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HEDLEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL OPEN MONDAY

All Conditions Have Been Met Insuring Full Affiliation In All State Schools

The opening of Hedley's public schools next Monday, September 9th, will mark a new era in the school system of that industrious little town and is indeed an honor to the citizenship of that section. Three additional teachers have been employed over last term and more will be added as necessity demands.

A department of home economics has been added and the services of Miss Bonnie Lee Cook, a Smith-Hughes trained instructor, insures the success of this urgent necessity of many years.

A department of manual training has also been added this term with adequate equipment to meet the needs of the rapidly growing community.

W. C. Maxwell, as superintendent of the schools, has used excellent judgment in the selection of his faculty from a reading of the list of instructors employed. Sixteen college trained men and women will compose the faculties of the various departments.

Over thirty pupils have been transferred from other districts in order to avail themselves of the opportunity of attending a school on a par with the best in the Panhandle. The school will serve a large territory, many finding it possible to attend from a distance by use of a car.

Over eighty thousand dollars have been expended this year for buildings and equipment and further equipment for the present buildings will be added if necessary. Nothing will be left undone by a live school board that will enhance the success of the school and a large enthusiastic Parent-Teacher association will cooperate at every opportunity.

Ginners Prepare For Good Run This Season Despite Dry Season Of Two Months

Mr. H. Fitzgerald of the Fitzgerald gin fired up the last of the week trying out the new machinery and changes that have been made this season for the better handling of his patrons' cotton.

They are all set to quickly put the raw product in bale form. The Smith Bros. gin crew is on their toes rearing for the season to start. That force will wrap your bale in either round or square form and insure a good turnout. The round bale process having been installed during the past summer.

The Clarendon Gin crew near the end of the pavement on East First street were putting the finishing touches to their work of the summer Saturday. Mr. Kimball expects a good run this season and with the installation of all necessary new machinery feels that they will be able to take care of their trade in a manner that will be entirely satisfactory all-round.

Mr. McMahan of the Kimball gin is equally jubilant over the fact that Donley county has about the best cotton prospects to be found in the Panhandle if not the best, and has made every preparation to take care of the run from the first to the last bale. All machinery not in first-class condition has been renewed at this plant also.

Mayor Taylor Is Voted Most Useful Citizen In Local American Legion Contest

According to a decision of votes cast by the membership of the local Post of the American Legion, Mayor Henry W. Taylor was adjudged the most outstanding citizen of Clarendon.

These honors are bestowed upon one man in each town where a Post is operating and is an idea for furthering the interests of the public in good citizenship. Mayors of many towns over the state have been thus honored and it was an easy matter to decide upon the local mayor because of his deep interest in the affairs of his home town where he has resided for thirty odd years.

Ninety-One Teachers Attend The Two Day Institute Here

The outstanding event of the two day institute held here Monday and Tuesday of this week was the address of W. P. Clement, instructor in Texas Technological Institute of Lubbock Monday morning.

Ninety-one teachers are in attendance and not a moment has been lost during the two days. No picnics or side issues have distracted their attention from their studies, much has been accomplished. Inter-Scholastic League work was gotten under way and Mr. R. E. Drennan will have charge of that phase of school work for Donley county.

HEDLEY ATHLETICS WILL HAVE A NEW COACH

Fresh From Noted Dallas Summer Training Field Will Add Zest And Pep To Squad

The athletic training of the Hedley schools has long been one of the outstanding features of that section and many are the high records hung up by the various ball teams over the Panhandle.

This phase of the school work will be in charge of Mr. T. E. Payne this season. In addition to special training on the Dallas field this summer, Mr. Payne has had quite a bit of coaching experience in West Texas the past few years, is a Trinity man and an all-round trained athlete.

Since he has been instrumental in coaching winning teams in West Texas that hung up a score that made them all sit up and take notice, those interested may rest assured that the Hedley reputation will not suffer at his hands this season.

A schedule of games will be worked out by Mr. Payne at the beginning of school and the husky lads will have plenty of opportunity to show their metal in contests with some of the best squads in the Panhandle.

Of the boys of last season's successful games Charles Raines, Doc Webb, Jiggs Blankenship, Barton Armstrong and Wayne Hansard are rearing to go with a vim that will make the other boys break a record if these fellows don't win.

Of the new material, there is a live husky bunch with plenty of red blood. Merle Johnson, Clyde Bain and Frank Heffner are rearing to show their stuff. Not to be outdone by anyone is the general opinion of Horace Armstrong, Joe Everett and Oswald Watkins.

In further looking over the situation, the Coach will not be disappointed in Ruel Curtis or Clarence Davis. For further material ready to do battle on the grid there is still more good material in Harold Adamson, Clarence Davis, Radell Latimer, Hollis Stogner, Edgar Culwell, Woodley Richardson and Jess Alridge.

With this formidable array of fighting material, sports to the core and sticklers for a square deal and just as willing for the enemy to have the same thing, football fans might as well whet their bills for some good pickings in the football history that will be made before the close of the season.

Personal Satisfaction And Civic Pride Make For Beauty

One of the most beautiful spots in Clarendon is the yard of the Wilder Sanitarium. Being a stickler for sanitation, Dr. Wilder has exhibited this same trait all summer in yard cleanliness and the making of a bermuda grass campus.

Bordering the bermuda on the west is a privet hedge kept spic and span. On the north is a collection of flowers suitable to this section including zinnias, princess feather, touch-me-not and others with an occasional althea bush. Within the court is a beautiful clump of lilies in full blossom.

Just outside the Wilder property line to the rear is a bunch of weeds and Johnson grass. Such a contrast! What a pity that more do not beautify their spare spaces displacing weeds and trash with beautiful flowers.

BARBECUE WILL HELP ON GOLF TOURNEY MENU

Clarendon's First Invitation Golf Tournament to Be Outstanding Event for 1929

As the time draws near for the big golf tournament arranged by the local Hillcroft club, more and more is being added to the original program that means one of the biggest events of its class to be held in the Panhandle this season.

President Tom Connally announces the fact that the services of Frank Whitlock, noted barbecue expert, have been secured to look after the outdoor feed that is to be pulled at the Country Club next Friday evening, and to which golfers and their ladies have an urgent invitation.

In addition to the bathing facilities at the Club as a course of pleasure, visiting ladies will also be entertained in the homes of local golfers where special entertainment will be provided for their pleasure.

Clubs from Borger, Shamrock, Memphis and Panhandle have signified their intention of coming in force with the lone object in view of taking off the prize for attendance as well as prizes in which a great amount of skill is required. Some twenty-five valuable prizes are on the list and over a hundred entrants have lined up in hungry quest of actual cash to say nothing of the array of "finery" that tops the list.

Simpson Feed Mill Prepares To Care For Present Crop Saving Farmers Money

Farmers of this section consider themselves fortunate in having a hammer type feed mill at their doors as it were, where they may take their headed feed for grinding or trade it for other feed with little delay.

Mr. Simpson states that his part of the program is all in readiness to take care of the present crop and equipment necessary to grind all manner of feeds. Mr. Simpson's long years of experience in this line enables him to work out a balanced ration of feed for any purpose be it poultry or stock feeds.

In addition to the regular feed line, this mill will also grind corn making a high class of meal and also graham flour. This particular make of flour sells on the market at a high price but it is now possible to buy it at this mill or bring in wheat and have your own grain made into the most healthful flour to be had.

Notorious Character Now Inmate Of Sheriff Owenby's Jail At Borger Under Guard

Whitey Walker, alleged bad man, was returned to the Stinnett jail again Sunday, Sheriff Joe Owenby having brot him back from Colorado Springs on a requisition. He had been picked up for the Lamar, Colo. bank robbery but evidence would not bear out the charge of connection with this affair.

Whitey Walker escaped from the officers at Borger in 1927 while being tried for the murder of Deputy Sheriff Pat Kenyon. He is also under indictment for the murder of Coke Buchanan and A. L. Terry, former peace officers of Borger who figured in his capture almost two years ago.

Sheriff Owenby and two deputies brot Walker back handcuffed and even at that found a pistol strapped to his leg when he was searched just before being placed in the Stinnett jail Sunday morning according to a bystander who was present. Walker is scheduled to go to trial at Stinnett during the October term of district court.

The Soc Dolarger home at Gouge Eye was lit up with gun play and bootleg Monday night when the three sons home on a furlough threw a wild party in honor of thirteen of their friends.

No unusual excitement marred the occasion the only happening of note was the shooting of the grandmother by Soc's oldest boy when she stumbled over a can of hooch. Justice was sure and swift and when arraigned in court next day and asked by the judge if he had anything to say before being acquitted, the defendant stated that "if he had known he would have to go thru so much red tape he might not have shot her."

Some of the neighbors were surprised at the outcome of the case and really expected the boy to receive a ninety nine day furlough.

R. F. MORRIS WRITES LETTER

In a letter received too late for publication this week, R. F. Morris writes an interesting account of the cotton conditions as a result of observations from here to South Carolina.

Mr. Morris states that cotton east of the Mississippi is badly infested with red rust and that there is no chance for a top crop. It is his opinion that cotton will be scarce this year and feed much scarcer he having seen no corn until he reached the Carolinas.

INDICTMENT HILL MURDER CASE BY AMARILLO JURY

Grand Jury Returns Indictment Against Truck Line Man in Fatal Stabbing

No case in the annals of the Panhandle has aroused more public interest than that of the fatal stabbing of Oliver C. Hill, Jr. at the rodeo at Amarillo July 4th, which resulted in his death some three weeks later.

A grand jury session at Amarillo Friday returned an indictment against C. S. (Pete) Williams charging him with the crime, which is said to have begun when Williams stumbled over Hill's feet.

Officers were at a loss some time to account for the sudden disappearance of the guilty party and it is largely through the efforts of J. R. Bain, Donley county commissioner and nephew of Hill, that Williams was arrested after Hill's death.

At a preliminary hearing, Williams' bond was set at \$7500 to await the action of the Grand Jury. It is alleged that Williams has never denied being implicated, but claims self defense alleging that Hill was armed with a knife. Others have denied that Hill had any means of defense other than his naked fists and was attacked with a knife unawares.

While no trial date has been set, the case will likely come up at the next term of the district court at Amarillo. Williams has employed E. T. (Dusty) Miller to defend him in the case.

Owing to the high standing of Mr. Hill in Donley county and around Ashtola where he resided, large numbers of citizens from this county are expected to attend the trial.

Donley's Cotton Report Made By Local Farmers Will Average Fourth Of Bale

Despite the dry weather in some parts, and the late worm scare, it is now generally agreed among gin men and cotton farmers that old Donley will market an average of a fourth of a bale to the acre this season.

Northeast Donley county has the best crops where the yield will come close to that of the average year due to rains which were not recorded in other sections of the county.

Brice Valley, the best cotton section of Clarendon's trade territory will be pushed to make a half crop according to reports made by farmers from there Saturday. East of Brice, little cotton will be made at all. Dry weather is their only trouble, but that is enough.

Reports from the county embracing Windy Valley average the crops up for a fourth of a bale and in some instances a half bale to the acre.

Lelia Lake, and especially the more favored farms on subirrigated land, will make close to a bale to the acre. That section of the cotton belt in west of Clarendon is spotted, but is said to be good for the usual fourth of a bale.

The northern part of the county is very spotted and while some will make a fourth of a bale, other crops will not average more than a fifth on the higher land. Terracing in that section is demonstrating its value with a vengeance this season and more of it will be done this winter.

Most of the farmers who grow feed are of the opinion that they will make enough to run them thru to next year by using economical methods. Some few crops are good and these farmers will have feed to sell.

In speaking to farmers over the county about crops, one thing is especially noticeable—they are going in stronger for the Jersey cow. Not only that, they will depend more on poultry and will stock up with the best to be had.

Miss Mary Hazel Hurn is attending the institute at Lubbock this week, after which she will have charge of the department of home economics of the Post high school for the next term.

J. N. Morris of Pampa is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. M. Morris.

Clarendon Public Schools Open Tomorrow With Program At College Auditorium

Beginning with a program at 9 Wednesday morning, the 1929-30 term of school will be in full swing. Registrations for the College department may be made from 9 to 12 in the morning and from 1 to 3 in the afternoon at the College office.

Tenth and eleventh grades should register from 9 to 12. Ninth grade 1 to 3 in the afternoon. Junior High opening exercises will be held at 9 a. m. After which grades 6, 7 and 8 will receive their assignments.

Grades 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 should report at the South Ward school

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF LELIA LAKE OPENS WED.

Nine Teachers Are Employed With Two New Additions To Faculty Of Last Year

Announcement is made of the opening of the Lelia Lake Public schools this Wednesday, September 4th. Practically the same teaching force will instruct this season as last.

The Lelia Lake schools occupy a unique position in the public school history of Donley county in that the various teachers with the two exceptions, have served the patron's of that community more than a year.

E. R. Reeves, Jr. principal of the schools, will begin his sixth year with this term. Mr. Reeves is one of our most progressive teachers, an able instructor and liked by both pupils and patrons. As principal of the school system, he has done much to build up the school and is appreciative of the fact that he has the good will and kindly cooperation of the Parent-Teacher association, the School Board, pupils and patrons.

M. S. Kavanaugh will occupy the position of principal this term. He comes well recommended for his executive ability and success as a teacher in some of the best schools of the state.

Miss Lucy Stogner will have charge of the English in the high school. This is her second year and with a reputation already established as a successful teacher, the pupils of her department look forward to the opening day with pleasure.

Miss Nan Potter, who begins her second year this term, will have charge of mathematics and Spanish classes. Miss Potter has resided in this district for many years and has a reputation for being one of the best teachers of the county.

In the grades Miss Lorene Stogner begins her first term. Her work in other schools is highly complimented and she will be a valuable acquisition to the faculty.

Miss Vera Brison begins her third year with even brighter prospects having begun her work in this school when the equipment was somewhat more limited than at present. That her efforts in the grade work have met with success is without question.

Miss Vera Garland begins her second year with enthusiasm due to her natural talent as a teacher and her love for her chosen line of work. Miss Vera is very popular with her pupils and gets good results in her classes. As a grade teacher she has front rank.

The primary department will be presided over by two instructors, Miss Layma Taylor and Miss Alta Lewis. This is Miss Taylor's second year at Lelia, and Miss Lewis is in her first year. More tact and skill are required in the primary department, and the fact that these young ladies have made good in their work redounds to their credit.

Over a thousand dollars has been spent on equipment, remodeling and the preparation of new study hall and desks since last term. The citizens of Lelia are proud of their school and with the three additional credits gained, feel sure that it will be raised to fifteen with the beginning of the 1930 term. Mr. Kavanaugh will have charge of athletics this season, for which he is well trained and some interesting basketball games are scheduled for the near future.

H. D. CLUBS HAVE BIG SALE HERE ON SATURDAY

Success of First Venture Will Induce Them To Hold Sale Again Next Saturday

The first sale held by the members of the Donley County Home Demonstration Clubs at the Utilities office Saturday was a decided success according to Miss Harvey Thompson, county demonstrator. Practically all of the offerings were sold long before the closing hour, and the demands of the public was clearly outlined in the demand for special products.

Cakes, butter, dressed chickens, corn, peas, melons, preserves, jelly, etc. made up the list of offerings. Ladies calling late for choice foods to supplement their Sunday dinner, were sadly disappointed.

The above list will be largely increased next Saturday according to Miss Thompson who realizes the necessity for buying farm products at home and keeping the money paid for these products where it belongs. She is further of the opinion that the high class of products offered at the fair price charged for them, will easily double the sales next Saturday thereby opening up a market for home products such as has never before been known in Clarendon.

Mrs. O. L. Pink, chairman of the County Council of women's clubs announces that Mrs. L. B. Merrill of Ashtola, Mrs. Roy Beverly of Chamberlain and Mrs. S. E. Harris of Goldston will compose the committee in charge of the Home Demonstration Club market next Saturday which will again be held at the office of the West Texas Utilities Company. "Sell at home, buy at home, keep the money in your county" is the slogan adopted by the enterprising club ladies.

Memphis Boy Of Thirteen Will Attempt Flight In Plane Of His Own Construction

While he may never have had a crack at Edison's recent contest, Memphis boasts a young America's youngest airplane maker in the person of Bobby Ragsdale, young son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ragsdale, of that city.

When school closed in the spring, this enterprising youngster of unusual mechanical skill began to seek an outlet for his pent up mechanical energy. What could be more alluring than an airplane?

Space behind a garage where he could have ready access to tools was arranged for and the kindly acquaintance of a welder and solder man in the person of L. E. Clark was soon made. The foundation frame work was soon taking shape under the skill of Bob who had visions ahead of flying among the clouds.

A Lawrence engine and propeller was imported. The rest is home spun and will develop 28 horsepower under ordinary circumstances. Before the final flight, the builder expects to have the machine given the once over by an experienced pilot before Bob takes the air.

Panhandle Chain Tire Store Opens For Business With Full Line Of Stock

The Panhandle Chain Tire Store which opened for business the past week in the Cantelou building has been a busy place since the arrival of the first truck load of tires according to the manager, Mr. Homer McElroy. Tires before the store were placed and classified.

Several truck loads have been brot down from Amarillo, the central shipping point for their chain stores which includes Panhandle, McLean, Memphis and Clarendon, the latter being the home office and headquarters of the chain.

It is the intention of the new firm to use newspaper space in telling the public what they have to offer together with a full list of prices, a page ad will be found in this issue.

Clarendon exstudents of A&M College expect to poll the largest attendance at a banquet given in honor of exstudents at Amarillo Thursday.



Thurston B. Price of Lake Junaluska, N. C. who will hold the protracted revival at the Methodist Church beginning Sunday

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GROUCHITS

Right now when the weather man appears to have neglected his job, a great many men sit around and cuss the government and how about hard times while their neighbors make a daily market trip with cream, eggs, melons, tomatoes and other products.

The grouch pays a penalty in ill health, loss of money and opportunity. The optimist takes each handicap as a matter of fact and at once begins to devise some scheme to overcome it. He has no time to cuss the only government that gives him an opportunity and it is immaterial to him what brand of politics or religion you have so long as you pay cash for his wares.

HOMEBUILDERS

A recent writer in a letter to a well known daily deprecates the fact that the world suffered an incalculable loss in the death of the lady in the recent flying derby while crossing Arizona. His contention is based on the fact that the world might have lost useful, brainy men which she might have left as her heritage.

The death is most regrettable but those kind of women do not become the mothers of men very often. The woman who prefers to have her cheeks kissed by the breezes rather than baby lips, or prefers to listen to the crooning of a motor rather than the lispings of a babe, or prefers the plaudits of a gaping public more than her Maker, is not a home-builder by any means.

RETURN WEEK

In some sections of the state, a week has been designated as "pay up" week. Would it not be a good idea to also have a "return week"? This will give the women folks a chance to return the eggs, flour, coffee, soda and practically every form of eatable and cooking utensil borrowed from the neighbor. Very often a little matter of a personal kitchen loan is forgotten.

The forgetting does not amount to much, but the standing of a neighbor is often held in jeopardy because of a chronic borrowing habit. When the grocer's telephone is a handy medium by which one may obtain quick service, borrowing at once becomes suspicious and the borrower's name a subject for discussion over many back yard fences.

This should not only apply to the women folks. How many hammers, saws, chisels and car tools are scattered among your neighbors? When it comes to modern day gossip, the men folks have the women backed off the map. Not only that—the men use more forceful language in discussing a chronic borrower.

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HORNS OF FAMOUS BELL STEER OF JA HERD DISPLAYED IN MUSEUM

Canyon, Aug. 11—The horns of the longhorn steer, Old Blue, the famous bell steer that led so many JA herds north to Dodge City, Kansas, have come to rest in the museum of the historical society at Canyon, thru the loan of the executors of the Adair estate, T. D. Hobart of Pampa and Henry C. Coke of Dallas.

For years they have hung above the door of Clinton Henry's office, the present manager of the ranch.

Old Blue was born in the Nueces country of Texas. He was brought to the Panhandle as a young steer and was selected by Colonel Goodnight as a lead steer. Every night upon the trail, the bell which had rattled around his neck all day long, guiding the steers that followed him, was muffled. The clapper was released by a cowboy of a morning and as soon as the bell started ringing the herd knew that it was time to move and set out upon the trail of Old Blue.

He accommodately led these herds into the shipping corrals of Dodge City, but always turned back down the trail with the cowboys when they again started for the ranch. He was led 250 miles to the JA's walking with the stride of a horse. His last years were spent on the ranch, independent in his old age because of the period of usefulness which had earned him these rights.

The horns measure four feet from tip to tip.

Mail Order Houses Fire Tons Of Catalogs At Panhandle

The mail order houses evidently expect to reap a rich harvest in the Panhandle this season if the number of new catalogs are any indication. A broadside of several tons were fired at the public the past week.

These catalogs are shipped in car lots to various cities over the state. They are first placed in mail bags and routed with the usual tag in the slot mail bag process before they leave the printer. When the car reaches its destination, the bags are simply removed to the postoffice and go right into the mails.

Mrs. W. B. Holtzclaw and sons Carroll, J. D. Frank and Truitt are spending a vacation period with friends and relatives near Grinnville, New Mexico.

Some Fishing Trip But No Way To Prove It

Without either the consent or knowledge of their many former friends, Dave Johnson and Rudolph Weidman maliciously absquatted for parts unknown last week. Now they show up again and began to tell wonderful stories of fish caught in the Pidas Nagras river or lake Mona or some such a place way out in the wilds of New Mexico among the natives.

Just as soon as these parties broke out, Jim Rutherford and Jim Headrick were instantly appointed a listening committee to censor the stories before permitting an innocent public to hear the stuff. Jim Rutherford is exhibiting fish scales as large as a dollar, said to have been handed him by the erstwhile Dave in proof of his having caught a fish that weighed forty pounds only that particular fish escaped back into the river.

Another fish was dragged on to the bank by Rudolph and clubbed into submission by Dave. The reptile was of immense size when cut open contained a diamond ring and a Spanish coat of arms used by some Carbeza de Bacas crowd three hundred years ago. While scraping the fish Jim discovered what appeared to be newspaper print and upon closer examination found it to be an imprint of a copy of Jim Ferguson's Forum wherein he protested the deluge of disgust that would overtake Texas should furlough Dan get into the chair.

After eating a dishpan of the fish fried up to a strawberry brown, the natives were fed to their fill for the first time since Armejo saw the country back in 1867. After going to bed these honorable gentlemen discovered chipmunks eating on the fish carcass. They could be seen in the dark but when Rudolph turned his flashlight on them, the animals suddenly turned color and could not be seen in the light.

Dave declared he had never been outwitted by any animal not even a mule and grabbed the trusty old fish club and waded into the chipmunks. He soon discovered his mistake when the animals were found to have short legs on one side and long ones on the other which plainly proved to him that he had discovered the fabled wall-popechus, hunted by scientists since the days of Noah's overflow. Dave swung his club at the strange animal as it went round the mountain and felt sure that it would be maimed for life. Instead the blamed thing turned wrong side out

Farm Board Chairman



Alexander Legge, President of the International Harvester Company, who has become Chairman of President Hoover's Federal Farm Board.

throwing the short legs again up hill, passed between Dave's feet and got away.

STILL RED-BLOODED AMERICANS

Some persons claim that young people today are short in their moral standards. This is a mistake. They may be freer in their actions but they are better informed on social pitfalls than were their brothers and sisters a generation ago. We read about slick-haired sheiks and flapping flappers but we overlook the army of wholesome young Americans who are interested in manly and womanly sports.

Artificial civilization has not taken away from the majority of us our delight in the primitive things of life—camping, hunting, fishing, horseback riding, mountain climbing, etc. A large percentage of magazines and books are devoted to stories of action, adventure, frontier happenings and deeds of heroism.

Nancy Ann is the name of the little lady who will make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Nobles—weight 9½ pounds.

Miss Emma Sheffield of Dallas is visiting her sister, Mrs. Melvin Cook.

A MOTTO

I would be true for there are those who trust me;
I would be pure, for there are those who care;
I would be strong, for there is much to suffer;
I would be brave, for there is much to dare;
I would be friend of all—the friendless;
I would be giving and forget the gift;

I would be humble, for I know my weakness.

I would look up—and laugh—and love—and lift.
—Howard Arnold Waite.

Mr. and Mrs. Will C. McDonald and children were Carlsbad Cavern visitors recently. Over a hundred families from this section have visited this "Eighth Wonder" from Clarendon alone this summer.

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West Texas Utilities Company

FREAK COTTON IS DISCOVERED NEAR MATHIS

Cotton Blooms With Mature Cotton in the Blooms Is Found on Mathis Farm

J. H. Boatright of Mathis has discovered something new in cotton production. Last month when this cotton was blooming profusely he found three cotton blooms with mature cotton in the blooms. The immature bolls were at the base of the blooms apparently normal, but when the blooms opened they were filled with mature cotton. Mr. Boatright planted some of the seed and found that they were fertile and would germinate.

County Agent Donald took one of the blooms to A. & M. College and gave it to the cotton breeding department of the Experiment Station. Cotton breeding specialists there said that there were little hopes that the freak cotton would reproduce and there could be but little economic value in the discovery, however, if it could be reproduced, its factor of earliness could be carried on, and possibly get an earlier cotton.

HEDLEY

Mrs. J. B. Parrack of Amherst and little daughter Dolly Fern are here visiting her parents.

The Baptist Revival is still going on, and they are having some wonderful services, every one is invited to attend.

Mr. J. B. Masterson has returned from the eastern markets, and with him a lot of fall goods.

Capt. Nat. S. Pyrine and family of Amarillo were here Wednesday on a visit with the Capt. father, Dady Pyrine.

Mr. L. M. Grundy and son of Memphis were here Thursday visiting in the Edwards home.

Mr. R. F. Newman of Wellington is here with his parents this week on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tucker of Estelline made a visit with Mrs. Tucker's parents Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Butler left Saturday for Dimmitt, where they are to join the "Merry Makers Show". They have played with these people before. Mr. Butler has been with the Hedley Motor People, and will be missed from there. We are sending much success with them.

Tony Watkins of McKnight and Pete Newman motored over to Memphis Friday.

Mr. Eddie Hartley of Plainview is here spending the week.

Mrs. Luther Grundy and Mrs. Angus Huckby and little daughter Mary Sue, of Memphis were visiting in the J. T. Adamson home Wednesday afternoon.

Little Miss Inez Ewen is visiting her uncle in Ashtola this week.

Miss Irene Beaty visited in Memphis this week.

The Library in the new City Hall is kept open every Friday afternoon by one of the 1919 club members. Everyone is invited to come and read the books, the collection is very good. Mrs. Hobert Moffitt was librarian this Friday.

Misses Cloteal Moreman and Neta Culwell returned from Denton Saturday. They have been in school there the past several weeks. Miss Cloteal is teaching again in the schools here.

Mr. Roberts who is with the Ft. Worth & Denver railway spent the week end in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vineyard motored to Turkey last Wednesday. Mr. Vineyard was looking after farming interests there.

Mr. T. D. Nored of Clarendon, and Mr. Charles Lowry went over to Memphis Tuesday to a meeting with the Lion's Club. They report good eats and entertainment.

Mrs. R. B. Adams returned Tuesday from Childress, where she has been with her sister under the care of the Dr. She is only here for a few days on business. She intends going back for further treatments.

Miss Mollie Newman, R. F. and her mother, motored over to Estelline Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Powell left Thursday for their new home in Shamrock. Gordon has been with the M&M Co. for the past few years, and was a clever business man. The people will miss him from the store.

The old landmarks of Donley county are fading away as time goes on, everything changes. One can look around and find only a few buildings and landmarks of twenty years ago. The old home place of J. T. Adamson, (better known as Uncle Tommie) is be-

ing torn down and replaced by a new one. The old house has withstood many a snow of the winter and lots of rain and sun of summer. The family lived there for about 18 years, when Uncle Tommie with his family moved to Hedley, and his son Simon took charge of the farm.

Simon has lived in the house 11 years, and says that it is time to have a new one. Simon did not let his father know that the old house was being torn away, but drove to town and had him go out with him, and very much to his surprise he saw men tearing down, what he had built 28 years ago.

The new house is to be a six room stucco building with modern equipment. As we see these advances made every day, it looks like Donley county is a good place to call home.

The Hick's have returned from a visit with their daughter and son in Los Angeles, and other points. They report a wonderful trip and saw many of the sights to be seen, however, Mr. Hicks said they never saw them all for there were too many.

Mr. H. A. Hoggard of the Rio Grande Valley is here on a visit with his son. Mr. Hoggard has been away from Hedley for several years, yet there is a place here for him as he was here for many years. He has happened to a great misfortune of losing his eye sight. It does seem too bad, yet his health is good, and you speak to him and he will quickly know your voice.

The work on the new school building is going on just fine and will be ready for use at the time it was estimated. This building will be a modern up to date building and the best of its kind.

E. Bryson and family returned recently from a vacation trip to central Texas points including Seymour, Dublin and Gustine. Mr. Bryson went out to hunt something better than he had at home, but certainly failed to find it, according to a statement made in the Leader office Friday. He did see plenty of dry wells and crops burned up, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. King and son Thomas of Vernon were visitors in the C. A. Wright home the past week.

The C. A. Wright family is enjoying a visit from Grandma D. B. Kiblers and Mr. Curtis Turner of Olten.

TEXAS THIRD STATE IN TOTAL NUMBER OF TORNADOES SUFFERED

Texas is the third State in the United States in the number of tornadoes suffered through an eight-year period, statistics tabulated by Herbert C. Hunter of the United States Weather Bureau, Washington, disclose.

Arkansas and Kansas have even more than Texas for this period and Missouri and Oklahoma are runners-up.

During last year, Red Cross officials report fifteen tornadoes in this area that have called for help from the official agent of the Government in disaster relief, an assistance that cost the Red Cross \$250,000. There are today 800 families still being helped to their feet financially and morally as a result of tornadoes. Red Cross officials report.

LETTERS FROM FRIENDS

There is a good deal of unconscious humor in some advertising. This is usually apparent only to those with a special sense of humor and does not really affect the value of the copy as seen by millions of readers. This hidden humor in some of our national advertising played upon under the caption of "Letters From Friends," is here reproduced:

Ivory Soap Company, New York, N. Y.

Gentlemen: I wish to testify that your soap has not only given me health but life. Recently during a shipwreck, I remembered your slogan, "It Floats." Frantically rushing from bathroom to bathroom, I collected a pillow case full of your buoyant product. With confidence I flung myself and case into the briny deep. Instantly I rose to the surface and on the next rising wave was washed clean to shore.

Yours 'til Ivory sinks,
CANN T. SWIM.

Blisterine Co., Sweet Briar, Pa.
Gents: For many years people shunned me and no one ever told me why. After reading your startling facts I became convinced I had Halitosis. I started using your meritorious product and now am pleased to state that wherever I go large crowds stop me and beg me to let them smell my breath.

Breathlessly your,
I. X. HALE.

Fleshman's Yeast Co.
Dear Sirs: I have eaten four or five cakes of your delicious stuff every evening and now will state



Daredevil at 69
Mrs. Susan D. Grove, of Hagerstown, Md., 69 year old mother of five children, plans to take a trip over Niagara Falls in a rubber ball this year. She says she's not in the least bit afraid.

Mrs. Mattie B. Newsom of Ft. Worth spent the week end here with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Mrs. Gill Shaw Blount of Abilene, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cooper and children of Floydada, are visiting in the F. B. Thomas home.

that I have no trouble at all rising in the morning. My waist has increased 15 inches. I am fully convinced that Yeast is Vest. I am so full of vitamins and vitality that I break up the furniture daily. My wife now contemplates giving me a permanent vacation.

I can never thank you enough.
FULLER VIM.



"Nerves"
DO they harass you by day and keep you awake at night?

Don't neglect them. They'll ruin your charm and beauty, alienate your friends, interfere with your business and social success.

When you're nervous, take Dr. Miles' Nervine. It's the prescription of a successful Nerve Specialist put up in convenient form especially for people in your condition.

Dr. Miles' Nervine is now made in two forms—Liquid and Effervescent Tablet. Both are the same therapeutically.

Full Size Bottle \$1.00
DR. MILES' NERVINE Liquid

Colorado Cannibalism History Is Brought To Light Again By Recent Gun Discovery

With the finding of an ancient gun in Dead Man's Gulch near Slum Gullion, Colo. the past week tales of Colorado's only case of cannibalism is again revived. The gun found is supposed to have been that used by Alfred Packer when he slew five miners in 1873.

Packer, who died last year, spent nearly 40 years in prison, charged with the murder of five miners, with whom he ventured into the hills here in the Winter of 1873. The party went against the advice of Indians, who recommend-

ed they wait until Spring.

Six weeks later Packer appeared at the Los Pinas Indian Agency near here with a large sum of money and told a tale of the desertion of his five comrades.

A few days later Indians found the bodies of the five men, and discovered what were said to be unmistakable signs of cannibalism in connection with the murder.

Packer was arrested. Around his trial the issue of cannibalism hung, but never was definitely proven. On the witness stand Packer said that one of the men died and the other four had eaten his body and then died themselves. Packer was released from prison

several years ago. Throughout his long imprisonment he denied the killings.

The father of the editor of this paper was present when Packer was brought in and attended the trial. Even in that day of swift justice, the public was not quite sure that Packer was guilty or even sane, and that was the reason he was given a penitentiary sentence instead of being swung up as was often done back in the early history of that state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Staniford of Childress visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Duckett Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ready For The SEASON'S GINNING

We have recently completed our annual overhauling of our equipment and are glad to announce that our Gin is in *FIRST CLASS* condition for—
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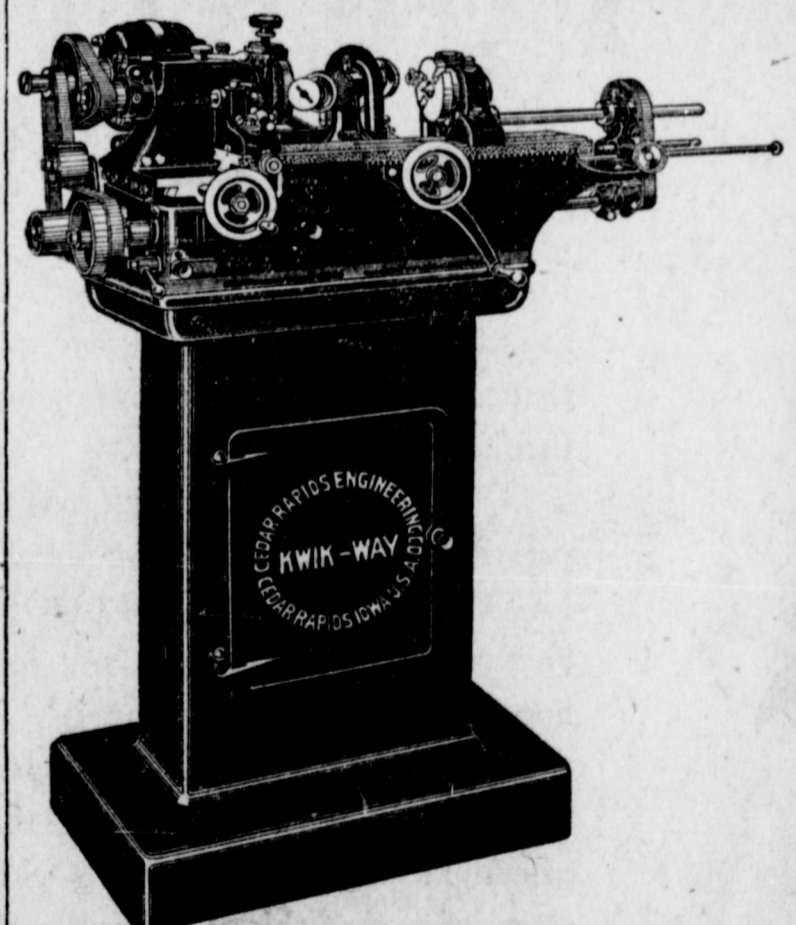
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The Kwik-Way System is a scientific, effective mechanical process of the utmost precision and accuracy—down to the thousandth of an inch. Its use results in perfect compression tight joints between the valves and the valve seats. It puts new pep in old motors and makes new motors better.

Drive in. Let us show you. Let us look over your valves. "No charge for Consultation. COME!"

FINIS HARP'S AUTO HOSPITAL

Holland Building

A SURPRISE FOR YOU

In looking over specials as advertised by grocerymen over the country, I am reminded of the little story as follows:

Little Girl. "Mamma I have a surprise for you."
Mamma. "What is it dear?"
Little Girl. "I have swallowed a nail."

If you were to attempt to live on the SPECIALS alone that are offered, you would feel like you had swallowed a nail in a short time.

IT'S STAPLES THAT COUNT

And when it comes to staple groceries—the kind you buy the most of and have to have—we make you dandy good price and we don't mean maybe. Yep, and we keep a bunch of specials on hand too at special prices if you want them

A. N. WOOD Grocery

The Place to Buy Your Eats

ASHTOLA

The Baptist meeting started Sunday morning with Rev. Patton doing the preaching and Mr. Dodd of Alvord, Texas leading the singing. Every one is invited to come and help in the meeting.

Buster Russell of Ft. Worth is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Allen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shores and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Taylor of Lelia Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Caldwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Adkins Mace and son of Lelia Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Whit Calcote and daughter, Richard Dowell and Dude Dowell of Abernathy and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glispy and family were all dinner guest in the A. L. Wallace home Sunday.

Mr. Jerry Hayter who has been working in Nebraska came home Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Reed and family and Mr. Edd Lovell visited Mrs. Reed's father, Mr. Tucker at Canyon Sunday and Mrs. Reed will visit relatives there a few days.

Misses Mary Lovell, Irene Collier, Nona Henson, and Helen Parker visited Lavera and Ima Poovey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee and daughter of Washburn visited Mr. and Mrs. John White Sunday.

Miss Vera Johnson visited Miss Onata Hayter Sunday.

Miss Ima Poovey spent Sunday night with Miss Helen Parker.

Mr. Albert Madson of Paducah, Mr. Sam Allen and Carl Adams of Belton spent a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hitchcock.

Mrs. Ira Eiers of Amarillo and son Gordon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Gregg and family.

Mrs. R. H. Roberts and son Junior returned home Sunday after a few days visit with friends at Pampa.

Miss Vera Johnson spent Tuesday night with Miss Beatrice Randal.

Miss Ima Poovey visited Miss Irene Collier Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shores made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nowlin and daughter spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Swinburn and family.

Mrs. A. L. Allen and family made a business trip to Hedley Tuesday.

Miss Velara Black of Canyon spent a few days the past week with Miss DeEtte Reed.

Mr. Odell Williams has been seriously ill the past week.

Mr. Gene Payne's cousin from Snider, Oklahoma is spending a few weeks with him.

Mrs. Wallace and family of Stillwater, Oklahoma visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wallace and family Tuesday night.

Miss Ruth Butler of Claude is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jerdon.

Mr. Buster Russel went Wednesday to visit his uncle, Mr. Kiser at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kimpson and son and Mr. and Mrs. Eddings visited in Mrs. J. S. Hayter's home

Screen Star to Wed



Carol Dempster, screen star, took out a license at Los Angeles to marry Edwin Larsen, investment broker.

Wednesday.

Miss Alice Lawrence of Hedley came Thursday to visit her sister Mrs. Sam Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey and family visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Collier and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nix of Farwell, Texas are visiting Mr. Nix's uncle, Mr. Elsie Gregg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawrence and family of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. Goble Barker visited in the A. L. Allen home Friday night.

Mr. Auburn Eddings who has been visiting friends at Petersburg returned home the past week.

Miss Irene Collier spent Friday night with Lavera and Ima Poovey.

Miss Alice Lawrence visited Miss Vera Johnson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McClellan visited in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sauter are the proud parents of a new baby boy.

Frankling Tate Blackburn of Dallas who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. W. A. Poovey and family returned home Saturday night.

Mrs. Flora Boles from Goldston is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henson.

Miss Gladys Holley and brother Robert left for Olton Thursday where Miss Gladys will teach school this next term and Robert will enter school.

NEW PHASE OF WAR

Put the hammock in the attic. It's too cold for it outside And its mission is completed—Lucy Ann is now a bride. —Denver News.

Lay aside the tennis racket. Now that she has got a man, Mops make better exercises For a Mrs. Lucy Ann. —Boston Transcript.

MASS PRODUCTION

A news item: "Mr. and Mrs. John Beverlin are rejoicing over an eight-pond daughter, their sixth child, since last Saturday."—Newtown, Ill., Mentor-Democrat.

SHE WANTED TO BE SURE

Hubby (on phone): So, honey, I'll be awful busy at the office and won't be home till late. Wife: Can I depend on that? —Texas Ranger.

Miss Sarah Thompson and Mrs. Jim Morgan and son Claude, visited relatives in Hereford and Dimmitt the middle of the week.

Temple of Truth

By the Apostle

Many a man today spends a dollar for a can of talcum who, in his early kid days, regarded plain corn starch as a boon to humanity because there was nothing to take its place.

Some folks use talcum, while others take a bath.

A prohibition officer shot by a bootlegger near Detroit recently was unharmed. When searched his pockets are said to have contained a copy of the constitution, a tin whistle and a lipstick.

For Sale: Salt Fork, said by the state to be navigable, a ditch through town concreted in some places and overgrown with weeds and somewhat filled up with melon rinds and refuse in other places. Also several miles of dirt roads that are guaranteed to give you plenty of exercise.

In case of fainting, drag the victim from the car. Tangle the feet in the spokes. Keep the head low so that the blood will run back where it ought to be. Run and jump on the victim to get rid of that cold, clammy feeling. When the victim gets up, beat it while the beatin' is good.

Many stunts may be played with an auto, some of which are not entirely new. One favorite is to stand in front of the machine while in gear and crank the blame thing. Another is to turn the corners at 60 per and see how many times she will flop over. The record to date is seven times. Climbing phone poles and beating the train to the crossing often creates a scattered opinion but is fine diversion when one tires of the saner methods of travel.

What has become of the runaway teams that used to cause so much excitement in every crossroads village? Also livery stables, wagonyards and bed bugs?

Women of the United States used 552,500 tons of cleansing cream the past year according to a report from the convention of

cosmeticians in session at Chicago recently. They are said to have consumed 8,750 tons of foundation cream and 26,250 tons of skin lotion.

Judging from the above, there appears to be quite a bit of discontent with the animal made in the image of God so far as appearances are concerned at least.

If there is any question concerning the veracity—and should not be—of the Johnson & Weidman fishing expedition, Jim Rutherford is the cause of it.

The continued hot weather again recalls to mind that a number of folks are reported to have come back from hell after their blankets the past week.

Had you ever noticed that the mail order catalog on the best room table is displaced by the family bible during the protracted meeting?

The fellow who threatened to stamp the Apostle into the pavement Friday morning has gone after reinforcements. When he gets back a full report will appear in this column.

Some girls never become as proficient in handling the family washing machine as they do the family car.

Ed Carlson is expecting a visit soon from a famous uncle, he being the first man to go blind under the Volstead law in Oklahoma.

If a couple walks along like the woman was arrested, they're married.

REDUCING

Hiram was not feeling well. So he went to the doctor.

"Buy a car," said the doctor, "and get out more. You ought to take off a lot of flesh."

Speaking of results obtained by this prescription, Hiram said, "I got a car and got out more. I got out six times in one block and took off flesh in four different places. Once I got out through the windshield. That seemed to take off the most flesh."—Brooklyn Standard Union.

"MY CREED"

1. God said it.
2. Jesus did it.
3. The Holy Spirit recorded it.
4. I believe it.
5. That settles it."

HOW OLD ARE YOU

Age is a quality of mind. If you have left your dreams behind,

If hope is cold, If you no longer look ahead, If your ambition's fires are dead, Then you are old.

But if from life you take the best, And in life you keep the zest, If love you hold, No matter how the years go by, No matter how the birthdays fly, You are not old.

LOW BRIDGE

She: "Is it dangerous to drive with one hand?"

He: "You bet. More than one fellow has run into a church doing it."—Cornell Wisdom.

THREE MEANS OF GRACE

A negro preacher walked into the office of a newspaper in Rock Mount, N. C., and said, "Misto edito", they is forty-three of my congregation which subscribe fo' yo' paper. Do that entitle me to have a chu'ch notice in yo' Saddy issue?"

"Sit down and write," said the editor.

"I thank you."

And this is the notice the minister wrote: "Mount Memorial Baptist Church, Rev. John Walker, pastor. Preaching morning and evening. In the promulgation of the gospel, three books is necessary: the Bible, the hymn book and the pocket book. Come tomorrow and bring all three."—The Christian Register.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Miller are receiving the congratulations of their many friends over the arrival of a new girl, the little lady weighing 8½ pounds, and born Friday.

S. A. Pierce of shoemaking fame, was a recent visitor to Colorado mountain resorts but refuses to tell what he saw or did while on the trip.

ASK ME ANOTHER

He: I can answer any question.

She: Well, what's the broad band used to keep the saddle in place on a horse's back?

He: Aw, that's a cinch.

—Dartmouth Jack o'Lantern.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blackwell of Amarillo spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. E. A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Heath of Crosbyton, is visiting their sons and families, J. F. and D. T. Heath, of this city.

Your Meter Wrong?

Many times the fault is laid to the meter for excessive electric charges. Had you ever stopped to think that faulty electrical installation is really to blame nine time out of ten?

Your Electric Bills

May be made a whole lot less if you have us inspect your wiring. The money saved the first month often pays the cost and more.

Don't Grumble

Just find out where the trouble really is. Our experience enables us to locate trouble on short notice.

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Anyway, Something Has Made Him Feel Better By Albert T. Reid



CAPITAL WEEKLY PRESS

Vann M. Kennedy

There may be "no royal road to learning", but any avenue is expensively paved. A per capita apportionment of \$17.50 for the next scholastic session has been fixed by the State Board of Education.

A recent scholastic census indicates that there are 1,450,000 children of school age in Texas. This means that more than \$25,000,000 will be expended by the State on the apportionment.

The new per capita figure is the highest ever voted, and has become mandatory by a new educational law. The apportionment for last year was \$16 per scholastic.

The available school fund now has a balance of more than \$3,000,000, which will permit a reduction in the school tax rate.

The Board instructed its secretary to write a letter to every school trustee in Texas urging that 50 cents of the \$17.50 apportionment be placed in a reserve fund to apply to the succeeding year. It is feared that the increase in the number of scholastics during the next two years will lower the apportionment figure, therefore, the reserve fund to take care of such a contingency.

The average rate of increase will place 127,000 additional scholastics on the rolls next year. And on September 1, 1930 a new law will become effective, which lowers the school age to six years. There will be approximately 100,000 more children added to the rolls as a result.

4 Cent Tax Increase

In a final session the State Automatic Tax Board raised your taxes to 68 cents on the \$100 property valuation.

This is an increase of four cents over the tax rate of last year. The Board meeting Friday fixed the school tax rate at 31 cents, the lowest figure since 1918, when it was raised to the Constitutional limit of 35 cents. The large surplus in the available school fund will permit the reduction.

In a previous meeting the Board fixed the tax rate for general revenue purposes at 30 cents, an increase of eight cents, and Confederate pension tax rate at seven cents.

Fee Probe

The past week saw the fee investigation commission of the 41st Legislature making a round of Tarrant, Dallas, Harris, and Bexar Counties to determine the amount of fees being received by county officials. Senator Pink Parrish of Lubbock, who heads the commission, has declared that some Texas county officials were receiving more than \$30,000 annually from office fees permitted by law.

The commission is also investigating methods of collecting delinquent taxes. Senator Parrish is in favor of a law which would prohibit county commissioners courts from making contracts with private individuals for the handling of tax suits and the collection of delinquent taxes.

The Tax Collector of Dallas County testified that he was earning approximately \$20,000 per year. The investigation revealed that the Harris County prosecuting attorney received around \$30,000 annually. Bexar County has the lowest tax delinquency in the State, which according to R. Neil Campbell, Tax Collector, is responsible for the fact that Bexar County official's fee collections are rather low, large fees resulting where large amounts of delinquent taxes are collected.

By constitutional limit your Governor receives \$4,000; State Comptroller, \$2,500; State Treasurer, \$2,500; General Land Commissioner, \$2,500; and other officials in about the same measure. Moral: Don't be too ambitious; be content with a county job.

1929 COTTON CROP

By George B. Terrell
State Commissioner of Agriculture
For Capital Weekly Press

The Texas cotton crop seems to be in a poor condition, very much spotted, throughout the greater part of the State. Our estimate, observations of our field men, is 4,356,000 gin bales, an average of 4 1-7 acres per bale, or 121 pounds of lint cotton per acre. These reports indicate a very good yield, and short crop—probably as short as the crop of 1927—bollweevil infestation and drouth being the principal cause of the short crop.

Unless conditions improve, as they did in 1926, the crop may turn out less than our estimate.

The acreage is approximately 100 per cent of last years crop. Average condition is 62 per cent of normal. Total acreage is approximately 18,000,000.

Federal Estimate Higher

The Government's estimate of August 1st placed the total production of the South at 15,543,000 bales and the Texas production at 4,798,000 bales, or some 442,000 bales more for Texas than our estimate made two weeks later.

This indicates that the total crop will be about 15,000,000 bales. The total production of the last year was 14,478,000 bales. The consumption and exports for the year just closed were approximately 15,142,533 bales, or nearly one million bales above the production last year and practically the same as the estimated production this year. This shows conclusively that production has not kept up with consumption for the past three years.

20 Cent Cotton

This makes the statistical position of cotton strong, as consumption is increasing and production decreasing.

With the strike in the English cotton mills settled, and with the aid of the newly created Federal Board to aid in marketing, the present cotton crop should sell for 20 cents per pound or more.

Conditions Serious

Conditions in Texas are more serious than in any recent year, except when we had the great drouth in Central Texas.

Ellis, Williamson, McLennan and Hill Counties each made more than 100,000 bales last year, but it is doubtful if any county makes 100,000 bales this year. Ellis, Williamson and Nueces Counties indicate the largest yields this year but will scarcely reach the 100,000 bale mark.

IS THE GOVERNMENT ADVERTISING FORDS?

If you happen to have one of the new ten dollar bills, or even borrow one from a friend for a few moments, you will note that there is an automobile depicted in the street which is shown in the engraving of the treasury building. Use a magnifying glass on the picture and you will discover that the make of the car is quite apparent. It is, beyond any doubt, a Ford.

Gets G. O. P. Post



Claudius H. Huston, Tennessee manufacturer, has been selected by President Hoover to be the Chairman of the Republican National Committee succeeding Dr. Hubert Work.

Misses Clarice Fuller, Marie Thornton and Mildred Stewart visited friends in Pampa Wednesday.

Donley County Leader \$2 a Year

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Somebody who presumably had nothing better to do took the matter up with the treasury department officials. They said at first that the engraving had been made from a drawing and that an automobile of no especial make was put into it to give atmosphere and a touch of realism to the picture. Later they said the engraving had been made from a photograph. At any rate, it is a new model Ford that appears on the bill. It seems to us that something should be done about it, but we don't know just what. Maybe General Motors will get busy on the matter.—Wichita Times.

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Business today demands higher education.

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DONLEY COUNTY
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In Grandmother's Day

You recall the grocery store of some years ago when the cracker and pickle barrels were kept wide open. Flies swarmed around the molasses barrel and covered the faucet from which your syrup was run into a jug. Mice played over the meats. No wonder that typhoid and other germ diseases were common.

Even the floors were seldom swept and the average grocery was the most unsightly and unclean place in town.

AND TODAY!

What a change! Your pickles come in glass containers and the syrup in a bucket airtight from the factory to you. Crackers in moisture proof containers fresh and crisp as they left the bake ovens.

Meats are kept by a refrigeration process where germs cannot exist.

Thousands of foods and all kept in our grocery as clean as your kitchen.

You can make it safe to be hungry when we supply your needs. No, the price is no higher and we are as near as your telephone.

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A brown face looked out from the hood... "Miss Steedon! Miss Steedon!"

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Clarendon, Texas

Our World Is Growing Smaller

By Albert T. Reid



SUNNYVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts visited their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts and family of Memphis Sunday.

Grandma Roberts of Amarillo spent last Friday and Friday night with her son Sam Roberts and family.

Mrs. Luther Butler of Lelia Lake and her mother, Mrs. J. H. Roberts of Amarillo, visited with Mrs. Millard Starks Monday. Mrs. Starks then spent the night with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cope and little daughters June and Joyce called on Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham Friday afternoon on their return home in Childress, after having a vacation of a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jones have returned home after a weeks visit with friends and relatives in Van Zant county. They report crops very sorry as no rain has fallen all summer.

Mrs. Fannie Butler of Garland has arrived here for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts were in Amarillo Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parker. Grandma Roberts accompanied them home after a week's visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tooley and family of Chillicothe returned to their home after several days visit here with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham.

Mr. and Mrs. Kim Day attended baptizing at Lelia Lake Sunday afternoon.

The school here under the management of Miss Spier and Miss Rhodes will open Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston and daughters Lucile and Bettie John of Pleasant Valley called on Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham Sunday afternoon.

Sixty members of the Eastern Star held their annual picnic on the river Friday evening.

GOLDSTON

The picnic on the Dell place Thursday was attended by a large crowd. There was plenty of good eats and ice cream and enjoyed the ball game in the afternoon.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. J. H. Nanney has sold his store to Mr. Ben Hill of Memphis. We hate very much to lose Mr. Nanney from our community, but hope Mr. Hill will be just as successful in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart and family have just returned from a months visit in Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson spent Sunday in the H. M. Stewart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan and children of San Bernardino, Calif. are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brame and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Chicago who have been visiting their sister Mrs. Dilli returned to their home Friday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weston was saddened by the death of their infant son Thursday evening.

Mrs. Morgan's sister, Mrs. Newman of Childress is here for a few days.

Miss Selvice Walker of Jericho visited in the Stewart home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Dixie May who has been visiting in our community for several weeks returned home Saturday afternoon.

A nice shower fell here Wednesday afternoon which was greatly needed.

Miss Nina Trout visited home folks Sunday.

Two were Baptized Sunday afternoon at the river after Sunday school.

Misses Coy Latson and Isabel Baley are teaching school at McLean this term.

Correction Made In Fairness To Utilities Company

A list of contributors to the premium list published last week was in error as to the amount subscribed by the West Texas Utilities Company. The fault was in the copy furnished us and was an honest mistake. Their contribution was given as \$1.00 when it was really \$5.00.

We are making this correction voluntarily in fairness to the company and to their local manager, Mr. T. D. Nored, who is one of our very most active public spirited citizens in matters of this kind. He also is a leader in the Scout movement and an active worker as a director on the Board of the local Chamber of Commerce. His services and talent are freely contributed to every worthy cause all of which is highly appreciated by the people of Clarendon and Donley county.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stocking and baby Ward of eight months of age, arrived Monday evening for a visit with relatives and friends here. They came direct from the University of Texas where Mr. Stocking is a member of the regular faculty of the University, and has been for some years.

Mr. and Mrs. Stocking spent the past year in Berlin, the gentleman being on a year's leave of absence for the study of German production methods of potash. The youngster was also born in Berlin while they were making their residence there.

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103 Years Old



George Pardy, of Somerville, N. Y., receiving messages of congratulations on his 103rd birthday.

GIVES RULES FOR DRES FROM CRADLE TO GRAVE

Every age of woman has a color classification and her attire should be chosen in conformity with a set schedule, according to Jane Warren Wells, fashion expert of Farm & Fireside.

The following outline is given as suiting colors to all ages from babyhood on:

First year: White.
Second, third and fourth years: Deep pastels.

Fifth to twelfth year: Vivid hues.

Twelfth to sixteenth year: Tones and contrast in hues.

Sixteenth to twenty-fifth year: Tones and hues, pastels and tints as the fashion and personal preference dictate.

Twenty-fifth to thirty-fifth year: Tones for daytime, hues for evening. Practically no decoration.

Thirty-fifth to forty-fifth year: Black or ivory is distinctive. Subtle decoration.

Forty-fifth to sixty-fifth year: Dark blue and subtle, subdued tones of green, brown and red.

After seventieth year: Soft pastel tones and tints such as rose-grays, gray-blues, delicate pinks and pink-tinted lavenders, with flesh colored trimmings, especially of lace, net and chiffon.

Little Miss Mabel Johnson spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. Claude Johnson at Memphis.

R. O. McFarling, formerly a peace officer here, and now assistant warden of the state penal institution at Huntsville, was a witness against Helms in the sanity hearing at Eastland the last of the week.

Mr. McFarling testified to conversations with Helms and to remarks he had overheard when Helms had a conversation with Leahy after the latter's sanity hearing following which he was electrocuted.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—5 room modern house plastered and hardwood floors, all built-in, east front, two blocks south west college. See Easum, contractor on job, or write S. B. Christian, Amarillo, Tex. 26p.

I do only expert watch repairing. S. F. Honeycutt, O. D. and Jeweler.

All kinds of watch repairing done right. S. F. Honeycutt, O. D. and Jeweler. (9tfc)

FOR SALE—Some nice Jersey

cows. T. W. Smith. Phone 461. 22-tfc.

FOR SALE—160 acres 2½ miles of Clarendon. Average improvements. Windmill and plenty of good water. Ideal for truck farm. Would accept some trade. M. R. Garrison, 502 Avenue D, S. E., Childress, Texas 24tfc.

TOMATOES—Good canning tomatoes at \$1.00 per bushel. Also want trucks to haul. Reynolds & Cruse, ½ mile south of Lelia Lake. Phone 914-X or 914-S. 25p.

FOR RENT—Four room house three blocks east of Clarendon hotel. Newly papered and all modern conveniences. Phone 67. Mrs. John Vineyard. 25tfc.

WANTED

HOGS—Highest market price paid for hogs. It will pay you to see me before selling. Phone 940A, W. B. Mayfield. 13tfc.

WANTED—Girl or woman help at Clarendon Steam Laundry. Call 75. 14tfc.

LOST

LOST—Ladies black bathing suit between Country Club and Clarendon. Please return to Mrs. Forest Taylor. Phone 238 26pd.

A Typical Small City Airport



This airport is located at Le Roy, New York. It is pictured as a model small-city airport.

American Legion Sponsors Traffic Club

The American Legion in sponsoring the traffic club in Clarendon has in mind a good will program that will be beneficial to both town people and the country people.

The traffic congestion on our streets on Saturdays has become a serious problem and we are trying to work out a program that if concurred in by all will work good for all concerned.

The Legion in requesting the merchants who work on main street down town and who keep their personal cars on the street most of the time, to park these cars somewhere else on Saturdays, thereby making more parking space, for our own people, and our visitors on this day.

In asking the trucks, delivery wagons, and the other cars that service the stores to work from the rear on Saturdays in so far as possible, and when necessary to work on main street, to park in to the curb whenever possible, thereby cutting down on double parking.

For these people to assist in this way it will be necessary that the alleys be not blocked, and we ask that they be kept clear for traffic. Park on the sides PLEASE.

We also ask that the space immediately in the rear of the postoffice be left clear for the dispatch of the mail cars that arrive and leave at all hours of the day.

The Legion asks that every individual while driving on main street to watch out for parking spaces and if at all possible to park their cars in such places, instead of double parking as is often done now, with a vacant parking place near by where one could have parked in.

It is not the policy of The Legion to ask anyone not to park on main street during the day, but is their endeavor to take the cars that stand on main street all day, out of the way so that the people who wish to come down town may have a place to park, and transact their business, then move out and let the other fellow have the same privilege.

Your cooperation and good will is earnestly requested to assist us put this idea over, with benefit to all.

AUBYN E. CLARK POST No. 126 of THE AMERICAN LEGION.

World Tour of the Graf Zeppelin



The map graphically illustrates the route of the Graf Zeppelin in our around the world now in progress.

It's Here!—the Famous Conklin Black & Gold

You, too, can achieve the unique distinction conferred only by personal equipment of the most superlative character. For the convenience of your present necessity we are carrying a generous stock of the sensational new Conklin Endura Black and Gold pens and pencils. The pens, \$5 and \$7. The pencils, \$3.50, \$4. Service unconditionally and perpetually guaranteed.

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PRESCRIPTIONS

are filled by us with 100 per cent accuracy. The charges are low, and the speed of preparation high. For fresh medicines, promptly compounded, come to see us.

For School Supplies See The Rexall Store Greetings To All

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We Extend our Congratulations and Best Wishes to both Faculty and Student Body—For the most Successful Term Our Schools have ever Enjoyed.

We Carry a Large Line —of— SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Smith Drug Co.

Important Announcement

TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

Believing we can serve you better and realizing that changing merchandizing methods—point the way for volume sales for cash on a much closer margin than heretofore. We are pleased to announce the formation of the chain Panhandle Chain Tire Stores to operate direct through Federal Rubber Co., thereby eliminating all branch or jobbers profits. These stores will operate on a true Basis of Highest Quality Nationally Known Advertised Line of Federal Tires and Tubes. For CASH—for LESS.

Just think! Now you are able to buy the most popular Tire in Texas for less than you would pay for Tires of unknown quality.

Check Your Tire Troubles at One of Our Cash Tire Stores



BUY FEDERAL Tires and Tubes AND SAVE 25 TO 40 %



THIS IS THE

FEDERAL BLUE PENNANT EXTRA HEAVY SIX PLY		Compare These Prices With Prices Listed Or Offered By Anyone Anywhere And You Will Realize What We Mean When We Say Tires For Less For Cash
29x4.40	\$ 9.48	
29x4.50	8.97	
30x4.50	10.20	
28x4.75	10.54	
29x4.75	10.95	
29x5.00	11.19	
30x5.00	11.60	
31x5.00	12.07	
30x5.25	13.18	
31x5.25	13.60	
29x5.50	13.92	
30x5.50	14.33	
30x6.00	14.85	
31x6.00	15.26	
32x6.00	15.67	
33x6.00	16.09	
31x6.50	18.36	
32x6.50	18.82	



FIRST LINE QUALITY TIRES FEDERAL FOUR PLY		Look These Prices Over We Are Honest In This Statement. Quality Considered, You Can't Beat These Prices. Show Us Where, If You Can, and We Will Gladly Refund The Difference
29x4.40	\$ 6.35	
29x4.50	6.80	
30x4.50	7.05	
28x4.75	7.80	
29x4.75	8.20	
29x5.00	8.40	
30x5.00	8.75	
31x5.00	9.10	
28x5.25	9.50	
30x5.25	10.20	
31x5.25	10.50	
29x5.50	10.80	
30x5.50	11.15	
31x6.00	11.90	
32x6.00	12.25	
33x6.00	12.60	

Everybody Is Talking About

IF YOUR SIZE IS NOT LISTED WE HAVE IT IN STOCK FOR CASH FOR LESS

FEDERAL TRAFFIC TIRES Unbeatable Values For The Light Car Owner	
BALLOON	HIGH PRESSURE
29x4.40 \$5.00	30x3 1/2 \$4.10
30x4.50 5.58	30x3 1/2, Giant O. S. \$4.46
29x4.75 6.66	
29x5.00 6.89	
30x5.25 8.33	
31x5.25 8.60	

FEDERAL STANDARD QUALITY HIGH PRESSURE	
30x3	\$ 4.40
30x3 1/2, Giant O. S.	5.20
32x4	9.20
30x5	15.40
30x5, 8-ply	21.25
32x6, 8-ply	25.95

REAL VALUES—COMPARE THESE PRICES YOU KNOW THE QUALITY

OUR OPENING SPECIAL 30x3 1-2 ... **\$3.65** 29x4.40 ... **\$4.45** 30x4.50 ... **\$5.05** NOT OVER ONE SET TO A CUSTOMER

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Clarendon Phone 69

Panhandle Chain Tire Stores

McLean
Memphis
Clarendon Phone 69



RAINMAKERS GET UP NOVEL PLAN AT WELLINGTON

Editor Dobbs Sallies Forth Among Dry Citizens With A New Gambling Scheme

The weather man appears to have handed the good citizens of Collingsworth county a similar package to that of much of the United States for the boys are needing rain and need it now.

True to newspaper principles of helping get the folks over a pinch, Aubrey Dobbs, editor of the Standard, primed his tongue with a hunk of ice last week and went out to tell the boys that he would bet them a page of ad space against \$112.00 that it would rain before the following Sunday night.

Each of the 112 signers on the agreement were to pay a dollar each if it rained by Sunday midnight. In case it did not rain, the editor lost the page ad. Bill Goforth promised to keep up a reasonable amount of praying, the pretty well prayed down from a long siege of dry weather service.

In some parts of the county it is reported that the hogs have to be primed before they will hold slop. Also that the one-eye peas are pop-eyed.

The clouds began to gather Saturday and it looked like a newspaper man in a million was to have some real luck come his way. Altho the stipulations called for a real county-wide rain sufficient to materially benefit the crops, Dobbs urged Goforth to do his stuff and press the wet button.

After some skirmishing on the part of J. Pluvius, the rain turned out to be a real Willbarger fog—a dust storm in which prairie dogs dig holes in the air. A disgusted citizenship appointed an

assassination committee to hunt up an editor and make example of him. Imagine their chargin when they learned that he had quietly given them the slip and had gone on a fishing trip.

CHOICE WATERMELON RIND PRODUCTS

Contributed By Miss Harvey Thompson

Red or green garnishes for confectios: Cut rind into 2 inch cubes and discard any irregular shapes. Centers of doughnut cutters may be used to make another shaped garnish.

Watermelon Rind: Cut in 1 inches cubes.

Oil of cloves Red coloring
Oil of peppermint Green coloring
3 cups sugar

One cup of water for each the red and green cubes.

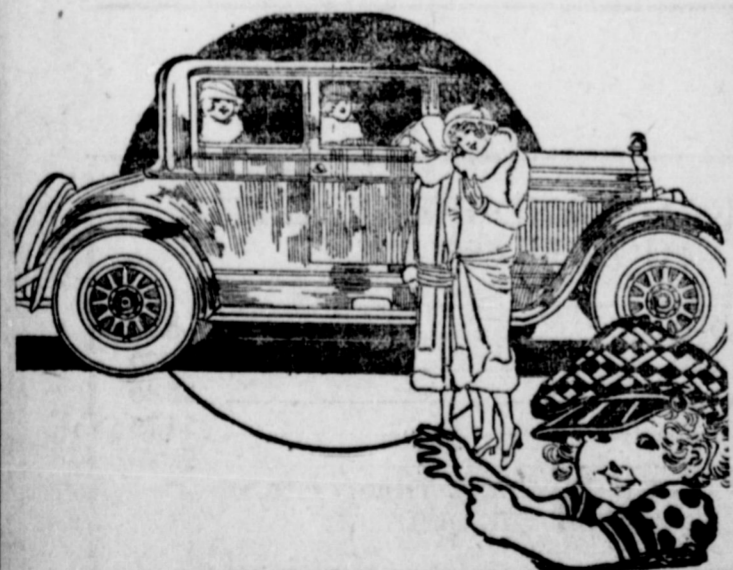
Use a thick rind melon. Remove all pink and green. Cut in cubes or centers. Discard irregular shapes. Ad sugar to water and heat slowly until sugar melts. Cover cubes with the mixture and boil until syrup from a good thread. Ad enough extra water to cover the cubes and again cook until the cubes have a glossy appearance.

Jack E. Jones, chaperoned by Hon. Eddie Frantz, beat it for Oklahoma Friday in great haste. That is Jack was in a hurry and why as why or what?

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We can give you "soft pedal" adjustments on your brakes. This will make it easier to control your car when driving and will also take the HARD WORK out of parking.

LET US CARE FOR YOUR CAR

CITY GARAGE
HOMMEL BROTHERS

Let US Care for YOUR Car
CLARENDON, TEXAS

1928 Coupe For Only \$4.50

That is what the ad stated in our last issue but it was in error. When we pull a plain "bonehead", we are glad to back up and acknowledge the "corn."

This error appeared in the used car ad of the Sims Motor Company of this city. That firm offers some dandy good bargains each week and sell them too, but that price of \$4.50 for a car that is easily worth \$450.00 is going too strong. If you hurry, you may be fortunate enough to get this Pontiac coupe yet, but anyway, there are a number of real bargains in the lot and you can get terms too if you want it.

A Trip To Arkansaw

Houston R. Miller tells some interesting facts about his trip to Arkansaw recently accompanied by his family. Seized with a sudden yearning for visiting, the family visited with two of Mr. Miller's sisters, at Ryan and Madill, Okla.

The course then led down thru what would be a swamp except for the present drouth in southeastern Oklahoma to Hot Springs and Little Rock, Arkansaw. Houston was trying to find some more of the Miller family, there being no other relatives aside from the immediate family except one cousin.

When Little Rock was reached he spent some time with the directory and as usual found plenty of Millers but no one willing to claim kin with him. He found a whole county named after the Millers. After reaching home he was surprised to learn that the lone cousin lived near Little Rock and he had missed him by only a few miles, but the trip was worth it all.

Slick Naylor has returned from Pampa where he went on business the fore part of last week.

Raises Large Tomato

N. D. Hudson of the Chamberlain community brought a tomato to the Leader office Wednesday. Donley county has long been noted as a tomato growing country, but this one was an exceptionally good advertisement for this section even at that.

The tomato weighed exactly 21 ounces and measured sixteen inches in circumference one way and 15 inches the other. This tomato was grown from a new variety, a few of the plants being given Mr. Hudson by T. Jones last spring for trial.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Robertson have moved to Memphis.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT of Donley County, Texas will receive bids at Clarendon, Texas on Sept. 10, 1929, on one or more 12 foot Road Graders. Bids must be accompanied by certified check for \$100.00. Court reserves right to accept or reject any or all bids.

J. J. Alexander,
County Judge, Donley County, Texas.
Clarendon, Texas
August 17, 1929.

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Harry Ruddell

Expert Shoe Repairing

113 Kearney Street

We appreciate your business.

Lamesa Reporter Joins Chain

The sale of the Lamesa Reporter owned by J. W. Smith and son for many years to the well known Panhandle chain of papers was announced Thursday of last week.

The Reporter will be in charge of E. W. Smith, an employe of the Amarillo News for some time. No radical changes are expected for the present, the equipment being up to the standard of weekly papers under the Smith regime for the past several years.

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UP TO DATE

Ownership Maps Of Donley County and Other Maps Made To Order.

Free Information Concerning Any Land or Town Lot in Donley County.

"No Trouble to Answer Questions"

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There is an element of satisfaction in owning your own home not to be found in any other possession.

Homes are either inherited or built by means that are accumulated bit by bit.

Be able to build a home or buy what you choose by—

Saving With Us—Begin Now

FARMERS STATE BANK

You Save Money

Modern machinery and increased volume of business, and a reduction of overhead expense, enables us to operate on a smaller margin of profit. We are glad to pass the saving on to you by way of lower prices.

The same high standard of workmanship will be maintained—the same service—the same guarantee—just lower prices. Here is the list:

MEN'S LIST

Suits cleaned and pressed	\$1.00
Suits pressed50
Topcoats cleaned and pressed	1.00
Overcoats cleaned and pressed	1.25 up
Pants cleaned and pressed50
Pants pressed25
All hats cleaned50
All caps cleaned25

LADIES' LIST

Plain dress cleaned and pressed	\$1.00
Pleated dresses cleaned, pressed	1.25 up
Light weight coats C&P	1.00
Fur trimmed coats C&P	1.25 up
Plain coat suit C&P	1.00
Sweaters cleaned and pressed50 up

All Other Work in Proportion

Phone 27

Parsons Bros.

"Master Cleaners"



HUNTING SEASON GETS UNDER WAY SEPTEMBER 1ST

New Hunting and Fishing Licenses Must Be Secured By September 1.

Hunting season opened Sept. 1, at which time new hunting and fishing licenses will have to be in possession of all hunters and fisherman, who, according to the state law will have a number of changes in the law to observe.

Current licenses expires Aug. 31 and new ones will have to be obtained.

Dove season opens Sept. 1 and extends through October.

Prairie chicken, Sept 1 to 4, inclusive. The limit is 10 birds in any one day or 10 for the season, so if a hunter gets his limit the first day he is through for the season.

Wheeler and Collingsworth counties are closed to chicken hunting until 1931.

Ducks Oct. 16 to Jan. 31.

Deer Nov. 16 to Dec. 31.

Black tail deer west of the pecos Nov. 16 to Nov. 31 with a limit of one buck to the hunter.

Quail Dec. 1 to Jan. 16.

"Hunters must keep in mind the new law," the law continues, "which prohibits the discharging of a gun from or across a public highway, the law was enacted at the instance of residents of the deer country who objected to hunters killing deer on posted land by shooting them from the roads. The law, however, applies to the entire state, and its purpose is to provide safety for the public as well as to protect game."

Residents may hunt within their home county without license, but must secure a license from their county clerk to hunt in another county within the state.

The fee is \$2.00.

Oklahoma-Texas Singers Will Convene In Convention At Memphis Saturday

Members of the District Singers Association composed of both Oklahoma and Texas singers will meet in a two day session at Memphis next Saturday and Sunday, September 7th and 8th.

Twenty song leaders will be present to direct the vocal music. A crack quartette from Amarillo headed by E. M. Bartlett of the Hartford, Arkansas music company, will be a special feature. Many other noted voice culturists will be given an opportunity to exhibit their skill. Soloists and concert singers will also delight the association composed of seven counties.

An attendance of three thousand music lovers are expected to be present according to statements sent out by the Memphis Chamber of Commerce which will have the arrangements in charge.

ADVERTISING GRAFTERS

The advertising, soliciting and begging grafters are not after the money that has been left in Guyton and surrounding country by the good wheat crop. They always follow the easy picking in the wake of good crops. Our farmers and citizens should remember that they are paying for the upkeep of the unfortunate of their own county and communities and that the floaters are nearly always unworthy sharpers. True charity begins at home, and not in the encouragement of floaters to prey upon the unsuspecting, with cheap merchandise or begging pleas. Worthy people or concerns are sustained in their home communities.—Panhandle Herald.

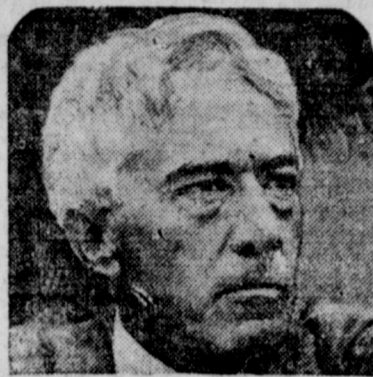
Amarillo will employ 239 teachers in her public schools this term.

J. S. Talley has served the people of Ochiltree county as sheriff for 22 years.

The Ute Pass fish club dam above Colorado Springs broke early Saturday morning drowning one woman and destroying a number of camp cabins. Several from this section have visited in that vicinity this summer but fortunately no one was in the valley at the time the dam broke so far as can be ascertained.

Two thousand people some coming as far away as Oklahoma and New Mexico, are said to have attended the Old Settler's picnic at Wayside Friday. Miss Medora Duncan, beloved nurse and friend of the crippled and blind children of the Panhandle, had a place on the program.

Landis Honored



Kenesaw Mountain Landis "Czar of Baseball," Chicago, is the third American to receive the Distinguished Service Medal of the American Legion.

Charles and Billie Walker, who have been visiting Mrs. Leslie Humphrey of Wichita Falls for several days, returned home Friday.

Mrs. J. M. O'Neal and daughter Frances, who have been visiting in the home of the lady's father, Judge J. C. Killough for the past several days, returned to their home in Ft. Worth Friday.

C. G. Hommel of Dallas spent the past week here visiting relatives. O. G. is a brother of the Hommel Brothers, proprietors of the City Garage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hommel and children and Miss Alice Hommel visited their sister, Mrs. W. E. Kennedy of McLean Friday.

Mrs. Nash Blasingame of the J. A. ranch is convalescing at the Ed Carlson home following a tonsil operation.

SHE GUESSED WRONG

He (seriously): What are the last three hairs in a dog's tail called?

She (very seriously): "Well, truthfully, Jack, I don't know. You tell me."

He (very, very seriously): Why, dog hairs.—Wabash Caveman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parsons of Quitaque spent Sunday in Clarendon with relatives and friends.

HOTELS AND COMMUNITY HOMES TO HOUSE FOURTH OF PEOPLE IN TEN YEARS, GREETER SAYS

The prediction that within the next ten years 25 per cent of the population of the country will reside in hotels or in community homes of similar plan was voiced in Dallas Wednesday by Allen G. Hurst of New York, immediate past president of the Hotel Greeters of America. Mr. Hurst, who is associate manager of the Astor Hotel, stopped for the day at the Jefferson Hotel en route from a vacation in California to his home. While here he conferred with Bryan Karr, president of the Dallas Greeters, and other hotel men.

He expressed the belief that the idea of mass purchasing will be carried by America into the home, and that people will soon purchase their homes in groups, benefiting thereby in making available to themselves luxuries and mechanical comforts and services which ordinarily would be out of their reach. The hotel, he said, offers them this efficiency and comfort cheaper than they can get it elsewhere.

Environment of Culture
In the hotel, too, he pointed out, there is made available for families an environment of refinement and of culture which is of benefit to children, and which sometimes is lacking in the individual home for a variety of reasons.

Mr. Hurst called attention to the serious and deplorable overproduction of hotels in the country, asserting that the fault lay in financial promotion schemes. There are very few hotels in the country, he said, of great size which are outstanding financial successes, despite the fact that they fulfill an essential public service.

The apartment hotel and a growing tendency on the part of people to make their permanent homes in hotels is gradually looming as the solution to the overproduction problem, he said. People are beginning to see that the hotel offers them unlimited services not possible in their homes, and they feel that they ought to make use of them, he observed.

Industry Develops Fast.
"The hotel industry has developed more in the last ten years," he said, "than in the previous fifty. Every community of any size now has at least one good hotel. In Texas this is especially true. Within the last few years, too, hotels have increased their efficiency by 25 per cent, and yet remain one of the few industries in the country which have reduced their costs, in hotels about the same percentage."

"In friendliness Texas hotels are incomparable. There is an atmosphere of hospitality here which Northern hotel men envy but which they have never been able to attain."—Dallas News.

Miss May Fuller of Elk City, Oklahoma, was a shopping visitor in the Mitchell beauty parlor Saturday.

Maurice Posey of Goodnight is visiting Marvin Mitchell for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Estill of Ft. Worth spent the week end with her cousin, Mrs. J. L. Walker.

Miss Alice Hommel of Dallas is visiting in the home of her brothers here, Messrs. W. O. and F. J. Hommel.

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Mrs. T. D. Nored and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. Winter in Wellington.

Misses Bettie Weatherly and Edna Butler spent the past week in White Deer.



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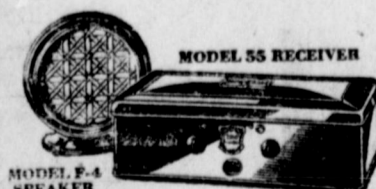


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MONUMENT, NEW MEXICO

Hedley Young Lady Gives Very Interesting Account Of Her Vacation Trip

The following account of a vacation trip written by Miss Gertrude Rasco of Hedley appeared in the Hedley Informer Friday. This narrative has such exceptional merit that we are herewith printing it in full that our readers may enjoy the information which it contains.

Sunnyside Washington, August 10, 1929.

Hedley Informer.

Dear Friends:

I am quite a good "hike from home, am I not? But not so far away that I fail to think of friends because I am continually wishing they could see the many sights that I have seen this summer, which has been the "grandest" vacation I ever spent.

As you may know, my mother and dad spent three months in Riverside, Calif., the past winter, driving back to Texas in May for me, and again leaving for California May 20th.

While on our way there we visited Two Gun Cave, owned and kept by an Indian. In this cave there are many rooms or sections, in which are to be seen petrified rocks, eggs, and a snake coiled partly in rock, skeletons of man and beast and many interesting Indian curios.

The Petrified Forest is quite interesting. So many people have asked me if it is standing. There are no standing trees, only stumps three or four feet high, but large trees have fallen and thru mysterious formation and conditions have become oddly colored rock. These rocks when polished sell from 50c to \$1 per square inch.

Grand Canyon came next on our trip. It is beyond description, as words fail to give one any idea of its grandeur and majesty. There are thousands of people around the rim of the canyon daily, yet it is the stillest place in the world; people are simply awed by its beauty. The magical coloring of the canyon is changing every moment.

Where a shadow lingers a second the next it is a riot of colors. We hiked four or five miles around the rim of the canyon, viewing it every few feet—sights not to be forgotten. It was here at the Hopi House the Indians danced every afternoon. They gave three dances; the Hopi or Tribe dance, the Eagle dance which is considered the most graceful among all the Indian dances, and a War dance which is very stirring and enduring since they whoop and dance with all their might.

The desert proved interesting with its peculiar shrubs and many varieties of cactus. The weather was comfortable when we crossed except for one day and night when the wind blew very hard.

California was in bloom with flowers and orange orchards everywhere. We spent three weeks in Long Beach, where we were only eight blocks from the roaring ocean and where thousands of people, old and young, played in the water and sand daily.

On June 16 we visited Catalina Island. The ship, "Catalina" costing \$1,000.00 and with a cargo of 2000 people, left the mainland at ten o'clock and just two hours here. William Wrigley, the chewing gum king owns the island and has one of his beautiful homes here on a high hill overlooking the pier. Zane Grey has a lovely home here also. The bird farm is entertaining, in that there are 485 kinds of birds and fowls to be seen, many of which have been brought from foreign countries. Four o'clock came altogether too soon, as we then sailed for the mainland while the band played "Farewell To Thee," and after we were out a little way from the pier the orchestra on our ship took up the same strains of the Island band. There are many things of interest later we anchored at the Island to sing amid waiving of goodbyes.

We left Long Beach June 18, driving along the Coast Highway to Santa Cruz where we stopped at State Redwood Park, where the trees are so large on drives his car thru the trunk, and from which enough lumber can be sawed to make a box big enough to hold the largest steamship in the world. These trees are said to be the oldest living things in the world, their ages being estimated at 2000, 3000 and even 4000 years.

At San Jose we left the coast to visit Yosemite Park. Here we found a valley walled in by gigantic rocks towering three and four thousand feet above the floor of the valley, and off which come tumbling many powerful waterfalls. We spent a week here, but would have enjoyed a month, as the hikes to the falls, Mirror Lake,

the Fire Fall from Glacier Point, Camp Curry's programs and the beautiful camping grounds were so entertaining. Even the bears gave us quite a thrill, visiting us every morning about 3 o'clock in search of food. There was no danger, if you never left food in tent or car, but the bears have been known to tear up tents and cars where some camper carelessly left food. Everyone is warned by the rangers to hoist provisions high between trees and thereby have no trouble. Reluctantly packing up, we were again on our way.

We saw the largest apricot and peach orchards in the world near Merced, Calif.; many Sun-Kist orange groves and Sun Maid raisin ranches in Southern California; the oldest court house in the state at Mariposa and the largest fish hatchery at Mt. Shasta.

Oregon is very beautiful with its wonderful roads which take you along the mountainside from which you can view up and down canyons, over mountains around high dangerous curves.

Portland is a city of roses with snow covered Mt. Hood resting in the background. There are fields of roses all round Portland. We took the Columbia River highway here. This is said to be one of the most scenic highways in the world, and it certainly does not fall short of your expectations.

Since our arrival in Sunnyside we are spending a most enjoyable time with relatives and friends. A few days ago we made a trip to Seattle, Tacoma, Olympia, Vancouver, B. C., and Mt. Ranier Park. Mt. Ranier has lots of snow on it,—we played snowball July 19th. There were 1500 cars registered the Sunday we got there. Mt. Ranier is fast becoming the most popular resort for summer vacationists.

The Yakima Valley in which Sunnyside is located, is pretty now with all its many kinds of fruits loading down the trees and all kinds of vegetables. I surely enjoy all of them.

I plan to go back to Texas the last of this month, teaching at Lodge and Lakeview as I did last year.

With best wishes for every one's success, I am

Most sincerely,
Gertrude Rasco.

Christian Ladies' Aid Meets

The members of the Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church met in the home of Mrs. Lonnie Hahn Wednesday, eight members being present.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. O. D. Liesberg. A very interesting lesson was discussed in which Mrs. Joe Humphrey, Sr. led in the discussion.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Hahn.

Miss Lee Lewis of Lelia Lake was shopping in Clarendon Saturday.

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Presbyterian Auxiliary

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met with Mrs. J. W. Morrison in a regular business meeting Wednesday. Mrs. John Potts was leader, and twelve members were present.

A very refreshing ice course was served by the hostess, Mrs. J. W. Morrison.

Mrs. C. W. Bennett and Mrs. Clyde Price were in Amarillo Friday at which time Mrs. Price had her tonsils removed. She is getting along nicely.

Missionary Society To Meet

The Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet in the ladies' parlor of the church Wednesday, September 4th, at 3 p. m. Mrs. G. L. Boykin will have charge of the Bible study.

STOCKING-ROBERTS

Collis Allen Stocking, son of Mrs. J. D. Stocking of this city was married on Thursday afternoon, August 28, to Miss Claudia Roberts in New York City.

The ceremony being performed at what is known as "The Little Church Around the Corner."

The ceremony was a very quiet affair, the bridal party being attended by Bill Clifford and Henry Brown, childhood friends of the groom in company with a few friends from the city.

Mr. Stocking is assistant teacher of Economics in the University of New York while his bride is assistant director of Health Education in Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

Mr. Stocking was born and reared in this city being a graduate of the public school and of Clarendon College. The young couple will reside in New York City.

Mrs. Eva Draffen and son Jack were accompanied home by her brother-in-law, Mr. Earl Draffen Friday. They had been visiting in St. Louis and Versailles, Missouri for several days.

Mrs. George and children of Canyon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Jones of Ashtola, and sisters, Mrs. John Humphrey and Mrs. Gene Hester of this city.

Fire Plays Prank On Auto

Perhaps you have experienced a variety of auto accidents, have seen them dumped up in many different forms. You may have seen them leaning against a phone pole where some hair brain was headed skyward only for a second.

One night the past week the large Byrd stage broke an axle this side of Jericho. Tom Foust's services were bought and Byrd and Foust beat it back up there for the stage that never fails to make the trains.

Byrd hooked on to the big baby with a new Buick 80. Tom guided the bus aright and the return trip was being made at a rapid clip. Suddenly the big bus dropped down. The pulling power was going at such speed that it could not be stopped for over a hundred feet. When the men examined the bus to locate the trouble, a new auto calamity or accident was born. The brakes on the front wheels were on and the wheels had taken fire burning out the front spokes of both wheels letting the bus to the ground.

Prove it? Sure! Fred Ballew went up with his wrecker and finished up the job by bringing the disabled car down states positively that the spokes were burned out of the front wheels. Who's next?

THE KNOCKERS

"The younger generation is going to tarnation. It's a frightful sit-choo-ation."

Bill Blue, my neighbor said. "They shame their dad an' mother. Be moaned this mournful brother So, with something or other, I bashed his empty head.

Came Sister Sue, much bluer, And sighing said, "I'm sure Earth cannot long endure with flaming youth so hot! Tough? Why you have no notion They even drink hair lotion!"

I led her to the ocean An threw her in—why not? I love to swat these people Who spy from porch and steeple On youth. They want to keep all The boys and girls in chains.

They come with agitation And cuss this generation And so—in indignation— I slay them for their pains!

—James Lewis Hays.

Miss Frances and Helen Cooke left for El Paso Thursday where they are to become members of the public school faculty of that city.

Miss Bernice Rowland returned Friday from a vacation trip to Colorado points and Carlsbad Cavern.

Mrs. F. C. Johnson, who has been visiting relatives and friends at Chillicothe, returned home Sunday.

Misses Fannie Florence and Nettie Sims, who have been visiting in Ft. Worth and Waxahachie returned home Friday. They were accompanied home by Miss Mary Shell of Waxahachie. The young ladies will visit here for a few days and then attend the teacher's institute at Canyon. These young ladies will teach at Pampa the coming term.

Mr. Gwynn Silvey, who spent his boyhood days in Clarendon, visited here again the past week. Mr. Silvey is a member of the University of Michigan faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Silvey of Dallas, visited his sister, Mrs. W. B. Sims, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vella Martin and children of Amarillo spent Tuesday in the W. B. Sims home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill W. Crawford and children have returned from a visit to the lady's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Oller of Vernon.

The many friends here will regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. J. F. Oller at Vernon, she having been a sufferer from heart trouble for several days.

Victor, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Saled of Wellington died Tuesday following a tonsil operation. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Saled and children of this city spent the past week there, Messrs. Max and Ben Saled are brothers.

F. B. Thomas is finishing up a mighty nice looking bungalow out on East First street. The neighbors are just about as proud of it as he is because it adds to the value of their property.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson and daughter of Ashtola were shopping here Saturday.

Misses Vera and Laura Brinson of Hedley shopped in Clarendon Saturday.

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—AND—
A number other stars
—IN—
"THUNDERBOLT"
If this ruthless man loved you, would you fly to his arms or repulse his love?? Would you risk his fearful vengeance. This is one of the outstanding Photo Plays this season. Don't Miss It.
Also **BILLY DOOLEY** in "OFF THE DECK" Comedy.
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Saturday, 7th
DOUGLAS MacLEAN and FRANCIS LEE
—IN—
"THE CARNATION KID"
YOU can't escape the fun, the excitement, the drama, the popular Laugh-Provokers, it hits the rocky road to romance, IT'S a winner.
Also **STAN LAUREL and OLIVER HARDY** in "BIG BUSINESS" Comedy.
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Monday-Tuesday, 9-10th
ADOLPHE MENJOU
—IN—
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Is your love in fashion, See Manjou in "Fashions Of Love", one of the Big hits of the season, You'll Like Him, See if you don't.
Also **PARAMOUNT NEWS**.
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The TRAIL OF '98

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Illustrations by Irwin Myers
CHAPTER XI

She was changed, desperately, pitifully changed. All the old sweetness which had made the miners call her the Madonna; but alas, forever gone from her was the fragrant flower of girlhood. Snow had kindled in her gray eyes a spiritual luster, a shining, tearless brightness. Ah me, said, indeed was the change in her! Her lips moved:
"How you have changed!"
"Yes, Berna, I have been ill. But you, you too have changed."
"Yes," she said very slowly. "I have been—dead."
There was no faltering in her voice, never a tinge of pathos. It was like the voice of one who had given up all hope, the voice of one who has arisen from the grave.
"Come upstairs where we can talk," said she. So we sat down on one of the boxes, while a great freezing shadow seemed to fall and

ACTS LIKE IT WAS MADE JUST FOR HER

AMARILLO HOUSEWIFE HADN'T SEEN A WELL DAY FOR FOURTEEN YEARS UNTIL SHE TOOK ORGATONE

"This Orgatone acts just like it was made especially to fit my case," said Mrs. J. L. Greene, residing at 1619-B Lincoln Street, Amarillo, Texas in an interview at her home the other day.

"The fact is, I hadn't seen a well day in fourteen years and almost as soon as I started taking Orgatone it went right to the seat of my trouble and anybody could see I was getting better. My stomach gave me lots of trouble, and I had practically no appetite and sometimes it seemed like I hardly ate enough to keep me on my feet. I could not eat the things I liked, as they would sour on my stomach, causing gas to form and put me in misery for hours.

"Most every body here seemed to be taking Orgatone for their troubles and I got some for myself. I have now taken two bottles and it is surprising the results I have obtained. My appetite is good and I now eat a good square meal and anything I want and feel all right afterwards. All that gas and tired, worn out feeling that used to bother me so much is a thing of the past. I rest better and get up in the morning refreshed and feeling fine. Orgatone has given me the energy I needed and I'm now strong enough to go about my housework without tiring out like I used to. I am sure glad I found Orgatone when I did, for it has done me more good than anything else I ever tried before and I mean to stick to it from now on."

Genuine Orgatone may be obtained in Clarendon at the Stockings Drug Store.

Mutual Insurance Associations Come Under New State Law

Since the passing of the mutual insurance regulation law by the last legislature, several have complied with all the requirements of a membership of at least five hundred, also the filing of a copy of their constitution and by-laws and charter.

The organizations have until the fifteenth of December to meet these requirements which must be filed in each class. According to a recent statement of an official of the state department, the law will be rigidly enforced as in the case of the old line companies.

THE MEASURE OF A MAN

Not, "How did he die?"
But, "How did he live?"
Not, "What did he gain?"
But, "What did he give?"
These are the units
To measure the worth
Of a man as a man,
Regardless of birth.
Not, "What was his station?"
But, "Had he a heart?"
—And—
"How did he play
His God-given part?"
Was he ever ready
With a word of good cheer,
To bring back a smile,
To banish a tear?"
Not, "What was his church?"
Nor, "What was his creed?"
But, had he befriended
Those really in need?"
Not, "What did the sketch
In the newspaper say?"
But, how many were sorry
When he passed away?"
—Selected

wrap us around. We were like two pale ghosts meeting in the misty gulfs beyond the grave.
"And why did you not come?" she asked.
"I would have sold my soul to come. I was ill, desperately ill, nigh to death. I was in the hospital. For two weeks I was delirious, raving of you, trying to get to you, making myself a hundred times worse because of you. But what could I do? I was out of my mind, weak as a child, fighting for my life. That was why I did not come."

When I began to speak she started. As I went on she drew a quick, choking breath. Then she listened ever so intently, and when I had finished a great change came over her. When she spoke her voice was a whisper.
"And they lied to me. They told me you were too eager gold-getting to think of me; that you were in love with some other woman out there; that you cared no more for me. They lied to me. Well, it's too late now."
She laughed, and the once tuneful voice was harsh and grating. Still were her eyes blank with misery.

I longed to comfort her, to kiss that face so white and worn and weary, to bring tears to those hopeless eyes. There seemed to grow in me a greater hunger for the girl than ever before, a longing to bring joy to her again, to make her forget. What did it all matter? She was still my love. I yearned for her. We both had suffered, both been through the furnace. Surely from it would come the love that passeth understanding.

"Berna," I said, "it is not too late. We have both been miserably duped. Never mind, Berna, we will forget all. I love you. Let us forget and go away and be happy."

It seemed as if my every word was like a stab to her. The sweet face was tragically wrinkled.
"Oh, no," she answered. "It can never be. You think it can, but it can't. You could not forget. I could not forget. We would both be thinking; always, always, torturing each other. Our home would be a haunted one, a place of ghosts. Never again can there be joy between you and me. It's too late, too late!"

She was choking back the sobs now, but still the tears did not come.

"Berna," I said gently, "I think I could forget. Please give me a chance to prove it. I know it was not your fault. I know that spiritually you are the same pure girl you were before."

"No, I was not to blame. When you failed to come I grew desperate. When I wrote you and still you failed to come I was almost distracted. Night and day he was persecuting me. The others gave me no peace. If ever a poor girl was hounded to dishonor I was. Yet I had made up my mind to die rather than yield. Oh, it's too horrible."

"Never mind, dear, don't tell me about it."

"When I awoke to life, sick, sick for many days, I wanted to die, but I could not. I was so weak, so ill, so indifferent to everything that it did not seem to matter. That was where I made my mistake. I should have killed myself. Oh, there's something in us all that makes us cling to life in spite of shame. But I would never let him come near me again. And though, when he went away, I've gone into this life, there's never been anyone else. I've danced with them, laughed with them, but that's all. You believe me?"

"Yes, dear."
"Thank God for that? And now we must say good-by. I would not spoil your life. You know how proud I am, how sensitive. I would not give you such as I. Once I would have given myself to you gladly, but now—please go away. Leave me, please."

"Leave you—to what?"
"To death, ruin—I don't know what. If I'm strong enough, I will die. If I am weak I will sink in the mire."

"Berna, will you marry me?"

"No! No! No!"
"Berna, I will never leave you. Here I tell you frankly, plainly, I don't know whether or not you still love me—you haven't said a word to show it—but I know I love you, and I will love you as long as life lasts. I will never leave you. Listen to me, dear; let us go away, far, far away. You will forget, I will forget. Come with me, O my love! Have pity on me, Berna, have pity. Marry me. Be my wife."

She merely shook her head, sitting there cold as a stone.

"Then," I said, "if you call yourself dishonored, I, too, will become dishonored. We will go down together, you and I. Oh, I would rather sink with you, than rise with the angels. You have chosen—well, I, too, have chosen. You will see me steep myself in shame, then when I am a hundred shades blacker than you can ever hope to be, my angel, you will stoop and pity me. We'll go down together, dear. Hand in hand hellward we'll go down, we'll go down."

She was looking at me in a frightened way. A madness seemed to have gotten into me.

"Berna, you're on the dance halls. You're at the mercy of the vilest wretch that's got an ounce of gold in his filthy poke. They can buy you as they buy white flesh anywhere on earth. Berna, I can buy you. Come, dance with me, drink with me. We'll live. We'll eat, drink and be merry. On with the dance! Oh, for the joy of life! Since you'll not be my love you'll be my light-of-love. Come, Berna, come!"

I paused. With head lying on the cushioned edge of the box she was crying.

"Will you come?" I asked again. She did not move.
"Then," said I, "there are others, and I have money, lots of it. I can buy them. I am going down into

the vortex. Look on and watch me."

I left her crying.

With shame I write the following passages. Would I could blot them out of my life. To this day there must be many who remember my meteoric career in the firmament of fast life. It did not last long, but in less than a week I managed to squander a small fortune.

I drink and I drink. It seems to me I am always drinking. Rarely do I eat. I am one of half a dozen spectacular "live ones." All the camp is talking of us, but it seems to me I lead the bunch in the race to ruin. I wonder what Berna thinks of it all. Was there ever such a sensitive creature? Where did she get that obstinate pride?

Remonstrating the Prodigal speeds to town.

"Are you crazy?" he cries. "I don't mind you making an ass of yourself, but lushing around all that coin the way you're doing—it's wicked; it makes me sick. Come home at once."

"I won't," I say. "What if I am crazy? Isn't it my money? When the money's gone I'll quit. I'm having the time of my life. Don't come spoiling it with your precepts."

He goes away shaking his head. I am in a box at the Pacific Grand. The place is packed with



The Place is Packed With Rowdy Men and Ribald Women.

rowdy men and ribald women. I am at the zenith of my shame. Right and left I am buying wine.

How I loathe myself! But I think of Berna, and the thought goes me to fresh excesses. I will go on till flesh and blood can stand it no longer, till I drop in my tracks. I realize that somehow I must make her pity me, must awake in her that guardian angel which exists in every woman. Only in that way can I break down the barrier of her pride and arouse the love latent in her heart.

Always amid that lurid carnival of sin floats the figure of Blossom, Blossom with her child-face of dazzling fairness, her china-blue eyes, her round, smooth cheeks. How different from the pinched pallid face of Berna! Poor, poor Berna! I never see her, but amid all the saturnalia she haunts me. The thought of her is agony, I know she watches me. If she would only stoop and save me now! Or have I not fallen low enough? I must go deeper yet. Faster and faster must I swirl into the vortex.

In all that fierce madness of debauch, thank God, I retained my honor. They beguiled me, they tried to lure me into their rooms; but at the moment I went to enter I recoiled. It was as if an invisible arm stretched across the doorway and barred me out.

And Blossom, she, too, tried so hard to lure me, and because I resisted it inflamed her. She would coax me with the prettiest gestures, and caress me with the sweetest endearments; then, when I steadfastly resisted her, she would fly into a fury and flout me with the foulness of the stew.

It was in one of the corridors of the dance hall in the early hours of the morning. The place was deserted, strewn with debris of the night debauch. We were up there, Blossom and I. I was in a strange state of mind, a state bordering on frenzy. No longer, I felt, could I keep up this pace. Something had to happen, and that soon.

She put her arms around me. "Come," she said.

She led me toward her room. No longer was I able to resist. My foot was on the threshold and I was almost over when—
"Telegram, sir."

It was a messenger. Confusedly I took the flimsy envelope and tore it open. Blankly I stared at the line of type. I stared like a sober man in a dream. I was sober enough now.

"Ain't you coming?" said Blossom, putting her arms round me.
"No," I said hoarsely, "leave me, please leave me. Oh, my God!"

Her face changed, became vindictive, the face of a fury.
"Curse you," she hissed. "Oh, I know. It's that other that white-faced doll you care for. Look at me! Am I not better than her? And you scorn me. Oh, I hate you. I'll get even with you and her. Curse you, curse you—"

She snatched up an empty wine bottle. Swinging it by the neck she struck me square on the forehead. I felt the stunning blow, a warm rush of blood. Then I fell forward, and all the lights seemed to go out.

There I lay in a heap, and the blood spurting from my wound soaked the little piece of paper. On it was written:

"Mother died this morning, Garry."

"Where am I?"

"Here with me."
Low and sweet and tender was the voice. I was in bed and my head was heavily bandaged, so that the cloths weighed upon my eyelids. By my bedside some one was sitting, and a soft, gentle hand was holding mine.

"Is that you, Berna?"

"Yes, please don't talk."
I thrilled with a sudden sweetness of joy. A flood of sunshine bathed me. It was all over, then, the turmoil, the storm, the shipwreck. I was drifting on a tranquil ocean of content. Blissfully I closed my eyes.

Yet there was something, some memory darker than the others, some shadow of shadows that baffled me. As I battled with the growing terror and suspense, it all came back to me, the telegram, the news, my collapse. A great grief welled up in me, and in my agony I spoke to the girl.

"Berna, tell me, is it true? Is my mother dead?"

"It is true, dear. You must try to bear it bravely."

I could feel her bending over me, could feel her hand holding mine, could feel her hair brush my cheek, yet I forgot even her just then. I thought only of mother, of her devoted and of how little I had done to deserve it. So this was the end; a narrow grave, a rending grief and the haunting specter of reproach.

My sobs were choking me, and Berna was holding my hand very tightly. Yet in a little I grew calmer.

"Berna," I said, "I've only got you now, only you, little girl. So you must love me, you mustn't leave me."

"I'll never leave you—if you want me to stay."

"God bless you, dear. I can't tell you the comfort you are to me. I'll try to be quiet now."

I will always remember those days as I grew slowly well again. Berna left me much alone, alone with my thoughts. Often when all was quiet I knew she was sitting there beyond the curtain, sitting, thinking, thinking, just as I was thinking. Quiet was the keynote of our life, quiet and sunshine. That little cabin might have been a hundred miles from the gold-born city, it was so quiet. How sweet she looked in her spotless home attire, her neat waist, her white apron with bib and sleeves, her general air of a little housewife. And never was there so devoted a nurse.

It was sweet prolonging my convalescence, yet the time came when I could no longer let her wait upon me. What was going to happen to us? Was ever a stranger situation? She slept in the little kitchen, and between us there was but that curtain. The faintest draught stirred it. There I lay through the long, long night in that quiet cabin. I heard her breathing. Sometimes even I heard her murmur in her sleep. I knew she was there, within a few yards of me. I thought of her always. I loved her beyond all else on earth. I was gaining daily in health and strength, yet not for the wealth of the world would I have passed that little curtain. She was as safe there as if she were guarded with swords. And she knew it.

"I'll play the game fair," I said to myself. "I must be very careful. Our position was full of danger. So I forced myself to be cold to her, and she looked both surprised and pained at the change in me. Her heart was innocent, and she could not understand my sudden coldness. The girl was winsome beyond words, and I knew I had but to say it and she would come to me. Yet I checked myself. I retreated behind a barrier of reserve.

"Play the game," I said; "play the game."
So as I grew better and stronger she seemed to lose her cheerfulness. Always she had that anxious, wistful look. Once came a sound from the kitchen like stifled sobbing, and in the night I heard her cry. Then the time came when I was well enough to get up, to go away.

I dressed, looking like the cadaverous ghost I felt myself to be. She was there in the kitchen sitting quietly, waiting.
"Berna," I called.
She came, with a smile lighting up her face.

"I'm going."

The smile vanished, and left her with that high proud look, yet behind it was a lurking fear.

"Are you ready?" I went on.

"Ready?"

"Yes, you're going, too."

"Where?"

I took her suddenly in my arms.

"Why, you dear little angel, to get married, of course. Come on, Berna, we'll find the nearest parson. We won't lose any more precious time."

Then a great rush of tears came into her eyes. But still she hung back. She shook her head.

"Why, Berna, what's the matter? Won't you come? Don't you love me?"

"Yes, I love you. It's because I love you I won't come."

"Won't you marry me?"

"No, no, I can't. You know what I said before. I haven't changed any. I'm still the same—dishonored girl. And everybody knows. No, I could never marry you, never take your name, never bind you to me. You must go away, or—stay."

"Stay?"

"Yes, you've been living alone with me for a month. I picked you up that night in the dance hall. I had you brought here. I nursed you. Do you think people don't give me credit for the worst? I am supposed to be your mistress. Everybody knows; nobody cares. There are so many living that way here."

"What shall I do?"

"Just stay. Oh, why can't we

go on as we've been doing? What does the ceremony matter? We love each other. Isn't that the real marriage? It's more; it's ideal. We'll both be free to go if we wish. There will be no bonds but those of love. Oh, stay, stay!"

Her arms were round my neck. The gray eyes were full of pleading. The sweet lips had the old, pathetic droop. I yielded to the emptiness of love.

"Well," I said, "we will go on awhile on one condition, that by-and-by you marry me."

"Yes, I will, I will, I promise. If you don't tire of me; if you are sure beyond all doubt you will never regret it, then I will marry you with the greatest joy in the world."

So it came about that I stayed.

The year following, in which Berna and I kept house, was not altogether a happy one. Somehow we had both just missed something. "The thought of her terrible experience haunted her, I knew, and I, too, suffered.

I tried to make her forget, yet I could not succeed; and even in my most happy moments there was always the shadow of Locasto; there was always a fear, the fear of his return.

My partners and I were up to our necks in business these days. Our Gold Hill property had turned out well. Jim was busy installing his hydraulic plant on Oakir creek, and altogether we had good things to think about. I had set my heart on making a hundred thousand dollars, and as things were looking it seemed as if two more years would bring me to that mark.

"Then," said I to Berna, "we'll go and travel all over the world, and do it in style."

"Will we, dear?" she answered tenderly. "But I don't want money much now, and I don't know that I care so much about travel either. What I would like would be to go to your home, settle down, and live quietly."

She was greatly interested in my description of Longley. Particularly was she interested in my accounts of Garry, and rather scoffed at my enthusiastic description of him.

"Oh, that wonderful brother of yours! One would think he was a small god, to hear you talk. I declare, I'm half afraid of him. Do you think he would like me?"

"He would love you, little girl; anyone would."

"Don't be foolish," she chided me. And then she drew my head down and kissed me.

"Oh, I'm so happy," she said with a sigh.

"Are you, dearest?" I caressed the soft floss of her hair.

Aye, she was happy, and I will always bless the memory of those days, and thank God I was the means of bringing a little gladness into her married life. She was happy, and yet we were living in what society would call sin. Conventionally we were not man and wife, and yet never were man and wife more devoted, more self-respecting. Never were man and wife endowed with purer ideals, with a more exalted conception of the sanctity of love.

LEGION WORLD SERIES TO BE ON AIR SEPT. 4-6

The World series games of the American Legion Junior Baseball competition, to be played in Louisville, Ky., Sept. 4, 5 and 6, will be broadcast, play by play, in a nation-wide hook-up by the National Broadcasting Company, according to information received by Clyde Douglas, P. C., post 126 of The American Legion here today from department headquarters.

Graham McNamee, famous sport announcer on the radio, will be at the microphone, as well as Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, high commissioner of organized baseball, the two major leagues having sponsored the Legion program this year, as it did last, to the extent of \$50,000.00.

The games in Louisville will start promptly at 2 p. m., Central Standard Time, according to arrangements which have been made by Dan Sowers, national director of the Legion activity.

The World series will be the climax of elimination or regional tournaments between state cham-

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ampionship teams throughout the United States," the post official said. "Between 300,000 and 500,000 boys are enrolled in the Legion baseball program this year, as compared to 122,000 last year. The games attracted boys, who, under the Legion rules, must be under 17 years of age. Various organizations, particularly the civic and patriotic societies, have supported teams and even leagues in the competition, because the activity has for its main objective the teaching of good citizenship through adherence to fair play and clean-sportsmanship.

"Every state and the District of Columbia is represented in the Legion program, and the thousands of boys are well and evenly distributed according to population."

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hahn, prominent farmer folk of near Girard, Texas, were here the first of the week for a visit with their son Lonnie Hahn and family.

Mrs. Henry Dodge and little daughter who have been visiting Mrs. Dodge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McClelland, have returned to their home at Scarlsdale, N. Y.



Wallie Brush, 22, of the Tampa Club of the Southern League, who is reported to have been sold to the New York Giants for \$12,500, which is the record price for players from the Southern League.

Mrs. Cleone Stewart, formerly Cleone Odell and whose mother is a daughter of W. J. Parsons, deceased, is visiting relatives here. Mrs. Stewart's husband is a professor of English in Harvard University. She was accompanied here by her mother, Mrs. J. N. Stewart of Oklahoma City.

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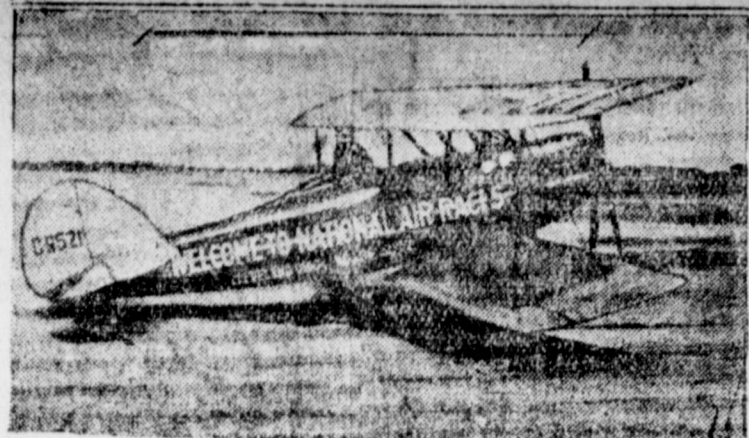
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Feminine Pilots to Take Part in Air Races



Mrs. Blanche Noyes shown in plane she will fly from Santa Monica, Cal., to Cleveland, the course of the race. The contest will be a feature of the 1929 air races at end of August, in which Amelia Earhart, Ruth Elder, Marvel Crosson and many other feminine pilots are expected to compete.

LELIA LAKE

Miss Edna Woods, who is teaching in Shamrock has gone to that city to begin her work.

Miss Jewel Smith and her mother have returned from Memphis where Miss Jewel had her tonsils removed.

Lenard Harding of Lubbock and sister, Miss Etta Mary Harding, a teacher of Weatherford, Texas were week end visitors in the A. H. Shaw home.

Charlie Shaw and wife and children of Claude were visitors of W. L. Blaylock and family Wednesday.

Mr. Vance Swinburn of Memphis District Sec. of the Epworth League was with the league here Sunday evening. Rev. Jenkins kindly gave him the preaching hour and he made a splendid talk enjoyed by the whole membership of the church as well as the Leaguer's.

Walter Howard and family and E. L. Howard are spending their vacation in different parts of Oklahoma visiting relatives.

Mrs. Garner and children of Electra are visiting relatives here this week.

W. W. Jones and family are visiting his parents of Portals, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. McClain of Amarillo were Sunday guests of the lady's sister, Mrs. J. D. Jenkins.

Roy Darnell and wife were Childress visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers and son returned from a visit to Spur

last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Johnson entertained the following dinner guests last Sunday, Mrs. J. P. Garner and family of Electra Texas, Mrs. W. W. Eaves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and baby.

Miss Moody Kennedy and Miss Rena Aten visited friends in Amarillo Sunday.

Miss Elois Reeves was a guest of relatives of Goldston for several days last week.

W. A. Creamer and family spent the week end with relatives in Hereford.

Mrs. W. M. Posey of Hedley spent last Monday with grandma Mace.

J. R. Mace carried his son Rona to Amarillo last Sunday for medical treatment.

Odel Williams who has been seriously ill at the home of his father is reported some better.

Misses Ieta Mace, Alta Lewis and Layma Taylor are attending Institute in Clarendon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Weaver of Carter, Okla. spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Mr. Rex Reeves came in Saturday and he is attending Institute at Clarendon, Monday and Tuesday. After which he will return here Wednesday to open the 1929-30 term of school. This makes Mr. Reeves fifth term here, two as principal and three as Supt.

R. L. Bruce and family are spending a few days in Vernon and

Wichita Falls this week.

Miss O'Dris Smith of Clarendon spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morton and wife and baby made a trip to Amarillo Sunday.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Will Kennedy were Mr. Van Kennedy and wife of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McConley and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kennedy and son Alvin.

Miss Gladys Cruse who has been spending most of the summer in the Perry Cruse home returned to her home in Turkey last week.

Miss Grace Cook of Amarillo was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Kennedy Sunday afternoon.

Henry McElyea of Clovis was a week end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cruse.

Mr. A. A. Smith and son Terry made a trip to their farm on the South Plains near Little Field last week. They report a good crop on their place.

W. L. Blaylock and family made business in Memphis Friday.

Mrs. Mark Putman visited her daughter Mrs. Bob Williams last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob LaFon and two children of Clarendon were guests of Mrs. W. C. Reeves Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Morris Wisdom has returned from Glen Rose, where she has been visiting relatives for several weeks.

C. H. Holland and family are moving to Hedley this week, where the children will enter school this year. Miss Corda will teach again in the Hedley schools this term.

Mrs. Nethery and two children of Milan, were guests of her brothers family, Mr. and Mrs. Self a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Daughtry enroute to their home in Ft. Worth stopped for a short visit with the lady's sister, Mrs. H. Leathers Saturday.

Glen Taylor Jones of Amarillo is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor.

Miss Elva Wisdom of Clarendon is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Reeves and brother, Morris Wisdom.

Mrs. Sims of Chillicothe is visiting her sister Mrs. Kinch Leathers.

E. L. Lewis and family have returned from a trip to the south plains.

CLUB NOTES

McKNIGHT GIRLS

The McKnight girls club met at McKnight school August 29th, with 16 members present for the demonstration on "better household linen" and how to decorate them.

These girls, altho the entire club is made up of first year members, plan to have exhibits at the Donley County Poultry and Club Show Sept. 17th and 18th.

McKNIGHT WOMEN'S CLUB

The McKnight Club met at the home of Mrs. Maggie Lou Tate August 29th, at 2:30 p. m. The Demonstrator, Miss Thompson, demonstrated "block printing" which was declared most interesting by the members, and which will be used by the members to decorate couch covers, pillow tops, window drapes, table runners, etc.

NEW HEDLEY CLUB

The members of the new Hedley club met at the home of Mrs. H. R. Whiteside August 30th, at 2:30 p. m. They voted to have an exhibit at the Donley County Poultry and Club Show Sept. 17th and 18th and appointed a committee to arrange the articles for exhibit according to the score card rules.

The demonstration given by Miss Thompson was "choosing colors, dyeing, braiding and sewing hempen rugs." Several members declared they will gather up their feed sacks, dye them and make them-

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King and family were week end visitors in Crowell, Texas. They were accompanied by Miss Emma King who had been visiting relatives and friends here for the past two weeks.

Misses Oma, Stella and Ivy Hinkle are attending Institute in Canyon. After their return here Misses Stella and Ivy will go to their school near McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Rona Mace of Los Angeles came last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mace.

Miss Helen Parker of Ashtola spent part of last week visiting Miss Margarete Christal.

Dr. C. W. Galloway and Pete Mack left here Saturday night Seagraves bound with a full intention of getting prairie chickens, and get them they did. The night was spent on the road and the hunt made next day. Crops are reported as being very sorry in that section by these men and cotton about all in with a small yield in sight.

Due to the early rains, the corn crop is about the best in west Texas in the Browfield-Seagraves country, which will probably save the day, say these visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bural have returned from a vacation trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas. While there they sold a number of scenic curtains over the state that being their line of business and a mighty good one judging from the number of public schools supplied by them in the Panhandle.

Rev. C. B. Ingram is holding a series of meetings at Pleasant Hill about five miles west of Quail. He began his meeting Tuesday and had seven conversions by Saturday.

Miss Mary Ellen Small of Amarillo is visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. R. M. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Latson spent the week end at Childress.

selves some nice rugs after the club rug is completed. Eighteen members were present for this lesson.

Demonstrator Culls Chickens

Miss Thompson spent a busy day Wednesday, she having culled chickens at the homes of Mrs. L. B. Merrill and Mrs. N. L. Jones at Ashtola. Afterwards Miss Thompson went to a club picnic at the Naylor camp grounds where the Club women and their families enjoyed a sumptuous feed under the large trees.

After lunch, the Club members were called to order by the president, Mrs. Wood, and plans were made for the Naylor Home Demonstration exhibit at the Poultry and Club Show to be held at Clarendon. Afterwards, Miss Thompson demonstrated "block printing" as a means of decorating household lines.

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Dr. C. W. Galloway and Pete Mack left here Saturday night Seagraves bound with a full intention of getting prairie chickens, and get them they did. The night was spent on the road and the hunt made next day. Crops are reported as being very sorry in that section by these men and cotton about all in with a small yield in sight.

Due to the early rains, the corn crop is about the best in west Texas in the Browfield-Seagraves country, which will probably save the day, say these visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bural have returned from a vacation trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas. While there they sold a number of scenic curtains over the state that being their line of business and a mighty good one judging from the number of public schools supplied by them in the Panhandle.

Rev. C. B. Ingram is holding a series of meetings at Pleasant Hill about five miles west of Quail. He began his meeting Tuesday and had seven conversions by Saturday.

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HEALTHY MAXIMS

One step won't take you very far, You've got to keep on walking; One word won't tell folks wuh you are, You've got to keep on talking; One inch won't make you very tall, You've got to keep on growing; One little an won't do it all, You've got to keep 'em going.

Mr. Charles Duke of Wichita Falls is visiting his sister, Mrs. Homer Mulkey, and his mother, Mrs. William's for a few days.

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LEADER LATE BY ACCIDENT

The Donley County Leader will reach you a little late this week due to the fact that we had an accident—we failed to secure the extra help from a brother printer due to a rush in his shop also.

Fourteen pages this week, the biggest issue in our history, and full line of local and county news from all the trade territory. The advertising sections are full of choice bargains—don't overlook them.

Again we voice our appreciation of the merchant advertisers and the big volume of good will continually pledged us by our readers constituting ninety percent of the folks who live in Clarendon's trade territory.

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			Each	Each	Each						
30x3			\$1.05	\$.89		29x5.00	9.90	12.15	1.80	1.75	1.54
30x3 1/2 Regular	6.05		1.25	1.20	1.05	30x5.00	10.20	12.55	2.00	1.80	1.55
30x3 1/2 Extra Size	6.35	10.05	1.25	1.20	1.05	31x5.00	10.65	13.05	2.05	1.85	1.60
30x3 1/2 Ex. O. S.	7.50		1.25	1.20	1.05	32x5.00	11.75		2.10	1.90	
STRAIGHT SIDE						28x5.25	11.10	13.45	2.15	1.85	1.63
30x3 1/2			1.25	1.20	1.05	29x5.25	11.55	13.80	2.25	1.90	1.71
30x3 1/2 (Cord Tube)	8.85		1.25	1.20	1.05	30x5.25	11.90	14.20	2.35	2.00	1.79
31x4	10.80		1.55			31x5.25	12.25	14.70	2.45	2.05	1.83
32x4	11.50	14.20	1.55	1.60	1.40	28x5.50	12.30	14.60	2.20		
33x4	12.10		2.05	1.75	1.52	29x5.50	12.65	15.15	2.50	2.25	
32x4 1/2	15.55	20.05	2.35	2.10	1.88	30x5.50	12.90	16.05	2.60	2.35	
33x4 1/2	16.20	20.75	2.45	2.15	1.91	30x6.00	13.55	16.15	2.60	2.25	
34x4 1/2	16.70	21.50	2.50	2.20	1.95	31x6.00	13.90	16.65	2.70	2.30	2.08
33x5	21.15	28.25	3.20	2.55	2.30	32x6.00	14.35	16.95	2.95	2.40	2.15
35x5	22.70	31.05	3.40	2.75	2.42	33x6.00	14.80	17.55	3.15	2.55	2.30
BALLOON TIRES						34x6.00	15.30	18.25	3.20	2.60	
27x4.40	7.00			1.40	1.24	30x6.50	16.65	19.65	3.10	2.50	
29x4.40	7.40	10.35	1.65	1.50	1.29	31x6.50	17.05	20.05	3.20	2.60	
29x4.50	7.95	10.70	1.70	1.55		31x6.50	17.40	20.30	3.30	2.70	
30x4.50	8.25	11.05	1.75	1.60	1.39	30x6.75	17.80	20.95	3.40	2.80	
28x4.75	9.15		1.80	1.65		31x6.75	*17.40	20.80	3.50	2.85	
29x4.75	9.55	11.80	1.85	1.70	1.47	32x6.75	18.25	21.95	3.65	3.15	
						33x6.75	22.70		3.20		

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Size	Casing	Royal Tube		Grey Tube	
		Each	Size	Each	Size
30x3 1/2 Clin. (6 ply)	\$10.05	30x3 1/2	\$1.25	30x3 1/2	\$1.20
32x4 S.S.	14.20	32x4	2.00	32x4	1.65
32x4 1/2 S.S.	20.05	32x4 1/2	2.35	32x4 1/2	2.10
33x4 1/2 S.S.	20.75	33x4 1/2	2.45	33x4 1/2	2.15
34x4 1/2 S.S.	21.50	34x4 1/2	2.50	34x4 1/2	2.20
30x5 S.S. (6 ply)	19.30	30x5	2.95	30x5	2.30
30x5 S.S. (8 ply)	25.55	30x5	2.95	30x5	2.30
33x5 S.S.	28.25	33x5	3.20	33x5	2.55
34x5 S.S.	30.35	34x5	3.30	34x5	2.65
35x5 S.S.	31.05	35x5	3.40	35x5	2.75
32x6 S.S. (8 ply)	32.40	32x6	5.05	32x6	4.10
32x6 S.S. (10 ply)	42.45	32x6	5.05		
36x6 S.S. (10 ply)	46.60	36x6	5.40		

U. S. PEERLESS CASINGS AND TUBES

Size	Casings	Each
30x3		\$1.10
30x3 1/2		1.30
31x4		1.75
32x4		1.85
33x4		1.90
32x4 1/2		2.35
33x4 1/2		2.40
34x4 1/2		2.45
33x5		2.90
35x5		3.05
29x4.40	6.00	1.60
29x4.50	6.50	1.70
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