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A Common Paper For Common People

Loving Cup Prize Offered For The Most Attractive Front

This inducement is offered to encourage attractive Christmas decorations.

The Chamber of Commerce has provided a beautiful silver engraved loving cup to be presented to the most attractive store front among the business houses of this city during the Christmas holidays. The cup will be presented shortly after Christmas or as soon thereafter as possible for the judges committee to award the winner. The stores will be judged before Christmas.

All business houses are invited to take notice of this announcement and enter into the spirit of the contest and make this city as attractive as possible for the Christmas visitor.

There are no special rules to the contest, you will not be required to enter or enroll, you will be judged just what it says, "the most attractive store front".

Christmas lights and signs will be put up on the streets on Dec. 10th, and it is hoped by the committee of the Chamber that all business houses will take on the Christmas spirit by that time at least, and it is hoped that on the night of the 10th, all will blaze out in Christmas attire at one moment.

Amarillo Requests All Panhandle Help In Monster Pageant

Several Bands And Numerous Civic Clubs Will Enter In Big Parade December 11th

On Thursday, December 11, Amarillo will be the scene of the greatest Christmas pageant ever held in the Panhandle of Texas. The Chamber of Commerce, The Globe-News and the merchants of Amarillo are bearing all of the expense in connection with this program but wish it to be distinctly understood that it is a Panhandle affair to which all residents of the Panhandle are most cordially invited.

The outstanding feature of the day will be an all-Panhandle parade in which bands from all the surrounding territory will compete for prizes. This parade will be built around Thacher's Santa Claus Spectacle. For some five years Mr. Thacher has made a business of staging such spectacles and is recognized as the best of his kind in America. He travels on a special train carrying with him at all times about forty-five trained people who take the part of the various characters in the spectacle. In addition to this personnel he also carries ten Alaskan reindeer in charge of Eskimos dressed in clothing as worn by the natives of Alaska. Of course these reindeer draw the sleigh in which Santa Claus is seated. In addition to Santa Claus there is "Merry Christmas", his wife, who appears in the parade in a fancy sedan chair carried by costumed chairmen.

The parade includes representatives of Japan, Italy, Holland, Spain "Miss America", "The Rainbow", and "The Peacock." In addition, there are many comedy features, freakish men on stilts ten feet high, others wear grotesque heads, etc.

This professional troupe will be augmented by bands from all over (Continued on back page)

Z. O. Batson Passed Away At Memphis Wednesday

Death came suddenly to Mr. Z. O. Batson of Memphis Wednesday. He with his family formerly resided at Lelia Lake for many years and was one of the old settlers of Donley county. He was also the father of Mrs. Sam Roberts and Mrs. Devertie Leathers.

No man stood higher in the esteem of his fellow men than he and his death is greatly regretted among those who knew him best.

Bronchos Feted By Pep Squad Girls On Friday Night

Coach Frank A. Stocking is Toastmaster in Complimenting Athletes

The Broncho football squad was royally entertained Friday night in the Economics department of the High School by the Pep Squad. Coach Frank A. Stocking performed the services of Toastmaster in a manner most fitting the gala occasion.

Displayed on a table in front of the speaker was a miniature football field complete with players and all equipment. The room was decorated with the class colors of maroon and white.

Menus printed on imitation leather were fashioned to the shape of a football, each bearing the names of the players and pep squad complete in addition to the menu, a copy of which is given below.

THE TOSS UP

1st Quarter	Kick Off
Huddle	1st Down
Olives	Celery
2nd Quarter	End Run
Fake Pass	Pickles
Place Salad	
Off Side	Place Kick
Giblet Gravy	Baked Turkey
Dressing	
3rd Quarter	
Touch Down	End Around
Pass	Triple
Sweet Potatoes	Buttered Rolls
Green Beans	
4th Quarter	
Punt	Drop Kick
Pumpkin Pie	Coffee

Mints

TEAM

Raymond Nichols, Capt., Odell Baird, Wilford Andis, Carrol Hudson, Fred Bourland, Lawrence Whitlock, Arthur Davis, George McCleskey, Loyd Benson, Tony Watson, F. L. Behrens, Lonnie Langford, Pete Morris, Fred Reid, Everett Johnson, James Cornelius, Elyer Watson, O. C. Watson, Bill Wood, Walter Gorman, Silas Franklin, Fox Butler, Y. E. McAdams, J. T. Easterling, John F. Harlan, John McMahan, Lloyd Martin, Raymond Tidwell, Esca Trostle, Robert Nichols, (Mascot).

Frank Stocking, Coach—John Hutton, Coach.

Pep Squad

Ruth Nichols, yell leader; Ruth Price, Senior leader; Lucile Andis, Viola Jones, Bernice Andis, Delphia Bones, Josephine Daniels, Frances Choate, Esma Keener, Junior leader; Ayleen Mann, Gladys McCroy, Beatrice Munsey, Kitty Speed, Soph. leader; Jo Ella Stewart, Vera Noland, Majorie White, Geraldine Pratt, Berkeley Ryan, Jovetia Jackson, Margaret Jones, Ruth Cautchen, Frances Parker, Mrs. Meade Haile, (Sponsor), Betty Jo Bain, (Mascot).

College Dean Dines Friends on Venison Steak

In order to offer substantial proof of his marksmanship as well as good fellowship, W. A. Clark, Jr., dean of Clarendon College, invited the members of the school Board, a number of the men faculty and the caretaker of the building to share a venison dinner with him Wednesday evening.

The deer from which this dinner was served is one recently killed by the Dean while on a hunting trip in New Mexico.

Those to share in this treat were F. E. Chamberlain, J. W. Martin, J. R. Porter, and W. W. Taylor of the School Board. Messrs. O. C. Watson and Odos Caraway being out of town.

Teachers present were Messrs. Burton, Stocking, Hutton, Batten, Wells, Bairfield, Drennon, and Mr. Thompson, caretaker of the buildings.

Misses Coy Latson and Mary Hazel Hurn, teachers in the Post schools, spent Thanksgiving and the week end with home folks.

Miss Mildred Stewart returned to her school work at Pampa Sunday after spending Thanksgiving and the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart.

Local Girls Down Claude Sextet 21 to 15

Wednesday night the Clarendon High School Girls' basketball team started their season off right by overpowering the girls from Claude. Esma Keener, substitute for Ina Faye Pitman at the forward position, was high in the scoring. Moore was the bright light in the scoring for the visiting team. The game was close throughout with both teams showing exceptional ability for the early season. This was the first loss that the Claude team has suffered out of five games. It looks as if coach Dillard is rounding out a winning team from the large number of girls that he has working out under him. A return game will be played at Claude in the near future.

Peabody Succeeds Pierce on Night Force

A change was made the past week in the Sheriff's office where by Guy Pierce is on the day force in that office and C. M. Peabody takes the work of Pierce on night duty. Mr. Peabody has been a fearless officer and has a reputation for fair play.

It will be recalled that Mr. Peabody was elected constable November 4th. He has qualified and will serve in the two capacities. Citizens express their pleasure in having the new man since a change was to be made.

Joint Recital Will be Given Fine Arts Department

The Fine Arts Department of the Clarendon Public Schools announce a joint recital, expression and piano, by pupils of Mrs. Rita Foster Stocking and Miss Grace Mae Sample.

The program will be given in the College Auditorium at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday, December 9th. The public is most cordially invited.

Meredith Gentry Completes Beautiful Residence

Workmen are this week putting the finishing touches on the new M. P. Gentry home constructed on the old site of the Paul P. Atteberry home which he purchased some time ago.

The building is of modern design, stucco finish outside and contains eight rooms with all modern conveniences. It presents a very beautiful appearance and is considered as among the best homes in the city.

Palo Duro Park Meeting At Memphis Friday This Week

State Officials, and Panhandle Boosters of Many Sections Will Attend Meeting

In order to properly present the claims of the Palo Duro park matter at the next session of the Legislature meeting in January, a meeting will be held at Memphis Friday of this week for the purpose of formulating plans of action.

This meeting will be attended by those interested in the creation of Palo Duro canyon as a state park, regardless of what section of the Panhandle they may claim as their residence.

The meeting will begin with a luncheon at noon sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Among the state officials to address the gathering will be D. E. Colp, chairman of the Texas State Park Board.

Those interested in the creation of Caddo Lake park and the Davis Mountain park are already securing signatures asking that the Legislature designate parks in each area. It is therefore imperative that the people of the Panhandle rush matters that our own local Palo Duro area be included in the matter of creation of state park areas.

Several from Clarendon will make the journey and it is hoped that all those interested in the matter will make it a point to be present as this matter is of equal vital importance to Clarendon as well as other towns of the Panhandle.

Ex-Cyclones And Ex-Bronchos To Battle December 12th

Two Benefit Games Arranged During Month of December Arouses Interest

Football fans of the present, and fans who admired the skill of the boys of a few years ago will be at Memphis Friday, December 12th to see the battle between grid enemies of the past.

It is true that the Cyclones got the best of it in days gone by, but with the increasing years, these ex-Bronchos have reached an age of more mature judgment and the story may be different when the games are played in 1930.

Anyhow, Coach G. L. Boykin, the Knute Rockne of old Clarendon teams when they won the championship and made history for Panhandle gridsters, is working out his old team on the hill and there will be something doing.

If there is anything in a man worth cultivating along athletic lines, Coach Boykin is the man to get it out. It is further claimed by those in authority, that Boykin is the best coach "that ever looked down a bow-legged line of raw recruits."

Old Bronchos are nursing sore muscles. They are limping. Patches of skin are knocked off here and there but they are getting ready to do battle with a vim. Old Bronchos who had accumulated a pot—I mean have become obese—are rapidly assuming the graceful outlines in figure of a Grecian goddess. Those who have wandered into society and are wont to stay up late and eat off a lettuce leaf, are again becoming he-men.

Many familiar faces will be recognized in the team after the curls are discarded. Men who have wisdom—heaps of it, sticking out all round—will again do their stuff. Old man Benson, that peer of all football enthusiasts, has been a victim of insomnia at night and a somnambulist during the day ever since this thing started.

The following will likely play: Homer Beach, Paul Montgomery, Sam Braswell Jr., Bill Dillard, Loren Naylor, Jerry Hayter, Phifer Estlack, Rufus White, Paul Schull, J. P. Matheson, G. F. Keener, J. P. Rhodes. Several others have expressed a desire to help out and it is expected that about thirty eligibles will answer roll call at the last moment.

These games, the first on the 12th at Memphis, and the second to be played here on the 19th, will unite the admirers of real sport in both towns. The gate receipts are to be split evenly. The Memphis folks want to turn their money over to the Legion boys for their Christmas fund.

Homer Mulkey went to Memphis Saturday to make final arrangements. He is looking after the Clarendon end of the game because he is chief ramrod of the band and the money from the Clarendon half of the gate receipts will go to the band fund. They need it and the public will be glad to see them get it.

McDowell Club to Present Cantata December 14th

The McDowell Club is working hard on its Christmas Cantata "The Holy Child" and expects to be able to present it to the music lovers of Clarendon, Sunday evening, December 14th. The hour and place have not definitely been decided on, but notice will be given in next week's issue of this paper.

The Club this year is augmented by the leading male voices of the town, including Messrs. Clude Hudson, Sam Braswell, G. L. Boykin, Earl Batten, Irl Smith and O. T. Smith.

The cantata is a beautiful Christmas number, including one male chorus, several duets and trios, a few solos and many good chorus numbers. Solo parts are being taken by Miss Anna Moores, Mrs. O. T. Smith, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Miss Anna Wiedman, and Messrs. G. L. Boykin, Sam Braswell and R. S. Cope.

The next rehearsal of the Club will be held at the Methodist Church, Sunday afternoon, December 7th, at 4 p. m.

Sheriff States Auto Plates Ready For Distribution

License plates for autos and trucks for 1931 may be secured at the Sheriff's office any time now distribution having begun Monday of this week.

The same fees prevail this year as last. The only difference is in the color, the purchaser getting a prettier plate this time for his money. The words "front" and "rear" have been left off this time.

All auto plates for 1931 are of solid black background with letters and figures in white which makes them more easily distinguished on a rapidly moving vehicle than those of last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay of Memphis visited her sister Mrs. Bartlett.

New Optical And Jewelry Repair Store Here

Dr. S. F. Huneycutt, optician formerly of this city and more recently of Pampa, has returned to Clarendon and has located in the rear store space of the First National Bank formerly occupied by the Phillips Petroleum interests.

Dr. Huneycutt announces that he will install a complete optical equipment and will also have the latest methods for repairing watches and jewelry. His place of business will be open Wednesday of this week according to his announcement.

Ten Niggers Play Poker At Wrong Time

Deputies Pierce and Peabody corralled ten dusky boys Saturday night when they are said to have had an interesting game going at the cafe on north side of the track.

A part of the bunch forked out \$14.95 each and others unable to pay made bond and got a job that looked like it might square them with the law.

G. F. Lane Buys Truck Line of Naylor and Carlile

The truckline of Naylor and Carlile was taken over Monday by G. F. Lane who closed the deal returning to Clarendon where he operated a truck line for several years.

He has made McLean his headquarters for the past three years. He also farmed near town and just naturally wanted to get back home again. This line will operate from here to Amarillo.

Union Services Are Held Wed. Evening At 1st Baptist Church

Many Community Needs Are Announced And Plans To Meet Them

Rev. W. E. Ferrell, pastor of the First Christian church, was master of ceremonies at the annual union Thanksgiving services held at the First Baptist church Wednesday evening.

Five ministers were present, each sharing in a place on the program. Sam Braswell, Sr. presented the needs of the Good Fellows explaining the workings of the organization. The free-will offering of the evening was given to the fund and a drive for more funds announced to start within the coming week.

The choir under the direction of Robert S. Cope was made up of singers from several of the churches while Miss Grace Mae Sample presided at the piano.

Rev. W. R. McPherson, the new pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, preached the regular Thanksgiving sermon in which recounted the many blessings of the past year, reviewed the accomplishments of the nation and paid his respects to an American citizen worthy of the name.

Other ministers taking part in the program were Rev. C. B. Ingram of the Methodist church, Rev. Robt. S. McKee of the Presbyterian church, Rev. W. M. Murrell, presiding elder.

The collection taken at this meeting for the Goodfellows amounted to \$24.43.

Bronchos Beaten Last Game of Season By Wild Bobcats

Local Football Squad Holds Invading Class A Team to Small Score

Thursday, the local Bronchos fought their last and probably their best football game of the season when the last to the crafty Childress Bobcats to the tune of 15 to 8. Handicapped by the loss of their captain and star backfield ace, Dick Nichols, and opposed by a strong class A team, Clarendon was the underdogs from the start. Nevertheless they took the kick off on their 20 yard line and with four first downs they placed the ball on the enemy's five yard line. They needed the punch of Nichols to score. Clarendon threatened all of the first quarter. The first quarter ended with the score 0 to 0.

The second quarter, the Childress boys marched up the field with R. Davis carrying the ball over for the first touchdown. Groce kicked a pretty goal for the extra point. Taking the kickoff to the 40 yard line, Andis kicked with Behrens grounding the ball on Childress' 2 yard line. Hudson made one of his sensational runs for thirty yards and over the goal line, but the ball was brought back five yards where he stepped out of boundary. Langford carried it over for the first score for the locals. Bourland's pass to Reid for the extra point was no good. The half ended with the score 7 to 6 in favor of Childress.

With the kickoff of the second half, the Bobcats carried the ball to Clarendon's 9 yard line. Sikes blocked Andis' punt for a safety of two points. Taking Teague's run of 30 yards as a starter, Davis again carried the ball over for six more points. Childress failed to make the extra point.

Benson aided by Watson grounded a punt on Childress' one yard line. The third quarter ended and the ball was placed on the one yard line at the other end of the field. The Broncho line smashed through and broke up Barkley's punt for a safety of two points. Clarendon carried the ball to the four yard line, but they did not have the punch to put it across. Bourland fumbled a punt on his 21 yard line which was covered by Childress. Childress lost the ball on the 8 yd. line and the game ended with a 18 yard pass from Andis to Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Massie had as guests Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. James Wall and children, Lula Maude and Johnny of Groom, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Horton of Temple, Mr. W. P. Cagle, Mrs. John Bass and children Rosamond and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Van Kennedy and daughter, Dorothy Ann of this city.

Simpson's Mill Building Nearing Completion

Work on the new Simpson mill building is temporarily halted until the machinery is installed, it being necessary to get the machinery inside the building before the openings are closed.

Since coming to Clarendon some two years ago, Mr. A. W. Simpson, owner of the Simpson milling interests, has originated the trademarked brand of a series of feeds known as "All-In-One" and includes several brands for several purposes.

It is due to an increase of business based on the popularity of his manufactured feeds that has caused his business to demand a larger capacity, and consequently a larger building.

The new structure has been added to the building which he purchased from M. S. Parsons and located near the tracks north of the Stallings coal office. A "drive-in" loading convenience with easy ingress and egress will mean much to the customers. All grains will be unloaded by power lift of a suction type.

The machinery from the old plant is being moved this week and Mr. Simpson announces that he will be unable to grind feed before next week. The installation of the machinery is expected to be completed by Saturday.

Old Santa Claus Will Visit Clarendon Next Saturday

Little Folks Are Advised to Hand Him Letters Asking For Presents

Attention to all the kiddies, fur word has been received from Santa Claus that he would have his mail box in place here Saturday to receive the first letters for Christmas. He stated that while he would be here but a short time himself on his first visit, he would return on Saturday, Dec. 13th, and would return as announced on December 22nd, with something for all the youngsters who will meet him on that date.

Please remember to hand him your letter in person Saturday or drop it in a Santa mail box to be found in several of the downtown stores on that date addressed to Santa Claus. If you do not get to see him on the 6th, be sure to see him on the 13th, the last date he will be here until he returns on Monday Dec. 22nd for something for all the boys and girls who believe in Santa Claus.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maher and little daughter Marolyn of Amarillo spent the week end here in the O. C. Watson home and were accompanied home by Mr. G. W. Antrobus who will attend the Norris revival.

Methodist Pastor Is Principal Speaker Rotary Luncheon

Comments on The Advantages Offered by Clarendon As Resident Town

Upon opening the meeting of the Rotary club Friday noon, President B. L. Jenkins read letters of interest and commented on correspondence as affecting the local organization and turned the program over to the Chairman of the International Committee.

Rotarian J. W. Evans as Chairman of that Committee then introduced Rev. W. R. McPherson, pastor of the Methodist church who spoke in an interesting manner on the "consuming end of life" as his main theme.

The Pastor referred to the matter of overproduction of various commodities saying that "too many were giving their time to production rather than consumption." He enumerated the assets of Clarendon calling attention to her religious, social and economic advantages, and her excellent school advantages citing these facts as conducive to the best interests of family life.

Rotary Ann Rhoda Wiedman called attention to the benefit play "Half Shot at Sunrise" to be shown at the Pastime Wednesday and Thursday of this week. This picture is being sponsored by the members of the Business and Professional Women's club for the purpose of securing funds to pay the expenses of two young ladies who are taking a business course.

H. Beach, Rotarian many years ago and a new man in Clarendon having purchased the Bigger filling station, came as guest of the President. When called upon, he expressed his pleasure of being again in a Rotary meeting, and of meeting with the men of the town represented.

Rotarian Drennon referred to an indigent youth who should be in school and this matter was referred to the Community Service committee.

Former Chinese Missionary to Speak Sunday Night

Rev. M. O. Cheek, for many years a missionary among the Orientals, will speak of his experiences to the congregation of the Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

Rev. Cheek is a forceful speaker and has a real message for those interested in church work in foreign fields. The public is cordially invited to hear his address.

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Grading Our Roads.

When we get tired of our dirt roads, we can put our heads together and have a block pavement.

Hunter's Paradise.

California's game laws provide that whales may be shot from autos, but no other mammals are so exposed to ruthless slaughter.

Metallic Jingles.

District Attorney Wm. McGraw of Dallas in discussing the Brady case before the Court of Criminal Appeals characterized the verdict given him as one "overflowing with the strangest kind of mercy."

Nothing Left.

After slapping the Chicago Tribune and spitting in the face of her official gangsters, and issuing a warning of what might be expected should any of them migrate to Texas, Governor Moody appears to have nothing left to live for now.

Generosity.

A Kansas man has been arrested for stealing oil stock. Had he announced his desires before arrest, thousands of Texans would have gladly contributed with millions of German bonds thrown in for good measure.

Kings and Science.

When Americans sat in their homes Wednesday evening and listened to a speech being made by the king of Roumania, they were caused to marvel.

While the talk of the king amounted to little more than a carefully prepared complimentary speech, the thoughts that we could sit in our own homes and hear a voice brought by radio thousands of miles is something to marvel at even in the good year of 1930.

Progressives Won.

While the Democrats may be rejoicing over a recent victory, it may also be well to note that out of the twenty-three Democrats elected, ten are progressives, and of the fourteen Republicans elected, six are progressive.

It may be also noted that wherever a Progressive was pitted against either of the old party candidates, the Progressive won every time. It would seem that the Progressives really won all the laurels to be gotten out of the election of November 4th.

Pew Sleuths.

When A. Nichols, bankrupt merchant of Yazoo City, Mississippi went to church he had little regard for the passage that tells us that "behold your sins shall find you out."

As he knelt in prayer, his coat-tail hung on the corner of the pew revealing a money belt to a creditor. Upon his arrest, this belt was said to have contained \$14,000 in ten and twenty dollar bills. The judge gave him three years in Atlanta for concealing assets from creditors.

Fruit Mandate.

Racketeer Al Capone is alleged to have given the California grape growers orders to produce no more juice that might interfere with his nefarious game. While his edict did not extend to grape growers of Texas, we venture the assertion that should he ever include our state, there will be no emissaries parading to Washington howling for help.

Texas producers have always been able to take care of their own affairs and will do so in the future Al Capone notwithstanding.

Civilizing Influences.

When America took over the Philippine islands in 1898, bibles, booze and bullets were the principal agencies used toward civilizing the recalcitrant natives and the latter two evidently failed because we have been having trouble with them ever since.

Recently when scientists went to the island of Niuaou (Tin Can) in the South Seas group to study the solar eclipse, they were armed only with a ton of chewing gum and a large quantity of all-day suckers. There were no casualties and 'a good time was had by all.'

Doctoring Laws.

A daily news service states that a staid old college in England conferred upon J. P. Morgan the degree of "Doctor of Civil Laws."

If J. P. can cut as much figure in law enforcement as he can in the collection of loans, the college made a mistake by not granting the astute financier the authority to "doctor criminal laws."

We can get along very well with our civil statutes, but the criminal laws have been twisted, warped and bent around until they are in a mael of a mess, and in many instances unenforceable.

Home Raised Poultry.

It will soon be time to start that chick business. Please remember that you can see what you are getting when you buy your foundation stock from Donley county poultry growers.

You can get chicks at home and see what you are getting. The price will be about the same: The poultry industry will be made to grow in this county only in keeping with the demand.

Folks, let's keep our money at home. These farmers who have pedigreed poultry need the business. They will give you a square deal. Donley county has prize winning birds galore. We have anything in the poultry line most any one could ask for and we can help the industry by being just a bit more neighborly. What do you say?

Cheap Children.

According to a statement of Dr. W. Ray Mason, associate arch-deacon of the Blue Ridge branch of the Episcopal church in Virginia, fathers and mothers are offering him gifts of children saying they can no longer prevent their starving due to the drouth of the past summer and present financial depression.

Farmers from Greene, Rockingham and Albemarle counties have come to Dr. Mason at his headquarters in Charlottesville, Va. begging him to take their children for any purposes that may please him rather than see them starve the coming winter.

Gifts of children ranging in age from mere infants to fourteen years have been presented the minister. With such conditions obtaining this early in the winter, it is his opinion that a high death rate will result should help not be forthcoming immediately. And we think we have hard times in Texas.

Pestering Penalties.

The practice of judges in olden days to give a culprit his liberty on the condition that he would leave for other sections was alleged to have been invoked at Roswell recently when the learned Judge Granville A. Richardson gave C. A. McBride his choice of sixty days in jail or leave the state upon his plea of guilt to bootlegging.

To question the motives of a district judge would involve nux vom-

ica, Multim in Parvo, and E Pluribus Unum, to say nothing of contempt, but we have often wondered if a dog had any right to wish his fleas off on another dog simply because they refused to do their own scratching.

About the only thing left for this state to do in a case of this kind, should the brother suddenly remember some unfinished business in Texas, would be to stick him on a vagrancy charge and sentence him to New Mexico. With this threat hanging over his head, he will doubtless behave.

Competitors.

Competition enters into every line of endeavor. It may not always be "the life of trade", but legitimate competitors as a rule are an asset to any business.

The worst competitor in any line is the fellow who will not push his business. Take for instance the drygoods line. If the competitor rests on his oars, the other fellow is content to do the same. No one makes a drive for business and the business that should come to either of them goes to another town where the merchant is wide-awake.

This is true of any line. The sluggish competitor can break you quicker than any other. When the chain stores began to extend their new ideas into the smaller towns, the old time merchants awoke to the fact that something must be done, and that right now.

He did the one wise thing—he adopted the tactics of the honest chain dealer and is holding his own. His wholesaler had to back him in this new field of competition and the old merchant is able to make the same prices as the chains. Both are doing business but by different methods to those of a few years ago.

The hardest competitor in the newspaper field is the publisher who will not go after business, or work his field. Should he be content to 'rest on his oars' it would resolve into a game of the survival of the fittest and neither would accomplish anything.

Mother Jones.

Wherever the sons of toil have met in convention during the past half century, tribute has been paid to "Mother Mary Jones" otherwise known as the "Angel of Mercy" to union men of the coal mining districts.

In the latter seventies the husband and two sons of Mother Jones paid the supreme sacrifice in the coal mines of West Virginia when they fell victims of a mine cavein due to neglect in providing proper conditions for workers under ground.

From that time until age called a halt, Mother Jones has given her time and means to bettering the conditions of the union laborer regardless of what that union might be so long as it was affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

She learned early in life that the most effective weapon of the laborer was his right to conduct a peaceful strike. The writer heard Mother Jones' impassioned plea for peace and respect for property rights and a proper consideration of the American Constitution in a speech at Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania during the anthracite coal strike in 1904.

Teddy Roosevelt was given credit for settlement of that strike but Mother Jones dictated the terms of surrender. No other human being was ever accorded the respect by the enemy as was Mother Jones. Coal barons invited her into secret conclaves and planned for a peaceful solution of their differences with the union.

It was Mother Jones who went into other sections making speeches and collecting money for strikers in other districts on numerous occasions during the half century she has devoted to the cause of union labor.

At the age of one hundred years Mother Jones has passed on leaving the high plane on which labor unions operate today as a monument to her efforts. The working man in all walks of life this week loses his best friend, the friend whom bullets and threats could not intimidate or scare.

England's War Debt.

Speaking before a large crowd of financiers of Guild Hall in London on November 21st, Frederick G. Goodenough, president of the British Banking Association said: "The war debt owed by our nation should be readjusted to new commodity price levels."

"If war debts are not to be canceled altogether," he said, "England, America and the whole world would gain enormously by some plan that would deal with war debts under the altered conditions arising out of the fall in world prices."

Mr. Goodenough is of the opinion that any means by which taxation might be reduced would result in a much quicker recovery of his nation from her present perilous position.

America has given millions to each of the allied nations by deducting from war loans. Loans have already been cut until it has become burdensome to the tax paying American. France has failed or refused on more than one occasion to meet her obligations. It is now intimated that Germany will do likewise within the next year.

There is no means by which this nation can collect these debts except by going to war, and it is doubtful if that method would succeed. As time goes on, Americans are brought more forcibly to face the facts that while we may have won the war from a physical standpoint, we were, are, and will be gloriously whipped financially for years to come.

Income tax reductions of the past year as affecting multimillionaires who profited most from the war would have largely paid our indebtedness. Refunds on previous tax collections have reached millions.

America can afford to waste her millions and burden tax payers if she will have learned one thing—stay out of all foreign entanglements. Europe is seething with discontent. War may break out at any time. This is their war, not ours, if it comes.

Working the Field.

The newspaper man worthy of the name spends money and effort

in bringing the merchant and customer together. He spends large sums of money for advertising ideas, mats and layouts to attract the customer to the local merchant's stock of goods. Without this help, the merchant would accomplish little.

As to how much the merchant is benefitted by the services a live publisher may render, it is only necessary to note that the leading firms of the town, or the firms doing the biggest business, are consistent advertisers.

Clarendon offers two illustrations of what may be accomplished by consistent advertising and honorable business methods in that the two leading furniture houses of the town have established reputations for giving the public a furniture market not excelled in West Texas. The large furniture delivery trucks of either of these firms deliver suites of high grade furniture from Quitaque north to Pampa; from Memphis to Amarillo. The territory in between supplies demands for their goods. Modern day methods demand that business men study their fields and go after the business. The receipt of a solid carload of furniture at Clarendon is a common occurrence at this time.

This illustration of what may be accomplished by aggressive furniture dealers in competition with dealers of larger towns and mail-order houses, also applies to other lines. It might not be amiss to state here that if Clarendon had an established reputation for variety in stock, backed by quality and prices in other lines, on a par-

ity with her furniture reputation, the business or trade coming to this town would be more than trebled during the next six months.

This does not mean that merchants of Clarendon cannot supply the trade in keeping with other towns of this size, but it does mean that the general public is not acquainted with the facts as they do exist. This assumption is based on the fact that Clarendon people buy drygoods in Amarillo, and Amarillo people buy furniture in Clarendon.

Those who buy drygoods in Amarillo because of the fact that they have a larger stock from which to select, should also remember that the local merchant can make a special order and supply them at Amarillo prices.

It is not the purpose of the writer to find fault with anyone or in any sense assume to dictate where goods may be bought, but your home town merchant should be given first consideration wherever you live. If he is unable to supply you with a selection that is acceptable, price and quality considered, you are justified in buying out of town. On the other hand, your local merchant is a tax payer and is more or less identified with the upbuilding of your community and is therefore due your consideration when purchases are to be made.

Hoover Is My Shepherd

(Elk City, Okla.) Journal.)

Hoover is my Shepherd, I am in want; He maketh me to lie down on park benches; He leadeth me beside great need; He restoreth my doubt in the Republican party; He leadeth me into the path of destruction for his party's sake; Yea, tho, I walk through the valley

of the shadow of starvation, I do fear evil, for thou art against me; The politicians and profiteers they frighten me; Thou prepareth a reduction in my salary before me in the presence of mine enemies; Thou anointeth my income with taxes; My expenses runneth over my income; Surely unemployment and poverty will follow me all the days of the Republican administration; And I will dwell in a rented house forever.

Miss Florence and Kenneth Fink arrived Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. O. L. Fink, and returned to Austin Sunday to resume their studies in the State University.

Donley County Leader \$2 a Year

HEAL THOSE SORE GUMS

Even after pyorrhea has affected your stomach, kidneys and your general health. Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy, used as directed, can save you. Dentists recommend it. Druggists return money if it fails.

Douglas & Goldston Drug Co.

Another's Toothbrush Is Not For You

You want your own. In the same way, insist on having your own reliable, tried-out remedy for torpid liver, biliousness and constipation—Carter's Little Liver Pills. Take Carter's and stir up the two pounds of bile that cleanses the whole system. Red bottles. Any drug store. Take Carter's.

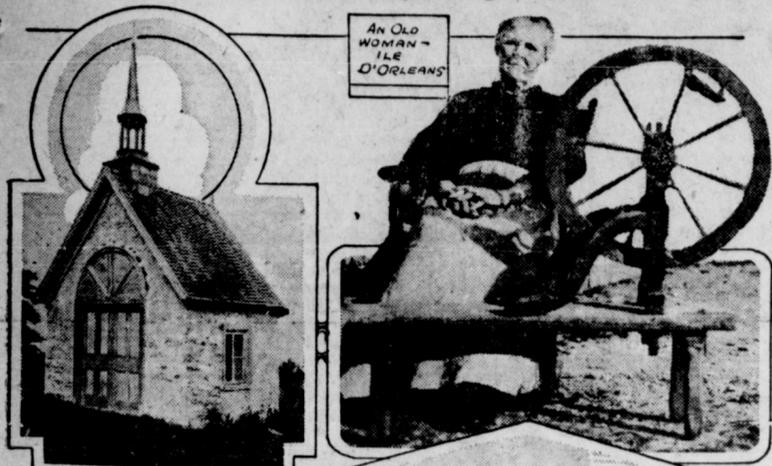
When Winter Comes!
When winter comes will it find you prepared? Repairs to your home should be made now. With our improved machinery, we can make and fit lumber at a great saving to you. Ask about it.
WATTERS & McCRARY
Phone 283 414 Gorst St.

HEADQUARTERS
This mill is headquarters for Corn, Wheat, Maize and Kaffir.
Chops, milled feeds of all kinds.
Egg Laying Mash. If it's feed—we have it.
SIMPSON MILL & FEED STORE
Phone 149 We Deliver

Your Banker---
This institution likes to feel that it is the silent partner of many of its customers. Its advice—its service help the busy business man.
Farmers State Bank

Prices Tumbling!
We cannot see any room for credit next year, so our prices are being reduced to fit.
Do not fail to get our prices before buying as we will make you very close prices for cash on all lines.
Thanking you for past patronage and hoping you will give us a fair chance at your trade in the future—
GROCERIES—MEATS—FRUITS and VEGETABLES
Hello World Grocery & Market
The Place to Buy Your Eats
A. N. WOOD **J. M. BAXTER**

**Quebec's Ile D'Orleans, Undisturbed by Modern Ballyhoo,
Ideal Spot in Which to Spend Quiet, Restful Vacation**



AN OLD WOMAN - ILE D'ORLEANS

HAYING TIME

Vacationists who would like to combine quaint, historic surroundings with rustic simplicity might investigate the holiday possibilities offered by Quebec's little-known Ile D'Orleans, a pleasant half-hour's sail from Quebec City, Canada. This quaint little island called by Jacques Cartier "Ile de Bacchus" because of its profusion of wild grapes, is undisturbed by modern ballyhoo, and its

simple, God-fearing habitants folk go their own unhurried way, ploughing their fields with oxen, baking their own bread in outdoor ovens and weaving their own cloth exactly as their forefathers did centuries ago. The island has good motor roads, is about twenty-one miles long and seven miles wide, and its population is practically confined to six old-world parishes containing perhaps eight hundred souls in all. The habitants family, consisting often of fifteen or twenty members, are most hospitable to strangers from beyond the island's confines. Unlike many folk, they are very kind to elderly relatives—even mother-in-law is welcome here—and they deem it a "gift of God" to be

*** WINDY VALLEY ***

Miss Vergie Skinner who attends school at Clarendon spent Thanksgiving with homefolks. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morgan and children spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Estelline. Mr. Henry Fletcher and family who have been picking cotton in this community the past month left Saturday for New Mexico. Miss Hazel Cole who attends C. J. C. spent the week end with homefolks. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bowlin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bowling attended a birthday dinner at Mrs. A. H. Bowlings sister at Fairview Sunday given in honor of their motner Mrs. Johnson's 72nd birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sachse of Hedley visited in the J. J. Bills home Sunday. Mr. J. T. Colwell and John Gunter were Childress visitors Sat. Mr. Roy Mount of Amarillo visited in the F. C. Paulk home last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen of Parnell visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Garner last week. There was a large crowd present at singing Sunday afternoon. Miss Inez Skinner visited Miss Connie Perdue of Hudgins Monday night. Mrs. I. O. Noble and children of Clarendon spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Noble. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Reeves of Lelia Lake spent Thanksgiving in the O. S. Lyons home. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Fletcher visited relatives at Tipton Oklahoma Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morgan are visiting his sister Mrs. Carl Watson at Farwell, New Mexico.

borrowed books, studied by the light from a fireplace, or by a light made from a rag in a saucer of grease. Or of Andrew Johnson who only learned to write after he was married and received an elementary education through his wife's instruction. Yet both rose to the office of President of the United States, and their deeds and good works have made history. How great the opportunities of even the humblest today, in comparison with those of Lincoln and Johnson. Books, magazines and newspapers are within the reach of all. Machinery has given everyone a greater leisure for self-improvement, if such is really desired. No one need remain uneducated unless he deliberately chooses to remain so. Experience is one of the greatest and most thorough teachers. Schooling does not exactly make the man; it is the metal that is in him and man makes the school. "The greatest thing in the world is man, and the greatest thing in man is his mind." Therefore, it is up to him to develop that mind, and if he so wills and has the determination, he learns something every day and puts it to good use. Many of our most worthwhile men and those who have made the present opportunities possible, were the ones who had the fewest advantages in edu-

None Too Old To Learn

Often one hears an uneducated man bewail his lot, complaining that he never had a chance to acquire an education. Usually such a man is one who actually labors not more than eight hours a day. He overlooks the fact that he could easily devote three or four hours daily to profitable reading and study, whereby he might overcome the handicap of which he complains. Too many get the idea that unless they acquire an education in early life that they must remain in ignorance. No greater mistake can be made. It is not when one begins to learn, but when one stops that counts. The trouble with the man or woman who goes through life in ignorance is usually nothing but sheer laziness. Think of Lincoln, getting an education at night from

NATION-WIDE "GO TO CHURCH" MOVEMENT NOW UNDER WAY



The Nation-wide "Go to Church" Movement, which is considered by its founders as the greatest and most comprehensive "Go to Church" appeal ever made to the American people, will continue until every person in the country has had the opportunity to participate. While primarily inspired as a means of making the general public more church-conscious and increasing church attendance, the Movement incidentally represents a great potential source of revenue for all churches participating. It also serves to bring revenue to ministers' retirement or pension funds, missionary and extension societies, or other denominational funds of which the public seldom hears about.

ASHTOLA SCHOOL NEWS

This six weeks there are a number on the honor roll. In Miss King's room, there are: Lester Dunning 92, Velma Collier 88, Nora Lee Carper 89. In Miss Maxwell's room, there are: Mary Frances Meadors 95, Pauline Johnson 94, Lamar Adamson 91, Margaret Hill 91, Mildred McKee 89, Charles Fifer 92, Marie Morris 90, and Woodie Eddleman 90. In Miss McMurry's room: R. S. Eddleman, Eileen Rhoades, Gordon Byars, Athlyn Rhoades and Clarice Jones. In Miss Shook's room on the B honor roll are: Keith Swinburn, Ailene Bellamy and Viola Baker. On Wednesday evening November 26, the pupils of the Ashtola High School presented the play "The Old Oaken Bucket" under the direction of Mr. C. W. Howard. A large audience was present to see the first long play of the school term, which was a grand success. The Ashtola school was given last Thursday and Friday from work, for Thanksgiving. The teachers spent the holidays at their re-

spective homes as follows: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard, Graham, Tex.; Miss Marie Maxwell, Kirkland; Miss Shirley Shook, Canyon; Miss Wilma King, Lelia Lake; and Misses Frances McMurry and Cecil Hukel, Clarendon. Mrs. J. D. Jeffries and her brother, T. J. Warner, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Grogan of Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. Park Chamberlain Mrs. Matt Bennett, Miss Mae Bennett and Mrs. D. B. Brooks of Ft. Worth were guests for Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hughes at Pampa. Homer Mulkey is in Dallas on a business mission expecting to return Wednesday. Sam Cauthen, student in Tech at Lubbock, visited his mother, Mrs. Linnie Cauthen and sisters here over Thanksgiving.

Raynosa, Mexico Station Has Many Admirers Here

Having been denied an air channel in the States, the owner of HED operating each evening with a varied program of a pleasing nature, is said to have crossed the river at Hidalgo with his plans and established his broadcasting station at Raynosa, Old Mexico. The station comes in on or near 38 on most dials. Old time fiddle music, folk songs, classic piano music and songs ranging from old-time cowboy songs to the classics sung by female songsters of Spanish and American leadership. Misses Anna Sue and Lola Pearl Cox of Panhandle, who have been visiting their grandparents, Mr and Mrs. A. H. Baker, returned home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman and son Lial Michigan, Mrs. Duke of Wichita Falls visited their cousins, Mrs. J. A. Tomb and Mrs. M.T. Crabtree and family Wednesday and Thursday enroute to California to spend the winter.

Rotary Convention to Meet at Seattle in 1932

The Board of Rotary International announced the past week the selection of Seattle as the meeting place for the International Convention in 1932. The International Convention for 1931 is to be held at Vienna, Austria, over a thousand steamship tickets already having been sold those who expect to make the journey. Several side trips are being planned into other nations, some as far as Egypt. Over twenty thousand attended the Convention in Chicago in June of this year. The above likeness is that of Rotarian Paul P. Harris, founder of Rotary who makes his home in Chicago. Rotary began with three members in 1905. Today the membership has passed the three hundred thousand mark and is represented in sixty-eight nations. Miss Ola Mae Watts, teacher in the Canyon schools, spent Thanksgiving with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts.



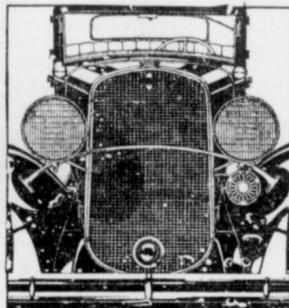
THE NEW CHEVROLET SIX

*Strikingly beautiful, fleet and smart
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Never has the superiority of Body by Fisher been more strikingly exemplified than in the Bigger and Better Chevrolet Six!

With the added advantage of a lengthened wheelbase, Fisher designers have achieved in the new Chevrolet an impressive degree of smartness, comfort and luxury.

Inside and out, scores of refinements stamp this car as a masterpiece of modern coachwork. Radiator, headlamps and tie-bar form an unusually attractive and distinctive ensemble. Mouldings sweep back in an unbroken line to blend with the smart new body contours. And new color combinations lend a new individuality. Interiors, too, are



Front view of the new Chevrolet Sport Coupe

exceptional. The new mohair and broadcloth upholstery is smartly tailored. Seats are wider and more luxuriously cushioned. A deeper windshield and wider windows give better vision. And beautiful new modern fittings lend a final note of charm.

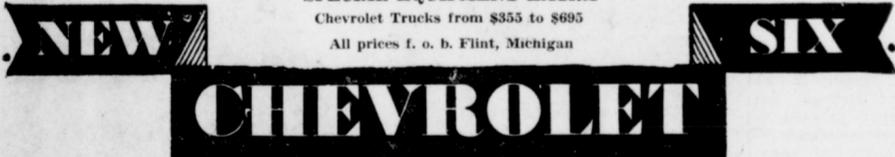
Many mechanical improvements are also evident in this Bigger and Better Six. Among these are a stronger frame; easier steering; a more durable clutch; a quieter, smoother transmission; and many important engine refinements.

The Bigger and Better Chevrolet Six is now on display. See it today—drive it! It is the Great American Value.

AT NEW LOW PRICES

The Phaeton	\$510	The Coach	\$545	Sport Coupe with rumble seat	\$575
The Roadster	\$475	Standard Coupe	\$535	Standard Sedan	\$635
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Clarendon, Texas

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ASHTOLA

Sunday school Sunday at 10 o'clock regular hour, after which Rev. Gattis the Methodist pastor of this place preached a very interesting sermon.

A birthday dinner was enjoyed Saturday in the home of Mrs. Ben Lovell in honor of her husband Mr. Ben Lovell. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lovell and family, Rev. G. H. Gattis and two sons of Clarendon, Mr. Joe Lewis, and Mr. Leo Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Adamson are the proud parents of a baby son, which arrived Saturday night Nov. 29. It weighed 11 and one half pounds. Mother and baby are both resting fine at this writing.

Aunt Suzen Ashley who has been staying with her daughter Mrs. H. W. Lovell left Thursday for Abilene where she will visit with her son Mr. Aubrey Ashley.

Miss Alberta Reed spent Saturday night with Irene and Geneva Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. Adkins Mace and little son Wabern of Lelia Lake, and Mrs. Melvin Caldwell and family visited in the A. L. Wallace home Sunday.

Miss Geneva Collier visited Miss Helen Parker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen and little son from Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meders and children from Claude spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Allen and family.

Misses Vera Johnson and Jessie Swinburn and Mr. J. B. Scarborough and Thel Drennon visited friends and relatives at Petersburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Gray and children from Lubbock visited the lady's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Moss and children, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Johnson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lu McClellan and family spent Thursday on the river picnicing.

Those who visited in the Carper home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harp and family, Emma Sue and Mary Graham, Othello Poovey, Irene Collier, Della and Stella Leverett and Mr. Sam Luther from Goodnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Robinson and children attended a Thanksgiving dinner at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Beach of Clarendon. The dinner having been postponed due to the death of Mr. Robinson's uncle at Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Shelton entertained a number of their friends with a dance Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blevins of Wellington visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knowles at Lelia.

Misses Ruby and Mary Batson of Memphis spent the last of the week with their sister, Mrs. Sam Roberts.

The many friends of Mrs. Sam Roberts and Mrs. Devertie Leathers extend to them their sincere sympathy in the loss of their father the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jones of Claude spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham visited the Gillespie family at Brice Thursday.

The following enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the S. T. Clayton home: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spann, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cornelius of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Slayton Mahaffey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Naylor and son of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee of Ashtola spent Sunday with the F. L. Behrens family.

Mrs. Patten, Miss Wilma and Phill, and Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks were dinner guests in the Millard Starks home Sunday.

Mrs. Batson and daughter, Miss Louise, spent the last of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Devertie Leathers of Lelia.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brogdon, Mr. and Mrs. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson from Clarendon.

Mr. C. R. Skinner of Clarendon celebrated his 78th birthday at his son's Harley Skinner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Hudson of Clarendon were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Hudson Sunday.

In looking over his orchard Sunday, W. A. Hughes found an apple tree in blossom, and still he was not convinced that spring had arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Reeves visited relatives in Shamrock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmonston visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rampey Thursday.

The Home Demonstration club meets with Mrs. Ted Gray Thursday, the 4th.

A large crowd enjoyed the good singing Sunday night. A number of good singers were present from other places. We invite them back again.

Rev. J. A. Wheeler, our new Methodist pastor, arrived with his family the latter part of last week, and they are now at home in the parsonage. We are glad to have them with us.

The Junior Study Club met November 19, at the home of Mrs. Hickey, with Mrs. Loman as hostess.

An interesting Thanksgiving program was given. Delightful refreshments were served to the following: Misses Moreman, Simpson, Everett, Peggie and Pauline Caldwell and Mmes, Adamson, Hall, Dishman, Hickey, Loman, Auliff and Holland.

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Miss Clarice Fuller visited with homefolks during Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Goldston spent Thanksgiving with friends in Plainview.

Mrs. Jim Haile visited her mother, Mrs. L. J. White at Lubbock Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Noble visited their daughter, Mrs. Lewright and family at Pampa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hayter visited her mother, Mrs. Logan, at Lubbock Thursday.

Miss Martha Buttrill visited friends in Amarillo over the week end.

Miss Ruby Armstrong was an Amarillo visitor Sunday.

Mrs. O. T. Smith and Mrs. Eula Cox were Amarillo visitors Monday.

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CHAMBERLAIN SCHOOL NEWS

The basketball boys have elected J. E. Duckett as their captain for this season. The old name of "The Tom Cats" has been retained also.

We regret having lost some faithful cats of the last season, but we have some lusty kittens squalling long and loud for the meat of other tribes, and will know a lot about basketball when the proper time comes.

The Ashtola boys found the Cats wide awake when they mopped up on them to the tune of 12 to 5 recently. Lonnie Smith being high point man for the game.

The members of the "Cat team" are: Lonnie Smith, f; Vernon Reid f; Howard Hughes, c; Naon Johnson, g; Cap. J. E. Duckett, g; with Doyle Brazil sub. g, and Roysce Douglas sub. f.

Both of the contesting teams showed good sportsmanship and training. Coach Millsap's team looked light but proved fatal to the opposing team.

Several patrons were out to see the home boys strut their stuff and we would like to see them all out on every similar occasion. Chamberlain's Tom Cats are in for winning the rural championship.

The Chamberlain Hornets played the out side girls last Wednesday the score being ten and twelve in favor of Chamberlain. Another game was played Friday with the Ashtola girls, Chamberlain defeating Ashtola twenty two to eight.

The girls were real sports and were able to lose with a smile.

The girls who played Friday on the Chamberlain team were: Lou-

Mrs. Bartlett of Plainview is visiting Mrs. Frank Whitlock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart and Miss Mildred were in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. D. B. Brooks of Ft. Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. Matt Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Trostle and Miss Marue and Bonner Trostle attended the funeral of a friend, Mrs. J. L. Byars, at Plainview Sunday.

SUNNYVIEW

The many friends of Miss Stella Hinkle, who has spent several months in a Colorado sanitarium, will be glad to know that she has returned home greatly improved in health.

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Mrs. E. R. Hooker, assisted by Misses Fay Maxwell and Pauline Pickett, entertained with an apron-overall party at the Hooker home Tuesday evening.

Guests arrived arrayed in apron and overalls and spent a most enjoyable evening playing forty-two. Music by Miss Mabel Howell and Mrs. Hooker was a feature.

Delicious refreshments of hot chocolate and doughnuts were served to the following guests: Misses Alice Noel Oley Walkins, Jewell Cloetel Moreman, Mabel Howell, Oleta Mann, Mrs. Dannie Battle, Mrs. Elvia Davenport, and

TURKEYS WANTED. The Thanksgiving turkey market has not opened yet, but will open about Nov. 1st or 7th, then I will pay the highest market prices for them. I have moved to my new place of business about 100 feet west of my old stand where I have plenty of room for all your turkeys, chickens eggs, cream and hides.

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YOU'RE THERE WITH A CROSLY CROSLY RADIO. We give J. F. Heath R. E. Paxson Green Stamps. Clarendon Furniture Co.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Miss Polly Sowell and brother Bill visited her sister, Mrs. Palmer Thompson, the first of the week.

Mrs. Dayton Shelton and D. C. spent the first of the week with Mrs. Loyd Moreman at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston and children and Miss Lorene Hayes spent Thanksgiving in the J. T. Wilson home at Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ray and son Wayne from the McMurtry ranch, and Miss Lorene Hayes of Clarendon and Gene Chamberlain were supper guests in the John Goldston home Thanksgiving.

Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dorsett, brother of the bride, Mr. Clebert McCrary and Miss Alveta Dorsett motored to Oklahoma and were married Wednesday.

BRICE

The Pirates were guests at a surprise birthday dinner prepared by Mrs. Thomas, Miss Odum and Miss Guthery for Mr. Thomas Tuesday night.

The dinner was cleverly planned employing the color schemes of pink, green and white. Two Pirates cut from black cardboard were placed on either side of the cake as if they were standing guard over it.

The first course consisted of chicken, dressing cranberries, spinach, stuffed olives, celery, potato salad and English peas. The second course, nut, fruit and jello cake. The place cards were decorated with skull and cross bones and pirates.

Miss Watters and Miss Mixon presented a splendid Thanksgiving program Wednesday night at the school auditorium when the program was over, the chairs were pushed back and every one enjoyed a jolly social.

Mrs. Thomas, our principal, insists that more patrons attend these socials of good games arranged to interest all ages, and the excellent music is a treat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins visited in the John Rhodes home at Goldston Thursday.

Miss Zella Mixon spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Doc Garrett at Shamrock.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Billie Salmon Nov. 25th.

CHAMBERLAIN

Thanksgiving will long be remembered by those taking part in a surprise for Mr. and Mrs. Brogden who arrived home from Wise county about 11:30. They were welcomed by a number of neighbors each bringing a tray of food for the feast.

Those to share in the welcome

SOCIETY

Mrs. J. C. Estlack, Editor
Phone 453

MISS OLA MAE WATTS ENTERTAINS

Inviting a few of her many friends to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts, Miss Ola Mae entertained Saturday night with a 42 party.

A lovely plate refreshment was served following the games.

Those present were Misses Martha Buttrill, Frances McFarland of Abilene, Fray Stallings, Beatrice Randell, Margaret Goldston, Robert and Earl Holly and J. Roy Wells.

RECEPTION FOR PASTOR'S FAMILY FRIDAY

The beautiful home of Mrs. J. B. Baird on West Third street was the scene of a delightful informal reception Friday evening when the members and friends of the Methodist church gathered to welcome their new pastor, Rev. W. R. McPherson and family, to Clarendon.

Late autumn flowers, roses, saffron and chrysanthemums were placed attractively about the rooms. Mrs. Baird's home being lovely, it requires very little embellishment.

Punch was served from a table in the dining room ornamented with a handsome Maderia cloth and centered with the crystal punch bowl encircled with white and cream chrysanthemums and fern.

The Sunday school class of Mrs. Elba Ballew did the serving, the pupils being Jean Bourland, Carroll Holder, Jonnie D. Latson, Lucille Yates, Pauline Sanford, Pauline Shelton, Melba Dell Warner, Dorothy Jo Taylor.

These young ladies robed in delicate hued evening gowns, added much charm to the scene.

As each of the more than two hundred guests arrived, they were welcomed by Mrs. Baird and then presented to Rev. and Mrs. McPherson by Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Murrell. The Board of Stewards and their wives acted as assistant hosts and hostesses mingling with the guests.

At intervals between arrival and departure of callers, an enjoyable program was rendered, each department of the church contributing one or more numbers. The senior Sunday school department represented by Pauline Shelton, Jonnie D. Latson rendered a piano duet.

The Methodist choir contributed a chorus, "The Wedding", a reading was given by Miss Eunice Johnson of the Senior S. S. department. The Missionary Society contributed a vocal solo, "Negro Lullaby" by Mrs. Rolla Brumley who also sang "I'll take you home again, Kathleen." Mrs. G. L. Boykin also played a violin obligato.

The Board of Stewards sang a quartet "Negro Spirituals" by Messrs. Boykin, Braswell, O. T.

Smith and Hudson. Mrs. E. B. Shelton's S. S. class was represented by a whistling solo by Mrs. Lester Schull.

Mrs. Patman's class was represented by Rosalyn Bass in a reading.

Clyde Hudson contributed a "yodeling solo" in behalf of the Board of Stewards.

The Epworth League was represented by a reading, "The New Minister" by Marie Trostle. She also gave a reading, "Husbands" as an encore number.

Miss Fray Stallings, organist of the Methodist church, accompanied on the piano in several numbers.

CHRIST AL-SELF

Mr. Billy Christal of Lelia Lake and Miss Gertrude Self also of Lake, motored to Portales, N. M. Thanksgiving day where they were quietly married.

These young people represent two of the oldest and most highly respected families of that section and their many friends are a unit in wishing them much happiness in their wedded life.

ALLEN-BLANKS

Mr. Frank Allen of Elpaso and Miss Ollie Blanks of this city were united in marriage at Clovis, N. M. Sunday.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Blanks of this city where she has grown to womanhood and where she has attended school. She enjoys the confidence of many friends and has always been popular with her set.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Eva Allen of Elpaso where he has been employed the past year and where the newlyweds will make their home in the future.

PITMAN-ADKINS

Mr. Carl Pitman and Miss Roberta Adkins slipped away to Hollis, Oklahoma Saturday giving their friends the dodge and were quietly married, returning home Sunday.

The bride is the beautiful accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Adkins of the Martin community where she has many friends and where she has lived most of her life time.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Pitman of the same community and has been in the employ of the Clarendon Motor company for some time. Their many friends wish them all the joys that wedded bliss can bring. They will make their home in Clarendon.

WIN ONE S. S. CLASS

The Win One Sunday school class of the Methodist church met in the home of Mrs. J. A. Meaders Monday afternoon with Mrs. Meaders, Miss Katie Meaders, Mrs. Glen Williams and Mrs. Bill Meaders as joint hostesses.

Mrs. T. R. Brown led in the devotional service. Plans were made for the opening

of the Hope Chest Saturday, Dec. 13th. Also a market to be held at the same time.

Mrs. W. M. Murrell and Mrs. W. R. McPherson each gave an interesting talk.

During the social hour needle work and visiting was enjoyed while tasty refreshments were being served to about forty.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT SANFORD HOME

Relatives honored Mr. C. A. Bryan with a surprise birthday dinner at the Buel Sanford home Sunday, the occasion being the 80th birthday of this venerable citizen. Three generations were present when the grandfather entered the room, where a table before him presented a cake two by three feet, snow white, surrounded with pink rose buds and bearing 80 pink candles, while great grandchildren sang "Happy Birthday."

This giant cake was made in three layers, the bottom being pound cake and the two upper angel food.

Children present were Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bryan of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Bryan and Earl Bryan of Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. Buel Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Land, all of Clarendon.

Grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Land, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gueiberson and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Casey of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Keener, Lawrence Price Whitlock, Pauline and Frances Sanford, Donna Rae Bryan of Turkey.

Great grandchildren were Ronald and Bryan Keener, Manly Bryan, Billie Marvin Land of Clarendon and Clifford Glen Casey and Paula Joe Gueiberson of Amarillo.

AUXILIARY SPONSORS ANTIQUE TEA

The ladies of the Episcopal Auxiliary gave an antique tea at the G. A. Ryan home Saturday afternoon from three to six o'clock.

On the first floor, there visitors found an arrangement of booths showing numerous antique articles including furniture, jewelry, china-ware, silverware, swords, books, documents and photos of pioneers.

On the second floor was displayed

needle work of many years ago and quilts made entirely by hand even to the cotton filler when the seeds were picked from the cotton by hand before the ginner process came into use.

This exhibit was indeed a rare treat and many more would have enjoyed looking over the priceless felicity had they been given notice. It was really a bigger affair than those in charge expected at the beginning and it will likely be repeated again.

Mrs. Odos Caraway and Mrs. W. H. Martin served tea the first half of the period and Mrs. Sella Gentry and Mrs. E. L. Bigger, assisted by Mrs. Sam Braswell, Jr., and Miss Julia Mae Caraway, the last half of the afternoon.

The musical and entertainment program consisted of a violin solo by Mrs. G. L. Boykin, a vocal solo by Miss Anna Moores, Miss Grace Mae Sample also gave a piano solo and little Claudia Atteberry gave an exhibition of tap dancing.

Miss Fray Stallings contributed a piano solo number and Maxine Ellis and Ethlyn Drennon did a folk-dance act attired in colonial costume.

THE S. S. AND B. Y. P. U. ASSOCIATIONAL CONVENTION

The Clarendon Baptist Church was hostess to the Associational S. S. and B. Y. P. U. Convention Friday night in Nov. 28th, in a social meeting. To care for the crowd, the social was conducted in three groups, junior, intermediate, and senior-adult. About 170 were present and enjoyed the fellowship hour together.

At the business meeting, the rules governing the awarding of the attendance banner were changed to equalize the chances between the small and large churches. Hedley won the banner at this meeting.

The next meeting of the Convention will be with the Hedley Baptist Church, the fifth Sunday in March.

STATE B. Y. P. U. CONVENTION

The Clarendon Baptist Church was represented at the State B. Y. P. U. Convention at Temple, the latter part of the week by Rev. B. N. Shepherd, Carrol Holtzclaw, Harold Phelps, Ida Crabtree and Ruth Thompson. Interesting re-

ports of the convention were made between the S. S. and preaching service and at the close of the B. Y. P. U.

B. A. U. PROGRAM

Dec. 7, 1930. Subject: The Church and the Kingdom of God

- Leader—Mrs. J. T. Warren
- 1. What is the Meaning of the Word "Church"—Mr. W. B. Holtzclaw
- 2. Meaning of the "Kingdom of God"—Mrs. W. B. Holtzclaw
- 3. How is the "Church" Related to the "Kingdom of God?"—Mrs. Mary S. Colvin
- 4. How May a Church Help Bring in the Kingdom of God—Mrs. Mosley
- 5. What is Our Church Doing to Advance Christ's Kingdom?—Mrs. Wardlow

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Dec. 7, 1930. Subject: Growing Through Worldwide Service

- 1. Scripture Reading—Mark 16: 15; Acts 1:8; Phil. 4: 15-17; Thess. 1: 3,4,11,12. Leona Merritt
- 2. Introduction—Agnes Oakley
- 3. Worldwide Service Enlarges Our Vision—J. D. Holtzclaw
- 4. Worldwide Service Broadens Our Sympathies—Bessie Lee Jackson
- 5. Worldwide Service Develops Our Powers—Maurine Vaughn
- 6. Worldwide Service Widens Our Fellowships—Agatha Taylor
- 7. Worldwide Service Increases Our Rewards—U. Z. Patterson
- 8. A Worldwide Program—Ruth Crabtree

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID

Mrs. W. E. Ferrell was hostess to a meeting of the Aid Wednesday when 14 members gathered for their weekly meeting.

Following the disposal of a business session, the devotional was opened by a prayer said by Mrs. J. D. McAdams.

Mrs. G. A. Anderson led in the devotional, reading the lesson from the 16th Chapter of St. John's Gospel. Delicious refreshments were served.

ved by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

The next meeting will be held at the church at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon of this week.

BAPTIST W. M. S. OBSERVING WEEK OF PRAYER

The Baptist W. M. S. is observing a week of prayer for missions this week. They are meeting at the church each afternoon. Monday afternoon the program will be rendered by the east circle on the subject The Great Love; Tuesday by the south circle on Love Expressed in Gifts; Wednesday afternoon the Rex Ray Circle will give the program on Love expressed in sending Laborers. The west on the subject Lovest Thou Me.

Friday night at 7:30 Rev. M. O. Cheek, returned missionary from China will speak. Rev. Cheek is a very forceful speaker and has a real message.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Dec. 7, 1930. Subject: From Darkness to Light

- 1. At the Feast of the Tabernacles—Bob Whatley
- 2. Jesus Sees the Blind Man—Bobby Leathers
- 3. The Man is Healed—Mildred Crabtree
- 4. The People are Surprised—Raymond Hay
- 5. The Man Answers the Pharisees—Jimmie Jean Thompson
- 6. The Parents Come—Glenn Deal
- 7. The Blind Man is Saved—W. H. Philley
- 8. Poem—Truett Holtzclaw
- 9. Special—Jimmie Jean Thompson

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Dec. 7, 1930. Subject: Learning from the Master Teacher

- 1. The Great Teacher—Christine Lambkin
- 2. Blessed are the Poor in Spirit—Christine Hamm
- 3. Blessed are They that Mourn—Stella Reid
- 4. Blessed are the Meek—Afton Lusk
- 5. Blessed are the Hungry and the Thirsty—Marie Carlile
- 6. Blessed are the Merciful—Billy Walker
- 7. Blessed are the Pure in Heart—David McCleskey
- 8. Blessed are the Peacemakers—Vera Oakley
- 9. Blessed are the Persecuted—Mrs. G. H. McCleskey

SIMS P-T ASSOCIATION

There will be a meeting of the Sims Parent-Teacher Association at 3 p. m. next Tuesday, December 9th at the South Ward. All members are urged to be present.

GO-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT

One hundred and forty patrons and friends of the schools attended the Go-to-School program at the South Ward school Tuesday evening.

The daily routine of the teacher's work was shown and a musical program followed by refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson and Miss Edna Montgomery were in Dallas the first of the week for the purpose of returning Master Geo. Watson and Mrs. G. W. Antrobus home. Little George shows quite a bit of improvement since spending three months in the special hospital there.

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SOCIETY

CLARENDON H. D. CLUB
Mrs. O. L. Fink will entertain the Clarendon H. D. club in an all day session Friday, December 5th at her home on College Heights. All members are urged to be present.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB
Mrs. J. D. Stocking was hostess to the meeting of the Friendship Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Following the disposal of the regular program, dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames L. Ballew, G. J. Teel, C. R. Skinner, A. T. Miller, J. A. Meader, H. Tyree, R. O. Thomas, J. W. Roland, J. M. Thornton, Eva Womack, Miss Katie Meaders and the hostess, Mrs. J. D. Stocking.

MRS. L. S. BAGBY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. L. S. Bagby entertained with a three table "42" party at her home Tuesday evening. A yellow and green color scheme was used in decorations and table ornaments.

A most delicious two course dinner was served preceding the games.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patman, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stocking, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Boykin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burton.

MRS. HARRY RUDELL ENTERTAINS

Upon arrival at the home of their hostess Tuesday afternoon, friends of Mrs. Harry Rudell found the home most attractively decorated with a profusion of yellow and white chrysanthemums and a welcome to a three table bridge party.

Thanksgiving period was called to the attention of the guests in colors employed in the tallies, menu and table decorations.

Luncheon was served to the following members: Mesdames H. B. Kerbow, J. G. Sherman, Eva Rhodes, C. E. Killough, D. O. Stallings, M. M. Noble, C. C. Powell.

And to the following guests: Mesdames G. L. Green, J. R. Porter, U. J. Boston, F. E. Chamberlain, Fred Buntin.

FORTY-TWO CLUB

Mrs. Eva Rhodes and Mrs. B. G. were joint hostesses to the members of the "42" club at the home of Mrs. Rhodes Thursday night, serving a sumptuous turkey dinner preceding the games.

Autumn leaves and cut flowers were artistically arranged in a Thanksgiving decorative scheme.

Those present: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kerbow, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Noble, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patman, Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Killough.

And Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kemp, Misses Opal Pyle, Norma Rhodes, Mrs. B. G. Smith and Mrs. Eva Rhodes.

YOUNG MATRON'S BRIDGE

Mrs. Lillian Brady was hostess to the members of the Young Matron's bridge club and guests at her home Friday afternoon.

Autumn colors were carried out in tallies in the form of autumn leaves. A choice variety of 'mums were used in the main feature of decoration.

In the games Mrs. T. G. Stargel won high for club, Mrs. C. I. Price high for guests.

A tasty two course salad menu was served to Mesdames B. C. Antrobus, C. W. Bennett, Jr., Sam Darden, Paul Smithy, Roy Ingram, Eddie Teer, B. F. Kirtley, T. G. Stargel, and Miss Lotta Bourland.

And to the following guests: Mesdames W. L. Ball, Dorris Ellis, C. I. Price, Misses Jessie Ingram, Bettie Weatherly, Clarice Fuller and Agnes Caraway.

B AND P. W. CLUB MEETS

The regular meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club was held Tuesday evening in the glass room of the Clarendon Hotel, Miss Lela Lammons entertaining.

Thanksgiving colors were carried out in decorations, menus and favors.

The program was opened by singing, followed by announcement of the subject for debating teams. Miss Eunice Johnson favored with a reading in child impersonation and responded to an encore with a reading in negro dialect.

The subject for debate, "Resolved that women are more successful in business than men." Speakers for the affirmative were Miss Eva Lee Morrison and Miss Lela Lammons. Speakers on negative were Miss Rhoda Wiedman and Miss Norma Rhodes.

Announcements were made and tickets for the benefit show to be presented at the Pastime Wednesday and Thursday of this week were distributed among the members with instructions to sell them without reservation.

MCCRARY-DORSET

Mr. Clebert McCrary and Miss Alveda Dorsett were accompanied to Hollis, Okla. Wednesday, the 26th by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dorsett where Rev. Dailey of the Church of Christ said the words that made them husband and wife.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCrary of this city where he has resided for a number of years and received his education in the local schools. He is a young man of excellent habits and has many friends.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dorsett of the Pleasant Valley community and is very popular among the younger set of that community. She is known for her many accomplishments and the Leader joins with the many friends of this young couple in wishing them all the happiness possible.

Pioneer Texas Woman Has Seen Five Wars During Her 110 Years of Living

(By M. Rhinehart in Groesbeck Journal)

To have lived 110 years, most of which has been spent in three counties, and over sixty years of that time in one community, to have seen the state take part in five wars, and to have taken only two short trips on a railway train, seems almost incredible in this fast moving age when distance seems as nothing and time brings so many changes. But such is the experience of Mrs. Julia Palmer Roberts, one of the three surviving Mexican War pension receivers of Texas.

A friend of mine who was enumerating the last census, brought the story of Mrs. Roberts, and a few days ago I started for the place where she lives. Twenty miles from the railroad, in the edge of Robertson county, near the village of Seale, we were told where she lived. We left the main road and turned into a side road that led through pastures, creek bottoms, and worn out fields. Over roads lined with blushing shumacs, reddening upon bushes, we followed the trail over the sand hills covered with oaks turning gold and brown, over creeks without bridges—the trail grew dimmer and dimmer, until it became almost impossible to travel in the car. At the end of this trail, in a small three-room, unpainted house, Mrs. Roberts makes her home with her widowed daughter, Mrs. Mattie Vickery, her only living child.

In fragments, as she could recall the incidents that have happened in her more than a century here in the world, she told the story of her life—a story mingled with hardships and drama, and a story that told of the suffering of the pioneers of Texas.

Mrs. Roberts, who before her marriage was Julia Palmer, is the youngest of a family of eleven children. She was born in Shelby county, in 1820, when that county formed part of the neutral ground and was the hiding place for criminals from both Texas and Louisiana. When she was in her early teens, the family moved to Leon county, near Jewett, and it was there that she was first married, to Enoch Bradshaw. To this union two children were born, a boy and a girl. The boy, John, died at the age of 13. With the girl she now makes her home. Soon after the birth of the daughter, Mr. Bradshaw died and a few years later she was married to William Roberts.

For a few years the family lived near Groesbeck, in Limestone county. Then the war with Mexico broke out and Mr. Roberts enlisted and went away, while his wife stayed behind to make her home with her sister.

"I never heard from him the whole time he was gone," she said, "because we could not get mail through to the company he was in. He was gone over a year, and during the whole time I did not know whether he was dead or alive, but I had hopes all the time of his return."

"One day he came home. I had no idea he was on the way and of course it was a complete surprise to me. We started out to farming, and moved to Headsville where we lived in that immediate community for a number of years. There were only a few settlers there then, and

a big saloon formed the chief trading post where the men would gather on Saturday afternoons to talk—and sometimes fight.

"While there we had a big community picnic on election year. It was the year of the Hogg and Clark campaign. Governor Hogg was passing through and took dinner and made a speech later. I talked with him some during the meal. He could sure eat lots of chicken."

"Do you remember the time the stars fell?" I asked her.

"Oh yes, very clearly," she replied, and faintly smiled. "I was about fifteen years old then. We lived in Shelby county, three miles from a neighbor's house. We were eating supper, when I suddenly decided to leave the table and go out on the porch and get a drink of water. When I opened the door, it seemed like a million stars were shooting down to the ground in the front yard. Out several yards to the side of the house, we had a hog pen, and it looked like most of the stars were falling right in on top of our hogs.

"I screamed to my father that the sky was falling. The whole family came rushing out. Father gazed for a minute on the scene of falling fire. I could see his face as the flashes lit up everything, and it had a look I shall never forget.

"Children," he said, "the world is comin' to an end. We had better have a little prayer meetin'. Together we knelt and father asked the Lord to help us. We all were scared to death. Every minute, as the stars showered down in flaming streaks, we expected to see the flames leaping out of the tall pines around the house, burning up and all of us too. We did not sleep that night, but morning still saw the world standing. The next morning there was no trace of the incident of the previous night, and no sign could be found where any of the falling bodies hit the ground.

"I have never traveled much," she said. "I was in Louisiana once when a girl, but don't remember much about it. I have moved a lot of times in my life, and we never owned a home. Twice I have ridden on a train from Personville to Farrah, a distance of about ten miles. I never rode in an automobile much until I bought the old Ford I now own with the Mexican War pension I get, and some one has to drive it for me."

Mrs. Roberts is a character of the old Texas; a typical woman who shared the early hardships with her mate, never asking questions, nor giving advice, but taking things as time handed them out. She never learned to read and write, and declares that she has taken up more than her allotted time here.

—Stephenville Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben A. Wooten of Shamrock took Thanksgiving in the J. C. Estlack home.

'OUR WEEKLY CHURCH CHAT'

"NEUTRALITY"

Not away, in the ordinary affairs of life, is it necessary to take sides. There are unimportant matters in connection with which neutrality is advisable. To take sides would promote disunion. Too often one meets with persons who will be heard on every question; to them, silence is always out of the question; they never dream of heeding the command to be "slow to speak". Consequently, they unnecessarily create a breach between themselves and others upon trivial questions that do not matter.

In questions of right or wrong, good or evil, neutrality is sinful. A Christian must take up arms against evil, or be counted upon the other side. Yet, how often, in order to retain, if possible, everybody's good will, or that one's business may not be interfered with, do men choose to occupy a position of neutrality instead of openly opposing the wrong. It is imperative that Christians should take sides in matters of principle, and unflinchingly stand up for God and right and truth. Such a man loses nothing from man or God in the long run.

"Tell me not of neutrality; it is out of the question. Ah! here is a case of neutrality upon the records in this book: 'Curse ye Meroz!'"

Why? What had the people done to expose themselves to this bitter malediction? Had they taken up arms against Jehovah? No! What then had they done? Nothing! Their neutrality was their crime. "Because they came not to the help of the Lord, to help the Lord against the mighty"—Dr. Newton.

"We are not here to play, to dream, to drift.

We have hard work to do, and loads to lift.

Shun not the struggle; face it.

'tis God's gift.

Be Strong."—(Selected)

In many Missionary Circles and Societies throughout the land, the first Sunday in December is being observed as "Woman's Day." Special programs are being arranged and the deeds of loyal women are being reviewed. Sunday morning our subject will be, "Two Good Women." These two women are mentioned but once in the Bible, but a great lesson awaits us if we study their case. Sunday night, the Ladies Missionary Society renders a special program.

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

Mr. T. C. Brown and two children of Bushland, and Mrs. W. N. Hodges and two children of White-deer spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Hedg-peth of this city.

Mr. Victor Smith of Amarillo visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Smith and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Naylor during Thanksgiving holidays.

SAUSAGE

25 lbs. pork (4 parts lean to 1 part fat)
1-2 lb. fine salt
1 1-4 ounces black pepper (fine)
1 1-2 ounces of powdered sage
3 tablespoons redd pepper
1 c. sugar

Use only clean, fresh pork for sausage, using a wooden paddle. Pack cans from the side and avoid air spaces. Fill cans to within 1-2 inch of the top. Place the cans in a pan of boiling water. Set the pan in a moderate oven and allow the heat to penetrate to the center of the can. Seal and process.

No. 2 cans, 50 minutes at 15 lbs. pressure
No. 3 cans, 60 minutes at 15 lbs. pressure

When the sausage is opened, it may be sliced and heated or served cold.

Note: 2 cups from dried Mexican chili peppers may be used to give color if desired. Prepare the Mexican chili pepper as follows: Cover the peppers with boiling water and let simmer slowly for five to ten minutes. Drain and remove the seeds. Remove the pulp from the skin with a spoon. Use only the pulp. Mash the pepper pulp fine before mixing with the other seasonings and mix thoroughly into the sausage.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Baldwin of Amarillo spent Thanksgiving here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Armstrong and family.

Densil R. Davis, in Oklahoma at the time of the Bethany, Oklahoma cyclone, saw the destruction at first hand, he being among the first arrivals at the devastated little town.

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Miss D'Laural Beville, instructor in Texas Tech, spent Thanksgiving here with her father, Mr. A. M. Beville and other relatives.

Miss Rose Mary Hurn spent Thanksgiving and the week end with friends in Canyon.

Mrs. Roscoe Trostle and Miss Marue Trostle visited in Canyon over the week end and saw the football game.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Skinner took Thanksgiving dinner with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Skinner of the Chamberlain community.

Mr. Park Chamberlain was in Clovis, N. M. Saturday buying feed.

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By the Apostle



Migosh! The secret is out. John Watts was born in Arkansas. This information was developed by City Marshall Flop Pyle who had been asked to investigate John's right to keep a 'possum inside the corporate limits.

John broke down and admitted all when under a rapid fire of questioning. He told of the paw paw patch, black haws, huckleberry bushes and seed ticks. These stories failed to reach the tender spot of a man who had grown up in a cow country until John recited the fact that 'possum and tater was second only to the aroma of bacon broiling over a cow chip fire. It was then that the City Marshall wept.

In a further exchange of history, the City Marshall regaled the fact that in the pioneer days of West Texas men rode Mexican lions and whipped them with rattlesnakes. John Watts melted under the tirade of narration (whatever that is) and announced the fact that Arkansas men fight in peace. In fact the only time a gun was fired in self defense since the Civil War (just why they call it 'civil' no one knows) was when a barefoot man was being chased through a cocklebur patch by a mad rail-splitter boar.

After doing his stuff until the burs were balled up on his feet until he appeared to be walking on stilts, the man turned abruptly and pointing his old granddad's muzzle-loading shotgun filled with fish sinkers squarely in the face of the brute, he pulled loose both barrels and fell in the creek, being kicked exactly eighty yards.

Speaking of battles, the Arkansas cats used to meet the Jack county cats in Red River county and there was something doing and I don't mean maye.

The reason some girls refuse to wash the dishes is probably because she has an 'interesting' chap on her hands.

A. N. Wood stuck out a sign which read: "milk from contented cows." Baxter, the butcher in the same store seeing the sign also got busy and hung out one of his own which read: "sausages made from pigs that died happy."

When his attention was called to gravy which he had spilled upon his vest at the luncheon Friday, Dr. Oscar Jenkins said: "oh, that's alright, I always look well in anything I eat."

A certain woman in this town calls her husband "banana" because he is always hanging around a crowd. (Name supplied for two-bits).

Believe it or not, the Apostle's rep is spreading. Now comes an invitation from G. C. McGowan, county agent of Wichita county who announces an invitation to the first "turnip show" in Texas.

He sets forth the plea that he wants all the brainy men on the program. Men who know a good thing when we see it. In order to further clinch this 'invite', he has C. H. McDowell, superintendent of the state experiment farm at Iowa Park, countersign the letter.

This turnip show will be held in the Martin building at Wichita from December 12th to the 15th. Prizes will be offered for the biggest turnip, best turnip, most turnips to the acre, and to the 'yahoo' who can eat the most turnips.

The Apostle has entered the last contest enumerated. He will also offer for exhibit the prize winning quart jar of potlikker canned, put up or preserved according to 4-H pig club rules. It will also have the o. k. of the farm board and bear a label "sure cure for halitosis and falling arches" as complied with the food and drugs act of not later than the Mexican War.

Texas whipped Mexico twice on a potlikker diet, the same being canned by 4-H women all over the state. Instead of knitting, they canned. If they ran short of cannon balls they shot the Greasers with potlikker, and how! Great sums were offered the state by the enemy for a recipe for making the stuff that put the Greasers to sleep but those old time Texans refused to be bribed. The nearest thing they ever invented was the hot

The Oberammergau Passion Play As Seen By Local Teacher

Historic Play Has Drawn An Audience From All Parts of Globe Many Years

(Mary H. Howren)

The village of Oberammergau lies in a picturesque valley, 2750 feet above sea level, with a precipitous mountain range closing in on three sides towering some six thousand feet above the valley. To the north is the long valley of the Ammer river, bordered by undulating green hills. Immediately above the town, on one of the highest peaks, is a cross, symbol of the faith of the devout inhabitants. Like all other villages of the Alps, it has its church with Moorish tower, and church-yard cemetery. Here they bury their dead, among which are numbered distinguished actors of the Passion Play through three centuries. The arrangement of the town has been retained from ancient times to the present. It stretches along an old Roman highway on which taverns and business houses have always stood. All buildings have tiled roofs, and walls of cream colored stucco, painted with bright colors in designs that form a frieze beneath the eaves, and trickle down like graceful vines between the windows.

The inhabitants are by no means ordinary peasants. They have an education quite above the average. As six hundred actors take part in the play, a great part of their lives is spent in the practice of the art of acting and singing, and the greatest care is taken that this be of the most artistic type. In their daily lives, for a livelihood, the most of them devote themselves to the art of wood carving. Anton Lang, three times the Christ in the play, is a potter of no mean ability.

Until recently the play was given in the open air, the spectators as well as the actors being exposed to the vicissitudes of the weather. Now a large structure, in outward appearance like a huge hangar, covers the seating space, and a splendidly constructed floor, seated with opera chairs, slopes to the orchestra pit. The great stage itself is still open to the sky, in order to obtain all the light possible, as no artificial lighting is used. There is an inner stage, before which hang velvet curtains, and here the tableaux are staged, and some of the acting takes place.

The origin of the play is well known. In 1632, following a scourge of war in Europe, a frightful plague raged, and in spite of the efforts on the part of Oberammergau to protect itself against the entrance of the pestilence, it crept in, and eighty four of the people fell victims to it. There is evidence that a Passion Play had been acted before from time to time, for it can be proved that parts of an old text date back to the fifteenth century. But it had fallen into obscurity, and now, feeling it a matter of conscience, the people made a vow to present the play every ten years, in order to avert the plague. It is worthy of note that after the vow was made, there was not another victim of the plague. Their first presentation was in 1634, the next in 1640, and thence every decade, with a few exceptions. There is a rumor that the play will be given again in 1934, in celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of its beginning.

The text of the play has been revised several times, to suit the thought of the times. The music, which was so moving in the 1930 performance, has been developed since 1810. The original composer was Dedler, and it remains much today as he completed it for the 1820 performance. It has stirring beauty and grandeur. There were fifty men in the orchestra this year, and in the chorus, thirteen sopranos, thirteen altos, nine tenors, and ten basses. The voices were exquisitely blended, and the smoothness and technic of their solo parts proved the singers real artists. The wonder of it all is that a community of less than three thousand people should be able to furnish such finished singers and actors.

The costuming has been studied with the same care as has the intamale and that's a disgrace to civilization. They cripple but seldom kill.

This is all for this week except that the daughter-in-law has scrubbed two of the worst pair of ears and I have been warned to cut out saying anything about it, and if this gets out, it's the harp for the Apostle.

terpretation of the text. The style conforms as nearly as possible to the conventional idea of the dress of the time of Christ. The chorus this year wore white robes with a pale blue-gray flowing cloak, and their long hair was held back from the face by a gold band around the head. The costume of the Christ was a white robe with royal purple mantle; of Judas, a yellow robe with black mantle; of Peter, a blue robe and yellow mantle; and of John, a green robe and rose mantle. The costumes of all were full of color and were handled with practiced grace. The play is given twice a week from May to October, but during the past summer it became necessary to give it often, because of crowds too large to be accommodated at the usual sittings.

As the hour approached for a performance, eight o'clock in the morning, the crowds thronging on foot through the village streets toward the theater, gave a startling reminder of the Biblical scene of the thronging of the Jewish world to the Feast of the Passover. Efficient ushers seated the crowd quickly, and the strains of the solemn overture began. Beyond and above the stage could be seen steep green hills with flocks of sheep grazing upon them. Sunshine and cloud-shadows fell upon the open stage. The chorus came in slowly chanting, and the curtains drew back to give a view of the first tableau, "The Expulsion of Adam and Eve from Paradise". A prologue was recited by Anton Lang, formerly the Christ, but now too advanced in years to stand the strain of the part. Then the play opened with the loud hosannas and shouts of the people as the Christ made his triumphal entry into Jerusalem. There were many children in this scene, also well as older boys and girls.

There are sixteen acts to the play, and many scenes, all following in order without a break in the continuity. As each new theme is taken up, it is introduced by a prologue and a tableau of an Old Testament subject that is symbolical. Act One treats of the triumphal entry and of the driving out of the money changers from the Temple. Act Two contains the plot of the High Council. Act Three gives intimate glimpses of Jesus with his mother and Mary and Martha and Lazarus. In Act Four, Jesus is shown weeping over Jerusalem. Judas is approached and corrupted because of his love of money. Act Five presents the Last Supper. The arrangement of this follows closely the painting of Leonardo da Vinci. The last communion with the disciples and the acting of Judas in this scene are very effective. Then follows the scenes in the Garden of Gethsemane, the most emotional moment

of the whole play. With the arrest of Jesus, Part One closes, and as it is now about the noon hour, the performance is suspended until two o'clock. From two until six the play proceeds dramatically, reaching its climax in the Crucifixion scene. The story is continued through the resurrection and the ascension, but the play weakens a little here.

The outstanding actor, without question, is Guido Mayr in the role of Judas. It is hard to reconcile the crafty, greed-ridden betrayer and the passionately remorseful Judas, with the modest, smiling carver of wood in the workshop in his garden. It may be that Alois Lang, who characterized the Christ this year, will yet reach the sublime heights of Anton Lang who three times acted the part, but while at times he left nothing to be desired, at others he came short of the ideal.

As a whole the play is wonderfully presented. The fear of being overcome by emotion in viewing the play is soon dissipated by the artistic delicacy of the acting. Not for one moment does it become melodramatic. As the curtains of the inner stage fall on the final scene of the Ascension, the audience passes out with a quiet uplifted feeling, with renewed allegiance to the Christian faith, no matter what the creed. And passing among the villagers on the streets, in their shops, or in their homes, one has still the feeling of living in the midst of the story and the characters of the Passion Play.

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Mrs. Jones, of Cactus Creek let a can opener slip last week and cut herself in the pantry.

A mischievous lad of Picketown threw a stone and hit Mr. Davis in the alleyway Tuesday.

John Doe climbed on the roof of his house last week, looking for a leak, and fell, striking himself on the back porch.

While Harold Green was escorting Miss Violet Wise from the church social Saturday night a savage dog attacked them and bit Mr. Green several times on the

public square. Jsaiah Trimmer, of Running Creek, was playing with a cat Friday, when the cat scratched him on the front porch.

Mr. Fang, while harnessing a broncho last Saturday, was kicked just south of the corn crib.—Ex.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Baker of this city and their daughter, Mrs. Cox and family of Panhandle, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tice, another daughter, of Wellington.

Mrs. Bessie Smith, Donley county's most efficient county clerk, had as guests over Thanksgiving Day, Mrs. J. M. Crews and Misses Virginia Crews, Emma Smith, Jaquelyn Jones, Ara West and Mavis Heath of Childress.

Parking Areas Set For 'Boulder City'

A city without parking problems has been planned for Boulder City the town that will house the workers on the Boulder Canyon dam project.

The Interior Department has decreed that no car will ever park at a curb in Boulder City. There will be areas especially provided and conveniently arranged throughout the town to take care of parking demands in a modern age.

The transcontinental highway on which the town will be built will wind through parks and residential areas rather than through the business district.

Mrs. Eva Humphrey is visiting her son John Humphrey and family at Borger.

J. H. Rutherford returned from a trip to El Paso the last of the week. He visited his children there and also made trips looking over that interesting country. No, he did not forget Juarez, though he merely was a sight-seer on that side of the river.

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New Members Are Announced At Lions Luncheon Tuesday

Increase in Membership Noted With Enthusiasm Following Favorable Vote

Applications of Sam Braswell, Jr. and Dr. C. G. Stricklin coming before the Lions club at their Tuesday luncheon resulted in a favorable vote and Lion Watson was instructed to prepare the cubs for the coming ordeal a week later.

The illness of Lion Walter Wilson was noted, he having been confined to the hospital following an operation for appendicitis. The Boss Lion and Secretary were instructed to visit the hospital and call the roll that his excellent attendance record be maintained despite the serious handicap.

The Thanksgiving game and other affairs of interest were called to the attention of the body.

Visitors for the hour were J. C. Porter of Clovis and H. W. Linder of this city, each responding with a few well chosen remarks upon being introduced to the Club.

Lion Frank Houston brought a message of glad tidings from Childress stating that impending hunger announcements from his town had been greatly exaggerated and that most all of the citizenship bid fair to pull through the winter in good shape.

Lion J. T. Putman announced the disposition of the loan fund for the year, it having enabled Miss Maurine Vaughan to continue her school term uninterrupted.

A Birthday Dinner

Sunday, November 30th, a large crowd was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Johnston of the Chamberlain community for the purpose of celebrating the birthdays of four, with a big feast.

The honorees of the occasion were Melba Johnston, Leota Ramsey, Woodrow Millsap and little Miss Billie Laverne Ramsey, the latter named being the same little girl who recently underwent an operation and was a patient at Adair hospital for some time.

After eating and enjoying such a feast as has not happened for a long time, the "kids", as they were called, went their way rejoicing and hoping that many days of many years to come would bring success and happiness to the lives of those in the happy circle of the "birthday dinner".

There's kind of an ache that has company with a great feast of this sort. We are sorry that this kind of company was not welcome, as many were called on by this party termed "heavy eating."

Photos were made before and after the great feast in order to learn how some folks can fake their looks by heavy eating.

We should let tomorrow care for its self so long as all are happy and well enough to devour such an enormous feast as we enjoyed. Why cry hard times when all is well that is well, such is life in all walks and aches on such occasions.

Those present were Melba Johnston, Frank Boehringer, Johnnie Ruth Long, Mamie Bynum, Leota Ramsey, Louise Hughes, Mabry Courtney, Howard Hughes, Naom Johnston, Lonnie Smith, Woodrow Millsap.

And Coy Radney, V. V. Johnston, Billie Laverne Ramsey, M. C. Rampey, T. M. Shadle, Mrs. M. C. Rampey, Mrs. V. V. Johnston, Mrs. T. M. Shadle, Laverne Johnston, Mox Rampey, La Rue Shadle, Ray Rampey, Geraldine Rampey, Julia Pierce, Marie Radney, Lomas Dunlap, and Jimmie Millsap.

The ladies who prepared this wonderful feast were Mrs. V. V. Johnston, Mrs. M. C. Rampey, Mrs. T. M. Shadle, Mrs. Coy Radney and Miss Julia Pierce.

—One who was there.

Missionary Society Christian Church to Entertain

The ladies of the Missionary Society of the Christian church will sponsor a "Woman's Day" program at the church Sunday evening of this week.

The object to be attained is creating an interest in foreign mission fields. A lady will be dressed representing each of the foreign nations, each taking a part in a well informed program.

A free will offering will be taken for the benefit of foreign missions. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Dean and Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Brazil of White Deer Thanksgiving Day.

Hefner Gets 99 Years Pampa Murder Trial Saturday

Jury Deliberates Five Hours Before Returning Verdict in Brutal Murder

The jury in the trial of Carl Hefner closed the first chapter in a hard fought court battle Saturday in which the state sought the death penalty, giving the accused a sentence of ninety-nine years.

Most all of the forenoon was taken up with the arguments of the attorneys in which Fred Weeks of Pampa, Senator Clint Small of Wellington and District Attorney C. G. Engledow represented the state and attorneys C. C. McDonald of Wichita Falls and Will R. Saunders of Pampa defended.

Carl Hefner is charged with the murder of Homer Crabtree on or about the 8th of November near Lefors. Emmett Thompson, another rancher, is also charged with complicity in the murder. His trial will be heard next.

The case has more than passing interest locally because of the fact that Mr. Crabtree was the father of Mrs. Bunk Ozier, and formerly made her home in Clarendon.

Interscholastic League Debating

In order to arouse more enthusiasm and interest in our debating and the fostering of better citizenship ideals, we should strive to improve our spare hours.

This year we are planning on the greatest interest among boys and girls of our rural schools, as well as the Class B schools. The principal who waits until he has an A-1 winning team in debating before entering the contest, will not get very far. Let me urge you now teachers, do your part and let's make this one of the big events of the Meet.

The question for the 1930-1931 debates is: "Resolved that a substitute trial by jury should be adopted." This is indeed a modern question, then let's do our best.

Those wishing to enter the Interscholastic League contest this year should send the names of the debaters and the name of the school to the Director of Debates at once.

There are two divisions of debates: senior boys and senior girls. Please let me have the names of your schools and teams.

J. B. Millsap
Director Debates.

Interscholastic League Meet Suggested by Director

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But in order for every student and teacher to know just what they are to work to, it is necessary that definite plans be worked out at an early date for a county meet. Let us wait too long, let us have all the officers of the League, all superintendents and coaches, and all other teachers that are in any way interested in League work meet at the Clarendon Junior High School building to work out plans together.

Plans made arbitrarily by a few often work a hardship on some one, therefore we hope everyone interested will be there to express his desires.

It has been suggested that a county teachers' association might at that time be discussed, and that probably one could be organized.

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—C. W. Howard
Director General Interscholastic League of County.

Jimmy Chilton, formerly with the Piggly Wiggly, is now in the employ of the A. N. Wood Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bennett and children of Dallas who visited Mr. and Mrs. Carille over Thanksgiving, returned to their home Sunday.

Forty Relatives Celebrate At Anderson Home

A mother of 65 in the person of Mrs. Helen Robinson of Amarillo was honored by the presence of eight of her nine children in a Thanksgiving family reunion and feast Thanksgiving Day at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. S. Anderson, of this city.

The affair was a surprise for most of the kinsmen, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Anderson having planned the whole affair without the knowledge of most of them, and especially the old mother whom they all sought to honor on this occasion.

When meal time arrived, Mr. Anderson arranged the children of Mrs. Robinson at the table with the mother at the head of the table and bid all others to retire and let the united family once again after many, many years enjoy a meal to themselves as in years ago.

Following the feast, the family group was photographed. Later the entire assembly was grouped in one large picture taken by Earl Alderson of the Alderson Studio.

Of the children of Mrs. Helen Robinson of Amarillo present were included Mrs. O. S. Anderson of Clarendon, Mrs. Annie Young of Hale Center, Mrs. Mary Herring of Canadian, Mrs. Alice Hester of Amarillo, Mrs. Dolie Fesler.

The sons present included Andrew Robinson of Amarillo, Benner Robinson of Wichita Falls and Clifford Robinson of the same city. One son, a railroad engineer at Floydada was unable to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lane of this city, near relatives, were the honor guests on this memorable occasion that brought together the family for the first time since childhood days.

The oldest granddaughter of Mrs. Robinson at the reunion was Mrs. Leona Richardson and her daughter, Miss Florence Boyd was the oldest great granddaughter. They make their home with Mrs. Richardson's Parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Anderson of this city.

County Red Cross Chairman Thanks Supporters

In speaking of the Red Cross drive Saturday, County Chairman Homer Mulkey was profuse in his thanks to the American Legion, Rotary and Lions clubs for the part the committees took in the work.

He asked that thanks be extended these organizations, and to the many individuals who worked faithfully to secure funds that make a creditable showing for the work in this county.

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Amarillo Requests

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the Panhandle along with floats supplied by Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions, and A. B. C. clubs of our city. Floats will also be in the parade from the Salvation Army, the Red Cross, Boy and Girl Scouts, American Legion, Child's Welfare Association, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Parent-Teachers Association, etc.

This parade will be some two and one-half miles in length and will incorporate the very spirit of Christmas.

The committee in charge wishes to impress upon the citizens of the Panhandle that this is a Panhandle affair and not a strictly Amarillo festival. All the cities in Amarillo's trade territory are extended a cordial invitation to come in and have a part with Amarillo in staging the greatest of all Christmas festivals.

Friendship Club Gives Party Friday Evening

Under the direction of F. O. Wood as President, and R. S. Cope, Committee Chairman, the Fellowship Club of the Presbyterian church entertained the members and friends of the church Friday evening.

A varied program of reading and musical numbers were given. Miss Eunice Johnson, Miss Grace Sample, Mr. Gus B. Stevenson, Miss Lovela Bell taking part.

Many present participated in the games. The crowning event of the evening was the picnic supper prepared and served by the men themselves.

Mrs. J. H. Reeves has gone to Canyon to spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. Dr. Donnell.

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