

Baptist school. Last fall he was named southwestern full back, large use of punting ability and captain-elect of the 1927 eleven was a star catcher in the sport.

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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LOCAL C. OF C. RAISES 1927 BUDGET

A MONTHLY TRADES DAY, WILL BE INAUGURATED BY LOCKNEY MERCHANTS

LOCKNEY CONSTRUCTION HEADQUARTERS

C. OF C. BANQUET HUGE SUCCESS

\$5,000 BUDGET FOR THE COMING COMING YEAR WAS MAIN EVENT. ALL RESPONDED GENEROUSLY

The Chamber of Commerce banquet held at the McCollum building Tuesday night was a big success, and was probably one of the best ever held in the city—one reason for the banquet being different from any banquet was that all present were citizens of Lockney, there being no visitors from out of town. All the speakers of the evening were home men, and everybody present vitally interested in the development of the town and country. Enthusiasm being manifest on every hand. There were practically 150 persons present and practically every one took part in the meeting.

Rev. T. J. Rea, of the Methodist church pronounced the invocation, and Arthur Barker acted as toastmaster. A bountiful supper was served by Mesdames Carl McAdams, Lester Honea, T. B. Hill, T. L. Griffith, Ray McCorkle and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Phelan.

Elder Early Arceneaux was the first speaker of the evening, and he told of the need of being active and getting in behind the chamber of commerce, and suggested that we adopt a slogan of, "20,000 residents by 1940," and work to that goal. Brother Arceneaux was strongly in favor of good roads, paved roads, better school and colleges, and of developing our own resources. Using the products raised in our own section of the country before importing outside products, manufacturing the things farmers raise here at home instead of sending them away to be manufactured, and then buy them back as finished products. He pointed out that there were many things that our own citizenship can create here at home, and plead for the support of the citizenship for the voting of bonds for public improvements, and did not want the people to ask exorbitant prices for real estate and thereby retard development of town and country. He said there was no country better than the Lockney country and that we were surrounded by a farming country that would naturally build up the town.

A. B. Brown was the next speaker and impressed the audience with the fact that Lockney should talk Lockney, and talk about things that Lockney wanted and needed, and by that we could build a town of 20,000 by 1940. He stated that many really big men have their eyes turned toward Lockney and see great future for Lockney and are going to come here with various enterprises. These men emphatically say that Lockney at this time has the brightest future of any town in West Texas. He pointed out that at this time our taxable values in the town were only \$900,000, but with the things that have already been secured and assured that the valuation would be between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000 within the next year. He brought out the fact that we were badly in need of water extensions, and that an election was to be called for the purpose of making these extensions and asked that the people give this proposition their support, so that the town would be able to offer the business and industries coming in, fire protection. Mr. Brown favored securing enterprises that would furnish payrolls that would be of value to the town, and pointed out the fact that in the past we have depended solely on farm products for our trade, and stated that now we have the opportunity to develop we would have both the industries and farm

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Small Pox Scare Causes Vaccinations

SCHOOL CHILDREN AND ADULTS ARE KEEPING DOCTORS VERY BUSY

The small pox scare is now on in full blast in the Lockney country, and there is a good reason for it. There are only a few cases in the city, but many cases in the surrounding territory. Many of these cases in the country, at least some of them, have broken out with the small pox without calling a physician, therefore, not being quarantined. They have been in the business houses, when they were broke out, or breaking out. As a result practically every person in town who has never had a case of small pox, is now being vaccinated by the local physicians. There has been one or two cases at a time in the town for the past several weeks, but they have been kept close, and the epidemic was held in check.

Tuesday there is said to be two or three men from the country that were broke out with the small pox came into town and went into several business houses, and didn't seem to care how much they spread the disease. A pest house is being arranged and if any of these stragglers appear again they will immediately be put in the detention camp and kept there until they are perfectly free of the disease.

The small pox are in a very light form and so far there has been no notice taken of them.

"EAT LOCKNEY PRODUCTS" DRIVE

BETTER PRODUCTS CAN BE RAISED AT HOME THAN YOU CAN BUY ELSEWHERE

The "Buy It Made At Home," slogan adopted by many cities of the South might as well be considered by people of Lockney and Lockney community, and at least one dealer here is in favor of such.

Each year hundreds and thousands of dollars in cash are sent out of the city for lard, meat, meal and other products raised here. The products shipped in are no better than the ones raised here—many times not so good, but they cost more. Then, too, you are allowing the profits to go to an outsider when your neighbor should have had them.

There are not as many hogs in this county as there should be, but hundreds and thousands of dollars worth of meat and lard could be raised here if there was a market. Let us consider this when we make out our next list of purchases. We raise good corn in the Lockney community and have a mill here that is sufficient in size to supply home grown meal to every family in the community. Let us consider that, and keep Lockney money in Lockney.

The chamber of commerce is going to make an effort to create a local demand for Lockney grown products and if you are a booster for community progress you will give preference to home grown and home made products.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT

Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church at Providence.
Sunday January 30:
10:00 A. M.—Sunday school.
No services that day.
Wednesday, February 2:
2:30 P. M.—Ladies Aid meeting at the home of Mrs. B. F. Sammann. — J. FLIERL, Pastor.

MONDAY, FEB. 7 TO BE TRADES DAY

MERCHANTS WILL AGAIN INAUGURATE MONTHLY TRADES DAY BARGAINS

Lockney merchants at least a majority of them, are in favor of instituting a trades day, on the first Monday in February, or the 7th, the first trades day will be held.

Merchants here will offer some exceptional bargains at that time, and if the readers of the Beacon will watch for the double page advertisement which will appear next week they will get some real live store news. You may not be able to buy all the articles of a large bill at one store, but if you will read this advertisement, and then make out your shopping list, you will find that you will make some very attractive savings.

No special program will be arranged for the first day, though in time attractive programs will be rendered. It will be a matter of attractive prices for readers and purchasers, an auction sale and an opportunity for farmers from various surrounding communities to meet and enjoy friendly conversation.

The chamber of commerce is sponsoring the movement and will make an effort to make the day pleasant and profitable for all who attend.

It makes no difference whether you are a regular patron of the Lockney merchants or not—just remember you are welcome, and if you will spend the day in this city, you will enjoy yourself and make some very profitable purchases.

SLEET AND RAIN MAKE ROADS BAD

The sleet and rain of the latter part of last week and the first of this week have put the roads in very bad shape and the people who are forced to use them are having a very difficult time, as in places they are almost impassable.

The season in the ground at this time is as good if not better than it has ever been on the Plains. The prospects for a bumper wheat crop are very assuring. There is already a large acreage planted to wheat in this country, possibly more than thirty per cent larger than acreage of last year. There will be quite an acreage planted to wheat when the weather fair up so that it may be planted. From the present indications, the largest crop in the history of Floyd county will be the 1927 crop.

Geo. T. Meriwether and Wife Visit in Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Meriwether returned Friday from a ten days trip to the Rio Grande Valley, near Edinburg, Texas. While away they looked over a considerable part of the valley in that section, and enjoyed the warm winter weather that is experienced in South Texas. Mr. Meriwether informs us that he purchased a 108 acre farm while in the valley. He brought back some grape fruit and oranges that were raised there, and presented the editor with two of the large grape fruit, for which we can testify as being superior to that of the Florida and California grape fruit. Mr. Meriwether stated that he left Lockney in a blizzard and found one when he returned, but that the weather in the Valley was warm and sunny all the time that he and his wife were there.

A. B. Brown, A. R. Meriwether and Dr. N. E. Greer made a business trip to Fort Worth the last of the week returning home Sunday.

WATER MAINS WILL BE EXTENDED

ANOTHER WELL WILL BE DUG AND SUPPLY TANK ERECTED IN LOCKNEY

At a meeting of the City Council Monday night it was voted by the councilmen that an election be called for Tuesday, March 8, for the purpose of voting \$25,000 worth of bonds with which to extend the water mains of the city, dig another well and erect another supply tank, so that the city would have adequate water facilities to take care of the new industries coming into Lockney. Also supply the town better as a whole, and more adequate fire fighting equipment.

It is the intention of the council to extend the water mains to begin with to the industrial part of town, where the elevators and gins are now located, and where the oil mill and compress will be built in the near future. Also lay new mains to parts of the city that have not heretofore had adequate water facilities to take care of the fire protection and domestic uses.

Mr. H. N. Roberts of the firm of Roberts and Hawley, engineers of Lubbock, was before the council, and was employed to make a blue print of the water extension, and draft the necessary documents for the submitting of the issue to the voters of the city, and also make the water main survey.

It has been pointed out that a plan has been worked out by which the city can vote these bonds and put in water facilities without raising the taxes or the rendition of the town.

The extension that will care for the industrial section of town will begin near the old College building, on Bryant Street and go south down East 4th street to the Highway, a line will be run down the highway east for a short distance, so as to take care of the oil mill and compress needs, then a line will be run west from East 4th Street or West 2nd Street, and then north to a connection with the water mains on one of these streets in the business section. A well will be dug somewhere in the South section of the city and a tank erected to take care of the water demands. The old well and stand pipe will be placed in first class condition, so that a sufficient supply of water will be available for all uses in the town. At present the water system is in very bad condition, and cannot supply the water demand in spring and summer months. At times the town is practically without fire protection on account of the inadequate supply of water, partly due to the fact that the mains do not extend to the residential sections sufficiently to afford the needed fire protection.

One of the most essential propositions that now confronts the town is the adequate supply of water and distribution of the water over town. The city council has ordered this election to care for this state of affairs.

MRS. C. E. TURNER DIES IN PHOENIX, ARIZ.

Mrs. Chas. Turner, wife of C. E. Turner of Lockney, died at the home of her sister in Phoenix, Arizona, Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock, according to a telegram received by her husband, who left immediately for that place. No particulars are available at this time.

Mrs. Turner left Lockney about the first of December to spend the winter visiting her sister in Phoenix.

Paul Sims returned Friday from a stay of several weeks in the Rio Grande valley.

Construction Force to Have Headquarters Located Here

SPRAGUE & NICELEY SUPERINTENDENT ESTABLISHING HEADQUARTERS HERE FOR DENVER WORK

The headquarters for the construction Company of Sprague and Niceley, of Beatrice, Neb., will be established in Lockney this week, according to Mr. Martin, superintendent in charge of the work, who arrived here Wednesday to secure a building in which to establish offices and arrange for places to take care of the large force of men. The general offices and commissary of the construction company will be located here, and all the crews will work out of Lockney on the Plains construction contracts held by this company. There will be several hundred workmen handled through this office and the pay roll will be handled at this place.

Sprague & Niceley of Beatrice, Neb. have the contract for the grading of many miles of track on top of the cap rock, and find that Lockney is the logical point to locate their general offices so that they will be convenient to the work on hand.

CHURCH OF CHRIST BUYS LOTS TO BUILD

SECURED LOTS 1 BLOCK SOUTH OF BAPTIST CHURCH FOR \$30,000.00 STRUCTURE

The building committee for the Church of Christ this week secured three lots from W. J. Teaver, one block south of the Baptist Church, on South Main, where they expect to erect a \$30,000 building in the near future.

The committees are now at work raising the finances for the building and plans and specifications will soon be ready to submit to the contractors.

NOMINATION OF MOODY AFFIRMED

ALL OFFICERS SUGGESTED BY MOODY APPROVED IN FIVE MINUTES

AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—A practical demonstration of the cooperation it pledged Moody was made by the senate Friday when it confirmed in five minutes the appointments sent up Thursday by him.

Only one dissenting vote was registered, that being against the confirmation of P. L. Downs, Jr., of Bell county as a member of the board of directors of A & M College.

Adjournment until Monday morning was voted shortly after the executive session which is believed to have set a record for speedy action.

The Nominees

Nominees confirmed: Mrs. Jane Y. McCallum, Austin, secretary of state; former governor J. D. Sayers, Austin, and former assistant attorney general, George E. Christian, Austin, members of the board of pardon advisors; R. L. Roberson, Gonzales, state adjutant general; Dr. J. C. Anderson, Hale County, state health officer; H. N. Fitzgerald, Austin, member of the board of regents of the College of Industrial Arts; James L. Young, Kaufman county and P. L. Bell, Jr., of Bell county members of the board of directors of A & M College, Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth, E. O. Thompson, Amarillo, and R. A. Underwood, County, members of the board of regents Texas Tech.

Bond Elections Carry In Eastern Counties

WILBARGER, FOARD AND COTTLE CARRY PAVING BONDS BY LARGE MAJORITIES

The three counties on the eastern end of Lee Highway in Texas have carried the bond issues by large majorities during the month of January. Wilbarger led the fight and carried by the largest majority, when on Jan. 4th the county voted a million dollar bond issue by a majority of 10 to 1. Part of this county already has paved roads. Foard county, the first county west of Wilbarger on Lee Highway followed the lead of the sister county ten days later and voted a million dollar issue by 9 to 1. January 15th Cottle county, the county that believed to be the most doubtful county of the entire nine on the Lee Highway, carried an \$800,000 issue 5 to 1.

The voting of the paving bonds in these three counties will bring the pavement on the Lee Highway to the east line of Motley county. Motley county lacked twenty-six votes at the election held December 31st of getting the necessary two-thirds vote.

Another road bond election will be called in each Motley, Floyd and Hale counties, to take place some time near May 1. These three counties expect to carry their bonds and get in line for the paving of the Lee Highway to the west line of Hale county, which will make a continuous paved road from the Plains to New York City in the East, with the exception of a short stretch in Oklahoma, which will probably be paved by the time this end of the line is paved. It will also make a continuous paved road from here Fort Worth and Dallas and East and Central Texas points, as the last gap in the paved roads between Vernon and Fort Worth is now being paved, and is practically completed.

The line to the west of Hale County, through Lamb, Bailey and Parmer counties, which will connect up with the paved roads and hard surfaced roads of the Lee Highway across New Mexico, Arizona and California to Los Angeles and San Francisco, will probably be ready for paving by the time the line of paved road reaches their counties, as elections for paving of the Lee Highway will be held in them in the near future.

When the nine counties in Texas and the short stretch in Oklahoma it will mean that cars can start from the Pacific coast on a stretch of paving and as this is the only transcontinental route through the South that entirely spans the continent, and is a designated military highway it will mean more development and prosperity to the counties along the line, and more so will it mean a rapid development to the Plains country, which is today believed by more than three-fourths of the populations of the United States to be semi-arid, and where agriculture is very doubtful, and that the country is good for nothing except grazing vast herds of cattle. When the Lee Highway is paved it will offset the false teachings of our geographers, and will let the world know that it is the richest and most dependable farming section of the United States.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY HAS BEEN POSTPONED

The play, "Honor Wins," which was to be presented by the Senior Class of Lockney High school, Friday night, has been postponed on account of bad weather and the small pox. The play will be presented at the high school auditorium on Friday night, February 4th. An admission of 25c and 35c will be charged.

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The Beacon is broad enough and liberal enough to grant every man the right to his opinions on questions of the day without charging ulterior motives, dishonesty of purpose and lack of sincerity.

A TEXAS PHILOSOPHER

Down in Austin, Texas, according to a reliable Associated Press Dispatch, Henry J. Steen, 10 years old, applied for a job as page at the State Legislature.

WHEN THE LIGHT WENT OUT

"Go on with your speech," encouraged the audience when the lights went out. "But I can't see how to think," responded the speaker.

sources of modern light are all about us, in the experiences of this and former generations, in books and bulletins and in current publications.

The man who has no time to read is sure to lack the necessary light for sounding things unless he is fortunate enough to be intimate with someone who does read and who passes the knowledge thereby gained.

INDIRECT TAXATION FOR HIGHWAYS

County after county approaches the road paving question by calling an election to endorse or rejecting bonding for the purpose.

We sometimes fool ourselves on the supposed economy we preach and practice. It is because we do not know. Therefore, cold-blooded research with no pocket to be effected by the results, is more apt to discover facts than we who let our personal interest or our prejudices formulate our opinions on matters of economy.

When it seemed imminent that the British rubber interests would overcharge for rubber it became necessary to discover ways, if possible, to save rubber, of which the United States is the largest consumer.

The tire on gravel is found to be from three to seven times that on concrete or brick, while that on macadam varies from ten to fifty times the wear on concrete or brick.

Tires are so good nowadays and wear so slowly that it is easy to lose sight of the significant statements above. Here comes a real revelation investigation show that "the increase in reference to indirect taxes. The consumption of gasoline required to travel by dirt roads (on the level) costs the motorist as much money as if he had to pay an additional tax of twenty-four cents on a gallon of gasoline.

Can anyone using a car frequently in all kinds of weather afford to continue paying this indirect heavy tax imposed by bad roads as an excuse for resisting a building program that will impose a far lesser direct tax that will pave the highways?

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Haskell—Work on the city hall here is progressing nicely. When completed, the building will hold offices of the mayor, city secretary and water as well as housing the equipment of the Haskell fire department.

Stamford—Nine of the fifteen men named as master farmers of Texas in the recent contest of the Progressive farmer are men who live in the territory served by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Plainview—Hale County has added 16 fine registered bulls to its bull circles. The animals were brought from Ohio by Paul Huey, county agricultural agent.

Shamrock—A two story hotel containing 24 rooms is being erected here. Each room is to be equipped with running hot and cold water and will be heated by gas.

Pampa—Brick work on the new Schneider Hotel has started, and the building will be ready for occupancy by May 1, according to the contractor.

Stamford—Approximately a quarter of a million dollars annually will be saved by shippers of the South Plains section due to the activity of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in their behalf.

Lampasas—A 24,000 egg capacity chick hatchery has opened for 1927 operations. C. R. Oakley is in charge.

Borger—Outlining a booster and advertising campaign to be launched this month, the local chamber of commerce directors at a recent meeting chose the slogan, "Buy it in Borger."

Levelland—Contract has been entered with the Texas Utilities Company for the maintenance of fourteen street lights for the business section of the town.

Paint Rock—Possibilities of Paint Rock as a summer and health resort are to be exploited if a movement on part of the leading citizens goes thru.

Stamford—Manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has gone to Austin to establish the Legislative Bureau of the regional organization there during the session of the Fortieth Legislature, and to watch legislation of general interest.

Spearman—Contract for 24,397 yards of paving are to be constructed on the principal streets of Spearman has been signed by the city.

Clyde—A five mile extension is being made by the West Texas Utilities Company to serve a number of farm houses west of Clyde with electricity.

Jacksboro—The home beef canning contest inaugurated by the Home Demonstration agent is showing increased interest on the part of farmers in Jack County communities.

Fredericksburg—Construction on the "Nimitz", Fredericksburg's new \$125,000 hotel is well under way.

sample rooms, and free garages for guests. All modern conveniences will be included in the equipment of the building.

Sqn Saba—A. W. Woodruff, pecan expert, and E. E. Risen & Son, nurseryman of this place have contributed six fine pecan trees to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for planting in front of the new headquarters building.

Party Leaders Are Selected For Road Posts

HOUSTON CAPITALIST AND TYLER ATTORNEY NOMINATED BY EXECUTIVE

AUSTIN, Jan. 25.—R. S. Sterling Houston capitalist and newspaper publisher, and Cone Johnson, Tyler lawyer, will be confirmed unanimously by the Senate as State Highway Commissioners, all indications were here Tuesday.

Governor Moody announced their appointment shortly before 3 o'clock. Because Moody's fight on alleged irregularities of the first Ferguson highway commission played a majority role in his elevation from attorney general to Texas' youngest governor, more interest has been manifested in his highway commission appointments than any others.

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock a delegation of legislators from West Texas will call on Dan Moody and ask that the third highway commissioner be from West Texas.

Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas chamber of commerce, was in the delegation, which included the following representatives: Adrian Pooy, El Paso; E. S. Cummings, Abilene; A. H. King, Throckmorton; J. C. Hall, Colorado; J. H. Boggs, San Angelo; Victor Gilbert, Baird.

Sterling, 51, is one of Texas' outstanding business men and executives, while Johnson, 66, is an attorney of wide repute, and one of the most distinguished politicians of Texas history.

Sterling was born Feb. 11 near Anahau in Chambers county. He stayed on the farm until he was 21, when he entered business for himself. He is one of the most successful oil operators Texas has produced.

Cone Johnson was born June 1, 1860 at Dawsonville Georgia. After a liberal education in several colleges, he began the practice of law at Tyler, in 1884.

Notable Political Career. Johnson's most notable political campaign came in 1908 when he unsuccessfully opposed Joe Bailey, who had just resigned as United States Senator, for a delegate-at-large to the national democratic convention.

In 1910, O. B. Colquitt defeated Johnson for governor. Johnson in 1910 was one of the "40 immortals" of the Texas delegation that played a big part at the Baltimore convention in nominating Woodrow Wilson.

From 1914-1917, Johnson was solicitor of the state department, serving under Bryan and Lansing. In 1920 he headed the Texas delegation to the national democratic convention at San Francisco.

Johnson was an active supporter of Moody, as temporary chairman sounded the key-note of the 1926 state democratic convention at San Antonio.

COTTON CROP FOR 1926 PLACED AT 16,609,517 BALES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Cotton of the 1926 crop ginned prior to January 16 totalled 16,609,517 running bales counting 61,052 round bales as half bales, and excluding linters, the census bureau announced today.

Ginnings last year to that date totalled 18,499,893 running bales, including 336,998 round bales, and the 1925 total was 13,306,813 bales, including 307,351 round bales.

The department of agriculture in its preliminary estimate of production based on December 1 conditions placed the crop at 18,618,000 bales of 500 pound gross weight, the largest crop ever raised. At that time a large amount of cotton remained to be picked and it was uncertain as to what part of it would be left in the fields in view of the low price prevailing.

Until the final government ginning report is issued on March 31, the exact size of the 1926 crop will not be known.

Ginnings by states to January 16 follow: Alabama 1,455,310; Arizona, 98,136; Arkansas 1,404,186; California 118,093; Florida, 32,973; Georgia 1,433,579; Louisiana 808,746; Mississippi 1,732,189; Missouri 199,432; New Mexico 63,052; North Carolina 1,153,256; Oklahoma, 1,507,082; South Carolina, 956,445; Tennessee 419,453; Texas 5,170,714; Virginia 45,007; all other states 11,937.

Guy Cope has been quite ill for the past several days with the tonsillitis.

DON'T SAY IF WE HAD SAVED SAVE NOW

FAILURES console themselves with the excuse "if." "If I did that, or if I did this—". When the time comes that you want to buy a home, an automobile, send the children to college or take a long trip you don't want to say, "We could do it, if."

SAVE! SAVE REGULARLY! Save toward a definite goal. And when the time comes for you to carry out what you planned to do, YOU'LL DO IT.

SAVE. SAVE REGULARLY! And save at this bank where the service is friendly. Start the year right by opening an account here—NOW!

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Describes Our Meats

MEATS you can eat—meats you really enjoy. Temptingly fresh and tasty, juicy and tender. Try a steak or roast—THEN you'll be a steady customer of ours.

GROCERIES

The clean, fresh and pure kind that will make your meals delicious. Fresh vegetables and fruits, all the various kinds that the markets afford. Phone us your orders for service.

RILEY & BREWSTER

Winter laying depends upon what they are fed from now on!



IT is a big mistake to wait until too late and then try to force your hens for extra eggs! It takes a hen a little time to manufacture eggs. She cannot be rushed. The eggs she lays in the coming months are really started by the feed she gets now.

You do not take a chance when you are feeding Purina Chows. When you buy your Purina Poultry Chows, we will give you, free, egg record blanks, so you can mark on them the extra eggs you get every day. We want you to check up that way, because you'll never buy anything but Purina Chows, once you see what they actually do for you. Start feeding for those extra eggs now.



RUCKER PRODUCE LOCKNEY, TEXAS

NORTHCUTT'S GROCERY

BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

- Mothers China Oats 31c Plainview Flour, 48 lb. Sack \$2.15 Good Brooms 44c 4 lb. Package Raisins 44c 3lb. Can Folgers Comrade Coffee \$1.48 Post Bran Per Package 12c Gallon Can White Swan Syrup 90c 10 lbs. Cane Sugar 77c

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COMEDY—

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Friday—

'THE BOY FRIEND'

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BUCK JONES

'DESERT VALLEY'

COMEDY—

'Big Business'

Pathe News

10 Baylor Students

Killed at Crossing

CAGE SQUAD IS WIPED OUT AT GRADE CROSSING. SIX OF PARTY NOT HURT

ROUND ROCK, Texas, Jan. 22.—The best of Baylor University's athletic talent was killed here today when a fast International-Great Northern railroad train crashed into the University's privately owned parlor bus and took the lives of ten and injured five, one of whom is not expected to live. One of the party of 22, Dave Cheavens, sports editor of the Baylor Lariat who was missing, was found to be uninjured. He checked the party and left himself out.

Coach Ralph R. Wolf and his basketball players were scheduled to meet the University of Texas Longhorns tonight at Austin. They had completed all but 23 miles of their trip from Waco to the State Capitol.

Driver Saw Train Too Late—The driver apparently did not see the train until it was practically upon the bus crossing the tracks. The big machine was turned, but too late, the locomotive crashing into it amidst and dragging and carrying the bodies of the dead down the tracks. Joe Potter of West was the driver of the machine, and was among those uninjured.

Six of the athletes were killed outright, two died at Taylor and two in an ambulance en route to Georgetown, 11 miles away.

THE DEAD

JIMMIE S. WALKER, Greenville.
IVY FOSTER, Taylor.
W. E. MURRAY, Gatesville.
SAM DILLOW, Fort Worth.
J. CLYDE KELLEY, Waco.
MERLE H. DUDLEY Abilene.
BOB HAILEY, Lott.
BOB HANNAH
JACK CASTLELAW, Ennis.
WILLIAM WINCHESTER

THE INJURED

ED GOOCH, Ennis.
FRED ACREE, Waco.
WESLEY V. BRADSHAW, Athens.
JOE POTTER, West.
J. G. BERRY, Smithville.

THE UNINJURED

WEIR WASHAM.
KIEFER STRICKLAND.
LOUIS SLADE.
COACH RALPH R. WOLF.
J. R. KANE.
CECIL BEANE
DAVE CHEAVENS.

Eye Witness Describes Tragedy—Fred Acree with a broken back is the most seriously injured.

I. K. Howeth of San Antonio in his automobile was within 30 yards of the bus when the accident came.

"I heard the train whistle, but the bus driver apparently did not," Howeth said. When the engine was almost on him, the driver swerved but the engine crushed through the middle of the big automobile. Parts of several bodies were caught on the cow catcher.

Cream of Athletic Talent—Walker, Dillow, and Hannah were members of the first string basketball five, while J. Clyde Kelley was the outstanding athlete of the

Baptist school. Last fall he was named all-southwestern full back, largely because of punting ability and he was captain-elect of the 1927 eleven. Kelley was a star catcher in baseball and played guard in basketball.

Captain Louis Slade, basket ball center, and Fieffer Strickland, forward, and the scoring star of the team, were not injured.

Wesley Bradshaw, who was injured is well known in eastern professional football. In 1925, he played with Jim Thorp's Rock Island eleven. In 1926 he was all-southwestern quarter back on the championship Baylor eleven.

Coach Wolf, uninjured, is rated Baylor's greatest track star of all time. He specialized in dashes.

The top of the bus was crushed as though it was an egg shell. Despite the force of the impact, the automobile was not turned over. It was knocked in almost a complete circle.

Several eye witnesses said that the driver, apparently seeing the train just before the bus reached the track, jammed on his brakes and attempted to turn parallel with the tracks, but that the bus skidded on wet pavement and swerved directly in the train's path.

The train, the "Sunshine Special" stopped within a half mile of the crossing, and backed up to the crossing. The train crew saw four men extricate themselves from the wreckage.

Part of the body of one man was wedged beneath the cow catcher.

With the exception of two of the injured who were started in an ambulance for Georgetown, the dead and injured were placed in the baggage car and taken to Taylor.

Weir Washam, diminutive quarter back of the 1926 foot ball team, leaped from the rear of the bus and was uninjured.

Bits of Green and Gold.

About the shattered automobile were bits of green and gold cloth from the jerseys the Baylor players would have worn tonight as they entered the gymnasium at Austin. Bloody clothes and even more gruesome reminders of the tragedy were in evidence.

The inhabitants of this small town were shocked almost inarticulate by the crash, the second of its type within two years. Five Mexicans were killed two years ago at a crossing near here.

W. R. Wapsley, Round Rock mayor, and eye witness to the crash, said: "The driver of the bus had started across the track, apparently before he saw the train approaching."

Tried to Turn Machine.

"When it became evident that there would be a crash, he turned the machine and the train 'side-swiped' it."

Two players caught on the front of the speeding engine, were carried a distance of about 100 feet. Each had his arms locked around the other. An ambulance took Winchester and Hannah to a hospital in Georgetown. Both died about 1 p. m.

Telephone service was almost demoralized due to heavy rains and as a consequence called were delayed in arriving.

Switchmen and other employees around the depot were engaged practically all the rest of the day collecting organs from human bodies.

The stained waiting room of the depot resembled a war hospital with its bloody quilts and cots.

Uniforms of the men were kept in a locker room and friends were allowed to examine them.

Students Flock to Scene.

Students from Texas University here and Southwestern University at Georgetown, about 30 miles from Austin, gathered in great numbers. Many were intimate friends of the dead.

The Sunshine Special late 10 minutes, was delayed an hour before it started with its load of death.

Round Rock townspeople and countrymen milled in silent throngs around the depot hours after the bodies had been removed.

Kelley, star punter, was mangled. The leg which used to boot the ball far down the field was severed from the torso.

All the bodies were so mangled that identification was temporarily impossible.

Wreck Was "Predicted"

A railroad telegraph operator, until Friday stationed at Round Rock, predicted the day he left, 24 hours before the crash: "There's going to be an awful accident at this crossing," according to a Round Rock merchant.

The town tonight is stunned.

"This awful thing has thrown a shroud over Round Rock," one resident said. "We couldn't have been more shocked and stunned if a bomb had been thrown in the middle of the street."

Meanwhile, in Austin a cold and silent "gym" is ready for a basket ball game that will not be played.

Members of the Texas University squad were among those who came here from Austin to pay respects to the dead.

\$800,000 Bond Issue Carries Cottle County

Taxpayers Saturday Vote to Provide Funds for More Than 70 Miles Of Paved Highway

With a majority of slightly more than five to one taxpayers of Cottle county January 15 voted a special tax to provide for \$800,000 road bond issue, which will be used to pave 75 miles of highway in Cottle county, the greater portion of which will be state and federal aid projects, and on which approximately \$800,000 in state and federal aid is expected to be obtained.

The vote in Cottle county indicates the attitude of the people of that county toward the paving of the Lee Highway, which will be the principal artery paved across the county. A north and south route is also provided for as is also the improvement of some lateral roads.

Cottle is the fifth county to vote on the proposal to pave Lee Highway. It is second to carry the issue. Floyd Hale and Motley counties each on December 31 voted the proposal down by majorities ranging 152 against in Floyd county to 35 against in Motley county. Wilbarger where paving has been done in previous years, carried a bond issue similar to the Cottle county issue by a majority in excess of ten to one.

In Cottle county the special tax voted will require an assessment of a special tax of seventy cents the first year it is stated. It is for an amount \$300,000 in excess of the amount proposed in Floyd County.

Foard county which lies between Wilbarger and Cottle, will vote on their bond issue January 28.

Paving that will be done in Wilbarger and Cottle will be the first that is done on the Lee Highway in Texas.—Hesperian.

FARMER ELECTROCUTED NEAR FLOYDADA

T. J. Foster, well known farmer living south of Floydada, died in the hospital in Floydada Tuesday night as a result of injuries received while repairing a telephone line near his home. Foster was working on the line when a high line which crossed the telephone wires; suddenly sagged and came in contact with the line. The shock hurled Foster from the telephone pole and he fell backward into a wagon, sustaining burns that caused his death.

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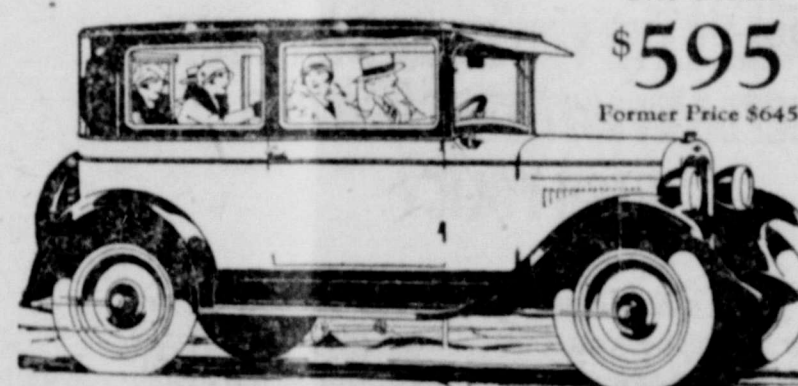
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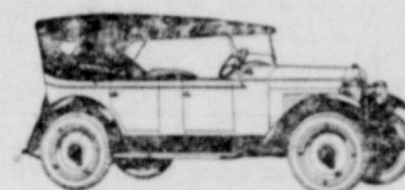
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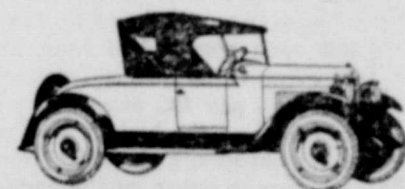
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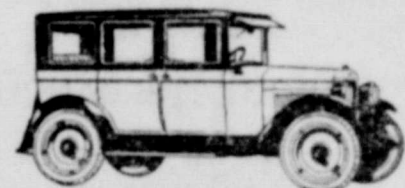
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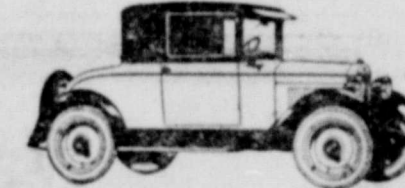
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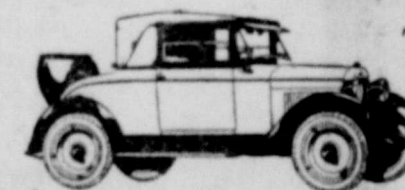
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C. OF C. BANGUET IS HUGE SUCCESS

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products to draw from. He stated that there were a number of big enterprises in line for Lockney, but that we would have to go after them. He asked the cooperation of the entire citizenship in helping make Lockney a bigger and better town. He stressed the value of a first class hotel for the town, and asked that the people put over the \$100,000 hotel that the chamber of commerce is working on at this time, and do so at once so that we could take care of the needs of the town at the present time, and entertain the prospective investors that will be coming to Lockney in the near future to look the town over.

Miss Estelle Byars favored the audience with a reading.

Rev. C. J. McCarty made a talk on "Why Finance the Chamber of Commerce," and stated that the religious educational and social relations were the principles that must stand out in front. He stated that oftentimes we are afraid of what other people will say, and neglect to do the things we should do, but that every citizen should be for the upbuilding of the town, and men and women that want to do, will do. He stated that the chamber of commerce gives us a medium through which we can sell our town, and that if you believe in your town you can sell it through this organization. To sell a town it must be known, or you must make it known, advertise it. He stated that practically all of us were immigrants to this town. "We came, we saw, we became citizens." That is upon the same principle that the immigrants who came here in the future will become citizens. People must know of the country. They must know of the opportunities, if you expect to interest them. He stated that there was nothing in the community that would take the place of the human element, and, therefore all our advancement depends upon the efforts of someone else. That we must lose sight of personal interest and be willing to help every institution and enterprise in the development program, and that everyone should put the welfare and interests of the town above everything else. He said the way to finance the chamber of commerce was by selling it to the people of the community. He stated that the man who does not believe in the chamber of commerce strong enough to put his money into it does not believe in it very strong. He considered the budget system the best way to finance the organization, and plead for the entire citizenship to lend their support financially and morally. He stated that a few men could make a little effort toward development, but a united citizenship could accomplish wonders, and that all men should have self-respect enough to want to do their share of the work and financing, for if this Chamber of Commerce can't sell Lockney to its own citizenship, it can't be expected to sell Lockney to the outside world. He stated that the budget plan includes every citizen, and that every citizen should bear his part of the financial work, for no one appreciates a dead town.

Prof. W. D. Biggers made a talk on the budget system in which he said, "You have got to put your material out; you have got to put your advertising out; if you expect to bring them in." He stated that the Chamber of Commerce must be put on a business basis—put on a budget system, and the budget system will put it on a business basis. Funds must be set aside for each project, and a full budget must be raised to take care of the needs of the town, and

that the budget must be raised at one time, and thereby save time and expense. He said there were many things that would demand money from the chamber of commerce this year, and if the chamber of commerce is to function it must have the money to do the work with. He said the success of a town depended upon its man power, which means expense, as well as work, and that you can't get anything worth having unless you pay for it. Mr. Biggers summed the whole proposition up, and said that it was just a matter of cooperation of the people, and the entire community giving their support to an organization that would have no selfish interests, but that every member would work in harmony with the other for the development of the town.

Short talk were made by R. E. Patterson, A. J. Watson, Rev. T. J. Rea, and a final talk was made by Mr. D. E. Cox, the new Santa Fe agent, in which he stated that, "He came from next to the best town on the Plains, to the best town on the Plains," and that he had been trying to come to Lockney for the past several years, and now that he was here he was ready and willing to do everything he could to help build up the town.

At this time a list was read by Robin Baker and W. C. Watson of the Chamber of Commerce finance committee, in which each business firm and business man of the town was assessed his pro rata on the budget for 1927, and each man present was asked if he was willing to pay the assessment, and there was no objection raised, as it was found that each person had been assessed according to his financial standing and ability to pay the assessment. More than half of the budget was pledged at the banquet, and we feel sure that each person listed on the budget will gladly pledge the amount that he or his firm has been assessed.

ABOUT THE BANQUET

By Ray B. McCorkle

Approximately 150 citizens of Lockney and the Lockney community at-

tended the chamber of commerce banquet held in this city Tuesday evening. Had the weather been fair there would have been a larger attendance though those present came for one reason and that was to see that the chamber of commerce was given financial and moral backing.

At the close of the banquet, slips were passed around and approximately \$5,000 was pledged to the work.

Of this amount one-fourth was paid in cash (or will be during the week) and the balance comes in three equal payments during the year.

The finance committee set the quota and named the amounts it thought each firm or individual should contribute, and there were no "kickers."

At first it was planned to have a number of out-of-town speakers, but owing to the inclement weather they were unable to attend, so local speakers including Rev. C. J. McCarty, T. J. Rea, Early Arceneaux, Supt. Biggers and A. B. Brown were drafted into service.

A number of good women aided the secretary in arranging for the banquet, and while they have not been awarded anything more than a verbal "thank you" we trust this will not be the case in the future. Mr. Phenix is also due the thanks of the organization for the good work he did in preparing the food.

The chamber of commerce is not rich, but it has more money and a brighter future at this time than ever in the history of the local organization. Lockney is destined for a rapid growth, and if the strangers are properly cared for it is necessary that a strong commercial organization be kept in operation.

Quite a number of people have turned in their dues for the first quarter of the year, and those who have not will see the secretary at their earliest possible convenience.

It is just a matter of "watching Lockney Grow," and it is up to you to do your part in making this possible.

If you are a member of the chamber of commerce it is up to you to work. If you are not a member just remember that the secretary, Ray B. McCorkle, has plenty of blanks

and wants your name.

CHIROPRACTOR FATALLY SHOT FARMER IN BADLY HURT

Guy Longbotham is Dead. P. E. Little is in Hospital. Shotgun vs. Pistol

BIG SPRING, Jan. 21.—Formal charge of murder was filed here tonight against P. E. Little, Howard County farmer, in connection with the shooting at 10 a. m. today of Dr. Guy Longbotham, chiropractor. Little is in the Mercy hospital recover-

ing from bullet wounds in the hip and neck suffered during the gun battle which occurred when Dr. Longbotham drove up to his office, in front of which Little is said to have been waiting. Two charges of buckshot from a double barreled shotgun struck Longbotham in the left side. Little was shot with an automatic pistol, three shots being fired from the pistol two taking effect.

Five Shots Fired

Eye-witnesses say they do not know who fired first, that the five shots came in quick succession. Little, they say was standing by his automobile, when Dr. Longbotham got out of his car after the shooting started, it is said, and then stumbled out on the far side, staggering a few steps before he fell.

Both Are Married

Longbotham was 26 years old. He is married and has one child. Dr. Longbotham is said to have been treating members of Little's family.

Little is said by eye-witnesses to have been waiting in front of Dr. Longbotham's office for some time this morning before the chiropractor who is said to have spent the night here this week looking after business in the country, drove up to the office.

Dr. Longbotham is survived by a brother, three sisters, his parents, as well as a widow and two children. Little will recover of his wounds, it is said. He is a half-brother of Jimmie Little county attorney.

TRAINING SCHOOL AT FLOYDADA SUNDAY

Rev. B. L. Nance of Abilene, Texas will conduct a training school for the Sunday school teachers of the Methodist church, Sunday afternoon and night January 30th, at Floydada. All those interested in the Lockney district are especially urged to be present at the afternoon session. The following topics will be presented:

"Life and Letters of St. Paul," taught by Rev. J. P. Patterson.

"Organization and Administration," by Rev. B. L. Nance.

"Training the Devotional Life," by Miss Mary Woodson, Fort Worth.

"Methodist Church and its Work," by Prof. Evans, of Tech College.

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AUSTIN, Jan. 21.—Charging that James E. Ferguson during the two year gubernatorial term of his wife, Miriam A. Ferguson, dominated and "Commercialized" the governor's office, the house investigating committee declared that impeachment is the only recourse under existing laws. The report of the committee of nine, appointed last fall at a special session of the 39th Legislature was read to the house by the Fortieth representative Lee Satterwhite of Potter county, chairman.

As it carried no recommendations, the report will likely not be debated. It is of about 7,000 words, and is the committee's summary of about 600,000 words of testimony complied during the six weeks the committee sat as a court.

To Print Report.
"The report will be printed in the journal, and will serve as a guide to the house," Representative Claude D. Teer of Williamson county said. "The report shows clearly what evils of the past must be avoided."

The report declared that James E. Ferguson through practically usurping dictating "for political favoritism and financial gain," the power and prestige of the governor's office, was a private citizen and therefore beyond the pale of the law.

Not Anticipated.
"It was never anticipated by any previous law-making body, or by the framers of legislation of this state that such a condition would ever arise that is, that the Governor's office would so completely come under the power and domination of a private individual who would take advantage of the opportunity to commercialize this great and sacred public trust to the enrichment of himself, and members of his immediate family, and porters.

"We, therefore, now have no law, or laws, to prohibit such usurpation of power by a private citizen. Otherwise, there is no doubt in our minds but that the investigations of the Travis County grand jury, and by this committee, would have resulted in the return of indictments for criminal offense.

It is our opinion further, that the only recourse under existing laws is by impeachment for the wrongs done to our state by the chief executive."

BORGER MURDER SUSPECT FREED ON \$2,500 BOND

BORGER, Tex., Jan. 22.—Tom Whitley, charged with the murder of Mrs. A. A. Monte, wife of a filling station proprietor here, who was killed last Saturday night when two masked men held up the filling station, was released on bond of \$2,500 by Judge Webb this morning when the defense waived preliminary hearing.

Whitley was taken to Amarillo today to face another charge of hijacking.

Tex Beach, arrested in Amarillo in an apartment last Tuesday with Whitley and also charged with the murder, will appear in preliminary hearing here Tuesday.

In the Whitley hearing, which was halted today when Whitley's attorneys waived furtherance, the state produced three witnesses. The court room was crowded to capacity, many spectators being obliged to remain outside.—Amarillo News.

AMARILLO NOW UNDER QUARANTINE

AMARILLO, Texas, Jan. 24.—Amarillo last night took on the appearance of old war times in France or martial law in Oklahoma with the wood fires of sentries gleaming across the snow where the guards are stationed around the Mexican section on smallpox quarantine duty.

The police were prepared last night for "hot shot" calls as the Mexicans are expected to "break" quarantine lines.

The first outbreak of trouble came at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon when a white man, who was caught smuggling the Mexicans through the lines engaged police and special officers in a pistol battle.

The white man, who runs a Mexican cot house at First and Buchanan streets, was seen passing Mexicans through the quarantine lines by Special M. L. Robinette.

Fires From House

An argument broke out and after a scuffle the man ran into a house Robinette called the station for assistance. L. H. Miller, motorcycle officer, was standing in front of a rear window when the firing began, and a bullet shot through the glass barely missing his head, and as he, Robinette started to stalk the man, the .32 automatic pistol later found in the sanitarium.

in his bed showed he had fired two shots, the other through the door.

Eight or ten shots were exchanged several special officers and police arrived in a few minutes and Chief of Police Gaither finally induced the man to come out and give himself up.

J. Frank Norris Found Not Guilty

COURTROOM, AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 25.—Dr. J. Frank Norris, fundamental Baptist pastor of Fort Worth, tonight stepped for the third time from the court room a free man.

He was acquitted by a jury in Travis county district court of murdering Dexter E. Chipps, wholesale lumberman of Fort Worth, whom he slew in his church office on the afternoon of last July 17.

A jury of his peers, composed of farmers, laborers, a former sheriff, clerks and merchants, said that Norris shot Chipps to save his own life when the latter came into the pastor's study to protest against attacks Norris had made on Mayor H. C. Meacham of Fort Worth and other friends of Chipps.

DISTRICT CONVENTION OF W. T. C. OF C. AT CROSBYTON

CROSBYTON, Jan. 24.—The date has just been set for the Central South Plains convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held at Crosbyton. On April 7, the towns of the Plains and adjoining territory will be given an opportunity, to put over a good program, according to Homer D. Wade, manager of the rest Texas chamber of commerce.

Crosbyton, the host city, has begun to lay plans for the big meet. Definite plans will be sent to the various cities in the future and all will be given opportunity to take part in an instructive entertaining program. The people of Crosbyton are optimistic regarding the success and anticipate an interest that will exceed any similar meeting.

The generally depressing conditions felt on account of the low price of cotton does not appear to have effected Crosbyton any great deal for the city is doing more building recently than in years. Good prospects for crops, wheat is in excellent condition and general business conditions point to a high spirited meeting on April 7.

PLAINVIEW SANITARIUM NEWS

J. J. McCollum of Ranger, Texas who was injured in an automobile accident has been discharged.

Mrs. Ira Bean of Silverton was a patient in the sanitarium recently.

Mrs. S. L. E. Brummett of Gasoline Texas was in the sanitarium recently and underwent an eye operation.

T. L. Strange of Silverton is doing nicely since undergoing an operation for double hernia.

Miss Cordelia Husman of Dimmitt came down last week and had her tonsils removed.

Henry Kohles of Nazareth, Texas brought his wife to the sanitarium where she was a patient recently.

Little Leslie Seaman of near Plainview underwent an operation for tonsils recently.

Mrs. W. T. Lawson of this city has been discharged after undergoing a successful operation recently.

Mattie Fay Stewart, daughter of J. R. Stewart, of Lorenzo, Texas was admitted to the sanitarium on the 9th where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Joe Nelms who was injured recently in an accident was brought to the sanitarium for medical attention. Mr. Nelms is doing nicely having been discharged several days ago.

Mrs. J. B. Burselson of Corona, N. M. had her tonsils removed recently.

Mrs. W. H. Lindsey of this city underwent a tonsilectomy last week.

Leon Winders, 16 year-old son of L. D. Winders of Flag, Texas has been discharged from the sanitarium where he has been suffering from a fractured arm for some time.

Little Terry Martin of this city had his tonsils removed recently.

Mrs. T. P. Johnson of Ponca City, Oklahoma, daughter of Dr. McFarling of Tulsa who has been in the sanitarium some time with pneumonia is doing nicely and will soon be able to be discharged.

Mrs. Ray B. Jones has been discharged after undergoing a successful operation.

H. L. Dent's 13-year old daughter is recovering from a successful operation for appendicitis.

C. J. Bomar of Silverton brought his three-year old son over for medical treatment, recently.

Little Ruth Norris of Happy, Texas was operated on Friday for appendicitis and since that time has been resting well.

Gilbert Sinclair was painfully injured at the Plainview Cotton oil mill Monday but is resting quite well in the sanitarium.

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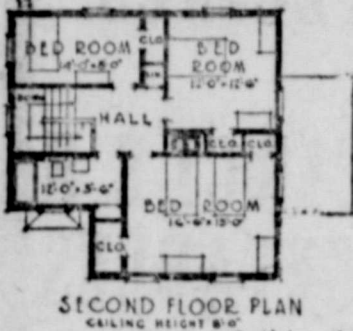
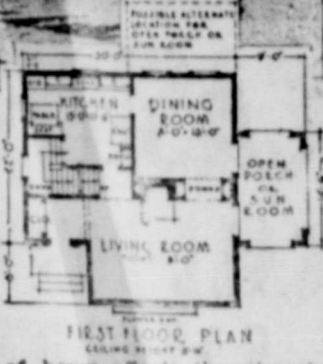
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MUSIC MEMORY HONOR ROLL

Interest in the music memory contest work is increasing each day. Those who do not make perfect grades on their tests are striving to do so. Those making 100 this week are:

Cammie Lamar, Dovie Williams, Gladys McClesky, Willie Hill, Lula Visage, Doyle Dobson, Opal Lee Wofford, Audra Crosswhite, Glenn Jar-nagin, Charlie Wofford, Alice Stewart, Mary Leda McAdams, Floyd Still, Claudine Thornton, Jennie Marie Anderson, Ola Visage, Jamaiah Sullivan, Jaunita Dagley, Lucille Quisenberry, Mildred Mays, Rachel Graves, Ineta Wilkinson, Marie Reeves, Floyd Ewing, Orlene Watson, Maurine Watson, Ruth Lee, Opal Thornton, Wynona Wofford, Ouida Townsend, Syc-gale Wofford, Thurmond Rigdon, and Nettie Mae Wilkinson.

Parent Teacher's Association.

The P. T. A. met last Thursday but the greater part of those present were teachers.

The Home Demonstration club met with us and as we belong to both clubs we decided to combine the two organizations and in that way we feel that we can accomplish more work and take care of both clubs at one meeting.

Parents we need your hearty co-operation. We need you to meet with us and help us to have a wide awake P. T. A. What does your child's education mean to you?

Who is that child's teacher. Do you know her personally. Have you ever consulted them about your child's studies. His or her ambitions. The teacher could do much more for your child in the school room if she understood that child.

Come parents, lets get to be acquainted with our teachers because of our association it is possible for any right-minded man or woman in the community to establish a friendly relationship among the teachers and parents that will result in mutual co-operation, mutual pleasure and mutual profits.

Our next meeting will be on February 10th., at the Home Economics room at the high school building. We are counting on you. Please don't fail us.—Reporter.

Campbell 4 H Girls Demonstration Club.

The Campbell 4 H club girls met January 17, at 2 o'clock and the Campbell school building with their demonstration agent Miss Bass.

The purpose of the meeting was to elect officers for the new year. Those elected are as follows: Miss Mary Grace Amborn, president; Miss Arma Lee Fuqua, vice-president; Miss Lyda Lee Robertson, secretary; Miss Mattie Garner, reporter.

The club will meet the first Tuesday in February (Feb. 1) at the Campbell school building, 10:30 o'clock. Each member is urged to be present with their sewing box and prepared to make a hem patch.—Reporter.

Lockney Home Demonstration Club.

The Lockney Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Kate Collier; Mrs. T. L. Griffith, vice-president; Mrs. Pearl Gunn, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. W. L. Whitt, reporter.

The various committees appointed are as follows: Membership, Mrs. F. M. Kester, Mrs. Carl McAdams, and Mrs. Jim Dines. Program committee, Mrs. Carl McAdams, Mrs. T. L. Griffith, and Mrs. Kate Collier.

A motion was made for the Lockney Home Demonstration club to join the Women's Federated club, which was carried unanimously. We thank the P. T. A. for uniting with our club. We hope to work together in harmony and be of much help to our town and teachers.

Miss Bass gave us a very interesting talk on the history of a braided rug, also showing the good points of a rug. The ladies of Hale county have challenged the ladies of Floyd county in a rug contest. Come now and let's get busy. Come and bring

your rug materials, old rags, silk material, old yarn etc., and Miss Bass will give us a lesson and demonstration on rug making. We wish more women would come and get the lessons. We need you to make our club a good one.

Our new Year Books are out and we have many useful and practical lessons for the home keepers. We urge you to pay us a visit.

Program—"The Braided rug." Hostess.—Mrs. Kester. Order of business.

Roll Call.—A pretty color for a braided rug, showing color if possible.

Leader.—Mrs. McAdams. The history of the braided rug.—Mrs. Dines.

Principles of rug making and demonstration of different types of braids.—Miss Bass. Adjournment.

David Bates is now located at Abilene, and has ordered his Beacon sent to 634 Peach Street, Abilene, Texas, so that he may keep up with what is taking place in Lockney.

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Four o'clock is the children's zero hero. Thirty-three of the 182 children killed by autos in Chicago last year came to grief at four o'clock, playing in the streets after school.

Seven to nine is the dangerous time for adult auto fatalities, according to Chicago's 1924 record. Eighty-six of 253 such deaths occurred around the theater-going hours.

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WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Twelve room house in West Lockney at a bargain.—See S. W. Perry, Woldridge Lbr. Co. 15tp

FOR SALE—Ford delivery car, practically new, and in perfect mechanical condition.—See G. S. Morris.

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

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 160 acres choice land, close to good school, on highway.—See Marshall Davis. 14-4-c

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. DuBose, Plainview, Texas. 2-18tp 19.

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FOR SALE—One horse buggy with top.—See S. A. Thompson, Lockney, Texas. 17 3tp

FOR SALE—Seed barley 65c per bushel. Seed oats 50c per bushel.—See E. R. Bryant. 18tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Almost new Ford truck, will trade for town lots. See T. B. Hill. 16tp

FOR SALE—One ton truck, good shape, worth the money.—Crager Furniture Company 17tp

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FOR RENT—New six room house close in. Hard wood floors. Also 4 room and 5 room house.—Jim Lash & Company, Phone 215. 606 Broadway, Lockney, Texas. Next door to Quality Shoe Shop. 19 2tc

FOR SALE—Cheap, a three-drop set of stage scenery, in good condition.—See or write J. L. Speer, Mickey, Texas. 14tp

FOR SALE—Purebred White Leghorns year old pullets now laying also have few nice cockrels.—See G. M. Combs at First National Bank.

WANTED TO BUY—Three or four sections of land in Floyd county.—Brown Sydnor Company, 206 Touraine Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas. 19 3tc

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FOR EXCHANGE—320 acres between Plainview and Petersburg. Want 160 acres near Plainview.—Jim Lash & Company, 606 Broadway, Plainview, Texas.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the 40th, Legislature, at its regular session for the enactment of a law repealing H. B. No. 377 entitled an act to create Lockney Independent School District, passed by the 39th Legislature at the first called session thereof and approved Oct. 13th., 1926.

(Signed)
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FOR SALE—Jersey milk cows for sale.—See Roscoe Moreland. 182tp

FOR EXCHANGE—40 acres near Plainview. Improved, will trade for town lots in Plainview.—Jim Lash & Company, 606 Broadway, Plainview, next door Quality Shoe Shop.

FOR TRADE—Ford Sedan to trade for Ford Coupe.—See A. J. Randolph, Phone 9015 F 21.

WANTED—A young man to work for Holmes Bros. Hiltop Farm. Come to the farm or write us.—Floydada 2t

FOR SALE—One milk cow, about five years old, extra good butter cow.—See H. Cook, Lockney, Texas. 1t

HAY FOR SALE—Between 3 and 5 cars of Good Hay for sale.—A. D. Major, Route 2, Lockney. 19-4t-p

Pullets, laying now, \$1.50 each.—
FOR SALE—200 Rhode Island Red H. J. Irick, Lockney, Texas. 1t

NOTICE—I build and repair ues.—T. R. Brashear, 5 miles east of Lockney. 1t

County Judge Wm. McGehee and County Attorney Robt. A. Sone were in Lockney Friday of last week on business and visiting with friends.

Rev. B. L. Nance of Amarillo was here last week visiting Rev. T. J. Rea.

SOME OLD NEW ENGLAND DISHES

Golden Custard Pie—Arrange a fluted pie shell on a deep plate and fill with the following mixture: Heat 1 pint of milk. Beat together 3 eggs and 1-2 cupful of sugar; add a pinch of salt and gradually stir in hot milk. Have the oven quite hot at first, in order that the pie may brown nicely. Then lower the heat and bake until the custard is firm. After the pie is cold, sprinkle lightly with nutmeg.

New England Boiled Dinner—Soak a piece of corned beef over night in the morning place over the fire in a large kettle, iron if possible. Then clean and prepare the following vegetables: beets, carrots, parsnips, turnips, cabbage, and potatoes. Have quite a number of beets, which should be put in kettle as soon as cleaned. Pare and slice one or two small turnips and place in kettle. The cabbage which should have been soaked in cold water, is next added. Scrape about a dozen carrots, and if old add to dinner about an hour before dinner is served. About half an hour before the other vegetables have finished cooking add the peeled potatoes and parsnips. Remove from the fire, place the beets in cold water, to remove the skins; slice the beets, carrots and parsnips, and arrange the entire dinner on one large platter if possible.

Baked Indian Pudding—Stir 1-2 cupful of cornmeal into two cupfuls hot milk. Add 1-2 cupful suet, chopped very fine, 1-2 cup molasses, 1 egg, 1-2 teaspoonful salt, 1-4 teaspoonful each of ginger and cinnamon. Turn into a buttered baking dish, and pour 1 cupful cold milk and one half cupful cold water over the top. Bake slowly for three hours. Serve with cream and sugar, whipped cream, vanilla ice-cream, or hard sauce. Small pieces enough parsnips to make three cupfuls. Peel and slice potatoes enough to make 1-2 cupful and cook them in enough water to cover. Cut salt pork into tiny dice—there should be 1-2 cupful—and try out. Add the fat to the vegetables. When the potatoes and parsnips are very soft, add a quart of milk and allow to come to the boiling point. Thicken with two level teaspoonfuls flour and season to taste with salt and pepper. Serve with crackers or toasted bread strips.

New England Dinner of Greens—Early in the morning a piece of salt pork should be put to boiling. The greens, should be thoroughly cleaned and washed and put in the kettle about an hour before the time of serving, unless the greens are very old indeed. Half an hour before dinner add peeled potatoes in same kettle with the greens. When done remove to a collender and drain thoroughly. Arrange greens and potatoes on platter and garnish with slices of pork. The greens are usually dressed with vinegar, but a thin boiled salad dressing may be used.

Apple Pan Dowdy—Fill a ten-quart pan with sliced apples. Sweeten with about 3 cupfuls of sugar and sprinkle with cinnamon and bits of butter. Bake in a slow oven all day or until the apples are a reasonable thick jelly. Remove from the oven and, when the pan is cool enough to handle, cover with the following crust:

Sift together 1 cupful cornmeal and two cupfuls flour and 1-2 teaspoonful of salt. Work into the dry ingredients with the fingers about 1-3 milk into which soda has been stirred. The dough should be of the consistency of biscuit dough. Roll out and place over the apples. Cut slits in the top to allow steam to escape. Place in oven again, raise the temperature and allow the dowdy to brown nicely. Break the crust, arrange in a large dish, and cover with

the apples. Serve with sugar and cream.

Pumpkin Pie—Cut a pumpkin in cubes, and allow it to cook all day, in an iron kettle if possible. When done there should be no moisture and the pumpkin should be dark. Rub through a collander. For each pie take 1 cupful of pumpkin, 1-2 cupful of brown sugar, 1-2 teaspoonful of cinnamon, 1-2 teaspoonful of ginger, pinch of salt, 1 beaten egg, and two cupfuls of milk. Mix in the order given, scald, partly cool, and fill the pie shell. Bake like custard pie.

AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FIRE LAW, SO AS TO READ AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, that the following fire limit is hereby established and defined, to-wit:

Sec. 1. Beginning at the southeast corner of lot 10 block 23, thence north to the southeast corner of lot 10, block 11, thence east to the southeast corner of lot 13, block 11; thence north to the northeast corner of lot 14, block 2; thence west to the northeast corner of lot 1, block 2; thence north to the north line of the West Texas Gin property, being 190 feet east of the northwest corner of said property; thence in a westerly direction to a point one hundred and fifty feet west of the northwest corner of the four acre tract, known as the Robbs tract, thence south to the northwest corner of lot 1, block 3; thence west to the northwest corner of lot 14, block 3; thence south to the southwest corner of lot 13, block 10; thence east to the southwest corner of lot 10, block 10; thence south to the southwest corner of lot 10, block 22; thence east to the southeast corner of lot 10, block 23, the beginning point.

Sec. 2. From and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to erect, construct, or build or place or re-locate any wooden building on any of the property located within that portion of the City described above, or to add to, enlarge any house, building or improvements now located thereon and constructed of wood, corrugated iron or sheet iron.

Sec. 3. Hereinafter ever house, building or other structure to be erected on any of the said property above named, shall be constructed with walls wholly of brick, stone or reinforced concrete, whereof the sleepers, joist, casing, studsings, ceiling, flooring and other inside work may be made of wood, provided that the roof of any such building shall be constructed of only fire proof material.

Sec. 4. Any building or structure placed, or replaced or erected within the fire limits herein defined, is a violation of this ordinance and is hereby declared to be a nuisance and shall be removed as such.

Sec. 5. Any person, or persons, firm, or corporation desiring to erect, construct, or build, place or replace, or add too any building within that portion of the City described in section 1 of this ordinance, and to build same of the above mentioned fire proof material, must first get a permit from the City Council.

Sec. 6. Any person or persons who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be adjudged guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than \$25, nor more than \$100. It is further provided that each day after notice is given to abate such nuisance, shall constitute a separate offense under this ordinance.

The second and third reading of this ordinance is hereby waived and it shall become in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Passed and approved this the 24th day of January, 1927.

T. Z. REED, Mayor, City of Lockney, Texas.

ATTEST:
E. O. BAKER, City Secretary.

ELECTION ORDER

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOCKNEY, TEXAS, that an election be held on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1927, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of the City of Lockney in the sum of twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), payable serially over a period of forty years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the rate of six per centum (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of the construction of waterworks im-

provements in and for said City, as authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held in the Director's Room of the First National Bank in the City of Lockney, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit:

S. J. Baldwin, Presiding Judge.
D. C. Lowe, Judge.
Mrs. Carl McAdams, Clerk.
Mrs. Ed Reeves, Clerk.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property taxpayers of said City, shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

And those opposed to the issuance of the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVY OF A TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

THEREOF." The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Lockney, and attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up at three public places in said City, one of which shall be the hereinbefore named polling place, for at least thirty (30) full days prior to date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said City, and which notice shall be published each week for five weeks, the date of first publication being not less than thirty (30) full days prior to the date of the election.

T. Z. REED, Mayor, City of Lockney, Texas.

ATTESTED:
E. O. BAKER, City Secretary, City of Lockney, Texas.

(CITY SEAL) 19 5tc

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