

CHATTERGRAMS BY JEAN SUITS

You young lads and lassies and middle age people be not afraid if you see an enormous red and sometimes green varment on wheels around here with a bulge head and slender tail for 'tis nothing but a street grader. Probably nobody in Lockney but old-timers recognized the machine when it started to grading our streets the first of this week—Yes, meaning its been that long since the last time. Be that as it may, we now have our streets ironed out to a certain degree of equality, the only irregularity being an occasional broken bridge where Lockney autoist go down and sometimes fail to emerge in spite of the toe holds offered by the jagged parts of the old transporter. But the smooth streets we are enjoying now is something that we will refer to in our old age—its history in the making, folk!

March the first was whisked in this year in quite a buoyant manner and since that time it hasn't been able to settle down—Sandstorms and high winds have been experienced every day. Now that what I call keeping your dates up in the air!

There is one good thing about this sort of weather. Every wife's house has about the same amount of dust in it and Mrs. So and So can't say, "Did you see how much dirt there was in that woman's house. Why, that's scandalous." All of your neighbors' houses look just like yours making every thing equal. Another nice feature is that you don't have to take a bath so often for nobody expects you to keep clean any way!

I heard a good joke the other day about a real estate dealer in this country who was trying to make a land deal with a farmer during one of our sisters. When the prospective buyer asked to see the section of land, the dealer looked out the window where the sand was rolling down the street and said, "There goes the piece of land now!" And who are we to doubt it?

You are either wondering how or have wondered at some time, just why columnist always discuss the weather and use it for a target of contempt. The reasons are something like this the best I can figure out: When subject matter is low and thoughts scarce, it is always ethical to make a few comments about climatic conditions—As long as you are writing about the weather you can give full vent to all of those cracks you'd like to make at your fellowman because the weather can't talk back—And because the weather in West Texas offers such a variety of subjects—sand storm yesterday, sandstorm today and probably sandstorm tomorrow!

Many an old faithful family bus is being traded off along about now and placed in the used car hospitals all over the country. Sparkling new-fangled automobiles boasting of plenty of nickel and brass are replacing the old ones every day and showing their owners just how slow last year's models were in comparison with 1935.

The life of a used car must be ideal and no doubt envied by some of us. An automobile is considered old after the first year and gets a good trading off. It then sets in the used car row some times for several months before being sold and does nothing but rest. It doesn't have to run unless it wants to nor keep up in style because nobody really expects it. And on cold mornings it doesn't have to get up and start whether it wants to or not. Many a Lockney citizen would give a fair price alone just to be able to lie in bed and not have to get up and try to keep up with the Jones or Smiths in social climbing.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Licenses have been issued by County Clerk A. B. Clark to W. L. Murray and Miss Geraldine Massie, February 27, to Howard Waller and Miss Marie Maxwell, February 28, and to Willie F. Grundy and Miss Laura Blanche Hilton, March 2.

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CITY AUDITORIUM GROUNDS BEING BEAUTIFIED

Workmen have been busy this week on the City Auditorium grounds. Trees were set out some time back and now the grounds are being put in condition and sodded in grass. Shrubs also will be set out and flower beds arranged, and when all this work is completed we will have one of the most beautiful parks in this part of the state.

Mayor Hohlaus is looking after this work and Relief Funds are being used to pay for labor, but money to buy trees and shrubs must necessarily be raised by private subscription. Some money has already been raised for this purpose, but quite a bit is yet needed in order to sod it in and buy shrubs, so lets get down for a little more subscription. This job while labor is available at no cost to the city, but we have not contributed to this fund or wish to contribute more, see Geo. Newman.

1935 Cotton Contract Program Outlined At Meeting Wednesday

STREET IMPROVEMENT WORK GOING ON THIS WEEK

Mayor J. H. Hohlaus has a crew of men grading up the streets and paving curbs this week. This work is being done with Relief Funds and will continue until every street in the city has been graded, unless the work is stopped by the State Relief Commission on account of funds. However, this project was approved and funds "ear marked" for same just before the lid was "clamped down" at Austin by the State Relief Commission. Our streets have been in mighty bad condition for the past few months, but it is mighty hard to keep dirt streets in travel condition in this country or any other country. You can get them all graded up and along comes a light shower and it is all to do over again. It is a continual expense. But all are thankful to Mayor Hohlaus in having this work done.



Mrs. Anna Anderson and Mrs. Jimmie Stagg were in Plainview Thursday.

Miss Carrie Lee Prickett will leave Friday morning for Olton where she will be employed for several months.

Omie Kress of Shamrock was here today loading out carloads of cattle.

Time is Limited To Sign Up; G. D. Allen and F. L. Brown To Be Here Monday and Tuesday

The 1935 cotton contract program was outlined in full at a meeting of the committee at the court house Wednesday afternoon. John W. Holmes, chairman, W. N. Nelson and R. C. Ross were elected to serve on the county committee. A. A. Tubbs will serve as local committeeman for Floydada and Center replacing R. C. Ross and Dan C. Day will serve as local committeeman for Baker, Pleasant Hill, Daugherty, and Antelope in the place of W. F. Nelson. The committeemen will start work Monday, March 11th. Each committeeman will announce his own schedule and arrangements. All cotton producers who wish to sign 1935 contracts should become familiar with their committeeman's schedule and sign up at the announced time for the period is limited. G. D. Allen, local committeeman of Lockney, Ramsey, and Roseland, announces that he will be in Frank Perkins office in Lockney Monday and Tuesday of next week as well as Friday and Saturday. All cotton producers...

There Will Be No Quitaque Park--Plans Are Given Up

Wheat Checks For Base Of '33 Payment And First Of 1934 Received This Week

Notices Mailed Out First Of Week Notifying Farmers To Call For Checks

One hundred and twenty-seven wheat checks, amounting to \$13,194.00, were received at the office of the Floyd County Wheat Control Production Association Tuesday, according to A. H. Kreis, secretary of the Association. The 127 checks represented some second 1933 payments and some first 1934 payments, the second 1933 payments being on 45 contracts and the first 1934 payments being on 44 contracts. This last batch of checks brought the grand total amount of payments which have been made on the last 1933 payments and on the first 1934 payments to \$158,652.25. About \$30,000 in checks are still to come according to Glen A. Lindsey, county agent. Notices informing those who received a check this time that their check has arrived were mailed out Wednesday. "The measuring of the wheat checks is expected to be completed sometime next week," said Kreis, secretary.

DONT PARK IN MIDDLE OF STREET

We have been getting along fine with our parking problem, but we noticed Tuesday that a number of cars were again parked in the middle of Main street. Every car that was thus parked should have been drawn from a five to twenty-five dollar fine, but City Officials do not wish to do this if possible to avoid it, so we are bringing to your attention once again laws relating to the parking of your car or truck. Park it at the curb at a 45 degree angle and not in the middle of the street. This middle of the street parking is dangerous and will not be permitted.

TOM TRIPLETT DIES AT DALLAS

Tom B. Triplett, 45, former student and business man of Floydada, died at 12:15 on Monday of this week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Nannie Triplett, in Dallas. Friends were advised by telegram late Monday. He had been ill for months and his death was not unexpected. The funeral and burial rites were held at Chico, in Wise County, place of his birth, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. Mrs. Patsy Cross spent last week-end in Lubbock visiting.

Howard Bos. Re'ue To Sell Land For Park Site, Association Disbanded

Abandonment of plan for the beautification of the Quitaque Park in northeast Floyd County was disbanded the Quitaque Park Association formed in the latter part of last year, was announced last week-end by officials of the association. Statement by Howard Brothert, owners of the land, indicating a favorable attitude on the proposal that would have taken 4,7000 acres of their watered land for the park site, was given as the reason for abandoning the idea officials of the organization said. Col. R. P. Smyth of Plainview, president of the association, announced the disbanding of the association, at the same time expressing deep regret that that course seemed the only one left. The park site is needed, he was informed, by the present owners, in order to carry out leasing arrangements with cattle in the area. Every detail of the plan has been completed to make site possible, save an amount with the owners, including the price of the estate. The committee of Citizens and Corns workers to land build roads and prepare it for park site that would be policed and cared for by the state.

Mrs. MAUDE MERRICK HAS HEART ATTACK MONDAY

Mrs. Maude Merrick suffered a heart attack Monday morning about 11 o'clock while she was in her office of the County Treasurer. Reports Wednesday stated he was resting well.

Funeral Rites Held For Mrs. Oscar Gross

Funeral rites were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock for Mrs. Oscar Gross, 24, at the Lockney First Methodist Church with Rev. L. L. Hill, circuit minister, officiating in the place of W. F. Nelson. Mrs. Gross died Wednesday March 6, at a sanitarium in Plainview following an illness of three weeks. Her baby preceded her in death. She is survived by her husband, Oscar Gross who lives two miles south west of Lockney; parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones of Lockney; four brothers, Bob, Clyde, and Pete of Lockney, and James of the state of Colorado; and a sister, Mrs. Verney Gross of Lockney and one other sister. Burial was in the Lockney cemetery under the direction of the Crager Funeral Home.

Floyd County Chapter Of Red Cross to Have An Election Monday

Program Outlined by A Representative For Coming Year; Those Taking Membership In The Last Roll Call Are Invited To Vote In This Meeting

The Floyd County Chapter of the American Red Cross will hold its annual election of officers next Monday evening, March 11th, at 7:30 p. m. at the Court House in the county court room. The county chairman, E. C. Nelson, desires to notify the public that each and every person in Floyd County who has taken out membership in the last roll call is a member of the organization and is entitled to vote at this meeting. He is anxious that as many as possible can attend this meeting and participate in the election for the coming year. Mr. Bridge, a representative of the St. Louis office with headquarters at Abilene, Texas, contacted the local chapter last week and outlined a program for the coming year that will enable us to keep the Red Cross activities before the people of the community in a profitable and beneficial manner, and we especially would like to have the members of the organization become familiar with the possibilities of such a program," states Mr. Nelson.

SNELL—SMITH

Mrs. Pauline Snell and W. C. Smith of Lockney announced their marriage last week which occurred February 13 at Olton. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of J. I. Cooper of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Cooner left this morning for Childress, Fort Worth, Dallas, and Uvalde where they will visit relatives and friends for several weeks.

Today's Market

Table with market prices for Poultry, FRYERS, CREAM, TURKEYS, EGGS, GRAIN, and COTTON SEED.

Lone Star Wins Tournament

The Lone Star Independent Basketball team managed by Charles Boedecker and guided by Captain D. J. Phillips, entered a tournament at Hale Center Friday and Saturday winning first place and receiving nine gold basketballs. The team has won two sets of gold basketballs this season the other ones being in a tournament at Floydada February 22-23.

Lone Star was chosen as the best sports of the tournament with Captain Phillips, Carthel, and Foster as outstanding players.

The opening game of the tournament was between Abernathy and Lone Star with the latter winning 46-51. Moss Foster rang 8 points for Lone Star in the first few minutes of the game before Abernathy could make a charity toss count for them. At the half Lone Star with the help of Captain Phillips and Carthel finding the basket, held a big lead.

In the second half Abernathy came back strong and took the

lead by two points with only a few seconds to go. Leo Foster threw a beautiful one handed shot, tying the score as the game ended. In the first minute of the extra period, Abernathy took a six point lead when Lone Star came back in the last minute and a half winning the game by five points.

Saturday night they entered the semi-finals with Plainview. Moss Foster was unable to play because of an injured ankle he received in the last quarter of the Abernathy game. The lead over Plainview was never in doubt. Carthel and Frizzell were removed from the game during the 4th quarter because of too many fouls and were replaced by Jack and Milton Frizzell.

Jack thrilled the crowd by his fast tricky way of handling the ball. Milton played a nice game finding the basket twice. The game ended with a score of 20-37.

Lone Star then marched to the finals with the Anton team taking an early lead with Leo Foster's long shot and Phillips' brothers and Carthel rolling in the crisis. While Hubert Frizzell was standing his ground on the guarding position and would not let Anton get a shot at the basket, at the half the score was 22-8 favoring Lone Star.

In the third quarter Anton made a comeback and the score stood 24-20. In the last quarter Lone Star held its own and won the tournament with a score of 28-32.

Those receiving gold basketballs were: Captain D. J. Phillips, Leo Foster, Hubert Frizzell, Moss Foster, Jack Frizzell, Aaron Carthel, Milton Frizzell, Oscar Phillips, and manager Charles Boedecker.

Mrs. Earl Wilson left Wednesday for Tahoka where she will spend a few days visiting her parents.

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Our feeble mind tells us that we need a few changes in the way things are conducted in Congress. Take for instance when a new Representative is elected and goes to our national Congress, he is not even permitted to get up on the floor during the first session. In other words older members say: "Sit still Buddie, you don't have a brain-cell working." After six years, if he is fortunate enough to stay that long, he is permitted to kinder edge out and let his feeble voice be heard. It costs about \$14,000 to \$16,000 per year to keep a man in Congress, and if we have to keep him there six years before we can get any results from his labor it seems to us it is a pretty expensive affair. In other words we have to spend almost one hundred thousand dollars introducing a new member to Congress. Therefore we say "horse-leathers," discard all that rot and let a new member go to work. New members have just as fertile a brain as old members, and a whole head full of new ideas. There is no use in older members being so stiff-backed, let them limber up a bit and every ember work for the good of his government and not such for the good of politics. Let a new deal in the rules pass along with other New Deal things, so much about. Quite a few new members in Congress this session, and young fellows that want to work and economize something, but no, they must be placed on the shelf for a few years and "seasoned."

Some of our old timers had almost forgotten that we lived in West Texas, but the duster Sunday evening put us in our places and we realized very quick that we were really living in the middle of that vast empire called West Texas. Again we allowed our memory to drift back some thirty-six years to see if we could recall anything to equal that Sunday affair. We called to mind another such occasion in 1901 when so much sand was in the air and the wind was blowing so hard that the chickens flew up on the post and stayed there most of the day. It was so dark that lamps (no electric lights in small towns) had to be burned practically all day. At four o'clock when school turned out six and seven year old youngsters were blown down and rolled along on the ground like so many barrels. Telephone poles were blown down and wires crossed up and the telephone systems in West Texas were put out of commission. The storm lasted from ten o'clock in the morning till after night-fall. The duster Sunday only lasted about thirty minutes, so you see it really was a tame affair compared to those sure enough sand-storms we had in the past, and quite a few times we would have a prairie fire going at the same time. You new comers ain't seen nothing yet, kwittherbellyaching and go on about your work.

Donald Richberg, sometime referred to as ace presidential adviser, sure did assume a lot of responsibility the other day at Boston when he told an audience that he could guarantee that there will be no inflation in this country so long as Franklin D. Roosevelt is President. Suppose that the Hon. Wright Patman is successful in getting his bonus bill through both houses and then the President should veto it and then they pass it over his veto, what is Mr. Richberg going to do about his guarantee about inflation, for this bill is tainted just a little with inflation. He might "handle" the President but what is he going to do with Congress, sometimes it goes hay-wire it seems to us he has hated himself as being awfully "high and mighty" and he might get knocked for a row of Japanese blocks. A fellow generally does when he gets smart like. We are here and now telling Mr. Richberg that we are going to have a little inflation sooner or later and his

guarantee won't be worth a tinkers dam. The Plainview Herald carried a squib in Monday's issue relating to a Josh Lee story. The Herald stated that "Lee once told a Tulsa audience that when he was a boy, living in the Southwest his father hung a log chain from a plank, nailed to the eaves of the house. If the log chain stood straight out, it was too windy to work." We wish to state for the benefit of the Herald that this way of testing the velocity of the wind was discarded in 1899 and a sheep hide was used instead. If seven men failed to hold a sheep hide over the key-hole in the door it was too windy to work that day.

Well folks, it is going to rain here right sudden like. Every time the city streets are all graded up nice like, it invariably rains and spoils the whole business and we again have bad streets for about six or eight months. By the latter part of the week the streets will have been graded up and they sure do look nice.

"BRAIN JEWELS" FROM OUR EXCHANGES

This is an age marked by the upsetting of precedents. At no time in the last five hundred years have so many precedents been ignored by the government as have been upset in the last ten years. Whether we believe in it or not and whether we like it or not the upsetting is going to continue until some plan is worked out or some adjustment takes place that will put the people back to work and start the wheels of industry turning. As long as the present condition exists people everywhere have their minds on their condition and out of their discontent and the seeming utility of effort and desire grows a demand for a change of the old order.—Santa Anna News

Enactment of law will not improve the citizenship of any state or nation. Most law is directed against a small minority who never intend to respect any law. This nation is infested with a multitude of surplus laws, and yet it is the most lawless civilized nation on the face of the globe.—Canyon News

It seems that when the legislature meets, it is a signal for every turtleheaded mugwamp from the forks of the creek to think about passing some bill that will add a further tax burden on the people. And the first thing they pick on is the gasoline tax. At least three bills have been introduced to either divert some of the present gasoline tax from road building, or advance the tax from 4 to 5c per gallon. It is hard enough as it is to keep gasoline bootlegging down, and with each additional cent on it, it will be harder. Besides, the people of Texas want and must have good roads. Let's keep the gasoline tax just like it is now, and build good roads all over the state. The Federal road department threatens to reduce by one third their appropriation for good roads to any state that tampers with their road tax money. Tex. can't afford to have more than three million dollars of Federal aid cut off just to humor some ambitious legislator. The Texas legislature spent a lot of time and money recently trying to resolve pro and con whether to not to censure Postmaster General James A. Farley.—Brownfield Herald

When one makes a survey of the history of our government, the facts of the early constitutional and legislative sessions and the laws in the days of our fathers with the laws of to-

and the Worst is Yet to Come



day and then compares the tax bills of those now living, he is soon convinced that whereas Americans once had a Bill of Rights, they now have a bill of Costs.—The Columnist by Uncle Fred—Colorado Record

One of our exchanges suggests we should have a "Mind Your Own Business" week. If the idea adopted there will be a lot more people in Silverton, with no occupation that week.—Briscoe County News

It's good to have money and the things that money can buy, but it's good too, to check up once in a while and make sure you haven't lost the things that money can't buy.—George Horace Lorimer

The man who sells so cheap that you "can't see how he does it" is also smart enough to get quality so that you can't see he does it, either.—Littlefield News

And while we are thinking of the U. S. Government—wouldn't it be a good idea to get paid for the advertising that we did not sell last year.—Quitaque Post

"Light Stuff"

(Reading Time 2 Minutes.)

The boss of a Lockney family is the one who can make the others most miserable till they give in.

The difference between opportunity and a pessimist is that opportunity knocks only once and then quits.

Now we have such a vast number of laws that even the criminals occasionally obey one, by accident.

Isn't it nice that our principles always fit and approve the thing that helps our pocketbooks?

The U. S. has fewer postoffices now than 30 years ago, but it has just as many bum postoffice pens.

Now and then you run across a Lockney husband who thinks he really didn't lose anything because the money belonged to his wife, anyway.

Usually the result of trying to kill two birds with one stone is that you lose the stone.

A Lockney man never brings his wife flowers and yet still cherishes her. He's afraid the sudden shock might kill her.

No wonder marriage fails. People who are congenial for 30 minutes can be an awful pain after six days.

The electron is the smallest thing known—unless you count the fellow who bawls out another through the mail.

Chewing gum may be a substitute for smoking, but it's harder on the nerves. A cigarette doesn't make the upper plate pop like that.

What's the use you spend 20 years learning how to make money and by that time you've forgotten how to spend it.

With the Hauptman trial at an end Lockney citizens haven't much to fall back on for their crime stuff but the radio.

Another mystery to me is why it is that when a man begins to prosper the chislers are always the first to find it out.

You should work hard and deny yourself an save, so you can pay yourself and save, so you can pay didn't.

Every town has at least one prominent citizen who got his reputation for good sense by keeping his mouth shut.

It is hard to be good when you can't do anything sane and decent without a constitutional amendment.

A land of opportunity is one where Dad disgraces the family by calling it supper instead of dinner.

A YEAR OF ECLIPSES

When the present year ends it will pass into history as one marked by an unusual number of eclipses. Although, counting those eclipses. Altogether counting those already passed and the ones to come, 1935 will witness seven eclipses. Five of them are of the sun, two of the moon. It is something which has not happened since the year 1805, and it will not occur again until the year 2435.

The first eclipse this year was that of the moon on January 19, but not visible in this part of the world. On February 3, there was an eclipse of the sun, which would have been visible in practically every part of the United States had it not been for the fact that the skies were heavily hung with clouds throughout the entire day. The next one, which will also be an eclipse of the sun, is scheduled for June 30, but it will not be visible in this country. On July 16 there will be a second eclipse of the moon, which should be seen in all parts of the U. S. There will still be another eclipse of the sun on July 30, and then

Christmas will be celebrated by an other one.

We mention these facts for the benefit of readers who may be sufficiently interested to mark down the dates and keep track of them, and we might also add that seven eclipses can also be used by Lockney weather sharks in the event they need an alibi to explain why their guess on the weather went wrong.

LET 'EM ALONE

Senator Wheeler, of Montana, says he is planning to introduce a bill in congress authorizing the taking over of the railroads of this country by the federal government. As far as the people around Lockney are concerned, their memories are not as short as Mr. Wheeler's seems to be. Most of them still recall the mess the government made when it attempted to operate the railroads during the war, and the billion dollar bill we had to settle after their return to private ownership. Railroads are a business enterprise, one of the largest and most important business enterprises in this country. Trained men, not politicians are needed to operate them. And even if trained men haven't been making out so well during the last few years, their record still is far superior to that established by the government during its costly experiment.

E. E. Davis and wife of Amarillo arrived Thursday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conde Davis. They all left Friday for vote Texas, where they spent the week-end with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Tony Lundren and husband.

Dr. P. C. Anders and son, P. C. left Sunday morning for San Antonio where P. C. will enter a military academy.

Francis Nix and Beth Nix of Aiken where week-end guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Crager.

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WEST TEXAS NEWS BITS

Congressman George Mahon is on the job in Washington and already is being given strong consideration there as a potential leader in national affairs.

Goldman recently visited Mahon in Washington. He was returning from Philadelphia where he had gone to attend his mother who was ill in a hospital.

The Rocking Chair Brigade Sunday School Class of the Spur Methodist Church invites everyone to attend the dedication services of their Sunday School building.

ing Sunday March 10th at the 11:30 o'clock hour. Dr. O. P. Clark pastor of the St. Paul's Methodist Church at Abilene will preach the dedication sermon.

The building erected by the class is a part of the church building and is constructed of natural stone, moss covered, set in concrete.

K. C. Holmes, supervisor of the 1935 Agricultural Census reports the number of farms in Crosby county to be 1389.

a loss of 350 farms over the 1930 census, at which time there were 1739 farms. This decrease is thought to be due to a decided trend toward owner operation of farms and larger acreage being farmed by one operator.

Ranchers and farmers of the South Plains area, in 22 counties sold more than 230,000 head of cattle to the federal government during the buying period for drought relief.

Frank Norfleet celebrated his 71st birthday Saturday, February 23, and received two unique gifts to help him celebrate the occasion.

An exhibit of 150 of the finest reproductions of recognized masters, both old and modern, will be on display in Quitaque Monday.

Organized hardly three months ago, the H. M. Brooks Post of the American Legion has announced the practical completion of its Legion Hall in Crosbyton.

Duane Meriwether, who has been living in Plainview, moved home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meriwether, last Friday.



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STERLEY NEWS. Rev. L. L. Hill filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. There was dinner at the church and services again in the afternoon.

The Wayland Band of Plainview will be at the Baptist Church next Sunday. Everyone is invited.

The Jitney Supper last Friday night was well attended. Music was furnished by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce including a quartet.

A large number from here attended the Volley Ball tournament at Floydada Saturday.

Miss Evelyn Rabbitt is spending a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs. Joe Reeves, of Tullia.

Mrs. George Beedy and two children, who have been sick with the flu, are better at this writing.

Herman Thornton of Texas Tech in Lubbock and Owen Thornton of Canyon were here over the week-end as the guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Burton Thornton.

Miss Frankie Dodson and Welton Dodson of W. T. S. T. C. arrived Friday to spend Saturday and Sunday as the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson.

N. E. Greer returned Saturday night from Dallas after accompanying Mrs. Greer to the clinic there for treatment last Thursday. She will probably remain for several weeks yet.

BILIOUS. Condition Needs Double Action Treatment. Simulation of liver bile flow is not enough for complete relief, but combined with intestinal stimulation that relieves temporary constipation, quick, soothing results are certain.

HER BOY HAD ALWAYS BEEN WEAK AND PUNY

"My four year old boy had been weak and puny since birth, and had constipation and indigestion. Nothing did him any good until we tried Milks Emulsion. Since using it, he can't get enough to eat and has outgrown his childhood trouble. He plays out with the children now, and he was never able to do that before."

Weak, ailing children usually start eating and getting stronger from the very first bottle of Milks Emulsion. Milks Emulsion restores healthy, natural bowel action. Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to those whom sickness has weakened.

As Abundant As "OLD FAITHFUL". With a Gas Automatic Water Heater you can reach for a hot water faucet any minute, any hour of the day and have hot water. See your gas appliance dealer or your gas company today.

Clairol - the Wonder Shampoo. RESTORES YOUR HAIR TO ITS NATURAL LOVELINESS. CLAIROL! Most "talked about" beauty discovery! A tinting Shampoo that restores drab hair to life and luster.

Vogue Beauty Shoppe. LYNNA JAYE GRAVES. Phone 84W Lockney, Texas.

A Satisfaction - - - Well Founded. There is a degree of a well founded satisfaction in the knowing that when you have a thing done, it is done in the right way, and by a responsible institution.

TUMBLEWEED PICK-UPS

The old West Texas Tumbleweed has certainly been pushed around like a step-child this week by that foggy breeze so characteristic of this country. Every time he horned in on some gossip along came a big puff of wind and blew him away—Consequently he only picked up a few snatches here and there but what he did get he sure got good—A certain beauty operator in Lockney thought the world was coming to an end last Sunday when the duster passed over causing complete darkness. She began to wish she hadn't done all of the things she had done and was hysterical because she hadn't done what she should have done or something like that!—The Tumbleweed heard that leap week was discussed pro and con Monday night by four young ladies who desired to observe such a week once a year in this town—Of course the weed doesn't know but believes that the girls have a taint of vengeance in their motive—It's been rumored that some members of the Rotary Club aren't so hot when it comes to volley ball—a bit stiff and lack of judgement it is understood—It must be the old age in

them but the weed believes that they'll get even older with the week-end plan coming on—The grammar school P. T. A. is getting up another three act play now under the direction of the professor but not the absent minded one you understand—The funeral home has had a bit of improvement and extension of the display room since last week—All of the girls are sweet according to a tall slender guy who wears a mustache—A couple of brunette school teachers and a evidently a reporter are out in the cold again—They must lack appeal of some sort because there is Speedy, Vaude, Manon, Glenn and Alene with plenty of dates—If you want a call'em that—Alva Fielder, Gordon Crocker, Buck Sullivan, Bert Wells, and Dorsey Baker were seen as usual around the coffee counter this a.m. with Gordon up to his old trick of wanting to match somebody for a scuffle of mud—It would be just another American tragedy for the Associated Press boys to report if that untied-shoe face boy were to get in a heap big hurry and tangle up in those strings—The Tumbleweed thinks everything's going to be all right even though he was reproached last week for having misrepresented a few facts in this column. But what else can you expect of a weed that vagabonds from place to place hearing so many different things from so many different people? Of course he is bound to get some facts a bit jumbled, but such is the life of a weed in this country!



Our New Author
J. Aubrey Boyd (above), is a newspaper man and a college professor in various moments. He was born in Seattle, Wash., and is a graduate of the University of California and University of Glasgow, Scotland. When away he cannot get back to "his west" fast enough. So he should write a prize winning novel of the West and the Northwest, "Stumbers Gold", the new serial which this newspaper now presents to its readers.

MARTINS HAVE NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Martin announce the arrival of a baby girl born March 5 at the Plainview Sanitarium. The baby weighed 9 pounds.

STATE SUPT. TO BE IN LUBBOCK FOR MEETING MARCH 23

Rural Trustees and Teachers invited to Hear Discussions on Three Phases of Rural Education
State Superintendent, L. A. Woods will be in Lubbock March 23 at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of discussing with trustees, teachers, and others interested in rural education the problem of classification, standardization and county transportation systems of Texas schools.
Many important questions pertaining to the future of our rural schools will be discussed by Woods and Deputy State Superintendent, G. D. Holbrook at this meeting.
It will be impossible to secure the presence of the State Superintendent at another meeting of this nature in District 2 before the date set for classification of rural schools.
Those who are interested in these three pressing problems of rural schools are urged to be present at this meeting if possible.

Mrs. E. G. Lankford and son, sister, who have been visiting in daughter, Mrs. Truitt Hickey left Saturday for Spur to visit relatives before returning to their home at Los Cruces, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harper of South Plains, Mrs. J. B. Harper and Mrs. C. P. Julian attended the Mothers-in-law Day in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Graves and Miss Lynna Jaye Graves accompanied their daughter and sister, Martella, to Canyon Sunday afternoon where she is enrolled in W. T. S. T. C.

Robert Smith, Lester Honea, Floyd Barber, and O. C. Bailey attended Mother-in-law Day in Amarillo Tuesday.



CAZIE, O. . . . Ida Mae Stahl 24, (above), is happy again. She's back at work in her beloved coal mine, digging coal. Last year Ohio's Mine Chief found a law that said women couldn't work in coal mines. But Ida Mae owes part of the mine and the courts reversed the decision.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Ridings and two daughters, Mary Margaret, and Yvonne, spent last Sunday at Sudan as guests of Bill Bobbitt.

Mrs. T. W. Rives and Mrs. Earl Rives left Sunday to spend the week in Amarillo visiting the

former's daughter, Mrs Richard B. Groves.
Glen Stevenson of Texas Tech in Lubbock arrived Saturday to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Stevenson.
Usually the result of trying to kill two birds with one stone is that you lose the stone.

Look!
4 Maytags and plenty of hot water
SELF SERV LAUNDRY
Phone 72

Granada Theatre

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

SATURDAY MARCH 9TH
She Took Man's Chance
To Win Man's Love!

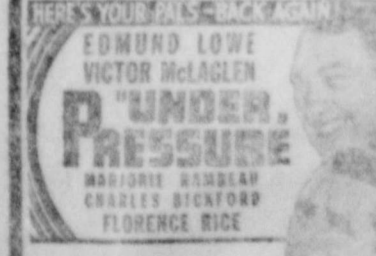


Red hot TIRES
LYLE TALBOT
MARY ASTOR
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Added Special
The Dean brothers in "Dizzy and Daffy"
With All Star Comedy Cast. Also—"Tailspin Tommy"
Adults 20c & 25c

SATURDAY MARCH 9TH
SUN. & MON. 10-11

Never Before have you seen these popular stars in a picture like this!



Trapped like Rats—they dared death to come and get them!
A New Kind Of Thrill Romance
ADDED JOYS
Our Gang in "Little Pirate"
Technicolor Silly Symphony "Night Before Xmas"
Cartoon "Math and The Spider"
Fox Movietone News

"David Copperfield" Is Coming Soon!

AIKEN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Strickland returned home Friday. They have been visiting in Fort Worth for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Clark and children spent Sunday with relatives at Tulsa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown of Tucco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Friona spent Sunday with Mrs. Alice Johnson.

Ray Morrison returned home Thursday from Yaleta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Marshall of Running Water spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Terrill and children of Bellview spent Sunday in the D. M. Marshall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Byars visited in the J. F. Dollar home at Irick Sunday.

Mrs. Beta Samples and children of Elk City Okla. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pop Weathers.

EL PROGRESO CLUB HAS ELECTION

At the regular meeting of El Progreso Study Club last week, the officers for next year were elected. They will assume duty the first of September. They are as follows:

- President—Mrs. W. L. Whitt
 - First Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Olga Applewhite
 - Second Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Bernice Wells
 - Secretary—Mrs. Bernice Miller
 - Corres. Sec.—Mrs. Meda Jones
 - Treasurer—Mrs. Thelma Hodel
 - Critic—Mrs. Lula Woodburn
 - Parliamentarian—Mrs. Ona Beer
- The subject for the next meeting is Ollie Dines as leader. Ollie on the program will be Mrs. Lottie Griffith, Mrs. Minnie Whitt and Mrs. Maye Crager. Roll call will be answered by a quotation from a present day poet.

ANSYL LYNN UNION MEETING TO BE AT CHURCH

The Ansil Lynn Union meeting of the Young Peoples' Division will meet at the Lockney First Methodist Church Monday, March 11, at 7:30 p. m. Brother Woodrow Adcock, Conference President, will be present for the meeting. Floydada is responsible for the program.

The young people of the community are especially invited to attend the meeting. Members of the department would like to have as many adults as possible to visit so they would know what the young people are doing and perhaps encourage their work.

Mrs. Martha Mann arrived home Tuesday from Petersburg where she has spent the past two weeks visiting her cousin, Mrs. Jim Anderson.

Rawleigh Products

Rawleigh Products may now be obtained from the Roberson boys for the same price and guarantee as usual. Buy now and save!
This year as usual we will carry a stock of Field and Garden Seed—Seed you can depend upon and that is cheaper when quality is considered!
Our seed do not go through an elevator, therefore they are free from weed and other seeds

Roberson Feed & Seed Store

\$25.00

Cash Contest

NEXT TUESDAY

March 12th

Boy Howdy! Be Here!

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Blacksmith Shops C. B. Harris Blacksmith Shop Graves Blacksmith & Welding Shop | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CREAM STATIONS Huggins Produce Bill Alford Mrs. Sam Belyet Coleman Produce Co. Lockney Poultry & Egg | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> IMPLEMENT HOUSES Hammonds & Co. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BANK First National Bank |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TAILOR SHOPS: Brooks Dry Cleaners Commercial Tailor Shop | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> INSURANCE Frank Perkins McAdams & Childers | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAFES Cozy Cafe E. L. M. Cafe | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DENTIST R. R. Wimberly |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> FILLING STATIONS Ozark Service Station Sinclair Service Station | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DRUGSTORES Greer Drug Store Lockney Drug Co. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PHYSICIAN N. E. Greer P. C. Anders | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> VARIETY STORE Robert Ayres |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> GARAGES Ford and Busby Motor Co Messimer Garage A. O. Fielder Motor Co Lockney Auto Company Pennington Motor Co. Dent and Thornton | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> GROCERY STORES Hamilton Grocery Taylor Gro. and Market Piggly Wiggly | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BAKERY City Bakery WHOLE SALE OIL Sinclair Oil Co. Henry Hodel, Agt. Continental Oil Co. Consumer's Fuel Ass'n. Phillips Petroleum Co. R. L. Maggard, Agt. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> OIL MILL West Texas Cottonoil Co. NEWSPAPER Lockney Beacon BARBER SHOPS Palace Barber Shop Commercial Barber Shop Scott Barber Shop |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electric Dealers Jno. O'Hearn | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HARDWARE & FURNITURE Cox Hardware & Furniture Baker Merc. Co. Dyer Hardware | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ICE Lockney Ice Co. GAS COMPANY West Texas Gas Co. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undertaking Establishments: Crager Funeral Home |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WOOD WORKS Wofford Wood Shop | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> COTTON GINS Lockney Gin Co. | | |

SAMMANNS HAVE NEW BABY

Mr. and Mrs. Sammann have a new baby boy born February 27 at 3 p. m. in the Plainview Sanitarium. The son, whom they have decided to name Bobby Dale, weighed 11 pounds and 5 ounces.

Wesley Fox Jr. of Amarillo was here over the week end, visiting his parents and friends. He left Sunday afternoon in time to get the full benefit of the sand storm.

Mrs. Carl McAdams returned Wednesday morning from Lubbock where she had been since Sunday night visiting her daughter, Miss Mary Leda McAdams, who is attending Texas Tech.

THE STERLETTE

"THE SCHOOL OF HIGH IDEALS"

STUART DRAUT EDITOR
 KATHERINE DAVIS, PAULA HOWARD ASSISTANTS
 G. B. JOHNSTON SPORTS EDITOR
 ESTELLE BYARS SOCIAL REPORTER
 General Reporters—Ruth Draut, Sallie Myrtle Bobbitt, Ruth Slughter, Juanita Reeves, and Myrtle Neal.

A Thing Of Beauty
 Kates has said that "a thing of beauty is a joy forever." We are just wondering if your associates will remember YOU as a joy or as mere unpleasant circumstance forced into their lives. By beauty we do not necessarily mean those eternal, physical characteristics so often associated with the term, we mean that intangible quality called personality that is the real you. Truly there are many types of personalities. There are those personalities which merely grow as do thorns and thistles in a neglected garden, then there are those that are laboriously built atom at a time, so to speak, and which will remain, long after their builders have returned to the elements, as inspirations to those of us who live. Which of these types do you wish to have? Which of these types are you forming?

less restricted by applied forces, follows the path of least resistance—a path which may be tortuous, uncertain, and undesirable. Are you allowing YOUR personality to take whatever path it will? You may not be a Milton or an Edison, but you are you and your character is worth constructing with utmost care and diligence. Guard your personality as Burbanks would have tended a rare plant, and you may be sure that someone somewhere will remember you as "a joy forever."

A pupil was asked to write a short verse using the words analyze and anatomy. Here's what he produced.
 My analyze over the ocean,
 My analyze over the ocean,
 My analyze over the ocean,
 O bring back my anatomy.

Mr. Jones: "Now students, can any of you tell me how iron was first discovered?"
 Billie: "Yes, sir."
 Mr. Jones: "Well, Billie, explain it to the rest."
 Billie: I understand my father to say that they smelt it sir.

The Seven Ages of Women
 The infant
 The little girl
 The maiden
 The young woman
 The prime woman
 The middle woman
 The old woman

Powered Staff
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?
 I wonder why?

I wonder why—
 They can't seem to realize
 That a little helpful word
 Is better than to criticize?

But it seems that people
 Must laugh, talk, and cry;
 So there is very little use
 For me to wonder why.

Personals
 Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harrison moved to Wellington last Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ford were

among the visitors in Plainview Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carr spent Sunday in Gray Mule.
 Mr. A. S. Martin went to Ash Grove Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Draut spent Monday visiting Plainview.

Sports
 Toward the last of the week the Sterley ball teams met their schedule and participated in a series of games at Lockney, Muncy and Floydada. Friday, March 1, at Muncy the Sterley girls baseball team lost their game by a score of 10-13. The Sterley boys, however, restored the day when they won by the score 12-8 over the Muncy team. The same afternoon the Senior boys and girls volleyball teams practiced with the brick teams on the Lockney gymnasium. The girls won their game but the boys lost.

At the tournament at Floydada, Saturday both volley ball teams failed to get the cup. The girls won over Liberty only to be defeated by South Plains; the boys defeated Starkey and then later in the afternoon lost to brick. Our teams have a high average which we hope to have stimulated by the results of our near future games.

Announcement
 Friday, March 8, the General Assembly Program which will be presented by the ninth and tenth grades, will be composed of a debate between the bay and the teams who will enter the inter-scholastic League debate.

Social News
 Celebrating the tenth birthday of their son, Albert Sydney, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Martin entertained Sunday afternoon with a party for his associates. After the usual games, punch, cake and candy were served. Ballons, given as favors, afforded much excitement. Guests included: Norma Denne and Howard Mosley, Allene Howard, Betty Lou, Mary Ann, and Loree Bybee, Gail and Nann Gregg, Allie Jo Ford, Anna Mae Gullledge, Eudora and Alletta Winston, Stuart and Ruth Draut, Irene and Dorothy Jones, Martha Lou and Sidney Neal, Mona and Nola McDaniel, Alfred Clinton E. J. and Chaton McShell, Jack and Billy Sears, Douglass and Austin Beebe, Billy and Early B. Johnston, Ernest Hyatt, Knox Day, Virginia Davis of Plainview and Misses Isela and

Hazel Crouch called during the afternoon.

METHODIST CHURCH
 Sunday school at 9:45.
 Preaching at 10:55—Subject: National Strength
 Leagues at 6:45
 Evening message at 7:30—Subject: "Come and See"
 Missionary society meeting at 7 p. m. Monday afternoon.
 Mid-Week service Wednesday evening at 7:30
 Herbert H. Hamilton

Mr. and Mrs. Dud Ussery of Mountain View, Okla., are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Cip Hudson.

Valve Grinding and Refacing

We have special equipment to do your Valve Grinding Refacing on any make of car or tractor. When you have this work done on your car, have it done right and where this special equipment is available.

PISTON RINGS

We have the McQuay-Norris Hi-Unit Superoyl-Super "C" Combination Piston Rings. When you have new rings put on your car bring it to our garage and let us put these fine rings on it. None Better, and very few, if any, as good.

Ford & Busby Motor Co.

Delinquent Tax Payment Notice

I will be in Lockney Wednesday, March 13th, 1935, and will be in position to collect Delinquent taxes for the year 1933 and on all Prior years, will also have a supply of Automobile Registration Plates for 1935, will be Located at Lockney Auto Co.

One per cent penalty goes on all delinquent taxes after March 15th, 1935, so if taxes are paid before above date same can be paid without penalty and interest.

It will help a lot if folks will have their 1934 Registration Papers with them, or if they cannot find their papers be sure and get their Highway Registration Number.

Frank L. Moore
 Assessor & Collector of Taxes

LOOK!

You can get a bargain when you eat with Jimmie and Lydia.

All sandwiches 10c
 Hamburgers and Coney's, 5c
 Pie, 5c All Drinks 5c

ELLER'S SANDWICH SHOP
 Jimmie Staggs, Prop.

I can never forgive myself for going without a

MAYTAG
all those years



• A Maytag really saves money every week—in laundry expense, and in clothes.

AT TODAY'S \$109.50 LOW PRICE OF 109.50

no home should be without a Maytag. The square, enameled-aluminum Tub, the Water Remover, the fast, gentle Gyrotator washing action, and other advantages, all contribute to Maytag's superior service.

Visit the nearest Maytag dealer. Investigate the easy payment plan.

Baker Merc.

MAYTAG

Notice To Readers Of Beacon

The Postal Laws and Regulations say that we cannot send you the Beacon after your time is out. Therefore we are going to be compelled to drop your name from our list if you have allowed your subscription to become delinquent. On the 16th day of March we will be compelled to wield the ax and cut off all those who do not renew their subscriptions where they are delinquent. We now have a special price of—

\$1.00 Per Year In The County
\$1.25 Per Year Outside County

I sure would like to keep all of you as readers of the Beacon, so please come in to see me about your subscription.

Jean



GOOD THINGS TO EAT

Don't Let Down—Use a Kitchen Tonic

Bright cooks, diagnose their symptoms, and brighter ones prescribe for "what ails 'em!" Is your family bored with your three squares? Do you fall in the rut the moment you enter your kitchen, are your menus an annoyance, your every dish an irritation? Then what you need is a Pick-Me-Up!

A "Pick-Me-Up" (as if you did not know) is a tonic, a bracer, a chaser for those menu-blues, and exactly what the doctor ordered for those mid-winter "jum jams." Don't let your family's upturned nose "get you down"—Try some pick-me-ups!

Imagination Pops Into Pot

In case you are wondering, pick-me-ups are not purchased at the corner store, although the makings are there available; they are

staring you in the face from the pages of your current reading matter, and lying in wait in your own brain. Throw discretion to the winds, but let imagination pop into your pot as you try new things on the family. Like them or not, their interest will be piqued—and think of the fun you will have!

Teach an old dog new tricks? Shout "of course" and try these or a starter:

Instead of serving plain tomato juice, jelly it (with gelatin or in the can), put it through a ricer and garnish with whipped cream and paprika. If the family likes to macaroni and cheese, scoop out the centers of tomatoes, fill with your macaroni-cheese mixture and bake in a moderate oven

Mace on Mashed Potatoes

Put some mace on your next batch of mashed potatoes; instead

of lemon in the tea, tuck in a piece of crystallized ginger. Scrambled eggs? Try some anchovies put at the last moment; or garnish them with green pepper strips or some prok'd tomatoes. Snip olives and put them in your tomatoe soup; put a dash of Worcestershire in your gravy; serve Muffin Crisps with your salad course instead of bread or crackers; add minced onion to your cheese mixtures. Add sliced, pasteurized dates to the morning oatmeal, or drop a few in the middle of the baked apples. Look for new ideas and don't be afraid to try them. And if the foregoing has not been too commanding, try these recipes recommended for kitchen-boredom.

Parsley They'll Eat

Parsley may be fried, imagine that! Good too, if you do this: wash and dry sprigs of parsley; drop, a few at a time, in mazola heated to about 350 F. (hot enough to brown a cube of bread in 60 seconds.) Then drain the parsley on absorbent paper, use as garnish for fish or meat; the family will eat the parsley then and the oil gives it a new flavor.

Pecans in Sweet Potatoes

Parboil sweet potatoes; peel. Cut into slices about 1-2 inch thick. Arrange a layer of the potatoes in an oiled baking dish and cover with layer of thinly sliced canned pineapple; then pour over with another layer of the potatoes hot with butter and pour over about 1-2 cup of dark karo. Just before putting into the oven sprinkle generously with chopped pecans. Bake in a moderate oven (375 F.) until brown. If you prefer you may cook the sweet potatoes with whole pecans put between layers and on top and omit the pineapple.

Fry Your Fruit

Drain canned pears or peaches from the juice and cut into slices or cubes. Dip in cracker crumbs, then in egg and milk (using one tablespoon milk to each egg). Fry in deep hot mazola heated to 375 F. (or until a cube of bread will brown in 60 seconds) until fruit is brown. Drain and serve with main courses; especially good with meat.

A Brand New Confetti

3 cups sugar
1 cup crushed pineapple juice and fruit
2 tbsps. white karo
24 marshmallows
3 cups pecans
1teasp. vanilla
2 tbsps. butter
Mix sugar, pineapple and the syrup in a heavy saucepan and cook stirring occasionally until a soft ball forms when dropped in cold water or until thermometer registers 236 F Remove from the stove and add the butter, marshmallows, pecans, and vanilla. Beat until creamy and very stiff. Pour mixture into a buttered pan and cut into squares when candy is firm.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF MRS. FANNIE CHILDERS, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Mrs. Fannie Childers, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 25th day of February, 1935, by the County Court of Floyd County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and Post Office Address is Box 157, Lockney, Texas.

W. R. CHILDERS
Executor of Estate of Mrs. Fannie Childers Deceased

JOE GISH



WHAT I LIKE ABOUT THE FELLER WITH HIS NOSE TO THE GRINDSTONE IS THAT HE DON'T HAVE TIME TO STICK IT INTO OTHER FOLKS' BUSINESS.



MAY TAG COMPANY SHIPS TRAIN LOAD OF WASHERS TO PACIFIC COAST

NEWTON, IOWA, March 6th (Special) Officers of The Maytag Company today announced the shipment of a trainload of washing machines to dealers in the Pacific coast states. The train consisted of forty-four railcars containing more than 4,000 Maytag washers valued at nearly one of a million dollars. This is the largest single shipment from the Maytag factory since 1928.

In commenting on this trainload shipment, F. L. Maytag, chairman of the board of The Maytag Company stated that the order for the trainload was placed by T. A. Moler, President of the Maytag Pacific Intermountain Company, distributors, with headquarters at Portland, Oregon. Mr. Maytag further stated that improved business conditions and the desire of both dealers and consumers to take advantage of present prices had increased demand to the point where a trainload shipment was needed to take care of dealers, immediate needs. Included in the train were approximately 1,000 washers for California dealers. The train proceeds as a unit to Salt Lake City from which point distribution of the cars will be made to dealers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Beacon is authorized to carry the following names as candidates for City office, subject to the action of City Election, April 2, 1935.

- For City Marshal: BARLOW HILL
- For City Secretary: MRS. J. H. ANDERSON, MRS. ELLEN BELYEU, MRS. W. O. (Bill) DOWNS

CONSTIPATION Can be Helped!

(Use what Doctors do)

Why do the bowels usually move regularly and thoroughly, long after a physician has given you treatment for constipation?

Because the doctor gives a liquid laxative that can always be taken in the right amount. You can gradually reduce the dose. Reduced dosage is the secret of real and safe relief from constipation.

Ask your doctor about this. Ask your druggist how popular liquid laxatives have become. The right liquid laxative gives the right kind of help, and the right amount of help. When the dose is repeated, instead of more each time, you take less. Until the bowels are moving regularly and thoroughly without any help at all.

The liquid laxative generally used is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It contains senna and cascara, and these are natural laxatives that form no habit—even in children. Your druggist has it; ask for—

Dr. Caldwell's SYRUP PEPSIN

Floyd Ewing and Kenneth Hohlaus, students at W. T. S. T. C. in Canyon, were here Saturday and Sunday visiting their parents.

"I HAVEN'T HAD A COLD IN FIVE YEARS"

"In the old days I used to dread the coming of winter. I was always fighting colds—feeling about half alive—trying to work with my body aching and every nerve on edge.

"Then a friend told me about McCoy's Old Liver Oil Tablets with their marvellous vitamins A and D. I started to take them five years ago and I haven't had a cold since that time.

"McCoy's tablets put new life in folks; build up resistance so anyone can laugh at cold germs. They make weak, skinny people strong, steady-nerved and vigorous. They're wonderful!"

Get the genuine McCoy's Old Liver Oil Tablets from your druggist today. Don't waste money on imitations. Ask for McCoy's.



Rev. I. N. Demy says: "I have found nothing in the past 20 years that can take the place of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They are a sure relief for my headache."

Sufferers from Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Backache, Sciatica, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, Muscular Pains, Periodic Pains, write that they have used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills with better results than they had even hoped for.

Countless American housewives would no more think of keeping house without Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills than without flour or sugar. Keep a package in your medicine cabinet and save yourself needless suffering.

At Drug Stores—25c and \$1.00

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS

O. E. S. TO HAVE MEMORIAL SERVICE

The local chapter of Eastern Star will have a memorial service next Monday night at 7:30 at the lodge hall. A regular business meeting will also be held.

We'll take your old Typewriter! and CLEAN or REPAIR it Tom Suits Lockney Beacon office

Plymouth and Chrysler
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See us before you buy a new car

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NOTHING CAN BEAT A GOOD TASTY PLATE OF Bacon and Eggs FOR BREAKFAST

Try Our Regular Dinner Every Day

Cozy Cafe
HUGH COUNTS, Mgr.

THESE PICTURES SHOW Modern Three-Minute Way to Ease Sore Throat



Ease Pain, Rawness, Soreness Almost Instantly

Here's a safe, modern and effective way to relieve sore throat. A way that eases the pain, rawness and irritation in as little as two or three minutes. Many doctors advise it and millions are following this way. Try it.

All you do is crush and stir 3 BAYER Aspirin Tablets in 1/4 glass of water and gargle with it twice—as pictured here. (If you have signs of a cold, take BAYER Aspirin and drink plenty of water.)

Get real BAYER Aspirin Tablets for this purpose. They disintegrate quickly and completely, making a gargle without irritating particles.

BAYER Aspirin prices have been decisively reduced, so there's no point now in accepting other than the real Bayer article you want.

NOW 15c

PRICES on Genuine Bayer Aspirin Reduced on All Sizes



SPRING IS HERE!

Put a set of these tires on your car for Spring and Summer driving.

Guaranteed against all HAZARDS

Ozark Service Station
Dwight Jackson

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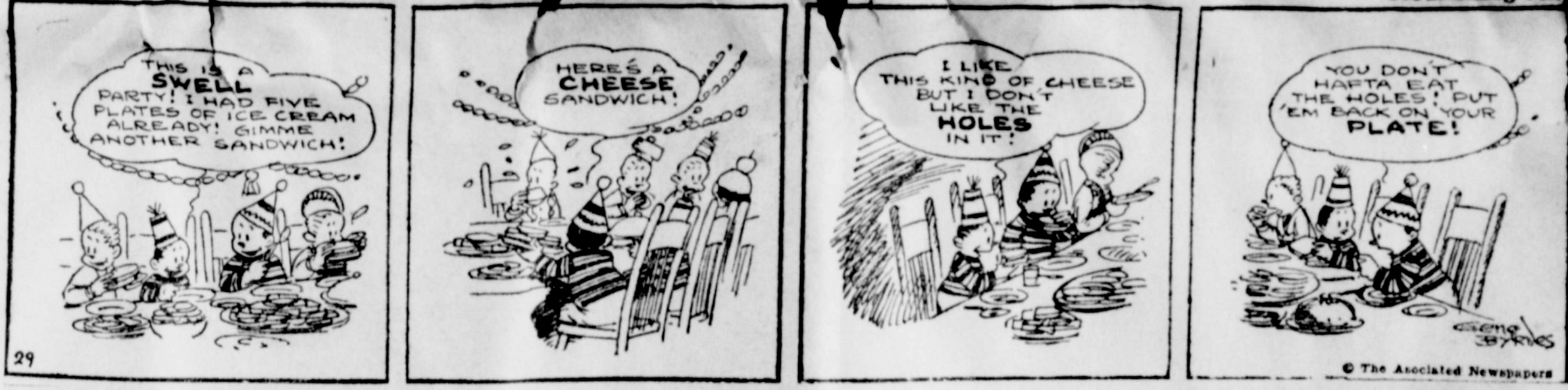
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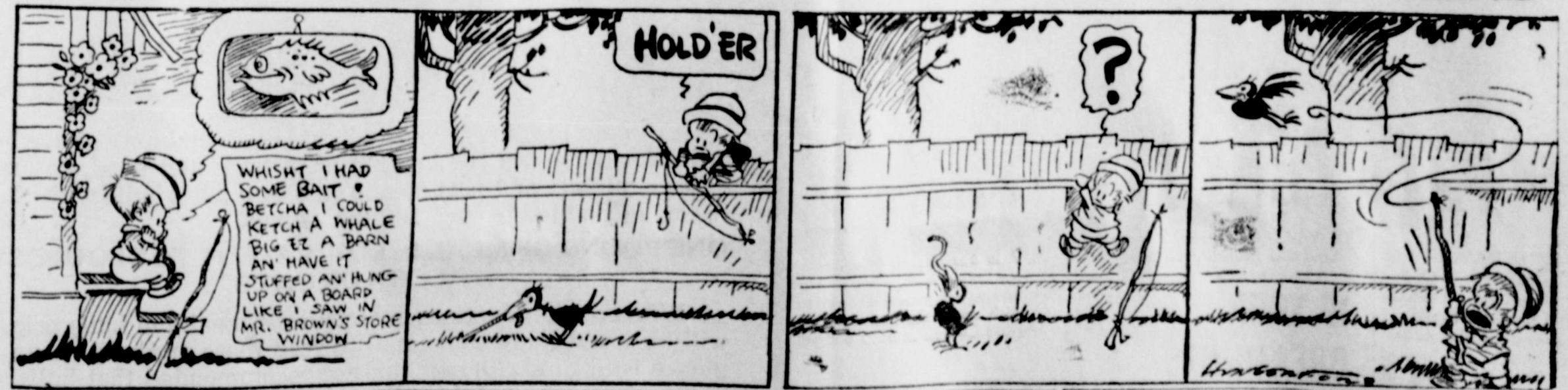
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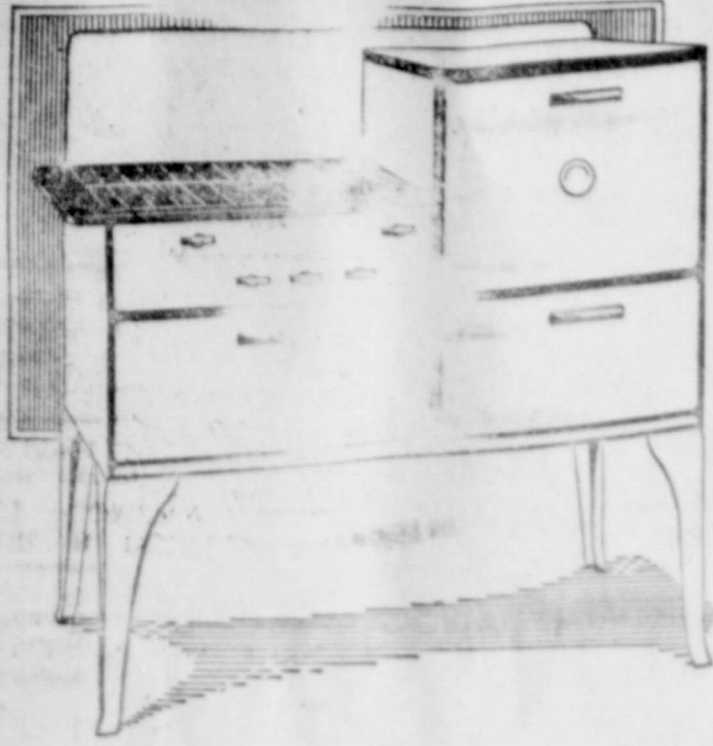
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1935 Cotton Contracts

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in the Lockney district wishing to sign 1935 contracts should do so at some time during the four days. Allen will be at Rose and Wednesday and Ramsey Thursday to accommodate producers in those districts.

F. L. Brown, who is local committee man for Aiken, Irick, Pleasant Valley, Muncy, announces that he will work in Frank Perkins' office all day Tuesday of next week. Those wishing to sign cotton contracts in the above four districts are asked to sign up on Tuesday for the time is short.

MARY LEDA McADAMS ON TECH HONOR ROLL

Miss Mary Leda McAdams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl McAdams of Lockney, was on the Texas Technological College honor roll for the first semester of this year which ended in February. Mary Leda is a sophomore this year.

A student is required to make an average of B or better to make the college honor roll.

YOUNG MARRIED PEOPLE'S B. Y. P. U. March 10, 1935

Subject—The Church in the Conception of Peter
Devotional—E. E. Hamilton
No. 1 The Church a Reality
Body—Wesley
No. 2 The Church an Institution of Power—Mrs. T. E. Hamilton
No. 3 The Church a Missionary Agency—T. E. Hamilton
No. 4 The Church a Spiritual Body—Mrs. Edd Thornton
No. 5 The Church the Flock of God—N. H. Humphries
We want all young married people to be present Sunday night being it's time to elect new officers and are planning a business and social meeting at that time.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM March 10, 1935

Subject—A Great Missionary Church Antioch
Scripture and Devotional; Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3—Ben Smith
No. 1 Mythological Antioch—Lena Moore
No. 2 Historical Background—Briece Allen
No. 3 The Church Established—Marie Hubbard
No. 4 Evangelistic Spirit—Eassie Mae Hamilton
No. 5 Liberal Giving—Pauline Jeall
No. 6 Missionary in Principle and practice—Johnnie Reasonover
No. 7 Is our church Missionary—Roena Ewing
We invite all young people to meet with us in the basement of Baptist Church at 6:45 o'clock Sunday evening.

ALVA JOHNSTON TO HOLD MEETINGS IN PLAINVIEW

The Church of Christ of Plainview invites the people of Lockney and surrounding communities to attend a series of meetings conducted by Bro. Alva Johnston, beginning March 9.

For further information see W. N. Thornton or Everett Mickey.

Miss Rachel Graves, who is taking a beauty course at the Sherrill School of Beauty in Lubbock, spent last week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Graves.

Misses Leona Shelton and Martella Graves, W. T. S. T. C. students, were here over the week-end visiting their parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox were in Muleshoe Wednesday attending to some business concerning an irrigation well on D. E. Cox's place there.

Miss Mildred Rives spent last week-end in Lubbock visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Fowler

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brown were in Amarillo Tuesday attending the Mothers-In-Law Day Celebration.

Leo Cooper spent the week-end in Canyon visiting his wife.



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The meeting was called to order by singing "The Old Rugged Cross"

The devotional was led by Mrs. Luther Buchanan

After a brief business session the social hour was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

WEEK-END GUESTS FROM CLOVIS

Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Sams had the following week-end guests from Clovis, New Mexico: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Skiles, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pierce and Bud, Mr. and Mrs. Worrell, Edna Epperson, Mrs. Thelma Oxford, Miss Helen Carson, Emmett Neff, Shorty Hornbuckle, and Dick Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Miller were in Amarillo Monday on business.

IF YOUR BREATH HAS A SMELL YOU CAN'T FEEL WELL

When we eat too much, our food digests in our stomachs. Our friends smell this decay coming out of our mouths and call it bad breath. We feel the poison of this bad breath. It makes us uneasy, nervous, generally and we groan for anything. What makes the food decay in the stomach? Well, what we eat too much, our lips never don't digest it. What is the life juice? It is the most vital digestive juice in our body. Digest 2 parts of it are flowing from our liver into our bowels every day, and movement gets hard and uncomfortable and 2 of our food decays in our 20 feet of bowels. This decay sends poisons all over our body every six minutes.

When your friends smell our bad breath (and we don't) and we feel like a "gapped" person, don't say a word about it. Take Carter's Little Liver Pills which gently start the flow of your liver juice. Don't buy it for a colored (unnatural) pill, which will hurt your bowels and make the rest of your life miserable. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name and get what you get for 25¢. CLEGG, C.M.C.O.

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