey in double breasted. Dark shades of gray, brown, etc. This coat would be a wonderful Christmas gift for Father or Brother. We are passing this extra value to our customers. The regular price of this coat would be \$22.50, but priced while they last at—

**\$14.75**

Other overcoats in all sizes and shades, prices ranging from—

**\$16.50 to \$32.50**

### YANKEE BOY PLAY CLOTHES

#### AS A CHRISTMAS GIFT

This Cowboy outfit consists of Chappis, Hat, Shirt, Handkerchief, Gun and Rope, an ideal gift for Christmas. Only—

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### SPORT SWEATERS

In both button and slip-over styles, fancy stripes and pretty shades. Just the thing for the Holidays. Prices—

**\$3.50, \$4.85 and \$5.35**

### BOYS' LUMBERJACKS

Sizes 3 to 9. Beautiful plaids and stripes, in flannels at—

**\$3.35 to \$5.85**

### MEN'S WOOL SOX

Fancy wool hose for Christmas. We have all sizes and colors. Prices ranging from—

**65c to \$1.85**

Plain wool hose for Grandfather at—

**40c, 59c and 65c**

### MEN'S MOCO AND KID GLOVES

Silk and Fleece Lined. Priced—

**\$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00, and \$3.50**

### HOUSE SHOES

The most practical gift for Christmas. We have well displayed for easy selection, most any kind of house shoes you might want for men, women, boys, girls, children, and infants. Men's in apricot kid, brown kid, black kid, brown calf, grey and brown felt. Soft sole sheep lined and leather soles with rubber heels. Prices ranging—

**\$1.45 to \$3.00**

Ladies: In felts, satins, brown kid, brown veals, all colors, soft soles, leather soles. Priced from—

**\$1.00 to \$2.65**

Children's and Infant's: In blue and red suede, blue and red kid, felts sheep lined Bunny pumps. Priced from—

**\$1.00 to \$2.00**

Children's slip-on boots in patent leather and brown calf. Sizes from 5 1-2 to 2. An ideal gift for children. Priced at—

**\$4.50, \$4.65 and \$4.85**

### LADIES' NEW SILK DRESSES

Made of flat crepes in the new advance Spring styles and shades. At prices that will surprise and delight—

**\$10.85 and \$16.50**

### HATS

of taffeta, faille and metallic cloth in shades to match these new dresses—

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### LADIES' AND MISSES' NEW ALL WOOL AND WOOL AND SILK SWEATERS

Just received in the plain and fancy knit, in solid colors and pretty fancy figured. All sizes and colors. Priced—

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### KID GLOVES

make an ideal Christmas Gift for Mother, Wife, Sister or friend. We have just received a large shipment in sizes from 6 1-2 to 8, in shades of Mauve, Mode, Blonde, Grey and Black, with fancy cuffs. Priced—

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### HANDKERCHIEFS

All kinds for Christmas. Handkerchiefs of georgette and crepe de chine in pastel shades, delicate and alluring—

**65c and 75c**

Pure linen maderia embroidered handkerchiefs exquisite and dainty—

**65c**

Handkerchiefs in colors made of fine quality handkerchief linen with embroidered sprays. Only—

**65c and 85c**

Fine quality lawn embroidered in white and colors, priced from—

**35c and 65c**

Pure linen in colors with contrasting edges—

**15c**

Nice lawn handkerchiefs in colors and white. Embroidery trimmed. Priced from—

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Children's novelty handkerchiefs—

**7c to 20c**

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The Christmas Store

Plainview, Texas

### WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Good second-hand Ford touring car, cheap, worth the money.—Dr. S. M. Henry. 51-1f-c

MARKET AND GROCERY for sale. See Downs and Meriwether. 6-1f

FOR SALE—New Perfection Oil Range, five burner, in first class condition. See H. B. Adams.

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TO TRADE—Revenue bearing city property to trade for Farm and Ranch property.—Baker and Carter.

FOR RENT—Bed room.—See Mrs. Mae Baker. 11 2tc

CASTRO COUNTY LAND—Improved section of Castro county land, well located; will trade for smaller farm and give good long terms on balance.—J. F. DuBoise, Plainview, Texas. 2-18tp 19.

FOR SALE—Bargain, 160 acres close in choice quarters. All in wheat, close to good school. Good terms.—M. H. Davis. 11 2tp

SERVICE BULL—Out of \$10,000 CAP ROCK Jersey Farm bull. \$2 at the gate.—See W. R. Sams. 11 1f

FOR SALE—My two places in Lockney—12 room house and five room house.—See S. W. Perry at Woodridge Lumber Company. 11tc

MARCELLING—50 cents, retrace free.—See Mrs. Mae Baker. 11 2tc

SINCE WHEN—Could you breed your sow to a boar that for three straight years has not been defeated in the show ring, for five dollars (\$5) Better follow the crowd to Holmes Bros. Hiltop Farm. 4 tc

FOR SALE—Shetland pony, formerly owned by A. R. Meriwether, har-

ness and cart included.—See Rowe Bryant. 11 1f

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Barron strain large type purebred White Leghorn baby chicks, \$10.50 hundred.

Everlay strain Brown Leghorns, \$11.50 hundred.

Sheppard strain single comb Anconas, \$14 hundred.

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All good, healthy, strong purebred guaranteed.

We pay postage charges and guarantee live arrival on all baby chicks. Pullets of any breed listed, \$1.50 each. Cockerels, good size, \$3 each.

Poultry book on feeding and raising chicks and pullets, \$3 postpaid.

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FOR SALE—Two nice gilts, weight

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STREET SALE—I will hold a public auction sale in Lockney on Saturday, Dec. 18th. If you have anything you desire to have sold at public auction bring it in that day.—John McDonald, Auctioneer.

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