

COW, SOW AND HEN AGAIN

In every time of need the farmer could always rely on his best allies—the cow, sow and hen. They are receiving more attention in Donley County right now than for many years. We may forget them for a time, but not in time of need to rescue us from a calamity.

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A Common Paper For Common People

Legionists Will Present Comedy Play On Friday Evening

Proceeds of Groceries And Cash Will Be Given to Needy of Town

The stage is all set for the "Backwoods School of '49", a rip-roaring comedy all the way through. The presentation will begin at 7:30 at the College Auditorium Friday evening.

Twenty-one members of the local Legion Post compose the cast. No time has been spared in rehearsal in order to give the audience all the laughs that could come from a review of school days of the boyhood days of the oldest inhabitants.

The price of admission as stated in the Leader of last week is groceries. Of course if you want to pay off in actual cash, this will be accepted. Non-perishable groceries alone is requested.

The grown-ups will be required to deposit two pounds for admission, and the children one pound each. This may be in goods, sack goods or other forms of "atables" selected according to your liking.

The food so collected will be distributed through the Goodfellows to the needy of the town. The demand is urgent. The price of admission is low. Numbers of other communities have been most liberal and the effort on the part of the Legion boys is most commendable indeed.

Mrs. A. N. Wood and daughters Maurine and Nel visited friends in Amherst and Lubbock over the week end.

Plant Exchange Saturday at Club Room

The plant exchange sponsored by the Les Beaux Arts club will be held at the Club Room all day Saturday of this week.

Plants of any kind are acceptable for exchange. If you have something to pass on to a neighbor, please bring it.

This exchange is open to all the count. Last season a large number of desirable exchanges were made. In some instances contributions were made where an excess was found in the flower yard.

Local Problems Occupy Attention Of Rotary Membership

Thirteen Speakers Give Views of Local Conditions That Are Needing Attention

The subject of "what may this Rotary club do to be of greatest service to this community now" was discussed from almost every angle by thirteen members and one visitor at the Friday noon luncheon period.

The subject of delinquent boys as discussed by Rotarian Drennon won the prize given by President Jenkins and presented by Homer Mulkey who acted as judge of the talks made.

The prize consisted of a leather bill fold with the Rotary emblem stamped on the outer cover and a gift coveted by every member of the Club.

The charity problem presenting a number of angles came in for a good share of attention. This included the efforts that might be put forth both by civic club and individual.

A paper read by Rotary Ann Rhoda Wideman drew special mention and was highly complimented by the membership.

Rotarian Cope announced that members of the Pampa Rotary club would put on the program next Friday. This announcement was hailed with delight as something special to look forward to over the week.

Guests were Roy Clappitt and Homer Mulkey, the latter making an excellent talk along the general line of discussion relative to the problem of protecting the boys of the town.

Electric Rates Reduced By West Texas Utilities Co.

After having twice reduced electric rates in 1929, and again in 1930, the West Texas Utilities Company again announces a reduction according to the local manager, T. D. Nored.

The rate that affects most people, or at least the rate in which most people take an active interest, is the rate affecting the homes.

The present rate is eleven cents instead of twelve cents per kilowatt. This applies to the first step of the present rate. For instance if you have a three room home, the first 12 kilowatts will cost you 11 cents per kilowatt.

The next 18 k. w. will cost you 7 cents per k. w. Excess will be charged for at the rate of 4 cents per k. w. In other words, the first 4 kilowatts per room will cost 1. cents per kilowatt.

The next six k. w. per room will cost 7 cents per k. w. Excess will be charged for at the rate of 3 cents instead of four cents.

Petit Jury For Third Week District Court

The following men constitute the jury panel for the third week of District Court which convenes here March 23:

J. H. Helton
S. G. Evans
J. M. Taylor
W. B. Holtzclaw
S. A. Landrum
C. A. Hicks
J. D. Wood
W. O. Hommel
A. M. Lanham
E. M. Christie
A. E. Tidrow
B. J. Moaders
Bill Bromley
C. A. Reed
C. W. Bain
B. F. Randall
Claude Morgan
J. T. Grimsley
H. R. King
A. C. Hartzog
J. B. Reynolds
Herman Hunt
Jimmie Chilton
C. D. Meador
John Goldston
J. M. Gorcon
J. S. Harlin
Jim Bible
J. B. Pickett
J. Heater
Gibb Williams
N. L. Jones
Walter Marrow
T. E. Naylor
Lee Morrison
P. A. Johnson

S. S. Dubbs spent the week end with homefolks.

J. E. Ware in Fiddle Contest Over KGRS Friday

J. E. Ware of the Goldston community was number six in the fiddle contest music heard over KGRS of Amarillo Friday afternoon late.

Five will enter the weekly contest for a period of six weeks. The winner of each weekly contest will then enter for the finals.

Those who want to help Mr. Ware can write to the above station (postal will do) and register a vote for him. All votes must be in before Friday of this week.

Epworth League Sponsors Play at Ashtola

The Epworth League at Ashtola will sponsor a play, "Eyes of Love" at the school auditorium Friday night of this week for the purpose of raising funds with which to pay the H. C. F. pledge.

Miss Cecil Hikel is directing the play which is a comedy drama in three acts. Those taking a part in the play have also played in other presentations of merit and the public is assured of a good evening's entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Liesberg had as guests over the week end Mrs. Hutch Adams of Mobile, Ala. and Mrs. O. L. Davis of Meridian, Miss.

Mrs. Geo. A. Ryan and Mrs. Sella Gentry and Misses Geraldine Pratt, Majorie White, Birkley Ryan, and Vera Noland attended the home economic program at Memphis Friday.

Local Banker Is Elected To New Board Insurance Merger

Company Has Many Policy Holders in Clarendon And Donley County

With the announcement of the merger of the National Security Life Insurance company of Wichita Falls and the United Fidelity Life Insurance company of Dallas Friday, also comes the announcement of the election of F. E. Chamberlain, active Vice President of the Donley County State Bank, to the new Board of Directors.

Mr. Chamberlain had been a large stockholder in the Wichita Falls company for some time, and had also served on the Board of Directors being a member of the Board at the time of the merger.

This consolidation creates one of the strongest life insurance companies of the state, with an approximate \$40,000,000 of life insurance in force at this time, and a reserve of three million dollars.

An office will be maintained at Wichita Falls to take care of the large volume of business in north-west Texas as represented in policy holders in the Security Life, many of them residing in Clarendon and Donley county.

The new company recognizes in West Texas a lucrative field for progressive action, and representatives will be placed at every town worth while to take care of that section of the state that is developing most rapidly on a sane and business-like basis.

Les Beaux Art Club Sponsors Prizes For Children

The bird house and feeder contest sponsored by the Les Beaux Arts Club will meet at the Women's Club Room next Saturday, March 21st. All boys and girls of the county are urged by them to enter and have their houses and feeders at the Club Room at 12 o'clock.

Prizes will be announced at 2:30 p. m. The prizes offered boys and girls over 11 years are: Bird house 1st prize \$1.00; second prize, fifty cents. Feeder prizes for this age of contestant will be the same as for the houses.

Prizes for children under 11 years are: Bird house, 1st prize \$1.00 and second prize of fifty cents. Feeder prizes, 1st and 2nd, will be the same as for the bird houses.

Judging will be done on houses and feeders unmounted, but all contestants are urged to mount them later.

Three Percent For Clarendon On Excellent Fire Record

The State Fire Commissioner announces Clarendon as one of 65 towns to be entitled to a three percent credit in key rating during 1931.

Clarendon already had nine percent, and local agents take this to mean that the twelve percent rate will rule the remainder of the year.

This credit is given on the excellent fire record maintained over the preceding year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cornelius visited relatives here over the week returning to Amarillo Sat.

Hedley Folks Stage a Minstrel Show at Lelia Lake

A benefit minstrel show was presented at the Lelia Lake school auditorium Friday night by a number of young folks from Hedley. The price of admission was non-perishable groceries.

Some 180 cans of food was collected and a small sum of money as a result of this meritorious effort. The funds were placed with the Parent-Teacher association to be distributed to the needy.

General Purpose Farming Is Success In Donley County

Farms Old Home Place Where Grew Up And Understands Soil Conditions

Among the successful farmers of Donley county is Elba Ballew, residing on the old home place some four miles east of Clarendon. With the exception of two years when he resided at Lelia, though working the same farm, he has been on the old home place since his ninth year.

In addition to the training received from his father, Mr. L. Ballew, a very successful farmer, the subject of this sketch has been a close student of the practical side of farming all during these years and has become what might be termed an "all purpose" farmer.

Poultry and milk cows are a necessary part of the farm equipment maintained only to supply family needs. The hog question has settled down to two breeds, the stock being the best that he can get.

Hampshire and Durocs are the hog breeds. Deep to crop conditions hogs a plenty are kept on this farm all the year round. Seldom if ever may one visit there when pigs are not in evidence. Alfalfa and rye furnish a hog pasture in addition to grain feeds produced on the farm.

The field crops of maize, kaffir, corn, etc. are grown from certified seed. Improved implements are used and several spans of good mules furnish motor power for all operations.

Nine varieties of certified cotton seed were planted last season for testing. Galaway is given the preference for its dollar yield per acre. Quite a field will be planted to this variety this season and the results again checked up for variation.

The orchard and garden furnish products for canning to supplement the family larder. Meats are also canned and Mrs. Ballew looks well after her part of the farm operations that mean a better living at home with the best foods soil can produce.

While this farm is the property of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elba Ballew own a 480 farm joining the Bruce farm west of town, the place being improved with rent houses. This farm is being paid for while the family home is maintained on the old homestead where the conditions are best understood insuring success and a better chance to overcome handicaps that would cause many a man to fail not endowed with the indomitable will, enthusiasm and energy of Elba Ballew.

Mrs. B. L. Palmer is visiting her son Alfred Palmer and family at Plainview.

Miss Mary Lowe is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Farrer, at Wellington this week.

Credit Men Will Hold First Monthly Banquet Tonight

Committee Announces Meet at Antro Hotel at 6:30 This Evening

Members of the Credit Men's Association will hold their first monthly banquet at the Antro this evening, final preparations being made by a committee composed of C. E. Miller, J. E. Teer and E. P. Shelton.

Dr. W. C. Dickey, president of the Hall County National bank of Memphis will be the principal speaker of the evening. Dr. Dickey has appeared here in a similar role many times before and his suggestions along the line of credit extensions and management of an association of this kind will be of paramount importance.

Secretary C. C. Powell of the local association announces that members and those directly interested in associating themselves with the organization, alone will be in attendance.

Free Lecture On Conservation of Soils Terracing Ideas

Meeting Will Be Held Friday Night in American Legion Room of City Hall

A general invitation has been issued all those interested to attend a free lecture on soil conservation and terracing at the City Hall Friday night of this week, the hour set is 7:30.

Those who will speak include: M. R. Bentley, farm extension engineer of A & M College, A. K. (Dad) Short representing the Federal Farm Loan bank of Houston, and M. E. Oates of the agricultural department of the Fort Worth & Denver railroad.

A collection of slides illustrating the different processes of terracing and allied subjects will be shown.

On Saturday morning following, beginning at 10 o'clock, a demonstration showing best methods of terracing will be given on the H. C. Brumley farm north of the lake and about two miles north of town.

A number of different kinds of graders and tractors will be used in the demonstrations, and possibly some of the county machinery according to plans used at other points on the Denver at similar stops.

According to County Agent, T. R. Brown, the greatest good that will come of this meeting and the demonstration the following day, is the better understanding of the great amount of good that may be accomplished on Donley county farms.

Pre-Easter Evangelistic Services to Begin Sunday

The Pre-Easter Evangelistic services of the First Christian Church will begin Sunday, the minister, Rev. W. E. Ferrell, will have charge of the services and deliver the sermons.

Besides the sermons, a special course of study will be followed each evening. These special sessions are on the general subject of "The Christ Way to Eternal Life." There will be ten lessons in this series and will cover the great question of "What must I do to be saved, and how to stay saved." Several hundred Bible references will be presented to make the points clear and every one is requested to bring their Bibles and note books.

The Sunday subjects, "A Lost Art" and "Be Ye Reconciled to God", will be of great interest, as both messages contain many important lessons.

By a unique arrangement, members of the congregation will be permitted to select the subject of a number of sermons. The plan will be explained at the first meeting.

Car Turns Turtle Friday Near Hedley

While returning from the Hedley-Lelia ball game Friday afternoon, a Buick car turned over this side of Hedley injuring Miss Eula Bess Hill and Miss Ruth Davis, neither of them seriously.

The accident is said to have occurred when an attempt was made to pass another car on a part of the highway where the topping was loose dirt. Miss Hill is a teacher in the Lelia Lake school.

Mrs. Mollie Gray and nephews, Vernon and George Tucker, are visiting in Estes Park, Colorado.

W. P. Cagle returned Monday from Lubbock where he visited relatives over the week end.

Local Delegates Attending Grand Lodge

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Clayton and daughter are visiting in Ft. Worth going down Sunday. Mr. Clayton is attending a meeting of the Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F. as a delegate from the local lodge.

Miss Eula Haley is also a delegate to the Rebekah Assembly which will be in session Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

School Census Being Taken All Over The County

School census takers are covering the county at this time enumerating the children of scholastic age. The work must be completed by April 1st.

Parents of children between the ages of six and eighteen years are urged to cooperate with the enumerators to see that all names are included on the list. If the children are working or even if they are not expected to be in school next year, their names should be included on the census roll.

Each child's name left off the roll will cost that district just \$17.50 in state aid, this money to be used next term. State aid is based entirely on the scholastic rolls.

Oversight should be reported to the County Superintendent of Schools, Mrs. Nora McMurtry if such oversight occurs in the rural districts. If any names are omitted in the independent districts, the matter should be reported to the superintendent of the school of that district.

Rodeo Plans Are Being Made For 4th of July

Arrangements are rapidly being finished for the big two day celebration to be staged in Clarendon on July 3rd and 4th of this year. It was voted at the last meeting of the committee in charge to make all morning events free. A small charge of 25c will be made for the rodeo and races in the afternoon for adults and 10c for children, the committee desiring only to charge enough to meet actual expenses of the occasion.

An announcement of interest to Donley county base ball teams was the announcement that a cash premium of \$50.00 will be offered for the winning team to be played off at the celebration. In arriving at the teams to compete all teams wishing to enter in Donley county are asked to turn their respective scores of games played up to July 1st in to C. E. Killough who is in charge of the baseball events so that a record of your games played may be kept. The best three teams will be selected from the best records up to July 1st in the games played and these teams will play off for the championship of Donley county and the \$50.00 in cash. Any community in Donley county interested should get in touch with C. E. Killough at the Donley County Abstract Co. offices for information on this contest.

Out of county communities at Brice will also be eligible for the competition should they desire to report their games and try to maintain one of the three best records.

State School Inspector Will Be Here This Week

J. C. Griffin representing the State Department of Education will spend this week here inspecting the schools to determine their standing or eligibility to receive state aid.

The schedule as announced by Mrs. Nora McMurtry, county superintendent of schools is as follows: Monday Districts Nos. 1 & 17 and 18. He will visit Districts Nos. 20, 21, 6 and 7 Tuesday, Wednesday morning he will be at Nos. 4 and 23 and at 11 in the afternoon.

Citizens Plan New Building For Antelope School

Citizens of the Antelope school district will propose a five thousand dollar bond issue soon with which to provide funds for a large school building.

In addition to the school building a new teacherage is made necessary to replace the one burned recently.

Clarence Pipe is Again Home After a Visit to his Mother at Marbanks. He was called there due to her illness and reports her improving nicely at this time.

Mrs. M. T. Crabtree and Mrs. C. R. Skinner left Wednesday for Colorado where Mrs. Crabtree will visit her daughter, Miss Obie at the State University at Boulder, and Mrs. Skinner will visit her sons, Hobart and Roy at Bennett, Colo.

Church Workers To Convene Tuesday In Annual Session

Presbyterian Ladies Will Meet Here Next Week in Three Day Session

The 29th annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will begin a three day session at the Presbyterian church here next Tuesday.

The first meeting will be called to order by the president, Mrs. W. H. Schroeder of Dallas, at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. Rev. R. S. McKee will deliver the invocation and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain will extend greetings to the congregation.

Mrs. R. A. Thompson will respond to the address of Mrs. Chamberlain. The principal address of the day will be that of Dr. Wm. M. Anderson of Dallas, one of the leading ministers in southern Presbyterian circles.

Reports of committees will be heard during the morning session Wednesday consuming practically all of the forenoon. In the afternoon Dr. H. S. Springall, Superintendent of Home Missions, will deliver an address on that subject.

Thursday will see the installation of officers by Dr. Gaines B. Hall of Wichita Falls. A number of ladies will deliver addresses during the day on Bible study, and kindred subjects.

Of the local committee women, Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain will have charge of general arrangements, Mrs. R. S. McKee is chairman of musical arrangements, and Mrs. Holman Kennedy is homes chairman.

Chevrolet Salesmen Gather At Amarillo Monday

Meeting in the City Auditorium salesmen of the Chevrolet in this district held a meeting at Amarillo Monday the first of its kind in the Panhandle.

G. G. Kemp of the Clarendon Motor Company is more than pleased with the prospects ahead, and with the information gained from the meeting, Elmer Jones, head salesman and J. A. Pirtle of Hedley was also in attendance.

Luncheon was held at the Herrington hotel where it was estimated that more than three hundred met and the 100-Car Club was discussed in an enthusiastic manner. A more comprehensive report of the meeting is given on another page of this issue.

District Court Begins Session Here Monday Morning

Docket Heavier Than Usual With Several in Jail to Await Grand Jury

With the opening of District Court here next Monday morning, Judge Fries will face a heavier docket than for several years. A number of cases being carried over from last term are to come up for trial this term.

Ten are in jail awaiting final action of the Grand Jury. Charges against these men range all the way from chicken theft up to murder.

Nineteen civil suits have been filed, these to be taken up the first week while the Grand Jury is making a report on investigations of criminal charges. An even dozen criminal cases carried over from last term will also come up for consideration.

As is general over the state, whiskey cases are in the majority. Bert Hall, Joe Dunwoody and Oscar Brown each have cases pending. These are three being charged with complicity in the murder of Ritchie, the Hedley nightwatchman in December of 1927. Hall and Dunwoody are held to answer to burglary charges, and Brown has a murder charge pending.

Mrs. Frank Simmons visited her sister, Mrs. R. E. Koener, at Pampa Friday.

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NOTICE—Obituaries and poetry are published in this paper at the rate of 1 cent per word. A charge of \$1.00 is made on cards of thanks. Stories of deaths and funerals published in time to retain the news value are not rated as obituaries.

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On Bedrock.

The Farm Board has not a Legge to stand on, but it has a Stone foundation.

Relic Missing.

Henry Ford's collection of rare old school books is said to include copies of the McGuffey readers and a blue back speller. What about the stonebruiser? These three were inseparable in the dance cap age.

Political Tasks.

From all appearances, the Republicans are going to have about as hard a time putting Hoover over among the farmers, as the Democrats will have killing prohibition among the preachers and the women.

Higher Learning.

The most sensible thing to be announced by the University this season, is that of the fad of wearing cotton dresses. This may be a fad with the student girls, but it will appeal to the parents as being plain old common sense.

Parental Helplessness.

Parents who have been contending that their offspring should get home before the breakfast hour, are now faced with the statement of a 97-year-old doctor of Rochester, Minnesota that four hours a day is enough sleep for any one.

Some Comparison.

The cell mate of ex-Judge Brady sent up for three years on a charge of murdering a girl, is a man sent up for four years when caught transporting a pint of booze, it is said. No wonder some people kick about the administration of justice.

Front Page Ads.

Some of the weeklies of the state still persist in selling ad space on the front page when they might as well sell inside space. Papers published at Pig's Eye, Bugssuffle, Hell Neck and Ter-rapin Flat might be excusable, but here's hoping that all front pages present a better appearance by the end of the year.

Cause or Effect.

State Press of the Dallas News has discovered the cause of the depression. He says it is due to too much reducing, and intimates that flesh reduction is the form he has in mind. People quit eating and when they quit eating they quit buying.

And all along we had believed flesh reduction to be an effect rather than a cause.

Wrong Time.

East Texas is bemoaning the fact that the oil boom started after the taking of the census and wants it all done over again. That bunch of 'furriners' ever jealous of West Texas development, are seeking in some way to overcome the effect of the changes made in the school geographies that have been changed to tell the facts about the wonderful resources of our section.

Sears & Roebuck Special.

After weeklies have been preaching to their readers for years to trade at home, here comes the Donley County News of Sweetwater with an eight page section devoted to advertising the products of Sears & Roebuck, but the advertisement was placed by the local retail store.

Mail order houses finding that advertising pays, keep it up after planting a retail store in the town.

atic he found old letters written by notables over a hundred years ago. The letters have brought him offers of fifty thousand dollars, as first bid, and more will likely follow.

Communist Logic.

After white girls had objected to dancing with negro men, a communist floor manager of a dance hall in New York City had the dusky dancers evicted. He in turn was given a trial and evicted from the communist party for drawing the color line.

As we understand it, a communist is opposed to all forms of decency and common sense, but we do want to say that this is the first time that we ever heard of one of this tribe doing a good deed.

Buy Home Butter.

Grocerymen state the sale of imitation butter is dropping off. They also say that demand for 'home grown' butter is on the increase. The practice of butter producers coming to town and trading their good butter for imitation butter in order to save a little difference has declined to quite an extent.

Every time you use imitation butter you are knocking some one out of a good butter sale. That applies to the 'trader' as well as those who buy it outright.

Home Made Bread.

The home merchant can make as much retailing bread baked in Clarendon as he can on any hauled in from any other town. The quality of the bread produced by either bakery here is as good as can be had according to a multitude of people who have given the bread a test.

We owe it to our home people to patronize home industry, and more especially where all things are equal. Buy from the people who help support you: roads, schools, churches and who contribute to your benefit collections.

Honesty Still Lives.

We hear entirely too much about people being dishonest. Under conditions prevailing the past few months with hungry people of all ages accepting charity all over the nation, very few have shown a disposition to either rob or steal.

If hunger will not drive a man to commit crime, if dire needs of his helpless dependents will not force him to break the laws of the land, he must be a pretty good citizen. Fully ninety percent of the people are honest, and that number could be increased with a liberal chance at opportunity.

Jack Stricklin, Editor.

Among the best papers on our exchange list, and equal to any state weekly, is the Terry County Herald published by Jack Stricklin

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Jack has a homely method of expression which enables him to put his ideas over in a common sense manner couching his terms in vivid truth. The surface may appear a bit humorous, but the basis of the statement rings the bell with sound judgment.

He has the courage and ability to face facts in an impartial manner and tell his readers why and what he thinks about it. Being broad-minded, it frequently falls to his lot as the publisher of the only paper in the town, to expose conditions that are not altogether to the liking of the accused. But Jack wins out by arming himself with the facts before he shoots.

The smaller towns of Texas in a great number of instances, would be far better off with a man of Stricklin's type at the helm of the local weekly paper.

Political Bunkists.

Austin, Texas just seems to be an incubator for hatching out political bunk. An "Owen D. Young Club of Texas" has found birth in that center of freak political blunders, and is sending out "free space" dope to the weekly papers of Texas in an effort to put the thing over.

Their literature recommends hiring being six feet and two inches in height, dark piercing eyes and a resonant voice.

This reminds us of a story of a young man who enumerated his good qualities to a minister by saying that "he did not smoke,

gamble or drink." The minister eyed the young fellow carefully and said: "Young man, I have a horse that has all those good qualities."

Young is a man of brain, no doubt, or he could not hold the position of president of the General Electric company and other big corporations. This "free space" circular winds up by saying "hat Young is coy and does not want to be nominated." Well why in thunder bother him about the matter?

The IGNORAMUS LOOSE AGAIN

A despicable cur (pardon us, we mean not to slander the canine breed) made the rounds of the town some time during the dark hours Tuesday night scattering poisoned meat in an attempt to kill various home pets. This thing has happened in the past, and very valuable pets of our citizens have been victims of this nefarious practice, however upon this occasion the skunk who perpetrated this low-lived act went so far as to distribute his bait even on the premises of homeowners who keep pets. The result of this was apparent on the morning that followed. A number of valuable dogs were found lying around dead and others reported that they were unable to locate their dogs which were out of the house at night.

A thing of this nature, as we stated, is done in the dark hours of night, and a plot of this sort is hatched in the dark, murky recess-

es of some pervers' mind, a person so devoid of any aspect of manhood or courage that he must practice his wanton and destructive deeds in a sneaking underhanded manner. The very dog to which he administers the poison is of greater principle a thousand times than he, for the dog, usually harms only upon provocation. Were it left to us we would administer some of the same bait to this object masquerading as a man.

Roy, N. M. Record

Enemies of Locust Trees Now On The Increase

Since the courthouse yard is pretty much of a show place, and affords a splendid opportunity to properly judge of the merits of locust and Chinese elm, there has been a number of citizens wondering why the locusts are not totally eliminated and the elm planted in their stead.

The elm placed on the yard two years ago are showing a better growth than locusts, are practically free from insect pests, are handsomer and can be readily trained to any shape of tree. The locust harbors insects galore that will be a positive detriment to fruit as well as shade trees as long as they remain.

In a double header ball game between Lelia Lake and Hedley Friday afternoon, the Hedley boys won over the Lelia boys nine to four. The girls of each school played and again Hedley won by an estimated score of 25 to 10.

Mrs. T. E. Trostle left Saturday for Dallas where she will become a patient in a sanitarium there for medical treatment.

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THE COMMUNITY AND ITS BANKS

By ROME C. STEPHENSON
President American Bankers Association

WHILE upon the individual bankers there rests without qualification the direct responsibility for the prudent, honest conduct of their institutions, nevertheless the soundness of banking as a practical matter of fact is a community problem in which the public has a part to play as well as bankers and government officers who supervise the banks.

In the first place, the assets of a bank, outside its government bonds, consist mainly of loans to business men and of investments in securities created by corporate enterprises. The deposits of a bank are not kept in the vaults as idle cash but are employed in these loans and investments to earn the money to pay the expenses of the bank so that it can render services to its customers and also pay them interest on such deposits as bear interest. If there were no such thing as unsound business men or enterprises there would be no such thing as unsound assets in a bank.

It is of course the unquestioned duty of the banker to choose only sound loans and investments, but the difficulty of such judgment, and human judgment is never infallible, is plainly increased in such times and under such conditions as we have been passing through, with many businesses not making expected earnings and therefore hampered in meeting their obligations. Unfortunately some investments and loans created by persons outside the banks which found their way into the banks in a relatively few instances have reflected the unwise business policies and conditions that became more than usually prevalent in our business activities and contributed to the difficulty of banking. The vast bulk of bank assets, however, are 100 per cent sound above all question.

"Hard Boiled" vs. "Easy" Banker
In another aspect the people of the community have a part to play in maintaining the soundness of their banks, and that is through the medium of patronage. The existence of a bank is dependent on public patronage. If only those banks were patronized in which the most careful policies were practiced and the most conscientious and able men in charge, it would go far toward maintaining the standards of banking. If business men in a community when refused loans by their banks for good and sufficient reasons because conditions are not favorable, thereupon withdraw their business to banks where less careful methods prevail, they clearly contribute to the creation of less sound banking.

Also if, in the heat of competition, a banker offers higher interest rates or more free service to attract customers than the earnings of conservative banking justify, and is encouraged by the patronage of the public as against a more conservative bank, obviously the public is again playing a part in bringing about a less sound banking situation. It is an unfortunate fact that the banker who is strict, "hard boiled" if you please, is liable to be less popular than the "easy" banker, and by that same token the public itself has a voice in influencing the character of banking.

Still again the public can exert an influence in shaping the character of banking by supporting the purposes of bankers to maintain intelligent, independent, honest banking supervision by the public banking departments through insisting that this function of government shall be kept as free from political influence as the judiciary itself and shall be manned only by men of the highest ability and character.

In still another way can the people themselves contribute to maintaining the ability of their banks to meet their obligations, and this is by granting them the fullest possible confidence. As I said, the deposits are not kept as cash but are invested in loans and securities. Even the soundest assets of this type require some time to recover at full value into cash deposits. In many cases of bank troubles the only thing wrong with a bank was an unduly suspicious and apprehensive state of mind in its customers created by no act or condition of its own but by baseless rumors which sometimes led them to destroy the value of their own deposits by demanding them immediately, forcing a bank to sacrifice its assets and otherwise disrupt its operations.

Bankers Help

During the year 1930 the Bankers' Association of Langlade County, Wisconsin, worked out the finances for a cooperative milk plant, which entailed the raising of \$100,000, and also sponsored an active 4-H-Club campaign that culminated in an "Achievement Day" program, in which upwards of 400 young people participated. The increase in the number interested was 200 per cent.

WINDY VALLEY

Miss Altha Knox of Lelia Lake spent Thursday night with Miss Hazel Cole.

Mrs. Kelso and son Jimmie of Wellington visited in the M. A. Josey home Wednesday and visited Mrs. M. A. Josey at the Adair hospital Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Olga Hancock and children returned to their home at Wichita Falls last Monday having spent the week end with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buckingham.

Mr. Virgil Hamm returned to his home at Clovis, N. M. Monday having spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hamm.

Leslie and Inez Skinner were Memphis visitors Thursday.

Misses Vergie Skinner and Agnes Oakley of Clarendon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Vergie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Gray and children Norene and Lloyd of near Hedley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morgan and family.

Mesdames Marion Moore and Beasley of near Lelia Lake visited Mrs. W. B. Morgan Tuesday.

Miss Jo Nelle Stogner is staying with her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Noble at Lelia Lake while her mother is in the hospital.

Misses Nettie Lyons and Oecia Black visited Mrs. M. G. Cottingham of Lelia Lake Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Morris had as guests last week their daughters from Vernon.

Mrs. J. A. Howard of Clarendon visited her sister Mrs. F. C. Paulk Monday.

Miss Mattie Fletcher visited her sister, Mrs. W. T. Durette and family at Claude last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Wells and children spent Tuesday night with the lady's parents at Memphis.

Mrs. Nora McMurry the county Superintendent of Clarendon visited our school Tuesday.

Mr. Clyde Fletcher and family of Lelia Lake moved Tuesday to the house vacated by Mr. Hense Walters and family. We welcome them into our midst.

Several of the men folks of the community met at the school house Tuesday and Wednesday and helped the school boys to clean off the school ground.

Mrs. H. W. Stogner taken sick Monday and was carried to the hospital at Memphis Tuesday for treatment and at last report was improving. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

We are glad to say that Mrs. M. A. Josey who has been a patient at Adair hospital the past 10 days is recovering and was brought home Thursday.

Mr. J. W. Skinner visitor Mr. D. B. Perdue at Hudgins Friday.

Miss Oma Paulk spent Sunday with Miss Erma Lee Penniger.

Mrs. Elmer Gunter and daughter Dollie of Goldston are visiting their son and brother John Gunter and family.

Cletas Stogner of Ft. Worth is visiting his father, Mr. H. W. Stogner. He visited his mother at Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Reeves of Lelia Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Lyons.

Water is Rising to New Level East of Cap Rock

Due to some geological change, water to the east of the Cap Rock in the counties of Eriscoe, Hall and Donley is rising. The water level varies to some extent even right near here.

On the farm recently purchased by M. W. Mosley some two miles northwest of Hedley, the water level is twenty feet higher than it was ten years ago.

On the farm of Judge Alexander 15 miles northeast of Clarendon, the water level has risen to about the same height. Ground that was dry ten years ago is now a marsh with spring water oozing out of it. The original orchard has been killed out by the water rising.

The water level around Lelia Lake is steadily rising, but being on higher ground than that mentioned in the preceding paragraph, the level is estimated to have risen five feet within the past five years.

Wells in the areas mentioned above are not affected except on the Mosley farm. The most noticeable is the spring water, new springs having broken out in places where the ground was on a bench level ten years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitfield Carhart of Greenville spent the week here with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain and family.

ASHTOLA SCHOOL NEWS

On March 11, the Chamberlain School presented a play at the Ashtola School building. The title of the play was "What About Betty," the play was very comical and interesting.

The building was crowded with people and every one present enjoyed the play to the utmost.

The Ashtolians very cordially invite the Chamberlain community back and wish them to attend any social activity that may be given in the Ashtola community.

The Ashtola Basketball girls sold popcorn and candy Wednesday night at the play. The girls have been very busy making money for their club. They are going to buy metal basketballs for each player. The amount they made Wednesday night was \$5.95.

Interscholastic League
The Ashtola boys are training in jumping, vaulting, and running. Some time was spent in preparing the things for vaulting. Much interest is being shown and the boys practice every day.

The students are busy on declamations and spelling. Miss Wilma King has charge of the declamations and is proving an excellent instructor. The juniors and seniors

are working hard on their declamations and are trying hard to win here and in the county. There is some very good material in the juniors especially. The finals in the school will be sometime next week. Senior spelling is under the direction of C. W. Howard; junior spelling under Miss Shook and Miss McMurtry; Sub-junior spelling is under Miss Maxwell.

HEDLEY

Miss Oleta Mann visited Miss Maurine Wood in Clarendon Wednesday.

Hedley Rural Club
The Hedley Rural club met Tuesday, March 10th, with Mrs. Chas. Grimley as hostess. The program on "The Seven Wonders of the World" was presented by Mrs. H. A. Moreman, Mrs. R. E. Mann, Mrs. Dallas Milner, and Mrs. J. M. Everett. It was decided that the members will sponsor the program Mrs. Roy Blanks will lead the program at the next meeting which will be held March 24th at Mrs. Hunsucker, who has invited the club to luncheon on that day. Committees were elected to plan work

for the beautification of the school grounds. Delicious refreshments were served seventeen members and one visitor.

Birthday Party
Mrs. Jasper Shaw complimented her daughter, Jo Ann, with a party Wednesday afternoon, her birthday Games were enjoyed and many lovely presents were received by the honoree. Dainty refreshments were served to Norma Jean, Mary Jo and Billy Hart, Alma Jo Moseley, Betty Margaret Hooker, Billy Frank Davis, Harold Loyd and Melba Jean Clifton, Mattie Irene Strickland, Frank Holland, Jane Ruth Hall, Irene Ellis, and the honoree Jo Ann Shaw. Also Mesdames Wyverne Holland, Ed Moseley, Barney Clifton and J. L. Lamberson.

Commercial Club
Hedley Commercial club held its regular session Tuesday night at the Cooper Hotel. An excellent dinner was enjoyed by twenty-two members and two visitors. Frank Houston of Childress made an interesting talk. J. A. Pirtle reported on the club's "negro minstrel". Frank Finch made a report on the highway situation. Les Hawkins gave a financial report on this subject. County agent Broun gave plans for planting a large acreage of watermelons.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson visited in the W. K. Davis home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Tompson and small son George Parker visited with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clifford of Clarendon Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams of Sunny View and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meaders.

Mrs. Emmett Hutton and children were guests in the J. M. Potter home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cannon and T. W. Hunt of Clarendon were guests of their daughter and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland Sun.

Mr. Herman Dorsett, who was operated on at the N. W. Hospital in Amarillo two weeks ago, has been released and is now at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell in Amarillo and is expecting to come home the later part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelce Robinson and family spent Sunday in the Pat Longan home. Mr. and Mrs. Sed Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Morris were guests in the afternoon.

The young people enjoyed a party in the Hugh Riley home Saturday.

Miss Thelma Robinson was a

guest of Miss Lucy McMahan of Clarendon Sat. night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meaders and children visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin of McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilson of Clarendon visited in the Potter home Sunday afternoon.

Interviewer: I have been informed, sir, that you began life as a poor brick-layer.

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Small Son: "Papa, if I was twins would you buy the other boy banana too?"

Proud Father: "Certainly, my Son" Small Boy: "Well, Papa, you surely ain't going to cheat me out of a banana just because I'm in one piece?"

Mrs. Rose Hall, teacher of the Glenwood school on the Van Eaton farms in her second term, was here Saturday. Mrs. Hall is a leader in community affairs there, a talented musician and may be depended upon at church or other gatherings for the betterment of her neighbors and pupils.

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But when you draw in the hot smoke from a dried cigarette see how flat and brackish it is by comparison and how harsh it is to your throat.

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SOCIETY

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KILL KARE KNEEDLE CLUB MEETS

The members of this club were entertained at the home of Mrs. W. C. Stewart Thursday afternoon. St. Patrick colors being used throughout in decorations. Little Dorothy Ann Kennedy favored with a number of readings and Master Billie Lowe sang a number of songs.

Mrs. Stewart being an ideal hostess, a lovely time was had by the members in needle work and visiting, followed by refreshments. Those present, Mesdames S. W. Lowe, Joe Cluck, W. A. Land, M. W. Mosley, Buel Sanford, Eva Draffin, Van Kennedy, G. H. McCleskey, W. J. Gavene, F. O. Wood, E. H. Noland, F. L. Goldston. Guests were Mrs. G. G. Kemp, Mrs. Holland Baker, Mrs. A. O. Bauer, Mrs. B. N. Shepherd and Mrs. Frank Simmons.

MOTHER'S CLASS IN QUILTING BEE

The "Mother's Class" of the Baptist church were entertained in the home of Rev. and Mrs. B. N. Shepherd Tuesday of last week. The special entertainment was the quilting of a quilt. At the noon hour a turkey dinner was served by the hostess to eighteen guests.

BAPTIST W. M. S. NOTES

The Baptist W. M. S. met in circle meetings last Wednesday with a fine attendance. This week the society will meet in the church with a home mission program. The East Circle will present the program, the South Circle will serve as hostess.

YOUTH'S ROLL CALL DAY

Sunday, March 22nd has been set aside by the B. Y. P. U. S. of Texas as Youth's Roll Call Day. The attendance goal for the state is 125,000 in the Training Service. The goal adopted by the Clarendon Baptist Church is 200. Every one is cordially invited to visit the Union of their choice. Special programs have been planned in each. Likewise a special assembly program has been planned on the theme, "My Flag and its Meaning".

Rev. B. N. Shepherd was called to the bed side of the husband of his only sister, who is not expected to live. The evening service Sunday was taken care of by the laymen. The theme of the service was "My relation to the financial program of my church."

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

March 22, 1931.
Subject: The Dangers of Intemperance.
Scripture Reading and Comments.
The Mirror—Proverbs 23: 29-35—Agatha Taylor.
The College Boy—Daniel 1: 8-17—Bessie Lee Jackson.
A Bible-based Creed—Fay Barnhart.
Introduction—Dangers of Intemperance—Maurine Vaughn.
Dangers in our personal Experiences—Gertrude Shepherd.
Dangers to God's Temples—Harold Phelps.
Dangers in Social Life—Verna Lusk.
The Secret of Overcoming Dangers—J. D. Holtzclaw.
Finally—Carroll Holtzclaw.
Violin Duett—Agathe Taylor, Maurine Vaughn.

B. A. U. PROGRAM

March 22, 1931.
Subject: "The Good Old Days"
Leader: Mrs. Lena Richardson.
Introduction—Leader.
We didn't drink as much in those old days as we now drink—Mr. T. L. Kimbriel.
Prohibition has created a criminal class of "bootleggers" and illicit distillers that we never had in the old days—Mrs. J. T. Warren.
Prohibition originated home-brew and made our kitchens into distilleries—Mrs. L. L. Cornelius.
Our Young people are all drunkards—Mrs. Loreca Wardlow.
In the good old days nobody but a few old preachers ever said anything about liquor, anyway—Mrs. J. W. Deal.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

March 22, 1931.
Subject: Giving the Gospel to our neighbors.
Introduction—Blanche Crabtree.
The "Who-so-ever" Conversation—Hulda Jo Cauthen.
A conversation at a Well—James Headrick.
A conversation with the Scribes—Eddie Wood.

A Centurion's Plea—Mary Frances Dewey.
An Invitation to dinner—Eula Miller.
A conversation with a Tree-Sitter—Iva Melton.
The test of our love—Mrs. T. J. Mann.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

March 22, 1931.
Subject: What America Needs Most.
Poem—"Your Flag and My Flag"—Glennie Deal.
Salute to the Flag—Play—What America Needs Most. Characters.
First Boy—Raymond Hay.
Second Boy—Bobby Leather.
America—La Verne Kimbriel.
Courage—Ruth Warren.
Temperance—Mildred Crabtree.
Preparation—Juanita Cummins.
Love—Frances Fowler.
Service—Truett Holtzclaw.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. H. Morris entertained the Friday afternoon bridge members at her home Friday afternoon. The St. Patrick color motif was carried out in every detail.
In the games, Mrs. Holman Kennedy was awarded high club prize. Miss Mary Jo Chamberlain received high guest prize. Mrs. Sam Dyer cut for consolation.
At the close of the games a lovely two-course refreshment was served to the following members: Mesdames Holman Kennedy, Chas. B. Trent, Floyd Lumpkin, Forrest Sawyer, E. L. Jenkins, Jr., Forrest Taylor.

And to the following guests: Mesdames John Sims, Jr., L. B. Merrell, W. S. Bagby, M. P. Gentry, Sam Dyer, Miss Anna Moores and Miss Mary Jo Chamberlain.

MRS. J. J. GOLDSTON COMPLIMENTED

Mrs. F. L. Goldston and Mrs. Joe Goldston entertained with a surprise party at the F. L. Goldston home Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. J. Goldston, in celebration of the seventy-second birthday of the honoree.

A very appropriate program was arranged for the afternoon. Mrs. Rolle Brumley sang a number of sweet melodies redolent of the childhood days of the honoree, with Mrs. Allen J. Bryan accompanying at the piano.
One number of the program that was most impressive was illustrated by Mrs. Harry Brumley using colored chalk, while Mrs. Rolle Brumley sang "The Tumbled Down Shack."

Master John Carroll Brumley performed the services of "gift bearer" in bringing in the many nice presents for the grandmother and honoree.
A beautiful white cake with violet center piece was presented the honoree on a silver platter, she in turn cutting the cake which was served with a lovely plate refreshment in white and pink. Miniature candles were used for plate favors.
Those present were J. J. Goldston, the honoree, Mrs. L. W. Chase, Mrs. G. A. Anderson, Mrs. M. S. Parsons, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mrs. W. B. Halle, Mrs. H. C. Brumley, Mrs. J. T. Manley, Mrs. Allen

J. Bryan, Mrs. Rolle Brumley, Mrs. J. T. Wilson, and the hostesses, Mrs. F. L. Goldston and Mrs. Joe Goldston.

RITTER-MCCUAN

Joe Ritter, an employee of the J. A. ranch and Miss Mildred McCuan, who has been teaching the Woodburn school near there, were married here Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Holland home.
Rev. McPherson, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated in a beautiful ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hunt were the attendants.
A large number of friends were present at the Joe Holland, Sr. home to wish the newlyweds much happiness. They left immediately on a wedding tour via of Amarillo.

42 CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patman delightfully entertained the members of the "42" Club at their home Thursday evening with five tables. Light refreshments were served following the games.
Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames U. J. Boston, H. B. Kerbow, M. M. Noble, A. A. Mayes, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Sherman, Mrs. B. G. Smith, Mrs. Eva Rhode, Mrs. Richard Wilkerson.
Guests were: Rev. and Mrs. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter, Miss Mantie Graves.

FRANCES ARNOLD HAS BIRTHDAY

Miss Frances Arnold celebrated her 13th birthday Friday night with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Arnold. Various games were played until 9:30 when lovely refreshments were served in the form of cakes and cream. Ten nice presents were received by the honoree.
Guests were Geraldine Pratt, Virginia Butler, Mary Derrick, Kenneth Sherman, Georgie Wayne Estlack, Boyd Wood, Harold McDaniel, Chas. Murphey, Mary Lois Hayter.

1930 NEEDLE CLUB

The members of the club met with Mrs. Marvin Land Tuesday afternoon. During the business session Mrs. Ray Couch was elected as a new president.

A handkerchief shower was given Mrs. Joe Cannon who is leaving to make her home in Amarillo.
Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Vester Vaughn, James Patman, Carl Peabody, Joe Cannon, Turner Kirby, Ray Couch. Guests, Mesdames Richard Cannon, L. D. Carlie, Chas. F. Carlson, W. A. Land.

Each lady brought groceries to contribute to the needy. Mrs. Turner Kirby of Jericho will entertain at the next meeting.

TUESDAY NIGHT BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller were hostesses to the Tuesday Night bridge club at their home Tuesday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant received high score, Mrs. John Sims, Jr. high for ladies and Chas. B. Trent High for men.
A two-course dinner was served carrying out the St. Patrick colors of white and green.
Those present were Messrs. and

Mesdames Fores, Sawyer, Chas. B. Trent, Clyde Price, Ira Merchant, Chas. M. Bell, John Sims, Jr., and the hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller.

ALPHA DELTA PSI

The society met in one of the best meetings this year. Our society room was filled to capacity. Business matters were discussed. The characters for the first play "Pat's Matrimonial Venture", were selected after the following program:
Piano Solo—Lois Strawn
Extemporaneous Talk—Phifer Estlack
Current Events—Helen Smith
Jokes—Billy Dillard

PICKETT-CASEY

The marriage of Miss Roxey Casey and Leland Pickett of Hedley was solemnized at Hollis, Oklahoma Saturday by Rev. Graham, pastor of the Methodist church of that city.
Mrs. Pickett is the popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Casey of this city where she spent her life and where she was educated. She has a large number of friends who wish her much happiness.
The groom is well and favorably known in Hedley where the newlyweds will make their home in the future.

HEATHERLY-SPEED

Miss Kittie Speed and Thomas Heatherly of Memphis were united in marriage by Rev. E. T. Miller, pastor of the Baptist church at Memphis Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Speed of this city where she has lived all her life, and where she has always been a favorite among the young set. She took a leading part in student activities and athletic events.
The groom is in the employ of the telephone company at Memphis at which place they will make their home.

YOUNG MATRON'S BRIDGE

Mrs. Paul Smiley was hostess to the members and guests of the Young Matron's Bridge club, Thursday afternoon. The tables were beautiful with bowls of purple violets and other decorations as a centerpiece.
A dainty refreshment course was served following the games.
Mrs. Roy Ingram received high score, and Mrs. B. C. Antrobus cut.
Mrs. Sam Bra-well, Jr. and Miss Dorothy Elliott were guests.
Members present were Mesdames Sam Darden, Roy Ingram, Carl

Bennett Jr., B. C. Antrobus, J. E. Teer, T. G. Stargel, Lanham Ball, James Halle and Miss Lotta Bourland.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET

The members of this Society will meet in the church parlors Wednesday of this week at the usual hour in a mission study with Mrs. J. G. Sherman as leader.
The Circles met Wednesday of last week in the following homes. Circle No. 1 with Mrs. O. T. Smith 16 members and two visitors present. Mrs. R. Y. King was leader.
Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. J. B. Baird in an all day meeting with a lovely plate luncheon being served at the noon hour. Mrs. Sherman was leader. Mrs. C. A. Burton had charge of the devotional assisted by Mesdames Hoeger and Shelton.
Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. C. D. McDowell, 12 members and 1 visitor being present. Mrs. Cal Merchant led in the devotional. Mesdames Slater, Fink, Estlack and Will Johnson assisted with the program. Mrs. J. R. Bulls became a member at this meeting.

Mrs. W. A. Wilson entertained the members of the Belle Bennett Circle assisted by Mrs. L. H. Johnson, 17 members and 2 visitors being present. Mrs. Y. E. McAdams was leader. Mesdames McPherson

Johnson, Antrobus and Carl Bennett, Jr. each assisted with the program.
The lesson was based on two chapters of the new mission study book.

MISS DOROTHY WHITE ENTERTAINS

Miss Dorothy White entertained with a St. Patrick party Thursday night and six tables of earthquake bridge. Colors of green and white were used in decorations and Shamrock used as favors.
In the games Mrs. Bascom White won low prize and Miss Dorothy Elliott won cut for ladies. Clifford Allison won cut for men.
A two-course salad refreshment was served in green and white at the close of the games.

Those present included Messrs. and Mesdames J. E. Teer, Carl Bennett, Jr., B. C. Antrobus, T. G. Stargel, Bascom White, Sam Darden, Lanham Ball, Misses Katherine Cole, Rhoda Wiedman, Eva Lee Morrison, Gwendolyn Couch, Herloise Burrell, Mary Jo Chamberlain, Lotta Bourland, Dorothy Elliott.
Also Dr. Harter, Clifford Allison, Edley Crabtree and Homer Farsons.
Mr. and Mrs. John Clark had business in Alanreed Sunday.

The Clarendon H. D. Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. M. Acorn, Friday afternoon March 20th.

Mrs. Clarence Whitlock, who has been visiting her parents at Amarillo, returned home Saturday



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Kiddies' Evening Story

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

Squirrel Happenings

"Let's go and see the Gray Squirrel family," said Reddy Squirrel's cousin.

"We always fight," said Reddy.

"Well," said his cousin, "you have just said you want to do something."

"That will be doing something," said Reddy.

"You're quite right," said Reddy. "I'll go, too," said his cousin. "I'd like to have something to do myself."

"I have sat with you for a long time, and you haven't said a pleasant word."

"You have scolded and scolded. Goodness only knows what you have had to scold about, however."

"You have all the nuts you need to last you for the rest of the winter. You've had me, your pleasant cousin, come to chat with you."

"Really you've not had anything to scold about." His cousin grinned, and his eyes twinkled.

He had really been quite amused at the praise he had given himself.

"Now that you suggest a fight," said Reddy, "I can think of nothing I'd like better."

"You're a kind cousin to suggest such a thing."

"But we'll have to get two of the gray squirrels family to fight us now instead of one."

"It wouldn't be fair to have two against one."

"Certainly not," said his cousin, "although it wouldn't be so very unfair to have two gray squirrels against one of us."

The red squirrels know that they can beat the gray squirrels and they are very proud of themselves for being such fighters. Especially because the gray squirrels are a good deal larger.

Reddy and his cousin started off, going from tree to tree as quickly as they could, and running along fences as though they were chasing each other.

Some grown-ups who saw them tearing along said:

"Look at that squirrel chasing the other one."

But it was Reddy chasing after his cousin so they would reach the home of the gray squirrels at the same time.

The gray squirrels were having their supper when they arrived. They were feeding the children who were so sleepy that between each nibble they would fall asleep again.

"We two red squirrels," announced Reddy, "have come to fight any two of you."

But what do you suppose happened then?

The Fairy Queen happened along. She hates fights more than anything and she said:

"Come with me, Red Squirrels, I have a treat of nuts for you."

And she left one of her little helpers behind who gave the gray squirrels a treat, too.

So there was no fighting that day, and every one was the happier.

Instead there was a feast.

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their county agent is a regular feller, and they are ever ready to listen to his advice on better farming and citizenship.

B. L. Blackman and family visited relatives at Littlefield for the week end.

The Chamberlain school exhibited their play at Ashtola Wednesday night. A large crowd welcomed them and the hearty applause caused them to feel their efforts was appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Johnson motored to Arma illo Saturday.

After a seige of cold weather we are glad to note old Sol is again on the job pouring his rays of sun into mother earth warming the soil and bringing the oats to a fine stand and reminding the farmer that gardening time is here. Then too we are glad to note the gentle creeping creeping of the grass everywhere.

V. V. Johnson and family, visited in Ashtola Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Hudson received a message Sunday stating their grandson Harmon Cross of Brice who was operated on some two weeks ago for appendicitis is still in a serious condition and will have to undergo an other operation. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wood of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harter and Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Mill-sap of Hudgins were guests in the Hughes home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson of near Clarendon called in the Noely Hudson home Thursday.

Mrs. Hot of Clarendon visited in the home of her son, Owen for the week end.

Mrs. Richard Dingler visited for a few days last week in the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. Yates.

Mrs. Townson of Clarendon visited in the home of her son Bonnie Saturday.

MARTIN

There was a large crowd at Sunday School Sunday morning. A large crowd out Sunday evening for singing. Every one is invited to attend singing next Sunday evening at 7:30. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Powell as leaders. After singing Sunday evening quite a few of the people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sibley and chivaree the newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Sibley.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Easterling entertained the young people Friday night with a party. A very large crowd present and everyone present reported a good time.

The farmers are all very proud to see this pretty weather. Most every one is busy preparing their ground for another crop.

The Martin Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday March 12 with Mrs. Walter Hutchins with 25 present 4 visitors and 3 new members.

A business session was held after which Miss Buttrill gave a talk on "Furnishing of the living room."

A lovely refreshments was served during the social hour. Those present were Mesdames J. E. Baker, J. D. Wood, J. A. Sowell, J. E. Turbow, Buck Roberts, Noel Harvey, Walter Morcow, West Sullivan Fete Hurn, Davé Patterson, J. H. Easterling, Claud Easterling, Virgil Jordan, J. A. Pool, Miss Buttrill, Miss Polly Sowell, Mrs. Helton.

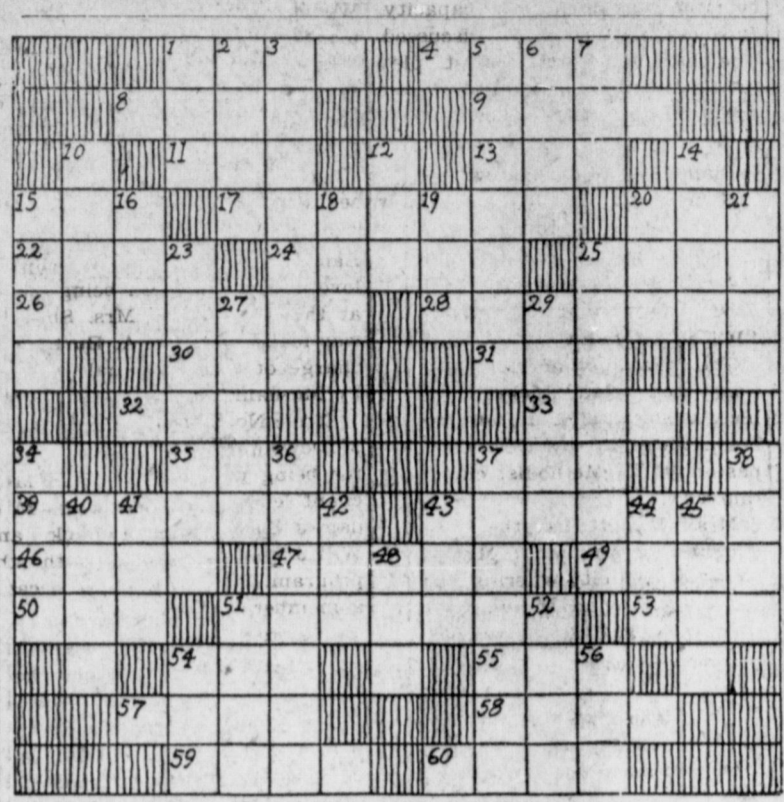
New members, Mrs. Rufus Pool, Mrs. W. E. Hodges and Miss Ima Pittman, Visitors Grandmothers Helton, Mrs. Newlin, Mrs. Don Baker and Mrs. J. C. Wood and the hostess Mrs. Walter Hutchins.

The 42 Club met Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood with the largest crowd present for quite a while. There were between 50 and 60 present and everyone reported a nice time.

Mr. J. A. Pool has been very busy the past week terracing his land.

Mr. Sam Iankersley was called

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE
When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names, abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.



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| Horizontal. | Vertical. |
| 1—Cubes | 1—An animal |
| 4—Hasty | 2—A Greek goddess |
| 5—A girl's name | 3—A soldier's flask |
| 9—Omit | 5—Wishes |
| 11—Liquor | 6—Hide |
| 13—Hole | 7—Strike |
| 15—Assist | 10—Musical instrument |
| 17—Tallow | 12—A flying mammal |
| 20—Tropical fruit | 14—Automobile parts |
| 22—Acts | 15—First man |
| 24—Record | 16—Richard state (abbr.) |
| 25—A state of insensibility | 18—Finish |
| 26—Hinted | 19—A color |
| 28—Highest price | 20—Enemy |
| 30—Prefix meaning not | 21—Way of entrance |
| 31—Deceitful | 23—Severs |
| 32—Fame | 27—Entrances |
| 33—Tree | 29—Fright |
| 35—Blunder | 34—Highest point |
| 37—Cargo (abbr.) | 35—Hears again |
| 39—War horse | 37—Coddles |
| 42—Corporeal | 38—Tart |
| 44—A planet | 40—Trees |
| 45—A Norse god | 41—Barren soil (Scott.) |
| 46—Aids in a duel | 42—Acceptance (abbr.) |
| 48—Capsule of a plant | 43—Male child |
| 49—A beverage | 44—A Russian idol |
| 50—African worm | 45—To decay |
| 51—One who tells untruths | 46—Aquatic carnivorous mammal |
| 52—Quiet | 48—To steep |
| 53—Otherwise | 49—To fasten |
| | 56—A doll |

to Dallas Saturday morning due to the death of his father.

Mrs. J. A. Sowell and Miss Polly Sowell spent Sunday at Clarendon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Walling spent Sunday at Lelia Lake with Mr. Walling parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baker spent Sunday at Taylor with Mrs. Baker's mother, Mrs. Arnold.

Mrs. Clise and Mrs. Ewing from Clarendon spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Baker.

Mrs. I. J. Morrison from Oklahoma City is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B. Catlett.

Mrs. J. C. Wood and Miss Della spent Sunday at Memphis with Mr. Eldon Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Corda Joras returned home the first of last week from Farwell New Mexico where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fricose.

BRICE

Rev. Nelson of Lakeview filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church this week end. There was also Sunday school at the usual hour at both the Methodist and Baptist churches Sunday morning.

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T. C. and Oneata Isham entertained their young friends with a party in their home Friday night. The young people were entertained with card games 42, and music made by Mr. Isham and Raymond Tidwell.

Howard Stewart Vodie Clemons and Jewel and Irene Rhodes of Goldston were guests of T. C. and Oneata Isham Friday night.

The Pirates went to Palaska Monday and played baseball, and they were victorious.

Mr. Morgan Salmon and son, Pat made a business trip to Silverton Thursday.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Duckworth's father of Shamrock who has been sick the last two weeks passed away last Sunday.

Mrs. Duckworth returned to Brice Thursday to continue her teaching in the Brice school. We extend our very deepest sympathy to Mrs. Duckworth and her relatives.

Mrs. Rexrode was called to the bed side of her father at Lefors the fore part of the week.

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—CHURCH NOTICE—

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Judge J. R. Porter, Supt. Worship and Sermon 11:00 a. m.

Epworth Leagues 6:30 p. m. Worship and Sermon 7:30 p. m.

The Methodist Church will begin a revival Sunday March 29th and continue through the week. The pastor will preach each evening at 7:30, and the music will be furnished by the local choir. The concluding service will be conducted Easter Sunday morning. Sunday night of Easter will be observed with the Easter Contata "Christ Victorious" under the direction of Mr. S. M. Braswell. A cordial invitation is extended to the people of the community to enjoy this service of sacred music. This composition begins with the experience of Palm Sunday and depicts the experiences of our Lord during his last week, and concludes with the evangel of Easter.

The attendance in the Sunday School and in the worship hour was larger last Sunday than it has been this year, and our people are invited to attend all services. The prayer services for the next two weeks will be a special preparation for the revival.

The Methodist church extends a hearty welcome to all the people of the community to attend all services.

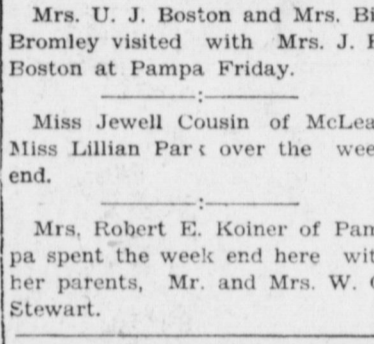
W. R. McPherson, Pastor.

Mrs. U. J. Boston and Mrs. Bill Bromley visited with Mrs. J. R. Boston at Pampa Friday.

Miss Jewell Cousin of McLean Miss Lillian Par over the week end.

Mrs. Robert E. Koimer of Pampa spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart.

The YELLOW PENCIL with the RED BAND



44—A toy
48—To decay
56—A doll

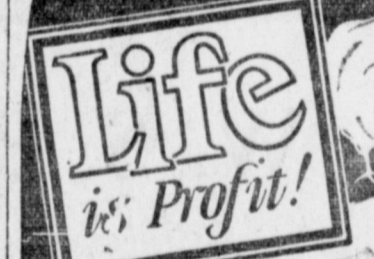
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"CORONADO'S CHILDREN"

The young people enjoyed a party at Mrs. Lena Dill's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Duckworth and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Garrett of Shamrock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nixon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Ford and Mr. Scroggins of the Groom school were here Wednesday with several students to visit our school and to present a trophy won by our Goldston boys' basketball team on February 6th.

His many friends here will regret to learn of the death of Mr. Aixon of Shamrock. He often visited relatives here and made friends wherever he went. His body was shipped to Sherry and buried beside his wife. Our sympathies are extended to the bereaved.

A son and his family of Dallas visited the T. W. Walling family here over the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith and family of McLean visited in the Dyer home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hall and daughter visited relatives in Clarendon over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Connor visited with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Wood and family of Clarendon Friday.

Several from here plan to attend the terracing demonstration near Clarendon next Saturday as advertised in the Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cannon have moved to Amarillo where Joe will be in the employ of an oil company.

Dr. Ruth E. Stocking of Chicago is spending a two week vacation with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Stocking.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock and son Price and Mrs. W. A. Wilson and daughter Miss Jo Veta, and Miss Ruth Hartzog motored to Stratford Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

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ASHTOLA

J. L. Tims made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Lee Ramsay of Tascosa who has been very ill for the past two weeks in the North West Texas hospital at Amarillo was brought to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey Tuesday of this week. She is getting along fine at this writing. The baby is also doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkins Mace and son of Lella Lake visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wallace Wednesday.

Several people of this community are shipping their cream.

We are very glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Clark and children from Tascosa to move in our community. Mr. Clark will be our depot agent.

Work in this community has begun to pick up a little. Mr. Bob Miller of the Chenault ranch is giving idle men and boys of this community work which is appreciated by them. The cry of hard times will cease for a while.

Women of this community have been busy the past two weeks gardening, the plan on raising fine vegetables this year, better than they have for the past several years.

Farmers of this community have just about got all of their land listed, the rain and snow which has been falling lately is putting a good season in the ground.

Mrs. Ira Tharnion and children from Arizona is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graham.

A party was enjoyed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graham. A large number was present. All reported a nice time.

Chamberlain High school presented a play here (Ashtola school auditorium) Wednesday night, free of charge. A large number was there to enjoy it. Visitors from the adjoining community was present. The name of the play was "What About Betty". The community appreciated the kind favor shown by them.

Miss Norma Lee Smith of Pampa is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smith.

Mrs. Fred Grehm of Seagraves is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graham.

SUNNYVIEW

Mrs. D. D. Lanham of Hereford spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Estlack called on Mr. Henry Hutto and Miss Ethel Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor of Clarendon spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Solon Messer and baby and Mr. Gus Rascoe and Miss Ruby Batson of Memphis called on Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts late Sunday afternoon.

Misses Orene Kathleen and Ina Riley and brothers John and Glen attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Riley's Saturday night.

Miss Eula Haley left Sunday night for Ft. Worth where she

will attend the Rebekah assembly I. O. O. F. as a representative from the Rebekah Lodge here which will be in session 16-17-18. She will then visit relatives at McKinney for a few days before returning home.

Mrs. S. T. Clayton with her son Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clayton and daughter, Geraldine left Sunday morning in his car for Ft. Worth, where he will attend the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. session as representative from this Lodge here. Mrs. Clayton and his mother will visit relatives at Weatherford while he is in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Evans and small daughter Mary Louise, spent Friday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and family.

Miss Nannie Mae Behrens has been visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Waggoner for 2 weeks. She and Mrs. Waggoner now have Scarlet Fever.

Mrs. Neal Bogard and children Mrs. Heckle Starks, Mrs. A. M. Lanham were callers in the home of Mrs. Millard Starks last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Knowles of Lella Lake spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Naylor and son of Clarendon, and Mr. and Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey spent Sunday in the home of their parents, Mrs. S. T. Clayton.

Miss Ethel Hutto with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Estlack, attended church at Clarendon Sunday night.

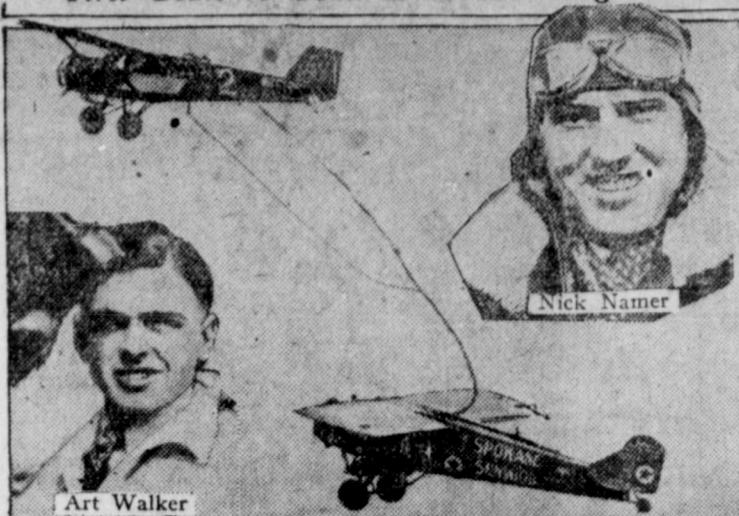
THE FARM LOAN

I took a blood test for one of them here farm relief loans last week and have been in bed since, caused from a nervous breakdown and puncture of my conscience. On applying to the place where all the questions were asked, I was ushered into a room or vault, blindfolded, gagged, handcuffed, and with a chain securely tied about my shins, I was asked or rather demanded, to raise both my hands above my wig, in which position I was forced to swear an oath of allegiance to the cannibals of Borneo, tell all about my movements since the Boston Tea Party, give a complete outline of my ancestry from Benedict Arnold to Jessie James, and answer more questions than were asked by the ordinary wire when the husband comes in late for supper.

I was asked to tell what I failed to raise on my farm for the past several years and who I sold it to. Of course, I had so many thirsty customs that it was impossible to name half of them. I mortgaged everything I had except a decayed jaw tooth and three hills of cucumbers. I took an oath to reduce everything except my waistline, and declared that I would do my damnest to make out with as few clothes as folks usually wear in the bath tub.

The application involved enough red tape to pay off the German war debt at a nickel a yard, and included all the questions the Government has ever had put in print. It was right amusing to watch the trucks back up and load my application to be carried to the post-

First Coast to Coast Endurance Flight



The Spokane Sun God refueling at Roosevelt Field, N. Y., just before it headed back for the coast. The trans-continental endurance plane is piloted by Nick Namer and Art Walker.

Queens of the Air in Women's Derby



I understand that there were several train loads of the things carried off from my community during the first few days, and half the farmers still had not been initiated. If I had all the 'kale' that was spent for paper and ink for the banks, I could put every farmer in America in such splendid financial condition they wouldn't want to farm any more.

I failed to get any sleep for several days after the train carried my application away for fear some Mexican desperado might capture the train and use the paper for gun wadding during the Mexican revolution. I was also afraid that I had not answered several thousand of the questions in the proper manner, and that I might be arrested for false statements and be sentenced to serve a term in Congress. I rolled and tumbled through many restless nights until I was forced to move my bed out of the house and spend the nights down at the barn where the fleas got sore because I wiggled too much for them to get a decent bite. I was very much afraid I wouldn't get as much as I had asked for, and that I'd starve to death before the wea-

very fine and unusually large specimens, was recently uncovered on the Cole farm in Brazos county, about three miles northeast of Bryan, by William C. Manning while plowing. The implements, fashioned from chert, ordinarily called flint, were, with the consent of the owner of the land, presented through Dr. O. M. Ball, head of the department of biology, to the A & M College as museum specimens. Dr. Ball has assembled an extensive collection of relics of early life in this region.

The flint implements, apparently of Indian fashioning include specimens of early spades, hoes and probably axes. The largest, measuring seven inches across and twelve inches in length, was probably used as a spade, Dr. Ball said, and he declared it to be one of the finest specimens of its sort he had ever seen.

How long these crude agricultural tools have remained buried in Brazos County is a matter of speculation, Dr. Ball said. It may have been 500, or it may have been 5,000 years ago when their former owner stacked them together in the neat pile in which they were found. It is rather certain they were imported to this section as the chert or flint from which they were made is not a native rock here, Dr. Ball said. It may have come from the northern part of Texas, in the black land country, probably from Cretaceous formations, Dr. Ball said.

In addition to the significance of the specimens, the find of these primitive implements for tilling the soil is given especial interest by reason of their discovery near the college where agricultural methods far removed from those their owner knew are taught today.

Galli-Curci to Sing Friday Night at Amarillo

Galli-Curci, said to be the world's greatest living female songster, will appear at the Municipal Auditorium at Amarillo Friday evening of this week. Her appearance there some

Political Announcements

FOR MAYOR OF CLARENDON

H. W. Taylor
(Re-Election)
W. P. Cagle

Primitive Tools For Farming is Found In Brazos County

Used Before Farm Board Ever Heard of And Probably Before Boards of Trade

College Station, Texas, March 15.—A cache of primitive agricultural implements, considered by Texas A & M College scientists as

Champion Spellers



Virginia Hogan, right, 12-year-old Omaha girl, winner of the National Spelling Bee at Washington, and Viola Strbac of Milwaukee, who finished second. Miss Hogan won \$1,000 in gold by spelling the word "luxuriance" correctly which Miss Strbac spelled with an "e" instead of an "a" and thereby lost the contest.

she has since builded an even greater reputation as a singer.

J. H. Morris returned from South Carolina Friday to which state he had made an auto tour conveying his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Morris, who will remain there for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Lovell are spending time at Glen Rose for the benefit of Mrs. Lovell's health.

Mrs. D. L. Hukel and daughters, Misses Wilma and Cecil, were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

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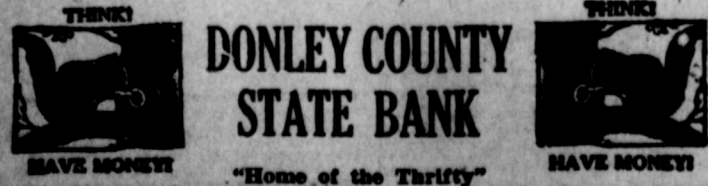
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"Home of the Thrifty"

Temple of Truth
 By the Apostle



Hooray! Won't it be grand when the garden puts out where we can start grazin'?

Reading some California literature the statement is made that "the climate is wonderful with 365 days of sunshine each year. Well 365 is a conservative statement for a California real estate."

We know an old lady here who got her hair bobbed. She doesn't look like an old woman anymore—she looks like an old man.

The most unfortunate farmer this summer is the fellow who can't turn his farm into a miniature golf course.

Curry Powell said he knows some college boys who used to carry gold-headed canes and walk cocky, who are now clerking for a chain.

With the approach of the home brew season, the Apostle is already getting inquiries. The first reader wants to know if children should be given home brew. In reply the answer is no, decidedly no.

In the first place children are bad about breaking bottles. In the second place, company may come in and run you short on entertainment. Make the kids lay off it.

Speaking of home brew, great care should be used in keeping the recipes for making the stuff away from all others. Last year a family got hold of a soap recipe and consumed a ten gallon jar before they discovered the difference.

That Amarillo mineral water beats either soap suds or home brew and we suggest that it be given a trial. It won't do you any harm and likely not much good.

In naming the sponsor of the High School band last week Homer Mulkey was given the honor. The item was dead wrong, it was another lady and her name is Miss Ruth Price.

In addition to being the good-looking sponsor, Ruth also owns the mascot, a pug-nosed poodle that has a face like a well known character that you see on the street here every Saturday, but the dog can't help it.

Charley Bell said some time ago that if he ever got out of town he would stay out, and if anybody tells the truth, Charley does. He hasn't been in town since he moved back to the ranch.

Van Allen Kent is taking a mail order course in "how to overcome timidity." It was believed here for thirty years that he stammered, but he was plain timid. He sells lots of insurance as it is, (adv.) but after he finishes this course and can present his subject better, the other boys might as well go to work for some chain store or filing station.

Sid Geddis says that ever time he sees a man out with his pants on running over a pasture after a golf ball, it reminds him of a jellybean trying to bull dog a steer, and viceversa.

Before the Leader had been mailed two hours last week, two phone calls came in complimenting the "Church Chat" of Rev. Ferrell. Later three came into the office and had their say. Men and women were about equally divided in their praise of his effort on the subject of "Lost—A Boy".

Yes, and that article written by Mrs. Helen Welsheimer on the subject of "A Crown For Mother" brought forth a lot of compliments and requests for extra copies, one as far away as California. If you failed to read every article in last week's issue, look them up.

And don't forget that gifts are always in order and that the Leader will be a reminder of the giver every week. If you want your name withheld, all well and good. Most of them do.

Since the Apostle has been dubbed the "Pote Lariat" of the Panhandle, he is due a whole lot of credit for not writing poetry this week. This garden weather is some fineing great.

Speaking of gardens, more people are planting more stuff this season and more stuff will be canned than ever before. That's what the County Agent claims.

The Canyon museum wants to locate an old-fashioned original boot-jack. Now let's see, jus' what

Panhandle Men Of Chevrolet Agencies Meet At Amarillo

Local participation in a move to bring business back to the level of previous years got under way yesterday when G. G. Kemp, local Chevrolet dealer, was in Amarillo with the salesman of his organization to attend a novel retail sales convention held there for all Chevrolet retail salesmen in the Amarillo Zone.

More than 400 attended the convention, which opened with a luncheon at the Herring Hotel and consisted of a full afternoon of instruction at the Municipal Auditorium. A feature of the luncheon was the installation of officers of the "100-Car Club", a star salesman's honorary organization.

carload of special scenery, and other theatrical equipment including talking motion pictures was engaged to put on the presentation which is said to be the first and largest of its kind to be staged in the automobile industry for retail salesmen.

Mr. Felix Doran, Jr., Chevrolet Regional Manager with headquarters at Dallas, Mr. K. M. Chase, Zone Manager, other members of the region and zone staffs, and a factory representative from Detroit conducted the meeting, which was attended by dealers and sales managers, as well as retail salesmen.

Business sessions in the convention took the form of playlets, in which the factory officials took the part of actors and showed by actual demonstration the correct procedure in any given situation. Instead of lectures, the class of dealers and salesmen had points under discussion emphasized by seeing them presented in a dramatic and effective manner. Every phase of the automobile industry as it affects the retail salesman was included in the program.

The meeting is one of 52 to be held throughout the United States during March.

"The object of the meetings," Mr. Kemp explained, "was to give our retail salesmen a better appreciation of our product which is better and priced lower today than at any time in our history, and to make them better and more energetic salesmen, which, in turn, will

add to the good will of our business and our product, as well as increase our volume.

"By participating in this meeting we feel that we are better equipped than ever to get a larger volume of business from this territory than it yielded last year. Already business is picking up, and by taking advantage of every extra means of adding to our volume we hope to make this spring one of the best years here that Chevrolet ever had.

"The move of our local field officials," he continued, "ties in with the aggressive policies adopted by the Chevrolet Motor Company to bring back business to normal. The automobile industry is the largest user of raw materials in the world, and by bringing out the 1931 Chevrolet nearly two months ahead of the annual schedule, the company was able to put mills to work which had lain idle for months, and to start the ball of general activity to rolling. The iron miner, steel worker, cotton picker and mill hand, the lumberman and glass blower, and the many other employes identified with industries which lean heavily on the automobile to use their products, felt the effects of the early announcement in greater employment and increased output."

District Meet American Legion March 21-22nd

Perryton, Texas, March 8, 1931. Fierce Johnson American Legion Post and the Auxiliary Unit are making preparations for the entertainment of the hundreds of Legionnaires and Auxiliary members who will be in Perryton on Saturday and Sunday, March 21-22 for the annual spring convention of the 18th District. Fifty-three Panhandle counties comprise the district, it being the largest in the state in point of membership.

Among the notables in Legion work who will be present are State Commander Hal Brennan, Laredo, Texas; State Auxiliary President, Mrs. F. H. Carpenter, Sour Lake, Texas; State Adjutant Robert O. Whiteaker, Austin, Texas; V. Earl Earp, Sweetwater, State Membership Chairman; Mrs. Tillman Jones Post, Texas, Fifth Division Auxiliary President; and Major H. B. Gilstrap, regional manager of the Veterans Bureau at Oklahoma City.

Josh Lee, Nationally known speaker and head of the Public Speaking department at the University of Oklahoma will address the convention on "Taking the Profits Out of War." Many other prominent Oklahoma Legionnaires will be present. Perryton, being the

farthest north Post in Texas, will have many Oklahoma and Kansas Legionnaires, and Auxiliary members present.

One of the high spots of the convention will be the Forty et Eight wreck on Saturday afternoon and evening. The Pampa and Perryton Voitures are uniting to make this the biggest wreck of the year in Texas. Open house for all visitors will be held on Saturday afternoon and evening with plenty of entertainment, dancing, etc.

The business sessions of the convention of the Legion will be under the direction of Dr. R. A. Webb Pampa, 18th District Legion commander. Mrs. Van W. Stewart, Perryton, 18th District Auxiliary President, will preside at the Auxiliary business meeting. Major E. A. Simpson, prominent attorney of Amarillo, will respond to the address of welcome which will be delivered by W. B. Irvin, superintendent of the Perryton school system and a Legionnaire.

M. V. Harvey Owns Some Curious Rocks

During the week, M. V. Harvey of this city brought to the Leader office two specimens of petrified bivalves, said by scientists to have been the progenitors of the present day oysters.

The two specimens are perfect showing clearly the shape and size of the prehistoric delicacy as it probably existed millions of years ago. They were picked up on top of a small mountain in Hood county.

His most curious specimen is that of a 'petrified moccasin track

Stomach Troubles Headache and Dizziness

If your stomach is sick, you are sick all over. If you can't digest your food, you lose strength, get nervous and feel tired when you get up as when you went to bed.

For 10 years Tanlac has restored health and activity many thousands who suffered just as you do.

Mr. Daniel Vinciguerra, of 6200 Stiles St., Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have not had a dizzy spell or a headache since taking Tanlac. My nerves are in better shape and I can enjoy a good night's sleep."

Let Tanlac help you too. It corrects the most obstinate digestive troubles—relieves gas, pains in the stomach and bowels, restores appetite, vigor and sound sleep.

Tanlac is made of roots, herbs and herbs. Costs less than 2 cents a dose. Get a bottle from your druggist today. Your money back if it doesn't help you.

kind of an animal is a boot-jack? Oh yes, that is what our fathers put us to sleep with in the "good old days." The last one the Apostle saw was badly worked over and buried under a log corner somewhere in Texas.

Here's Frank Martin of Columbia, Missouri, an old friend of a quarter of a century inviting the Apostle to a place on the program to be delivered before a gathering of the Press Congress of the World at Mexico City in a four day meeting beginning August 10th.

Frank has been notified that if the neighbors will milk the cows and keep the wife's chickens out of the garden, some one will be there that ought not to stay away, and I don't mean Hazel? Habla Vd. Mexicana? Si Senior! Muy bien! Yes, the old think tank still holds a bit of that lingo acquired down there years ago and the palms and sweet singers are calling. Durn the Congress.

Now the next thing is for the family advisors to get busy with "be your age", "remember you got a family" and a lot of other old stuff to take the joy out of life.

Anybody know what will take corns off of 'ees?

Experienced Shine Boy

BILLY WALKER

Newman Barber Shop

Pain Passes Off

When your head aches; when Neuralgia tortures you; when Muscular Pains make you miserable—take a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill.

Mr. Smith is one of millions who have found this easy way to prompt relief. He says:—

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THE UNITED STATES RUBBER COMPANY
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With the Big Swing to U. S. Tires sweeping the country, the United States Rubber Company finds it essential to provide motorists with adequate facilities for the purchase and service of U. S. Tires.

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Particular almost to excess, we feel confident that you will receive the prompt, courteous attention buyers of U. S. Tires have every right to expect. We feel complimented because this dealer has, after much research and thought, selected the United States line of tires—tires made by the world's largest producer of rubber.

This very volume is permitting us to build the finest U. S. Tires in our history . . . and at lower prices than ever before. All over the country, on all kinds of roads, under all conditions U. S. Tires are establishing new records for performance—mileage—dependability—economy.

All U. S. Tires have that extra margin of safety so essential to modern driving conditions. Easier steering—quicker stopping—faster acceleration. Truly, tires apart in appearance, in stamina, in extra-long safety mileage.

Whether you select the Royal Master, the U. S. Royal, U. S. Peerless, or U. S. Royal Heavy Service, you will benefit from extra quality at no additional cost.

And now—you, in this community, have the supreme combination of such a quality product plus the efficient service of the local U. S. Tire dealer to assure you of lowest cost per mile, complete satisfaction, and freedom from tire trouble.

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THE BIG SWING IS TO U. S. TIRES

Evelyn's Elephants Won for Her

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

WHEN Evelyn arranged her elephants in the bay window of the new house she had not supposed they would attract so much attention from passersby, but felt that the wide easement shelf had just been made for them.

One elephant for each of the five windows; the Chinese bronze in the middle, flanked by the big brass ones from Malras and on the far windows the great teakwood beauties from Bombay.

"They do look sweet!" she exclaimed ecstatically, "don't they, Mother?"

"Fine," agreed Mrs. Ward, "but you certainly would think it was a live zoo from the way people stare at them."

It was the interest of the children that amused Evelyn most—their beautiful lack of self-consciousness and unceasing delight at the bulky elephants prevented her from taking them from the window.

It was apple-cheeked little Danny, a lot of four or five years, who seemed to make a daily trip just to feast his eyes on the elephants.

Evelyn and her mother began to watch for the youngster.

"I expect, in his mind, he's staking wild game in the jungle," laughed Mrs. Ward. "I hope some thoughtful uncle hasn't given him a popgun, or we will have a broken window one of these days."

"He is ducky, though," said Evelyn, who was conscious that her eyes roamed to the boy's father.

"Yes, it is a pity that all of the nice men here are married," Mrs. Ward answered her daughter's unspoken thought. "We might kidnap the wee boy and perhaps find out if there is a twin brother."

"There couldn't be two such simmers," sighed Evelyn.

And, because truth is often stranger than fiction there were two of them, and they were as like as two thistles from the same bush. So much so that Danny sometimes mistook Uncle Dave for Daddy and vice versa. In fact, Danny never quite remembered whether it was Daddy or Uncle Dave that suggested his calling on the lady who owned the elephants.

"She wouldn't mind a bit—showing them to you—not if you say please."

Consequently, the very next afternoon, when Evelyn and her mother were having a cup of fragrant coffee and some freshly made doughnuts they were amused to see the sturdy four-year-old trying to reach the knocker on their front door.

When Evelyn opened it, he looked up with a most engaging smile and walked in before she could even invite him.

"I've come to see the elephants, please," he informed her.

"Well, now, that's a nice friendly little chap," she said, and was charmed to see him drag the cap from his sunny head as he came in. "You shall certainly see the elephants—lots of them."

Half an hour later he had all the elephants on the floor and he and Evelyn were sitting among them having a long parade around the edge of the rug.

So engrossed were the two on the floor that they hardly realized there had been a knock at the door, that Mrs. Ward had answered it, and that now a big man was standing looking down at Danny, Evelyn and the elephants, but mostly was he gazing at Evelyn. If there was the look of one who had maneuvered successfully in his eyes, no one for the moment was aware of it.

"You young rascal," said the man with a laugh in his voice, "we've been scouring the countryside for you." Which was quite untrue, since no one in the household knew that Danny was anywhere but in his nursery—at least no one but Uncle Dave.

"I came to see the elephants," informed Danny.

"Please don't scold him," cried Evelyn, "we love having him here. Mother," she said, turning to Mrs. Ward, "perhaps Danny's father would like a doughnut and a cup of coffee."

"I was just about to offer it," Mrs. Ward arose and went to reinforce the doughnut dish and get the coffee.

"But I'm not Danny's father," said Uncle Dave, and did not fail to see the lovely something that leapt into Evelyn's eyes. "I'm his uncle, twin brother of his Dad. And I may as well confess, first as last, that I told Danny he might call on you to see the elephants—excuse me, elephants."

"But why?" inquired Evelyn with the softest of colors mounting her cheeks.

"Because," said Uncle Dave, "I had seen you in the window and in the garden doing gentle things to budding flowers. I wanted desperately to know you and your mother, and that seemed the only way. It really wasn't such a bad idea—was it?"

"I wonder," mused Evelyn with mockery in her eyes, "whether it was Danny's father or his uncle that mamma and I rather fancied as he walked past the house?"

"We're twins," laughingly answered David, "so what's in one is bound to be in the other."

"You win," said Evelyn.

"Loans 'on Call"

Call money is borrowed for an indefinite period. It is a loan that is made with the specific understanding that it will be paid when it is called. The interest is figured each day, as it is subject to change from day to day. This type is used mostly in stock market transactions.

A Five Passenger Coupe Is Chevrolet's Latest Attraction

A new body style, the 5 passenger coupe, has been added to the 1931 line of Chevrolet Sixes. V. J. Knudsen, president and general manager, announced this week.

The new model is Chevrolet's latest addition to its deluxe line, another of which, the convertible cabriolet, was brought out early in January, an, through which Chevrolet is establishing a new order of quality, luxury and individuality in the low priced field. The new type, which brings the number of passenger seats in the Chevrolet line to eleven, is priced at \$595 f. o. b. Flint Mich.

The 5-passenger coupe is of the 2-door, close coupled type with the sport treatment carried throughout. Body is by Fisher. Finish is in new Duco combinations of ember gray on body, with Cooperation green wheels, and the roof and rear quarters in Sheffield green. The trim stripe is cream.

Interior arrangement is practically the same as that of the 2-door sedan, affording abundant leg room for all passengers. The front seats are separate, the driver being adjustable persons comfortably. The three hinged door is exceptionally wide, permitting easy entry for passengers.

The interior appointment are of the deluxe type throughout. The upholstery is optional in Bedford cord or mohair. The instrument board is especially designed. There are arm rests an assist cord on the right side, ash tray and curtains on the rear side and rear windows.

Exterior treatment is in keeping with the interior. A package compartment in the rear deck has a large capacity and is easily accessible. Radiator grille and bowl light in chrome plate are used. Chromium plating is also freely employed on headlamps and other exterior hardware. The regular Fisher VV windshield is used. Five wheels are standard equipment with the spare carried in the rear.

The new model is now in production and dealers throughout the country are being stocked for immediate delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Kirby attended the Ft. Worth stock show.

Braswells In Narrow Escape When Car Hit by Freight

Coming upon the track in Pampa late Friday evening, Sam Braswell, Sr. was suddenly confronted by a freight backing on a side line. He turned his car down the track and narrowly escaped with the loss of his fenders and other damage. It was necessary to procure another car to get home. No occupants of the car were injured.

Senior Class Play Pleases Large Attendance

The play "Applesauce" as presented by the Senior Class Friday night proved a big hit, and as usual, merited a large audience than was present.

The play was presented in three acts and the cast included those as announced in the Leader last week. Several good stunts were sandwiched in between acts of the play bringing forth much favorable comment.

Short Course at Canyon April 28th

The Canyon College will sponsor a short course for C. H. D. club women of this district April 28th, at the College.

While this course will be for the benefit of the women folks, the men interested are also invited to attend.

Meals will be served at the college cafeteria, and those remaining over night will be cared for in the dormitory.

Smudge Pots Are Kept Going to Save Peach Crop

During the past week on the coldest nights smudge pots were kept going in the orchard of Judge J. J. Alexander whose farm is located about 15 miles northeast of town. Over two hundred gallons of crude oil was consumed in the effort to keep the blossoms from freezing.

Almost all the fruit was saved, the percent of loss being very small. The Judge has a nice vineyard in addition to the regular orchard containing a variety of fruit trees. Clark Alexander is living on the place.

OUR WEEKLY CHURCH CHAT

'To obey is better than to sacrifice'
Our Lord refused to accept any substitutes for obedience. Mere profession of lip service is repugnant to Him. "Why call me Lord, Lord, and do not the things which I say?" (Luke 6:46). "If ye love me ye will keep my commandments," (John 14:15).

Men appear to think that the contemplation of God's will atones for disobedience; that the study of truth serves in place of treading the path of duty. Such cannot possess absolute assurance, for it is those who "willeth to do his will that shall know of the teaching, whether it be of God" or not.

Obedience ensures knowledge of God and truth. He who does God's will, feels the touch of the Father's hand, and the thrill of a new found joy, for "if ye know these things, blessed are ye if ye do them" (John 13:17).

Absolute submission to divine authority is needed. A soldier who refuses to obey orders is disciplined, yet somehow men expect leniency who flout the authority of Heaven, and refuse to obey their God.

A soul sincerely obedient will not lick and choose what commands to obey, and what to reject, as hypocrites do. "Whatever he saith unto you do it." "Behold to obey is better than to sacrifice."

The greatest desire of man is that he might inherit eternal life. Multitudes are earnestly inquiring, what they must do to be saved.

God's greatest desire is that man might be saved and live with him eternally. To make this possible for man, God sent His Son Jesus Christ into the world to reveal the plan of salvation, and to make known God's commandments and conditions concerning eternal life and redemption. Christ spent three and a half years instructing a class, who in turn were instructed to "go into all the world" and teach others. The Apostles were obedient to their commission, they preached the gospel, the church was established and men were given instructions on how to carry out God's commands and desires. Men were told they could find salvation and eternal life by obeying the commands of God. The church was organized to keep that plan and program perpetuated, until He returns. It is the Church's task to teach God's commands, and it is man's duty to obey them.

W. E. Ferrel, Minister, First Christian Church, Clarendon, Tex.

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Cut Worm And Grasshopper Poison For 5 Acres

Coarse Bran — 25 lbs.
White Arsenic — 1 lb.
Amyl Acetate — 1 oz.
Sorghum Molasses — 2 qts.
Water sufficient to make a moist mash as explained below.

Mix the bran and arsenic together thoroughly. Dilute the amy acetate and molasses in about two gallons of water. Pour this mixture of liquid over the bran and arsenic mixture and stir until every particle is moist. Then make further additions of water and mix until the mash is quite moist, yet so it will fall apart after being tightly squeezed and so it will readily sow broadcast.

Subscription Renewals Are Being Made Promptly

It is with a source of satisfaction that we announce the large number of volunteer renewals being made, and the number of new subscriptions being received at this time.

Considering the times, we are more than pleased with the number of gift subscriptions being made at renewal time. Eleven gift subscriptions were made over the week, of this number, nine will go to people living in the county.

Qualifications Necessary To Vote in City Election

Qualified voters in the City Election, include:

All persons over 21 years of age who have resided for one year in the state and six months in the county and city next preceding the election, provided that all men over 21 and under 60 years of age shall have paid a state, county and city poll tax prior to the first day of the preceding February, and all women shall have paid a state and county poll tax prior to the first day of the preceding February.

All persons over 60 years of age on the first day of January of the year preceding the election and all persons coming 21 years of age after the first day of January of the year preceding the election are qualified voters without the payment of a poll tax. Women are required to pay a state and county, but not a city poll tax in order to vote at a city election.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Carhart of Greenville who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain, returned to Greenville Monday of this week.

Florida's Famous Congresswoman Sponsors Debut of Audition Winner



Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, member of congress from Florida and daughter of the late William Jennings Bryan, with Benjamin De Loache, young baritone winner of Atwater Kent Radio Audition honors. Mrs. Owen launched De Loache on a career as a concert singer with a recital in Washington before cabinet officers, diplomats, Supreme Court justices and other dignitaries of official and social life in the nation's capital.

Herself a musician and sponsor in her state for the National Radio Audition, she has ambitious plans for a future concert and possibly operatic career for this South Carolina boy. She regards his baritone voice as a really remarkable "find" and arranged the special recital in Washington in order to re-emphasize his talent on the attention of the nation's music lovers.

Charity Aids Are Discussed By Lions Tuesday Luncheon

Crippled Children And Many Food Contributions Are Announced Over Week

Lion Trostle led in taking cripples to the Amarillo clinic last week when he took a lady and a child from Wheller. Bettie Laverne Rampey was taken up for an examination from here.

The lady from Wheeler could not be helped but the babe, a victim of infantile paralysis can be given assistance it is believed. Bettie Laverne will be taken to the Shriner's hospital at Dallas for treatment.

Lions Trostle, Watson and Stricklin are on the cripple relief committee.

Lion Nored reported about \$30 cleared on the Little Theatre play. Another play will be given soon to further supplement payments on the curtain.

Lions Mulkey and Caraway gave a report on Red Cross work. The subject was further discussed by

Lions M. W. Mosley, W. H. Patrick and C. J. Douglas.

Lion Boykin announced the Legion play for Friday night and insisted that the presentation be given every consideration, and that it was purely a benefit play to raise funds for the needy.

Guests for the day were Rev. C. E. Bowen of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Bowlin and Joe Bownds.

Lelia Parent-Teacher Will Meet Friday Night

Members of the Association and friends of the school are urged to attend a meeting to be held at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

The subject for the program is "Educational Progress". Miss Nora McMurtry, county superintendent of schools, will be present.

Lee Holland attended a district sales meet of the Magnolia agents at Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Gibbs, popular teachers of the Martin school, were here Saturday shopping and talking school matters.

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Meeting of Seventh District Federated Women's Clubs

The federated clubs of the Seventh district which includes this county, will meet at Memphis April 13, 14, and 15th.

A luncheon will be given at the home of Mrs. Chas. Kinslow a noon of Monday, the first day of the meeting, honoring the state and district presidents and district chairwomen.

At five o'clock the same evening, Mrs. R. S. Greene will entertain representatives of all the clubs with a seated tea.

Tuesday morning the convention proper will open with the Rebekas serving the luncheon at noon. Luncheon on this and the following day will be held in the Educational Building.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hardy and daughter Mary O. Childress visited here Sunday with Mrs. Cousins and daughter and other friends.

Miss Mary Stocking of Pampa visited homefolks this week end.

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LOST

LOST—100 lbs. of corn meal. In sack with J. O. E. in red letters. Return S. W. Endsley. Phone

WANTED

WANTED—Washing at 5c a pound, clothing, quilts or blankets. Across the street from the Lee Morrison home. Mrs. Mollie Jordan. 49ftc.

FOR SALE

Modish and becoming hats made from your material or ours, in our home. Phone 206 for appointment. Harned Sisters, Expert Milliners. 1ftc.

BABY CHICKS! Two weeks old, 12 1-2 cents. Baby chicks from incubator, 10 cents. N. M. Hornsby Hatchery, Lelia Lake, Texas. 3c

FOR SALE—Kaffir bundles with heads. 3c per bundle. 14 miles south of Claude. J. A. Scoggins. 2pdt.

TRADE—Good city property for good cotton land. P. O. Box 61, Clarendon, Texas. 41ftc

FOR SALE—Good milk cows. See E. M. Ozier. 54c

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished as desired, a 5 room house with bath-room, hot & cold water throughout house. Servants room and garage, large grounds with many fruit trees. If interested see A. M. Beville. 53c.



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Imagine yourself setting out to do the morning's shopping under such conditions. You'd drive down the street, looking in windows for the articles you needed—the brushes for Johnny, the half-dozen bath towels, the toilet soap. You'd stop, ask questions, examine the towels, smell the soap, wonder if here was your money's worth or if you might find something better farther on. And though you followed this procedure mile after weary mile, you could never be sure.

Computed simply in terms of gasoline and tires and shoe-leather, advertising saves you a startling sum every year. And if you add the value of your time, the amount is vastly increased.

When you buy a product that is advertised you know in advance what you will get, how much it costs and where you can obtain it. That is why, in millions of modern homes, the newspaper advertising columns are a daily guide to purchases.

Read the advertisements in the Leader, decide what you need, then buy with assurance.

LET ADVERTISING SAVE YOU TIME AND MONEY

The Donley County Leader