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Lockney, Texas, Thursday, January 26th, 1928

W. B. Wilson Killed **Thursday Afternoon**

Shot in Back With Charge of Buck Shot-Dead When Reached Lockney

W. B. (Bradford) Wilson, age 48 years, five months and nine days, was shot to death on one of his farms, 20 miles northeast of Lockney, about five o'clock last Thursday afternoon, a shot gun loaded with buckshot being the weapon used, 12 or 13 shot taking effect in his back between the shoulders and passing out on the left side of his neck. T. E. Campbell is now in iail at Floydada, and officers are still trying to find out what was the cause of the tragedy, if there was any reason for the murder of Wilson.

Mr. Wilson, who lived in the Fairview community, had gone to the place owned by him, and on which Homer Campbell, son of T. E. Campbell, was the tenant, on business, and while there was shot in the back and died just as he was being taken from in which Homer Campbell a car brought him to Lockney for medical aid. No motive for the murder has been given.

Homer Campbell, son of the slayer, stated that Bradford Wilson and himself had been walking about the farm talking about matters pertaining to the farm, and after finishing their business Wilson spoke of having to return to his home to help with the dressing of hogs, which had been killed at the Wilson home, and as Wilson started to get into the car, he noticed his father had a gun pointed at Wilson, and before he could grab the gun and stop his father, the gun was discharged into Wilson's body. Homer stated that he wrestled the gun from his father's hand, and broke the gun beyond repair on a nearby fence post, and then placed Wilson in the car and hurried to Lockney, Wilson dying while en route to town.

T. E. Campbell, age 72 years, i now in jail at Floydada, and so far -no reason for his action has been give en to the public, and as far as can be learned, no reason what so ever has been assigned for the tragedy.

W. Bradford Wilson was born in Tennessee, Aug. 10th, 1879. He came to Texas when about six years of



SERIES OF CRASHES LEST YOU FORGET COST LIFE OF ONE

marillo Postal Employee Dies Soon After Automobile Accident, on Highway Near Hereford

place at the high school auditorium Friday evening, Jan. 27th? In case you have forgot, here is the answer: "Come Out of the Kitchen," an enter

WILL MAKE DRIVE FOR EGG MARKETING STATION JANUARY 27TH Do you remember what is to take Will Organize Marketing Association So That Top Prices Can be Had

for Poultry Products At the regular meeting of the

FEDERATED CLUBS MEETING

The gin owned and operated by C.

MOVING THEIR STORE

Heads Handling Machine and Praise the Invention Seventy-five capitalists, grain deal-Up to Tuesday of this week there had been 2204 poll tax receipts issued ers and farmers, were in Lockney in Floyd county, with a possibility of Tuesday inspecting the combination the voting strength to reach 3,500 by grain sorghum heads dump and thresh

Ayres Shows Head

Heart of the Best Farming Section of the Plains

2204 Poll Tax Have Been Paid to Capitalists and Farmers Inspect New

OFFICIAL PAPER

OF THE CITY OF

LOCKNEY

Machine to Visitors

Number 19

the 1st day of February, there being er recently invented by Ray C. Ayers, about 1200 more poll taxes in the local grain dealer, following an ancounty that are yet to be paid, and the nouncement of a public inspection. overs and unders will bring the total R. W. Seawell, Dallas Patent Attorney, and R. D. McBride, represeno around 3,500. The auto registrations have kept tative of Dallas capital, were present

With Poll Tax

pace with the poll tax so far, however, and stated that this machine would practically all cars are now register- fill a long needed want to the farmers ed, and the poll tax payments will and grain dealers of this section, in gain on the motors from now on. 350 that, a 50 percent saving in the handtrucks have been registered in the ling of the grain sorghum heads could county. The registeration of motor be made over the former methods vehicles will be larger this year than employed.

Tuesday-2200 Autos Register.

ed in County

Autos Run Race

ever before in the county, and the reg- The device, as formally presented istration shows that there is a car to by Ayers, consisted of a grain dump, practically every family in the county, especially designed to handle grain which should be good argument for sorghum heads; a system of conveygood roads. This year the county is ors, installed in a manner to allow allowed to keep a much larger per- only the proper amount of heads to centage of the auto license tax for use be carried to the threshing cylinder; on the roads of the county, and many a threshing cylinder that is approxcars that have registered heretofore imately four times as large as that in adjoining counties, have registered usually employed in an ordinary grain in the home county in order to reap the benefits of their taxes in the way grade of work; a storage room to take of helping to build better county care of excess heads. This machine

The tax collectors' office reports All present expressed the view that that collections of taxes are goed this the machine would not only reduce the year, and they are well pleased with cost of handling the grain by the the way that the tax payers are pay- elevators, but would be a great timeing their taxes, which will save the saver to the farmer, due to the fact people of the county much money, as that the unloading feature would be the penalty will have to be placed on completed much faster by mechanical very few of the landholders of the means than by the former method of unloading with forks. county.

In County Court The case of the State of Texas vs. noon hour. Mr. Ayers being assisted M. L. Rexrode, charged with aggra- in serving by members of the local vated assault, went to trial in the Chamber of Commerce. ounty court Monday morning, a jury

rial was had, and the jury returned a verdict Tuesday, assessing Rexnd a fine of \$200. We understand the past week.

he case will be appealed. Meacham, Jan. 20th.

IS POSTPONED Tipps, Jan. 20th.

oer and accomplishing a higher is housed under one roof.

A banquet was served to the visitors and a number of farmers at the

Marriage Licenses The following marriage licenses od's punishment at 30 days in jail, have been issued by the County Clerk

Theron Bishop and Miss Loucile W. T. Graham and Miss Ava Kate

age, and came to Floyd county" in He lived a devoted life and was a faithful member of the Fairview church at the time of his death.

Mr. Wilson was married to Miss Calla Randolph Jan. 7th, 1907. He is Hereford Sunday night. survived by his wife, five children, three brothers, and five sisters. The children are: Miss Winnie Wilson, Baptist church at Idalou, Texas. The Raymond, and Miss Thomsie Bean, while! sisters are: Mrs. Fannie Montague Miss Ellyn Dickson and T. H. Bean of of Floydada; Mrs. and the function of Wes-Plainview; Mrs. C. W. Gounds of Wes-parked car and crashed into a Chrys-Last Friday afternoon, the Lockney ing question was the only thing of and feeding will also be present. was a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. H. chine. C. Randolph, who live 14 miles east of A few moments later the two Can- feated record of our girls. At the

of the Floyd County Baptist Associa- ed into Wright's car, overturning neither side was able to play a hardtion; Cal McGahey, former pastor of theirs. the Fairview Baptist church; Y. F. Baker Wamble, a Hereford youth, Walker, present pastor of the Fair- stated that the two Canyon youths former pastor, and life long friend of speed they were traveling. Lockney. A talk was also made over Friona State bank, lifted the elder last week report the food to be of died here today of injuries received take care of their patrons. the remains of his brother, Rev. Joe, Wright in Wamble's car and hurried good quality and palatable.

Director, Grady R. Crager.

One of the largest audiences ever funeral. Many people attended from according to the information Sheriff gregation at Fairview attended in a terday afternoon. states.

the office of the Sltaonite, at Slaton, the coupe's right rear fender. Mr. Texas, spent the week-end in Lockney, and friends.

Jan. 25.-Eddie Smith Amarillio, and Weldon Burney of Canyon are taining three-act comedy will be pre- Chamber of Commerce in the base-1892. He was converted and joint awaiting action of the Deaf Smith sented by the Senior class on that ment of the Methodist church Moncounty grand jury which convenes date at 7:30 p. m. The audience will day at noon, the main topic for disnext Monday, in the accidental death be favored between acts with music cussion was the organization of an of Charles S. Wright, Amarillo pos- furnished by the Lockney Orchestra, egg and poultry marketing associatal employe, on the highway near directed by Miss Cox. General admis- tion of the farmers and business men

fatally injured the man, voluntarily Store. returned to Hereford yesterday after- Come out to see "Come Out of the the marketing system that was in use teacher in Center action of those statements before shere Kitchen." You won't regret it. If it that place, made a report which country; Walton Wilson, a student in iff Claude Benton and denied that they you are weary after a day of hard was favorably received by the busiteacher in Center school of Floyd noon to make statements before Sher- Kitchen." You won't regret it. If at that place, made a report which Wayland College, Plainview; Ran- knew of hititng the 51-year-old man work, come and forget your weariness ness men present, and a drive will be dolph, Woodrow and Edna Beth Wil- until they were infromed in Canyon. by laughing at the pompous old Tuck- made to induce a large number of son, who are at home with their moth- They were not placed under arrest. er, his peculiarities, and awkward farmers to co-operate with the busi-The fatal accident came after a love making. Hear Thomas Lefferts, ness men of Lockney in the marketing er in the Fairview community: brothers are: Charlie Wilson, of the Sunset (Floyd county) community: roadster was stopped with a flat tire chens." Delightful, humorous, and Delightful, humorous, and Delightful, humorous, and Chens." Delightful, humorous, and Desides John Wilson of Knox City, Texas; on the highway eight miles east of entertaining are the characters in this the farms of this section of the highest and Rev. Joe Wilson, pastor of the Hereford. Wright, with his wife, son, play. See it; it is well worth your try will at all times bring the highest

laco, Texas; Mrs. J. E. Wimberly of ler driven by two Albuquerque oil men basket ball girls motored to Tulia, interest discussed. Hagerman, N. M.; and Mrs. H. L. No one was injured in this "sideswip- where they met the Tulia girls in a McKinstry, of Hagerman, N. M. He ing" which, wrecked Mr. Wright's ma-game in which the final scre added BLAKE CASE COMES UP

yon youths, said to be driving at a end of the first half, the score was the First Baptist church in Lockney upon the cars, which partly blocked second half, Tulia's team played hard- Conner of Tulia will be heard by the of the fire was unknown. The esti-

view Baptist church; G. I. Brittain, had forced him to pull off to the side former pastor and life long friend of of the road about 100 yards west of high school on Wednesday, Jan. 18th. Mr. Wilson; C. A. Joiner, pastor of the scene of the fatal accident as he This is the first of a series of such the Hale Center church, who was a feared they would wreck him at the sales to be sponsored by the Juniors, tor of the First Baptist church of sisted by Raymond, cashier of the days. Those who patronized the sale ent in Texas Technological college, where they will be better prepared to

A few moments after the injured ceeds will go to the Junior Fund. assembled in Lockney attested the man had been taken away the Canyon esteem in which Mr. Wilson was held youths were extricated and taken PLAY AT PRAIRIE CHAPEL by the people of this section, at the home by a passing Canyon garageman

ious places over Texas and other the rear wheel of the Canyon boys' admission will be 15c and 25c, and car had "sideswiped" the Hudson and everybody is invited to come and see caught Mr. Wright's foot, as a shoe a good play.

Cecil Cope, who is now employed in and some flesh were still lodged under

Wright's leg was broken. Immediately after Mr. Wright had taken to Hereford where they caught service car was called and all of his party but himself and Raymond were reached here. party but himself and Raymond were reached here.

sion is 25c and 35c. Reserved seats, of Lockney. Messrs. Faye Guthrie The two youths who ran into and 45c each, are on sale at Stewart Drug and Robin Baker, who had made a

Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the road, in such a way, they claimed er and gained in scores on Lockney. criminal court of appeals at Austin mated loss is \$30,000, with less than the following ministers taking part in that they couldn't pass without going Because the day was so very cold, the services: R. D. Evans, Missionary off the embankment and they smash- fought and fast game. The score for has been notified.

Junior Lunch Sale

Juniors held a lunch sale at the LUBBOCK STUDENT

Wamble heard the crash and, as- of the students by serving on bad, Mrs. L. R. Wright of Athens, a stud- by Floyd Huff and Cash Grocery,

The Juniors wish to thank the stud- riding overturned on the edge of the The Canyon boys had not climbed out ents and teachers who made their school campus. Five other students tery, under the direction of Funeral of their overturned coupe at that time. sale a financial success and invite all in the machine escaped injury.

NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

The members of the Dramatic Club all parts of tht county, and the con- Benton obtained at the hearing yes- of the Aiken school will present the play entitled, "Eyes of Love," at the Sheriff Benton stated that he visited Prairie Chapel school auditorium Fri-Wilson were in attedance from var- the scene of the wreck and evidently day night, Jan. 27th. The price of

> Pay your poll tax before Tuesday night, Jan. 31st.

them.

been postponed on account of Mrs. Phebe K. Warner, who was to address that time.

show a banquet will be given on the Twenty-eight members were present at the luncheon, and the market-

FEBRUARY 9TH AT AUSTIN

tenced to die for the murder of Fred ed by fire early Tuesday. The origin Blake has been held in jail at Plain- apparatus or protection.

view since his conviction in district court at Tulia last year.

DIES AFTER CRASH J. F. Sewell & Co. are today moving their stock of hardware and fur-Lubbock, Texas, Jan. 21.-Lewis F. niture to the building on the east sales to be sponsored by the Juniors, and plans are to meet the convenience Wright, 21 year old, son of Mr. and Wright, 21 year old, son of Mr. and by Floyd Huff and Cash Grocery, National Security Life

J. F. SEWELL & CO.

Mrs. Isabel Reed Dead

Mrs .Isabel Reed, age 77 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Mosley, two and one-half miles HASSELL TELLS OTHERS HE'S "GLAD TO BE BACK" Jan. 23rd, at 3 o'clock of cancer, after

a bedfast illness of three weeks, being unconscious during the illness. Huntsville, Jan. 23 .- Geo. J. Has-Mrs. Reed is survived by one dauell, confessed slayer of thirteen pertons, who is to be electrocuted on Feb. ghter and one son, Mrs. C. D. Mosley 10, was placed in the penitentiary here of Lockney, and George Reed of Okla-

homa. oday. Hassell, who was in the custody of | The remains were prepared by Un-Sheriff J. H. Martin and deputy P. D. dertaker Grady Crager, and shipped Mersfelder of Parmer county, was in to Cleburne, Texas, for burial. high spirits. He grasped the hands Mrs. Reed had lived here with her of other condemned men, and told daughter for the past year.

Robin Baker and Fay Guthrie spent this mroning from Denison, Texas, visiting with his parents, Mr. and induced with the Albuquerque car, a a train to Amarillo, not knowing the several days last week in Cisco inves- stating that his sister. Mrs. Annie

Mrs. Carl McAdams requests that PAVING AWARD IN HALE we give notice to the members of the COUNTY TO BE LET SOON Floyd County Federated Clubs, that

the meeting which was to have been Highway Survey Across County Comheld in Lockney next Saturday, has pleted by Feb. 1st

Plainview, Jan. 22 .- A contract for trip to Cisco last week to investigate the meeting, being unable to attend at the construction of a paved road through Plainview, Hale Center and Abernathy, will probably be let March SET FOR FEBRUAYR 3 AND 4 1, according to Engineer J. W. Puck-

ett, who returned from Austin Satur-The Quitaque Valley first annual day following a meeting of the state oultry and Dairy Show will be held highway commission where he reportm Feb. 3 and 4, it is announced from ed on the progress of the survey work on highway No. 9 through this Besides the regular features of the country.

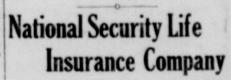
On Feb. 1st Puckett expects to have evening of Feb. 3. Walter Burton, all of the survey work completed on judge of the poultry show, will make the north and south highway through an address and a speaker on dairying Hale county, and will begin survey of highway No. 28, the east and west state highway through the county, and part of the nationally known Les \$30,000 ESTIMATED LOSS highway across the continent.

Visits of the Stork

The appeal of Robert Blake. sen- J. Felmet at Abernathy was destroy- Born to Mr. and Mrs.: Henry M. Willis, 3 1-2 miles southwest of Lockney, Wednesday, Jan. 25, a boy.

> ance. Abernathy has no fire fighting Services at West Side Church of Christ

Elder N. F. Clark will preach at the West Side Church of Christ in Lockney next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited to hear him.



With over a million dollars worth of paid for business the first five months, The National Security Life Insurance Company has broken a east of Lockney, Monday morning, National Record, and added to West Texas an institution of great value and importance.

It is not necessary any more to send your money out of Texas to buy life insurance, or even out of WEST Texas. We now have a West Texas Life Insurance Company, backed by a large number of the wealthiest men in Texas, writing all forms of old line legal reserve policies, and every dollar spent for life insurance here stays n your local banks and loaned back to deserving people. Ask your banker about National Security Life In-

We are also interested in helping to build CHURCHES and HOMES, by

them he was glad to be back with W. R. Sams' Sister Dead Mr. W. R. Sams received a message surance. PACE MAND

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

war MutRify Braron of new crimes. The Texas Bankers to us, houses, feeds, clothes, employs be raised to combat wolves in Nolan The Executioner Entered April 14th, 1902. as second class mail matter at the Post Office at upon the head of every person at town? We certainly should. Lockney , iss, by act of Congress March 3rd, 1879.

H. B. ADAMS, Editor and Owner fered. Several people have been killed since the reward was offered, and TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION it seems about as many questionable One Year \$1.50 cases have come up in the premises, Siz Montha .75 as there have actually been bank rob-Three Months bers killed. Too often it is the case .40

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DEMOCRATS OR REPUBLICANS

sult of the reward being offered. The Whiskey-Catholic element the country seem hell-bent for the Texas, it came to light that the crimnomination of Al Smith for president inals of that district had placed a reon the Democratic ticket, or else the ward upon the head of the sheriff and propoganda being put out through the district attorney and that they had daily press of the country, would lead offered \$1,500 for the death of the one to believe that this was the situa- sheriff, and \$1,200 for the death of the tion. Al Smith may be acceptable to district attorney, to any member of the Catholics and Rum-Runners of their gang who succeeded in killing had better get busy and get a poll tax New York. New Jersev and the boot- these men. leggers and Catholics of other parts of the cuntry, but we hardly think supposed to be constructed so as to that he will be acceptable to the pro- handle those who commit murder, and hibition democrats of the entire nation if the citizenship would make a conand the law-abiding democrats of the certed effort to see that the law was solid South, and therefore if the Dem- enforced, and men punished for their ocratic party leaders of the nation see crimes, there would not be much use fit to nominate Smith as their stand- of paying fancy rewards for the death ard bearer this year, we feel sure of criminals. It is the lack of justice that there will be more Demcorats that causes rewards to be offered; the vote the Republican ticket in the easy manner in which the criminals South than there will be votes cast for are allowed to go free by our courts. the Catholic-Whiskey candidate on the Where the correction should be made Democratic ticket. We do not believe is in the courts, and each man should that the law-abiding citizenship of be handled in accordance to the crime the nation would at any time support that he has committed. Every man a man who has openly defied the conshould be made to pay for the crim stitution of the nation which he hopes he has committed according to to serve as president, and further we seriousness of the crime-if he believe that every person who believes a death penalty the courts should adin law enforcement will go to the polls minister that penalty without fear or and scratch the name of any man. favor; if he is entitled to a penitenwho has shown by his action in the tiary sentence, he should receive it past that he opposes the enforcement from the court. Paying dollars to of the Eightheenth Amendment. men for committing murder in the The talk of making Dan Moody a name of the law is very poor business,

running mate for Al Smith, as we see it, is a scheme to get Texas' 40 electorial votes for Smith, and for no other reason, and if Dan Moody is fool enough to fall for this scheme, he might as well get ready to bury his political aspirations, and leave the chair. Insanity should be no plea for good graces of the people who elected mercy, a dead crazy man will do the him in order to rid the state of Fergusnism. To become the running mate of such a man as Smith, we beheve, would cause Moody to be defeated in his own state by as large a be he same or insame. majority as he defeated Ferguson in 1926, and that as far as politics are concerned, he would forever be a has been, and could not hope for any promotions in the future.

in many cases rewards are the cause Since the old town means all of this Association has placed a dead reward us, shouldn't we stand by the We tempting to rob a bank in the state, should talk it up, and not down. We date for the Tuscola annual banquet. The Lost Word should extol its virtues, and remove President R. W. Haynie and Manager Bank robberies in the state are happening every day, and seem to be on its faults. the increase since the reward was of-

that innocent people are murdered for

rewards, and such rewards as the

bankers are offering will cause inno-

by the bankers is illegal, and that the

bankers association is liable for the

death of those who are killed as a re-

The other day over at Memphis,

Murder is murder, and the laws are

or national government; but the laws

should be administered in such a way

that every man got justice, be that

justice freedom or death in an electric

community no more harm, where a

live one, if he be criminally inclined

is a menace to the entire nation, but

the court should handle the criminal

TALK IT UP

There's no place like home particu-

2c that the reward offered in that state

ant people to be killed. Over in New

The best way is to recognize the merits of the town's institutions and the genius of its citizens.

READ THE ADS

Do you read the ads regularly? You should. It is the merchant's way of keeping you in touch with special bargains he has been able to secure for you and help you save money. A considerable sum can be cut off each

month's bill by watching the ads. And then, too, the ad is the merchant's way of inviting you into his store, it is most economical way of keeping you informed of his wares.

Trade with the man who advertises. He is striving to serve you .-- Waverly. Kansas, Gazette.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX

Only five more days are left in which to pay your poll tax, so you receipt. You are going to want to vote and argue about the election this year, for the outlook is for a warm state and national campaign. If you don't have a poll tax receipt you can't vote, and therefore you should keep your mouth shut, as you are disfranchised and have no voice in what should be the outcome of the cam-

THE WHOLE COUNTRY'S INTERESTED

Every person in the Lockney counis interested in what is in the sney Beacon each week, and the hant that has an advertisement n the paper gets the attention of hese people as they read the news and scan the paper to see what they are offred in the advertising columns. If your business is not represented in the columns of the Beacon each week you are the one that is loser. Lady Teazle-The business that invites the people to visit them, and offerers them the their first consideration, and generally gets all the money that they have A Play done in the Chinese Fashion, best goods at the lowest price, gets to spend each week.

Friendship has become a thing of the past when it comes to buying merchandise; every man and woman spend their money where they can get the most for it, and if you do not let Baker. them know what you have to offer Hi Tee, fisherman sell them the goods they want as Joy, the little prince cheap as the other fellow. They look Baker. the paper over, and that merchant Lee Mee, the duck. that has a good advertisement in the

larly when you are away from home. p per, offering them the things they This is due to the simple fact that we want to buy receives their first conLockney, Texas, Thursday, January 26th, 1928

Sweetwater-A fund of \$7,200 will Garland Sams. old county for a period of one year. The Chorus Tuscola-Feb. 7th has been set as Property Man -Mrs. Arch Crager.

Homer D. Wade, of the West Texas Selection Chamber of Commerce have been ask-Henrietta ed to attend. Eastland-Work will soon get un-Mabel derway on Eastland county's \$260,000 Steve

court house. Moran-A \$50,000 sewer system is under construction here. Bonds will e voted on Feb. 13.

Spur-Spur ginned 17,754 bales of ures made public here. A few bales ciation. remain to be picked.

held here in February. Rotan-Nearly every business them.

house in town was represented at the ber of Commerce held recently.

Spearman-Actual construction for Spearman.

Wink-The town of Wink, one of Our prayer is that when your hours of the West Texas fast growing oil centers, has affiliated with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Muleshoe-The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce will pay \$300 to help repair the road between Highway 7 and Baileyboro.

Junction-The city of Junction has purchased a motor driven chemical engine with all standard fire fighting equipment.

Olton-The Muleshoe-Olton mail route has been changed to serve more rural residents.

Mrs. Stevenson's Class In Recital Mrs. O. E. Stevenson presented her ass in recital at the high school audorium last Friday night. A nice e audience was present and enjoyed e program. The program was as ollows

On the Judgment Day, Cooke .-- Anadel Whorton

Quarrel Between Sir Peter and

Cutting from the "School of Scandal", Sheridan-Lady Teazle, Evon Griffith, Sir Peter, Herman King.

Totheroh. The Stolen Prince

CAST:

Long Fo, son of the Royal Cook Whorton McDuffee. Wing Lee, his little sister Ruby Lee

Gernest Baker they don't waste any time hunting The Royal Nurse Louise Arceneaux you up to see whether or not you can Li Mo, his wife Patricia Patterson

> Mary Leda McAdams, Soldiers

and Free Marcel at home.

MRS. L. T. BUSBY

HAIR CUT 25c

Doris Childers Wilson and children, C. A. Wilson and family, Joe Wilson and family, J. Wil-Wood Stevenson Glenn Stevenson Henry Van Dyke Orchestra

uppressed Desires, Cook and Glaspell June Guthrie

Herman King

AN APPRECIATION The loving kindness shown to us by

the 1927 cotton crop, according to fig- loss for words to express our appre- we tried to help them. More beds

Colorado-Plans are underway for kindness shown, for every word of the district convention of the West sympathy spoken, and for all the ten- to share their sorrows was an inspira-Texas Chamber of Commerce to be der thoughts anyone had for us, but tion to us. With that fine spirit of lacked opportunity of expressing co-operation any people can do ac-

carry our heavy burden.

trouble come that you may know the

Father for comfort, and that He will night, Jan. 31st.

ily, Mrs. H. L. Mckinstry and family, Mrs. C. W. Gounds and family, Mrs. Helen Baker H. C. Randolph and family. AN APPRECIATION Mrs. McCarty and I desire to thank everyone who helped in any way in friends during our recent sorrow has caring for the Wilson family last so overwhelmned us that we are at a week. You helped us wonderfully as were offered than were needed, and more food was brought than was eaten. The spirit you showed in trying

raise up friends to stand by you as

you have stood by us,-Mrs. W. B

son and family, Mrs. Fanny Montague

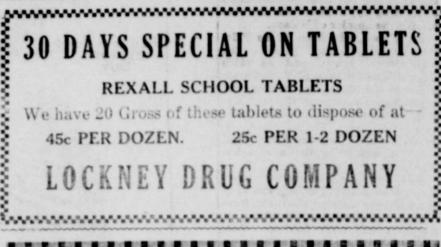
and family Mrs. Minnie Reeves and

family, Mrs. J. E. Wimberly and fam-

ceptably any thing that ought to be Our grief is so deep, but dear done. May the Good Father above annual banquet of the Rotan Cham- friends, your thoughtfulness in car- bless each of you! You who left ing for our every need during those dishes can stop any time and get dark hours will always be remember- them. We can not return them as we underway on a modern sewer system ed as a ray of light that helped us to do not know which ones are yours. Again we thank you.

C. J. McCarty.

secret of leaning upon our Heavenly Pay your poll tax before Tuesday

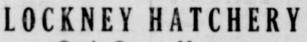


LOCKNEY HATCHERY

-is now in operation and setting every TUESDAY and FRIDAY. We are booking orders for trays and baby chicks of all kinds.

We are in the market at this time for Ancona Eggs. Will have a complete line of Broders, Poultry Supplies and Poultry Remedies at all times.

Bring your eggs on Mondays and Thursdays



Grady Crager, Manager Concrete McCollum Building

We are grateful for every act of

Al Smith, even if Dan Moody is his running mate, very much considera-That is why the old town seems so believe the State of Texas will swing over into the Republican column in whom we touch elbows every day.

the November election.

OFFERING REWARDS

corn beef and cabbage with him oc-Offering rewards is getting to be casionally. It seems rather fine to be the fashion of the day. Every time a able to get a check cashed without secrime is committed a large reward curing identification; to have the family doctor if need be, because it is he is offered for the arrest of the criminal. Officers are elected to do their who seems to know better than all duty, and are supposed to trail down others your particular ache and ailthe criminal; they are paid for doing ment.

their duty by the tax payers, and most And isn't it a glorious thing to all of them will trail down the crim- have the endorsement of your fellow inal regardless of whether their is a citizens when you go outside of your stiff reward placed on the head of the community for some favor or recogcriminal or not. Rewards in some nition, since the endorsement must cases are alright, and help to bring come from them if nobody else knows ut the arrest of the criminal, but you?

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

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paign.

tise in the columns of the Beacon good to us after we have journeyed Let us serve you, so that you will get far and wide . We know those with your share of the business in s ction of the country.

It's a pleasure to be able to call a NEW MEXICO BANK neighbor by his first name; also to eat

REWARD RULED INVALID Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 21 .- The offer of the New Mexico Bankers' Association of \$1,000 for every handit killed while robbing a bank is contrary to public policy, would be an The World's Greatest Pic-"illegal contract" and might lead to the unlawful killing of innocent per-

sons, Attorney General R. C. Dow held today. He expressed these views in an pinion requested by Lawrence Tamine, state bank examiner. In offering the reward the Bankers' as-

sociation said similar action was beng taken in adjoining states, which night result in driving bank bandits New Mexico.

While the person offering such reard in such case might not be held an accessory before the fact, he ould at least be liable in a suit for amages for the unlawful killing," "Such practice has a aid Mr. Dow. em of criminal jurisprudence.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Fort Worth-Major John B. Hawy, Dr. P. C. Coleman of Colorado, J. A. Kemp, of Whichita Falls. W. P.

fallmark of Dublin, and Clifford B. ones of Spur are committeemen apinted at the West Texas Chamber make investigation and recommentions in the troublesome water

ights case. Claude-Ditch lines for natural gas

e being laid here. Weatherford-Four of the five majobjectives for 1927 work of the Weatherford Chamber of Commerce re now accomplished facts, and the ifth, securing county agent and demnstrator, is expected to be a reality etly.

Silverton Installation of a \$35,000 ater system will start here at an arly date.

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rs Association was proposed on moon of T. R. Galt, recently. The asociation has just completed a five year period of successful operation. Channing-Channing business men have come in for a 100 per cent affilia- AL on with the West Texas Chamber of

PLAINVIEW THEATRE PLAINVIEW, TEXAS WED., THURS., & FRI. FEB. 1st, 2nd and 3rd ture-A Story of the Christ Child

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In Beacon Office



Jan. 23 .- There was singing at the school house Saturday night. A large crowd was present and everyone enjoyed the good singing.

Misses Grace and Winnie Ral Shelton was the hostessess of a "42" party last Saturday night. An evening of fun and frolic was enjoyed by all.

Miss Abbie Lee Woolsey spent Satof his daughter, Mrs. Joe Mitchell, urday night and Sunday with Miss Juan'ta Hart. Thursday morning from that city by

Miss Elizabeth Woolsey spent Saturday night with Miss Shelton. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey spent

Sunday with Mrs. Watson of Floydada.

Mr. Clayton Day of Slaton,

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

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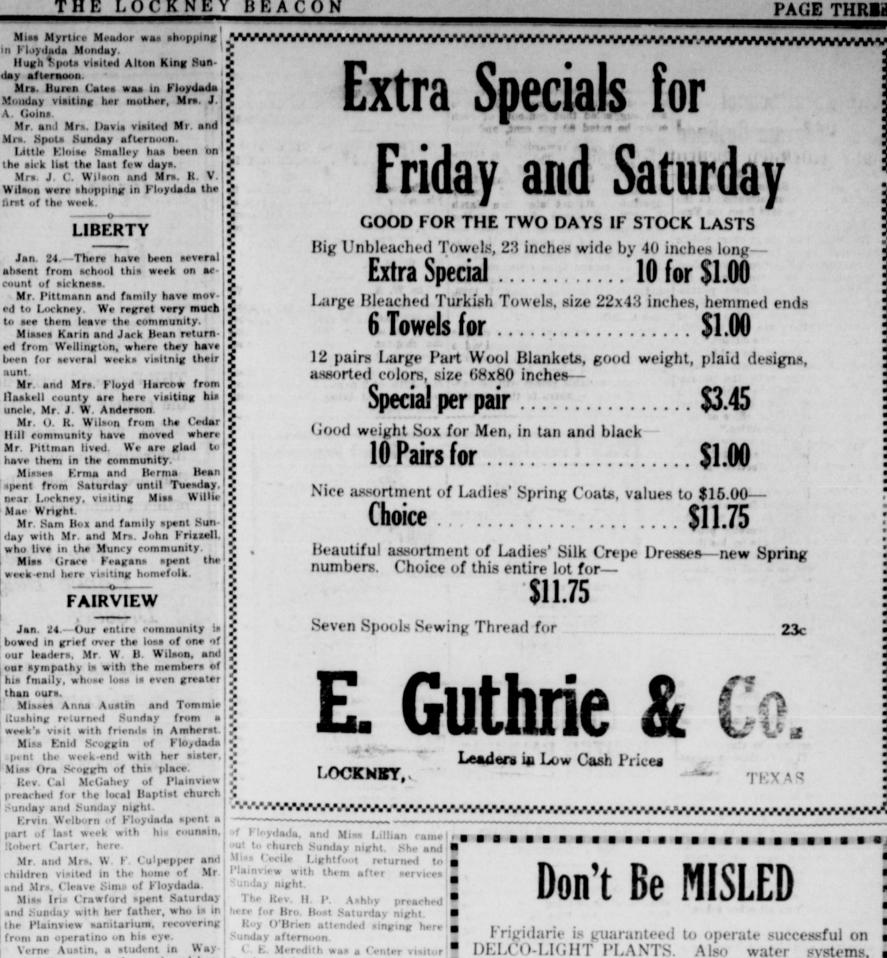
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Corpus Christi; H. L. Dunn of Lakehis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Day, this week.

day guests of her mother, Mrs. Wat-

There was a party Monday night at the Blankenship home. The party was given in honor of Mr. Blankenship, since it was his birthday. Every one enjoyed the party very much.

Miss Hazel Blankenship was the Sunday guest of Miss Vera Allmon. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkes were Sunday

visitors in the Shelton home. Mr. Ralph Blankenship returned home this week. He has been in day.

Oklahoma for the past few weeks. Our boys met the Antelope boys in another basket ball game Friday

afternoon. We are glad to say our boys won another game.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney West spent Thursday night with Mrs. S. L. West.

LAKEVIEW

Jan, 23 .- Last Sunday Bro. Patter- Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith and daughson preached for us in the afternoon. Miss Opal Nelson, who is attending Payne

school at Tech, visited home folk this week-end.

Mrs. Wayne Wright spent Monday visiting Mrs. W. N. Jones.

Miss Loraine Collier of Lubbock, who has been attending school at the Tech, has accepted the work of the fifth and sixth grades of the Lakeview school, as Miss Kate Tipps resigned.

Lakeview and Aiken played basket Sunday ball at the Floydada Andrews Ward Mrs. J. D. Williams has been ill the building Friday evening. The score last few days with a cold.

iew; T. A. Dunn of Crosbyton! C. J. Mrs. Evers and children were Sun- Dunn of Killeen, Texas.

MAYVIEW

Jan. 23 .- Health of this community good at present. Rev. R. L. Shannon filled his appointments here Saturday night and

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gilpin spent

Soon there is to be a play here en-titled, "Farm Folk." We will let you

know later just when it is to be played

The father of H. L. Dunn of Lake-

view died at Corpus Christi last Mon-

day of acute kidney trouble. The

afternoon and was held in the home

over night, being brought overland

an F. C. Harmon hearse. Surviving

members of the family are his wife,

four sons and one daughter. The daughter is Mrs. Joe Mitchell of Hale

Center The sons are Frank Dunn of

ody reached Hale Center Wednesday

Sunday visiting friends at McAdoo.

Sunday. Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. were well attended Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herd visited their daughter, Mrs. V. A. Readhimer Sun-

We regret to hear of the death of Mr. R. L. McNeill's sister of Denton county. Mr. McNeill and family were at her bedside when death came.

Mrs. Robert Ardry was able to be at Sunday school Sunday. We are indeed glad to see her out again.

Visitors in the F. T. Ernest home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cardwell and daughter, Mary Lou,

ter, Dorothy, Mr. Foster and Norman still have cotton in the field are mak-Grace Readhimer visited Lois Miller

Elder McCarty of Tulia will preach

here next Sunday night.

RAMSEY

Jan. 24 .- Mr. and Mrs. Basil Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smalley

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J. M. BARNES

Jan. 23 .- The three ball games Jan. 24 .- Mr. and Mrs. Charles played at Petersburg last Wednesday Gound from Weslaco, Texas, visited night came out to McCoy's defeat. Mr. Gound's sister, Mrs. G .L. Snod-

truding" here Friday night. Let us We surely appreciated their presence

have a large crowd and show them with a hearty invitation to come again

Sunday night.

Bro. Chambers and wife, who were

with the Volunteer Band Sunday

We welcome some of our new

neighbors who were out to church

HARMONY

nish their share of the menu for the

Floydada Chamber of Commerce ban-

day for Hot Springs, Ark., where they

Mr. E. H. Cavin and family moved

Mr. H. M. Miller returned home last

expect to stay several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gary returned

quet, which is to be held soon.

Sunday night. Come again.

stopped by for services Sunday night.

There will be prayer meeting at the grass last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Methodist church next Wednesday Gound is a sister of the late Mr. Bradnight. Everyone is invited to attend. frod Wilson, and the family came to The cottage prayer meeting held at attend the funeral of Mr. Wilson, Mr. Sam Smith's home last Wedneswhich was held Saturday afternon at day night was attended by a very Lockney.

arge crowd. Rev. M. P. Hines filled his regular appointment at Carrs Chapel on Sun-Quite a few of the young people of this community were guests at Mrs. day last. Mr. and Mrs. Hines and Will Snell's party last Friday night. daughter, Margaret Lee, took dinner All reported a fine time. with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Smith.

Misses Clara, Marie and Thelma A number of men from this com-Smith, Miss Myrtle Coleman, Lon munity have contributed work on the new Methodist parsonage at Peters-Berry and Opal Smith attended the burg, during the last few days. Blanco singing Sunday afternoon. The Home Demonstration Club met There will be a musical given at the home of Mrs. W. W. Smith next at the home of Mrs. David Battey Saturday night. last Wednesday. It was decided at

Lucille Baley is visiting her home this meeting that this club would furolk at Lakeview this week.

CENTER

land College, spent the week-end here

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C.

Sand Hill will present "Am I In-

how we appreciate their bringing this

good play to us. The proceeds will

McCOY

go to the Fairview club's fund.

last week from Dallas, where they Jan. 23 .- We are having some nice weather again now, and those who attended the convention, given in honor of the fifteen master farmers. Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Heard and ing good of it. daughters, Mattie Pearl and Velma, A large number of people from

Center attended Mr. Wilson's funeral and Mr. W. C. Club, left last Wednesat Lockney Saturday. Mr. Marvin Williamson and his sis

ter, Miss Lorena spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Nova and Rayford to Ellen last week. Austin, and they attended singing in

week after a brief visit to his broththe afternoon. ers in Hill county. Mr. Miller made A good crowd attended church a the trip with Mr. and Mrs. Gary, all services last Sunday. while they attended the Master Farm-

Grandpa Spence is visiting his er's Convention. hildren here this week. Mrs. Jordan is substituting at

A number of people from Harmony school this week until Miss Winnie attended the singing at Blanco Sun-Wilson is able to take up her work day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hale visited Mr. again Mr. Bud McAda and family, also Hale's brother at Ralls Sunday. Buck Williams and wife visited his Mr. Van McAda and wife took Sunday dinner with their parents here and parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Williams came to singing in the afternoon. Sunday and Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Branson took Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass visit-Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. ed relatives north of Lockney Sunday.). Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. Veach and children TRENCH MOUTH HEALED ook Sunday dinner with Mr. and Your friends dare not say so but Mrs. Jordan. Mr. and Mrs. Branson, your sore gums and foul breath don't Sr., called awhile before singing. make folks like you any better. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spence and two Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy heals worst oungest children attended services at cases if used as directed. It is not a the Pansy church in Crosby county mouth wash or paste, and is sold on a Sunday, where the Volunteer Band of money back guarantee .- Stewart Wayland College rendered a fine pro- Drug Co.

gram. Mrs. Montgomery and children took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs.

Visits of the Stork

McAda Born to Mr. and Mrs.: Bro. Bost and family took Sunday D. C. Love, Lockney, Monday, Jan dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King 23rd, a 5 lb. girl. Delco-Light is a product of General Motors.

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INGETOUR

State Kurai School

Austin, Texas, Jan. 13 .- To all County and City Superintendents: 1 desire to direct your attention to the following article quoted from the Tex- 15, 1928; all essays from counties as Penal Code, R. S. 1925:

"The daily program of every public school shall be so formulated by the tecaher, principal or superintendent 1928; all essays from senatorial disas to include at least ten minutes for the teachings of intelligent patriotism, including the needs of the State Decision of state winners will be made and Federal governments, the duty of June 1, 1928.

the citizens to the state, and the oblifine of not more than five hundred dollars or removal from office or both fine and removal from office.'

This law was enacted by the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty fifth legislature and became effective March 20, 1918.

The main purpose of the state in supporting a system of free schools .s to train the youth so as to make nocracy safe and thereby protect the integrity of the state by instilling proper ideals of citizenship. Since this law has been in effect for practically ten years, the boys and girls now enrolled in the public schools from the ages of fourteen to eighteen should be products of the system and should have received right training for citizenship.

As I am eager to make a test of the civil ideals of the students who have received their training in the public schools, I have decided to institute a state-wide essay contest, using the subject: The Qualities of Good Citizenship.

Rules Governing the Contest Eligibility: (1) Contestant must have been born on or after Sept. 1, 1909, and before Sept. 1, 1913. (2) Contestant must have been enrolled as a student in some Texas public school each scholastic year since Sept, 1, 1922. (3) Contestant must be a bona fide student in a Texas public school during the current year. 1927-1928. (4) Essays submitted from schools having 15 accredited units as shown by Bulletin 225 shall be grouped in Class A, essays from all other schools as Class B.

Limitations: (1) Length of essay submitted must be not fewer than five hundred nor more than one thousand words. (2) Essays must be written on one side of paper only and paper must be of regular letter size 8 1-2 inches by 11 inches. (3) The last paragraph must contain a summary of the essay setting forth the characteristics of a good citizen. (4) Contestant must attach a statement to the essay that he or she is eligible according to the roles and that no assistance has been received in the prop-Leacher aration of the

Respectfully submitted, S. M. N. MARRS, State Superintendent. er, and one business man. (5) It is also suggested that concents of each Program Outlined essay be rated 60 per cent, and me-chanics of composition, such as spell-WINFRED FOWLER OPERATED ing, punctuation, and sentence struc-ON FOR APPENDICITIS ture, 40 per cent

Time Limit: (1) All essays from Winfred Fowler was carried to schools must be in hands of county Plainview Tuesday morning, where at superintendents not later than March three o'clock he underwent an operation for appendicitis. At the last remust reach the senator or person apport he was doing well.

pointed by him to supervise the district contest not later than April 15, tricts must be received in State Department not later than May 15, 1928.

Associations, one attorney, one teach-

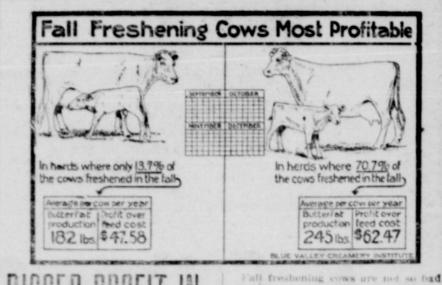
gation of the state to the citizen. Any in gold, or a gold medal of equal value the chapter. There were five memofficial or employee of the public free will be awarded by the state commitschools who fails to perform his legal tee to the state winner in each group. duty in connection with the provis- No doubt, suitable prizes will be proions of this law shall be subject to a vided for the winners in the counties ber come and bring some one with and senatorial districts.

The W. M. U The W. M. U. met with Mrs. J. W Fox, Jan. 16, at 2 p. m. and studied

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

the 8th chapter of Acts. Our teacher Prizes: A prize of twenty dollars being absent Mrs. Will Wofford read bers present and one visitor.

We will meet with Mrs. Z. T. Reed Jan .30th, at 2 p. m. Let every memthem .-- Reporter.



Find Fal-Freshening Cows More Profitable Butterfat Producers. Fall freshening cows are more prof.

itable butterfat producers than those starting their milking year in the spring, says the Blue Valley Creamery lastitute. In other words, winter rying is more profitable than summer dairying.

Although spring freshening cows have the advantage of starting their milking year under ideal feed condiions provided by an abundance of avariant, nutritious pasture - the cheapest and best of all feeds-such a facorable environment is short lived A few weeks later the heat of is much them. Good pasture

freshen at a time when the not so busy, but that he good attention. As a ing, they keep up when they are beginning o drop a little with the advancing milking period, the fresh grass of spring comes along to bolster them up. Under such revorable conditions. these cows produce more milk from one end of the year to the other. And the greater part of their production comes in fall and winter, the season of highest butterfat prices. With the coming of unfavorable summer conditions, these cows are about ready to be dried up for their next freshening and can get along very well without much attention when the farmer's time is required in the field. The calves of these cows reach an age in the spring when they are ready to thrive on pasture and are old enough to take care of themselves under adverse circumstances caused by hot weather and flies

The greater profitableness of freshening cows is shown by a study fall, the average yearly production of each cow was 245 pounds of butterfat in spring and summer than at any which yielded a profit of \$62.47, above i feed cost

Lockney, Texas, Thursday, January 26th, 1928

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mitted to the at filed in the State Department of Education and will become the property of the Department

Judges : (1) Each school will offer only one essay to the county committee and will use its own plan of selecting the one to be submitted. Each high school in a city system will be considered a separate school, and the essays will be considered in Class (2) The contest in each county will be supervised by the county superintendent, who will appoint five persons, to serve as judges, and the winning essay of each class will be submitted to the senatorial district committee. (3) The state senator of each senatorial district will be requefied to supervise the contest in his district by appointing the committee to judge the essays, and the winning essay of each class will be forwarded to the state committee. (4) It is suggested that the committee of five judges in the state senatorial districts and counties be composed of one member of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, one member of the Texas Congress of Parent-Teacher



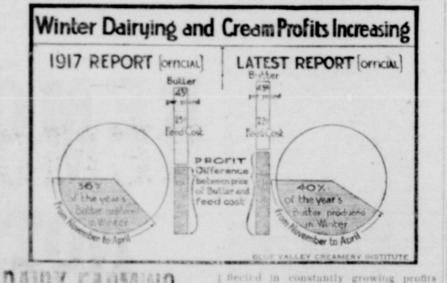
This is one of the many children whose eyes we have the poultry dollar has usually aver straightened, as the result of proper correcting glasses and systematic exercises, known as 'Ocular Gymastics'

See are call us for appointment.

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butterfat prices are generally lower

other time of the year.



DAIRY FARMING Wintertime Production on Increase; Production per Cow Gains.

dats towards that ontinuous prosperity during 1928. Since the depression, the combined relative purchasing power of the butter dollar, the hog dollar and aged well above pre-war figures. This means that a unit of dairy farm products has had greater purchasing power since the war than the same amount of dairy products had before the World war. In other words, dairying has been just about the most profitshie brunch of agriculture since the

war and promises to continue so during 1028. Changes have taken place in the

dairy industry, especially in progres- 1917 and the intest report sets the sive dairying districts, which are re i sime profit difference as 23 cents.

the better methods are foi Production per cow is increas increase has been most ie in areas where better feed thods have replaced the old. method of feeding every cow Lowered feed cost per 100 pounds of milk produced and in many netances increased production have allowed the introduction of the sim ple plan of weighing out each cow daily grain ration and weighing each cow's daily milk yield in order to feed according to the individual cow's pro-Then, too, balanced produc tion throughout the year has helped stabilize profits. So have improved sanitation methods, increased production of sweet cream, better dairy drea, et

An otherial report, for example diows that in 1917, about 36 per cent of the year's butter was produced in the six cold months of the f i ! reports show constant incra les in winter-time production year after year. The latest report shows 40 per cent production in winter

Cream and butter prices have kept abead of feed costs and profit margins. In Minnesota, for example, the government report shows that the profit difference between the price of butter on the New York murket and the cost of feed necessary to produce

a pound of butter was 18 cents in

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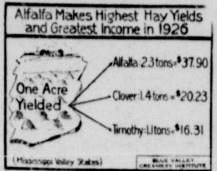
Larger Yields of Grain and · Hos Crops Planted After It Noted.

Alfalfa not only outyields all other farm crops but is able to make larger yields of grain and hoe crops that are planted after it, states the Blue Valley Credmery furtitute. To emphasize thi after effect of alfalfa on farm profithe institute points to the carefu trials recently made by the New York State Experiment Station where the erior value of stubble and root-of alfalfa over the residue of timothy hay was strikingly shown in promoting the growth and production of succeed ing drops.

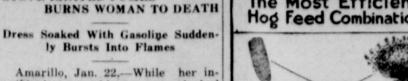
- Two-year-old fields of alfalfa and timothy, from which hay was removed each year in the usual way, were plowed under and the following year planted to corn. The yield of corn fodder from these plantings was 4.5 tons per acre on the alfalfa field and 3.2 tons on the timothy field The second year these same fields were seeded to wheat which made an avernge yield of 51.3 bushels per acre in the field formerly occupied by alfalfa and intensive farming with the cow. and an average of 36.1 bushels in the the sow and the hen.

seld that was to timothy two years STOVE IGNITED FUMES before. Both fields were seeded to ty the third succeeding year, which re-sulted in yields of 25 bushels an acre from the one that was once an alfalfa meadow, and 22.9 bushels an acre on the other that had been in timothy.

The principal reason for the increased yields of crops following alfalfa and other legumes, which have been inoculated with certain bacteria, is due to the allity of these dants to take altrogen from the air and incorporate it in its tissues. The grasses, of which timothy is the most widely grown, do not possess this ability and.



therefore, remove more nitrogen from the soil than they add when their roots and stubble are plowed under. Ten thousand acres of alfalfa for every community is the aim of the Blue Valley Creamery Institute, which aims to promote greater prosperity on the average farm by diversification



valid sister, unable to move, looked helplessly on, Miss Mertie Stevenson, 40, telephne operator at Groom, Texas, Friday afternoon fought a losing fight with flames which enveloped her body after her clothing ignited. She died at 1:20 yesterday morning at St. Anthony's hospital.

The invalid sister, Bertha, 21, was unhurt. The telephone building was destroyed by the flames.

Ray Griffin, telephone company employe, rescued both women from the ourning building.

The sisters made their home in the small wooden building where the telephone exchange was located. Bertha, crippled, occupied a wheel chair during the day-time and helped her sister as much as her physical condition permitted.

Friday afternoon the older woman cleaned a dress belonging to the other, using some gasoline. The task completed, she brought the garment into the front room to show it to Bertha.

There was a stove in the front room and another in the kitchen. It is thought that one of these stoves ignited the freshly-cleaned dress as Miss Stephenson passed by it, for immediately after she returned to the kitchen she began screaming and rushed to her bed her clothing aflame.

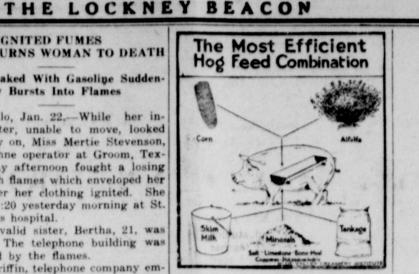
She tried vainly to smother the fire with the bed-clothing. The screams of herself and of Bertha were neard by Griffin, who had been in the building a few minutes before and who was returning after having gone out to get some gasoline to replenish

Griffin rushed into the room and with some difficulty succeeded in extinguishing the flames on the bed. He carried the older woman out of the building and left her in temporary care of passers-by, then went back in duces the feed cost per 100 pounds and brought out the younger sister, gain to a place where hogs can be who although untouched by the flames was in a pitiable condition from

The flames spread quickly over the Miss Stephenson was given medical oday

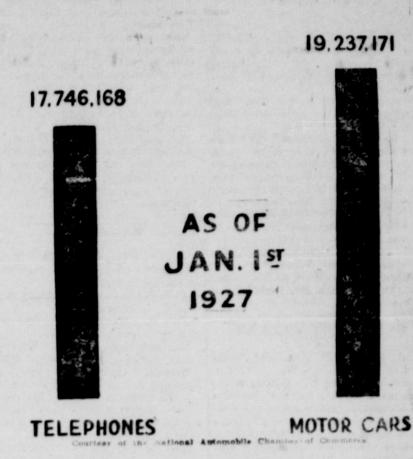
The tragedy caused profound sorrow at Groom where both women were well-liked and where their which individual cows are the most plucky struggle with difficulties had aroused much admiration for them. ess than a minute a day per cow to They made their home in the little weigh each cow's grain feed and house belonging to the telephone

The body was forwarded yesterday able to feed each cow according to afternoon by N. S. Griggs & Son to This plan also makes it possible to are the invalid sister, Bertha, and secure maximum production from each three brothers, A. E. Stephenson of



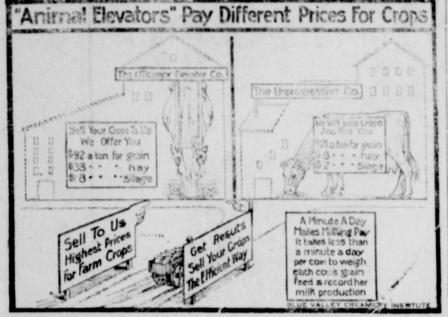
Number of Motor Cars Exceeds Number of Telephones

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Pointing out that the use of automobiles is more widespread than even that of the telephone, the Taxation Committee of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce is presenting the above chart with other memoranda in a petition to Congress, seeking the repeal of war excise levies on automobiles. Most of the wartime sales taxes have already been repealed by Congress, but there is still a 3 per cent. tax on the motor car.





had to spare. Since every farm cow MINULE A DAY TU is the "market place" for the grain and hay she consumes, it pays to know efficient and most profitable. It takes WEIGH FEED, MILK ecord her milk production. By keep company, ng this simple record, a farmer is Simple Record Shows Which Cows Are Most Effcient

his blow-torch. fright.

small building, which was totally destroyed, depriving the community of telephone service for a short time. attention at Groom and was then brought to St : Anthony's where her sufferings were ended by death early

a little tankage and minerals to add variety to the protein supplement, and and as clean, well-cured hay in win ter, it will very likely be possible to produce and make a profit on hogs even if prices should drop far below

profit above feed cast on each cow. Branson, Cole., for burial. Surviving

HIGHER FEED

"Back Up" Corn With Other Feeds to Grow Pigs for Market Quickly.

"Backing up" corn with other feeds containing elements lacking in corn in order to grow pigs to mark table size quickly, is the one way to beat the narrower margin of profit on hogs indicated for the coming year because of higher feed costs, says the Blue Valley Creamery Institute.

For many years, says the Institute. the agricultural colleges have been working on the problem of getting the most pork out of a bushel of corn Practically every one of the thousands of hog-feeding tests that have been made show that no more efficient feeds than corn, alfalfa, skimmlik, tankage and minerals can be found. Corn alone is a poor feed for hogs because fed alone it takes a lot of corn to make a "little pork." Supplemented with plenty of skimmilk it re profitably fed high-priced corn. A litthe tankage and minerals added to the ration helps make the ration even more efficient by aiding to form "proteln combinations" that are hard to beat, while alfalfa, green or dried as hay, practically stands alone as an aid in supplying the food elements a hog needs under modern full-feeding methods. With corn as the basis of a

ration, supplemented with skimmilk is a diquid protein supplement-with

dis solfalfa as pasture in summer

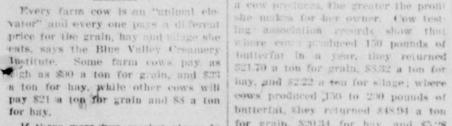
ent prices during the coming sea-

It must be remembered that skin

nilk is the cheapest and best protein

applement for growing pigs. Not

mly is if the most easily obtained pro-



and Profitable.

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a town, one paying \$92 a ton for grain for silage, and where they produced and the other \$21, there is but little between 300-350 pounds of batterfat. doubt which one would attract all the they returned \$92.42 for grain, \$23.10 locally grown grain and hay farmers I for hay and \$8.76 for silage.

MERIDIAN BANK ROB-

Store to Vault of Meridian Farmers State Bank

Meridian, Jan. 21 .- Yeggs who done its work. tunneled their way into the vault of Tire tracks indicate two automobiles the Farmers State Bank of Meridian were used by the robbers. Friday night escaped with cash, currency and bonds estimated at \$10,000 which the burglars made their pas-The robbery was discovered when em- sage were unmolested. A few cigaployes of an adjoining drug store, rets and empty cigaret cartons and from which the entry into the bank coal scuttles, used probably to carry vault was made, opened their doors their loot were missing. A pick also Saturday morning.

of the drug store and a clothing store, that entry by this means was contemthe robbers opened a passage to the plated. rear of the buildings through which. The loss is fully covered by insurevidence shows, they carried in an ance. acetyelene troch, by means of which they cut into the steel safe. Carefully arranging show cases inside the more than happiness does.

butterfait, they returned \$48.94 a ton If there were two market places in for grain, \$20,34 for hay, and \$5,28

v the more

drug store to shield their work from BERS GET \$10,000 the outside, the robbers dug their way through a rock wall 24 inches thick Yeggs Tunneled Way From Drug to gain admission to the vault. Hose from a filling station atached to a faucet inside the bank was used to flood the vault after the torch had

Cash registers of stores through had been used on the walls of a bar-Breaking window and door panels ber shop adjoining the bank, showing

Misery loves company, but not any

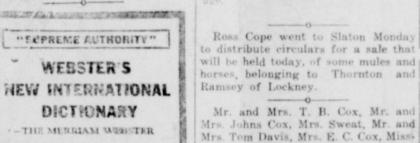
The Judge

YES

SIR!

W. H. Stephenson a the farm, but 100 pounds o a cow produces, the greater the profit hart, and G. E. Stephenson of Highshe makes for her owner. Cow test land, Kansas.

It is equal in feeding value to 25 sounds of corn and 11 pounds of tanl.



Because

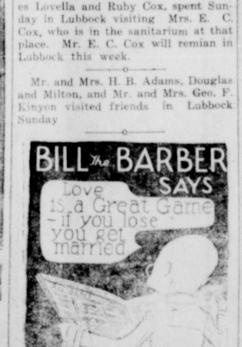
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Diamonds — A, K, 7, 4 Spades — J, 10, 7, 3 Y : A B : : Z

ber.

Hearts - K Clubs - Q, J, 8, 6 Diamonds - Q, J. 5

pades - none

No score, rubber game. If Z dealt, bid one spade and A passed, what should Y bid? With this hand, Y should bid four spades, to shut out, if possible, a heart bid by B. Unless B has an over-whelming hand, he probably will be unable to bid five hearts. Y's hand is so strong that his partner has a fine chance to make four spades, so his bid does two things: First, shuts out adverse bidding: First, shuts out adverse bid-ding: second, offers a fine chance for game. In this particular hand, Y's clever bid was a big winner, for A-B could have made a little slam at hearts, but Y's bold bid prevented B from showing his hearts. A-B, moreover, made four spades and so won the rub-

Hand No. 2

Diamonds - A, K, 7, 4, 3

Hearts — 7, 6, 2 Clubs — 10

Spades - J, 7, 6, 2

The hand is not strong enough to bid four and there is not the same necessity of shutting out hearts as in Hand No. 1. Be on the lookout for hands of this type and don't hesitate to jump the bid when holding four or more trumps and a void suit that may cause trouble. Many a game is won in this way by shutting out adverse information.

Here is another type of hand whie' Here is another type of hand whir' was played recently in a champion thin team match and which caused or able discussion:

Problem No. 13 Hearts - Q. J. 10, 9, 7 Clubs - A Y : 1 B Z

No score, first game. Z dealt and bid one no-trump. Should A pass, double (informatory) or bid two hearts? The match in question was won on this hand so think it over and see how your con-clusions agree with the analysis that will be given in the next article.

Problem No. 14 Hearts - none Clubs - 4, 3 Diamonds - 3, 2 Spades - 9, 4, 3, 2 Hearts — Q, 10, 7, 5 Clubs — 10, 9 Diamonds — 10, 8 Z pades -- none Hearts - A, J, 9, 6 Clubs - K, 5 Diamonds - A. 4 Spades --- none

Spades are trumps and Z is in the lead How can Y-Z wan all the tricks against any defense? Solution in the next article

it lell REPEAT THE WORDS THE DEFENDANT USED





YOU SAY THE DEFENDANT CALLED YOU NAMES?



ing, Jan. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Yeary went to Ced-

Mr. and Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Pheg-

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson of near

Floydada spent Sunday with Mr. and

are

Viola

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilson

ROSELAND

Wakefield have returned to their home

Carl Brown spent Saturday night

Cleo Arterburn of Tulia has been

and Mrs. G. Milton Sunday.

Mrs. Truman Bradshaw.

at Plaska, Texas.

with T. J. Roberson.

visiting in our community.

ANTELOPE

Jan. 23 .- The singing at Mrs. W. Hill Sunday afternoon. He will lec- debates. W. Wisdom's Sunday night was well ture at Roseland next Sunday mornattended and enjoyed by everyone.

A large crowd gathered here Friday for a ball game-Antelope vs. Pleas- ar Hill Sunday afternoon ant Hill, but on account of car trouble, Pleasant Hill could not get here. ley and children took dinner with Mr. Friday.

Baker and Antelope will play next Antelope has began to enroll many new pupils this week.

At the trustees meeting held here it was decided that a sanitary water visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson. in for the smaller children. We are

house would be built at Antelope soon. Mr. and Mrs. John Aston and fam- been visiting her parents, Mr. and the future. ily, and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Stribblin | Mrs. M. Lyles, left for her home last spent Sunday with Mrs. Ted Jones. Thursday.

Miss Lora Belle White and Bernice Holt spent Sunday with Mrs. W .W. Wisda

Miss Frances Smith spent Sunday with Miss Frances Wisdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nichols spent the week-end with Mr. Nichols' parents at Haskell.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitlock, year. Frank Roberson and family, Henry Jan. 23 .- The P. T. A. met Friday Roberson, Buster Whitlock, evening about 7:15. We were fortunate in securing Den Gordon of the King and Arthur and Carl Brown vis-Tech as a speaker for the evening. Ited the tunnel last Sunday afternoon. On account of cold weather and sick-Dale Roberson has been having ness the crowd was very small. Those trouble with a sore leg. He is able to be back in school this week. who did not get to come missed something worth while. Mr. Gordon took Miss Dorothy Byars visited Feddie up some of the aims of education, Lee Marble last Sunday afternoon placing character as the definite goal in the educational scheme. Mr. Me- made a trip to Fairview last Sunday. Cuilough, head of the Y. M. C. A. department, and Mr. Hahold Gordon, ill for the past week.

principal of Lubbock high school ac- May Pinner who has recently uncompanied Dean Gordon. Mr. McCul- dergone an operation for oppendicitis lough has promised to bring to us at Plainview sanitarium is recovering later a program delivered by some of

the past week. We are glad to report Byars.

she is much improved now. Mr. Virden had a very bad run- day dinner with Celia May Wicker. away Saturday afternoon in town, when his team got away, no one was day school last Sunday. The interhurt seriously

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. A. Byers visited Beedy as teacher, Mrs. Roy Tinsely, in the Bloxom home Sunday.

So many children are on the sick list, that our school attendance has ity are planning to atetnd the counbeen lowered a great deal. Nearly everyone in the community has had some sick folk.

Saturday night with Mrs. Sammann, she has slow fever. who has been sick the past week.

Mrs. O. McGill of Olton spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Martin

Mr. Silas Duncan and family of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Oliver of Whitfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Holt of the Holt community visited Mr. and John Montague of Briscoe county Mrs. John Pope Sunday.

Mr. C. C. Hackney and E. E. Hays Mrs. Jimmie Stephenson has been

and will be able to come home soon. the young people of the Tech. Feddie Lee Marble spent Sunday

Mrs. P. A. Rivers has been real sick night with her playmate, Dorothy

Miss Hattie Ruth Brown took Sun-There was good attendance at Sun-

pediate class elected Mrs. George

assistant teacher. Several families from this commun-

ty singing convention to be held at ilverton next Sunday. Effie Ellen Watson is still unable

Mis. Virden and son, Charles, spent to attend school. It is reopried that

Mary Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bybee was taken to Plainview sanitarium Monday night. She is having trouble with erysipelas,

csulting from a burn. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston and Miss lewel Montague visited Mr. and Mrs. last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright and family sited relatives in Kress last Sunday.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

Velma Roberson.

Miss Jewel Montague spent a very with Miss Willie Gillie. We were glad to have Brother and pleasant week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston at Lone Star. Sister Hammit back in church Sunday Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Byars took Sun- morning. They have only recently reday dinner with Mrs. C. H. Brown. In covered from a severe case of La the afternoon they paid a visit to grippe.

Mrs. Moseley's mother, who has been ill for several months. Great interest in base ball is being present were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dun-

shown by the boys of our school.

taking part in some very interesting pert and Edna Mae Roberts. Mr. T. P. Nelson lectured at Cedar This is examination week in our

school. We are all busy trying to find out how much we have learned at this place Monday afternoon by during the past month.

CEDAR

Jan. 23 .- The Cedar Hill school is coming to the front in athletics. New basket balls have arrived for the girls

and boys, and a volley ball has come Mrs. Ross of St. Louis, who has expecting some interesting games in

> There has been quite a bit of illness in the community the past few weeks. Mrs. Chester Strickland, Mrs. Horace Reeves, Grandma Brown, and Mrs.

Jan. 23 .- Mr. and Mrs. Ernest nates. Messers, Arthur Strickland and Otis Beard were Amarillo visitors the latter part of last week.

with Mr. Ben Dillard to assist the eral of their brtoher-in-law, W. B.

Miss Vernie Dunlap spent Sunday

A number of guests visited in the M. H. Taylor home Sunday. Those lap, and Misses Elba Lee Dillard, The intermediate pupils have been Pauline Fortenberry, Ruby Lee Cy-

> Mr. and Mrs. Ed Durham have spent the past few days at Amarillo. A basket ball game was matched the Cedar Hill community boys versus the school boys. The score was 12-14

in favor of the outsiders. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guffee were

Whiteflat visitors the past week-end. Mr. Jack Armstrong, Miss Nina

McCormick and Miss Oline Mathis ok supper in Mr. Fred Miller's camp unday night.

George Taylor, Edmon Ferguson and Clarence Reeves spent Sunday with Edwin and Everett Hanna.

Miss Lucana Woods visited Miss

Mr. Sid Williams has closed a deal over the week-end attending the fun- POWER DOES THIS. ents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Randolph.

BUILD YOUR ESTATE Real-Esatte and Contract-Estate

By W. W. Angel his income and necessary expenses. Should the thrifty man be married, investment is usually secured on the man he naturally has enough life insurance to insure his home investment thereby protecting his equity with cash for the mortgage in case his earning power is lost through death or total and permanent disability.

Insured home ownership is thrift insurance, guaranteeing shelter for his family through REAL-ESTATE.

that for so long has provided a plan household budget. for mortgage coverage is now being directed to render another valuable service, in the way of creating a CON-TRACT-ESTATE.

The thrifty man while living provides for his wife and children in the ESTATE. INSURED HOME, his income is suficine, school supplies, and some for dren of near Spring Lake, were here recreation and pleasure. EARNING life time these two investments yield

toatl and permanent disability the loved ones.

needs of his family may be assured through income-insurance-A CON-TRACT-ESTATE.

By the means of this contract that A Thrifty Man Always Invests Wisely part of his monthly income necessary

for the practical and educational needs of his dependents may be in-A thrifty man earns some money, sured. A life Insurance Company spends most of it judiciously, then will agree to send a check each month wisely invests the difference between to his wife, for as much money and has long a time after his death as may be agreed upon. There is nothing his best investment is his home. This complicated or mysterious about this arrangement since his CONTRACTpartial payment plan. Being a thrifty ESTATE is bought for this purpose, and it, too, may be bought on the partial payment plan.

THIS CONTRACT-ESTATE CA not be commuted to one lump sunt can not be assigned or transferred by the beneficiary, and it is not taxed.

As the (home) REAL-ESTATE insures shelter for future use, so does the CONTRACT-ESTATE insure cash This same system of Life Insurance for future delivery to provide for the

> Through this form of thrift insurance the individual is his own executor in a will that has never been broken He absolutely directs the disposition of the proceeds of his CONTRACT-

THRIFTY indeed is the husband or ficient to supply cash for current father who has an insured (home) needs, such as groceries, clothing, med REAL-ESTATE, and an insured income CONTRACT. During a mans big dividends in peace of mind be-

Should the earning power of this cause he has the satisfaction of havlatter in farming his place the coming Wilson, and visiting Mrs. Mise's par- thrifty man cease through death or ing provided for the future of his

Naomn Smith Sunday. Miss Mamie Starkey returned home Helen Love were among the unfortu- Sunday from a visit among her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mise and chil-





Program Week Commencing

MONDAY, JANUARY 30

Monday and Tuesday-"Whispering Smith"

A Thundering Mystery of Thrills, Spills and Wrecks PARAMOUNT NEWS

-Wednesday and Thursday-

FRED KOHLER AND JACK LUDEN

ter a Phandise

"Shooting Irons"

A thrilling story of the Great Out Doors COMEDY-"OCEAN BLUES"

Friday-

COMEDY-"OPEN HOUSE" PARAMOUNT NEWS



Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brock visited Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Hoover. relatives at Snyder last week-end. Mrs. Brock's mother returned home afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Vines at

with them. Plainview. There were several from here at-The young people were entertained tended a party in the Prairieview Saturday night in the J. M. Edelmon

afternoon.

night

week

day.

Whitfield Sunday.

n Plainview Sunday.

at Whitfield Sunday.

munity Saturday night. There will be a party at Mr. and games were played and at a late hour Mrs. Gene McCullah's Friday night, refreshments of hot chocolate and Jan. 27th, Everyone is invited. cake were served. Quite a crowd was

Miss Mable and Mr. Robert Viegle present and all report a very enjoyof Plainview and Mr. Roy and Gladys able time. Smith of the Snyder community were Mr. and Mrs. Bowden of Plainview visiting in this community Sunday were visiting in the J. W. Gamble

home Sunday afternoon. Miss Nadine White and Mr. Jim Mr. Woods and family visited Durham of the Whitfield community friends near Kress Sunday.

A few young people from the Provvisited friends in Plainview Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Golden visited in dence community attended the party in the Edelmon home Saturday night. the Taylor Golden home Sunday. Misses Thelma and Doris Bennett The Prairieview Home Demonstraattended church and Sunday school at tion club met last Tuesday afternoon i ed the singing at Belleview Sunday

at the home of Mrs. J. R. May. Six, night. Mr. and Mrs. Clark visited friends members and five visitors were present. The lesson for the afternoon was Mr. Bill Bennett attended a party producing better eggs. Mr. R. M. in the Taylor community Monday Milhollin gave a very interesting demonstration on culling hens for egg

AIKEN

Mrs. Belle Griffith and Mrs. Benproduction. Our next meeting will be nett and daughters visited relatives

nish the music.

iting in the S. R. Wright home last Living Room."

A few from here attended the singat Prairieview Sunday afternoon.

PRAIRIEVIEW

Jan. 23 .--- Owing to the disagreeable weather, there were but a few out to singing last Tuesday night, but a good crowd attended the singing which was held at the school house Sunday after- tiful day that a large number were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tannahill and noon, and many were present from the surrounding communities. Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Wilson Fielder, a missionary from

very interesting talk and we hope to ave him with us again in the near

future. Cora Lee Churchwell spent Saturday night and Sunday with Willie

Dean Ellrod. The "42" party at L. R. Bishops' near Cedar. Friday night was well attended and

all who were present report a nice time Mrs. Stevenson and children moved

to the Sethward community last Tuesend with home folks.

Jan. 23.—Miss Bass will meet with the club girls Tuesday, Jan. 24th. All Miss Roth Righer spent Sandards Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sammanns and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sammanns and

three-act play. You will be sure to victory for Sunset. Miss Leola Hudgins spent Sunday enjoy it, so be present at that time.

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

IRICK

Jan. 23 .- A few were out of school home with a party. A number of last week on account of sickness. Rev. McCarty filled his regular ap-

pointment here Sunday evening. Sunday school has been changed back to the afternoon. The regular time is two o'clock. It was changed in order to have Sunday school and preaching together.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Childress and family spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Feagan Sunday. are visiting Mr. T. J. Jarboe and fam-ily this week. They are from Floy-Mrs. Albert Feagan Sunday.

Miss Edith Glass left Sunday for Tulia.

Many from this community attend-

Mr. and Mrs. Ashby spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Glass.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL

Jan. 26 .--- The Home Demonstration Feb. 7th with Mrs. L. R. Bishop. Miss Club met at the teacherage Tuesday Amarillo and Miss Johnnie Morgan of Wood will meet with us and give a afternoon. Only four members were Wichita Falls visited Mr. E. J. Braggs Relatives from Abernathy were vis- demonstration on "Furnishing the present. Miss Bass thought best to and family on Sunday. postpone the work planned. We de-On Friday night, Jan. 27th, a pro- cided to have a special meeting Mongram will be given at the school house day afternoon with Mrs. Tannahill. Mr. R. M. Milhollin, Mrs. Hudson, and Every member is urgently requested Miss Wood will give some very inter- to make a special effort to attend this their brother-in-law, W. B. Wilson, esting talks. Mrs. Thompson will fur- meeting. Miss Bass will be present and visiting the H. C. Randolph and to make a special talk on "Color."

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Huffman were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T.

able to attend Sunday school and son, Ernest, went to Floydada Tues- J. M. FLOYD FOR PUBLIC day afternoon.

BLANCO

Jan. 23 .- Sunday school at this place is progressing nicely. We have on the roll about 50 members.

Everyone enjoyed the singing yesterday afternoon. There was a large crowd present. There will be singing at this place every fourth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tinnin and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith and family Sunday. Mr. Bob Smith and Mrs. Shiply were also their Sunday guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Smith spent Sunday in Blanco and McCoy communities.

Mr. H. B. Alexander was at home the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tink Carter visited Mr. Tinnin yesterday.

Mrs. W. C. and Irene Cates, Helen Tinnin and Norma McPeak spent last candidate for the election to the office night with Mrs. Cates' mother-in-law of County Attorney of Floyd County. n Floydada.

A. Long of Slaton and Mr. Spence duties of the office. During the pres-Harerow of Lorenzo visited in the ent term I have tried as best I know

noth when playe



house on Sunday afternoon. COOPER Mr. Don Bryant of Olton visited his brother, Mr. E. R. Bryant, on Sunday. Mr. C. W. Jackson and wife Plainview spent Sunday with Mrs. C. **ARMORED TIRES** The Tire With Mr. J. R. Roundtree and Mr. Owen of Amarillo visited Mr. T. J. Jarboe THE RED Mr. D. D. Tate and family of Aiken SPOT visited Mr. T. J. Jarboe and family on Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls and son

dada.

There was a singing at the school

F. Roach and family.

and family last week.

Sunday.

Several people of this community attended the funeral of Mr. W. B. Wilson at Lockney on Saturday. Mr. Lavander Street and family of Oklahoma are visiting Mr. Street's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Street. Mr. W. G. Rigdon and family have moved into our community. Two children from the family have entered school

Mr. S. A. L. Morgan and family of

Abilene, Texas, were here over the mit same. week-end attending the funeral of W. L. Whitt family.

Garnet Reeves of Lubbock was here S. McGehee, in the Lone Star com- Saturday, attending the funeral of his uncle, W. B. Wilson.

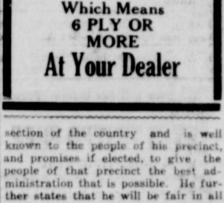
WEIGHER PRECINCTS 2 AND 3

We are authorized to announce Dr. J. M. Floyd for the office of public weigher of Precincts Nos. 2 and 3, ubject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in July.

Dr. Floyd needs no introduction to the "woods were burned," and neither where there is not a majority, will be does he need an introduction to the carried through the August Primaries, farmers and others who have their and the nominees in the August Pribeen connected with the coton yard in July Primaries, will be carried continone way or another for the past fif- uously until the General Election in teen years, and has helped to weigh November, 1928, without extra charge. all products raised by the farmers of

To Whom It May Concern:

I hereby announce that I will be a For District Clerk Floyd County: If I am elected to this office I will Mr. Elmer Long of Amarillo, Mrs. continue to perform faithfully the For County Judge:



ther states that he will be fair in all county business, and will see that the roads are worked where they need it, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Randolph of as far as the county finances will per-

> He will appreciate the support of the voters of his precinct, and will serve, if elected, to the best of his ability



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and District	offices	\$15.00
County offices		\$10.00
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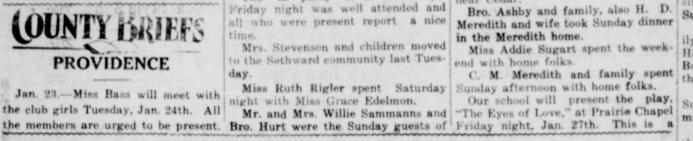
\$7.50 Precinct offices. All anouncements to be paid for when ordered to appear in paper.

All announcements will be carried the people of this section of Floyd in this column until the July Primarcounty as he has lived here ever since jes. Nominees in the July Primaries, cotton weighed in Lockney, as he has maries, or who have a majority in the

this section. Dr. Floyd is making the We are authorized to announce the race this year at the request of a following named candidates for the number of his farmer friends, and will offices under which their name apappreciate the vote and influence of pears, subject to the Democratic Prithe people of Precincts Nos. 2 and 3. maries, which will be held in July, 1928.

> T. P. GUIMARIN For Re-election

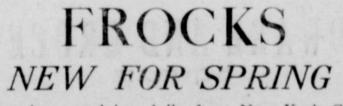
Wm. MCGEHEE



'The Road to Yesterday

Cecil B. DeMille's Greatest Success

Jan. 23 .- Sunday was such a beau- munity Sunday. Miss Laura Mea Terrell spent the week-end with home folks. China, lectured for us. He gave a Mr. McAvoy and family visited friends in Lockney Sunday. Bro. Webb was able to attend 3.94 nurch here Sunday night. Mrs. Fortenberry and daughter from Tulia visited Mrs. Robert Jones Saturday night. Sunday they visited



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der home Sunday. Yone enjoyed themselves at the	how to be impartial in the perform- ance of my duties and I will continue	For County Attorney:
l at Mr. Snell's Friday night. is to be another at Miss Clara	to do the same if you see fit to elect	ROBT. A. SONE
at McCoy Saturday night.	me for another term. ROBT. A. SONE, County Atorney, Floyd County	For Sheriff and Tax Collector: P. G. STEGALL For Re-election
STARKEY	0	
23 There was an entertain-	To the Voters of Floyd County: In making my announcement for	For County Clerk: TOM W. DEEN
given at the home of Mr. and	the office of Tax Assessor of Floyd	For Re-election
. T. Carter Saturday night. ne present reported a good	County, will say I am fifty years old, a native Texan and a resident of	For Tax Assessor:
Esther Collins spent Sunday	Flyod county for eighteen years. Have never held nor asked for pub-	C. M. MEREDITH For Re-election
liss Pearl Attaway.	lic office before. I feel that I am	J. W. PITTS
and Mrs. Frank Morney visited home of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest	qualified to fill the office and if elect- ed will give to the voters the best that	O. B. OLSON
y Sunday.	I have.	For County Treasurer: MRS. MAUD MERRICK
Humphries preached at New- inday.	I will make a canvass of the county and try to see each voter in person. I	For Re-election
are quiet a few people leav-	am making the race subject to the	For County Superintendent
community, moving to other	Democratic Primary. Respectfully,	of Public Instruction:
and Mrs. N. E. Allmon are	O. B. OLSON.	PRICE SCOTT For Re-election
to Newland. and Mrs. J. T. Carter moved to	M. H. TAYLOR FOR	For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
Day place.	COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3	E. H. RANKIN
G. F. Attaway and family are to Matador.	We are authorized to announce M.	For Re-election
to Mr. and Mrs. Stine Lakey,	H. Taylor for the office of County	For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: M. H. TAYLOR
, a girl. and Mrs. J. L. Elmore spent	Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, of Floyd county, subject to the action of	mental and an an an and a second and a secon
with Mr. and Mrs. C. W.	the Democratic primary in the July	For Public Weigher. Precincts Nos. 2 and 3:
	Primaries.	J. M. FLOYD
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Bursted blocks and cylinder heads welded without pre-heating or pulling out the motor-See Gene Simpson at the Harris Blacksmith shop.

CREAM, HIDES, PRODUCE-I will club met in the club room at the appreciate part of your produce .--Sam Belyeu. lt-c

FOR TRADE-New modern elegantly cussion was "Color Harmony. furnished, unusually well built fiveshade trees, two car garage, paved streets, two blocks of Amarillo best school. Want raw agricultural land. V. H. Henderson, 1621 Hayden St., Amarillo

FOR RENT-One furnished room or shade. two-room apartment .-- See A. B. Cox.

FOR SALE-200 bales Hegari pum- the woman that has been furnishing mies .--- T. B. Williams, lt-pd

Pay your poll tax before Tuesday night, Jan. 31st.

EYES TESTED FREE

A SCIENTIFIC TEST The exact Number of Lense you need. No Charge. Call at D. C. Lowe's Office

Pay your poll tax before Tuesday night, Jan. 31st, and be legal citizen of your county and state.

HOMES IN LOCKNEY-We have several homes in Lockney which we can offer worth the money on good terms .--- Baker & Carter. 19-4t-0

FOR SALE-Good Fordson and double disc plow. Good work stock accepted, 1 mile southwest of Aiken. -E. B. Kitching, Aiken, Texas. 19-3t-pd

THE BEST LOAN YET-Farm and Ranch loans at 6 per cent annual interest, option to pay any year-Geo. T. Meriwether, at Security State Bank, Lockney, Texas.

Pay your poll tax before Tuesday night, Jan. 31st.

BEFORE you buy piano or Victrola, see us and save money. We have Campbell on Monday afternoon, Jan. complete line of pianos, player pianos, 23rd, at 2 o'clock, with Mrs. Campbell grands, and also the famous Victrola as hostess, and the subject for discusand latest records, rolls, sheet music sion was "Colors." and every thing in musical merchan- Miss Blanche Bass was present and dise. Write, phone or come to see us, made a talk on Color Schemes. New Plainview Musci Co., 616 Ash Street, officers for the coming year were Telephone 123, Plainview, Texas.

ROOMS FOR RENT-Furnished for Mrs. T. J. Campbell, Vice-President; light housekeeping .- Mrs. Ira Broyles tf-c

nome Demonstration **Club News**

TO RENT-Rooms, Phone 40. 18-tf-e Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club The Sand Hill Home Demonstration school building with Mrs. W. E. Miller as-hostess, at 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, Jan. 18th. The subject for dis-

This was our first meeting this room house, fenced, lawn, shrubbery, year. We discussed the new year books and voted unanimously to each one buy one of the books. My, we are proud of them. Miss Bass gave a demonstration on color harmony and 19-2t-e how to mix colors te get the correct

We are proud to announce that our new president is Mrs. W. E. Miller, canned chicken for the White House. The next meeting will be held Feb. 2nd, with Mrs. R. Hanna as hostess. Subject, "Costume Designing." We

wish to thank the trustees for being so nice to help us work over the new club room. We are going to try and make this the best club year we have had. Everybody come and let's make the best better .-- Reporter.

Harmony Home Demonstration Club The Harmony Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. D. S. Battey, with Mrs. L. A. Williams as leader, at 3 o'clock, Jan. 18th. The subject for liscussion was "Costume Designing." "Principles to Consider in Designng a Costume."-Mrs. Krause.

"Classification of Different Patterns."-Mrs. Battey.

"Principles of Design."-General fiscussion

We discussed and asigned parts for the Home Improvement Contest, also liscussed the coming banquet. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. R. B. Gary as hostess. Subject, "Household Linens." Leader, Mrs. Tinnin.

Mayview Home Demonstration Club

The Mayview Home Demonstration I lub met at the home of Mrs. T. J.

elected as follows:

Mrs. Vert Reidhimer, President; Mrs. Floyd Reidheimer, secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. Bartlett, reporter. The next meeting will be held on

COLUMN TWO IS NOT

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

Lockney, Texas, Thursday, January 26th, 1928

Ladies New Spring Ready-To-Wear DON'T FORGET

SPRING COATS

Kasha flannels, mannish tweeds, poret twills, charmeaus and fancy mxtures. Beautiful dress coats and nobby sport styles. Ladies and juniors sizes, 12 1-2 to 46 1-2-

\$10.85, \$14.50, \$16.50, and up to \$34.50

We remember the little Miss, also, and for her we have snappy styles in fancy mixtures and plaids. Mouflon fur trimmed and plain tailored finish. Sizes 6 to 16, for-

\$6.50 and \$9.50

SILK DRESSES

Flat crepes in one and two tone colors. All the new spring shades. Straight lines, blouse and flare styles are all popular. Beautiful becoming dresses and wonderful values .-

\$5.95, \$9.95, \$16.50 and up to \$26.50

COAT SUITS

gained its popularity. We are showing chic tailored models of twills, charmeaus and tweeds. In shades of navy, tan, gray, etc. They are very moderately priced, and it will be true economy to buy one now.

\$9.95, \$16.50, \$22.50, and \$26.50

_____ On Entering the Store You Will Find EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES ON DISPLAY SUCH AS

Soft finish Starchless Muslin 8 yards \$1.00 Gingham Aprons 59c and 98c Bedrock Quality, Men's fine Texture Hose, per pair 12 1-2c

•	acting the de out plot mitt boot	
	Extra heavy Men's Cheviot Coat Style Shirt	79c
		39c
	6 Spools O. N. T. Thread	25c
	2 skeins O. N. T. Embroidery Thread	5c
	Wright's Bias Tape	9c

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Jacobs Brothers Company

Plainview, Texas

Feb. 21st, with Mrs. Bartlett as hostess, and the subject will be "Costum Deigning.

McCoy 4-H Girls Club The McCoy 4-H Girls club met in the club room at the school building



-we have a number of Ladies Winter Coats, which we have-

CLEARANCE PRICES ON

You can buy a nice coat at a fractional part of the regular price, which you can finish the winter with and wear next winter. Lovely fur trimmed venice, buckskin and velour coats-

\$12.45 to \$31.60

We also have Clearance Prices on Men's Suits, Bath Robes, Ladies' and Children's Wool Dresses, in fact, practically all winter merchandise. It will pay you to come and see for yourself and take advantage of this Money Saving opportunity to buy seasonable merchandise at very low Prices.

JACOBS SPECIAL PLAY SUITS COME IN AND SEE THEM

We wish to call every Mother's attention to our new line of Children's Coveralls, which are made specially for us and guaranteed by us. Made of genuine Otis one by one checks and fine striped Hickory in two weights. Extra well made, durable and attractive. Medium dark blue and fast colors. Plain finish and contrasting solid trimmed.

Medium weight, sizes 1 to 8					\$1.00	
	weight,					\$1.39
Heavy	weight,	sizes	9	to	12,	\$1.59

The ever practical and becoming suit has re-

SATURDAY AND MONDAY	at 10 o clock Thursday morning, Ja 19th. The subject was a general di cussion for next week's articles. Miss Bass was present and too part in the meeting, and Miss Lucil Fairchild was appointed reporter for the club.
SPECIALS	The next meeting will be held of Feb. 3rd. Every member is urged to be of time next meeting with her require work checked up.
(Subject to being sold out) Texas Sweet Grape Fruit, each 5c	CHURCHES Lockney Circuit J. N. S. Webb, Pastor
Rex Bacon, light wieght, lb 29c	Bro. W. A. Robbins will preach for me at the Aiken Methodist church Sunday at eleven a. m., and 3 p. m. Owing to the fact that I am havin the last of my teeth pulled this wee
Tall Pet Milk 10c	Bro. Robbins has kindly consented preach for me Sunday. League services at 6:30 p.m. splended program will be rendered. You are cordially invited to atten all ttese services.
Baby size Pet Milk	Most cordially yours, J. N. S. WEBB, Pasto Baptist Church We had two good services last Su
1 lb. Victoria Coffee and 1 Teaspoon FREE	day and hope for a fine day next Su day. After Sunday school the past will go to Floyduda to preach at the Fifth Sunday meeting. Bro. J. J. Weathers will preach here. The pa tor expects to preach at night. The Fifth Sunday meeting begin Friday night and runs Saturday as day and all day Sunday. The your people will give a program Sunday
Salt Bacon, per yound 17c	afternoon. It will be worth you while to attend everyone of these se vices. C. J. McCARTY, Pasto
15 lbs. Sugar, still \$1.00	The W. M. U. The W. M. U. met Monday after noon with Mrs. D. P. Carter for business and social meeting. The was a fine attendance and a go
Other Specials too numerous to mention. Big Stock of Fresh Vegetables All the Time.	meeting. After the business meeting we had a very enjoyable social how The hostesses, Mesdames Henso Carter, Dodson, and Dyer, served d licious refreshments of cream chick en, stuffed celery, hot rolls, tea, and baked apples with salad. All circles will meet at the churs at 2:30 next Monday and will spen the remainder of the day visiting. Reporter.

Fashion's Latest Styles Can Be Found Here **SPECIAL REDUCTIONS OFFERED On Sheep Lined Coats, Bootees and Blankets** If in need of this merchandise get benefit of these Special Prices. SAVE THE SILVERWARE COUPONS

HARDWARE AND GROCERIES

BUCKEYE INCUBATOR AS BEING THE BEST INCUBATOR ON THE MARKET

Lyles Best Flour, per sack	\$1.60
10 lbs. K. C. Baking Powder	\$1.45
Gallon Peaches, per gallon	. 50c



(By REV. P. B. FITZWAT Moody Brble Institute (6) 1928, Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for January 29

THE GROWING FAME OF JESUS LESSON TEXT-Mark 3:7-12; 6:53-

86 GOLDEN TEXT-"The common peo-

ple heard him gladly." PRIMARY TOPIC-Jesus Followed by Crowds of People. JUNIOR TOPIC-The Growing Fame

of Jesus. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-

IC-Why the People Followed Jesus. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOP-IC-The Secret of Jesus' Fame.

I. Jesus Ministering by the Sea (3:7-12).

1. Why He withdrew. It was because of the murderous plotting of the Pharisees against His life. So violent was their batred against Him that they conspired with the Herodians. whote they regarded as traitors to their nation and country, to put Him to death. Their opposition was aroused when Jesus claimed to have power on earth to forgive sins (2:10) It grew in intensity when He mingled with publicans and sinners (2:16) and was fanned into a viocent flame when He set at nought their false interpretations of the Sabbath law (2:23-28). Criticism and harshness causes Jesus today to witndraw from our presence.

To whom He ministered (vv 7.8.)

A great multitude, representing a wide stretch of territory. They came from Jerusalem and Idumaea on the south, from beyond Jordan on the east, and from Tyre and Sidon on the northwest. Jesus was the magneth attraction-the hero of the hour. The interest of the whole country centered in Him,

3. The result (vv. 9-12).

(1) So great was the pressure that fives seemed endangered by the thronging of the multitudes. Some came out of curlosity "when they heard what great things he did' (v. 8). Others came for physical ben efit, to be healed of their diseases To escape from the throng He ordered the dischales to secure a little boat for Him

(2) The unclean spirits prostrated themselves before Him (vv. 11, 12) They confessed Him as the Son of God. They had no doubt about His deity. This testimony He refused to receive because (a) the time for His declaration was not yet ripe. (b) They were not the beings to make Him known. He would not receive tribute from such a source. He would be proclaimed only by those who loved and honored Him.

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For several years the department of poultry husbandry at the New Jersey agricultural experiment station been hatching part of its Leghas horn chicks about mid-February. This was done, first, as an experiment and in later years because it paid to do so It was found that February hatching of Leghorns for the following early fall egg production lengthens the season of incubation by beginning it earlier, thus making better use of incubation and brooder equipment. It also makes use of more eggs for incubation purposes, which is conceded to be better practice for poultrymen.

The early hatched Leghorn cockerels, mest of which are surplus, are ready for sale as broilers in early April when prices are at their hest These early broilers help to offset lower prices which usually must be accepted for the same type of brollers that are batched in April and are not ready for the market until June or thereabouts. In view of these advantages it is believed that poultrymen should make meney on their Feb. ruary-hatched surplus of Leghorn cockerels.

The February-hatched pullets grow almost to laying maturity before hot weather sets in, or are at least beyond the stage in which hot weather materially affects them. They are usually ready to lay in August and lay well during that month, September, and part of October anyway. Eggs are worth money in that summer period, and as the older hens are falling off in egg production at that time the pullet production helps materially to balance the income on the poultry plant.

These early pullets are likely to molt in late fall, and the rest they get during that process will render them useful as breeders in the following spring, their first spring as adults. The department suggests that about one-quarter of the Leghorn flocks might be February hatched. The rest can come along in mid-April.

Changing Feed to Hens

Lowers Egg Production Many poultry keepers become dissatisfied with the way their hens are laying and immediately, without tryng to figure out the cause, decide to change to a different kind of feed They may be getting a fair egg production but think they can get a much better one, and therefore they change the feed

pullets dropping off in production in There is only one time when it is the fall may be prevented by hatchsafe to make a change in feed, that is. Ing the chicks at the proper time in a radical one and this is in the spring the spring. So observations by the hen all chickens, if they amount to anything at all, will lay eggs. A change at this time will not have the serious effects that a change during the fall, winter or summer will have In the first place, choose a good feed, one that has been tried and has given good results. Then stick to this teed. If something goes wrong, look to the way in which this feed is being fed. Don't make any radical change however, as hirds are very susceptible to any such changes at this stage of their lives. Such changes are apt to cause a molt with a consequent drop

THE LOCKNEY BEACON

Big Crops Cost

More on Each Bushel

Than for Small One.

is small, says Dr. G. F. Warren agri-

cultural economist at the State Col-

lege of Agriculture at Ithaca, N. Y.

More for Large Crop.

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"This may be true, but the distribut-

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the price in the producing area which.

of course, has a surplus, goes down

and this increases the spread between

farm and retail prices. This differ-

ence is also apparent in a comparison

of farm prices in regions which do

not produce enough for their own

needs with regions that have sur-

normal, shows that farm prices of ap-

ples in Rhode Island were 23 cents

above New York farm prices; while

an average of several surplus years

shows that this difference increased

to 28 cents. In large-crop years, how-

ever, although both Rhode Island and

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is not restricted to apples. For eleven

years, when the United States potato

crop was small, the spread between

the farm price at Batavia, N. Y., and

in Rhode Island averaged 27 cents.

It ten large-crop years, the spread

was 31 cents. In twenty years when

the United States corn crop was

small, the average Chicago price of

corn was 13 cents above the Iowa

farm price, and in twenty years when

the crop was large, the average spread

was 14 cents. The same principle

Boost Winter Laying

Proper Hatching Dates

also applies to hay."

"When there is a very large crop

small one.

pluses.

ing section.



ter Crop Will Result.

"Now is the right time to begin preparations for the spring rush of planting," says E. C. Blair, extension It costs more to market each hushel agronomist at the North Carolina of a large crop of corn or potatoes State college, "If plans are well laid or apples than it does to market a now and put into action without desmall crop. In years when a crop is lay, a better crop will result. There large the spread between prices in are many important factors that conpreducing centers and consuming tribute to a good yield, such as soil centers is more than when the crop fertility, proper fertilization, good seed, good cultivation, and good seasons; but other things being anywhere nearly equal, the crop that is planted on time will always outyield "One would assume that a large one planted too late. crop could be passed through the

"Fall and winter plowing is the first step to take. All fields not growing cover crops should be well broken as soon as soil conditions will permit. Winter freezes will pulverize these fields much better and cheaper than can be done with harrows in the spring.

"The farmer who is following a definite crop rotation already knows how many acres of each crop he will have in the spring, and on what fields each crop is to be planted. This practice should be followed by all farmers to enable them to plan intelligently."

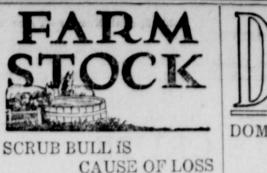
"An average of several years when Find Phosphate Trebles the country's apple crop was below

How six bushels of wheat were added to the acre yields each time that 200 pounds of acid phosphate were applied to the field is strikingly illustrated in the report of M. B. Ditty, county agent, to the Missouri College of Agriculture.

season from the six and one-half pays. acres.

pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate cost \$5,29 for each acre, but returned six more bushels of wheat the first year and 12 more bushels the second year, a total of 18 bushels to the acre. If the wheat is valued at \$1 a bushel, the returns for this labor approximate \$12 more to the acre. As the clover crop was also doubled, the net

returns for labor are even greater.



The loss to the farmers through the use of scrub sires is enormous. Here is one instance. In 1918 two bull calves were born on adjoining farms; both were from good grade cows. One was from a pure bred bull with a long line of pure bred ancestors; the other calf was from a line of scrub sires. These calves grew up on adjoining farms, the one as a choice steer, the other as a scrub bull. When two years old they were both sent to the stockyard. The scrub weighed 900 pounds and sold at 7 cents; it dressed 48 per cent and brought \$63.00. The pure bred weighed 1,200 pounds and sold at 17c; it dressed 61 per cent and brought \$204.00, a difference of \$141.00. With a breeding cost of \$5.00, it left an increased profit of \$136.00. Surely this investment of \$5.00 was well worth while, and indicates why the scrub bull should be

The above is only one instance of the value of a pure bred sire. In August, 1925, the Ontario Agricultural, college at Guelph putlished the record of an experiment in the feeding of six steers, three from scrub bulls. They were all put on the same rations for two winters and one summer. The pure breds showed a profit of \$14,70 The scrub stock showed a loss of \$22.70, a difference of \$37.40. This corresponds with the work done by an Ontario farmer, who made \$26.00 per steer more from those sired by a pure bred than those sired by a grade bull

A Manitoba farmer had two grade Mayview, returned only six bushels of cows o' similar type and breeding wheat to the acre. That fall, he ap- + one was bred to a pure bred sire plied 200 pounds of 16 per cent acid | through a bull ioaning club. The other phosphate per acre when the wheat was bred by a scrub bull which was was sown. In 1925 he harvested 12 running at large and got into the herd. Both calves were developed as A second planting of wheat, on the steers and had the same chances to put on flesh. They were sold in April, tional 200 pounds of 16 per cent acid 1926 the one sired by the scrub bull phosphate, increased the yield to 18 showing a loss of 85 cents, whereas bushels. A mixture of alsike, red and the one from the pure bred sire sweet clover, sown on the 1926 wheat, showed a profit of \$19,00. This is con clusive evidence that good breeding

Good Corn Supplements Tankage and skim milk are highly efficient protein supplements to corn for hogs, points out Grady Sellards, an extension field agent for the Kentucky College of Agriculture.

"Unfortunately," he continues, "the production of these two good sup lements is insufficient to balance all the corn fed to hogs, necessitating the use



MOST DANGEROUS

Page Three

A big game hunter on returning from Africa said that the most dangerous animal in the world was not the lion or the tiger, but the farmer's domestic bull. An Eastern farm journal for many months has been editorially mentioning fatal experiences of farmers with bulls and in nearly every issue the name of some farmer is recorded who has lost his life through placing too much trust in the herd sire.

There are few neighborhoods in which one or more farmers have not been killed by bulls in the last 20 years, and many hearing scars of attacks which through some miracle did not result in death, says a writer in the Michigan Farmer. It is the gentle buff which usually becomes enraged and attacks its owner. A farmer who works around a docile buil for many months may become careless and forget the tremendous power of that animal which with the powerful head and shoulders can easily crush a man in spite of every effort to fight back.

A few months ago we visited a prominent Holstein breeder who entered the box stall of his herd bull with the animal on a stout metal staff. The bull charged the owner but by placing the staff in the corner of the stall he was able to keep the animal braced away until help arrived. It proved the value of keeping the bull on a staff when led.

At the Michigan state college and on farms where bulls have metal and concrete staffs and exercise yards there are few fatalities. But herd bulls in pastures and ordinary barnyards are a constant menace. This is true also when feeding them and cleaning their stalls. Every moment one's attention is taken from the animal there is danger of being knocked down and trampled. Farming is a hazardous business if carelessness prevails in looking after the bull,

Silage Without Tramping

Is Favored by Wisconsin Make silos higher and do away with tramping the silage-maybe that's what we will be doing in a few years. A few years ago a silo at the University of Wisconsin farm was filled witihout tramping, and the silage kept in such good shape that since then all have been filled in that way. One or more sections of distributer pipe are used and a man at the top distributes the silage.

The silage settles more if not tramped, but more silage can be run in as soon as it settles-a common practice even where tramping is prac-

banished Crop Yield in Missouri

Previous to 1924, the six and onehalf acre feld of S. W. Vivion, Lafayette county (Mo.) farmer near

bushels from this "six-bushel" field. same field, in the fall with an addireturned 15 tons of cured hay this

At present car lot prices, the 400 Linseed, Alfalfa Meal

11. Jesus Ministering at Gennesaret (6:53-56).

1. Jesus recognized (v. 54). The people quickly recognized Him because they had witnessed His mighty works The feeding of the 5,000 was doubt less still in their minds. Perhapmany of them had witnessed His works in Capernaum and nearby places. They had doubtless heard Him teach also. He was recognized wher ever He went. When He rules in the lives of believers today, those who come into touch with them recognize the fact. They take knowledge of them that they have been with Jesus (Acts 4:13).

(v. 55). They did not go about this in a half-hearted way. Those who really come into touch with the Lord Jesus Christ have called forth from them unusual energy. The degree of grained soll should be stored in a either with or without lights, but if reality of our contact with Him is expressed by our enthusiasm.

3. They searched the whole region for those in need (v. 55).

and in need were carried in beds to of lice by treatment with sodium Jesus. Those who have come to know flouride, blue ointment or a commer-Christ will go about earnestly seeking for the lost to bring them to Christ It matters not what effort is required

touch (v. 56). The only touch which chance to dust herself is particularly is needed for the healing of the hu enjoyed during the winter months. man soul is that of faith. When the Thoroughly dry, well-pulverized dirt individual is brought into touch with stored in a dry building in boxes or Him by a vital and living faith, sin is barrels or even bags will add greatly vanquished and sickness and death lose their power.

Honor

Honor is like the eye which cannot suffer the least impurity without damage; it is a precious stone, the price of which is lessened by the least flaw Bossuet.

> The "Yes" and "No" You are what you are today because of what you were yesterday. You are the product of the "Yes" that you have said, and the "No."-Margaret Slattery.

Good Christians, Citizens

Whatever makes men good Chris-*_tians makes them good citizens .-Daniel Webster.

Stepping Stones

Men may rise on stepping stones of their dead selves to higher things.-Tennyson.

The Library of God Few, but full of understanding are Tupper.

2. The people ran to see Jerus Providing Winter Dust Bath Quite Important

in egg production.

During one of the periods of dry. elear weather, a supply of dry, finefreeze severely during the colder months. Nothing has been fe had that quite takes the place of a dust bath and then begin to lay again are sub-Those who were found to be sick for hens. Of course, we can rid them place the enjoyment that a hen gets with. in dusting herself in a box of dust or 4. They were made whole by His mixture of dust and ashes. And the to the comfort and contentment of the flock throughout the winter.

. Cut Down Profits

Overcrowding and lack of sanitation in a poultry house will cut down the profits in a short time regardless of the quality of the stock. No matter how good the quality of your pullets, It will pay better to sell part of them rather than overcrowd the houses in an attempt to keep them all over winter. Overcrowding pullets usually results in slow growth and lack of weight in the flock and this means a high mortality rate and low egg pro duction.

Useful Cake Pans

For holding gravel, oyster shells starch and charcoal, use tube cake pans such as are sold at variety stores for haking angel food cakes. Drive a sharpened two-foot stake through the center of the pan and into the ground Then fill the pup and the fauls car hot the it over and but little is wasted The pun can be slipped off the stake for cleaning and refilling. If you are giving a tonic there is less waste if the books of the library of God - it is given in this way than by mix ing with the grain,

poultry department of the New Jer sey College of Agriculture show,

A good deal of the trouble with

It is a good plan to hatch from onequarter to one-third of the flock of Leghorns between January 15 and March 1, so that these birds will start laying in the summer and maintain production when the adult birds are falling. During the month of March and as late as April 15 any of the heavy breeds may be hatched. From April 15 until May 15 the bulk of the Leghorn flock may be hatched; they will start laying about November 1 and ought to continue through the winter and spring.

If lights are used many of the earlier-hatched blids also can be kept from molting in the fall, but the dates given here are for flocks where lights are not used. Such a schedule, how ever, will work out satisfactorily place where it will neither get wit nor the birds are not under lights then this schedule must be followed to prevent fail molting. Eirds that molt ject to colds, chicken pox, and other complications, so it is wise to have them start laying at such a time that cial leuse powder, but these do not re- their production will not be interfered

> 10+0+0+0+010+0+0+0+01 Hints for the Farm NO+O+O+O+ONO+O+O+O+ON There is no known seed treatment which will prevent smut in corn.

. . . An acre of inoculated alfalfa nets 150 pounds of nitrogen from the air. . . .

Good seed costs very little more than poor seed, but it insures more bushels per acre.

Protecting the birds that live in your farm wood lot is a valuable investment for the growth of that wood lot.

. . .

. . . Treating the seed for smut may cost a few cents for labor and material but it will make dollars in yield and qual-. . .

Good ventilation in burns or other places where animals are kept will greatly reduce the amount of frost deposited. . . .

ity.

Plan for liming sour land on which rou expect to plant clover, alfalfa, barley, sweet clover, Canada field peas, or canning peas or beens. . . .

With heavy hedding for cold weather, the manure accumulates rapidly. There is no better time to haul it to the fields. Then all its leeching goes tank. Milk wastes will quickly clog give the animals an extra supply. onto the soil where it is needed. up any cesspool, even in gravel soil.

Three Points Spelling

culture.

Success or a Failure Farmers who intend to plant apple

orchards should remember that if an orchard has a good site, if the soil is good, and if good varieties are planted, there is a good chance for success, but if these three points are unfavorable, even the most-industrious and best-informed fruit grower may not be able to make money, according to the New York State College of Agri-

Varieties must, of course, be adapted to the site and soil, but also to the present market demands. The future market preferences must also be antleipated. The trees, themselves.

each bushel or each barrel. Quality of the fruit is another point be used." that must be considered, for the fruit must be in demand on the market and must sell for a good price. As time goes on, quality is going to be more and more important, largely due to present-day transportation and storage facilities.

Perishable Mcintosh may now be kept in cold storage until April if rations has been advocated for some carefully handled. Thus they compete directly with better keeping but ower-quality varieties which formerenjoyed a ready sale when earlier orts were gone. According to a reecht survey in New

England, 50 per cent of the apples for household use are used raw, and this alfalfa as a means of improving the tendency will undoubtedly increase.

Much Experimental Work Made on Dairy Wastes

wastes has been made by the following institutions: United States public gestions.

will take care nicely of wastes from washing milk bottles, utensils, tanks, floors and so on. The tank should be of fairly good size, but built in the same manner as recommended for household use. In fact, the same tank lodized salt throughout the whole can be used for both if of good size, year, but if fed to pregnant sows pro-The sludge formed has a tendency to rection against bairless pigs will be get rather solid and it may be neces- secured. Pregnant cows should also sary to remove some sludge every year | have iodized sait; in this case the use or so. Apparently a reasonable use of of the salt should begin something washing powders does not seriously like blacky days before carving time. interfere with the action of the septic | Sait can be added to the grains, or tank. Large quantities of skim milk, concentrates, at the rate of 1 pound whey or buttermilk will seriously in- of salt to 100 pounds of concentrates.

mentary fee

"Although tests show that protein supplements from animal sources are more efficient than those from vegetable sources, it has been found that combinations of animal and vegetable supplements are more effective than either type used singly.

"Of the best of these combinations is found tankage 50 parts; finseed oilmeal, 25 parts, and alfalfa meal, 25 parts, all by weight.

"Alfalfa meal is not necessary when hogs are running on good pastuce. some hog men use the following proportions: Tankage, 50 parts; linseed diment, 25 parts and alfalfa meat.

"Alfalfa hay may be used instead of should be heavy producers, for large the two have given equally good reyields are produced at less cost for suits. In the event alfaita hay is no

Use of Alfalfa Hay as

Supplement in Winter The use of a mixture of 50 pounds of tankage, 25 pounds oliment and 25 pounds of chopped alfalfa hay as a supplement for yellow corn in winter time. Recently trials at South Dakota have proved that high quality whole. hay gives almost as good results a the chopped hay if the pigs can be in duced to consume enough of the uncui feed. These results have caused hun dreds of Northwest farmers to adopt

standard corn-tankage ration. Data from the trials at the South Dakota station show that pigs fed a ration of corn and tankage made an average daily gain of 1.32 pound-Much experimental work on dairy When chopped alfalfa hay and linseed meal were fed with the corn and tank age the average daily gain was 1.54 health service, Washington; college of pounds. More significant than this, agriculture, Madison, Wis; Iowa State | however, is a saving of 16 pounds of college, Ames, lowa; college of agri- feed for each 100 pounds of grain in culture, Ithaca, N. Y ; and each of the pigs fed the ration containing these have available bulletins and sug- chopped alfalfa hay and the fact that there was a difference of 17 days in In general, the use of a septic tank mayor of the alfalfa fed pigs in reach ing a weight of 200 pounds.

Feeding Iodized Salt

It is probably not necessary to feed terfere with the action of the septic if additional common sait is needed

In view of these facts, why not build the silo avlittle higher and save the extra labor of tramping?

Besides, engineering experts say it takes less power to fill a high silothan a low one, strange as that may seem.

Along with this goes the fact that a great many silage cutters are being run too fast. By reducing the speed somewhat, a larger pulley can be put on and smaller engines or tractors used to run the cutters. Lower speed makes the muchinery last longer.

Fly wheel cutters less than 11 inches in diameter are not economical. Better results come from a medium-sized machine at comparatively slower

New York College Gives Plans for Ventilation

Carefully conducted studies made by the New York State College of Ag. riculture during two months of each of the past five winters show that the walls and ceilings of dairy stables, as well as the lofts of dairy borns can be kept dry by proper ventilation. It has been found, also, that ventilation can be accomplished with less mate rial, less labor, and at less cost than was formerly supposed, according to A. M. Goodman at the New York State College of Agriculty - at Ithuca, N.Y.

Most dairy barr need only one good chimney or out-take flue; few of them need more than two. The construction of the chimney is the greatest expense of the whole installation. The part of these chimneys that goes from the floor of the mow to the caves. of the barn must be built while the mows are empty. The upper part of the chimneys and, in fact, all the rest of the system may be put in when the loft is full, he says.

By building the upper part of the out-take flue when the mows are fuil, no high climbing is necessary and practically no scaffolding is needed, but it should be remembered that part of the out-take flues must be built before hay is put in the mows or while he mows are empty.

Barn Space for Cow

The cubic space allowance per cow s not the most important thing in a barn. Proper ventilation is of much more importance than the number of able feet of air allowed per cow. However, 600 to 800 cubic feet of air space should be provided for each cow, and in addition an efficient ventilating system must be provided. The recommended cross-sectional area of outlet flues is 36 square inches per cow, and a somewhat greater total area is required in the intake flue.

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THE LOCKNEY BEACON

Lockney, Texas, Thursday, January 26th, 1928

PROGRAM OF FIFTH 7:30, Special Number-To be sup-SUNDAY MEETING 7:45, The Bible in Individual Life and Service .- Y. F. Walker. The Floyd County Baptist Association will meet with Floydada ... church 8:00, Sermon-By Rev. C. D. Potts, Jan. 27-29. of Silverton. Friday night: 8:45-Adjournment. 7:15, Devotional-C. B. Sima Saturday: JAMES CRUZE Director of Feature Photoplays, writes: "In the direction of any of my big pictures, and Bullard. especially during the filming of The Covered Wagon, the constant use of my voice demands that I keep it in first-class condition. As a cigarette smoker it was necessary that I find a cigarette which I could smoke without any chance of throat irritation or cough. After trying them all, I decided on Luckies. They are 2:30-Song. mild and mellow - which both proteets the throat and 0 gives real smoke en-James Oruse 3:15-Song. LUCI joyment." Shannon. IGARETTE Hale of Ralls. Sunday liam, Supt Weathers. McCarty. FRANK KEANE

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it's toas No Throat Irritation-No Cough.

of Center church. county clubs to prepare the menu. 10:15-Pastorial Evangelism-By H. M. Reed, Pastor Lakeview. HASSELL STARTS TRIP TO 10:30-Missionary Evangelism-By DEATH HOUSE AT HUNTSVILLE J. M. Harder of Cone Church. 10:45-Sunday Sschool Evangelism-Slayer Leaves Plainview Jail for By Pastor Hankins. State Pen, to Be Electrocuted 11:00-Evangelistic Song Service-On Feb. 10th By Mit Bullard. 11:15-Evangelistic Sermon-By C. Plainview, Jan. 21.-Geo. J. Has-E. Dick of Crosbyton. sell, confessed slayer of thirteen peo-12:00-Dinner. ple, was taken from the Hale county 1:30-Song Service-Led by Mit jail at Plainview early Saturday morning by Sheriff J. W. Martin and 1:45-Personal Evangelism (Pera deputy from Farwell, Parmer counsonal Work),-By V. M. Lollar. ty, who left with the condemned man 2:10-Personal Evangelism (Giv- for Huntsville, where Hassell will be ing)-By Cal McGahey. kept in the state penitentiary until Feb. 10, when he will go to the elec-2:35-The Holy Spirit in Evange- tric chair to pay the debt for his lism-By H. L. Burnham. 2:55-Preserving the Fruits of Sheriff Martin came for Hassell Evangelism .- By W. M. Draper, early Saturday morning in an automobile and he was taken to Hunts-3:20-Round-table Discussion of illee by that means. Sheriff Sam Evangelism .- Led By K. F. Keller . Faith of Plainview arose early and 4:00-Adjournment. had a breakfast prepared for Hassell Saturday Night: before sunrise. Hassell showed signs 7:15-Devotions-Led by R. L. of nervouness as he realized the meaning of his departure from the 7:30-Sermon-By Pastor J. H. Hale county bastile, where her has been for practically a year since the Adjournment at Pleasure. commission of the murder with which he is charged and to which he con-10:00-Sunday School-J. C. Gilfessed. Since his incarceration at Plain 11:00-Devotions-Led by Jones view Hassell has been a mystery to those who have observed him. ...He 11:20-Missionary Sermon-C. J. has shown very few signs of nervousness or remorse for his crimes, but 12:00-Adjournment for Dinner has outwardly laughed at death telling visitors that he was more fortu-2:15-Devotional. nate than they for he knew the mom 2:30-Associational B. Y. P. U. 2:30-3:00-Directed by Miss Amy ent when he would have to die. Hassell was convicted of the mur-Glenn, of Motley county. 3:00-3:30-Directed by Miss Fay der of his step-son, Alton Hassell, and sentenced to die in the electric Brown, Briscoe county. 3:30-4:00-Directed by Miss Birdie chair after having confessed to the murder of his wife, and his seven Porter, Crosby county. Hospitable entertainment will step children at Farwell late in December, 1926. He had buried his vicaccorded all who attend. The young people will be here on tims in the back yard of his home at Farwell, where he had a reputation of Sunday afternoon. being a good farmer and citizen. Fol-FLOYDADA IS PREPARING lowing his arrest and confession of FOR BIG BANQUET these murders he was found to have nurdered another family in Whittier, Radio Talk By J. J. Taylor to Be Calif., several years ago and buried Feature of Annual Meeting Fleydada, Jan. 21-Hubert Harrison, manager of the Wichita Falls at Farwell and has been kept since Chamber of Commerce, will be the arrested, he has been examined by principal speaker at the annual several phychologists and he still re Chamber of Commerce Banquet to be mains a puzzle to them. In his own

them in a similar fashion. During his incarceration at Plainview where he was brought for fear of mob violence held in the gynasium of the Andrews words, "I do not know why I killed ward school on the evening of Feb. 10. them, for I have always loved chil ************** Notice was received this week that dren, and been a favorite with them Mr. Harrison had accepted the invita-Ninoteen days remain for Hassell tion of the local organization and was to live, and he has promised during making plans to that effect. that time that he would tell every Another feature of the annual ban- thing that was necessary about hi quet will be a radio address by J. J. past life and any crimes which he Taylor of the Dallas News, who will may have commited for he says he speak for five minutes direct from wants no one to pay the penalty for he Dallas News broadcasting station anything which he has ever done. to these attending the banquet. If Hassell has a long criminal career in possible one or two other speakers addition to his thirteen murders and will be used to make a radio talk. deserted the army and navy both. of the banque Floydada municipal band will HEREFORD GIRLS END WORLD TOUR' IN ROSWELL JAIL Roswell, N. M., Jan. 14 .- Two anging several special numbers and young girls of Hereford, Texas, start ed out to see the world and landed in boys will be at their best. Tables for 400 people will be pre- the Chaves county jail, according to pared, of which it is hoped that 200 officers here. The girls, whose names will be Floyd county people, 150 Floy- are being withheld because of their

10-Devotions-Led by Mr. Bryant Bass is making arrangements for the this ctiy were in company with two Many a man's reputation for truthyouths who are now held for investi fulness goes lame when he begins to gation. The girls were placed in the say things about himself. Chaves county jail pending the arrival of officials and relatives from Some family skeletons can't be kept Hereford. in a closet.



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ably be arrayed in their new unierms and will furnish music for the ceasion. Professor Lundgren is ar-

dada citizens and fifty out-of-town youth, belong to prominent families guests. The food will probably be all at Hereford. They had started to ed county food and Miss Blanche California and upon their arrival in

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ARTICLE TWO RULER OR SERVANT?

COTTON-King or Commoner? Despotic ruler over thousands of square miles and millions of subjects, or daily servant to ninety-nine per cent of the world's population? Contradictory as it may sound, both definitions

Grecian mythology tells of an ocean god named Proteus who had the power to assume many different forms, but even the Greeks could hardly have imagined a single product of the that could furnish the race with most of its clothing and bedding and some of its shelter and house decorations; that could cause ships to plow the seven seas and wheels to turn in countless factories; that could supply hospitals with bandages and other materials of relief; that, on the other hand, could bring death and destruction in war by taking the form of explosives, and yet, in the same transformation could work mines, cut roadways and prepare the soil for agriculture; then, as though these achievements were not sufficient, could provide the motion-picture film; could give us the innumerable articles made from celluloid; could tour the roads in automobile tires, wheels, bodies, tops and seats and could furnish markers for the roads; could fly the air in airplane wings; could cover furniture and bind books as artificial leather; could help to extinguish fires in the form fire hose; could be used for waterproofing tunnels; could be spun into the appearance of silk under the name of "rayon" and even could take the form of varnish and lac-quers-yet all these things are accomplished by Cotton through a great variety of ingenious processes utilizing the fibre alone

Even this astonishing showing is far from exhausting the list of human services contributed by the great staple. The fibre cannot be employed until sep-

arated from the clinging seeds, and these seeds, once considered as virtually waste material, save for the small proportion reserved for planting, are now realized to be a storehouse of wealth-even in themselves the foundation for large in-

Crushed in mills they yield a rich oil which is the basis for more than one widely-advertised cooking oil and which has no small employment for use in making salads and in the manufacture of soaps. In addition, the solid residue left by the crushing furnishes cil cake, valuable for cattle and poultry food or for use as fertilizer to go back into the fields and start the cycle over again. In view of these versatile values,

it is not astonishing that cotton should have acquired such a tremendous influence over human at fairs that the title "King Cotton" is hardly exaggeration. Cotton's effect upon industry, commer finance and politics has been ve great. The necessity for manual



Cotton-King or Commoner!

day is more largely used throughlabor adapted to work in the cotout the world than are all three combined. Yet, in a peculiar de-gree, it has become American. It ton fields under a Southern sun was one of the principal factors in the expansion of slavery which led to the Civil War. The need of Lancashire spinners for Southern is a magnificent resource of the United States, and the cause of a cotton produced dangerously strained relations between England and the North during that struggle. Cotton has been a spur to England's colonial policy, and the de-velopment of cotton fields in Egypt, Sudan, Mesopotamia, Australia and elsewhere, in addition to the exten-sive cotton raising of India, has been a constant British purpose.

And so, during centuries of time and from layette to shroud, man has been surrounded by cotton to such a degree that the romantic and dramatic features in the history of the great staple are of nat-Since long before the time when

Alexander's soldiers told of the 'vegetable sheep" which they had seen in India, it has shared with vool, flax and silk the duty of providing textiles for the race, and to-

more or less reluctant tribute from other lands wherein many great textile plants are dependent their very existence upon an uninterrupted supply of American raw cotton For this reason, the staple has been recognized as the largest item in our exports during more than one hundred years, and has brought more gold to the United States than can be credited to any

other resource. Taken all in all, there are few subjects more interesting, few subjects of more practical and constant importance to the average American even though he may live far from the plantation, than that of the vegetable Proteus, Cotton.

(Next Article, "THE LAND OF COTTON.")

PLANS PERFECTED FOR PLAINS | bock; P. C. Bennett, Amarillo; R. C. 5 and 6 and will be restricted to dairy T. Shillingford, Margaret McDowell, on April 30, 1925, and lived together South DAIRY STOCK EXPOSITION Nichols, Tulia; Oscar Stansell, Floy- cattle of the Panhandle-Plains section W. H. McDowell, Eleanor Allison Mc- until May 8, 1927, and no children

ing of the executive committee Fri- Bob Anglin, Tulia.

Plainview, Jan. 21.-Plans for the Frank R. Phillpis, Canyon; W. L. Plains, the South Plains and as far McDowell, Thomas McDowell, James That about one year after plaintiff first Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show Stangel, Lubbock; R. M. Millhollin south as Lamesa. here were perfected at the first meet- and Winfield Holbrook, Plainview, and According to D. F. Eaton, president

of the association, breeders all over day, attended by D. F. Eaton, Lub- The show is to be held April 3. 4. the territory are arranging to have

persnip committee, which will solicit had and held peaceable and adverse memberships from breeders and possession of same-cultivating, usothers interested in the dairy develop- ing, or enjoying same-for a period ment of the Plans to mance the show of more than ten years next before A publicity committee composed of the commencement of this suit, and Maury Hopkins, Frank R. Phillips and this they are ready to verify. Bob Anglin was appointed. A pro- Plaintiffs pray for judgment for

their best dairy stock at the show. that they, and those under whom they

P. C. Bennett, county agent of Pot- hold and claim, claiming the above

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THE LOCKNEY BEACON

nopkins, W. L. Stangel and P. C. Writ of Restitution, damages, and Bennett was appointed. costs, and for general and special That the Pannandle-Plains territory relief, legal and equitable.

can be procured is the contention of before said court, on the said first those in authority in the association. day of the next term thereof, this The purpose of the show is to en- Writ, with your endorsement thereon, courage the breeding of more such showing how you have executed same. dairy stock in this section of Texas.

Anton-Anton is among the towns Floydada, Texas, this the 16th day of to affiliate with the West Texas January, A. D., 1928. Chamber this month. .. It is located in a good farming region where diversihed farming is practised.

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of, to be holden in the County of Floyd, at the Court House, in Floy-dada, Texas, on the 27th day of February, A. D., 1928 then and there court by plaintiffs on the 16th day of January, A. D. 1928, in a suit number-ed on the docket of said court No. dada; T. L. Shepard, Hale Center; of Texas, including all of the North Dowell, Clay Allison McDowell, John were ever born to them.

McDowell, Margarite McDowell Lose, and defendant were married defendand James Lose are plaintiffs, and ant commenced a course of unkind, Maggie McDowell Parker, Elizabeth harsh and cruel treatment towards A. C. GOEN Reed McDowell, Mary McDowell Mil- plaintiff, which constantly increased in er, William E. Miller, Reed McDowell, violence, and she was finally compelland John McDowell; and the unknown ed to p rmanently leave him on said heirs of John McDowell, deceased; May 8, 1927, returning to the home of and John McDowell, Jr., deceased, and her father, where she has continued the unknown heirs of John McDowell, to reside ever since.

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That defendant us times and dates threatened the life of plaintiff, and slept with a razon or a pistol or both under his pillowelling plaintiff that he expected to kill both plaintiff and himself before erning, and that the outrageous, exssive and cruel treatment continued grow worse, and was of such a nature as to render their living together wholly insupportable.

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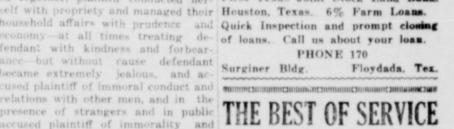
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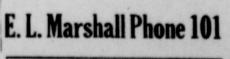
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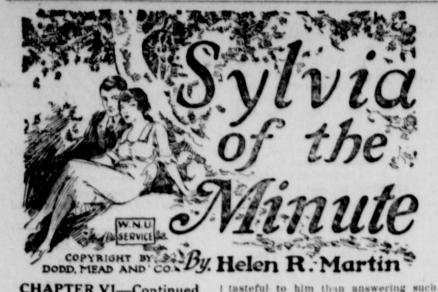
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pay it he would.

fect it-"

"Look here, Meely, perhaps I owe it

to you to explain the situation to you.

Lady Sylvia St. Croix will marry me

because her family needs money-

punk and my father will restore it

and supply the income to keep it up.

I will marry her because I shall enjoy

the prestige in England which the

marriage will give to me-and my chil-

dren. So you see how entirely out-

side of my marriage will be my re-

ow-down wicked marriage like that !

#### **CHAPTER VI**—Continued -15-

"It's worth a moment of the keenest happiness mortals can know! Divine happiness ! Isn't that enough?" "'Divine'? I thought that there word meant somepin else-1 thought it belonged to Jesus-"

"A divine moment, Meely, such as few ever know in the stereotyped marriage relation, my girl, believe

"It ain't that I expec' you to marry me, Mr. Creighton-I know I can't rise to that. But if I can't rise to that, I can't fall to nothin' else between you and me, neither !"

The earnestness of her resistance was beginning to alarm him. Surely she did not mean all she was saying ! She only wanted to be coaxed, persuaded. Surely it only needed a little patience on his part to bring her to the yielding point? But patience was a thing he was so unused to exercising that it taxed his nerves and his temper almost more than he could bear. The little hussy must be very experienced, she knew so well how to enhance her own value and stimulate his desire by her stand-offishness!

"Think, Meely, how stupid it is not to seize every chance that comes our way (few enough they are !) for happiness! Look at all the colorless years ahead of you, and don't miss this one ineffable hour !-- such as will never be offered you once you're married !" "Will your marriage hold you from any more such hours?"

"That's neither here nor there-my marriage, Meely, is quite another affair-'

"Meanin' it ain't none of my affairs? Well, but it's the affair of your wife, anyhow, whether you have any such grand hours-"

"My dear, we won't discuss my possible wife !"

"I'd feel awful sorry," said Meely, slowly shaking her head, "for your wife, Mr. Creighton."

He laughed uneasily. "Judging by the way I'm pursued by marriageable girls, Meely, your view of me as a husband can't possibly be the one generally held by many ladies of high degree! You don't know your luck, my girl!"

"Yes, well, but them 'ladies of high

### THE LOCKNEY BEACON

gaze when he was about to get into his car, parked near the schoolhonse, did not decrease his mental confusion, nor serve to soothe his rasped nerves and outraged vanity.

Marvin Creighton, approaching William Penn schoolhouse at half-past five that afternoon, on his way to his temporary home at Absalom Puntz' cottage, noticed on the road far ahead of him a slim girlish figure in a long loose coat, hurrying along the highway. Though the daylight was fading, her carriage of herself and the set of her clothing were so conspicuously different from that of any country girl one was apt to meet alone on the road at this hour that even in this dimness that hurrying figure was sharply impressive.

Curiosity made him quicken his pace to catch up with her. But before he had overtaken her, she had arrived at William Penn schoolhouse, a question; dwelling at such length where, to his surprise, she stopped on this unseemly topic. But if to win her over he must pay that price, then and went in.

Then it was, as he had half suspected, half hoped, a little dreaded, Miss Schwenckton !

A few yards before he reached the school he came upon a roadster, parked along the road, which he rectheir estate, since the war, is gone to ognized as his brother's. The idea stabbed him that this attractive young teacher and St. Croix might be having a rendezvous in the school! Was St. Croix in there with her now? He was such a philanderer-sometimes so unscrupulous-the girl ought to be put on her guard.

lation with you-how little it can af-"But darned if I want to be the one to warn her! And if ever a girl "Well !" Meely severely pronounced seemed capable of looking out for herjudgment. "I may not be such a high self, she's it !" aristocrat, but I'd he above such a

In a minute he was at the schoolhouse door. It was slightly ajar; he pushed it open a bit wider and, not entering, glanced in. The sight that met his eye made him draw back precipitately - Miss Schwenckton, her back toward the door, was standing on her platform disrobing! She' had already taken off her coat and frock, her white shoulders bared-

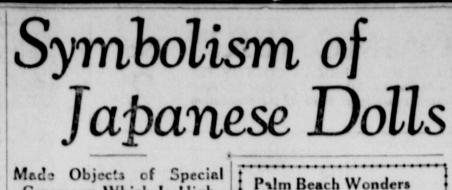
There was no one else in the schoolcom, vet-

Marvin stumbled back a pace from the door. But though the thought that pierced him made him call himself "a cad," yet as he stood there wondering whether he should knock, he felt cold all over; and even while he hesitated, in what seemed to him an incredibly short time, she suddenly appeared before him in the doorway clad in a jacket sult and a jaunty sports hat! He was so taken aback, so utterly confused, that he could not move or speak, but stood as stockstill as the wooden posts of the school porch.

At sight of a man standing motionless at her door in the gathering gloom, she cried out in alarm-which brought him to himself.

"Don't be frightened! It's onlyour superintendent !"

She gave a little gasp of relief. 'Only ! And of whom, pray, should I be more frightened?-though the schoolroom being empty just now, of course you can't bully me into teaching geography for your entertainment



### Ceremony Which Is High Point of Year for Girls.

Washington .- "Japanese dolldom in all its glory, represented by 59 gift dolls recently arrived in the United States, is a realm of enchanting imaginary and special ceremony," says a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographical society. "A Feast of the Dolls, held ennually on March 3, is high point of the year for thousands of small maidens in all parts of Japan.

"On that day four or five shelves covered with scarlet cloth are set up In the best guest room of every Japnnese household, and the dolls are brought from a fire-proof storeroom and arranged according to rank on the improvised staircase. On the top shelf are plage two dolls representing the emperor and empress, dressed in antique court costume and each sitting on a email lacquered platform.

On the next step below are the five court musicians with tiny musical instruments. On the lower shelves range lesser dolls, many of them handed down from mother to daugh-

ter for generations. Are Carefully Stored.

"With the dolls are toy furnishings of every description, tables with dishes. sake bottles, tollet chests, and cook stoves. All of these precious articles are kept throughout the year in the 'go-down' or storehouse which is a part of most Japanese gardens. "When they make their annual ap-

pearance on the third day of the third month, dol's reign supreme for three days. Holidays are taken from schools and little girls visit one another all day long and play before the doll court. They ko-tow to the emperor and empress on the top shelf, offer them food and drink in miniature dishes, and handle the lesser dolls on the bottom shelves. As further diversion there is usually an exciting visit to a doll shop to add a new beauty to the family collection.

"Of course Japanese maidens have their own favorite dolls to be loved and cherished throughout the year.

but ceremonial dolls are only seen on March 3 and the two succeeding days. The Feast of Dolls is said to have been instituted by Shoguns of ancient times with the threefold purpose of fostering patriotism, housewifery, and motherhood. When a Japanese girl marries she takes her own special dolls with her to her husband's house

and carries on the custom with her own children. Few families are too

#### Lockney, Texas, Thursday, January 26, 1928

black and masked to disguise their own personalities. So finely adjusted are their movements that the dolls. 'act' with exceeding gracefulness and every range of emotion is portrayed by the voices of men who handle them. Some of the doll handlers have been a lifetime in the business and are artists in the interpretation of Japanese drama.

"Doll making in Japan, is a household industry and every year many thousand Japanese doll bables are shipped to the United States and Europe. They are of all grades, from clay toys to gorgeous creatures whose kimonos are made of tiny figured silk woven for the purpose. Such a creation is Miss Dal Nippon who leads the gift from the children of Japan to the children of the United States, and the 58 dolls who form her suite."

### Woman Astronomer

#### Seeks Rich Patron

London .- Miss Mary Prector, British woman astronomer, is going to the United States soon with the avowed intention of "finding a millionaire with a flair for astronomy '

Miss Proctor will try to persuade this millionaire "to build and endow the largest observatory in the world."

"My earliest recollections are of playing around my father's great telescepe," Miss Proctor sald. "Then 1 grew to be interested in his work. After his death I was pitchforked into becoming an astronomer myself.

"A party of American tourists vis-Iting Europe invited me to join an expedition to see the eclipse, just because I was the daughter of Richard A. Proctor. This occurred on August 9, 1896, at Batho, Norway. The experience led me to study astronomy seriously.

"My favorite hobby is seeing total eclipses of the sun. My second view of the corona was obtained May 28. 1900, at Norfolk, Va.; the third occasion was in 1905 at Burgos, Spain. and the fourth was last June, when I made my observation from an airplane at a height of 6,000 feet, ap awe-inspiring sight."

### **Rapid Growth Wins** Chinese Elm Favor

#### Washington .- Developing in feur seasons from a sheot three feet tall and the size of a lead pencil to a tree 15 to 25 feet high and 16 to 19 inches in circumference, the Chinese elm nas won popularity in this country.

The species, introduced into the United States nearly 20 years ago, is widely adaptable for shade and as a windbreak. It grows with numerous slender, almost wiry, branches, Leaves appear early in the spring. They are among the last to fall in autumn.

Free from plant diseases and insects, the Chinese elm grows rapidly and is particularly valuable in regions of light rainfall and extremes of temperatures where few trees anese dolldom is the doll theater. On thrive, it has withstood the severe the stage, doll actors are manipulated | winters of the northern states and

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About Sun Bathing

Palm Beach, Fla,-Will the

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mest conservative of bathing

places, where even stockings

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Man bathers have used an

alligator pen on the south end

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become that the space has been

doubled. Now a sun porch has

At the Bath and Tennis club

the women's sun pen has been

been added for the women.

are compulsory?

ing.

"On the fifth day of May boys have their turn at holidays when the Feast of Flags is celebrated. On tall bamboo poles above each house a gay paper fish flies, one for every lad in the family. They are hollow, with open mouths, and the wind fills their red-gold paper sides to bursting. This fish represents the carp, noted for its bravery in battling against waterfalls, and the unflinching way it takes a death blow from the fisherman's mallet. Every father who floats a paper carp for his small son on the fifth day of the fifth month hopes that he likewise will prove brave in life's battles and meet death unflinch ingly.

"At the boys' feast there also is a display of dolls in the best room. This time toy soldiers, warriors in anclent armor, swords and implements of battle are set out, flags are unfurled, and stories told of the bravery of the nation's historic patriots. The boy doll is invariably a fighter.

"It is said that in the ancient days of Japan soldiers were buried alive at the funeral of an emperor. Later toy figures were substituted for the devoted followers of the chief. Thus originated the soldier doll which plays such a large part in the ceremonies of the fifth of May.

Doll Shows an Ancient Art. "Another interesting branch of Jap-

degree' run after you to marry you. You ain't astin' me to marry you." "I'm offering you a love such as I

shall probably never feel for the girf I marry! Oh, Meely !" He reached for her hand, but she drew it away.

"Meely | You'll lose me, you know, if you keep this up! You can't keep me dangling forever, you know !" The words, "keep me dangling." startled his own ears, so ridiculous was the Idea of a girl such as Meely keeping him "dangling"! "If you do lose me, you'll only have yourself to thank !" "What would I be losin' in losin'

you?" she asked as one humbly seeking information.

"You'd be losing happiness, wouldn't you, my dear?"

"Happiness! Would I keep happiness-and you-by doing what you all these weeks? Why have you come want? It's put out that you're going here to meet me? Why? Tell me to marry your cousin-a grand lady | that-why Y with such a title or what. After you've got her, where would I come in ?"

Ah, thought St. Croix, light dawning on his troubled mind, so it was | that pitied him, "I have found out " that that was holding her back !-- she had heard of his betrothal and was jealous !

"I give you my word. Meely, that I am not-us yet-engaged."

"I heard you was," she repeated stubbornly. "What would that cousin think of you if she knowed-about amazement, the absolute uselessness me?

"That need not worry you !"

"Oh, needn't it

"Why should it? I have not seen this cousin since we were both children-and I am not-definitely-betrothed to her."

"But you're plannin' to be."

"Well, surely, my dear girl, it will hurt you far less if I marry some one I don't love-some one 1 don't really know-a person I've not seen since she was a homely little bow-legged kid!"

"'Bow-legged' !" exclaimed Meety indignantly

"Yes, and pigeon-toed and towbeaded and freckle-faced! You'll not be hurt by my marriage," he exclaimed fervently, "you beautiful thing !"

"Yes, well, but how about hurtin' When you even love another her! bne !"

"She'll be doing the same thing, probably !" he defended himself. "It's purely a family arrangement," he answered, frowning impatiently at being forced into a discussion of his personal affairs; to his peculiar ideas of fitness it was a desecration to even so much as name his cousin-his future wife, no doubt-to a giri like Meely Schwenckton.

"Are you so sure she'll be willin' to marry you without lovin' you and without your lovin' her?" Meely asked wonderingly.

Nothing could have been more dis-

#### to Stop Her, She Had Turned and Fled.

"It's time I got home-Pop will be missin' me.

He sprang up too-bis face atmost purple with the strain of his selfrestraint-but the look in her eyes halted him. One step toward her, her shrick to arouse the countryside.

"Mosty," he exclaimed huskily, what do you mean? Why, if you don't love me, have you led me on

"To find out," she answered in an are. And," she added with a smile Refore he could lay a finger on her to stop her, she had turned and fled

By the time he had recovered from the bewildering shock of her words, her tone, she was far down the hilltoo far for him to overtake her-even if he had not realized, to his stunned of overtaking her.

That he had been repudiated by this girl who for nearly three months had let him treat her contemptuously, had submitted to his bullying, his rudeness, his irritability, had accepted and ceturned his lavish caresses ! All the way down the hill and along the highway toward the spot near the schoolhouse, where today he had parked his car, he stared incredulously at the amazing fact.

But a scene that met his bewildered

-my good luck "Going home now?" "Yes."

"Then"-he took from her hand the big door-key and the books she had in her arms-"may I walk with you?" When he had locked the school door.

he glanced up the road to the waiting car. Its lights had been turned on, illuminating the road over a wide area, and he saw that his brother, standing in front of his car, was witnessing his coming out of the school house with Miss Schwenckton. She eyes said to him, and she would he observed was viewing with a frank surprise the lighted car and its owner a few rods away. That look of surprise seemed so genuine, it was hard to believe that his own unexpected arrival at the school had foiled a meeting between these two. And yet it would be so like St. Crofx to seek a furtive love affair with a charmin: even tone, "what sort of a man you girl like Miss Schwenckton when he'd i with anyone of a class outside his own '-like a parvenu uncertain of his position, rather than like a man born to a secure place in the sun! Eut that a girl of Miss Schwenckton's spirit should accept such cowardly attentions seemed incredible. And this mystery of her changing her clothing in the schoolroom !-

> As they turned their backs on the car and went on their way, neither of them referred to it-though Meely was so absorbed 'n wondering whether St. Croix had recognized her that her sense of Marvin's interesting companionship was less keen than it would otherwise have been.

> "Does your work always detain you so late as this at your school?" he asked with subtle guile. She didn't know he had seen her coming alons the highway!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

### Brother of Tecumseh Neglected by History

Elkswatawa, younger brother of | ideal previous to Caucasian invasion Tecuaeseh, was largely responsible for his preaching caused much excitement the part that great Indian warrior among the tribes and fear among the and statesman played in organizing whites. It was the response of the a federation of the red men to op Indians to his brother's pleading that pose the encroachments of the whites, started Tecumseh on his mission in In 1805 Elkswatawa proclaimed himthe cause of federation which took self a religious leader and began to him to the Cherokees and the other arouse the tribes of indiana, Ohio and more civilized tribes of the South, in Illinois, to the great disturbance of the course of which he covered many the settlers. His doctrines were nu! thousand miles. primarily revolutionary, but temperance and total abstinence were tenets.

#### Work for Evil together with reverence for old age and sympathy for the infirm. He also Misunderstanding and inattention urged his people to resist intermarcreate more uneasiness in the world than deception and artifice, or, at riage and to preserve their own cusleast, their consequences are more toms and costumes. This being in universal.-Goethe. line with what all Indians had held as

poor to afford some sort of dolls on by expert puppet handlers dressed in 1 the dry climate near Yuma, Ariz

### These Coeds Are Efficiency Housekeepers



Living for almost half what it costs the other women's groups at the State College of Washington, these Eranl tub members can well be called the "efficiency experts" of the institution. In fact the name of their society is the Greek word for "co-operation." With more than half of their number paying their expenses by doing outside work, enders of Erani club, by doing all their own housework and operating under a well-planned budget, have been able to maintain themselves for \$22.50 a month per individual,

Of particular interest among the

found at Beisan, is considered of un-

usual importance in that it reveals

### NEW DISCOVERIES REVEAL ANCIENT SERPENT WORSHIP

New Light Thrown on Early Religions of Palestine and on Bible Passages.

tary standard, representing the head of Hathor and suggesting the pres-Philadelphia .- Discoveries made at ence of a "Hathor" regiment of the Belsan, in Palestine, which threw Egyptian army at Beisan in 1400 B. more light on the early religions of C, and a number of stone weights, Palestine and, incidentally, on certain fine fragments of painted pottery, and passages in the Old Testament, were other objects. revealed in a report received by the University of Pennsylvania museum pleces of pottery found was a bowl bearing the figure of a serpent in high relief. This bowl, which is the oldest example of a cult object thus far

In addition, the report says, the ex-

temples belonging to the reign of Thothemes III, who held sway about 1500 B. C. Of one of the temples, the report states: cavators uncovered a number of time "Many details of this temple are scarabs and jewelry of goldstone. a beautifully made bronze top of a mili-

not unlike those of the temple described in detail by the Prophet Ezekiel, chapter 40 of the Book of Ezekiel, which also had the altars of secrifice outside the inner sanctuary and an altar inside the sanctuary. Indeed we must assume that there was not a great difference between Israelitish temples of the type referred to in Ezekiel and temples in use by the non-Israelitish inhabitants of Palestine, both in the Sixth century, B. C. and in earlier times."

as a result of the excavation of two

#### Lady Astor Cocktail

London,-Offered a cigarette at a banquet, Lady Astor preferred orange juice with a dash of soda. So now this Lady Astor cocktail is becoming popular. Juice of one orange, dash of lemon juice, one egg. dash of grenadine, dash of soda

chapter of Jeremiah.

to those referred to in the seventh

All the new discoveries were made

of the Biblical Bethshan.

from Alan Rowe, director of its expedition engaged in excavating the site Among the discoveries reported was a brick altar of sacrifice, reminiscent of sacrificial rites described in the Book of Samuel, and more than 100

that ophiolatry, or the worship of serrigar-shaped objects of mud, believed pents, which was prevalent in the town during the reigns of Amepphis to be votive objects representing small rolls of bread and cakes similar III, Seti I and Rameses II, already was practiced there in the time of Thothemes III.