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Court Ban On Funds Fails to Affect Aid Local Rural Schools

The rural schools of Briscoe county are fortunate in not being affected by the court's ban on the use of state funds, resulting from a temporary injunction granted by a district judge a few days ago. This happy condition exists because all the allotments to rural schools of the county from the fund have been paid, according to O. R. Tipps, ex-officio county superintendent, who said the entire amount allowed, \$2,238.00, was

schools are expected to be closed, unless patrons rally and contribute personally to their operation. Funds for paying teachers' salaries for January and following months and for tuition of transfers into high schools have been impounded by the court order, affecting about 3,000 schools of the state and more than 12,000 transfer students.

It is not known when final decision will be handed down by the higher courts, and the legislature now in session is preparing to remedy the situation, if possible, provided Gov. Moody will submit the question. Teachers have been appealed to continue their instruction, with assurance that, if the present state aid law is invalid, future measures will find the money for their salaries.

Something In a Name, Shakespeare Notwithstanding

The old army boys soon learned in the service what the alphabet could do to a fellow. There was no end to lining up, marching here and there, and waiting one's turn, be it for an ill-fitting blouse or a mess-kit full of slumgullion. In every case it was the A's and B's who got served first, while the N's to W's shivered in the rain and suffered with leg-weariness.

Briscoe county is far up near the top of the alphabet. Received its inspection among the first, was fully paid off from the rural school state aid money—got the worm by being an early bird—while the poor counties in the lower brackets of the ABC's are left out in the cold because the payroll safe has been officially padlocked.

Received here Jan. 16, following the inspection made the letter next of last year. The schools granted aid and the amount of funds to each are Lakeview, \$308; Francis, \$445; Rock Creek, \$28; Antelope, \$328; Haylake, \$298; Holt, \$181; and Holt, \$350.

Kenneth Bain Seeks Election Dist. Judge

Former Silverton Son Promises Efficient Service If Returned to Judge of 110th District

"In the past I have done my best to make good in the position of District Judge on a policy of impartial fairness to all," says Judge Kenneth Bain to his old home-town people and voters of his former county, in announcing his candidacy for the office of judge of the 110th judicial district of Texas, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

"If the people of this district see fit to return me to this office, I will do all that I can do to render efficient public service as district judge." is the fundamental promise of Judge Bain. He asks the vote and influence of all, and assures them that he will fully appreciate the support and courtesy shown him.

Judge Kenneth Bain is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bain, highly respected and pioneer citizens of this section. As accepted the world over, being the son of a family of integrity and honor is one of the best recommendations of a man for an office of public trust.

When the new 110th judicial district was created by the last legislature, it became the duty of the governor to fill the judgeship by appointment. From out the legal fraternity of the four counties composing the district, Briscoe, Dickens, Floyd and Matador, he selected Kenneth Bain. Judge Bain has presided at three sessions of the court in Briscoe county and has acquitted himself well in the performance of duty.

Silverton is proud of its son in this honored position and vouches for him as being qualified and worthy of the post.

Dalhart—New Federal building is proposed for this place.

Lions Continue to Hold Live Meetings

Fraternal resolutions of sympathy were voted by the Lions club at its Tuesday luncheon out of respect for the recent bereavement of Woodson Coffee, jr., president of the club, and Jack Coffee, fellow Lion, in the loss of their mother. A committee was appointed to draw up the resolutions and have them published in the Briscoe County News, and they appear elsewhere in this issue.

Temporary Chairman T. L. Miller, after listening to both sides of a debate, issued a decree which will probably settle for all time locally that a gobbler is fully justified in gobbling up any careless potato-bug that exposes himself. Quite in line with Texas politics, the argument became personal and main issues were clouded by innuendo charges.

Until further action is taken, the club will continue to hold its weekly meetings in the home economics building of the high school, as the departmental girls are willing to prepare the meals as long as the club wishes such services.

H. C. Claunch Is Honored at Banquet

The Progressive Farmer is honoring a number of Texas farmers at Dallas today (Thursday) with a banquet in the Junior Ball room of the Adolphus hotel. The honorees are the ten Master Farmers, four district Master Pupils and State Master Pupils, H. C. Claunch, and the Master Teacher of vocational agriculture. Among the master farmers are three men of the plains country, J. F. Ward of Hereford, R. E. Echols of Lamesa, and Frank F. Weil of Plainview.

An invitation to the banquet has been extended by the Progressive Farmer to W. M. Gourley, former teacher of H. C. Claunch.

County Meet Set for Silverton, In March

The Briscoe county interscholastic league meet will be held in Silverton March 29-30, according to schedule compiled for the state by the Interscholastic Leagues. Trophy cups started that will be first awarded to individuals, if the information furnished by Roy Bedichek is correct. C. R. E. Weaver, superintendent of the Silverton schools, is director general. Financial assistance will be obtained from the business men of Silverton and Quitaque.

J. A. Bain Will Have Special Day, Feb. 6

A special display and demonstration of the Oliver Farm Equipment has been arranged for Thursday, February 6, by J. A. Bain Hardware Company, at which time refreshments of hot coffee and sandwiches will be served. All farmers and others interested in better farming are cordially invited to attend.

The various tillage tools and Hart-Parr tractor will be displayed on the floor of the store, and a Nichols & Shepard combine will be on hand for inspection. Factory men will be in charge to give desired information. Mr. Bain will be pleased to meet you at the special display, as he is taking on an entirely new line of farm machinery this year and feels that he can heartily recommend the Oliver products.

Midnight Matinee at Palace Was Success

The first midnight matinee to be given in Silverton was staged by the Palace theatre Sunday night, beginning one minute after twelve o'clock, showing to a fair-sized crowd. Special guests of the occasion were owners and former managers of the theatre, including Dave Ruben of Amarillo and Hubert Simmons of Happy. A much admired picture, "The Air Legion," was presented.

Briscoe County Has Ginned 7,663 Bales

Briscoe county had ginned 7,663 bales of cotton of the 1929 crop up to Jan. 16, according to statistics gathered by R. F. Stevenson and furnished the department of commerce.

This compares with 10,781 bales for the county at the same time last year, the present crop short 3,118 bales.

This is next to the final report, states Mr. Stevenson, and practically covers all the ginnings. His next report will be made March 1, which will include any cotton that late gatherers may have.

Mrs. W. Coffee, Sr. Buried in Amarillo

Funeral services for Mrs. Ollie Coffee, wife of W. Coffee, Sr., 1603 Madison street, Amarillo, were held in Amarillo Sunday, and burial was in Llano cemetery. Rev. W. P. Garving, pastor of the San Antonio Methodist church, officiated.

Mrs. Coffee died in a sanitarium at San Antonio late Thursday night. Notified of his mother's serious illness, her son, W. Coffee, jr., of Silverton, started to make the trip in a motor car but the roads were impassable. Returning, he and his brother Jack went to Wichita Falls by railroad and took transport on an air passenger line Friday for San Antonio.

A. M. Allred Again In Auction Business

A. M. Allred of the Francis community desires to announce that his services as a public auctioneer are available, and he will be pleased to handle such sales that may be billed in Briscoe county.

Mr. Allred is experienced in the business, having followed auctioneering in the past with success. Hereafter, it will not be necessary for citizens of the county to import a man to manage their public sales. Mr. Allred can be conveniently reached and promises to conduct the sales in a manner satisfactory to everyone.

Power Farm Program At Palace, Feb. 4th

Power farming is becoming so popular that Tull & Crass Implement Company, the McCormick-Deering dealers, are giving a Power Farming entertainment on Feb. 4, at the Palace theatre. Records coming from other communities where similar entertainments have been held assure the people a day well worth their time.

This is a real opportunity for every progressive farmer, who is interested in increased profits, to acquaint himself with the methods other farmers are finding to save time, and eliminate much of the hard work. This entertainment is for the entire family because the housewife, as well as any one else, is desirous of reducing farm drudgery.

Mr. Tull of the Tull & Crass Implement Company has worked out a very interesting program for the day, which includes, in addition to instructive talks on tractors, several reels of interesting and entertaining motion pictures. Instructive talks of vital interest to the farmers of this community will be given during the afternoon. At noon a free lunch will be served; thus it is evident that the Tull & Crass Implement Company have done all in their power to make this a day well worth spending with them.

The lateness of this last season naturally reduced yields of certain crops. Many progressive farmers who were familiar with the growing of and the benefits received from soybeans were able to come to the rescue with this emergency crop and secure a very good profit. A special feature of the day's entertainment will be a talk on the "Market and Growing of Soybeans." This should be of special benefit to the people of this community.

Do not forget the date—every tractor owner should be there. Make your plans now and be on hand when the entertainment opens. Come prepared to ask questions and to learn all you can.

First Annual Invitation Basketball Tournament In Silverton Is Success

The Lakeview Eagles, visitors from Hall county, were winners in the first Invitation Basketball Tournament held here last Friday and Saturday. This team was awarded the "Victory" trophy cup, donated by the local Lions club, and eight members of the Eagles received each a golden basketball. Farwell came out second and eight individuals of its team were given bronze basketballs. These small tokens were donated by the Silverton athletic department.

This first effort in the establishing of an annual tournament is classed as a success from every standpoint. A. L. Kelsay, high school principal and athletic coach, had charge of details and to him must be accorded a large share of the credit in putting the event over to the

Folley Announces For Dist. Attorney

Mindful of Faith Imposed, Attorney Says His Policy One of Prosecution, Not Persecution.

"I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of District Attorney for the 110th Judicial District of Texas, subject to the action of the democratic primary," states A. J. (Jack) Folley in formally opening his campaign this week for reelection for state's attorney in Briscoe, Dickens, Floyd and Motley counties.

"It has been my pleasure and honor to serve the people of this district in such capacity for about one year," Mr. Folley continues, "during which time I have become familiar with the duties, obligations, and responsibilities of such an officer.

"I am not unmindful of the faith and confidence the people must necessarily place in a man to tender to him this office. Into his hands largely is placed the enforcement of the law which in the end means the protection and safety of the lives of the people as well as their property. If you see fit to return me to this office, with the cooperation of the other enforcement officers and the good people of the county, it will be my earnest endeavor to see that the laws of this state are faithfully, fairly and impartially enforced to the best of my ability upon a policy of prosecution and not persecution.

"Due to the fact that this new district covers the four counties of Briscoe, Dickens, Motley and Floyd, and the further fact that I will have to be absent from your county about three fourths of the time in the discharge of the duties of this office, I may be unable to see all of the voters of the county.

"But at this time I wish to assure you that I will appreciate your support and influence in my candidacy and my desire will be to so serve you and your interests that you will never have occasion to regret the faith and confidence that you may repose in me by returning me to this office."

During the time Mr. Folley has been district attorney of the new district, he has worked faithfully with the grand juries in fact-finding, and where evidence merited indictments has handled the cases in court with all fairness to defendants and with zeal on the part of the people. Mr. Folley deserves the thoughtful consideration of every voter in his district.

Financial Condition Of South Plains Good

LUBBOCK, Jan. 29.—A check up recently made reveals the information that 43 banks in the South Plains have total assets of \$24,655,849.43, with \$21,949,596.43 deposits; showing the best financial condition that the banks have ever had.

The statement shows the section to be in the most healthy financial condition it has ever been in.

satisfaction of the visiting teams and the hostess city.

Due to inclement weather and poor roads the financial returns were just enough to meet expenses. The eleven teams who were guests here reported satisfaction with way the tournament was conducted and were high in their praise of the hospitality shown them by the Silverton people.

The school and those in charge, through the medium of this paper,

SCORES OF EACH GAME			
Preliminaries			
Memphis 34	Quitaque 3	Carey 19	Newlin 20
Turkey 34	Matador 9	Lakeview 27	Floydada 24
Silverton 10	Farwell 21	Plainview 15	Union Hill 16
Quarter Finals			
Memphis 27	Turkey 25	Newlin 18	Lakeview 21
Semi-Finals			
Memphis 19	Farwell 28	Union Hill 10	Lakeview 21
Finals			
Lakeview 26	Farwell 15		

wish to thank everyone who in any way contributed to the success of the first invitation basketball tournament ever held in Silverton. It was through the whole-hearted cooperation of the entire citizenship that the event met with full approval, states Mr. Kelsay. Also, the Lions club is publicly thanked for making it possible to award a beautiful "Victory Trophy."

The taking of the crown by Lakeview was unexpected. The Eagles struggled through the preliminaries and then put up the best game of the tournament in the final to down

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Tamers Hustle and Squash Blackshirts

Mistake Court Basket for Cash Register and Had a Good Day in Receipts.

The old-time American principle of blocking competitors from the feed-trough and ringing up on the cash register as often as possible triumphed Monday night over the foreign "Eyetalian Blackshirts" whose "You first, my dear Gaston; no, you, dear Alphonse" has no place on basketball courts in Silverton.

It will be recalled that the quintet of the Lions club established quite a reputation in handing out a zero to the Quitaque Lions just preceding the arrival here of zero in weather. The frigid atmosphere on the ball court was probably good training for the caprock boys who during the last week or two could see nothing but zero on the thermometer.

However, the Lion Tamers hit a snag when a local Fascist was organized and took a tight game by the close score of 7 to 5. Alibis for the American defeat were floting around freely, and they seem to have been justified as the return engagement Monday night was decisive for the Tamers, 42 to 14. The basket was kept ringing like a cash register of a popular nickel store, and there was probably a lot of blocking not recognized by Hoyle.

The line-ups were Lions: Dr. R. F. McCasland, O. R. Tipps, Thurman Graham, Elmer Cleavenger, and Chester Strickland; Fascisti: Paul Lockhart, Bill Thompson and the three Ledbetter brothers.

Mrs. Marvin Tull, wife of M. C. Tull, implement dealer, is a new member of the Wednesday bridge club, having been received unanimously at the last meeting.

Booker—Several large buildings will be built here during 1930.

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MUD AND THE FARMER

A recent editorial in the "Bureau Farmer" says that the barrier of mud which five months out of the year separates five million farm families from the markets where they sell their produce, and likewise buy their supplies, is of supreme importance in the agricultural economic situation.

According to this authority, there are almost two and one-half million miles of unimproved dirt roads in the United States, and nearly five million farmers live on them. Farmers in this country pay seven per cent of the highway tax, yet less than three per cent of them are situated on year-round highways.

Here is room for some "farm relief" activity which will actually relieve. The greatest present need, in the matter of highways, is improved farm-to-market roads. These can be constructed, with a durable water-proof surface, at a low cost and without large maintenance expense.

The five million farmers now living with a barrier of mud between them and their markets, are deserving of immediate consideration. Good roads will probably do more than anything else to advance agricultural progress and prosperity.

AT THE CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Church of Christ meets each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. for Bible study.

Rev. Early Arceneaux preaches every Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m., and teaches a Bible class on Tuesday evenings at 7 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. G. Brotherton, Pastor Sunday-School at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 o'clock. League at 6:15 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Everybody invited.

**Political
 Announcements**

The Briscoe County News is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons for nomination to the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries this summer:

For Tax Assessor:
 MANLEY WOOD

For County and District Clerk:
 R. E. DOUGLAS
 JOHN ARNOLD

For County Judge:
 O. R. TIPPS

For Judge 110th Judicial District:
 KENNETH BAIN

For District Attorney 110th Judicial District:
 A. J. FOLLEY

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Know Texas

Oil investments in Texas, estimated at \$1,500,000,000, represent one-seventh of the U. S. total. Texas average monthly production during six months ending Oct. 1 was 21,000,000 barrels.

Road contracts let by the Texas Highway Commission during 1929 totaled \$32,707,000, covering 3,444 miles of miles of highway.

There were 47,772 retail stores in business in Texas in 1929. Groceries were 13,620 and auto accessories (including tires, etc.) were second with 6,488.

Texas has 1,170 hotels with 79,410 rooms employing 27,230 persons and representing an investment of \$213,544,000.

**RESOLUTION OF RESPECT
 BY LIONS CLUB**

"Whereas God in his infinite supremacy over the universe has seen fit to take back into the eternity of a higher realm Mrs. W. Coffee, sr., leaving in bereavement her two sons, Woodson and Jack, honored citizens of our city;

Be It Therefore Resolved that the Lions club, in reverence and in respect, extends its sympathy to these two bereaved fellow Lions, hoping their grief may be somewhat assuaged and their hearts comforted by these words that seek to express a kindred feeling with those who have lost a loved one.

Be It Further Resolved that this resolution be published in the Briscoe County News.

SILVERTON LIONS COMMITTEE
 —By J. A. Neill, C. R. E. Weaver, and Oran Bomar.

**Friday Is Last Day
 For Paying Taxes**

Friday, January 31, is the last day for paying your city tax, school tax, county and state tax, and auto license without incurring a penalty, and the absolute deadline for your poll tax receipts or exemptions if you expect to vote in the coming elections.

City Secretary J. E. Minyard has a desk in the county assessor's office, and all taxes may be paid conveniently at the same time.

Levelland—Building permits total more than \$200,000 last year.

**Good Attendance at
 Farm Night School**

A fine meeting was held at the Farmers Night School Tuesday night with the discussion in the hands of Prof. Frank Phillips, head of the Canyon school of agriculture. A good attendance was on hand to hear and profit by the talk given by Mr. Phillips on contagious abortion in livestock, a disease that is causing much loss to stockmen and farmers of the county.

No meeting was held Thursday night, and the next session will be Monday night instead of Tuesday at the agricultural building.

H. C. and Paul Claunch, accompanied by W. M. Gourley, left Wednesday morning for Dallas to attend the big banquet at the Adolphus hotel for Master Pupils and Farmers.

**Business Changes
 Are Made Locally**

Among the first-of-the-year business changes locally are the City Grocery and the City Market.

J. G. Fort has purchased the interest of his former partner, E. H. Perry, and is now the sole owner of the City Grocery.

J. L. Graham and W. E. Lemons, who bought the market in October from Messrs. Fort and Perry, have dissolved partnership, Lemons selling his interest to Graham, and now Mr. Perry has purchased the City Market from Graham, effective Friday.

**Free Dental Service
 Being Given Students**

Dr. R. F. McCasland has initiated a new feature in his dental service to the community by offering to clean the teeth of all students in the high school building free of charge. This service to the school is being given by Dr. McCasland to acquaint the pupils with the value of keeping sanitary mouth and the wholesome effect of dental cleanliness.

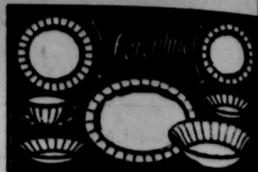
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**Lions Again Defeated
 By Quitaque Firemen**

The Silverton Lions club hoop-tossers invaded Quitaque Wednesday night for an hour's entertainment with the caprock fire-boys. The game was what might be termed a rough affair. Charging, running and hacking by both sides made it have quite a bit of "color."

However, the match was good, it was fast, and it was rough, and ended as games always end by one side winning and the other losing. Silverton lost 16 to 14.

Strickland, Cleavenger and Leslie held down the forward positions. Tipps and Kelsay played center, and Graham and McCasland were guards.



Beginning Feb. 10, the Palace theatre will give free to each lady attending the show on Monday and Tuesday a piece of chinaware as illustrated above. There are no contests or drawings. The gift is made at the door by the ticket-taker. Special picture Feb. 10 - 11, "Halfway to Heaven."

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH

—to assist us in entertaining you. We will serve hot coffee and sandwiches.

All farmers and other interested in good farming are invited to visit our store on that day, where you will enjoy yourselves and get some good information.

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Livestock and Agricultural Page

FARM
FORUM—

GRINDER WEEK WILL PROVE THE VALUE OF FARM FEED GRINDERS; EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN COWS

See the Special W-W Hammer-Type Grinding Demonstration of Tull & Crass at Chick Northcutt's Farm.

It is said that in production one foreign cow equals two American cows. And the answer to the enigma is declared to lie in the fact that for centuries Europe has fed her cows chopped hay, mixed with the grains. One farmer with whom the writer talked declared that his feed grinder has saved him about one-half of his usual feed bill. Another declared it had made possible a profit from his hogs, always hard to obtain before.

Others declared that milk cows do better on less feed than formerly. One man who keeps milk cows told the writer that whereas each of his cows had formerly required three bundles of feed daily, he now feeds her the equivalent of two bundles, ground, still received more milk by using the ground feed.

Many have said that the cost of owning a feed grinder is too much for the smaller farmer. It is true, however, that even the farmer who only has a few head of livestock to feed can afford to own one. The way out, it surely seems, after one has considered the history of farming in this community, is to increase the herd. Too much time might be required, said another. But for most herds of this section a few hours' work is sufficient to prepare feed for a week.

Since none of us ever cease to learn, it would seem advisable for every farmer, big or small to investigate the points claimed for the feed grinder, summarized as follows: 1. The use of a feed grinder will reduce the cost of feed; 2. Will increase production of milk or butterfat; 3. Eliminate expense of mixed feed, and 4. Prevent waste on the farm.

Grinder Week enables you to get the facts and see the feed grinder in actual demonstration, grinding all kinds of feed.

Grinder Week will be held on Chick Northcutt's place by Tull & Crass Implement Co., authorized dealers for the famous W-W Hammer-Type Feed Grinders. Be sure to come and see it in actual operation.

UNDER THE COURT HOUSE DOME

Deeds

U. M. Meeker to Lin Christopher, lot 3, block 9, Silverton; \$1500.
Q. E. Brown to Lee O. Thomas, part of Sec. 20, Block A, \$2,600.
Sam Purdy to C. M. Ward, 200 acres out of north side of W. 1-2 Sec. 22, Block B-1; \$1,000.
J. W. Rainey to F. P. Bain, quit-claim to lot 4, block 24, Silverton; \$15.
Z. L. Baker and E. F. Wentworth to Dean and Elmer (Shott) Allard, bill of sale to barber shop equipment and supplies on Main street, Silverton.

Shop Work of Aggie Boys Valued at \$100

Warner Grabbe Gives Detailed Report of New Articles and Reclamations Made in Past Year.

(BY WARNER GRABBE, Reporter)

In the past years the Aggie boys of Silverton have rendered valuable service to the people of the community. They are going to keep this up through their organizations and through their various projects.

We have just finished our shop work. Many useful articles have been made for the home and for use around the farm home. Some of the pieces of woodwork are an adornment for any home. We did this work in fulfilling a requirement that we make two pieces of woodwork. Most of the boys made more than two articles. A large amount of soldering was done. Many pieces of work was brought in from the homes, and some of the articles that were mended were thought unredeemable by the home folks.

Below is a list of the things that were made and the values placed on them:

Name of Articles	No.	Value
Trougths and Feeders	7	\$16.50
Book Racks	12	\$12.00
Milk Stools	13	\$13.00
Broom Holders	12	\$6.00
Boot Jack	12	\$3.00
Kitchen Stool	1	\$2.00
Picture Frame	2	\$1.00

Below is a list of the things that were soldered. The values placed on them are figured on the cost of the article if bought new.

Names of Articles	No.	Value
Half Bushel	1	\$.75
Faucets	5	\$1.60
Oil cans	2	\$1.50
Pans	5	\$3.10
Tubs	15	\$22.50
Buckets	11	\$6.60
Cream Cans & Churns	6	\$6.50
Lanterns	3	\$1.50
Measuring cups	2	\$.30
Tea Kettles	2	\$2.50

The total value of the work done was \$99.55. The number of jobs completed were 108. There are some jobs started that will be finished outside of class hours.

Sterley Was Host To Baptist Meet

STERLEY, Jan. 28.—The association meeting of the Floyd county Baptist B. Y. P. U. met here next Sunday afternoon. Representatives from the four counties in the Floyd county association were present. The program was held from 2:30 to 4 o'clock.

There isn't so much lost time to make up for now; get going on your own advertising.

Swisher Calf Show At Tulia Saturday

TULIA, Jan. 29.—The annual Swisher County 4-H Club Calf Show will be held here Saturday, February 1. Thirty-one calves are on full feed now in preparation for entry in this show, and the Tulia Chamber of Commerce has put up a premium list totaling \$150.00.

The object of these feeding projects is to prove to the farmers that it is profitable to feed grain sorghums to livestock, and the records kept by the boys on their feeding show that beef may be produced at a cost of 10 cents per pound.

The 4-H Club calves from Swisher County will be entered in both the Amarillo and Ft. Worth Stock Shows, and it is hoped that the record of these calves this year will exceed the record shown by the club in 1929.

Tulia C. of C. Will Encourage Dairymen

TULIA, Jan. 29.—The Tulia Chamber of Commerce has set aside \$250.00 for cash prizes to be awarded to contestants in the Master Dairy Farmer Contest which will be held in Tulia just prior to the contest held by the Amarillo Globe-News in their Panhandle-Plains project. This money was set aside with the view of encouraging Swisher County dairymen to enter the contest.

Of the fifteen dairymen entering the contest, eight are doing mail order testing on their herds, and the rest are doing official testing. The equipment for this mail order testing is furnished by Tech College at Lubbock, and the samples are sent in to the Dairy Manufacturing Dept. of that college. There the milk is tested and the reports are sent back to the farmers.

The business men and members of the board of directors of the Tulia Chamber of Commerce believe in aiding the farmers of the territory in

Eggs Are Ahead of Wheat In Income

Hens on American farms in 1929 produced eggs at the rate of 45,600 a minute. U. S. Government statistics show, while poultry as a whole created a net income of more than \$1,181,000,000 for the farmers of the nation. This places poultry well above wheat, oats, fruit, potatoes, and a long list of other farm products in rank as money makers for farmers.

Growing realization of the profits to be made from greater attention to the farm flock is responsible for the increased interest the farmer is now taking in the old hen coop. Once the chickens were left to "the women-folks" by the farmer, who felt that poultry was a "pin money" proposition. Now, with farm poultry in the "big money" class, the head of the house is beginning to take upon himself a large share of the work necessary to successful poultry raising.

Hens must lay from 140 to 170 eggs a year to return a good profit to their owners, while the average for American farms is only 70 eggs per hen per year. Replacement of low-grade stock, and improved methods of caring for hens offer the two quickest methods of securing best results from the poultry flock, poultry experts advise.

Ex-Newspaper Man Operates Laundry

FLOYDADA, Jan. 28.—Hal Lattimore, who has been field representative of the Star-Telegram for five years, is one of the new owners of the steam laundry here, being associated with W. C. Grigsby. Former owners were Messick brothers.

Take your foot out of the grave; put it on the gas.

all efforts to increase production in many lines instead of the one crop system.

LACK OF PROFIT ON FARMS HAS LOWERED MORALE OF THE FAMILY AND DRIVING ITS BEST AWAY

LUBBOCK, Jan. 28.—Mrs. Charles W. Sewell, who is to participate on the program during the short course at the Texas Technological College at Lubbock, Texas, February 3 to 5, has risen from a humble farm woman to a position of national prominence because of her active interest in advancing the welfare of the farmer's wife and the farm home. "The discouragement of the past few years in the agricultural industry has done more than deplete the farmer's purse," says Mrs. Sewell. "The larger and more far-reaching consequence is the lowering of the morale of the farm family and the exodus of the young people from the farm to the city."

"But in the past much of the stability of our nation has been due to the farm home and we have every reason to believe that the farm homes of today and tomorrow will make a corresponding contribution now."

"In the change and stress of our modern civilization there is great need of better homes in the country as well as in the city. In our more crowded centers much that formerly controlled the home relationships now is disregarded, and it is the job of every woman in America to see that

every honorable means is taken to preserve the home as an American institution of the highest type."

Welfare Committee to Render Aid at Tulia

TULIA, Jan. 27.—At a mass meeting of Tulia citizens at the courthouse Tuesday night, a Community Welfare Committee of seven members was selected. Judge W. A. Graham was made chairman. C. B. Martin Secretary-treasurer, with Dr. J. W. Stevens, Rev. J. W. Hendrix, Rev. A. C. Huff, and Rev. Davis as the other members. The duty of this committee is to see that any worthy person who is in need is relieved.

This committee will investigate all cases referred to them and if the evidence shows that the people are worthy of aid, it will be offered to them. Applications for aid should be made directly to the committee. This work will be handled through the Chamber of Commerce office.

There is now a small amount of money available for this work, and if an emergency arises, the citizens will work with the committee for immediate relief.

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SILVERTON'S FIRE RECORD DRAWS APPEAL FROM STATE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO BE CAREFUL

Silverton's fire record is not showing up very good, and the state fire insurance commissioner, J. W. DeWeese, has issued an appeal to the people to adopt the following suggestions in order to reduce the number of fires that are occurring.

Carelessness causes 85 per cent of all fires, and 86 per cent of fire occur in the home, according to Mr. DeWeese:

Suggestions—No. 1. If your electric lights go out, or if you have trouble with your lights, do not attempt to fix it yourself. Call an experienced electrician for he will save expense and trouble to you.

No. 2. If you have trouble with Gas Stoves, or pipes, do not attempt to fix it yourself, but call a Plumber or the Gas Company. If you smell "Gas", do not look for the "leak" with a "match," for it is dangerous.

No. 3. Do not leave matches where children can play with them. Keep them in safety box out of their reach.

No. 4. Do not smoke in bed. Be sure and put out matches, and keep cigarettes and cigars in ash tray.

No. 5. Do not clean clothes with Gasoline, Benzine, Engine, or Naphtha, for they are dangerous.

No. 6. Do not put mops or greasy rags in closets, for they will cause spontaneous combustion and set fire to your house. Keep them in closed metal can or back porch.

No. 7. Have your chimneys and flues inspected at least once each

year, and see that flue is properly protected.

No. 8. Put screen in front of Gas stove open fire-place, or around heater, to keep children and old people from getting too close to fire and igniting their clothes.

No. 9. Do not put rubbish, trash or papers in closets. Put them in metal ash can and burn.

No. 10. Do not attempt to start a fire with kerosene, or any inflammable liquid.

No. 11. Do not leave Electric Iron on. If you leave board for any purpose, be sure and cut off current.

No. 12. Co-operate with your Fire Marshal each day of the year, for he is trying to save your life and property from destruction by fire.

ANTELOPE Mrs. John Rhea Correspondent

D. B. Rish and Sanford Graves transacted business in Lakeview Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Waldrop and daughter, Nadine and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sanders and sons, Hugh and Aubrey motored to Clarendon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Graves and Calvis Graves visited in the R. Graves home at Memphis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Biggs entertained the young folks with a party Saturday evening.

Floyd Graves of Wichita Falls visited relatives here this week.

Jack Edens was a Memphis visitor Saturday.

L. L. Waldrop and Elmer Sanders were business visitors in Silverton Saturday.

Major and Philip Gibson made a trip to Clarendon Saturday.

A. L. and M. L. Durham spent Friday night with relatives at Lakeview.

Edith Waldrop of Clarendon spent Friday and Saturday with home folks and returned to school Sunday.

George Heckman of Clarendon was her on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Iry Graves are rejoicing over the arrival of an eight

HAYLAKE Mrs. Mary McClendon Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McClendon and Miss Ellaleah Smith were Sunday visitors in the T. C. McCutchen home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freelan Bingham were week end visitors in the home of Mrs. J. C. Welch.

Mrs. A. N. Askey was a weekend visitor in the J. H. McClendon home.

Loyd and Lee Stanton visited in the Jno. Stanton home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fowler and children were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McCutchen visited in the A. T. Brooks home Monday.

Houston Allen of Quitaque is moving to the place recently vacated by E. H. Cornett. We welcome all new comers.

Everybody is enjoying the warm days. Mrs. J. H. Burson and daughters, Louise and Sylvia and son J. H. Jr., of Clarendon visited at the home ranch last week end.

Mrs. J. C. Welch was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Bomar of Silverton last week.

J. M. Watters of Plainview visited relatives and friends in the community several days last week.

Sunday visitors in the Walter Watters home were J. M. Watters of

Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watters and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Walker and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Newman visited Mrs. Beavers at Silverton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hobbs of Flo-mot is visiting at the home of Mr. King.

Miss Trudie Merrell visited in the W. H. Newman home part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Stanton and family were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Crow visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Welch Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Seay and children were Sunday visitors in the R. Seay home.

Fred Dudley was a weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Welch.

Mrs. Edna Johnson and daughter Barbara visited Mesdames Shaver, Welch and Cornett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Brooks visited in the A. T. Brooks home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brooks were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks.

Miss Ellaleah Smith was a weekend visitor in the H. B. McClendon home.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Rampley and sons, visited in the home of Mrs. J. C. Welch Sunday.

N. M. Lawler of Canadian and Will Stanton were visitors in the J. C. Welch home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McCutchen and son visited in the H. S. Crow home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Merrell and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Standifer at Silverton Sunday.

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Hi-Lights of Hi-Leaguers

A business session of the Hi-League was held Sunday by the president, Kemp Thompson, and \$5.50 on the pledge of \$10 was paid. Rev. M. G. Brotherton gave an interesting talk.

All the young folks of Silverton are invited to attend the meetings every Sunday evening at 6:15 o'clock.

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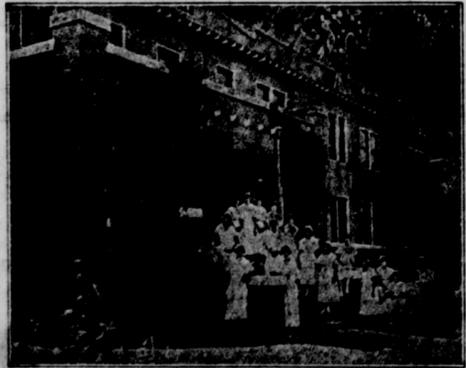
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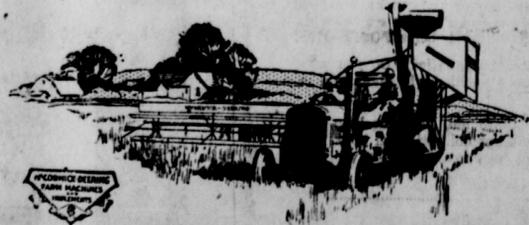
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SOCIAL AFFAIRS

The Woman's Home Page

CHURCH AND CLUB

Mrs. T. M. Nichols Is Elected President Of 1925 Study Club

Reminded Frontier Conditions Passing and All Cheap Land Will Be Taken Within Few Years.

Relying on the theory that a hard winter forecasts a good crop year, the snows of last month caused much Roll Call: Response—Name a writer of fiction.

Discussion: Cooke As the Chief American Novelist of the Civil War period—Mrs. D. O. Bomar.

Reading from "Surrey of Eagle's Nest."—Mrs. M. R. Alexander.

Paper: "Augusta Evans Wilson and her stories"—Mrs. F. P. Bain.

Roud Table Topic: Reasons why women novelist have recently come to the front—Led by director.

Reports of the year were given by all officers and filed. An entertainment committee was appointed by the chairman. A committee was appointed to ask for the permanent use of the club room.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President. Mrs. Tom Nichols; 1st vice-president. Mrs. A. P. Dickerson; 2nd vice-president. Mrs. W. W. Fogerson; recording secretary. Mrs. O. T. Bundy; Corresponding secretary. Mrs. Ernest Tibbets; treasurer. Mrs. T. R. Whiteside; Parliamentarian and custodian, Mrs.

Young People Will Be in Charge of Presbyterian Church

In keeping with the nation-wide movement of having the young people share the responsibilities of officers in the Presbyterian church and run the institution for just one week, the young people of the local Presbyterian church are observing the practice in Silvertown, from Jan. 26 to Feb. 2.

The following officers will have charge Sunday: deacons, Donald Alexander and Obra Watson; Sunday-School superintendent, Joe Lemons; Sunday-School secretary, Jonnie Bundy; teacher of young people, Christine Bundy; teacher of intermediates, Ruth Thomas; choir leader, Jack Wright.

The choir will be composed of all the young people of the church. All the young folks are urged to attend this service on time, remain for church, and make it a great occasion.

London Bridge Had Pleasant Evening With Mrs. Allard

Mrs. Elmer Allard was the delightful hostess Thursday afternoon to the members of the London Bridge Club at her home.

Mrs. Marvin Tull and Mrs. Wood Hardcastle were awarded score favors.

Those attending were Mesdames W. L. Bain, Marvin Tull, O. T. Bundy, J. A. Neill, Dick Cowart, Tom Bom-

ar. L. L. McAnaw, E. G. Snapka, James Meeker, True Burson, Wood Hardcastle, Elmer Allard, W. Coffee Jr., and Bruce Burleson.

Presidio—Plans underway for establishment of one of largest smelters on American continent, to be located near here.

Borger—\$750,000 will be spent by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company this year in improving service between Amarillo and this city and other points connecting with this city.

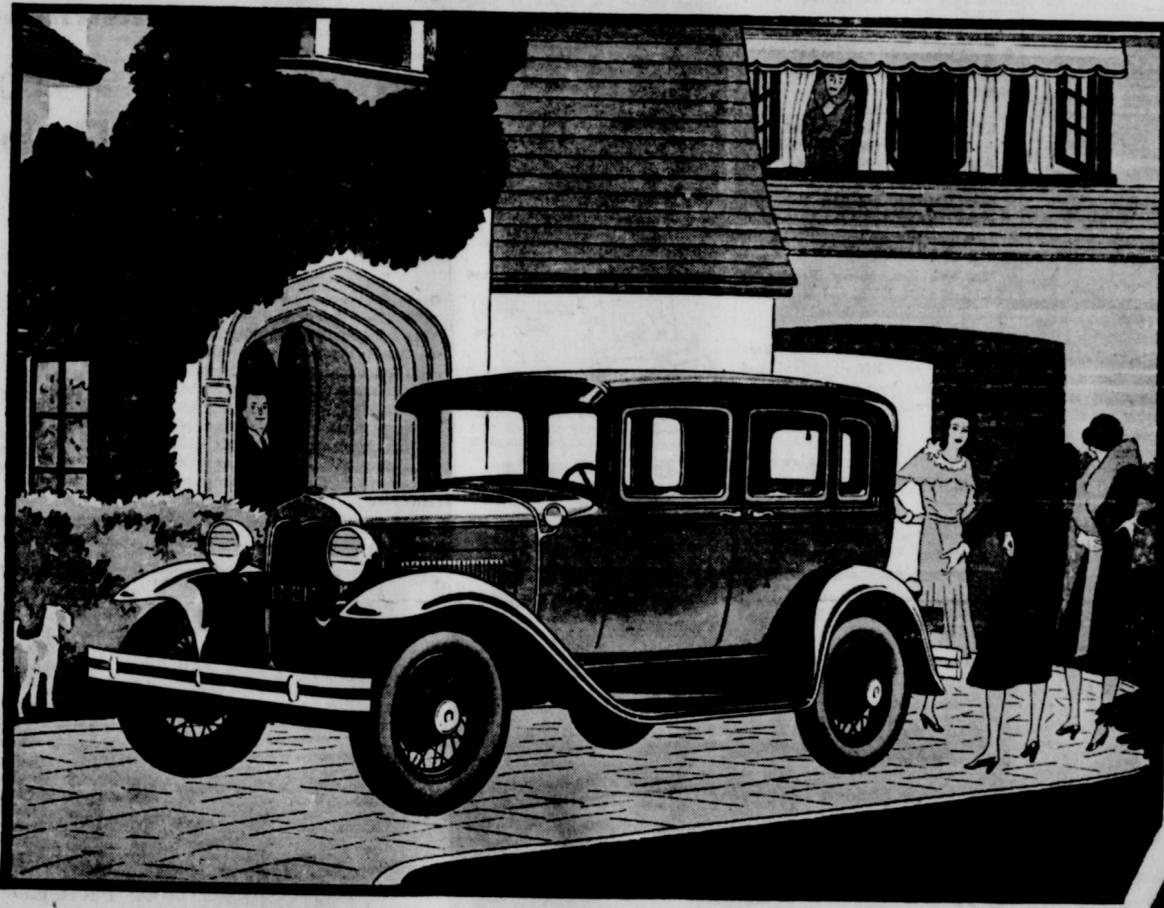
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 MONTE BLUE, In—
 "From Headquarters"
 And Two-Reel Comedy.

Time of opening changed to 8:45 p. m. and box office closes at 8:45.

NORTH ROUTE

Mrs. Jno. Clayton
Correspondent

January 22.—
Mr. Williamson, the mail carrier is having to detour in several places in these parts, due to blocked roads running east and west.

P. D. Jasper of the Francis community was a caller at the J. M. Clayton home Tuesday.

J. L. Watters went to Kirkland and helped Newt Graves move a load of poultry to his place here last week.

"Grandpa" Morris, who has been staying with relatives and friends at Turkey and Quitaque for several weeks is at home here since week before last.

January 29.—
Most of the snow that has been on the ground for some three weeks now is melting nicely. Quite a lot of moisture is being afforded from same also the lakes are catching water from the melting snows.

The late drilled in wheat is showing up nicely since the snow is melting.

Miss Betty Lon Larry spent Tuesday night with Gladys Faye Johnson.

Mrs. Mark Morris is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clayton and family spent the day Sunday in the Arthur Gregg home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watters spent Sunday in the Newt Graves home.

Charlie Morris who is employed with the Jno Burson Ranch work, came home Saturday night and returned to work Sunday morning.

Four very industrious men of this neighborhood are very busily engaged in getting wood from the Canyons, despite the severe winter weather. They are Messrs Arthur Gregg, Howard Morris, Edward Benningfield and J. M. Clayton.

We are glad to report that Chick Northcutt is able to be up and about some after several weeks of painful illness. He was able to be in Silvertown Saturday.

The basketball tournament held in Silvertown this past week end was greatly enjoyed by several from this neighborhood.

Perryton—Work will start in very near future on improvement of telephone service.

Dalhart—American Telephone and Telegraph Company will construct more toll lines out of this city.

Bovina—Highway Department will build storehouse here in near future.

Falfurrias—Beef cattle feeding is new industry launched here.

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LOCALS

Two new tires, a new tool kit, and pair of overshoes were stolen from A. M. Allred's car Tuesday night stalled on the highway west of town. Mr. Allred of the Francis community was driving in to the Farmers Night School when the rear axle broke. His car remained overnight on the road and thieves helped themselves to the property.

Marvin Wood, formerly of the North route, requests that his Briscoe County News be changed to his new address at Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smylie are the proud parents of a little son, James Clavin, born Jan. 13.

Mesdames John Bain, Guy Whitacre, and O. T. Bundy attended the club meeting of Mrs. Ralph Buell of Quitaque Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Buell and family of Quitaque are leaving Friday for a visit in the Rio Grande Valley.

Bland Burson returned Tuesday from Oklahoma City where he attended a business session of the Ford Motor company.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Martin of Ralls visited Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mallow last weekend.

Lige Brandon and Mr. Veicel of Munday visited in the home of J. W. Brandon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler of Oklahoma visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Patton last week end.

Miss Jean Jackson, who has been visiting Mrs. Clifford Allard and other relatives here for the past six weeks, returned to her home in Lockney Sunday.

Mrs. R. Sedgwick who has been sick for the past week is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gollihar and

children visited Mrs. Gollihar's brother, Sam Braswell in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dooley Moore of Muleshoe were here Wednesday transacting business.

First Annual—

(Continued from front page)

Farwell by coming from behind in the second half, the score ending 26 to 15. The high favorites were dropped by the wayside as the tourney progressed and "dark horses" became strong contenders.

Memphis, Newlin, Turkey, Lakeview, Farwell and Union Hill won in the first clashes Friday. Saturday morning Memphis put Turkey out. Fans who turned out for this game witnessed the closest and fastest match of the tournament. Winner was in doubt until the last seconds when Memphis pitched two free shots to emerge on top, 27 to 25. Newlin slipped before the attack of Lakeview.

In the semi-finals Saturday afternoon Farwell dimmed Memphis' hopes, and Lakeview shoved another opponent out, Union Hill. The final began Saturday night at 7:45 between Lakeview and Farwell, and the fast quintet from the border-line was too slow for the Hall county boys.



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FRANCIS

Mrs. Johnnie Young
Correspondent

The program at the school house Friday night was well attended and enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mattox of Tulia, visited Mrs. Mattox's sister, Mrs. A. M. Allred Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dunn and children Billie and Evelyn and P. D. Jasper were callers in the Alvin Redin home Monday evening.

R. W. Baldwin of Oklahoma came in Tuesday for an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Redin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Francis visited in the Dave Mayfield home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Young and daughter visited Mrs. Young's mother Mrs. M. D. Dunn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Strange were callers in the T. E. Rowell home Tuesday.

J. Lee Francis is enjoying a new Atwater Kent Radio.

The Sunshine Club will meet in the home of Mrs. E. J. Marricle this week.

Messrs. Milt Jasper and Albert Pool motored to Silvertown Saturday.

Goitre Removed

Operation Prevented For Texas Lady.
Mrs. Earl Smith, Dawson, Texas Says: "Suffered with goitre since I was 16. Had choking spells. Was so nervous I couldn't sit still. My heart beat fast. I started using Sorbol-Quadruple and have been getting better every since." It is easy to apply and not expensive. Get a small bottle at Bomar Drug Company or write Sorbol Company, Mechanisburg, Ohio. Sold by all druggists. —Bomar Drug Company. (Adv.)

DIVISION GRADE SCHOOL CLASSES INTO HIGH AND LOW SECTIONS RAISES HONOR ROLL 10 PER CENT

The honor roll of the grammar school is showing about a ten per cent increase since the classes were divided into high and low sections, according to Chester Strickland, principal. The resulting improved class-work bears out the expectation and wisdom of the principal in making the division:

Honor Roll

FIRST GRADE—Barbara Fowler, Dora Ellen Dobbs, Lucille Alexander, Faye Blocker, Roberta McMurry, Pascal Garrison, John Earl Simpson, Jr., Conrad Henderson, Roy Mack Walker, Wilmoth King, and Dorris Ruth Cain.

SECOND GRADE—Roy Thomas, Minyard Lon, Beryl Long, Jozelle Hodges, Norma Alexander, Daphene Ferne Blackwell and Dell Martin.

THIRD GRADE—Ona Blocker, Helen Cain, Jim Cline, Anna Mae Busby, James Long, and Della Braley.

FOURTH GRADE—Bertie Castleberry, Joe Kline Burson, Ruth Mc-

Gavock, Hudson Garrison, Nora Mae Thompson Hattie Standifer, Marvin McCain, Jean Alexander, Jim Tom Nichols, Elmo Wallin, Woodrow Cox, Adell Graham, Pauline Buchanan, Alma Ruth Thompson, Gladys Faye Johnson, George Bain, Arnold Brown, Beulah Mae Searcy, Florene Grimland, Irene Ellis and Lavelle Mont-

Canadian — Temporary organization perfected for constructing farmers telephone line from here north in Hemphill, Lipscomb and Ochiltree counties.
Van Horn—\$170,000 hotel building being erected here.

---to the Public

I have recently sold my interest in the City Grocery and now am the owner of the City Market, which is in the same building.

Allow me to thank all my old friends and customers for their business in the past during the time I was grocer. Our relationships have been pleasant, and I would be pleased to be able to serve you in the future in the market business, assuring you satisfaction in every way.

I WILL TAKE CHARGE OF THE MARKET ON FEBRUARY, 1ST—YOUR BUSINESS APPRECIATED

E. H. Perry



After 31 years of service to the people of Silvertown and Briscoe County, we have begun to feel like we are a home-owned institution.

Specials for Friday & Saturday

COFFEE Folger's, 1 lb. Can 47c 92c
2 lb. Can

COMPOUND 4 lb. Bucket, 53c; \$1.02
8 lb. Bucket ...

RAISINS 2 lb. Package, 15c; 29c
4 lb. Package

Corn Flakes Jersey Brand, Large 25c
Size, 3 for

Tomatoes No. 2 Cans, Each 10c

Owned and Operated By—

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"Where Your Dollar Buys the Most"



Spring Arrivals

We have just received a delightful shipment of Virginia Hart dresses, a new mode for every figure, charming colors for every taste, PRICED AT ONLY—

\$1.95

We are special representatives of the well-known Emma-Jettie shoe, an excellent stock from quadruple A's to triple E's—

\$5.00 and \$6.00

"You need no longer be told that you have an expensive foot"

New Spring Silks

Also another pleasing shipment of the new silk spring dresses are on display at our store ... harbingers of the spring just around the corner ... get yourself in the spring mood by getting yourself into a spring dress of the newest fashion ... florals or plain—

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY— \$8.95
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