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A Common Paper for Common People

PATHFINDER CLUB WILL MAKE CITY LIBRARY DRIVE

The Pathfinder Club Sets Saturday For Book Drive And Silver Tea Serving

Plans have been under discussion for many months whereby the Pathfinder Club hoped to establish a city library due to the big demand for reading matter. Saturday has been selected for the big drive for books which are badly needed more and more as time goes on. All those who can contribute books, are kindly requested to bring them to the Woman's Club Room in the municipal building from 2 to 7 Saturday afternoon. A silver tea will also be served during these hours.

It is the sincere hope of the club to establish a city library thus extending the scope of usefulness of a much needed municipal necessity.

From a humble beginning in a small room of the City Hall December 1, 1924, with less than a hundred books, the capacity has increased to more than one thousand volumes. The first call met with a ready response from a small number. Both books and money were contributed. That loyalty has remained all these years with an increasing membership.

Under the present rules, one dollar a year is charged each family and the office is open only one day each week—Saturday afternoon. This rule has been rigidly adhered to for the four and a half years. The books have been eagerly sought by large numbers, read and reread, mended and remended until some of them have become practically useless.

No one but the librarian, Mrs. C. A. Burton, can realize the demands made upon this service. Both money and books have been contributed from time to time but never in sufficient number to meet the demands.

The Librarian has secured names from the teachers of English afterwards supplying books so far as the means would permit. Many people far out in the country have availed themselves of the opportunity afforded them by the library.

At this time the cry goes out for books! books! Any kind of readable books! The members feel that this cry for help at this time will not be in vain.

POULTRY PRODUCTS DONLEY COUNTY'S WEEKLY PAYROLL

Poultrymen Profit When Industry is Given The Proper Attention Daily

Poultry products were given little notice ten years ago in this section. Only when the good housewife needed a little pin money did the average farmer bring eggs to market. It is quite different now. Not only are eggs marketed in quantity, but they are of a better grade, bring a much better price, are sold to a public hatchery as well as a merchant.

Some of our very best and most industrious and successful farmers began selling eggs to the local hatchery in early winter and continue to do so. The hatchery man required pedigreed eggs and found a ready market at a good price for the chicks. A large number of farmers have paid the hatchery for hatching eggs instead of using the hen method. Others have bought chicks outright by the thousands.

The local hatchery and produce men have paid out over \$7000.00 for eggs since the first of the year. This does not include grocery men and others who have bought this product direct from the producer.

Frank White, Jr., owner of the local hatchery, states that he has paid out over \$1100.00 for eggs to Kinch and D. E. Leathers alone since the first of the year. E. V. Quattlebaum has sold his entire output of pedigreed eggs to the hatchery on a contract basis this season. Walter Goldston sells an average

HEDLEY SCHOOL BONDS CARRIED SEVEN TO ONE

Urgent Demand For School Facilities Meets With Ready Response

Citizens in and near Hedley are rejoicing over the bond election of last Saturday because they carried and also because it showed what can be accomplished by united action. The vote went about seven to one for the bonds which will create a fund of \$45,000.00 for the purpose of erecting a high school building.

During the past season a large number moved to town to send their children to school. This added to the natural population over crowded the facilities to such an extent that more building is necessary before the beginning of the next term.

With the good record made the term now closing, many more people will want to move to Hedley for school purposes and it is that that the new building will be well occupied from the beginning of the next term. The town has shown a greater growth the past year than for the past ten all put together, according to citizens who have lived there for that length of time.

HEDLEY FATHER AND SON BANQUET MONDAY NIGHT

A father and son banquet was held at Hedley Monday night at which E. B. Mace acted as toastmaster. District Scoutmaster I. E. Jolly led in singing father and son songs. Rev. Brooks welcomed the visitors in a convincing talk to which J. R. Porter of Clarendon responded. The meeting was then turned over to A. L. Chase, who addressed the crowd. Speeches were made by O. C. Watson, Sam Braswell, W. H. Patrick and I. E. Jolly urging the formation of a Lion's club for Hedley. A committee was appointed to work out plans for the Lions movement in Hedley.

The meeting was held in the Baptist church and the lunch was served by members of the E. Y. P. U. Over eighty were in attendance and much enthusiasm was reported by those attending.

District Conference Will Be Held At Shamrock

Preparations have been made at Shamrock to entertain 100 ministers who are expected to attend Clarendon District Conference there beginning Monday of this week extending over until Thursday.

Shamrock will entertain the various pastors of the Methodist churches as it does all other organizations meeting there by giving them a royal welcome and making their stay as pleasant and profitable as possible.

Republicans Will Confer At Amarillo Wednesday

Republicans from this section of the Panhandle have been invited to gather in Amarillo Wednesday of this week for a party conference. R. B. Creager and other leading Republicans of the state will be present. Party measures will be discussed followed by a banquet.

In addition to the regulars, all precinct chairmen are urged to be present as early in the morning as possible according to the announcement of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stice of Brice were pleasant callers at the Leader office today. They report a fine rain and conditions for a bumper crop good.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reeves were in Amarillo Sunday.

Age of three to five cases of eggs of thirty dozen each week. Walter Lowe, W. T. Lowe, Bill Hardin, E. L. Blackman and J. A. Meador are among the largest producers of eggs for the local market.

Poultry sold at a higher price last Tuesday than for several years when hens brought twenty-five cents per pound and fryers thirty-five cents per pound. This high price is due in part to the keen competition of produce dealers each eager to get the business.

TEN DAYS CLEANUP PERIOD WILL BE OBSERVED HERE

Friday and Saturday Will Be Boy's Cleanup Days In The Big Drive

Mayor H. W. Taylor has designated the ten days between May 15th to 25th as Clean-Up Day in Clarendon. Arrangements have been made whereby the city will transport all trash away from your premises free of any charge. Simply collect it in a convenient place and notify the city office.

The younger generation will be given the days of Friday and Saturday of this week in which to demonstrate their skill along the more sanitary lines. Boys trained in Scout work and otherwise, will all be given the same opportunity and no one will be disappointed in their efforts.

Clarendon has always taken a pride in cleanliness and this effort will be up to par when the job is completed. Tourists have already begun to come our way and citizens wish to have their home town spic and span that the traveler will get the best impression possible.

Our home town has been designated as "The City Beautiful" over the southwest because of our trees, flowers and beautiful lawns. Along with the cleanup period, many are planning on making needed repairs to their property. Many have expressed a desire to brighten their property with paint, and more especially since the rain has settled the dust and the winds have practically ceased to blow.

All boys who can make it possible, are invited to join in the parade on the main street at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon at which time a parade will be staged headed by the band followed by the fire truck and all the cars possible to collect. The boys will be divided into four groups after the parade and directed to their respective sections for the grand cleanup service. The town is reasonably clean and every one is assured that there will be plenty of help, no great amount of work, and a general good time.

NOTED SPEAKER IS TO LECTURE HERE WEDNESDAY NITE

Noted Educator Secured For Closing Exercises of Junior College

Dr. W. A. Jackson, one of the outstanding speakers of the state, will deliver the commencement address for the college graduates Wednesday night at the College Auditorium at eight o'clock. Dr. Jackson is now head of the Government Department of Texas Technological College at Lubbock. He was formerly a professor at Baylor University. He is an outstanding scholar, holding degrees from Baylor, The University of Chicago, and Iowa University. The college feels particularly fortunate in securing his services for this occasion.

MARINE OIL TEST NORTH OF TOWN IS MAKING PROGRESS

No New Handicaps Bob Up As Well Reaches Near 1800 Level

The Marlen oil test some six miles north of town is now drilling near the 1800 foot level having passed the quicksand stratas last week. The drillers are very optimistic over the rapid progress being made at this time.

This is the first magnetometer test in this section of the Panhandle being worked out by H. C. Forster who spent some time in this section before the final location was decided upon.

Mrs. H. Lott and children, Majorie and Billie, spent the week end with Mrs. Will Lott.

GREAT ENTHUSIASM GREET'S LEADER'S BIG PRIZE CIRCULATION CAMPAIGN

Over \$2,000 In Valuable Prizes Will Be Given Away Free June 29th, In The Donley County Leader's Circulation Campaign

NAMES	TOWNS	VOTES
Eula Allen	R. F. D.	5,000
Margarette Christal	Lella Lake	5,000
Glady's Egan	Hedley	5,000
Mrs. Dora Mays	City	5,000
Mrs. Earl Lynn	City	5,000
Ruby Moffitt	City	5,000
Lois Strawn	R. F. D.	5,000
Jessie Swinburn	Ashtola	5,000
Lella Waldrip	Brice	5,000
Bernice Webb	City	5,000
Mrs. W. A. Wilson	City	5,000
Georgia Wilson	Groom	5,000

This arrangement is in alphabetical order, each contestant starting on equal terms with the 5,000 nomination vote.

They are off in the Donley County Leaders big prize subscription campaign. Each and every contestant starts with the race on equal terms with the 5,000 votes given to each person with the nomination free votes coupon.

As would be expected Clarendon, takes the lead with it's many entries, while several of the outside communities will have their representatives.

Needless to say the prize subscription campaign will go over big as present indications show, while at the same time those now busy gathering votes report a kindly feeling from the public in general. That of course is a natural conclusion when taken into consideration the value of the handsome awards to be given June 29th, a few weeks hence.

All the prizes are now on exhibition and have been seen by hundreds of people. The contest is of opinion being, it's little wonder at all the enthusiasm displayed by the Miss and the Mrs. having their names.

When one thinks that a \$1215 New Dodge Brothers Sedan can be had just for their spare moments, it's reasonable to presume that others will enter their names. "Winner's never quit" "Quitters never win" will be the slogan among the merry workers, and rightly so as the Leader announces there will be no losers.

The Leader has announced there will be five handsome prizes to be given away and at the same time the Leader also states that 15 per cent will be given to those not receiving one of the five gifts as surely there can nothing fairer advertised.

when taken into consideration the opportunity you have in receiving the \$1215 New Dodge Brothers Sedan.

While it's true that only one person will be the happy recipient of the New Dodge there are other prizes to be equally appreciated. The R. C. A. Radio now on exhibition with Kerbow and Son's, is a real gift to be sure. \$575 is the retail value placed on it by Kerbow and Son's, local representatives for R. C. A.

Your Donley county Leader spared no expense in their selection of these gifts, each and everyone will be a lasting memory of the merry day's you spent during the few week's of the prize campaign.

One never knows what their success will be in any undertaking till they have at least tried, there is no real obligations attached to you entering your name and there is still time for you to enter. Your friends will be as legion as the friends of other contestants.

Hollands Celebrate Mother's Day With Sunday Dinner

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holland, Sr. was the scene of much merriment Sunday when relatives and friends gathered honoring Mrs. Holland in the observance of Mother's Day.

A lovely feast was spread for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beaty of Memphis, Mrs. Marvin Whitfield and son Ewell of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Leathers and son Leroy of Lella, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Piercy and daughters Dora Lucile and Charlotte Jean of Palo Duro, and O. C. Hawk of this city.

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MCKNIGHT SCHOOL PLAY GREETED BY A BIG AUDIENCE

Amateur Talent Makes Good at Chamberlain Friday Night Despite Rain

A large crowd was in attendance at the Chamberlain school Friday night to enjoy "Along the Missouri", a play put on by the patrons, pupils and teachers of the McKnight school.

This play was first put on in their own community and meeting with decided encouragement, the players next week put on the same play at Quail to a full house. The Chamberlain folks were just as appreciative as the other communities.

This amateur troupe includes some extra good talent and will next put on "The Prairie Rose" at the close of the McKnight school making it one of the leading features of an extensive program.

Mr. Earl Jones, a teacher of the McKnight school, is due much of the credit for putting that community on the map, he being a wide awake fellow of the younger type of instructors of Donley county's school system.

The rain did not dampen the ardor of the public in coming out to enjoy a line of amusement that is becoming more popular every year.

COL. GOODNIGHT REMEMBERS OLD FRIENDS WITH GIFTS OF FIVE BUFFALO

For more than half a century a strong friendship has existed between Col. Charles Goodnight and the Taos Indians of Taos, New Mexico. This friendship no doubt dates from the time that the Col. saved the life of a Taos chief.

During the past week Col. Goodnight gave the Taos tribe five buffalo. The animals were transported by truck from Goodnight ranch near Good night to the reservation. This is not the first gift at the hands of the old plainsman, neither has the Colonel wanted for anything all these years that the Indians could supply. Gifts of value have been his. There is no friendship more lasting than that of the original American and our fellow citizens, Col. Goodnight, prizes this fact highly.

Your friends will do likewise providing you enter your name, otherwise the votes you could have got for the asking will go to others. The field is virgin, you are not restricted to any one place, subscriptions may be secured anywhere in or out of the trade territory.

At this time and till June 1st, more votes are registered than those given later in the campaign, now is the proper time to enter the campaign and receive the prize of your choice.

Have you seen the handsome gifts to be awarded? If not make it your business to see the New Dodge Brothers Sedan the first grand prize.

Ballew and Noble are the local distributors for Dodge's, these boys will gladly show this prize beauty, or better still will demonstrate this late model.

See the other handsome gifts, all bought right here in Clarendon, for you, and you, and you, everyone a beauty.

Come then country folks get on the hand wagon, show the city ladies, and girls that you too are wide awake to the wonderful opportunity as offered by your Donley County Leader.

If you can't call at once phone 386 and the contest editor will gladly send you your credentials free of charge.

Lest you forget, here's the list of prizes to be given away by the Donley County Leader.

New Dodge Brothers Sedan, R. C. A. Radio, Bedroom Suite five pieces, Diamond Ring and a lovely Diamond Bar Pin.

Once more your attention is directed to the first vote period that terminates June first inclusive.

Greater vote gains can be registered during this period than those given later, why wait when your opportunity is greater between now and June first, just three week's hence.

Let's Go.

Miss Kittle Speed, who is visiting in San Antonio with her mother, had a tonsil operation Sunday that almost proved fatal. A wire to her father, C. G. Speed Monday conveyed the information that she was now out of danger.

The road bonds in Collingsworth county failed to carry Saturday by 150 votes.

Holman Kennedy is attending the state banker's convention at Galveston.

BIG CROWD HEARS SPECIAL TALK BY LOCAL MINISTER

Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday Preached by Rev. Robt. S. McKee to Graduates

One of the largest audiences in local school history was present Sunday morning to enjoy the baccalaureate sermon preached by Rev. Robert S. McKee, pastor of the local Presbyterian church. In speaking directly to the graduating class, the minister placed stress upon the idea of Michael's perfect ideal of religion admonishing his hearers to do justly; to love mercy; to walk honorably with God.

The eloquence and sound thought expressed by the speaker struck home to an audience that filled the church even to standing room.

A special musical program had been arranged by Sam Braswell with Miss Fray Stallings at the organ.

The students' recital under the direction of Miss Rita Foster of the College fine arts department, and Miss Helen Martin instructor in piano with a program of sixteen numbers was a special treat for those who appreciate music and voice culture. Fifteen pupils were given an opportunity to please the public, each number being well received.

The Seniors will present their class play tonight. The College graduation exercises proper will take place at the College Auditorium Wednesday night. Dr. W. A. Jackson of the faculty of Tech of Lubbock will be the principal speaker on this occasion.

Thursday night will be given over to the Seniors of the high school department who will render a program after which they will be entertained at the home of Lois Strawn.

The Juniors of the High School will have their graduation exercises Friday at 1:00 p. m.

The Senior high school graduating exercises will be held Friday evening beginning at 8 p. m. at the Methodist church.

FEDERAL LOAN MEN CALLED TO PAMPA FOR CONFERENCE

Farm Loan Association Men Will Confer On Local Conditions at Annual Meet

Information has been received by Mr. C. E. Kilgough, Secretary-Treasurer of the local Farm Loan Association, that the Federal Land Bank of Houston has called a conference of all Secretary-Treasurers and their local boards in this immediate section of the State. The meeting for this section has been called for May 25th at Pampa. This is one of the fourteen sectional meetings that are being held throughout the State during the months of May and June.

These annual conferences of the officials of the Federal Land Bank and the National Farm Loan Associations are in the form of get-together meetings to review the record of service of the Associations and Bank and to work out plans by which the organization can be of still greater service to the rural sections of the State. One of the outstanding accomplishments of the Federal Land Bank system, from the standpoint of public service, has been their terracing program. The Federal Land Bank of Houston is the first financial organization in the United States to put its efforts and money into such a campaign. It is also the first financial organization to actively and continuously co-operate with our A. & M. College thru the County Agents of the State in a State-wide program of soil and moisture conservation. The cooperation of these agencies the past two years, has created more sentiment for terracing and there has been more terracing done in the State than in all previous time.

The conservation program is already being reflected in increased yields on the farms throughout this section and will further be felt in increased business throughout the State.

The Epworth League wishes to express their appreciation to Bro. Allison, Mrs. Brumley, Mr. Braswell, the choir, Mrs. O. T. Smith and Mrs. Richard Wilkerson for their help and co-operation.

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This paper's first duty is to print all the news that's fit to print honestly and fairly to all unbiased by any consideration even including its own editorial opinion.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation which may occur in the columns of THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the management.

The day of wonders never cease. The editor of this sheet is in receipt of a letter hailing from one P. G. Leonard of Pampa, who is calling our attention to a grammatical error in our last issue. Thanks P. G., the best of us get on the haw side of our mother tongue at times and very few of us at best learn to speak it properly. I am so grateful to you for setting me right that I am going to immortalize you by putting your name in print. I am also going to label you as one of the few remaining jassacks of a diminishing population and at the same time tell you a story in the humble hope that your busy tribe of pestiferous grammar sharps will profit by it.

I served an apprenticeship in the sanctum of A. C. Adams, the hairy headen editor and owner of the Cape Girardeau, Mo. Democrat, while I was a student of the state normal of that city. Adams was a surly cuss of the old school who was long on ideas but short on grammar. One day a putty headed pedagogue blew in-one of those mental microbes who spend minutes thinking what to say and weeks learning how to say it. He had discovered a grammatical error in an editorial leader and was gasping like a duck with its bill full of dried mud.

"Mr. Editor," he exclaimed, "I found a grammatical error in your paper today."

"The h—l you say," quoth Adams who could see no harm in taking the name of the devil or his dominions in vain. "What else did you find in the article—any ideas?"

The professor assented, and the grizzled veteran continued in a voice that made the bristles of the paste brush curl. "Well sonny, language is the vehicle of thought, and I have succeeded in constructing a vehicle that will carry an idea into the head of such an ignorant as you, I'll get it patented."

Can you get the idea, P. G., without a diagram? Right here P. G. let me impose upon your head the dignity of royal potentate of the grand order of smart alecks, and remember that even the good Homer nods at times. Never again attempt to assume the roll of "grammar sharp". That roll belongs to the editorial sanctums of the boys who fill up the sheets—good and bad—of the best section in the world, the Texas Panhandle.

A bunch of the local boys are trying to get up a ball team. This is something that Clarendon has not had for the past ten years—a real baseball team. We have had all along a bunch of fine fellows, both skilled and otherwise, just rearing to advertise our town, but their has always been a lack of interest.

At this time the boys who like baseball, and those who like to see a game, are agitating the matter. About the only time most of them have off their regular jobs is Sunday. Some folks don't like the idea of Sunday baseball tho it is played on that day in all the larger cities and many of the smaller ones. If there is any more harm in playing ball on Sunday than "42", croquet, tennis, golf or any other game, the writer fails to see it. It is true boys get enthusiastic and occasionally let out a war whoop that jars the earth, but that is only natural. If whoops will add to the pleasure of any human, why not let him or her whoop?

The writer as a boy lived in a section where it was a crime to even look pleasant on Sunday. We heard "hellfire" sermons in the forenoon following a solemn session of Sunday school. In the afternoon we were privileged to visit the cemetery in company with the elders and cheer our sad hearts by reading epitaphs on the tombstones. We again went to church at night and heard the same old thing and wearily went to bed glad that the most horrible day of the week was over. No wonder that the present day generation of middle aged people do not attend church—they became disgusted in their younger days. Right here we should be said to the credit of the

present day preacher, he has a brand of religion that does not make him feel sad.

It is to one's own interest to attend church. There is no fault to find with the present day church except that from some unknown reason people take less interest in church affairs. Any present day organization that seeks to stifle innocent pleasure is bound to suffer.

I would much rather have my boys playing baseball on Sunday than spending that time fishing on the creek, swimming in the tank, parked, by the roadside or hitting a hot trail for Amarillo or some other town. It is not only safer, but it is less expensive.

Let's give the local boys every encouragement to put our town team on the map. We must furnish amusement of the more innocent kind or else endure the other. What do you think about it? Write a letter for publication and let us hear what you have to say.

Clarendon will have a ten days cleanup period at this time beginning Wednesday of this week. This is a ceremonial devoutly followed out by most all the citizens and materially assists in maintaining our reputation for having one of the very cleanest towns in west Texas.

Round up your junk—every family has an overplus—notify the city office and the stuff will be hauled to the dump ground. If for any reason you are overlooked, call again until it is gotten out of the way.

Right along this line it would not be a bad idea to begin to get ready for the mosquito epidemic that we always have. Most all the garage owners of the town would be glad to pour their refuse transmission oil into a barrel supplied either by themselves or the city, which could be later poured on the lake and thus dispense with the aggravation that we are sure to have some time during the season. After the mosquitoes once get started, they breed most any place there is moisture, and especially on lawns covered with bermuda grass if the grass is sprinkled very often. At any rate, the pests originate on the lake.

Miss Helen Beck, instructor in the Home Economics department of the public schools, returned to her duties Friday after being called to Austin due to the sudden demise of her father.

SCENE OF BATTLE
FIANL RESTING
PLACE OF DIXON

BIG ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION TO BE HELD AT ADOBE WALLS, JUNE 27TH.

The remains of the late Billy Dixon, scout noted southwestern plainsman, scout and rancher and hero of the famous battle of "Adobe Walls" fought in now what is Hutchinson county, Texas, on June 27, 1874, will be brought back to Hutchinson county from Texline, Texas and will rest near the battle field.

Boys Scouts of the Adobe Walls council comprising troops in Borger, Pampa and Panhandle, will be in charge of the removal of the remains. Action on this was taken at a council meeting held in Borger when the council named a committee headed by J. D. Miller, to supervise the work.

Miller told the council that Judge H. E. Hoover of Canadian, W. S. (Bill) Christian of Stinnett, Bill Bates and other old timers had asked him to arrange the details and also to ask the council to take care of the arrangements. "We have completed the details of this removal," Miller said. I have arranged for a hearse to go to Texline, where Billy Dixon is now buried and to have the body brought to Adobe Walls. An undertaker has arranged to supply the casket.

"It is our plan to have some of the scouts of the Adobe Walls council to go to Texline the day before and escort the remains to his county. This will be done the day before the anniversary of the battle, June 27.

"An oil company has agreed to erect a flag pole on the site of the battle ground. We will have a speaker's platform, a band stand and will arrange to have plenty of seats for the expected crowd.

"There will be but little expense, if any, to the scouts as the old timers tell me they want to stand the expense of the moving of the body."

Miller was named chairman of the committee. Others chosen were: Judge H. E. Hoover of Canadian, Joe F. Coffee, Miami, T. D. Hobert, Pampa, Douglas Carver, White Deer; J. F. Weatherly Panhandle and J. C. Alexander, Phillips.

Battle in 1874
The battle of Adobe Walls was fought between a party of Buffalo hunters from Dodge City, Kans., and a large party of Indians, Cheyennes, Comanches and Kiowas, June 27 to 30, 1874. The scene of the battle was short distance north of the South Canadian river in what is now eastern Hutchinson county and about 75 miles from Fort Elliott, which was re-established as a result of the battle.

Dixon, Andy Johnson, of Dodge

City, W. B. "Bat" Masterson, Fred Leonard, who died recently at Salt Lake, and Frank Smith of Buffalo, N. Y., were in the party of 15 or 18 men who had gone to the location for Bob Rath of Rath & Rainbridge, Dodge City, men who had a contract to supply buffalo hides.

The party arrived at the scene where a couple of store buildings had been completed and several others started. The place was to serve as headquarters for the field work.

Early in the morning of June 27, 1874, a ridge pole accident served to arouse some of the men before the regular time to get up. This enabled them to see the approach of the Indians. Two men sleeping under a wagon nearby attempted to escape but one of them was scalped before he could get safely away from the wagon.

For three days the Indians, said to number from 500 to 2,000, besieged the two buildings in which the 15 white men and one woman,

wife of one of the men, were kept. Three white men were killed. The number of Indians slain was never learned, but it was less than 100, it was estimated.

Dixon, whose famous shot resulted in the killing of one of the Indian chiefs, made the shot on the last day of the siege. The Indians had more or less given up the battle and were staying out of ordinary rifle range.

A Record Shot

The fighters saw a party of Indians, headed by a Chief in a war bonnet, on a hill nearly a mile away. Dixon, an expert with a rifle, was asked to try and see if he could hit the party.

Dixon selected a Sharp's 60 caliber buffalo gun and went to the top of the building. He took careful aim and fired. The chief was seen to fall from his horse and soon the party hurriedly left.

Later scouts reported the hills and canyons were bare of all Indians.

David Stribling of Miami, a sur-

voyor of Roberts County, Texas, later measured the distance and found it to be 528 yards.

A month or so later the government established Fort Elliott, in Wheeler county. This fort continued to guard the border until danger from the Indians was passed.

The Indians have always refused to believe that a white man killed the chief. They held that it was impossible for a rifle to car-

ry a bullet that far with sufficient force to kill a man. Therefore, the chief was killed by the Great Spirit.

Adobe Walls battle marked the end of the Indian power in the Southwest. It averted a general massacre and although the warfare continued for a long time afterward the power was broken.

Prominent Indian chiefs in the battle included, Quannah Parker, Lone Wolfe, and others.

WANT



We want to contract with five or six parties for all of their full blood setting eggs for next year who has flocks of 300 to 500 birds.

Will pay you a good premium above market price and guarantee you a certain price at all times. Will take eggs for a period of six months.

If you are interested in our proposition call at Clarendon Hatchery.

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WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO.

**Friend Husband—
Help your wife stay young**

If you could but realize the strain of long tedious hours "she" spends in the kitchen, you would surely take steps to make her cooking hours more pleasant by getting her a Hotpoint Electric Range.

—What is more, once you have tasted food cooked on a HOTPOINT Electric Range you will agree that she is right in wanting to cook in a more modern way—a way that cooks foods right the FIRST time and EVERY TIME.

—With the Hotpoint Automatic Electric Range you don't even need to watch the cooking—just place your foods on the stove when convenient and it will be cooked to perfection by the time you are ready to serve. Allow us to show you the HOTPOINT—the Range that cooks foods in a more delicious and palatable manner.

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HEDLEY

Mrs. R. B. Adams went to Childress Monday to be with her sister-in-law.

Brother E. D. Landreth was called to preach in Clarendon last Sunday evening. He was glad to go and delivered a wonderful sermon. Hedley is glad to cooperate with Clarendon in every way they can. It helps us to put over the many things we plan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Moreman, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moreman and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lowery and little daughter, Sarah Beth motored to Clarendon Sunday evening for the night services.

Several here attended the Al Jolston show over to Wellington last week. Those who went advised others to be sure and take a nice large handkerchief.

Gladys Ewen attended the Cashiers meeting held May 8, in Memphis. The meeting started with a nice chicken luncheon in the Coffee Shop. After every one had eaten, they adjourned to the Country Club where a nice program was given, the evening was finished up by playing bridge. Each cashier went home declaring that Mrs. Loraine Tarver, and Annie Ruth Johnson were wonderful entertainers. We hope to go back real soon.

The Christian Fellowship Band met Monday night at the B. M. A. church with 72 present. Verda Gilliam, Pauline Pickett, Willie Mae Blanks and Robert Hodges made inspiring talks. Gladys Carroll, Pauline Pickett and Jonnie Dell Edwards gave vocal numbers that at 7 o'clock Saturday morning and ed to meet at the Methodist church go to the cemetery and cut the were much enjoyed. It was decided and clean it up. The next meeting will be held at the Nazarene church at 8 o'clock Tuesday night. Every young person in town is welcome.

A father and son banquet sponsored by the Boy Scouts committee will be given Monday night at 8 o'clock in the basement of the Baptist church. A splendid program is being arranged. Mr. Jolly the scout executive of this area, will be present and loaded for the occasion. Tickets will be good for a man and a boy, no man being admitted who can't find a boy to bring. Hunt up a boy and come. E. D. Landreth, member of the committee.

We have the Epworth League organized and now going on every Sunday evening at 6:45 at the Methodist church. We invite all you young people to come on and be with us in our Christian worship. A good inspiring program was rendered last Sunday by Shine Davis, Jonnie Lee Landreth, James Webb, Rex Kendall and Bible reading by Virginia Kendall, leader and Speck Armstrong. Jonnie Lee Landreth will have charge of the program for the next Sunday evening. We had 34 present last Sunday. Let's make it 50 next Sunday. The District League meeting at Memphis last Saturday night and Sunday was well attended by the Hedley League. Eighteen attended the banquet Saturday night and helped with their part of the stunt program. Quite a number went back Sunday for the business meeting. All enjoyed it very much and wish that every member could have attended, for these meetings are very inspirational.—Reporter.

D. C. and L. M. Spier made a business trip to Clarendon last Saturday.

W. A. Pierce and family of Clarendon visited relatives and friends in Hedley Sunday.

Miss Allene Steen of Boswell, Oklahoma, spent the week end in the R. W. Alewine home. Miss Steen at present is teaching in the public school at Kirkland.

Capt. Nat S. Perrine was down from Amarillo Wednesday attending business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hortman lost an infant child Sunday. The remains were placed in the Rowe cemetery.

Mr. S. M. Collins passed away Monday of last week and was buried in the Rowe cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blankenship visited in the home of George Blankenship at Goodnight, Saturday and Sunday.

Eiten Johnston and family of McLean visited in the J. P. Alexander home Sunday.

Mrs. B. M. Davis, Miss Jessie and T. E. Bailey and son Weldon were visitors in Plainview last week end.

Mr. Eddie Hartley, of Plainview was here Sunday.

Miss Annette Trent of Waco is the guest of Miss Melba Johnson and other friends in Hedley.

Mrs. W. A. Breining and little daughter, Bernadine are here on a visit to Mrs. Breining's mother, Mrs. J. H. Richey.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas M. Lowry and little daughter, Sarah Beth, went to McLean Saturday on a visit with Mrs. Lowery's parents.

Mr. T. N. Nored of Clarendon was here Thursday attending to business.

Misses Mary Harris, Mary Dishman, Myrtle Reeves, Gladys Ewen and Mrs. Brooks motored out to the McDougal lake late Friday afternoon taking with them plenty of bacon, potatoes, onions and cooked supper over a camp fire. Some where near ten o'clock they went into the cabin and made down their bunks and remained all night. Arising early next morning and had a sunrise breakfast. Each one came home tired out but reported a wonderful time, they even say that they never got scared at all. That is saying a lot for women.

Mrs. Ralph Moreman was taken to Amarillo Saturday evening for an operation. The last report was that she was doing as well as could be expected.

Rev. E. D. Landreth went to Shamrock Monday to attend the district conference meet which will be in session Tuesday until Thursday. Bro. Landreth is taking with him the best report from the Methodist church that has been given in several years. During the past five and half months the church has raised about \$3500.00 for various purposes. There has been 45 new additions to the church.

Alice Noel entertained Friday night with a fare-well party given in honor of Shine Davis. After all the guests had arrived curtains were parted and James Webb brought forth many nice presents. The guest of honor was very much surprised but very much delighted. Many games were played and the evening came to a close when the hostess served delicious punch and good things that go with it. Each and every one went home after a wonderful evening.

Miss Beth Millard came over from Wellington Sunday to attend business.

Mrs. Morris Davis from Ajo Arizona came Wednesday. Shine and his mother Mrs. O'Neal are returning with him. They intend to make their home there. We hate to see these people leave our community, but wish them the best of good luck.

Mr. Harve Wilson and Mr. G. H. Percue motored over to Clarendon Monday on business.

Mrs. C. E. Watkins and Miss Atey, left Monday nite for Fort Worth, Dallas, and Mineral Wells. Who is going to represent this community in this paper's big circulation prize contest? Read the advertisement in this issue and get busy.

GOLDSTON

Every one is rejoicing over the nice rain that fell Friday and Saturday nights, the farmers will all be busy now planting their crops.

The party given at the school house Thursday night in honor of the school teachers by the Merry Maids Club was attended by a large crowd. Refreshments were served, consisting of sandwiches and punch and every one had a jolly good time.

The curtains that the Merry Maids Club put up in front of the stage at the school house sure have improved the looks of the house and will be appreciated by all.

Our school will close next Friday there will be two nights of entertainments both Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Mrs. John Spier visited with her son near Allenreed last week.

Mr. Roy Stewart and Mr. John Nanney were in Clarendon Friday night.

The school boys played ball at Jericho Friday afternoon, the score was four to nothing in favor of Goldston.

Mr. J. M. Eldridge and son were in the Goldston community Friday afternoon.

Mr. Homer Smoot has gone to see his father who is real sick and had to be taken to the hospital.

Mr. Howard Stewart spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jolley's daughter and husband from near Wellington have been visiting with them the past week end.

Who is going to represent this community in this paper's big circulation prize contest? Read the advertisement in this issue and get busy.

ASHTOLA

There was no Sunday school Sunday morning on account of the rain.

All the farmers were glad to see the rain so that they might begin their planting.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence of Hedley Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Onata Hayter entertained the girls of this community with a slumber party Wednesday night. Those present were Beatrice Randal, Ima Poovey, Jessie Swinburn, and Vera Johnson. They went to the show and then came back to Mrs. Hayter's and spent the night. They all reported a good time.

There was a party at Mr. J. M. Jerdans Thursday night. Every body present reported a nice time.

Miss Jessie Swinburn visited her sister Mrs. Gap Goodman at McLean the past week.

Mr. Cecil Allen is real sick at this writing, but we all hope that he will soon be well again.

Mrs. H. W. Lovell and Miss Mary Lovell made a business trip to Clarendon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kimpson and Mrs. J. S. Hayter went fishing last Wednesday. They caught several fish during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Murrell visited friends in Clarendon Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Randal gave a birthday dinner Sunday for her and Jessie Swinburn. Their birthday's were the twelfth of May. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames W. P. Holley, M. S. Swinburn and J. Watts, Misses Isabel Bailey, Onata Hayter, Jessie Swinburn, Oia Mae Watts, Vera Johnson and Myrtle Armstrong and Messrs. Earl Alderson of Clarendon, Earl Holley, Edd Lovell and Jerry Hayter. Every one present had a splendid time and we all wish them many happy birthday's in the future.

Mrs. Wilburn Gray of Lubbock came Sunday night for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Drennon and family left last Monday for an extended visit with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mason are the proud parents of a new baby.

Miss Alice Lawrence of Hedley visited her sister Mrs. Vera Allen of Ashtola Sunday.

Who is going to represent this community in this paper's big circulation prize contest? Read the advertisement in this issue and get busy.

Womans' Missionary Circles

Meet Wednesday, May 8th

Circle No 1 met with Mrs. W. A. Davis, the subject of "Broken Homes" being used in all the circles for the week. Mrs. R. H. Beville led in the devotional assisted by Mrs. J. C. Estlack. The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. O. L. Fink. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Davis, assisted by Mrs. Williams.

Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. G. W. Antrobus. Ten members were present, one visitor. Mrs. Gattis led in the devotional service, assisted by Mrs. E. M. Ozier, Mrs. Fred Buntin and Mrs. C. E. Griggs. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Antrobus.

Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. Frank Smith, ten members being present and five visitors. Mrs. A. C. Donnell led in the discussion of the lesson assisted by Mrs. Carrie So-Relle and Mrs. J. P. Park. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Frank Smith.

Circle No. 4 met with Mrs. W. R. Holder. Mrs. W. A. Pierce leading in the discussion of the lesson and Mrs. Carrie Weidman in the song service. Nine members and two visitors were present. Mmes. Will Johnson and E. Price assisted with the program. A social hour was enjoyed at which time refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Holder.

Bell Bennett circle met with Mrs. Ben Andis with ten members present. Mrs. Bascom White led the discussion assisted by Mmes. B. F. Kirtley and Carl Bennett. Mrs. Otis Naylor discussed the voice lesson. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Andis.

Fred Ballew and Olin Nobles of the firm of Ballew and Nobles were in Memphis Saturday again stocking up with Dodge cars. The firm had an order for a duplicate of the Leader's prize sedan within three hours after it was parked on the street.

Misses Rhoda and Helen Weidman Miss Mantle Graves went to Amarillo Friday night to hear the noted singer, Modjica.

Christians Ladies' Aid

Met Wednesday All Day

An all day meeting of the Christian Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Shaw Wednesday. Thirty two members were present. The rooms were beautifully decorated with roses.

A mutual meal was served at noon consisting of dainties in big variety.

Mrs. Shaw led in the business meeting at 2:30. Mrs. O. D. Leisburg led in the devotional meeting which was opened by prayer by the pastor, Rev. Henry Taylor. The sixth chapter of Mark was taken for the lesson topic.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday of this week with Mrs. Ed Carlson. A special social hour will be observed and member is urged to be present.

MRS. DON MARTIN GIVES PARTY FOR SENIORS THURS.

The three left-overs entertained the dignified flappers and the dirty four, Thursday night with a slumber party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Martin. Some may call it a slumber party, but the girls of these societies think the name should be changed to a slumberless party. Everyone seemed to have a swell time. Although exams began Friday morning this group of girls were going to have a good time and a noisy time they did have. Earl Humphrey and Slick Naylor helped to make the evening more exciting by taking the girls for an airing in dynamite—(Dynamite is the lizzie that makes Earl make such a fool of himself). Anyhow the girls enjoyed the ride. Several more exciting things happened, including a wrestling match which insured about twelve o'clock. Marie downed Gladys three times in two and a half minutes about 12. There was a call from the kitchen which meant something to eat. The spirits talked for the girls too. Everyone is a firm believer in spirits now. Those who were in on the fun were Marie Trostle, Jonnie Bandy, Betty Griswold, Glynda Shepherd, Mattie Rhodes, Hazel Parr, Susie Spier, Gertrude Witt, Mary Slater, Gladys Noble and Delia Barnes.

HALF CENTRY COUPLES

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Buntin were married at Camden, Kentucky in 1872, just fifty-seven years ago. Their children were born to this union, four of whom are living. Forty-one of their wedded life has been spent in Donley county where they have always been held in high esteem surrounded by numerous friends who wish for them many happy years to come. The Leader goes to them for a year with the sincere hope that will aid to their pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith were married near Taylor in Williamson county, Texas in 1879 having celebrated their fiftieth anniversary a short time ago. These good citizens have resided in Donley county for sixteen years. Four children have blessed this union, all of whom are now living.

"Uncle Billie" and "Aunt Sallie", as they are affectionately known to their host of friends, take an active interest in church work and were greatly missed from their accustomed places the past winter being confined to their home from illness.

Mrs. Ralph Moreman of Hedley was taken to Amarillo Saturday night at which time she underwent an operation for appendicitis. While her condition was grave at the time, she is reported as doing nicely now.

Mrs. John Beverly spent the past week at home returning to her position in Amarillo Sunday.

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KUTCH FAMILY OBSERVES MOTHER'S DAY RE-UNION

The home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kutch was the scene of a family reunion Sunday the occasion being Mother's Day. Some two days before, the elder Mr. Kutch had a seventy-second birthday to slip up on him. From that day to Sunday night the children began to take an added interest in the family home by their presence and gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hallmark of Shamrock were over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Lemons of Amarillo also came down Sunday. Among the nice remembrances received by the parents, a nice radio topped the list, being a gift of Mr. and Mrs. Lemmons. The usual Sunday feast was observed in which no one was disappointed. The whole affair was a surprise Sunday giving the daughters an opportunity to repay the mother for her skill in training them in the culinary art of which she is a past master.

Forget-Me-Not Shower

Pauline Shelton and Jean Bourland delightfully honored Dorothy Headrick with a For-Get-Me-Not shower Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Bourland. A contest in progressive Rook was played. Pauline Sanford won high score and Adline Smith won low score. Dorothy Headrick won the prize in contest.

The house was beautifully decorated with roses. Ice cream and cake was served to the following: Pauline Sanford, Dorothy Joe Taylor, Johnny D. Latson, Melba Dell Warner, Adline Smith, Glen Curry, Carrol Holder, Lucile Andis, and the honoree, Dorothy Headrick, and hostesses Pauline Shelton and Jean Bourland.

Mrs. Ben Bently of McLean spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Latson.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon M. Bertrand of Houston were here the last of the week. Mr. Bertrand is representing an insurance line and has a number of old friends and customers in Clarendon.

Warden E. F. Harrell of the state penitentiary system was a visitor in Clarendon the last of the week making the rounds of the Panhandle gathering up guests for the state institution. He got nothing here but a number from Berger.

Captain R. W. Aldrich of the state ranger force was in Clarendon Monday on a matter of important business.

Reports as to the condition of A. M. Beville, now a patient in the sanitarium at Glen Rose, state that he is improving which will be good news to his many friends.

To The Public

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This opportunity will be carried on for a limited time during our present prize subscription campaign, for that reason, knowing full well you will fully appreciate this handsome portrait, will ask that you bring the photograph you wish enlarged to the Leader office at a early date.

MAKES NEW RECORD



Jimmy Ball, of Winnipeg, after establishing a new Canadian record for the 200-yard run. His time was 33 seconds, at the Canadian Championship meet at Toronto. The United States indoor record for the same distance is 31 1/4 seconds.

ALPHA DELTA PSI

The Alpha Delta Psi Literary society entertained the Palo Duro Society and members of the senior class in the college auditorium last Wednesday evening. After a short but interesting program, refreshments consisting of lemonade and sandwiches were served to everyone.

The program rendered was as follows: reading, Marne Trostle; piano solo, Jane Killough; reading, Betty Griswold; piano solo, Maude Crawford; talk by Cobb Dillard, ex-president of the Alpha Delta Psi literary society; talk, Slick Naylor. We also heard from members of the Palo Duro society.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burson.

Mrs. Cornelia Kays spent the week end with friends in Chillicothe.

Warren Bray of Ft. Worth spent the week end visiting friends in his old home town.

New Speed Record



Captain Malcolm Campbell, British auto racer, set a new record for speed on a five mile course, at the Cape of Good Hope, Africa, when he flashed down the speedway at 212 miles an hour.

Miss Jewell Bailey and mother shopped in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Sherman Carroll, Mrs. W. H. Patrick and Misses Elgin Patrick and Letrice Benson visited in Amarillo attending the musical festival programs.

HE SPRAYS HENS. THE NEW FARM PLAN. HEADS AND FISTS. FIRST AID FOR HOOVER.

Thousands that would not read an Einstein pamphlet will read this.

Walter Dorsey, colored, of Atlanta, Ga., confessing to chicken stealing on a wholesale basis tells the judge, "I just sprays 'em with chloroform. Then stand back and wait. In about five minutes they flop off the foot and are ready for my sack."

That's more interesting to many of us than the distance of the farthest star.

The "William and Mary" plan to subsidize exports of farm products is rejected by Mr. Hoover. The Senate plans, nevertheless, to try it.

The plan is to give farmers exporting wheat, etc., a bonus of one-half the American tariff on all the wheat or other farm products exported.

After consulting the Departments of Agriculture, Commerce and the Treasury, Mr. Hoover says the plan would enrich the speculators and reduce world prices, since foreign markets would have to meet the competition of subsidized products.

Also, says the President, the plan would cost the country \$20,000,000 a year, cause much bankruptcy and it would not solve the farm problem.

Farmers will cease moaning when they realize that the bonus money would be paid not direct to them but to merchants exporting products.

It needs "no ghost come from the grave" to tell farmers how little they would get of that bonus. "Wheat gamblers and the middle-men would get it. The farmer in his taxes would have to pay part of it."

Mr. Tunney, world heavyweight champion, retired, has been visiting George Bernard Shaw on a small, sunny island in the Adriatic Sea.

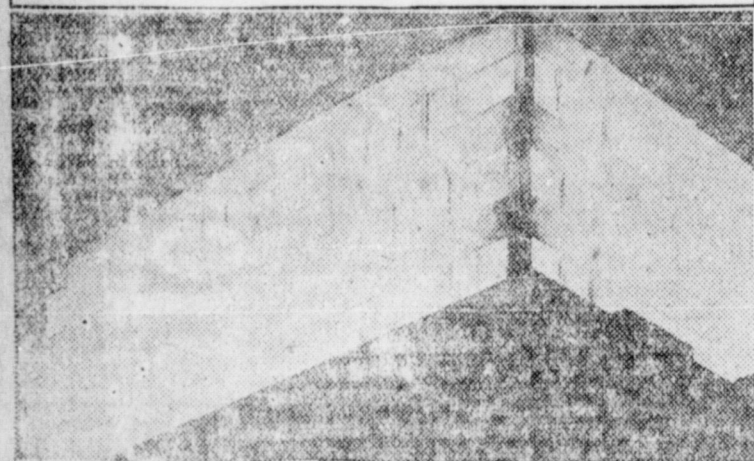
Tunney is barely thirty. Shaw is seventy-three. And Shaw, who has NOT retired, has no idea of retiring. The head lasts longer than the fists.

Eight hundred delegates to the Red Cross Convention called upon President and Mrs. Hoover, and contributed the first "First Aid" by refraining from the usual hand-shaking nonsense.

Why eight hundred intelligent human beings should want to squeeze the joints of the hand and tug at the muscles in the arm of a busy man is not easily understood.

Handshaking should be abolished, since it means nothing and spreads germs.

America's First All-Glass House



For three stories atop the Pinaud Building in New York, there is rising America's first house made of glass. "Bricks" made of glass comprise the material used in building.

A New Record Making Jersey Cow



Imp. Xenia's Oxford Lilac 574105, an imported Jersey cow, owned by Harry D. Bliff of Independence, Oregon, has just finished a 365-day official test with a production record of 1,022.37, lbs. of butterfat and 17,666 lbs. of milk.

Record Breaker



Elinor Smith, girl aviator, being hugged by her mother when she landed at Roosevelt Field, L. I., after breaking the solo endurance record for women with a new mark of 26 hours, 21 minutes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Saye spent Sunday in Memphis.

M. Massin of Hedley is in charge of the Leader store while his uncle, Ben Saied, is attending to business in Wichita Falls.

Honored for Diction



Milton J. Cross of New York was presented with a gold medal for "good diction over the radio microphone" by the American Academy of Arts and Letters.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Andis of Pampa are spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andis in this city. Guy is taking medical treatment from a local physician.

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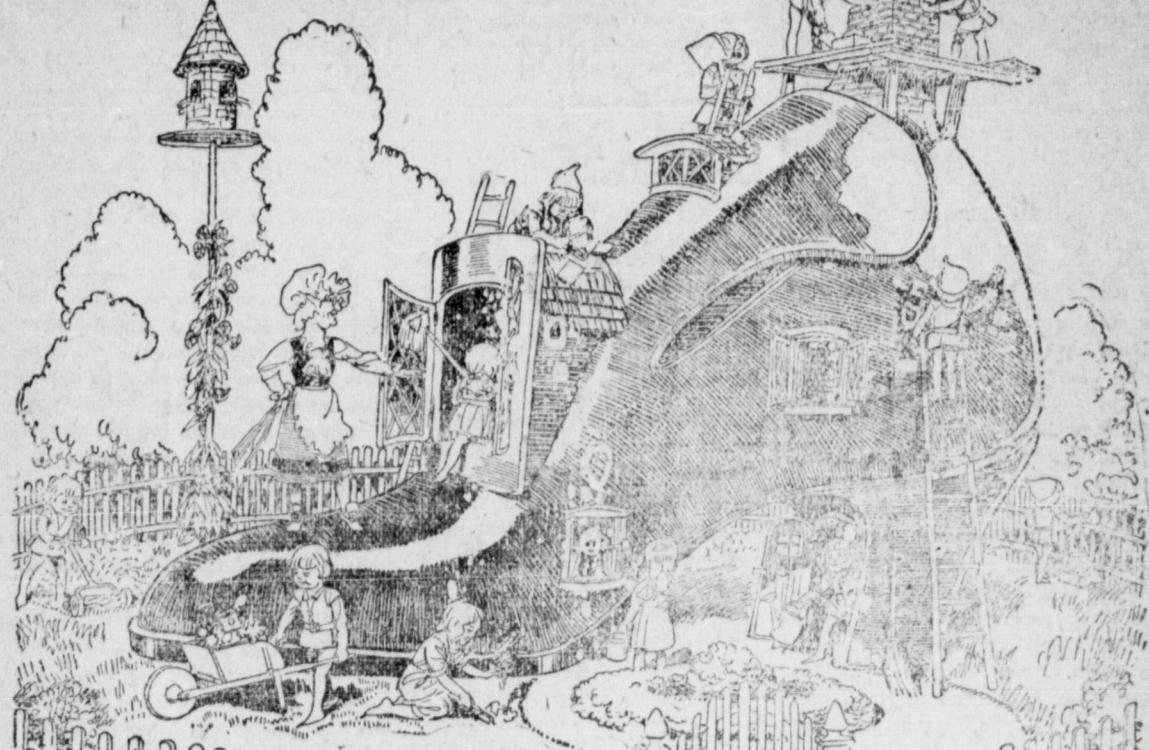
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"The Old Lady who Lived in a Shoe" brought up to date

Once upon a time, so the fairy tale goes, an Old Lady lived in a shoe, and took care of hosts of little children, who, for one reason or another, happened to be under her care. But it was an old shoe, a shoe filled with holes, and all the neighbors in that part of Fairyland complained. It was a disgrace to the realm. Then, one day, there passed in his royal coach, a Prince of high estate. And in some manner, one of his shoes tumbled from the coach. It was made the new home of the Little Old Lady and her flock of youngsters, who transformed it into the show-place of all Fairyland.

There is a moral in this for every owner of a shoe.
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SHOES AND HOSIERY

Contest Winner Ninety-four Years Old Says Gardening Keeps Him Young



SHOULDERING a spade instead of a rifle, Larry Doyle, 94 year old Civil War veteran of Davenport, Iowa, has kept himself young through gardening, he says. Larry is a Yard and Garden Contest prize-winner, and he is almost as proud of that as he is of his army service. Both the honorable discharge from Uncle Sam's forces and the Certificate of Merit which he won in the Garden Contest are framed and hanging on his parlor wall. "Do you know why you never see a weed in my garden?" Larry is asking in this picture. "Because I never allow one to grow there," he answers his own question.

SUNNY VIEW

Who is going to represent this community in this paper's big circulation prize contest? Read the advertisement in this issue and get busy.

Mr. and Mrs. Love and their son's wife, Mrs. Irma Love and small son of Quail, called on Mrs. A. M. Lanham Monday afternoon on their way home from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley and family drove over to Allenreed Sunday and spent a very pleasant day with the former's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Womack and son Harry also Harry Merri-dith of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler of Lella Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts.

Mrs. W. A. Davis and Mrs. Henry Williams of Clarendon called on Mrs. A. M. Lanham Friday afternoon.

Aunt Josie Gibson, as she is lovingly called, and who is visiting with her son, Conda Jones and family, spent a few days visiting with Mrs. Patten.

Mrs. John Goldston and daughters, Misses Hellen, Lucile and Bettie John called on Mrs. A. M. Lanham Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard and family Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham called on Mr. and Mrs. Archie McNeely Saturday night till bed time.

Mrs. S. W. Lamberson was at the sanitarium Sunday evening and had her ear lanced, which she has been suffering with great pain for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham spent Sunday in Groom visiting their son Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lanham.

Mrs. Patten and son Phil spent Sunday visiting with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Cook and daughters, Misses Thelma and Virginia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kim Day.

Reese Barton, 99 year old cow puncher of the Smith ranch near Childress, suffered a broken leg Friday when thrown from a horse while in a corral assisting in taming a wild bronc. Mr. Barton had his last accident 55 years ago when he had a collar bone and leg broken in a similar accident. He claims to have been lucky all along having been an active bronc peeler for some 75 years.

Judge Henry S. Bishop paid his respects to the Leader force Friday while on his way to his home at Amarillo. The Judge had exchanged benches with Judge A. J. Fires at Wellington, Judge Fires serving at Amarillo.

No judge on the bench in Donley county has ever made more friends among the masses than did Judge Bishop during his long years as district attorney and as judge.

MEMPHIS MAN INVENTS COTTON PICKING MACHINE

J. M. King of Memphis has invented a machine for picking cotton and is now trying to interest enough men with money to put the article on the market.

The machine is said to strip the cotton from the stalk with fingers afterwards cleaning the staple of stalk, leaf and burr by a new process cleaner that occupies little space.

Ben. A. Wooten, Shamrock's leading loan man, was in town for a short time Saturday on his way home from Amarillo. Mr. Wooten got to the big fire at Amarillo Saturday morning before the fire truck, and with the help of two companions, help to remove some of the bodies.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bishop of Louisville, Kentucky are paying their fourth annual visit to Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Buntin, friends of many years.

Dr. W. B. Weston is the proud owner of a new De Soto coupe bought of the new motor firm of L. H. Johnson Motor Co.

One of the best wheat crops in this section is that of Marvin Warren, son of J. T. Warren, and a young farmer of the hustling kind. Stalks brought to this office by Henry Williams and J. T. Warren measured thirty-five inches in height with plenty of heads. The field is about four miles southwest of town.

McKNIGHT

NEWLIN GETS ON MAP WITH COMMERCE BODY

A general celebration was staged by citizens of Newlin last week when they invited neighboring towns to assist in putting on one of the most unusual programs for a small town. The Chamber of Commerce was organized there April 22nd.

A massed band concert consisting of the Gold Medal band of Memphis, Harrell Chapel Agricultural band and Memphis high school band all under the direction of Paul Jones. Ice Cream and cakes were served by the Chamber of Commerce to about fifteen hundred guests and members. This showing of hospitality goes a long way to cement the friendship between the towns of that section which was the purpose of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kutch of Childress, visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kutch here Thursday. Roy is in the employ of the Utilities Co.

Guy Pierce, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pierce, and who is one of the champion bootmakers of the south west, arrived from Carlsbad Thursday for a visit with homefolks.

The quarterly conference which was held Saturday at the school house was well attended. Brother Murrell our presiding elder delivered a most interesting sermon in the morning service. At noon desks were arranged up and down the length of the auditorium and a bountiful dinner was spread. Services and business was again resumed at one thirty o'clock.

The McKnight "Red-legs" and the Bray boys engaged in a hard fought base ball game here Sunday afternoon. McKnight was victorious by a score of 15 to 5.

Earl Jones our intermediate teacher has accepted a position in the Quail high school for the ensuing year.

The McKnight Dramatic club journeyed to Quail and staged the play, "Along the Missouri", in the high school there last Friday nite. If our plans succeed, we hope to stage this same play at Chamberlain next Friday night.

The whole community extends our deepest sympathy to Brother Fitzgerald and wife during their sorrow in the loss of their daughter.

Brother Pierce who suffered for a time with blood poison in his leg is up and able to attend to his store duties.

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Mr. Victor Skelton spent a large part of last week in Quitaque where his brother is quite ill. They have moved him to the Memphis sanitarium.

Bob Hill and family visited his father Mr. W. H. Hill Saturday night and Sunday returned to his home at Lake View late Sunday afternoon.

The trustees are hoping to secure Lorain Naylor to fill the vacancy that will be made by Earle Jones next year.

George Hill visited relatives in Wellington Sunday.

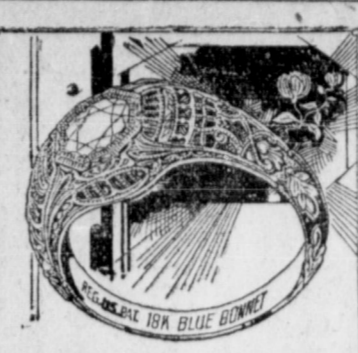
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Make them just like you want them. Every modern home should have them, be it one or more.

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9 Days Drastic Selling

OPENING HOUR

We will sell 500 yards 32 inch Gingham. Limit 10 yards to customer. Yard—

5c THURSDAY

MEN'S Work Sox

Brown and Black, all sizes, pair—

8c



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FREE! Guaranteed Pure Aluminum Large size Tea Kettles, Roasters, Double Boilers, Dish Pans, Percolators and large Buckets. Each and every piece worth at least \$2.00. Will be GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE with purchase of \$15.00 or more. And you can have your choice of any of these pieces. See our window display of this beautiful and servicable Aluminum.

OPENING SPECIAL

9 to 10

We will sell 500 yards 36 inch fast color Percals. Limit 5 yards to the customer. The yard—

10c FRIDAY

SPECIAL

Ladies Silk and Rayon Hose

In all the new Spring and Summer shades. Buy more than one pair at this unusual price. Regular 75c value

39c

Men's Suits on Sale



Never Before A More Wonderful Group

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits

Here is an opportunity men to secure the newest styles and Fabrics, here is the biggest value in men's Suits ever offered. Hardly would it be possible for anyone to surmise that we are selling this line of men's suits, Values up to \$40.00 for only—

\$19.50 & \$24.50

Another Group of 50 Suits

All new, also some summer suits, values up to \$35.00. On Sale at One Low Price— **\$16.50**



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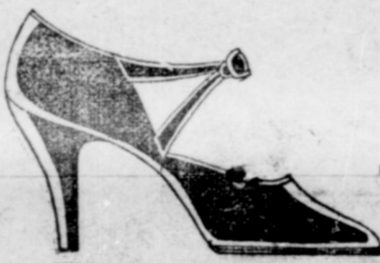


FOOTWEAR ON SALE

One assortment of Patent and Black Kid, straps and ties, in good styles, but broken sizes— We are going to sell every pair of these the first few days, so HURRY—

\$1.98

200 pairs Women's Finest \$5.00 and \$6.00 stylish footwear, you will be astonished when you see these wonderful styles, in straps, pumps, ties. Patent, Black Kid and Blonde, on sale—



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CHILDREN'S OXFORDS AND STRAPS

Don't fail to get in on these wonderful values in children's fine styles, in solid leather footwear

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Men's Work Pants

Khaki and Hong Kong, Powder Blue, made of extra heavy material. Full cut and extra stitched, regular \$2.50 value on Sale

\$1.47

Men's Blue Work Shirts

These shirts are full cut and well made. They have two large roomy pockets. Truly a real value at this price—

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Men's Oxfords

Men's all leather good year welt oxfords, new styles in black and tan, regular \$5.00 value only—

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Men's Union Suits

Made of good quality Nainsook, all sizes, full cut and roomy Pair

44c

Men's Work Shoes

Men's outing bal work shoes, all leather, regular \$2.25 values Now

\$1.79

Men's Overalls

These overalls are a remarkable offer at this sale price. They are full cut extra well made of good quality denim.

98c

LADIES SILK RAYON UNDERWEAR

Lingerie Tailored and Lace Trimmed gowns, teddy, slips, bloomers and step-ins. **79c**

Never before, do we believe, have you had the opportunity of buying such high grade rayon underwear at this price—Extra heavy weight, lace trimmed and plains—There will be hundreds of customers for these opening day, so come early and share in these sensational values.

WASH FROCKS

An unusual sale of stylish Fast Color Dresses. These dresses are made up of Batiste, Prints and other pretty materials—They are made up in Basque and Full Skirts, all are tailored beautifully trimmed in organdy and tapes.

Happy Home Guaranteed Fast 89c

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Fancy Rayon SOX

Here is a lot of fancy Rayon Sox in good grade materials, wanted patterns and designs. Good colors.

19c Pair

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Boys Hickory Stripe UNIONALLS

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Men's Straw Hats

Buy your new spring straw now men. We have a most complete stock including all the new shapes with plain and fancy bands.

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Our Greatest Sale Classic

36 INCH PONGEE PRINTS

Beautiful new patterns in Pongee prints fast colors, a large assortment, yard **21c**

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A group of printed Dimities in all the new Spring patterns, Yard **21c**

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Sheer voiles in all the wanted colors. Regular 35c value, Yard **18c**

GINGHAM

36 inch Gingham. A very fine quality, big assortment of patterns Special. Yard **14c**

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Heavy Cheviots to go SPECIAL in this SALE Yard **13c**

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A splendid assortment of good quality 32 inch gingham, Yard **9c**

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All standard brands in all the leading Spring Colors. We match you shoes with the new **89c to \$1.69** colors, on sale

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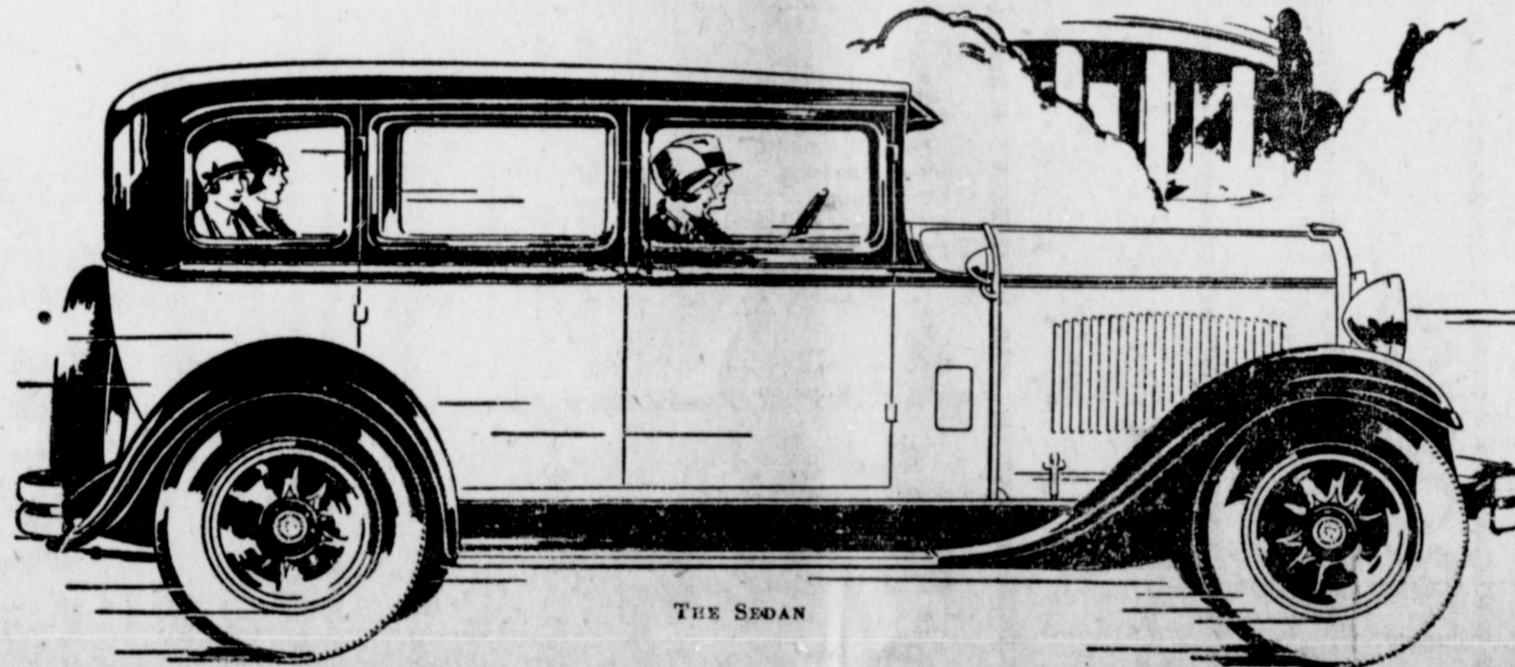
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THE SEDAN

\$150 Diamond **\$150**
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Fourth Grand Prize

Can be seen by calling at Stockings Drug Store. It's sure a gem if there ever was one.

Commercial White Stone with mounting to match, see this ring, then set sail for the Leader Office.

Stocking's Drug Store Established 1885

\$200 Bedroom **\$200**
Suite

Third Grand Prize

This elegant five piece in Walnut consists of vanity dresser, and bench, chest, bed and night stand.

The Amarillo Furniture Company is now exhibiting this suite that you may see a real gift in home furnishing.

Look for this exhibit in their window.

\$575 R. C. A. **\$575**
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Second Grand Prize

The handsome cabinet that goes with this R. C. A. is Mahogany with genuine inlaid decoration.

Full electric operation, loop aerial super-hetrodyne, eight tubes.

Bought from H. C. Kerbow & Sons where it is now on exhibition—Be Sure and See It.

\$75 PLATINUM **\$75**
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This lovely gift can be seen by calling at Goldston Bros. where it is on display.

Nominations will be received at this store, be sure and enter your name.

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FIRST VOTE PERIOD

Embracing the weeks ending June 1st, the following number of votes will be given with subscription payments.

DURATION	AMOUNT	VOTES
1 year	\$2.00	3,000
2 year	\$4.00	10,000
3 year	\$6.00	15,000
4 year	\$8.00	20,000
5 year	\$10.00	35,000
10 year	\$20.000	75,000

Subscription orders given for other duration not listed herein will be given given votes in proportion.

SECOND VOTE PERIOD

Embracing the weeks ending June 15th, the following number of votes will be given with subscription payments.

DURATION	AMOUNT	VOTES
1 year	\$2.00	2,000
2 year	\$4.00	7,000
3 year	\$5.00	13,000
4 year	\$8.00	20,000
5 year	\$10.00	30,000
10 year	\$20.00	50,000

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LAST VOTE PERIOD

Covering the final days ending June 29th, the following number of votes will be given with subscription payments.

DURATION	AMOUNT	VOTES
1 year	\$2.00	1,500
2 year	\$4.00	4,000
3 year	\$6.00	7,500
4 year	\$8.00	12,000
5 year	\$10.00	20,000
10 year	\$20.00	40,000

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NOTICE

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The Donley County Leader

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PATHFINDER CLUB MEETS

On Friday, May 10, Mrs. W. B. Sims as hostess and Mrs. Tom Goldston as assistant hostess entertained the Pathfinder club in the club room. The room was artistically decorated with roses, larkspur, and the hostess served refreshments of cream and cake.

Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, delegate to the District meeting of the Federated clubs, which met at Snyder, Texas, reported a very beneficial and inspiring session. The delegate insisted that more club members attend the next annual meeting which convenes in Pampa next spring.

Honor guests were Mesdames Eva Draffer and W. A. Massey.

The Pathfinder will give a story hour for the children during the summer months. These programs will be held on the campus of the Girl's dormitory each Tuesday at 8:00 o'clock. The program follows:

June 4, Sponsors: Mesdames H. T. Burton and Fred Chamberlain; Story Teller, Mrs. Joe Goldston.

June 11, Sponsors: Mesdames J. T. Patman and Will McDonald; Story Teller, Mrs. George Ryan.

June 18, Sponsors: Mesdames Paul Shelton and J. D. Swift; Story Teller, Miss Mae Lumpkin.

June 25, Sponsors: Mesdames J. T. Sims and Will Word; Story Teller, Mrs. Jim Headrick.

July 2, Sponsors: Mesdames A. T. Cole and Bill Green; Story Teller, Mrs. U. J. Boston.

July 9, Sponsors: Mesdames J. L. McMurtry and Robert Biggers; Story Teller, Mrs. J. G. Sherman.

July 16, Sponsors: Mesdames Floyd Keener and Joe Cluck; Story Teller, Miss Eunice Johnson.

July 23, Sponsors: Mesdames R. H. Beville and W. C. Stewart; Story Teller, Miss Mary Jo Chamberlain.

July 30, Sponsors: Mesdames Fred Rathjen and Rayburn Smith; Story Teller, Mrs. Forest Taylor.

Aug. 6, Sponsors: Mesdames Lester Boykin and Loyd Stallings; Story Teller, Miss Lorena Stegall.

Aug. 13, Sponsors: Mesdames Manley Ozler and R. H. Alexander; Story Teller, Mrs. Nathan Cox.

Aug. 20, Sponsors: Mesdames Ralph Porter and Hubert Zeigler; Story Teller, Mrs. Tom Goldston.

BRICE

Who is going to represent this community in this paper's big circulation prize contest? Read the advertisement in this issue and get busy.

Cooney Nelson of Amarillo spent the week end in the Flat visiting friends. Cooney formerly lived here.

Gerald Hatley of Ashtola was a pleasant visitor in the Flat a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ayers of near Clarendon and a sister of Mrs. Ayers of Hedley spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pharr. They all took their supper and enjoyed a picnic at the Hancock lake.

Messrs. Ben Hill and Frank White made a business trip to Clarendon Monday.

Messrs. M. W. Hatley and Welker Jones made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilson happened to an accident Monday near Quitaque. While coming from a visit at Spur, when their car overturned. Mrs. Wilson was bruised up and her face was cut quite severely.

A car of young people overturned between Leslie and Brice Sunday. Miss Arrington was severely hurt. She is under the care of a physician.

We are sorry to report Mr. W. M. Childress is ill with typhoid fever. The son who has been ill for sometime is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill moved to their home at Memphis Tuesday. We regret to have them leave our community.

Lafe Smallwood and family moved to the Ben Hill home Tuesday, where Lafe will have charge of the store formerly operated by Ben.

Arthur Gossett and family moved to the Ben Hill farm home Tuesday where he will have charge of the Smallwood and Hill crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pharr spent Sunday afternoon in the D. T. Smallwood home. They attended the Brice-Clarendon baseball game on the O. M. Cosley gin yard.

There was a baseball game between Clarendon Sunday afternoon on the O. M. Cosley gin yard. Brice was victorious. A large crowd witnessed the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Frank White motored to Estelline Sunday.

Mr. Duke Osborn hauled a truck

load of furniture to Memphis Tuesday for Ben Hill. He also returned with a load for Mr. Gossett.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gossett and children spent Sunday at Memphis. Mr. C. A. Wilson spent Saturday in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood and family shopped in Clarendon Friday afternoon.

Brady Pittman of Martin visited in the homes of his uncles Lafe and D. T. Smallwood a few days this week.

Mrs. Vada Bourland visited relatives in Amarillo last week.

Messrs. L. A. and R. A. McDonald and wives shopped in Clarendon Friday.

The Brice boys baseball team went to Clarendon Saturday and played. The scores were 13 to 6 in favor of Brice.

Mr. E. P. Payne and son Verlin went to Lubbock Saturday to visit with relatives. A daughter planned to return with them for a visit.

Mamie Smallwood spent the week end with an aunt Mrs. M. L. Pittman and family of Martin. She and members of the Pittman family shopped in Amarillo Saturday bringing Syble and Virginia Smallwood down to spend Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Wayne Rexrhode and family enjoyed a picnic and fishing trip at Bitter Lake Thursday.

Jess Mann of Lakeview attended to business matters in the Flat Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Leda Rhodes and Mrs. Jack Perkins called a short while with Mrs. Lafe Smallwood Wednesday afternoon.

The ladies Home Demonstration club meets Tuesday afternoon at the auditorium. All the ladies are urged to be present as we have a very important meeting. Miss Adams is to meet with us and give instructions on the making of the home dress for the Fair.

The boyhood friends in Clarendon of Ocie Fair, will be glad to hear he has become manager of the new chain goods and clothing store of the C. E. Stone Company, recently opened at Perryton, Texas, Ochiltree County. Mrs. Ocie Fair, formerly Miss Eddyie Morris of Dallas, is in the piece goods department. Ocie is a brother of Mrs. Lafe Smallwood in this community. On the opening evening of the store each lady that entered was presented with a carnation, each man and boy with a neat little pocket note book, there were near two thousand people thronged through the store. A feature of the opening was a style show. Music was furnished by the Perryton Rhythm makers.

We were unable to have any Sunday school Sunday on account of the rainy weather, but everyone is rejoicing over the nice rain which fell so nicely for the cotton that was up and coming up.

Marcus McCrary of Hickman made a business trip to Memphis Thursday. On returning he stopped and chatted with friends in Brice.

Miss Gladys Estes spent the week end with home folks.

Little Earl Osborn is confined to his home this week with the measles.

Jason, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gossett is on the sick list.

Members of the Fullbright family have sufficiently recovered from the measles that they are able to be in our midst again.

Mr. and Mrs. Till Tice had as guest last week their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Odell Barker of Ashtola.

Miss Glynn Shepherd spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Frances Hatley visited friends in the Chamberlain community one day last week.

LELIA LAKE

The baccalaureate sermon for the Senior Class was held Sunday morning at eleven o'clock in the First Baptist church. After some songs by the choir and a special song by Julian Ewing the sermon was preached by Bro. McClung of Clarendon. It was a very inspirational sermon and one that will be remembered for many years by all who were present.

Immediately after the sermon Sunday morning the Senior class high school faculty and a number of guests drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Christal where an elaborate three course luncheon was served. The house was beautifully decorated in cut flowers and in the colors chosen by the senior class, green and white. The color scheme was carried out in each course served at the noon hour. On leaving the dining room the seniors were each presented with a doll robed in the grey cap

and gown. When the last course was served these were placed in the center of the table in a miniature yacht which was characteristic of the seniors sailing into the deep. At five o'clock in the afternoon after playing many interesting games and declaring Mrs. Christal the most marvelous hostess of the season the following guests departed: Misses Hessie Holland, Lucy Stogner, Alta Lewis, Vera Brinson, Dollie Watson, Margarette Christal, Jewel Lewis, Dora Kelly, Edith Moore, Gertrude Self and Lee Lewis; Messrs. Rex Reeves, Billie Christal, Hugh Knox High Blaylock, Orville Davis, Orville Mayo, Julian Ewing and Bro. McClung of Clarendon.

Miss Margarette Christal went to Amarillo Thursday where she was one of the contestants entered in a musical contest at the May Festival. She was entered by her piano teacher Miss Fray Stallings of Clarendon. She competed against thirty eight contestants. Her grade was ninety.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Jones of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor, the parents of Mrs. Jones.

Miss Edith Moroe of Flomot spent the week end with Miss Alta Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tatum spent Sunday with Mrs. Tatum's parents Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor.

Misses May and Eula Naylor and Mrs. Henry Tatum of Clarendon, also Mrs. E. L. Naylor of Waco were guests of Mrs. Guy Taylor Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Holland left Thursday morning for Gallup, New Mexico to be with her son Addis who is in a hospital as the result of an explosion in a rock quarry in which he was working in Arizona. At last report he was not thought to be in a serious condition.

McKNIGHT

Everyone is enjoyed the fine rain and we look for a bumper crop for this year. As soon as the winter weather is over planting will begin in earnest.

Regular prayer meeting was held at the school house last Wednesday evening under the capable leadership of Mr. Will DeBord. This was our first meeting for several months but we hope to perform great things in this good work.

Earl Jones visited home folks Saturday after the play at Chamberlain.

We are glad to report that Perry Neal is getting along nicely at the Memphis sanitarium.

Mr. W. H. Hill and his son Geo. and family went to Duncan, Okla. to get Ida Hill who has been attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Bales and Sunday school met Sunday despite the weather conditions, with a fair crowd in attendance. In our Sunday school race the Reds have some twenty present which the Blues had four. This gives the Reds an advantage. Come to Sunday school and join the Reds.

Ruth and Edna Douthitt accompanied the Dramatic club to Chamberlain last Friday night.

A very interesting mother's day program was given at Sunday school last Sunday under the expert direction of Mrs. Matthews.

Chester Walker and family visited Clarendon Saturday to attend to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Earthman moved into the gin office to await the vacancy to a house here. Mr. Earthman will work in the gin next year.

Mr. Curtis Pierce and wife returned last week from an extended trip to Friona, Texas, where he visited relatives.

Active practice has begun on our school program for the closing of school. Our school closes May 31st.

Mrs. Higdon's sister and husband are visiting them this week. They have been here for several days.

LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB RECEPTION

On Saturday afternoon Les Beaux Arts Club held its annual open house at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Ellis, featuring an exhibit of paintings by Harold Bugbee, local artist whose work is widely recognized.

The reception rooms were decorated with spring flowers, adding much charm to the setting.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. T. H. Ellis, Mrs. Homer Glascoe, Pres. of the club, and Mrs. Charles Bugbee, mother of the artist, assisted by Mmes. J. W. Evans, J. H. Headrick, Frank Bourland, A. L. Chase, W. C. McDonald, L. L. Swain, J. H. Morris, E. O. McCann

W. W. Taylor and Misses Ineva Headrick, Mary Howran, Temple Harris and Mae Lumpkin.

The dining room was a flower of beauty, white roses and golden California poppies carrying out the club colors. The guests were served with dainty refreshments and on leaving the dining room each was presented with an old fashioned nosegay by Maxine Ellis, Jean and Ruth McDonald.

The guests lingered in the reception rooms, viewing the canvasses, expressing much pleasure and appreciation of them.

Outstanding among many beautiful pictures was a late portrait of Col. Chas. Goodnight in a characteristic pose.

Of the large canvasses the chuck wagon is typical of the fast vanishing ranch life. The grouping of the horses and wagon pictured against the blue sky, in contrast to the warm foreground gives variety to the composition.

"Out of the Canyon" is a picture expressing much action. The foreshortening of the central figure showing splendid dartsmanship of the artist.

Mr. Bugbee spends part of every year at Taos, painting the Taos Indians. Several canvasses depicting their life and customs were shown. The formal arrangement and freshness of color expressed a feeling of the subject.

As a whole the collection contained a great variety of subjects and made an appeal to all who viewed the display.

A cordial invitation was extended to the members of the Pathfinder and McDowell club. The mothers Club.

The 1929 Book Club, the Home Demonstration Club and other friends.

Les Beaux Arts club has since its organization presented to the people of Clarendon two exhibits a year and hopes to continue to bring to lovers of the beautiful many more.

Pete Murrell of Wichita Falls spent the past several days here on a business mission. Pete owns 800 acres in fee joining the test on the west that is being put down north of town.

SUNNY VIEW

We are all rejoicing over the goods rains that have been steadily falling since Friday night. We now have a fine season and will soon be thru planting.

The good rains will greatly benefit the fruit crop and unless something happens to it there will be a big crop this time.

Ray Roberts and Mike Corbin of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Roberts.

Mrs. S. T. Clayton visited Mrs. Neal Bogard Friday afternoon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard and 8 3-4 lb. boy Friday morning, May 10, named Charles Millard, both mother and babe doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley motored to Amarillo Friday afternoon. Miss Orene accompanied them home for a week end visit.

The school taught by Mrs. Kim Dam and Mary Sue Watters will close Friday night May 17. Both rooms will together put on a program. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham and Miss Eula Haley attended Rebekah Lodge Friday night.

W. A. Bailey and Guy Jones drove to Abilene Wednesday to see the fromers parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bailey, they came back with them and will probably make Clarendon their home.

Mrs. Martin of Shattuck, Okla. and here two small children are here visiting her sister Mrs. Amos Smith.

Misses Eunice Griggs and Cliff McDowell spent Wednesday night with Mrs. C. E. Griggs. Both young ladies are teachers in the White Deer school.

Mrs. Olio Andis and daughter, Mary Adline, of Dallas, and Mrs. May of Electra visited relatives and friends in Clarendon last week.

Munroe Smith and C. L. Kinsey of Hedley are spending some time at Glen Rose for the benefit of their health.

Miss Powers, a niece of Mrs. L. H. Johnson, and a resident telegraph operator of Los Angeles, arrived Sunday night for a visit of several days.

Lem Taylor was in these parts the past week looking up old friends and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hurn are attending the Conference of the Methodist church at Shamrock and will also be in attendance on the big celebration of the arrival of the first train in Mobeetie over the new road Wednesday. The road from Clifton, Okla. to Pampa passed up old Mobeetie (Ft. Elliot)

by a mile and half to the north.

John Bass and S.B. Arnold made a business trip to Perryton returning thru the mud Saturday. John says there is no question the way, the wheat is looking the about the bountiful crops along best ever.

County attorney R.Y. King and Doc Howard made a trip to the Ft. Summer, New Meico country the past week. Mr. King was a resident of that section for a time and found few changes in the intervening years and the wide open spaces unsettled.

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CHAMBERLAIN

The play "Along the Missouri", put on by the McKnight school here Friday night, was well attended and a success in every way.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. White of Amarillo visited their daughter, Mrs. Clifford one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews of McKnight called at the Skinner home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Fletcher and daughter, Miss Mattie, of Windy Valley attended the play Friday night.

Loran Naylor of Clarendon was a caller in our burg the past week.

Miss Maude Bledsoe of Clarendon spent Thursday night at the Reid home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler of Hedley visited his father Sunday.

There was no Sunday school Sunday on account of the rain.

The Bryson family spent Sunday in Clarendon.

Miss Veta Haley of Clarendon attended the play Friday night.

There was no preaching Sunday afternoon and also the singing was rained out Sunday night.

Jimmie Millsap teacher of Hall county spent the week end with his parents.

J. A. Huffstutler and Eld Ad-uddell went fishing Friday.

night—he won't trouble us much after that."

"We'd better pay Slade a night visit, too," she said. Her feelings toward Slade had undergone a complete revision. She knew beyond a doubt that he had been responsible for the raid on Three Bar bulls. The wild bunch would have had no object in such a foray. Figuring it from any angle Slade was the only one man who could possibly derive any benefit from that. She had come to see that Slade was fighting with his back to the wall—that he had run his course and had come to the end of it if squatters secured a start in his range, and he considered the act of the Three Bar



She Whirled Papoose and Headed Back for the Ranch.

the opening wedge which would throw open the way for the nesters to crowd him out.

The evening of the following day the beef herd trailed into the lower end of the Three Bar valley and bedded for the night. In the morning the trail herd was headed for the railroad under a full crew, for Harris had kept all hands on the job.

The drove was a nondescript lot. In addition to the steers and older cows that comprised every trail herd, the off-color she-stock had been carefully culled from the range.

Harris pointed to the bunch. "Look that assortment over well, Billie," he advised. "A few seasons more, with fair luck, and you won't see one of these rainbow droves with every color from brindle to strawberry roan; none of these humpbacked runts; they'll all be gone. That's almost the last mongrel herd that will ever wear your brand. They'll run better every year until we have all big flat-backed beef stock—a straight white-face run."

The third morning out from the home ranch broke stormy. A nasty drizzle dampened the face of the world and laid its clammy touch on all living things. This condition prevailed all throughout the day and shortly after the cows had been milled and bedded for the night the drizzle turned to rain, now falling straight and soft, again in fierce squalls whipped by varying shifts of wind. A saddled night horse was nicked for every man. The wagon stood close under a hill while the herd was bedded on a broad flat at the mouth of a valley.

The soggy patter of the rain on her teepee lulled the girl to sleep but she was frequently roused. A dull muttering materialized suddenly into a sharp thunderstorm and the canvas walls of her teepee were almost continuously illuminated by successive flashes. The picketed horses fretted and stamped.

She dropped to sleep again but was roused by voices outside as the guards changed shifts and she estimated that it must be near morning, the fourth change of guards.

The sounds ceased as the men who had just been relieved turned in for their sleep. A horse neighed shrilly within a few yards of her teepee. Another took it up and an answer sounded from the flats. There was a crash of pistol shots, a rumble of hoofs and the instant command of Harris.

"Roll out! Roll out!" he called. "Saddles! On your horses!"

Even as he shouted there came the swish of wet canvas as the men tumbled from their beds rolls, the imprecations of the suddenly awakened. Billie thrust her head from the teepee flap, the water cascading down her neck. She saw Harris, bucking his belt as he ran, and the next flash saw him vaulting to Calico's back.

The thunder of hoofs drew her eyes to the bed ground where a black mass surged, then bore off up the valley. A scattered line of riders bore down on the herd, two ghostly apparitions among them throwing the cows into a panic of fear. She knew these for riders napping yellow slickers in the wind. As the light faded she saw three horizontal red streaks cut the obscurity and knew that one of her guards was in the midst of the rustlers, doing his single-handed best. The red splashes of answering shots showed on all sides of him. She tugged on her chaps and boots, slipped Papoose's picket rope and vaulted to his back.

The scene was once more illuminated as she rode from the wagon. A riderless horse circled in the flat, a dark shape sprawled near him, and she wondered which one of her men had gone down. A knot of horsemen were turning up an opening gulch on the far side of the valley. A half-dozen Three Bar riders veered their horses for the spot. Harris turned in his saddle and his voice reached her above the tumult.

"Let 'em go!" he shouted. "Let 'em go! Hold the herd!"

Far off on the opposite side she made out a lone horseman riding at a full run along the sidehill above the cows as he made a supreme effort to reach the head of the run. The Three Bar men split and streamed up both sides of the bottom. The flames flashed except for brief quivering plays of less than a second's duration. She hung her spurs into Papoose and trusted to his footwork. A half-flare showed the pinto a bare twenty yards ahead, with Harris putting him at the slope to pass the cows. She swung her own horse after him and she felt the frequent skid of his feet on the treacherous sidehill.

From the sounds below she knew they were well up on the flanks of the run and nearing the peak. The stampeede seemed slowing. A long, wavering flash revealed Harris a dozen jumps ahead. Papoose followed the paint-horse as Harris put Calico down the slippery side-hill and lifted him round the point of the herd. In the same flash Billie had seen two slickers out before the peaks of the run, flapping wildly in the faces of the foremost cows. This accounted for the slowing-up she had sensed. Two of her men were before them and she wondered how this had come to pass.

The lightning-play broke forth once more. She saw two riders swinging round the opposite point. The two slickers were working in the center. Harris' gun flashed six times. She jerked her own and rolled it. The two riders who had just rounded the far point joined in. Cows in the front ranks held back from this fearsome commotion out in front.

The storm ceased as suddenly as it had begun and for two miles she rode in lanky darkness. The run had spent its force. The new crop stepped and the cows gazed stupidly about, standing with drooping heads and heaving sides. Three Bar men showed on both flanks and in the rear. They had held the drove intact and prevented its splitting up in detachments and scattering through the night.

Horne and Moore rode over to them and for the first time the girl noticed that the two men who had wielded the slickers out in front were nowhere to be seen.

"Who was the pair out ahead?" Moore asked. "And what swallowed 'em up?"

Harris shook his head. "Billie and I were the first to make the front," he said.

"Not any," Moore stated positively. "I saw 'em five minutes before you two swung round the point. I was on guard and halfway up the far side. Split Ear took a header with me and delayed me some."

He pointed to the mud crusted on his clothes. Billie knew that he was the lone rider she had seen on the flanks of the herd as she rode away from the wagon. The fall accounted for their rounding the point ahead of him. Moore was looking off across the country.

"Do you mean to tell me you didn't see those two slickers flapping out in front?" he demanded. "I confess I didn't observe any," Harris said. "You're getting spooky, Moore. A couple of white cows, likely out ahead of the rest."

Moore regarded him curiously. "Maybe that's so," he said. "Waving their tails in the air, sort of." He grinned and turned his horse to head back a bunch that had drifted out of the herd.

"The boys made a nice ride," Harris said to Horne. "You float round from one to the next and tell 'em we'll have a feed. I'll ride back and send the wagon up."

Billie rode with him as he skirted the herd and started on the return trip. Her mind was occupied with the two riders who had slowed the run and disappeared. There had been something familiar about them. As she had viewed them in the lightning's flash they had closely resembled Bentley and Carp. But she decided that this resemblance had been but a fancied one, suggested by the fact that the two men had been much on her mind of late.

"We're not hurt bad," Harris said. "The boys held them bunched in good shape."

A hatred of Slade was growing within her. Here, too, was a case where no other would benefit by the senseless stampeede. If the beef herd could be broken up it would cause a delay to round it up in a strange range, with the certainty of many cows being missed—case of weakening the Three-Bar.

She had been so absorbed in learning the details of the new work, so elated at its progress, that she had come to believe in its ultimate success. And they had been unmolested for so long a time. Then had come the wanton slaughter of Three Bar bulls and now the stampeede of the trail herd. It was conclusive proof that Slade had abandoned his former wearing-down process as too slow and was out to crush the Three Bar in the speediest possible way through any available means.

Harris, too, was pondering over Slade's change of tactics. He felt assured that Slade's own men had not participated in starting the run. Slade would not let any considerable number of his boys know that much about him. Some of Lang's men had undoubtedly been hired to stampeede the Three Bar herd.

"The very fact that Slade is so bold with it is proof that he sees the necessity of crowding us fast," Harris said. "If we get too big a start he's blown up—and he hasn't anything to work on but plowed ground. We can expect a steady run of mishaps now, for he'll work fast—but we'll win out in the end."

She nodded a little wearily for she knew that with Slade throwing all this forces against her the Three Bar would be hard pressed. In addition to this worry her mind was concerned with the riderless horse she had seen as she rode away from the wagon, the huddled figure sprawled in the flat. Every Three Bar rider was a friend, and

she hesitated to hear which one of her men had gone down in the raid.

"Who was it?" she asked at last, and Harris divined that she was harkening back to the fallen night guard who had tried to head the raiders alone.

"I've been trying not to think about that," he said. "Lanky was a good pal of mine. I saw him go down, but I couldn't stop right then."

Evans occupied a place in her regard that was perhaps a notch higher than any other of the crew. "Can't we prove anything on Slade—do anything to stop him?" she demanded. "If they've killed Lanky, I'll perjure myself if it's the only way. I'll have Alden pick him up and I'll swear I saw him do the thing himself. He's as guilty as if he actually had."

"I've a bait or two for Slade," Harris said. "But that may prove too slow. If Lanky's gone under, I expect I'll have to pick a quarrel with Slade and hurry things along."

"Don't you?" she objected. For all of her confidence in Harris' efficiency in most respects, her implicit belief in his courage, she could not forget the awkward swing of his gun and she had a swift vision of him facing Slade without a chance.

A crash of wagon wheels and the voice of Waddles admonishing the horses interrupted her.

"How is Lanky?" was Harris' first query.

Waddles jerked a thumb over his shoulder. Evans, shot once through the arm and a second time through the shoulder, reclined on the triple-thickness bed roll the cook had spread for him on the floor of the wagon.

"He'll come round fine in a few days if we can keep him off a horse and riding comfortable in the wagon. I've give him orders to that effect."

Evans groaned. "He drives over places I wouldn't cross afoot," he complained. "Did you hold the run?"

Reassured on this point he flattened out on his pallet and the wagon held on toward the herd.

The weary cows were held over for a day of rest. The night gunshots were doubled and this precaution was maintained during the succeeding two stops before reaching the shipping point.

Harris and Billie sat on the top rail of the loading chute while the last few Three Bar steers were being prodded on board the cars.

Harris slipped from his perch and mottoned to Moore and Horne. "You can go up town now and take on a few drinks. Hunt up an old friend or two and wag your chins. Make it right secretive and confidential and make each promise faithfully not to breathe a syllable to another soul. That way the news is sure to travel rapid."

He returned to the girl as the stock train pulled out. Two hands waved a joyous farewell from the top of the cars, delighted at the prospect of a trip to market with the steers.

"I don't pretend to regret that old ride played even for Bangs," Harris said. "But I wish he'd sorted out some one else in the albino's place. It was bad business for the Three Bar when Harper went down."

"He was the head of the gang," she said. "The worst of the lot."

"And for that reason he was able to hold them down," Harris explained. "It was some of the outfit from over in the Breaks that stampeede us. Slade wouldn't let his own boys know that much about him, so he'd hire Lang. Harper had brains. He wouldn't have come in for that. Lang has thrown in against us. He's all bulk and no brains and as savage as an Apache buck. He'll hang himself in the end but in the interim he may hand us considerable grief."

PLEASANT VALLEY

All the farmers of our community are rejoicing over the nice rain and when it gets dry enough work will go forward with a push as planting has been delayed in this part on account of the uncertain weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins and children attended the commencement sermons in Clarendon Sunday.

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of the Sacajawea group of camp fire girls attended the picnic at the country club, given by the group last Friday evening, and spent the night with her aunt, Mrs. Joe Goldston.

Mrs. Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberson made a business trip to Memphis Friday.

Mrs. Morman of Memphis visited Mrs. Daton Shelton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberson were called Sunday to the bedside of Sams brother who is seriously sick in a hospital at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dunn of Clarendon Sunday.

Mrs. Morris and Miss Oma visited Mrs. Lonnie Morris Friday.

Mrs. J. R. Potter visited with Rowlin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Singleterry were dinner guests in the Sid Morris home Sunday.

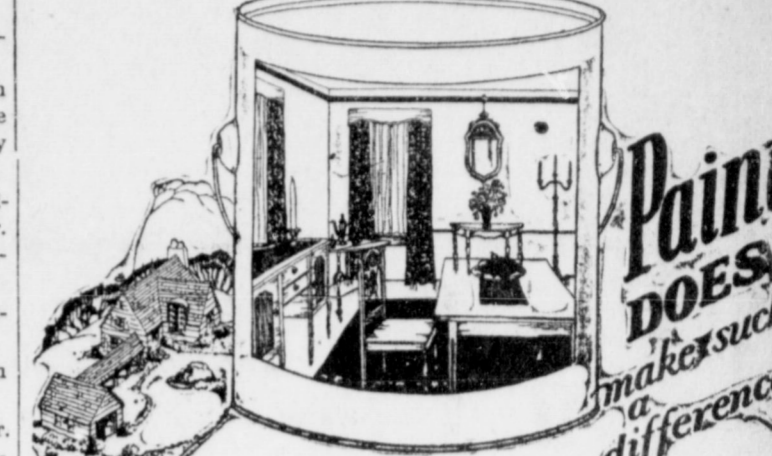
C. J., the 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Russell happened to the painful accident of breaking his arm Monday while playing on the barn with some other boys. We are glad to say he is doing nicely.

Mrs. John Goldston's sister, Mrs. Dewey Woods and daughter Frances Duella, Mrs. Kindree Rector and son Wilson Herbert, of McLean, her mother Mrs. J. T. Wilson of Clarendon were her dinner guests Tuesday.

Mrs. Stock Lamberson is back in the Wilder hospital this week for treatment of her ear. We are glad to say she is doing nicely and they are intending to bring her home today.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rutherford and the babies were down from Amarillo over the week end to visit relatives and friends. Jack is employed in an auto top shop and is doing well.

Mrs. Cal Merchant is sojourning at Hot Springs, New Mexico for the benefit of her health. Her many friends here will be glad to learn that she is finding the hot springs treatments very beneficial.



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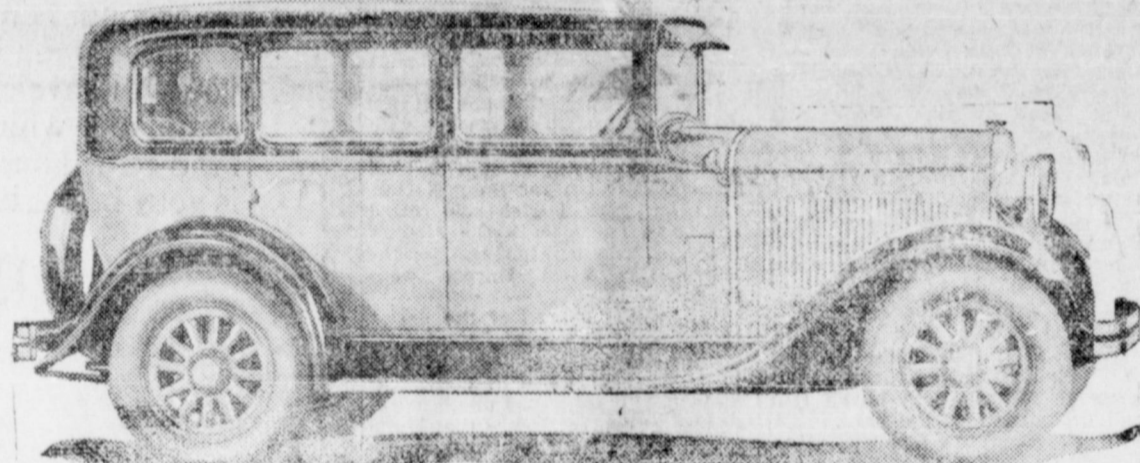
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