

DELINQUENT TAXES -----

Ten percent of the taxes in 1912 went delinquent. As a protest against high taxes, this had grown to thirty-seven percent for 1931 tax payments.

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A Common Paper For Common People

HOG CALLING CONTEST FOR FRIDAY NIGHT IS ATTRACTING BIG INTEREST

Ladies to Charm With Husband Calling Contest; Old-Time Fiddlers Arrange to Cheer Losers in Both Events

Few people, even among the grownups, would turn down an opportunity to enjoy a bushel of fun if it were to be pushed right up to their faces, or turned into their ears. Just that kind of a program has been arranged for Friday night of this week at Clarendon College auditorium.

The big show begins promptly at 8:00 p. m. Elmer Palmer, who has charge of the old-time music that is always found in any first-class hog calling country, has lined up Joe David and E. R. Aycock. What they can do is a plenty to satisfy most any one. They make the brand of music that is felt in the bones. No foolin'.

Miss Martha Buttrill, county H. D. agent, has a lot of women's names on her list who have agreed to do the husband calling stunt such as is seldom heard in polite company. It will be homespun language only such as is generally found in the kitchen, cowlot or chicken house, but it will be real, no fuss or feathers about it. The pet names for "hubby" will be dragged from the innermost secret places and exposed to public hearing where everyone can enjoy it.

There will be plenty of hog callers. Arkansaw and old Alabama will have her choice sons of long training on the stage of action. Louisiana, east Texas and Jack county have promised a representative and that means the raising of the roof. One Arkansaw chaser of the bristly rail-splitter promises to show the boys several stunts before the show closes.

Dude Gentry and T. M. Shaver propose a hog call suitable for the cultured and pedigreed hogs of the Panhandle. Both represent the Legion. Homer Mulkey got on the list to represent the Lions club after a minute examination of his record around Ardmore several years ago. Then there is Bill Hatfield. Nobody knows Bill now, but you just wait until his foghorn gets into action. Bill's voice is said to be a cross between a sound like a burro and a steam whistle. Then there are others—too numerous to

mention as the auctioneer says.

Any resident in Donley county may enter the contest, the winner to receive \$5 in cash and a free trip to the Fat Stock show at Amarillo where he will compete with the heroes of other counties.

Each entrant to the hog calling event is requested to be prepared to tell the crowd how and why he learned to call hogs.

No entrance fee will be charged. Each contestant will have one minute for calling, and will be judged on the following points by judges who are invisible to the audience and contestants:

- (1) Volume, loudness and carrying capacity of the voice, 30 points.
- (2) Enticement appeal to the hog, 20 points.
- (3) Variety, a loud appeal always most effective, 20 points.
- (4) Originality, 10 points.
- (5) Clearness, musical quality, 10 points.
- (6) Appearance and facial expression of caller in action, 10 points.

Each contestant will draw for number for position or place. Judges will judge by number only.

The three receiving the highest points, will enter the elimination which will be judged in the same manner as the first.

The contestant receiving the highest number of points will receive \$5 in cash and expenses paid to the Amarillo Fat Stock Show where he will enter the contest representing Donley county. P. B. (Dude) Gentry, T. D. Nored and J. C. Estlack have charge of arrangements, and those desiring further information should see either of these committeemen. The admission price will be ten cents. The money so raised will go toward paying the expenses of the boys who are entering the Baby Beef contest at the Fat Stock Show next week.

Should the Donley county champion hog caller win first place at the Amarillo Fat Stock show, he will receive \$175. Certainly this is worth working for, and there will be plenty of contenders.

BIG ENROLLMENT AT BAPTIST CHURCH TRAINING SCHOOL

Enthusiasm is Manifested in Every Department of Church Work

This week the local Baptist church is enjoying the most successful educational revival in the history of the church.

Miss Grace Conn, E. T. S. Field Secretary of Texas is directing the revival and giving instruction from the book, "Modern B. Y. P. U. Methods" by T. C. Gardner, to the seniors and adults.

Rev. J. M. Sibley, pastor of the Perryton church, is teaching the intermediates "Training in Church Membership." Mrs. J. M. Sibley is instructing from the Junior B. Y. P. U. Manual, and Miss Mary Hope Wells of Hedley is conducting the primary story hour.

Miss Conn spoke during the morning worship hour Sunday. In a simple, straight-forward manner that was most convincing, she presented the answer to the question—"Does the Baptist training service pay?"

With an enrollment goal set at 200 Sunday night, 96 were enrolled Monday night, 135 Tuesday night and this number had increased to 164 Wednesday night.

The attendance has not been limited to Clarendon and immediate vicinity, a large number from Lelia Lake and Hedley being in daily attendance.

The school attendance reflects great credit on the various school boards, the teachers and pupils for their patriotic spirit in coming together to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the birth of America's first president and greatest hero.

66 HIGHWAY MAY BE PAVED THROUGH DONLEY COUNTY

Paving of 66 Highway Will Connect "Missing Link" Between Far Points

Information from Amarillo Tuesday is to the effect that Mr. Van London, construction engineer of Division No. 4 which includes this district, will recommend that the state put in the grade and drainage on Highway 66 through Gray and Donley counties.

This recommendation, if acted upon favorably by the State Highway Commission means that this county will not be forced to expend anything to secure the grading of the six miles of 66 Highway across the corner of the county since the Department has definitely decided to locate the highway north of the Rock Island tracks.

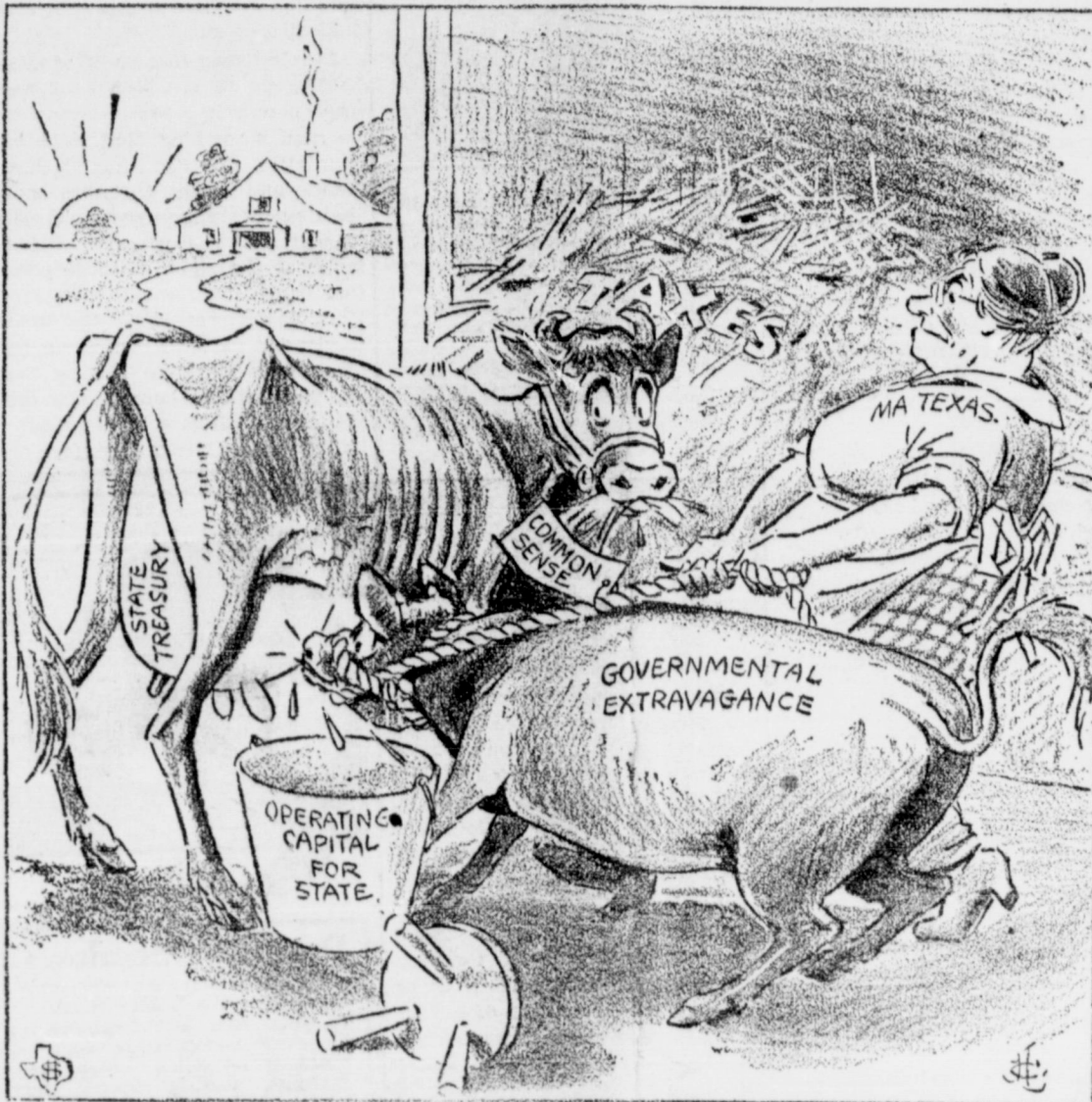
Gray county has voted bonds sufficient to pay for the right-of-way across that county. It is believed that Gray county will finish the grade with a topping of asphalt on the caliche base that is suggested for the grading across the two counties.

The Highway Department is recommending that all grading be topped with a caliche material that is found in great quantities in the Panhandle. A two-inch penetration topping of asphalt and gravel is claimed to make a better roadbed than cement.

Miss Lois Alexander is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edwards at Crowley.

G. G. Kemp of the Clarendon Motor company had business in Childress Tuesday.

Time to Kill the Fatted Calf



Frank White Opens Barber Shop in Latson Building

Friends of Frank White will be pleased to learn that he has decided to remain in Clarendon permanently. For some time he was employed as a barber in the same shop space where he is opening a shop of his own Saturday of this week.

He formerly resided at Brice for a number of years and enjoys a wide acquaintance in this section. He is having the remodeling work done that will enable him to install new fixtures in his shop to amply take care of the needs of his patrons.

Fifteen Percent Insurance Credit is Retained

Mr. James Trent informed the Leader Tuesday that Clarendon would retain her credit of fifteen percent on insurance rates. There had been grave misgivings as to the rate being reduced this time due to the increased number of fires, and this news will no doubt be learned with a great deal of satisfaction.

The credit rates are based on a three-year record. The rate next year will be based on our fire records for 1930, 31 and 32.

Assuming that the property valuation in the main part of town is worth \$250,000, the discount on insurance rate cost would amount to \$37,500. On the other hand, a policy costing \$30 would take a discount of \$4.50.

Rev. J. O. Quattlebaum, pastor of the Methodist church of Borger visited in Clarendon Wednesday.

A large number of citizens from this section are planning on attending the Fat Stock Show at Amarillo February 29th-March 3rd.

Presbyterian Special Meetings Begin Sunday

With the arrival Sunday of Rev. Jan A. McMurry, the Special Meetings at the Presbyterian Church will begin. Rev. McKee will preach in the morning on "Prayer, Power and Pentecost", and Rev. McMurry will give the first of his sermons Sunday night at 7:30 on the subject, "Where Do You Build Your Altars?"

Mr. McMurry's Texas born, was educated at Austin and Arkansas Colleges, and prepared for the ministry at Union Seminary, Richmond, Va. He is a lover of sports, having been a foot-ball player, and later a football coach, of note.

At home in Quannah, Mr. McMurry is in demand for all local and civic activities, having been or being now president of the Rotary Club, director and chairman of the Red Cross, director of the United Charities, director of the Quannah Music Lover's Club.

A pleasant feature of the Meetings will be the singing and special music, under the direction of Mr. R. S. Cope. Mr. McMurry himself has an extensive reputation as a singer and will be called upon frequently.

Morning Services will be held every week day morning at 10:00 o'clock and the Night services will begin at 7:30.

Club Meetings Scheduled For Saturday 27th

The County Council will meet at the Club Room at 2 p. m. Saturday. The Federated Clubs will meet at the Club Room at 3 p. m. This meeting is very important as the election of a president is announced, and a request made for all members to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kirtley were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Davis Building Has Been Leased by Hommel Bros.

Work is soon to begin on an extensive remodeling job on the E. Davis brick building on the corner opposite that now occupied by Hommel Bros. A drive-in filling station will be arranged according to the latest pattern specified by the Sinclair company, and the building will be leased to Hommel Bros.

The Gulf people are talking over the building now occupied by Hommel Bros. A filling station will be continued and a complete accessory stock added. This station will be operated by Clarence E. Miller.

Mrs. Boykin's Fine Arts Program Monday Night

Due to the illness of one of her pupils, Mrs. G. L. Boykin announces that the fine arts program announced for Thursday night of this week has been changed to Monday night of next week, the 29th.

This program will begin at 7:45 at the College Auditorium at which time Mrs. Boykin will present her pupils, Misses Elizabeth Kemp, Virginia Cluck and Harvey Lou Strawn in violin recital.

These pupils will be assisted in the presentation by a double quartette under the direction of Miss Anna Moores with Miss Fray Stallings as accompanist; Miss Eunice Johnson, reader; Misses Barbara Smith and Pauline Shelton, pianists.

Miss Dorothy Elliot of Memphis is visiting in the home of her sister Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Teer.

M. M. McCracken had business in the county seat today (Thursday).

Silas Franklin spent the weekend with home folks at Happy.

TWO THOUSAND PEOPLE JOIN IN PARADE ON STREETS MONDAY

Hundreds of School Children Gather to Celebrate Birth of Washington And Dedicate Trees on Courthouse Lawn

Larger crowds have assembled in Clarendon than that of Monday, but never before have so many school children been assembled in the observance of any form of holiday. Thirteen rural schools of the county were represented in the parade that started from Third and Kearney headed by the band with the Legion, Lions club and the thirteen schools marching to patriotic airs.

Following a band concert at the old Grammar school building, the parade marched north on Kearney to near the tracks, thence west one block and turned south to the Courthouse where a tree planting memorial service was held in honor of George Washington.

Rev. B. N. Shepherd, pastor of the First Baptist church delivered the invocation. Tom F. Connally made the address dedicating the planting of three evergreen trees. Sixteen small children in charge of Mrs. H. T. Burton and Mrs. E. P. Shelton placed the dirt around the trees. These children were the smallest selected from the eighteen schools represented on the grounds. The American Legion assisted in this ceremony with a flag ceremony with the band playing "The Star-Spangled Banner."

The tree nearest the courthouse is a silver juniper, the middle tree an Austrian pine, and the tree nearest the jail a Virginia juniper. The trees were contributed jointly by Stark & McMillen, landscape company of Pampa, and J. C. Estlack, publisher of the Donley County Leader. W. Krause of the Pampa firm superintended the tree planting, being assisted by A. O. Yates, caretaker of the courthouse property.

A reviewing stand located near the entrance to the Pastime theatre was occupied, as the parade passed, by Mayor W. P. Cagle, James Trent representing the fire department, Nathan Cox, Post commander American Legion, J. J. Alexander county judge, T. D. Nored representing the Lions Club and J. C. Estlack president of the Rotary club.

Dean W. A. Clark Jr. of Clarendon College supplied the moving

picture machine and operated it in showing the Washington pictures at the Methodist church. The pictures depicting the life scenes of Washington during the Revolution were shown at 9:30 a. m. and twice during the afternoon so great was the demand by those eager to see them.

All three of the public schools of Clarendon and pupils of the Junior College were represented in the parade with a full attendance. Teachers from each of the schools accompanied the pupils as did the rural teachers their pupils. A total of eighteen schools were represented in the parade.

It is estimated that near two thousand people saw the pictures during the day, the church being filled to capacity through three sessions. The MacDowell club directed by Sam Braswell sang appropriate songs for the occasion, the entire crowd joining in singing America and The Star Spangled Banner at the afternoon sessions. The Whitefish school was awarded the prize of a set of books for having 100% attendance and for having come the greatest distance. Watkins and Greenwood schools tied for second places. Hudgins was next with an attendance of 44 out of 47.

Other schools are listed in point of attendance as follows: Goldston, Fairview, Hackberry, Pleasant Valley, Lelia Lake, Ashtola, Martin Chamberlain and Windy Valley. The thirteen rural schools represented a total of 446 pupils attending.

The only colored school in the county, that of Clarendon, was represented by a good attendance with their teacher walking proudly behind her charges at the end of the parade.

Several of the schools were distinguishable in the parade by banners bearing slogans and other lettered information for the public benefit. Several children from the Chamberlain community walked several miles in order to make sure of being in the parade. It was a great day for the school folks with plenty of good band music and pictures such as no one here ever saw

DONLEY COUNTY HIGHWAY IS BEING PUT IN SHAPE

Highway Crew Now Working Over Number Five Clear Across County

Work of placing a caliche topping on Highway 5 under the direction of foreman N. M. Lawler began on the west side of the county recently at the Armstrong-Donley county lines.

This topping process on the sandbeds has now reached a point near Ashtola, and will be continued across the county to the east side wherever a sandy condition exists on the highway, it is said.

The bridge across Bell creek west of Hedley is to be replaced with a new structure twenty feet wide and one hundred and sixty-two feet in length. The material used will be treated timber to insure lasting qualities. The bridge will rest on treated pilings.

The State Highway Department has set aside \$9396.00 for improving Highway 5 this year. The sum of \$5062 has been provided for maintaining and repairs on Highway 66. At the same time, appropriations of \$4952 have been made to improve Highway 88 this year.

Headquarters for this division will be moved from Amarillo to Quannah March 1st, Collingsworth county will be dropped from the district leaving nineteen counties in District No. 4.

Earl Bryan of Turkey is visiting his sister, Mrs. Land, and trying to recuperate from the flu.

Eugene Bryan of Amarillo visited in Clarendon this week.

BABY BEEVES TO BE JUDGED HERE SATURDAY A. M.

Nine Donley County Beeves Will be Entered in Fat Stock Show

Phil Farley of Groom, first prize winner in the Amarillo Fat Stock Show baby beef contest last year, has been selected to judge the baby beeves here next Saturday morning at 10 a. m. The judging will be done in front of the City Hall.

In the local contest, Alfred McMurry will enter two beeves and Joe Montgomery will also enter two. Harry McCracken, John F. Blocker Jr., Chas. and Bob Word will enter one beef each.

The above named boys are members of G. L. Boykins Agricultural class of the high school and are said to have some of the best specimens ever to be groomed for exhibition purposes from this county.

After the judging at the City Hall, the beeves will be taken to Amarillo where they will be entered in the baby beef contest at the Fat Stock Show.

In addition to the eight beeves from here, Donley Darnell of Jericho will have a baby beef in the big show contest. Donley is a 4-H boy and is keen to get in there and mix it with the other boys as he has some specimen himself that is attracting a lot of attention.

R. W. Harvey of Dallas was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Patman Tuesday.

Mrs. A. H. Baker who visited in Panhandle the week end, returned home ill and is confined to her home at this time.

LEADER BARGAINS IN EVERY ISSUE

Every issue of the Leader carries a message to the buyer—a message of dollar saving. Those who would save money, read the advertisements in the Leader carefully that they might know where to go to get the choicest bargains advertised by merchants who invite your business. More people look for bargains today than ever before.

Here are a few items advertised in the different ads in this issue:

- LARD—in 50 pound can lots per pound 7c
- BACON—Sugar cured per pound 14c
- FLOOR MOPS—Wizard brand, each 45c
- SUGAR—10 pounds pure cane at 49c
- ORANGES—288 size, per dozen 18c

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

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

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



West Texas Press Association Panhandle Press Association

Crusaders.

Job hunters will make the politics this season, with principles of government secondary.

Divorce Mill.

Many a couple has taken advantage of the Nevada divorce laws and gone to get Reno-vated.

Unkind Trusts.

Some of his enemies accuse the Attorney General of being a radical because he is All Red.

Our Idea About It.

The Leader is a friend to the farmer, his home and his family. A champion of his rights and a willing promoter of his interests.

Accidents.

The reason there is fewer railroad accidents than auto accidents is probably due to the fact that the engineer seldom, if ever, hugs the fireman.

Sign Boards.

As an appropriate sign board for a junk dealer to be placed at every railroad crossing, we suggest: "Go ahead; take a chance! We'll buy the leavings of the old family bus."

Neglected.

No matter how much good some people do in this world, they never break into print unless they crack up a car or get caught selling a pint of hooch.

Great Ideas.

While some citizens suggest making toll roads over our county as a means of raising money with which to pave, others are just as eager to build a wall around the county to keep highway kickers on the outside.

Municipal Bands.

Shamrock and McLean each have bands in which pupils of the schools may obtain instruction and training free of charge. A boy in later years can find a market for band training by using it to help him get a job. He can't find a market for football knowledge unless, by a mere accident, he should be employed as a coach.

Petty Financiers.

From the way chicken thieves are being sent to the pen for from three to five years, one would think it would pay them better to steal money by the thousands. We read in the papers this week where a Texas bank embezzler was given a two-year suspended sentence when his accounts came up short about thirteen thousand dollars.

The Reason.

Perhaps the reason some newspapers favor big bond issues is because of the legal printing following in a few years. Over in Arkansas where they voted a state-wide highway bond issue of a few hundred million five years ago, the exchanges from that state are now carrying a nice line of legal printing of mortgage foreclosures and tax sales.

Home Come.

If the Railroad Commission could not handle the oil situation in east Texas, why were the law-breakers not prosecuted instead of putting the taxpayers to a big expense by calling out the National Guard?

If the big oil companies were complying with the law of the land, military enforcement was not necessary. At any rate, we have not heard of anybody being arrested by guardsmen for anything except drunken brawls which leads us to inquire if they haven't any constables down there.

The Silencer.

Two owners of the American-News of South Dakota were each fined \$200 and given a thirty day jail sentence. The jail sentence was suspended on the condition that the newspaper boys "keep silent on the matter."

They are alleged to have commented adversely on the action of a judge in assessing a low penalty where they thought the case deserved more. The case has been appealed to the higher court.

Jefferson Said It.

"The information of the people at large can alone make them safe, as they are the sole depository of our religious and political freedom."

Thos. Jefferson, way back in 1803, announced that fact as his personal opinion. It is but one of thousands of great truths uttered by this great man. The infamous libel laws prohibiting newspapers publishing true facts is but one of the many ways political crooks have of keeping the voters in ignorance.

Progress And Liberty.

The most universal practice of official bodies from Congress down to county affairs is to over-expand and consequently over-tax until it looks like property will finally be confiscated unless there is a halt called down the line, and that pretty soon.

These men who over-spend the taxpayer's money talk about progress and liberty but as a matter of fact, there is no progress when taxes are burdensome, and there is no liberty where one cannot own a home for high taxes.

Telephones.

Clarendon is rapidly becoming a rural community so far as the telephone situation is concerned. Rather than reduce rates on a parity with present-day conditions, the telephone people have made a special rate of \$1.75 for service (?) on a party line.

This means that the numbers in the directory do not correspond and that means that the operators have extra work. It also means that the people of Clarendon are paying the price of first-class telephone service while having to put up with what might be expected in the cane breaks of Arkansas.

Fewer Chawers Chewin'.

Manufacturers of chewing tobacco report the sale of that commodity on the decline. If the boys putting out plug cut would go after the public like the cigarette people, they would see a wonderful improvement in their line.

For instance, how about an ad reading "as a waxy, chewy, keep-kissable, toasted, dried, sunbaked sure shot for blues' chew only White Mule."

Again, we are of the opinion that all the burley plug, licorice-laden hillside navy needs to boost it into society is a doctor's statement that it will cure indigestion, dyspepsia, crush halitosis and there is not a strangle in a ton. Put it up in cellophane packages, advertise in all the newspapers and poached cheeks, both male and female, dirty sidewalks and spotted floors will become in vogue immediately. The folks buy the advertised article—nothing else.

Shorty Oller from here and M. Powell of Hedley returned Sunday from Vernon where Shorty visited his father and other relatives. He also reports fishing with an overcoat on, and claims to have had good luck.

Miss Betty Walker was a week end visitor with friends in Wichita Falls.

Weekly Poem

The Old Fashioned Mother

She's just a little old-fashioned, As she plods along life's way, Just strewing sunshine and gladness, Brightening the darkest day. Those aging furrows on her cheeks Are not unseemly to me, Nor the fading of the rose-blond Makes her less lovely to see.

She's just a little old-fashioned, That saintly mother of mine; The holiness of her presence Will the crudest gold refine. She walks the way of life fearless, In firmness will ever stand, Knowing that billions are waiting For her in that better land.

She's just a little old-fashioned, She still maintains her own shrine, Where she offers up devotion That's in a measure divine. Nor can I see the coming age That's stealing from her the vigor Which once made her blithe and gay.

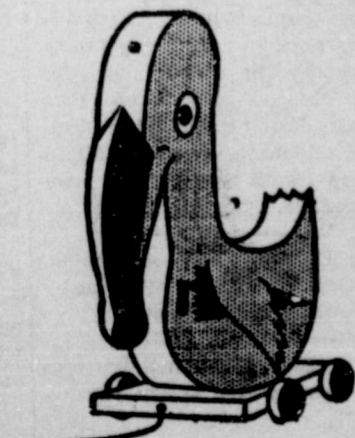
She's just a little old-fashioned, But she is loyal and true; The glory of her virtue lifts A standard to Heaven's blue. The angels stop their upward flight At holy attention stand, They never felt the soothing touch Of a mother's love and hand.

She's just a little old-fashioned, That saintly mother of mine, And the smiler of her affection Does the noonday sun outshine. She's a little bit old-fashioned, And but few with her agree; She's the fairest of ten thousand—The sweetest mother to me. —C. N. ROBERTS.

LEMMON'S PETRIFIED PARK

T. E. Hayes, the poet-laureate of Perkins county, gives a vivid description of the latest find in that county in the last issue of the Lemmon Leader.

While petrified wood and other fossils have been found in Arizona, Montana, Wyoming California and other places, no where are they so abundant as in the country known as the fresh water lake which one time covered the Western Dakota. The Lemmon is located in the center of that lake as shown by maps compiled by N. H. Darton, Government geologist. Mr. Quammen worked at his hobby of creating a park that would attract geologist, students and curio seekers as well as tourist. The park is unique, the only one of its kind in the world. There will be no live trees in this park. A wonderful castle has been built of the petrified specimens, the floor is paved with petrified grass in slabs from three to six inches thick, all the walks are also paved with slabs from three to six inches thick. All the inside of the castle is ten feet square. There are a number of stumps weighing as much as five tons, some logs showing they were cut by beavers. Much of the petrified wood has been agatised and is partly transparent and will take a fine polish. These specimens have been arranged



for ANY BABY.

WE can never be sure just what makes an infant restless, but the remedy can always be the same. Good old Castoria! There's comfort in every drop of this pure vegetable preparation, and not the slightest harm in its frequent use. As often as Baby has a fretful spell, is feverish, or cries and can't sleep, let Castoria soothe and quiet him. Sometimes it's a touch of colic. Sometimes constipation. Or diarrhea—a condition that should always be checked without delay. Just keep Castoria handy, and give it promptly. Relief will follow very promptly; if it doesn't, you should call a physician.



Pacifist



This is George Clifton Edwards, Jr., Dallas boy and a student of Southern Methodist university, who, with Hugh O'Neil originated a petition terming war "mass murder," and stating that its signers pledged themselves to become conscientious objectors in case of war in the Orient, or anywhere. Thirty S. M. U. students signed the petition. The petition also demands prohibition of compulsory military training in schools.

ed in a very artistic style making ones thoughts go back into the past ages. Here is a castle 24 feet square rising to the same distance in height and using over 300 tons of petrified trees, fossilized remains of animals to make its walls. There are several pyramids built of rock specimens of natural cannon balls, perfectly finished as to circumference, these are formed in sand by a process of chemical action which left them round and smooth and large in size. The pyramids range in size from eleven feet square at the base rising to 21 feet in height attractive pillars flank the entrance to this wonderful park on the southeast. Thousands of pounds of petrified bones of Mammoth animals have been placed on display also in the collection is a rock of flint-like hardness showing a hoof print one and one half inches deep and eight inches in diameter and showing three frogs. A short distance from Lemmon a large petrified tree is found which measures seven feet across, 38 feet from the base while at 95 feet from the base it is 4 feet in width and is estimated to weigh more than 500,000 pounds. This specimen is reported by Rulen W. Brown of the U. S. Geological survey to be Sequoia, the same or closely related to the present California Redwood. Mr. Quammen intends to add to these specimens as fast as possible, some weeks trucks bring in as much as 100 tons. He collects only the finest specimens. With the exception of a number of specimens that have been given or may be given to tour-

Pastime Theatre

THURSDAY-FRIDAY 25-26th James Dunn and Sally Eilers

"DANCING TEAM" As human as they were in "Bad Girl" just as you want them, loving squabbling, wise-cracking, and stirring you twice as deeply as before. Also Mickeys thrill Hunt. No Matinee. 10-25c

SATURDAY 27th Tim McCoy, Dorothy Gulliver

The FIGHTING MARSHALL And how Tim has to fight for freedom, honor and love. Also the last number of Vanishing Legion. Who is the Voice. Matinee 1:00 o'clock Matinee 10-25c Night 10-35c

MONDAY-TUESDAY 29-1st Eddie Dowling, June Collyer, Noah Beery and Mary Carr

"HONEY MOON LANE" The story you'll love to love. Romance that keeps you laughing with tears in your eyes. A tender love story in a setting of sparkling comedy. Also Fox News. No Mat. 10-35c

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY 2-3rd Lionel Atwell, Greta Nissen

"SILENT WITNESS" Which of these three killed her. The strangest love crime that ever burned the head lines. Also Paramount Act. No Matinee. 10-15c

ists, he plans to keep the park intact. He has no curios to sell. This park has attracted much interest all over the country. Hundreds of thousands will visit it in the years to come. This is not just another park, but something different, unique and will last as long as the world endures. It is destined to be one of the greatest attractions in the United States and will undoubtedly draw the attention of other parts of the world. The only modern thing to be found in this prehistoric collection is the electric light. Tourists will find enough to interest them for several days, students of nature will find it a veritable paradise. People travel thousands of miles to Europe to see things of past ages, now in our own America can be seen something that no other country in the world has to show. Relics and curios that are more than twenty million years old, why wonder that visitors grow enthusiastic at the sight of these petrified bones, fish, wood and grass. Many people pressed Mr. Quammen to give the park his own name, but he declines to do so, feeling that the park will be here as also will the city of Lemmon years after he has passed away, therefore the



Dark Eye Shadows are invisible under the enchanting film of seductive beauty imparted to your skin and complexion. They need no longer age your appearance or detract from the charming youthful beauty you may so easily possess thru GOURAUD'S ORIENTAL CREAM White, Flesh and Rachel Shades

place will be known as Lemmon Petrified Park. —Bristol (S. D.) New Era. STUDENTS' "BONERS" Two volumes of amusing 'boners' compiled by Alexander Abingdon from student's examination papers have been published recently by the Viking Press. A few samples follow: Acrimony, sometimes called holy is another name for marriage. The government of England is a limited mockery. In Christianity a man can have only one wife. This is called Monotony. Jacob, son of Isaac, stole his brother's birth mark. Climate lasts all the time, but weather only a few days. The letters M. D. signify "mentally deficient." A census taker is a man who goes from house to house increasing the population. Longfellow was born in Maine while his parents were traveling on the continent. He made many fast friends; among the fastest were Alice and Phoebe Cary.

TRUISM Now there is time for sweet and quite things, Dear books I love—an old discarded pipe; I sit and muse, and through the hazy-rings A vanished spring drifts back—when love was ripe. I recall the rain's incessant hiss against your pane as we sat in alone, And mocked its anger with a laughing kiss— Two children on a flimsy, golden throne. All that is done—and I am strange—ing old, We meet and nod—a pair of casual friends; Are you the laughing girl whom I once told That love lives—that rapture never ends? Oh, well—the years bring wisdom in their wake, And hearts, my dear, were only meant to ache. —Don Wahn. W. L. Pickett of Hereford was a business visitor here Tuesday.

REGARDLESS..... The most important part of your earnings is the amount that you set aside and keep. Keeping your account growing is more important to yourself than to any one else. DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK "Home of the Thrifty" HAVE MONEY

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TEMPLE OF TRUTH
By the Apostle



We've had our hand called by St. Louis ex-iron moulder and nobody else. When we said last week that we did not know why the blacksmith making iron nails fifty years ago left them blunt on the end, we simply did not know much, that's all. Hawley A. Harrison was in Saturday and said that broom makers used the blunt end wire nails so that the nail would not split the handle. He went even further and said that if a nail was about to split the board, pull out the nail, cut off the end leaving it blunt, and the nail would not split the plank. That appears to be a fact from investigation made by us since Hawley went back to his hog, cow, calf, chicken and cat farm.

The College Hill widow says that a lot of girls can change a tire in a jiffy, but they couldn't boil water without scorching it. Maybe so, maybe so.

All the present that we got on our birthday was a letter of congratulation from a life insurance agent and the printing on it was done out of town.

A picture show ad in a Fordyce, Arkansas paper last week read: "All persons over 80 admitted free—if accompanied by their parents."

These Arkansawyers learned a lot of ideas from the Scotch people during that big drouth in 1930, and no mistake about it.

The "se." of matrimony" is wter they sail into each other.

An old maid suggests that men folks are not only curious, but have curious ideas about starting all their games with 'E'. Baseball, basketball, billiards, boxing, bowling, broad-jumping, boating, broadcasting and bull-throwing Sister, you forge" the biggest game of all—bootlegging.

Heaven help the poor working girl—also the man she is working.

The lightning bug is beautiful, As any one can find, The only trouble is he has His headlight on behind.

That's a pome of our own. Here comes one from Nellie Voll, of Martin South Daktoa that is "real poetry:

The lightning bug is a funny thing, Indeed it is a wonder, How he can lightning all the night, And never let it thunder.

A smart alec has been trying to get us to announce as a candidate for the office of "assistant janitor at the jail." That's a civil service examination office if he only knew it.

To the beautiful young school marm of 4628 Dexter Street, Ft. Worth: Your congratulations must be accepted even tho it implies age, and we are sorry the post-office took the liberty to change your address causing you to miss the paper. Many thanks for the nice things you said about the Leader, and here's hoping you get it every week.

One of the outstanding qualities that came to light among the school folks here Monday was the fact that some of the children from the Chamberlain school set out for lawn on foot when they had no other means. They did not walk all the way before being picked up, but more than half the distance. They meant to be in that parade and it is that kind of a boy or girl in after years that makes the world go round.

Some few of the little folks showed the effects of the depression as to dress Monday, but they were proud, looked the big crowd full in the face despite a seeming handicap. Bless their hearts, folks. The best men and women the world has ever known came from just such boys and girls because they knew hardships from infancy and refused to recognize a calam-

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KIDS GO
CHESTNUTTING

THE KIDS FROM MAIN STREET WENT ON THEIR FIRST NUTTING EXPEDITION YESTERDAY.
MANY A MOTHER'S PILLOW CASE WAS COMMANDEERED.



By L. F. Van Zelm

ity that would have crushed their more fortunate associates.

We have had all kinds of national days, all kinds of home comings and we think it is about time to invite all the sorry husbands and daddies to a "home coming" now that the depression has begun to ease up. A many a man gave up and deserted his young rather than face a calamity. The mothers had to face it. A man who deserts is beneath the strata of dumb brutes. In fact a child deserter ought to be boiled in acid or something else that would serve as a reminder that he had been guilty of one of the most horrible crimes in all history.

By doggy! Member way back when we bought licorice in a long corrugated strip and sucked at the stuff all day getting as much on our faces as we did any where else? The moulds have not been changed. Saw some this week and wanted to get behind something and gnaw at it for old time's sake.

Some folks like acrobats in their singing. Some times a song leader will work himself into a lather and pretend to be the whole show. It reminds us of a monkey trying to climb a greased pole.

This hot weather is bringing on a pome or something. We feel the words coming on, words to fit the tune made famous by the radio and Eddie Cantor: Green beans are greener, good bacon is leaner, now's the time to fall in love; dumplings are rounder, hed lettuce is sounder, now's the time to fall in l-o-v-e; if you'll bring me the eggs and the bacon, two can live sweli on what you're makin'; there ain't no depression, ain't this the expression? Now's the time to fall in love!

And that's the end of the non-sense for this week.

* LELIA LAKE *

Mr. John Harby left Friday for a visit to his mother's at Vernon.

Mr. Arthur Crites left Friday for Oklaunion where his brother had been in a severe accident. He returned Saturday night.

Miss Jessie Cook, Mrs. D. W. Tomlinson and Mrs. H. K. Leathers attended the workers council of the Baptist church at Memphis Tuesday.

Mr. Ernest Walker made a business trip to Memphis Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Kennedy left Friday night for Austin where she will visit with her mother.

Mrs. Albert Tomlinson left Tues. for Dalhart where she will be with her sister who has had an operation.

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

Mrs. Earl Myers and son Lester Carroll spent Wednesday and Thursday in the home of her sister Mrs. Albert Sanders at Allen creek camp.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Thomasson were business visitors to Amarillo Wednesday and Saturday.

Mrs. R. O. Espey visited her aunt Mrs. Albert Sanders of Allen Creek camp Thursday.

Mr. W. A. Kerchville and children who have been attending the bedside of Mrs. C. H. Ellis returned to their home at Portales, New Mexico. Mrs. Kerchville remained with her mother.

Mr. Elridge Ellis returned to his home at Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morton were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Miss Wilma King and Rice Batson entertained a number of their friends with a George Washington bridge party. Red, white, and blue

West Texas Farmers Burn Corn



Here is George W. Magness, Farwell, Texas, farmer, who concludes it is cheaper to burn his own corn, which he could sell for \$4 a ton, than it is to buy coal at \$10 a ton. He lives about eight miles out in the country and would have to truck his corn to town and the coal back. Many West Texas farmers are burning corn to heat their homes this winter.

paper hats were worn throughout the evening by the guests and Claude Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith,

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Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten, Mr. H. R. King, Mr. Del Lasson, Miss Wilma Patton, Miss Faye Floyd and host and hostess.

WINDY VALLEY

Bro. Hendrix of Hedley filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Noble who teaches at Goldston and Miss Mattie Fletcher of Lelia Lake spent Sat. night with Gladys' parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Noble.

Miss Oecia Black entertained a few of her friends with a slumber party Saturday night. Those to enjoy this were Oma Paulk, Avis Darnelle and Erma Lee Penniger.

Miss Inez Skinner spent a few days last week with Mrs. R. M. Sloan of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Givins Ferguson of Quall and Mr. and Mrs. Other Drake of Hedley spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Judd Drake.

Mr. F. C. Paulk returned home Saturday night from Dallas where he has been the past 10 days.

Messrs. Jim and Ted Stogner of New Mexico and Mr. C. C. Stogner

and Miss Lorene Stogner of Lelia Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stogner Sunday.

Miss Mildred Simmons spent Saturday night with her brother Ralph Simmons of Hedley.

Mrs. Ethel Josey entertained with a slumber party Wednesday night. Those to enjoy this were Misses Merle Cole, Eva Paulk, Marilee Buchanan and Lora and Vergie Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace of Lelia Lake spent Friday night with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Odus Owens of Hedley visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S.

Lyons Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Edd McDaniell of Lelia Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fitzgerald Sunday.

No report was received at the time, and we here now pay our respects to the young man whose name is Ray Warner David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe David, born on the 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Blue Pierce and baby have been spending the week in Clarendon visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Pierce and other relatives. They live on a ranch near Dalhart.

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LEAP YEAR PARTY
Miss Elma Smith entertained a few of her friends with a leap year party Saturday evening at her home.

Relay games of olden times were very much enjoyed, also the girls gave the boys some instruction in doing things to please them.

At a late hour after much merriment, refreshments of cherry pie, whipped cream and coffee was served to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin J. Warren, Misses Fanny Perry, Irene McCormick, Maude Crawford, Lois Cox, Carrie Davis, Elma Smith, Dale Park, Ruby Armstrong, Louise Smith and Archie Pool, Irl Smith, Homer Bones, Lonnie Lankford, Bob Donnell, Joe Holland, James Smith.

FORUM ADELPHIAN HAS PARTY

Tuesday night the Forum Adelpian met at the Presbyterian church for a social. Games of various kinds were played causing much merriment.

THE SENIOR-JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL BANQUET

On Monday night, at the Presbyterian church, the seniors and the juniors of Clarendon High School met for the annual class banquet.

Those playing were Mesdames M. P. Gentry, Sam Dyer, P. B. Gentry, Ira Merchant, Kelly Chamberlain, Miss Lavane Patrick, Mrs. C. E. Miller and Mrs. ohn Sims Jr. were guests of the Club.

A delightful repast was served by the Presbyterian ladies, assisted by the younger set of the church and the high school lads and lassies did ample justice to it.

A program of songs and stunts was carried on at intervals, much to the enjoyment of all, especially the feature of casting on a screen photographs of many present, showing some in infancy, and at other stages in their development.

After the last toast was drunk and the last song was sung, the crowd went their various ways, a large part repairing to the Parish House where an hour or two was spent in social diversions.

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gram were Mesdames Van Eaton Stocking, Lawler and Crabtree. The members especially appreciated the assistance of the singers and their accompanist in helping with the program that was altogether very enjoyable.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames J. M. Acord, T. R. Broun, J. D. Stocking, J. A. Toomb, M. T. Crabtree, Lawler, C. D. McDowell, L. A. Reavis, Mm. Spitzer, O. L. Fink, Ed Speed, W. D. Van Eaton, and Mrs. C. L. Benson, the hostess.

MOTHER'S CLUB

Mrs. W. M. Patman was hostess to the Mother's Club Tuesday afternoon at her home. The program was based on Geo. Washington.

Mrs. J. M. Bass was leader and discussed the birth, parentage, youth and early manhood days of Washington.

Mrs. W. M. Patman spoke on Washington's character. Washington as a private citizen and financier was discussed by Mrs. Rolfe Brumley.

Mount Vernon and his declining years was the subject of Mrs. Will Johnson.

Readings were given by Billie Milton Bromley, Clyde Benton Douglas, Mabel Johnson, all children of members of the Club.

Mrs. Jay and Mrs. Richard Bell were voted into membership of the Club.

A dainty salad luncheon was served during the social hour.

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. W. S. Bagby was hostess to the Club Tuesday afternoon. Two tables of contest bridge being played. A dainty refreshment was served after the games.

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AUCTION BRIDGE

Mrs. Forest Taylor entertained with two tables of auction bridge Friday afternoon at her home.

Late in the afternoon, a delicious tea was served to Mesdames Frank Stocking, C. E. Miller, P. L. Chamberlain, Floyd Lumpkin, Forest Taylor and Miss Mildred Martin. Mrs. B. F. Kirtley was a guest of the Club.

Church Society

BAPTIST W. M. S. Last Monday the East circle met for an all day meeting in the home of Mrs. W. A. Land. There were sixteen present.

The West circle met with Mrs. Cap Lane with eight present. The other circles did not meet.

Next Monday there will be an all day meeting at the church. Everyone carry a covered dish.

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LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS: TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF DONLEY COUNTY GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. M. Richardson to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Donley County, Texas, at the courthouse in Clarendon, on the 21st. day of March, 1932, the same being the third Monday in said month, by causing these to be published for the number and length of time, and in such newspaper required and provided by law for citation by publication out of said court, to answer plaintiff's petition, filed in said court on the 5th day of February, 1932, wherein Leona Richardson is plaintiff, and J. M. Richardson is defendant, being No. 1753 on the docket of said court.

The nature of plaintiff's suit is for a divorce, upon the ground of abandonment without cause, for more than three years.

HEREIN FAIL NOT but have you this writ before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, with your return thereon in writing showing how you have executed the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my hand and seal of said court at office in Clarendon, Texas, this 5th day of February, 1932.

A. H. BAKER Clerk of the District Court in and for Donley County, Texas. Feb. 11—Mar. 3.

R. J. Dillard Announces For County Attorney I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Attorney of Donley county, Texas.

I desire to say to the people that I was reared on a farm in North Texas, have resided in Donley county for twelve years. Completed my elementary and high school education in the public schools of Texas. Graduated from the law school of Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va. with the class of 1904. Was admitted to the Texas bar in July of the same year.

My qualifications for this office is the knowledge of law gained through the Law school, and the actual Court practice for a period of fifteen years. Though I have not been actually engaged in the practice for the past few years, I have continued to give the subject careful study.

If elected, I will endeavor to be at all times ready to render a fair and efficient service to Donley county, and each individual thereof. With this announcement I earnestly solicit your vote and influence at the coming Democratic primary on July 23, 1932.

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HUGHINS SCHOOL NEWS

Everyone is enjoying the spring weather. For the first time since last fall, the school is free of flu and colds.

The Trustees and patrons and Teachers carried the children to the Washington Bi-Centennial celebration and the children surely did enjoy the parade and free show. We want to thank those making it possible for the schools to take advantage of this opportunity.

The County Rural Basketball

She's Popular



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Tournament will be held at Hedley Friday and Saturday of this week. We are planning on taking it in, in full.

The prizes offered for the most marks in reading for the primary room was awarded to Betty Jane Low. Annierce Talley and Homer Hardin.

The first president of U. S. A. was a farm boy, so R. A. Beverly follows this is his highest ambition to follow in his steps.

The dialogues put on by the school children last Friday night were received by a large audience and everyone seemed to enjoy the program.

We extend an invitation to all to visit our school at anytime and bring someone with you.

ASHTOLA

Sunday school at the regular hour Sunday morning. There was not very many present as the weather was very disagreeable.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirvin Irwin of Borger are the proud parents of a new son. Mr. and Mrs. Irwin are former Ashtola people.

Mrs. Odell Walling of Meinphis visited Mr. Walling's parents over the week end.

There was 46 students from Ashtola that went to Clarendon Monday and entered the parade, celebrating the 200th anniversary of George Washington.

The Ashtola school got many compliments on their float. They carried out the school colors with black and orange.

The Ashtola boys were downed by the Windy Valley boys Monday afternoon at the Clarendon gym by a score of 12-9. Both teams seemed to enjoy the game very much.

After the game with Windy Valley was over a mixed team between Windy Valley and Ashtola played the coaches. The mixed team downed the coaches by a score of 16-6. Everyone seemed to enjoy the

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game very much. Most of the sick of this community are better, although the

flu has made the people lose their strength which is hard for them to regain.

Connally Just "Plain Farmer Tom"

U. S. Senator Tom Connally takes time out from directing the still cautious John Garner presidential campaign and dons his working clothes to assist running lines and terracing his farm near Marlin, Texas.



Garner is leaving the matter of running his campaign, if any, entirely to Connally, who recently announced in the senate that Texas presented Garner as a presidential candidate, "not as a favorite son, but as a statesman supremely qualified for national affairs."

Connally is shown here with Dan Clinton, Falls county agricultural agent, at right, and one of Connally's farm workers.

COOPER'S CASH GROCERY Located in the Thomas Feed Store. 48 lbs. Western Scout Flour 77c. Sugar Cured Bacon 14c lb. 2 lbs. Crackers 18c. Fancy Bulk Apples 30c peck. 20 lbs. Fancy Meal 28c. 10 lbs. Pinto Beans 25c. 1 bottle pepper sauce 16c. 1 gallon pure cane Syrup 70c. 1 quart peanut butter 29c. Post Bran 10c pkg. Macaroni 5c a pkg. 3 cans No. 2 Tomatoes 25c. 10 lbs. Meal 17c. That good Break-O-Morn Coffee 22c lb. We Serve to Serve Again

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LOW PRICES ON Quality Furniture. Within the last few weeks we have added many new patterns and designs of furniture, rugs and floor coverings to our stock—and at the new low 1932 prices. If you have not been in, we invite you in today so that you may see just how far a dollar will go now when you buy furniture, floor coverings, radios, etc. Almost every piece of our stock has been bought at present low prices, therefore we are able to pass this merchandise on to you at real attractive prices. MOHAWK ADMINISTER RUG PRICES are lower than they have been in years and the quality of the rug is even greater than ever before. Hard surface floor coverings and rugs, for considerably less money than you can buy from any Mail Order House. Drop in our store today or at your earliest convenience and note the unbelievable price at which we are able to sell these goods. YOU WILL BE AGREEABLY SURPRISED. Why not take advantage of these low prices at the very time when we are all thinking about cleaning house and recovering our floors? Special for Sat. and Monday—Wizzard Floor Mops 45c (See these in our Window) WANTED—to buy, trade or sell your used furniture, stoves, etc. Clarendon Furniture Co.

PRIZE WINNING ARTICLES RECENT ESSAY CONTEST

Ruby Armstrong, Third Place

A Civic Service Luncheon Club can be, if conducted in the right manner, of very much service to its community. One way in which it can help will be to better the streets in the city limits. Of course all streets within the city limits can not be paved, because of the expense to the taxpayers; however, dirt roads can be greatly improved. Gravel can be put on the roads without much expense and, in the long run, would be cheaper. In muddy weather one might compare gravel roads, to a certain extent, with pavement, because they do not get slick and make deep ruts; this gives one a very bad impression of a city.

Such a club as this can also help by beautifying the city. This can be done by having a city park, a zoo and by seeing that trees are placed in different sections of the city and that they are properly cared for. Such improvements as these will in the end prove their good to a community.

It is a custom each year to have a Father and Son Banquet, which indeed is a very beneficial and enjoyable affair for the boys; but can not the Civic Service Luncheon Clubs help in some way to bring about a Mother and Daughter Banquet? I am sure that something of this nature would also be very beneficial to the girls. Another need is to have a community center for the young people, a place in which they can go and have their parties, dances, and banquets.

A better cooperation between the luncheon clubs of a city will help them in doing their duties. The money from the different civic clubs will be placed in the hands of one treasurer, and from this, money can be taken for educating boys and girls whose parents are not financially able to send them to school. A cooperation will give the clubs a better way of feeding the underfed children. This can be done by having a free cafeteria where they can go and get their required amount of food without so much embarrassment.

The clubs can also help bring about a better and more friendly understanding between rural districts and the city by making the rural districts realize that the city is trying to treat them fair and to make them feel welcome when they are in our city.

Ardis Patman, Third Place

In every community there are several organizations that are only waiting an opportunity to do something worth while. Even in the smallest communities hundreds of dollars can be raised to do a worth while act if someone will only launch the movement. It is almost impossible for any one institution to hope to accomplish much alone. The first thing to do is enlist the hearty support and co-operation of all other community organizations. A great many of the clubs of today are not only national but international, and they are strictly service clubs with only one idea of serving humanity and making the world better.

No town, however small, should be without its reading room or public library. Good reading in the way of books and magazines and a capable librarian who understands the stories loved by children may have a great influence in character education. The power of suggestion in books and stories motivates action. In our community there is a public library with a splendid beginning which serves several hundred people. This library is becoming a real force in the community, but it is sorely in need of the co-operation of the service clubs. If the members of the service clubs would sell the need of this social service enterprise to the public, funds would be provided.

Another need in our community is the equipment of our city park with play apparatus, volley ball grounds, and base ball grounds, a tennis court, and a wading pool. For the majority of children the long summer vacations are boring. The child must have an outlet for his energies. If none is provided, he seeks one, and too often the consequences are very undesirable. Shall the child play in the back alley or lumber yard or in an attractive well-equipped community park or playground?

Such an organization as the Boy Scouts should be organized, encouraged, and sponsored by the civic service clubs. This organization's aim is to help boys live more abundantly. It teaches boys to develop sturdy bodies and clean

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished Apartment with all up-to-date conveniences. Rate reasonable. See Mrs. J. A. Toomb or call at Leader office. 50p

FOR RENT—Good five room house with all modern conveniences. Well located. See W. P. Cagle or Van Kennedy. 52c

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good milk cows. See E. M. Ozler. 71c

ELECTREAT

Mechanical Heart Relieves all Pains Needed in every Home Free Demonstrations MRS. ALICE HALL 710 E. 1st St., Clarendon, Texas 52-c

FOR SALE—Large second hand brooder in perfect condition. Phone Mrs. T. H. Peebles. 51-p.

SUDAN SEED

Free from Johnson grass at—\$1.55 a hundred pounds Simpson's Mill & Feed Store

FOR SALE—One 4-wheel P&O Lister; One J I Case cultivator; One slide Godevil; One 1 1/2 H P Fairbanks-Morse gas engine. This stuff is in A-1 condition, and all for \$60 cash, or \$50 for plow tools and \$10 for engine. See S. W. Butler one mile east of Clarendon or write John W. Butler, McLean, Texas. 511c

Half ground feed is half waste. We grind it fine, at the same price. Try us, and see the difference. Simpson's Mill & Feed Store

FOR SALE—Weaner pigs. Austin Rhodes, Ashtola. 52p

Fresh corn meal made from hand shelled corn and ground on a rock mill. 1 1/2 cents a pound. Simpson's Mill & Feed Store

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red cockrels. Seed sweet potatoes to exchange for any kind of feed. Barney Fielder. 51p

Seed Oats—Seed Barley Seed Millet (Big German) and Sudan. All clear of Johnson grass. at Simpson's Mill

TOWN LOTS—Will exchange three resident lots in Clarendon for horses, mules or cattle. See N. L. Jones at Ashtola, Texas. 52p

BABY CHICK FEEDS

Starter, with dried buttermilk, \$2.50 a hundred pounds. Growing Mash \$1.75 Scratch feed \$1.50 Made from formulas tested and approved by Texas A&M College. Why throw your money away on higher priced feed? Simpson's Mill & Feed Store

WANTED

TRADE—200 acres land near Canyon to trade for residence in Clarendon, or land. Write Wade Willis, 3024 B West 10th Street, Amarillo, Texas. 52c

G. A. Anderson Enters Race Commissioner's Place

Mr. Anderson has resided in Donley county twenty six years and feels that he is conversant with the needs of the county.

He has served the county in the capacity of county commissioner before and asks the voters to examine his record of service as a basis upon which to make a decision.

If elected, he states that he will give the matter of official duty his closest attention that he may render to the public the very best service possible.

Having been solicited by a number of friends, he is entering this race because of such encouragement, and believing at the same time that he can be of service to his friends and neighbors.

minds, thus making them leaders and the kind of a citizen to join in the organization of the Boy Scouts if they felt that the project was worth while and was respected and sponsored by the service clubs.

One of the most important things that this community is sorely in need of is a public auditorium. The only central gathering place is the college auditorium which is inadequate. Of course, the service clubs could not finance the construction of one, but they could create sentiment among the public which in time would have its weight with them.

POLITICAL Announcements

Announcements in this column are made subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 23, 1932.

All announcements must be paid for in advance. Fees: County and district, \$10. Precinct, \$7.50.

For Representative

122nd District JOHN E. PURYEAR Collingsworth Co.

District Judge

EDWARD BROWN (Collingsworth County)

A. J. FIRES (Re-election)

District Clerk

A. H. BAKER (Re-election)

WALKER LANE

District Attorney

JOHN M. DEEVER

County Judge

S. W. LOWE

Sheriff

GUY S. PIERCE (Re-election)

Tax Collector

M. W. MOSLEY (Re-election)

A. N. WOOD

County Clerk

MRS. BESSIE SMITH (Re-election)

W. G. WORD

County Treasurer

MRS. LINNIE CAUTHEN (Re-election)

HUGH BROWN

MRS. RICHARD WILKERSON

County Attorney

R. Y. KING

R. J. DILLARD

Tax Assessor

W. A. ARMSTRONG (Re-election)

MARVIN SMITH

County Commissioner

Precinct No. 2 HENRY WILLIAMS

J. H. HURN

G. A. ANDERSON

ROY BEVERLY (Re-election)

Precinct No. 1 C. J. TALLEY

County Superintendent of Schools

J. B. (Jimmy) MILLSAP

When Flood Waters Rose at Gainesville



Highest water in years was registered at Gainesville, Texas, last week due to heavy rains in North Texas. Pictured above is the lower part of the business section, just after flood water came sweeping in, forcing dozens of firms temporarily to suspend business. Water rose to depth of several feet here. Lower photo shows a scene in Leonard Park, Gainesville's playground, nearly all of which was flooded. For a time heavy damage threatened when a dyke gave way, but park employes hastily repaired the break.

Misses Bertie and Vva Stewart attended a quilting party at the Rebekah Hall Wednesday afternoon. Sunday school was postponed Sunday afternoon for a singing. We were very glad to have with us, visitors from Clarendon and Brice. We invite them back to visit with us again. Bro. King of Goodnight filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

AUTO REPAIRING

If it's Auto Repairing let us do it. Our prices are in line with the times.

We specialize in Valve work and general Motor Reconditioning.

All work guaranteed to be as good as the best.

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Holland Building

SPRING 1932

VEGETABLE PLANTS

Prices at Beds

Crystal Wax Bermuda Plants—March 1st to June 1st. Prices—500 for 50c—1000 for 90c.

Nancy Hall Potato Slips—May 1st to July 15th. Prices—100 for 300 for 500 for 1000 for In 5000 lots per 1000.

CABBAGE—Will have the frost proof all winter early Jersey Wakefield and early flat dutch from March 1st to April 25th, and from April 25th to July 15th, will have these two early kinds and Copenhagen, Surehead and late flat dutch. Prices—100 for 25c—500 for \$1.00 1000 for \$1.50.

TOMATO—Last year, we gave a few Wonder tomato plants to hundreds of tomato plant customers for a try out of this kind. In September, we mailed these customers a few questions concerning the tomato. 60 in every 100 customers said it was an early plant—79 in every 100 said the Wonder was prolific—96 in every 100 said the Wonder was a good eating kind—96 in every 100 said the Wonder was a good shipping kind—81 in every 100 said they would want to purchase the Wonder this year. Study this record. We are to have the Wonder tomato this year in large quantities, both transplanted and from beds.

Tomato plants from around May 1st to July 15th. Kinds—Earlana, Dwarf Champion, McGee, New Stone, June Pink, Wonder and Yellow pear (small)—Prices—100 for 25c—500 for \$1.00—1000 for \$1.50.

Will have all these kinds transplanted, except New Stone and Yellow Pear, at these prices—15c per dozen—50c for 50—\$1.00 for 100.

PEPPER—Chinese Giant and World Beater (sweet) and Long Red Cayenne (hot) from May 1st to July 15th. Prices—15c per dozen—50c for 50—\$1.00 for 100.

BEEF PLANTS—Early Blood Turnip. Prices—25c per 100.

Clarendon, Texas

T JONES & CO.

day morning but due to illness, evening services were postponed.

Mrs. B. E. Turnipseed returned home Friday after a short visit with friends at Erick, Oklahoma.

Goldston senior girls and boys also the junior boys were victorious in the ball games with Ashtola Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Shriggley and son, Gilbert Dawson of Lakeview visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Veazey last Sunday. J. W. Rhodes and family had as dinner guests Sunday evening, Claudine and Mamee Smallwood, Lela Bess, Bill, Hardy and Dextor Todd and Johnnie Richerson, all of Brice.

Lola Maness visited her parents at Hedley over the week end.

The Senior girls received a trophy Monday as a reward for their excellent basketball skill in the final tournament at Groom.

Little Joe Wayne Dilli spilled a can of lye on himself Saturday getting some of it in his eyes.

A number of young people enjoyed a dance in the O. L. Smith home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rhodes and little son, Larry New, also Mrs. N. L. Murf of Brice visited in the

C. E. Nixon home Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan and children of San Bernadino, Cal., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Morgan. They plan to make their home here.

Goldston school helped to celebrate Monday the 22 in Clarendon. Eighty six pupils were present.

NAYLOR

Our school was well represented at Clarendon Monday and feel proud that they helped celebrate with the many other schools the birth date of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Naylor and children were week end guests of his mother, Mrs. Fanny Naylor and family.

Quite a number of our folks were recovered from the flu sufficiently to be in Clarendon Monday for the parade.

Miss Hazel Hefner is in Clarendon this week taking the Bible study work at the Baptist church.

Rev. E. B. Bowen is able to sit up again after a siege of the flu over several days.

NEW BARBER SHOP

Now Open in Latson Building

FRANK WHITE is pleased to announce to his friends and customers that he is now in business for himself, and will appreciate their calling on him at his - - - -

BARBER SHOP

in the Latson Building where prompt, courteous service by an experienced barber at a fair price will be the inducements for patronage.

HAIRCUTS 35c SHAVES 25c

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Saturday Specials!

BANANAS Per dozen 15c

ORANGES—288 size Dozen 18c

LETTUCE Per head 5c

PRUNES Pound 7c

WHITE SWAN JELLO 3 for 20c

WHITE SWAN MINCE MEAT Each 10c

SHELLED PECANS Pound 37c

Armstrong Grocery

We Deliver

Phone 152

SIX CYLINDER CARS ARE LEADING IN PUBLIC FAVOR

Complete registration figures for the full year of 1931, recently announced, reveal that for the first time in the history of the automobile, a six cylinder car led the industry in popular favor.

During the year Chevrolet titled 3,387 six cylinder cars compared with 528,539 titled by the runner-up, a lower priced four cylinder make. Of the total of 1,908,016 passenger cars registered in the domestic market, Chevrolet obtained more than thirty per cent, the largest proportion of available business ever enjoyed by this largest producing division of General Motors.

Complete returns reveal that in 1931 Chevrolet obtained within five per cent of the same volume of business as in 1930, while the second leading make slumped fifty per cent and the industry as a whole 27 per cent from the preceding year.

During 1927 Chevrolet also led the industry in total volume of sales, although in that year a lull existed in the low-priced car market. But in 1931, in the highly competitive conditions existing throughout the industry, the company forged ahead early in the year and maintained its leadership a margin which widened month by month.

In December, 1931, Chevrolet titled 27,929 passenger cars, nearly twice as many as the second leading make, and the second highest number in the history of the company.

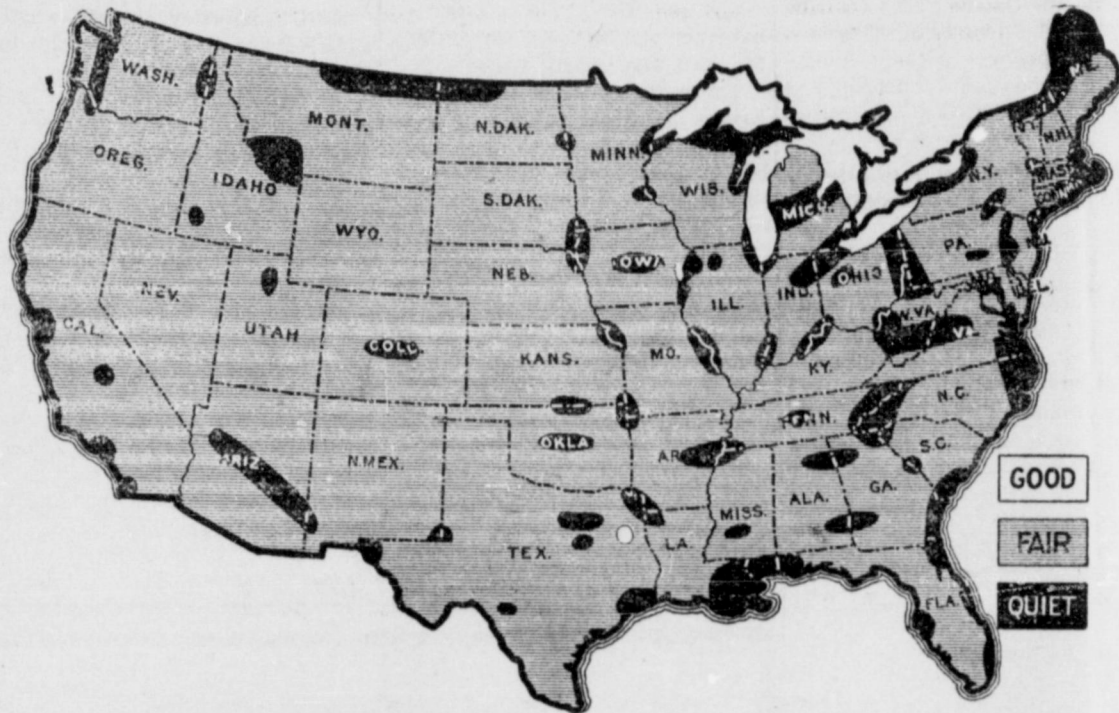
Misses Herloise Burrell and Eva Morrison visited over the week end on the Morrison ranch near Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Brown spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. McComb near McLean.

DOROTHY DARNIT



By Charles McManus



This map represents business conditions in every state in the Union as set forth in the March number of Nation's Business, official publication of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States

McKNIGHT

Attendance at Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. was very small Sunday due to unfavorable weather and sickness.

Mrs. R. F. Matthews and Jackie Ray visited her mother in Hobart, Oklahoma several days last week. When they returned Friday afternoon, Mrs. Matthews was very ill and Mr. Matthews went on to Clarendon with them where they spent the week end.

Mr. Vick Shelton and Finis Walker motored to Quitaque Monday to take Mr. Perry Neal home.

Little Marylin Lavon Watkins is still at the point of death at this reporting Tuesday morning.

Mr. L. C. McCrary was away most of last week and left Tuesday morning to be gone until Sunday of this week on important business.

The hoisting of the U. S. flag and a short program by the primary grades constituted the greater part of McKnight's celebration

of George Washington's 200th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ossie Black from Quail visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gatewood Sunday.

Mr. L. N. George from Canyon

visited in this community Friday afternoon in the interest of W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon.

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Death Vault Part of New Courthouse



Around the blackened skeleton of the old Grayson county court house, burned in 1930 at the height of the trial of a negro for attacking a white woman, this temporary structure, now nearing completion, is being built to house the county offices at Sherman, Texas. The story part of the building utilizes the only part of the old courthouse that wouldn't burn—the vault in which the negro was cooked to death.

CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENT United Fidelity Life Insurance Company

DECEMBER 31, 1931

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ASSETS

	1930	1931
REAL ESTATE	\$836,285.00	\$836,285.00
Home Office Building at Dallas, Texas, which is a ten story and basement reinforced concrete and brick fireproof structure, 100% leased and earns 6% on investment.		
MORTGAGE LOANS	680,924.71	870,955.78
Secured by first mortgage on farms and city property in Texas, independently appraised at twice the amount of the loan.		
MUNICIPAL UNITED STATES TREASURY AND OTHER BONDS	111,724.70	112,854.73
POLICY AND AUTOMATIC PREMIUM LOANS	659,328.15	822,030.45
PREMIUM LIENS	163,547.15	186,614.58
Notes for current premiums-within policy values.		
CASH	30,396.31	30,796.53
Cash deposited in National and State banks subject to check.		
DEFERRED AND UNCOLLECTED PREMIUMS AND ACCRUED INT.	165,124.84	213,549.96
Current premiums payable quarterly, semi-annually or within the grace period of one month and accrued interest on loans.		
OTHER ASSETS	16,606.08	72,379.37
Sundry small items of admitted assets.		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,663,936.94	\$3,145,466.40
LIABILITIES	1930	1931
BILLS DUE OR ACCRUED	\$ 5,595.60	\$ 5,820.10
Current accounts due on the 10th of the succeeding month.		
PREMIUMS AND INTEREST COLLECTED IN ADVANCE	38,173.67	36,751.33
Sundry premiums and interest paid in advance by the policyholders.		
DEATH CLAIMS REPORTED—NO PROOF RECEIVED	NONE	7,000.00
These are claims that were reported to us, but proper papers had not been filed on December 31st.		
OTHER SUNDRY LIABILITIES	7,436.57	6,390.88
Various items due by the Company.		
CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$51,205.84	\$55,962.31
FUNDS FOR PROTECTION OF POLICYHOLDERS		
RESERVE	\$2,247,934.28	\$2,630,782.59
Legal amount set aside as protection to policyholders.		
CAPITAL STOCK	250,000.00	310,000.00
Amount paid in by stockholders, which is an additional protection to policyholders above the legal reserve requirement.		
SURPLUS	104,796.82	128,721.50
SPECIAL RESERVE FOR ANY CONTINGENCY	10,000.00	20,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2,663,936.94	\$3,145,466.40

It is a pleasure to discuss your Life Insurance problems with you. Life Insurance plans and programs gladly submitted without any obligations on your part.

GEO. B. BAGBY

Office: Phone 61

OFFICE: Donley County State Bank Building
CLARENDON, TEXAS

Residence: Phone 295

LINK DISCUSSES LIFE OF WASHINGTON AT LION'S CLUB

Spring Attendance Contest To Begin March Seventh Boss Lion Announces

As the principal speaker at the luncheon hour of the Lion's club Tuesday, W. T. Link discussed George Washington putting his audience at ease at the beginning by stating that Washington was "neither saint nor sinner."

The speaker took up the history of the life of Washington as a mere lad, tracing the Providential vicissitudes through his eventful career showing how events shaped the destiny of the man who was to go down in American history as its most beloved national character.

Left an orphan at an early age, Washington's ambition and energy early started him on a commercial career when he steadily acquired land by purchase adding this to the Mt. Vernon estate which he had inherited. Later when his brothers were students in Oxford University of England, Washington chose to remain in America. Had this not been the case, America would have had another leader in the Revolution, the speaker said.

Washington's influence over his men, and his ability to plan for future action were little short of intuitive gifts as the events of mutiny, poverty, sorrow and disappointments beset the noble leader in America's direst peril during the darkest days of the Revolutionary period was pictured by the Judge in summing up the life of his subject.

The speaker is said to have brought to light much of the inside story of the life of Washington picturing him as a real man rather than the phantom of history that we read about in school history. The members greatly appreciated the talk, it being both instructive and entertaining.

Boss Lion G. L. Boykin announced the beginning of the next attendance contest on March 7th and admonished his fellow members to be ready to 'do battle' for supremacy.

L. N. Cox, commander of the Aubyn E. Clark Post of the American Legion was a guest of the Club.

Holman Kennedy, J. T. Patman and C. J. Douglas will have charge of the program for the next meeting at noon next Tuesday.

Mother at 96 Has Fall Breaking Ribs

Mrs. Hugh Riley returned this week from Mineral Wells where she has been at the bedside of her mother who suffered a serious injury recently.

The mother is ninety-six years of age and fell breaking the ribs on her right side. Mrs. Riley states that her mother is rapidly recovering from the injury and expects to be able to be out within a reasonable length of time.

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County Commissioners Hold No Session Since 16th

The Board of County Commissioners in session on February 16th passed the following order:

"Be it ordered by the Court that the Clerk is authorized that Mr. Mosley, Tax Collector, be paid \$30.80 due him from the county, and that all other officers be settled with on basis of audit just made, and that entries be made in finance ledgers to reconcile accounts in accordance with audit report in order that books harmonize with accounts, and that Treasurer at proper time settle with Depository on amount due county on interest as shown by audit."

J. Less Hawkins made motion, seconded by S. E. Harris that above order be adopted as the order of the Court. S. E. Harris, Roy Beverly and J. Less Hawkins voting unanimously favoring the motion.

An order was also passed asking the county depository to make a monthly report on daily balances, and pay interest monthly on same, the amount so paid to be placed to the general fund.

Game of "Keeps" Becoming Epidemic in Schools

The revival of the old-time game of keeps as played with marbles appears to have returned in epidemic form. Teachers in some instances have banned this form of embryo gambling from school by forbidding the pupils carrying marbles.

A favorite gathering place for players just south of the Piggly Wiggly grocery is often the scene of fights according to those who have been making up the audience, and efforts are being made to stop the games before serious injury may result.

Boys who should be in school gather at this place, and others who should be at school are often tardy, it is said, because of stopping for the games. This innocent pastime is rapidly becoming a nuisance besides teaching the boys a petty form of gambling. Parents have been requested to ask their boys to keep away from such games to avoid trouble.

Mrs. C. H. Ellis of Lelia Died Wednesday Night

Following a serious illness of several weeks, Mrs. Ellis passed away at the family home at Lelia and the funeral service will be conducted from the home Friday, the 26th, at 3:30 p. m.

Surviving her are four daughters and three sons besides her husband. The daughters are Mrs. Dona Gerlach of Memphis, Mrs. Betsy Landers of Lelia; Mrs. Lydia Webb of Lelia; Mrs. Lucile Kercherville. The sons are Eldridge of Borger, Dorr of Amarillo; Henry of Stratford, Homer Ellis died at El Paso some two years ago.

Gail Katherine Holloway is the name of the beautiful little lady who came Monday, February 22nd, to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Louie Holloway. Her weight is announced as being five pounds and thirteen ounces.

Mrs. Heathington is Buried Here Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. J. B. Heathington, aged 30, died at Adair hospital Sunday following an illness of long standing. She had been a patient at the hospital for about a week to which place she was taken as a last effort to relieve her suffering.

The body was conveyed back to the family home in the Chamberlain community where Rev. B. N. Shepherd, pastor of the First Baptist Church, conducted the funeral services Tuesday afternoon.

She leaves a husband and five children whose ages are from three to twelve. The family had resided in that community for about six years, and are held in highest esteem.

Epworth League Union Will Meet at Memphis

The Epworth League Union No. 1 will meet at Memphis Friday night at 7:30. Leagues from Turkey, Quitaque, Plaska, Hedley, Estelline, Ashtola, Lakeview, and Clarendon will be represented. At this meeting the new officers for the coming year will be elected and the union organized for the first time since the re-unioning of the Clarendon District. A program will be held and a social afterwards.

The Clarendon Leaguers will meet at the Methodist church at 6:00 where cars will be provided for transportation. As many as possible are urged to make this Union meeting.

While here on official business Friday, District Attorney James C. Mahan informed the Leader that he would again be a candidate for re-election, and would make his formal announcement soon.

Seventeen Pig Litter Has Mayfield Puzzled

When an OIC sow of three years recently farrowed seventeen pigs, her owner was somewhat puzzled about the overproduction of hogs.

This sow is the property of W. B. Mayfield, champion hog buyer of Donley county, and from this record, is champion hog producer. So far as can be ascertained, this is the first litter of 17 pigs on record here.

Amarillo Stolen Car Found Near Town Tuesday

Monday night Will Cline of Amarillo lost his car to some one who forgot to get permission to drive it off. Officers were notified immediately and warnings sent to surrounding towns.

Sheriff Pierce located the car, an Essex super six, just west of town Tuesday. The car had been abandoned without any trace being left of the identity of the party who had driven it to that point.

Rev. J. H. Braswell of Canyon filled the Methodist pulpit here Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Morrison is visiting her mother in Dallas who is ill.

Chamberlain Makes Good Showing at Pampa

The basketball team of the Chamberlain school made a fine record in the Junior Tournament held at Pampa Saturday.

In the contest, Chamberlain won over Lefors 23 to 2. Panhandle's crack team guided by the genius of "Slack" Naylor also took the count before the Chamberlain team by 13 to 7.

In the third game, Chamberlain was slightly outmatched by Miami, losing by the narrow margin of 7 to 13. Vernon Reid was the outstanding player of the Chamberlain team coached by Jimmy Millsap.

Masons Celebrate Birthday Of Washington

Ninety-seven members of the Masonic fraternity were present Monday evening in the local hall to pay homage to George Washington by way of observing the 200th anniversary of his natal day.

Hon. Jim Guleke of Amarillo and Tom F. Connally of Clarendon were the speakers of the evening.

A bounteous plate luncheon was served at the close of the exercises.

District Attorney Announces He Will Seek Re-election

While here on official business Friday, District Attorney James C. Mahan informed the Leader that he would again be a candidate for re-election, and would make his formal announcement soon.

Mr. Mahan is meeting with the same success in the prosecution of cases at Memphis as he has over the period of his official position representing the state. He will put forth every effort to maintain that standard when court opens here next month.

Get in on the egg deal before the close of the arrangement. Eight dozen pays for the Leader a full year to any address within 40 miles of Clarendon.

SMITH

Frank Jackson and Mrs. Gerald Knight won out in the hog calling and husband calling contest and will represent Smith at Clarendon. Miss Nell Hampton of Lodge is visiting Mrs. B. F. Jackson for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Knight and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Knight visited Mr. and Mrs. Trilston Davis Sunday.

Sloan Baker was a Hedley visitor Saturday. Those to enjoy the delightful six o'clock dinner Friday, given by Miss Mildred Baker were, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Knight, Miss Inez Crow and Mr. Morgan Baker. The evening was made complete by attending the show and then the party at Mrs. George's.

Mrs. Grimes is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paul King Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crow and baby are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crow.

The party given by Mrs. George Friday night was enjoyed by some forty young people. Quite a number of older people were there also and said they felt years younger for having attended. Let's have more of these parties for them.

Those who are on the sick list but recovering are Winefred Crow and Hugh Baker.

A sumptuous basket dinner was spread at Smith Monday by the community after which the W. C. D. club and school presented a very interesting George Washington program. Three very thrilling ball games then followed. First was the juniors against the "dad's" all-stars. Then the Katz team

MARTIN

There was Sunday school at the school house Sunday morn. as usual but there wasn't any singing Sunday evening due to the weather. There has been quite a lot of sickness, mostly the flu; everyone is improving. Mr. J. F. Shannon Mrs. J. C. Sutton are reported on the sick list.

Quite a few of the Martin people went to Clarendon Monday for the George Washington program and the parade.

The men's forty-two club met Sat. night with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tankersley with 14 members present.

Mr. Walter Chapman moved where Odell Barker lived; Odell moved to Brice.

Sam Tankersley moved where Otis Naylor lived and Otis to Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Talley and children from Silverton are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Sibley and daughter from Perryton are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sibley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood and son Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutchins spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newlin.

Mrs. J. A. Sowell is spending a few days at Windy Valley with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hillman. Mrs. Chester Hodges and baby

CHAMBERLAIN

There was a fine attendance at Sunday school Sunday morning. This community was shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Jim Heathington. She had been in poor health for some time and recently removed to the Adair sanitarium where she passed away Sunday night. Mrs. Heathington was a fine lady and her going means a sad loss to a husband and five small children. They have the sympathy of the entire community.

Gilbert Behinger spent Monday night in the home of his sister, Mrs. M. S. Millsap.

Mrs. J. B. Rhodes of Clarendon was a Sunday dinner guest in the home of her former school mate Mrs. John Addude.

Mr. Ernest Hott of Clayton N. M. and his brother from Grapevine visited in the home of their brother Owen Sunday after attending the bedside of their mother who is seriously ill in her home at Clarendon.

Notice to Tax Payers Lelia Lake District

To the taxpayers of Lelia Lake Independent School District. There will be no penalty or interest charged on all delinquent school tax if paid by June 1, 1932.

Lelia Lake School Board. 52c

Renew your subscription with eggs this week.

Donley County Leader, \$1.50 a year

—FRUITS—		—VEGETABLES—	
Apples winesap—dozen	19c	Spinach—pound	8c
Oranges, Texas—dozen	25c	Cranberries—pound	13c
Grape Fruit, Texas—2 for	5c	Lettuce—each	6c
Lemons—dozen	23c	Tomatoes—fresh per lb.	12½c

Crackers, 2 lb. box	18c	Spuds 10 lbs.	13c	PINEAPPLE No. 1	9c
Cakes, mixed, lb.	19c			No. 2	15c
				No. 2½	19c

Gallon Peaches	39c	Coffee	\$1.09
Fruits Blackberries		White Swan, 3 lbs.	
Fruits Apples		BULK PEABERRY—2 lbs.	25c

Pecans 35c	Compound 59c	White King 37c
Shelled, lb.	Swifts Jewel	50c size

Salad Dressing 17c	Soap	P&G & CW—6 bars	21c
L Food, each		Big Ben—6 bars	25c
		Luna—6 bars	15c

PET or CARNATION Milk 25c	Sugar 49c	—Onion Sets—	
3 tall or 6 baby	10 lbs. Cane	Red & Yellow, gal.	25c
		White—gallon	28c

Shoe Polish 19c	Tomato Juice 6c
Dyanshine, each	Van Camps—can 10½ oz.

Scott tissue 23c	Hominy 5c	Bird seed 10c
3 for	Medium can	Frenches

Saniflush can 19c	Oats	White Swan large pkg.	17c
M E L O		Mothers China or aluminum	
Make all water rainwater—2 cans		Each	25c

AMARYLLIS FLOUR	\$1.00
48 lbs.	
24 lbs.	53c
WESTERN SCOUT	79c
48 lbs.	
24 lbs.	42c
CREAM MEAL	29c
20 lbs.	
10 lbs.	19c

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