

COW, SOW AND HEN AGAIN

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

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County Bankers Meet Here Monday To Encourage Canning

Live-At-Home Program Will Be Waged in This County Say Financiers

A meeting of the bankers of the county was held at the City Hall Monday of this week for the purpose of planning a "live-at-home" program among their customers.

This movement is sponsored by the A & M College and the Texas Bankers' Association with the state divided into nine districts with a chairman in each district. Each county has a "key banker" who has more direct supervision over the work. W. H. Patrick, president of the First National Bank here is key banker for Donley county.

The key banker will act as chairman of county agricultural activities all of the banks working in cooperation with both county agents. This plan was followed to some extent last season with good results. Home canning was encouraged and the local market demand was in no wise supplied. More canning will be encouraged this season with a reasonable assurance that a home market will take care of all offerings.

County agent T. R. Brown and C. H. D. agent Miss Martha Buttrill met with the bankers each giving a report of the work now going on under their supervision. J. W. Noel of Hedley represented the Security State, F. E. Chamberlain the Donley County State bank, J. D. Swift the Farmers State bank and W. H. Patrick the First National bank in this meeting.

American Legion Encourages Tree Planting at Hedley

Through the generosity of the Legion of Hedley, schools and churches there may have Chinese elm free of cost. Individuals are also invited to plant the trees which will be given free of charge.

The only requirement is that the "taker" care for the trees properly. This is a part of the civic improvement program sponsored by the Legion Post of Hedley and is very commendable.

So far as known, no individual organization in any town of any size has been so generous in so worthy an subject as has this Post.

Clarendon Are Visiting in South Carolina

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Morris are in Wilmington, South Carolina where they will visit until the early summer. The trip from here was made by auto and stops made at Oklahoma City and Nashville where they visited their daughters.

Mr. Morris has extensive business interests in South Carolina that demand his attention at this time. Jim H. Morris drove the car making the entire trip without mishap or even a puncture. He will return here this week.

Christian Church To Have Pre-Easter Meeting

The First Christian Church announced last Sunday that they would hold a two weeks, pre-Easter meeting, beginning Sunday March the 22nd, and closing Sunday April the 5th.

Rev. W. E. Ferrell, the pastor of the church, will preach the series of Evangelistic sermons and he promises to present some lessons that will be of lasting benefit to all who will attend.

Rev. Ferrell has conducted some very successful revival meetings before coming to this field and there is every reason to believe, that with the co-operation of the church and friends, that much good will be accomplished and the community helped in many ways.

Donley County Fiddlers Get in Finals For March 27th

J. E. Ware and W. E. Walling, two of the ten of the best fiddlers in the contest held at Amarillo February 25th, will enter the final contest to be held there on the evening of March 27th.

Prizes of \$50, \$35 and \$25 will be offered the three best fiddlers. Eck Robertson of Borger, already having been declared the best fiddler in the United States, will not be in the contest, but will be present.

Local Hatchery Exhibiting Two Alligators

Two alligators measuring some two feet each in length, and the proud lineage of a Florida gator said to be over 700 years old, now adorn the window of the Clarendon Hatchery.

Frank White brought them over from Shamrock recently where they attracted no little attention when displayed in the show window of his hatchery there.

Ex-Soldiers Slow in Making Loan Applications

Forty-five veterans had made application for loans up to today. This is about 40 percent of those eligible, most of them holding back in order that the more needy be given first chance in getting help.

The loan applications call for from \$64.50 to \$793.50 so far and is expected to reach an amount variously estimated at from fifty to one hundred thousand in this county.

Messrs. C. J. Douglas, C. E. Miller and G. L. Boykin are handling the applications for claimants.

Mrs. Charley Jones and children of Shamrock visited the weekend with her uncle, Mr. T. E. Trostle and family.

Seniors Present Annual Play Friday Evening This week

Comedy of Thrills, Obstacles And Final Success Leaves Everyone Happy

Barry Conners produced one of his best plays in "Applesauce", and that is the play selected by the High School Seniors for presentation at the College Auditorium Friday evening of this week.

The play is based on complex tangles of an American love affair in which two young men and a young woman play the principal roles. Success finally comes to the young man who strives hardest leaving the crowd in a happy mood.

The proceeds from this play will be used to defray commencement expenses that have a habit of showing up in surprising amounts from now until the close of school.

The cast is as follows:
 Ma Robinson... Ruth Nichols
 Pa Robinson... Harold Phelps
 Mrs. Jennie Baldwin... Margaret Dillard
 Hazel Robinson... Pauline Sanford
 Matt McAllister... Carol Holtzclaw
 Bill McAllister... Bill Wood
 Rollo Jenkins... Lloyd Benson

Special music and stunts by the puppets will be given between acts insuring the audience of a full evening's entertainment.

Mrs. Allen Beville of Amarillo visited her mother, Mrs. J. B. Baird Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Humphrey and children of Borger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Humphrey, Sr. Saturday night and Sunday.

Two Donley Boys Exhibit Baby Bees At Amarillo Show

Baby Bee Exhibitors Highly Entertained While Guests of Plains Metropolis

Donley county's first baby bee exhibitors are O. L. Smith, Jr., son of O. L. Smith, rancher near Jericho, and Bill Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Montgomery of Clarendon.

The boys left Clarendon at 4 p. m. Sunday before the show opened and arrived at Amarillo with their two calves at 2:30 Monday morning. The mud and snow banks held no terror for ambitious boys.

The most serious mishap occurred near Washburn when the truck skidded into the barpit and stuck. After trying to get out, with the assistance of one autoist, the job looked like a failure. The calves were unloaded and with the help of another auto, the two cars pulled the truck back to the highway once more headed for the Fat Stock Show.

Undaunted by such trivial matters as slick roads, seas of mud, snow banks and cold weather during the night's driving, the boys landed their beehives at headquarters in plenty of time for the opening hour.

Bill's beef placed 5th in second senior group. O. L.'s beef was smaller and did not cut much figure until auctioned off. The first brought 10.25 and the second 8.25.

Both boys are members of the agricultural class of Chas. Bairfield of the local high school and take an active interest in live stock. In speaking of the matter Saturday, it is a cinch that both boys will try again next season and with the knowledge gained this time, expect to ring down some of the best prize money.

Their badges admitted them free to picture shows, banquets, dances and such other entertainments as the city had provided for their enthusiastic guests exhibiting baby beehives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rowland visited their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Tomlinson at Leola Lake Sunday.

County Officer Is Improving Farm Home By Careful Study

Will Practice Diversification Giving Details Attention Looking to Profit

"It has always been my ambition to own a nice farm home that would supply all my needs," said M. W. Mosley Saturday when asked how he was getting along with improvements on his farm recently purchased a short distance north-west of Hedley.

This farm of 320 acres has 200 under the plow. Some is tight land and some sand running back to loose sand giving him plenty of room for experimenting as to the best methods of handling and the proper crops to grow.

Some twenty acres is subirrigated and while in oats now, this will be planted to alfalfa when the oat crop is taken off. A rotation of crops will be practiced according to Mr. Mosley who has farmed practically all his life, here and in east Texas.

Not overlooking any bet, he is planting out a nice orchard, vineyard and berry patch. That means canned fruits in the cellar later. A garden spot will get a good share of attention, and the poultry yard will be supplied with a good grade of chickens, both of which will be used in canning and for market in the original state.

"We will plant a lot of that sandy land to sweet potatoes and melons this season," the owner said in describing the advantages of tight red sand as a producer of the above products.

A general variety of crops will be grown. While Mr. Mosley is not spending a great deal of time on the farm, his sons, Winfield and Jiggs are on the job every day and both young men are good farmers following in the footsteps of their father.

Miss Katherine Ross who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Evans the past few months returned to Dallas Monday morning.

Friends of Mrs. P. L. Chamberlain will be glad to hear that she is doing nicely. Mrs. Chamberlain underwent a serious operation at the North West Texas hospital at Amarillo Thursday, March 5th.

Pathfinder Club To Meet Friday Afternoon

All members of the Pathfinder Club are requested to be present at a meeting of the Club at the regular hour Friday afternoon at the Ladies' Club Room.

Professions of Small Town And City Used For Basis of Comparisons

The program of which Rotarian Oscar L. Jenkins was chairman, took on a complete change at the luncheon Friday, he reading from a book expert opinion of the attitude of the public in passing judgment upon the ability of the average small town doctor.

While humorous to some extent, the general theme was based on common sense from the viewpoint of the practitioner, and proved interesting to the members who knew nothing of the woes of the medical profession—in fact they were surprised to learn that he had any at all.

Rotarian Cole took advantage of the occasion to say that lawyers of the smaller towns were just as capable in most instances as those of the larger cities but ethics of the profession forbid his naming any particular individuals when he was requested to do so.

Rotarian R. E. Drennon complimented the school profession in the same light and added a bit of proof but he, too, was bound by profession ethics not to divulge secrets generally known.

Rotarian Estlack laid no claims to ethics and stated that while the more "feeble-minded" poked fun at the country weekly, nothing had been found to take its place, and suggested that though a man might read his daily, he would naturally turn to his weekly to read about the folks who interested him most.

The contest for Friday's meet this week was announced. The committee having this program in charge has already announced that every member present will be required to express his views on "How can this club be of most service to this community right now?"

Rotarian R. S. Cope had charge of the singing with Rotary Ann Rhoda Wiegman accompanying at the piano.

A full one hundred percent attendance was noted and President Jenkins expressed his hearty appreciation and congratulations.

Many To Attend Historical Society Meeting At Canyon

Contributions of Pioneer Days Represent a Multitude of Priceless Relics

Mrs. W. H. Patrick of Clarendon has been asked to speak on the dinner program of the Panhandle Plains Historical Society at Canyon April 10. Both Mr. and Mrs. Patrick are members of the Society and Mr. Patrick was speaker at one of the sessions last year.

Other representative Panhandle citizens who have been asked to appear on the program are Mrs. R. B. Masterson, Sr., of Amarillo, Judge L. S. Kinder of Plainville, and Mr. L. E. Haskett, pioneer newspaper man of Childress.

The annual meeting of the Historical Society will begin with an hour session at 11 a. m., which will be followed by a cafeteria luncheon and informal visiting period during the noon hour.

The afternoon session beginning at 2 p. m., will be devoted to business with the president, T. D. Hobart of Pampa, presiding. The plans for the building of a museum will be discussed at this session by Professor L. F. Sheffy, field secretary of the organization, and others.

This is the tenth annual meeting of the Historical Society. This organization is said to have the largest collection of relics and documents of any similar organization in the state of Texas.

Bonds Are Bought By Commissioners To Protect Taxpayers

Money in Sinking Fund At Low Rate of Interest is Invested in Bonds

At a meeting of the Commissioners Court here Monday of this week, the bonds covering the Mulberry and Hall creek bridges were bought with money out of the sinking fund.

In one instance it was cited that the county owes bridge bond indebtedness to the amount of \$9000, these bonds bearing 4 percent, and due in 1943. The purchase of the bonds as above stated bear 5 1-2 percent. The taxpayers will in this instance be saving one and a half percent on the investment, and the principal will have been paid before 1943, insuring a restoration of the original fund to pay off the old bonds.

About \$10,000 from the sinking fund that is now drawing 1 1-2 percent, was invested in district school bonds of this county that are bearing from 5 to 6 percent. It is said that this transaction alone will save the taxpayers something like \$400.00 each year.

Court days were changed from the first to the third Monday in each month (at Justice court in the Third precinct. Judge L. A. Stroud presides over this court in Hedley.

Mrs. Carl Adams was called to the bedside of her brother, Mr. John Hopkins of Pampa Sunday night, who is very ill.

J. W. Watson of Lubbock who is secretary of the board of Christian Education attended the Sunday school convention here Thursday.

Full Attendance Adds Zest At Rotary Luncheon Friday

The Clarendon high school band was awarded second prize of \$25 in competition with several Panhandle bands at Borger Monday when that city celebrated her fifth anniversary.

The band was directed by Gus B. Stevenson, their instructor, and drew quite a bit of attention because of their new suits worn for the first time, as well as their excellent musical training. Their sponsor, Homer Mulkey, was right there to see the thing well done. Amarillo won first place.

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Veterans Are Congratulated By Firms And Individuals

Individuals, firms and even veterans themselves are sponsoring a page advertisement in this issue of the Leader congratulating the veterans on the victory won in their behalf, and the fact that they are getting some recognition for past services rendered the nation.

This congratulatory message is void of selfish motives, and merely shows the spirit animating the friends of those who bore the colors to victory in time of stress. It also shows that the boys of '18 were not by any means forgotten all through the intervening years.

Mulberry And Hall Creek Are Now Bridged For Traffic

Contractors constructing the long bridges over Hall creek and the Mulberry canyon have turned the jobs over to the county. Both bridges are first-class in every respect and were built at a very nominal cost to the taxpayers of that district.

The spaces spanned by these bridges were some of the worst quick sand spots in the county though on an important highway leading to the J A ranch and the settlements in that section.

New Method of Supplying Needy Families

Twenty-six families were served a portion of a beef Monday that was contributed by the Accord dairy. The distribution was in charge of Mayor Taylor. Fred Fussell contributed the butchering job.

Funds are being contributed for the purchase of other beefs to be distributed in the same manner.

It is understood that the ranchmen in this section are to contribute meat animals for this purpose. This plan has been adopted as the quickest relief for those in actual need, the larger contributions coming from those best able to give. The butchering and distribution work will be contributed by local butchers.

Local High School Band Wins Second Prize

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Elder Hukel Will Deliver Series of Sermons

Elder D. L. Hukel, pastor of the local Church of Christ, will preach a series of sermons at the Church of Christ at Wellington beginning Sunday, March 29th.

The services will extend over a ten day period. Special song services will be in charge of V. F. Robertson and H. C. White.

Legion Boys To Stage Benefit Play To Help Distressed

Play Will Be Presented 20th of This Month With Home Talent Selection

In an effort to be of further service to the needy of this section the local Legion Post members will present a play, "Backwoods School of '49", at the College Auditorium Friday evening of next week.

This is a comedy play filled with laughs, and to the elders, will no doubt remind them of school days when they started out to fathom the mysteries of the "three R's" at the frontier school house.

Home talent will constitute the cast of twenty-one characters of carefully selected material whose duty will be to portray the "blue-back speller" and perhaps the precaution of old mothers who were faithful in the use of "red persipity" lest the offspring bring home living "animals" not altogether welcome.

The admission charge for children will be one pound of groceries. Ladies will be taxed two pounds. More may be contributed by either without violent objection, but the one and two pound price of admission is the standard set.

A contribution box will be conveniently located giving the more generous an opportunity to contribute actual cash. Both cash and groceries will be turned over to the Goodfellows to be properly distributed among the needy of the town.

Chamberlain School Folks Will Play at Ashtola

Having been shut out on account of bad weather last week, the teachers and pupils of the Chamberlain school will present the play "What About Bettie" at the Ashtola school auditorium Wednesday evening of this week at 7:30.

The players have met with much encouragement in their own community where the play drew a large crowd. The cast is composed of thirteen including both teachers and pupils. Strange as it may seem, there will be no admission charge, and the entire public is invited to come out and enjoy the hearty laughs.

Starting The Third Year (An Editorial)

With this issue the Leader enters its third year of service to Donley county. Not being under obligation to any faction, clique, creed or individual has enabled the Leader to continue as a county-wide weekly newspaper unhampered.

From the beginning, it was readily understood that the management would be helpless without the assistance and good will of the public in general. Advertisers have been most liberal and subscribers have renewed promptly.

To all of those who have given us business, encouraged us with suggestions, and contributed to our columns, we feel most grateful. We in turn have tried at all times to merit your consideration. The fact that this help continues makes us have reason to believe that we have not totally failed.

The past two years has been a pleasant experience. We have championed the causes we believed to be just, and, while we have made mistakes, we expect to profit from those mistakes and avoid making similar errors in the future.

We have ever believed in the home, church and school. We believe in law-enforcement in the protection of each and have lent our endorsement to every worthy effort on the part of our officers.

Your suggestions as to the best methods for improvement of the Leader will be appreciated. If we can be of service to your community, kindly let us know. No matter where you live in this trade territory, we are equally interested in the development of your section. And lastly, come in and get acquainted. Visitors are always welcome. We publish a "common paper for common people" and you will find us just common ordinary folks ready to neighbor with you.

Our Chamber of Commerce (An Editorial)

Usually it is the lamp of experience which lights our path, but in the singular times through which we are now passing we must scrutinize every beam that flashes. Progress and precedent are more directly in conflict than ever before, and today the demand is that where precedent cannot instantly demonstrate its worth, progress must unsentimentally push it aside.

Chambers of Commerce in their actions depend largely upon precedent. It is an all too common error for one to pattern after the other regardless of conditions or circumstances. No one in particular is to blame since this is a universal custom.

Clarendon's most valuable asset is her schools. Other than this, we have little to offer. Our citizenship is on a parity only with the average clean town of the Panhandle and other towns have this one inducement to offer as a consideration to the newcomer.

Our Chamber of Commerce could be of inestimable value to the schools of Clarendon in many ways. First, no unofficial letter should be mailed without carrying a message, either inside or outside on the back of the envelope, telling the world the value of our educational facilities in plain facts.

Second, hundreds of dollars are spent each year from which no direct return is noticeable, yet could be used to an appreciable advantage in purchasing school accessories badly needed but which cannot be had due to a non-payment of taxes. A good school is a better nonsectarian drawing card than either soil, water or climate. It is also an unsurpassed advertising feature for any section, attracting the better class of citizenship.

(This is the first of a series of articles suggesting how the chamber of Commerce may be of service to the community.)

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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.

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Query.

What will Chicago do with her racketeers during the World's Fair to make Chicago safe for visitors?

State Vacation Money.

Without disclosing where the vacation period is to be spent, the State Department of Agriculture is asking for an appropriation. If this department has ever rendered any service other than furnish jobs for political pets, we would like to know about it so that we can tell millions of other citizens who now have the same opinion that we have.

Northern Neighbors.

North Dakota heard of the crying need of Floyd county and sent a car of food stuff. Nebraska did the same for Hall county. Several cars from out state filled with food have been received in various sections of the drouth belt of Texas.

Human sympathy knows no bounds and recognizes no color lines. When calamity strikes, all the world is kin. Strangers actuated by the kindly admonition that "I was hungry, and ye gave me to eat."

Pleasure is Ours.

We have been thanked by a number of ex-service men for the interest taken by the Leader in their fight for payment of Adjusted Compensation Certificates. Some have written letters from sections where we prepared petitions and mailed them for the purpose of securing signers to be sent to Congressman Fatman and Jones. It was a pleasure to be of service to the boys of '18 whom we had not forgotten. Their cause was just and we are mighty glad they got part of what was coming to them even if but half, now that they need it so badly.

Laying Off Rogers.

Had you noticed how the big boys of the party are laying off the idea of the common herd drafting Will Rogers to head the Democratic party next time? Will is a humanitarian, can't be bribed, can't be fooled and is the smartest man in America today with no strings on him.

While we know we have nothing to say about the matter, but it would be a grand thing for the country to elect a level-headed man who is too broad-minded to be prejudiced from any angle just for once and try him along with the big variety of failures we have been having.

Church Crowd Mugged.

A motley array of questionables was herded into the Baptist church at Kilgore, an east Texas oil town, Wednesday and "mugged" as the finger print men term it.

The church was used because of the overflow number rounded up. Finger prints of near three hundred were taken by Rangers in an effort to get any past history that might be missing.

Governor Sterling is taking time by the forelock in suppressing violence in the new oil town in its incipency, and in this action is to be highly commended by all lawabiding people of the state, and is much better than martial law later.

Mexican Schools.

Contrary to general opinion, Mexico is not so backward in her educational affairs after all. Parent-Teacher associations in the State of Nuevo Leon have had drinking fountains placed at the schools, have provided text books for the pupils who could not other-

wise get them and a number of other improvements similar to what we have here.

A drive is on at this time to secure funds with which to make repairs and build other school buildings. The "Sociedad de Padres", as it is called, has been in existence only about one year. The accomplishments in so short a time is very commendable indeed.

More Commissions.

Only six new commissions were hatched out with the adjournment of the national law making bodies. This means that some of the solons will not be drawing pay through the vacation period as there is not enough commission jobs to go round.

The investigating commissions will look into, over and around lobbying, campaign funds, postoffice leases, economic conditions, banking facilities and the condition of the Indians.

There was no need to appoint a commission to investigate the oil proration situation as commissions seldom if ever accomplish anything, and the independent oil producers have already been swallowed by the big boys just as Andy Mellon and his crowd planned.

Banker Balks Bullets.

Aside from having his bank robbed, being kidnapped and shot three times and left for dead in the lonely pine woods near Redwater, a bank president's life in that burg is a very monotonous existence.

Should bankers be called upon to furnish their bodies as targets for men who want to practice shooting while taking pay for their time? We hardly think so, and especially when he is carried away into the woods and denied hospital facilities.

Aside from no increase in the interest rate, banks are going to be forced to become arsenals provided with trap doors, burglar

alarms, finger print identification bureaus and maintain a hospital adjunct or run short on banking talent to say nothing of the monetary basis upon which all banks must exist.

Ex-Service Men.

Few people realized the need of the ex-service man and his dependents before the passage of the "loan bill", but it is coming to light right in our own county and most every other county.

Families of ex-service men bordering on starvation have been located in Donley county. Children of ex-service men forced to stay in bed to keep from freezing have been found right at our doors.

This loan money means more than most of us can realize. It means food, fuel and clothing for the innocent offspring of the man whose body was snatched up and placed as a target in creating a market for war munition supplies.

It means that disease and want may be shut out of the homes of millions. It means an end to one of the most disgraceful features of neglect that could be charged to a so-called civilized nation.

When Czars Meet.

Czar Bullington of the Republican party in Texas and an independent oil producer with headquarters at Wichita Falls, recently headed a committee to parley with Czar Mellon relative to proration and more especially to protest against the importation of oil from South America that is rapidly reducing the small producers of this nation.

Mellon's crowd said little and did less. Nothing doing for the small producer. Money means more than politics just now with the big boys who are said to be strangling the independents.

During the same week, Canada stopped the importation of coal, wood pulp, lumber and timber of all kinds, asbestos and furs, from Russia because it was said to have been produced by "enforced" labor and would therefore work a hardship on Canadians who require a reasonable return for money and labor.

Two Kinds Butter.

In speaking with a grocer this week, he reminded the writer that two kinds of butter were brought in for him to purchase.

One kind contained milk and water and a bad smell. A kind that he could not sell to any one at any price. In fact if he were to permit it to stay in his place of business, the scent alone would disgust his customers and keep them from buying other goods.

He opened a refrigerated show case and took out a sample pound of firm yellow butter that was

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nically wrapped in a paraffined paper bearing the name of the maker. It had the color, firmness and flavor that would appeal to any purchaser.

Which kind would it pay to make and market? What by any imagination can anyone expect to sell to a creditable grocer? His first obligation is to his customer. His reputation should be, and in most cases is, behind every article he sells.

Warmth That Cheers.

New Jersey prohibition officers break up whiskey barrels and distribute them among the poor for fire wood.

Historical Episodes.

During the impeachment preparations when the Senate body proposed to expunge from their midst one Robert M. LaFollett, Sr. some years ago, the investigating body is said to have received a certain telegraphic message from Dudley Field Malone, attorney for the accused man.

Whatever this message might have contained we knoweth not, but it had a salutary effect upon the investigation so far as Senator LaFollett was concerned. It stopped then and there and nothing more was said about the matter to his dying day.

During the recent investigation of one Gen. Smedley D. Butler, the die was cast, gold braided distinguished men of national renown had been secured for the trial in which it was proposed to find out just why Butler had offended Mussolini.

A mental bombshell exploded in the camp of his accusers. Something was brought to the attention of the trial court that evidently was not altogether to the liking of the boys who were seeking to play rough with the man who had dared speak his innermost thoughts to a private gathering.

Whatever happened, the trial came to a close before it got started. Thus another historical episode was written in the minds of Americans interested in the welfare of the nation. Thousands have asked "why", and the only answer is the rattle of bones in the closet of great national secrets.

Political Nonsense.

Getting off to an early start, the Democratic National Committee had a meeting at Washington Thursday.

Raskob presided over the show and was under the impression that he "ruled the roost" because he has a mortgage on the party. His first expression was to let the gathering understand that anti-prohibition was to be the foundation plank

in the Democratic platform for next year.

Al Smith was present and also backed up Reskch because he naturally feels a sympathy for the man who put up most of the money in the last campaign and then didn't get a look in on a fat political job as was said to have been planned.

Senator Robinson, running mate of Smith in the last campaign got the floor long enough to get Raskob told a few things and wound up by saying that "he saw no use of bringing to the front a controversy that will divide the party." Robinson knows his South and evidently remembers being defeated on that score once before.

Representative Mary T. Norton of New Jersey knows her political groceries and tells the Committee what she thinks about prohibition and gets a chance to tell Senator Robinson a few things.

Sister Norton declared that the women are for modification of prohibition. She is the lady who nominated Robinson for Smith's running mate and has evidently made up her mind that a wet and dry team heading the ticket is not a howling success according to the results obtained in 1928.

After a round of denunciations and coming to no agreement on anything, the first Democratic gathering in the next campaign adjourned with the usual harmony.

Why We Don't Print It.

We are often asked why we don't print all the news. There is but one reason: Some fools still fight and carry sixshooters.

That School Census.

Great care should be taken by every friend of all our schools of the county in seeing that every child is listed. Every name on the list means \$17.50 more in the school fund.

Animal Detectives.

A man stole a sack of flour in Levelland last week after the mice had gnawed a hole in the sack. He was easily traced by the trail of flour.

What we need is more mice detectives.

Effects of Jazz.

When Paul Whiteman was asked why he had sued his wife for a divorce, he said, "I think she is perfectly wonderful."

All of which shows the terrible influence of jazz music on people who come in daily contact with it.

Birthday Suit Exhibit.

Three men arrested in Denver recently were wearing stolen suits

and caps. They were thrown in jail and the clothing taken from them and restored to the store from which they had been stolen.

Having burned their clothing, the Salvation Army was called upon to supply them with sufficient clothing to appear in court. This is probably the queerest request ever to come to a charity organization.

Plant Trees.

Hedley's Legion Post is distributing Chinese elm in an effort to beautify the church and school yards and the homes of that enterprising little town.

Our local Legionists contributed trees to the cemetery last season.

The people of Clarendon should set out a Chinese elm this season for every locust, and then take out the locust next season—or even now.

Our town has been known as the "city beautiful" because of the trees. These trees are being destroyed by the borers. Many of them are dead and most all are partly dead right now.

Next summer the visitors will refer to this as being the "ragged" town. The next season after the locusts stand as sentinels of neglect, this same bunch of visitors will likely say that if the town is

as dead as the trees indicate, it is certainly a poor place to stop for any length of time.

Carl Throop, district manager of the phone company, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. R. A. Chunn left Sunday for an extended visit to Central Texas points and will visit relatives in Decatur, Alabama before returning home.

EVERLITE FLOUR

Shelton & Sanford Grocery

The BEST Gray Hair Remedy is Home Made

To half pint of water add one ounce bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and one-fourth ounce of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. It will gradually darken and glossy. Barbo will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off.



WINDY WEATHER

The windy season is upon us and yet the dust may be kept out at small expense. Ask us about it.

FLY TIME

Get ahead of the flies by having the screens looked after now.

Whether you build a complete house, or the ordinary repairs, we want to figure on your job.

WATTERS & McCRARY

Education - -

You teach your children all sorts of things: reading, writing, arithmetic, science and literature

Why don't you teach them the most important thing of all? **THRIFT!**

Thrift has to be learned. It hardly ever comes by nature.

Encourage saving. Let the boys and girls have their own capital, their own savings bank account, and keep adding to it.

They will love it, if you will show them how.

Farmers State Bank

The Donley County Abstract Co.

Abstracts—Loans & Insurance

J. C. KILLOUGH & SON
Abstracts Loans & Insurance
Phone 44

DOLLARS SAVED, ARE DOLLARS MADE

Patronize home industry, and save money. Simpson's ALL-IN-ONE Chicken Feeds, and Cow Feeds, are Home grown, Home ground, and Home mixed, and from standard approved formulas.

As good as the best, better than the rest. Try any, or all of these feeds and be convinced.

At Prices you can afford to pay.

Bran \$1.00 Shorts \$1.20

SIMPSON MILL & FEED STORE

One Block East of Depot
Phone 149 We Deliver

Another Good Cook Says--

"It has never been my policy to use "cheap" products in my cooking and a "low Price" never appealed to me, hence I was slow in changing from my old brand of flour to try Kansas Cream."

"At your urgent request, I tried Kansas Cream flour and find it a wonderfully good flour, a quality among the very best, and my baking of all kinds has been most satisfactory since I began using it. I shall continue to use Kansas Cream in preference to any other."

GROCERIES—MEATS—FRUITS and VEGETABLES

Hello World Grocery & Market

The Place to Buy Your Eats

A. N. WOOD

J. M. BAXTER



THE INDIVIDUAL AND HIS BANK

By ROME C. STEPHENSON
President American Bankers Association

BANKERS recognize that their business carries especially heavy public responsibilities and welcome all sound measures to aid them meet the duties this imposes. Unceasing efforts to bring about continually improving methods to safeguard depositors in banks of all kinds have long been uppermost in the plans of bankers' organizations throughout the nation. They are not the outgrowth merely of the past year of business adversity, but have been carried on actively for many years and have resulted in great progress along lines of better, safer banking methods. Although banking along with all business has suffered reverses, conditions in this field have been far less severe than they would have been had not the bankers been widely successful in their endeavors to develop the high standards that now prevail.

The American Bankers Association and bankers' organizations in every state actively support the principle of government supervision of banking. The national banks, which receive their charters to do business from the federal government, are under the supervision of the Comptroller of the Currency at Washington. Through his efficient staffs of expert bank examiners in every section he has the duty and powers to keep watch of the way every national bank is being conducted, to suggest desirable changes in its policies or methods and even to step in and take control for the protection of the depositors if such action is warranted. The state banks, also, which are chartered by the various state governments, are subject to similar supervision and control by state bank officials.

Bankers Favor Public Supervision
Present laws adequately enforced contain ample provisions for government supervision. Bankers universally believe in strong, capable banking departments manned by officials with the discretion and courage to enforce these laws and act under them as the common welfare demands. They believe that these public officials should be paid sufficient salaries to command the services of men of character, ability and a resolute spirit of public service. They believe also that the banking departments should be kept free from all political or other special influence in order to be able to act at all times for the benefit of the public interest.

Although banks in the United States operating under state or national charters are thus subject to supervision of public authority, they are strictly private business enterprises. They are owned by their stockholders and administered by boards of directors which their stockholders elect. No bank is owned or operated by the United States Government, nor, with one small exception in a western state, by any state government. The function of government in banking is to promote and enforce careful banking administration through the system of examination and supervision which I have described. This, however, does not relieve the individual depositor from the necessity of judging and choosing carefully as to his banking relations, just as in his other business or professional relations. He must inquire for himself into the character and type of institution and men he shall do business with, satisfying himself as to their reputation, reliability and capability. These qualities are essential to complete the element of safety in any human institution.

An Illusory Law

The bank deposit guaranty law in any form is a snare and a delusion, declares a banker in a state where it has been tried, adding: "It is a license and encouragement to irresponsible banks and banking and penalizes capital solvency and prudent banking. It creates a sense of security in the minds of the unthinking and uninformed that is false and impossible to be realized on ultimately. To compare it to legitimate insurance is without reason and absurd. It jeopardizes the solvency of all banks and the safety of all depositors for the theoretical safety of a few. Guaranty schemes always have been, and are always will be impotent, futile and disastrous. It is not new. Has been tried, failed and discarded at intervals for more than 100 years in this country. No well-informed, honest and intelligent mind can accept it in principle or practice. Competent bank supervision and restriction of banks to territory that will warrant sufficient capital investment and accounts is the only sane and honest course and will afford all the guaranty the depositing public is entitled to as compared with all other human affairs."

With Our Exchanges

GETTING HELP
We have often wondered why it is when a person gets into trouble his house burns down or he loses every thing he has by some great calamity, that he will run to the home town merchant for help. Perhaps he has never traded with local business men, but ordered his supplies from the mailorder houses or gone to some other point to trade. Does such a one deserve the help of the home town merchant? We are not saying that he doesn't but in the face of these conditions it does look hard for the home merchant to turn him down. Think about this when you are trading in some other town or city or supporting the mail order concerns. They wouldn't help you one penny. What they want is your money.
—Wolfe City Sun.

PREACHING THE NEED
Preaching the need of advertising may get monotonous sometimes, but many a home-town merchant owes his success to the fact that the editor finally sold him on the idea of consistent advertising.
—McLean News.

GETTING THEM TOLD
"House Overrides President's Veto" says daily headlines. And why not? Since the Money Gamblers have withdrawn Two-Thirds of all money from circulation, money is scarce, so scarce that the price of most farm products have fallen from one-half to two-thirds lower than they sold for before. There is no money to buy with, there is no money to pay laborers, therefore there are no jobs to give laborers, because there is no money in circulation with which to pay them. This over riding of the President's veto has reference to the Soldier's Loan. Congress wanted to make a loan to disabled and poor Over-Sea soldiers, and President Hoover vetoed their measure—No doubt caused by Orders from Secretary Mellon, who seems to be running this Government just now. President Wilson KILLED STONE DEAD, a Financial Panic threatening the Government while he was president. Roosevelt did the same thing. These Presidents who really had a backbone, told the MONEY SHARKS, that every time they drew in one dollar, said Presidents would let out two dollars through Government channels, and these MONEY GAMBLERS, turned money loose galore and there was no Financial panic while either one of them occupied the President's chair. President Hoover could do the same thing. He could have averted the 1930 Financial Panic and also stopped the scarcity of money right now if he would use his head as Roosevelt and Wilson did, and not allow the money gamblers to dictate to him as to what he must do. Several million dollars will be turned loose by this Soldier's loan, all caused by Congress OVER-RIDING a puny, weazely, Pee-Wee President's veto. Glad we have a Congress if we haven't a President who does his own thinking.
—Claude News.

BUY-IT-AT-HOME WEEK OBSERVED AT SCHOOL
This week is Buy-at-Home week in the Robstown high school. The teachers led by Principal Jno. Hansard, are conducting a campaign among the students calculated to emphasize the importance of buying at home. Students are given assignments of various classes of merchandise with instructions to make a list of the number of items that may be purchased in Robstown. A study of this problem, it is reported, resulted in a surprise to many students as to just how complete a stock local merchants carry. Posters bearing on the subject have been prepared and are scattered over the high school building. Chapel exercises today will be devoted entirely to the Buy-It-at-Home movement and students are required to wear to school today only those items that they have purchased in Robstown.
—Robstown Record.

HOME MADE RELIEF
Old Terry seems to be missing something unusual by not being in the drought stricken section. Potatoes from Iowa and Nebraska, lettuce from Colorado and cabbage and spinach from South Texas are being shipped into this section. But we'll just stay with our red beans, bacon, corn bread and coffee and do without the drought.
—Ter y County Herald.

ASHTOLA SCHOOL NEWS

Basketball Tournament
Ashtola entered three teams in the Rural Tournament at Hedley. The Senior boys won their first game but lost the second. They were real games, and the boys played their best. When a team does give all they have, the school and community certainly appreciate it. The Girls played one of the most exciting games of the season, losing the contest by only six points. The Junior boys had the same luck as the Senior boys; that is they won their first and lost the second. There is plenty of good material for basketball next year.

HONOR ROLL
On the honor roll this six weeks from Miss King's room are: Leroy Johnson, Grady Reed, Charlie Parker, Russell Morris, Earl Barker, Jimmie Goodman, Lester Dunning, Joe Ernest Merriman, Earnest Parker, J. F. White, Robert Lee Johnson, Lavonia Gregg, Dorothy Caldwell, Irene Johnson, Betty Jo McKee, Ruth Reed, Velma Collier, Nora Lee Carper and Ila Kay Rhodes.

In Miss Maxwells room are: Marie Morris, Mildred Barker, Inetta Collier, Charles Fifer, Billy Goodman, Woodie Eddleman, Lamar Adamson, Pauline Johnson, Mildred McKee, Helena Poovey, Mary Frances Meaders, Everett Parker, and Margaret Hill.

In the seventh grade are: Viola Barker, Ariene Bellamy and Keita Swinburn.

In Miss McMurtry's room are: R. G. Eddleman, Vera Barker, Dola Fay Gregg, Alma Gregg, Leone Ford, Clarice Jones, Theta Parker and Lettie Caldwell.

JUST IMAGINE
Merle not combing her hair, Horace not winking at Ineva, Mr. Howard without his hands in his pockets, Glenn writing a letter, Ruby Lee not scolding at Glenn, Helen and Emma Sue not talking about a blue Ford, H. N. waving his hair, Foster not speaking to Mary Clyne.

Brit Melton was in town Saturday.

Wade Roach has closed his hamburger stand and will devote his attention to his farming operations on the Plains.

R. W. Fowlkes, who grows more fruit than most any one in the Chamberlain community, has set out more fruit trees, grapes and berries with the expectation of canning more fruit at home.

Car Crushes Collingsworth Farmer Thursday

While driving his sedan on the highway about two miles north of Wellington late Thursday evening, Jewell C. Wall, aged 33, was crushed to death when he lost control of the car which landed in a ditch. He was dead when the car was lifted off his body a few moments later.

The deceased was well known over this section of the Panhandle having been reared in Collingsworth county where his mother, a brother and three sisters reside. He leaves a widow and two children.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Wheeler of Hedley were here Thursday for the Sunday school meet at the Methodist church. Mrs. Wheeler visited with her cousin, Mrs. J. C. Estlack. Rev. Wheeler is pastor of the Methodist church at Hedley and is a very popular minister.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Crabtree have closed their dining room in the Latson building and will move to Pampa where they will again operate a dining room near the depot of that city.

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LELIA L.

Some of the honor roll names omitted from the copy published the Leader last week is given.

First Grade: "A" cards, Clara Eain, Myrtle Eller, Bobby Cruse, Anita Cook, Mary Ella Williams, J. K. Boyce, Marguerite Alexander, Adell Myers, Margaret Jean Leathers, Wilma Putman, Jophine Espey, Mildred Floyd, Julia Barker, James Bryant.

Third Grade: "B" grades were made by Johnnie Leathers and James Morton. Those making A's and B's were Eugene Putman, Joe Williams, and Bessie Woods. Those making "A" in all grades were Melba Bullard, Mary Jane Cook, Pearl Eller, Jureta Howard, and Jessie J. Tomlinson.

Fourth Grade: Marie Bain, Christine Knox, Harold Herndon, Madeline Cruse and Woodrow Harbin.

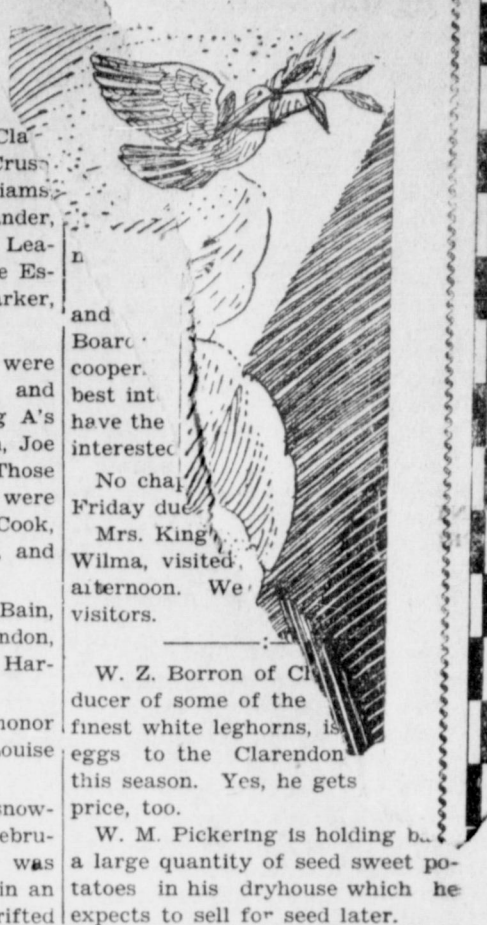
Tenth and Eleventh grade honor roll includes Isabell Knox, Louise Lewis, and Sam King.

Miss Lorene Stogner was snow-bound in New Mexico from February 27th to March 3rd. She was 24 hours in making 16 miles in an auto so badly was the snow drifted

and Board cooper. best int have the interested. No cha, Friday due Mrs. King, Wilma, visited, afternoon. We visitors.

W. Z. Borron of Cl... ducer of some of the finest white leghorns, is eggs to the Clarendon this season. Yes, he gets price, too.

W. M. Pickering is holding b... a large quantity of seed sweet potatoes in his dryhouse which he expects to sell for seed later.



Why we spend \$2,000,000 to put CAMEL cigarettes in the new HUMIDOR PACK

We have been in the tobacco business a long time down here at Winston-Salem and we take a lot of pride in the quality of the cigarettes we make.

While we have spent a good many million dollars advertising Camels, we've always held to the old fashioned idea that the thing that really counts is what we put into our cigarette and not what we say about it.

If we know anything about tobacco, and we think we do, Camels contain the choicest Turkish and the mellowest, ripest domestic leaves that money can buy.

In fact we have every reason to be proud of the quality of Camels as they come from the factory, but the remark of an old friend of ours from Denver some time ago emphasized a point that has been the problem of the cigarette industry for years.

As he inhaled the smoke from a Camel we gave him in our offices one morning, he sighed with very evident enjoyment and then asked jokingly, "What is this, a special blend reserved for Camel executives?"

"Certainly not," we told him. "This package of Camels was bought at the corner store this morning."

"Well," he said, "I've been a dyed in the wool Camel smoker for a good many years, but upon my soul I never got a cigarette as good as this in Denver. If you would give the rest of the world the kind of Camels you sell here in Winston-Salem, you ought to have all the cigarette business there is."

THAT statement simply emphasized again the cigarette industry's most important problem. The more we thought about it, the surer we were that he was dead right, and that somehow, something must be done.

Denver wasn't getting a fair break. Neither in fact was any other town. The only people who really knew how good Camels could be, were the folks right here in Winston-Salem.

That was due to a factor no cigarette manufacturer had ever been able to control.

Naturally there is no difference whatever in the quality

of the tobacco in Camels, whether you buy them in Winston-Salem, Denver or Timbuctoo. But up to now there has been a very real difference in the condition of the cigarettes by the time they reached the smoker.

The flavor and mildness of fine tobacco depend upon the retention of its natural, not added, moisture content which is prime at about ten per cent.

In spite of our great pains always to make sure Camels left the factory with just the right amount of natural moisture, no cigarette package had ever yet been designed that could prevent that precious moisture from drying out.

THERE are three things about a cigarette that can sting the tongue and unkindly burn the throat.

- (1) Cheap tobaccos.
- (2) Particles of peppery dust left in the tobacco because of inefficient cleaning methods.
- (3) A parched dry condition of the tobacco due to loss of natural moisture by overheating or evaporation.

Always certain of the quality of our tobaccos we had already made Camel a "dustless" cigarette by the use of a specially designed vacuum cleaning apparatus exclusive with our factory.

Now, if we could perfect a package that would actually act as a humidifier and retain the natural moisture content, then Yuma, Arizona, could enjoy Camels as much as we do here at Winston-Salem.

We knew what we wanted. We tried many things. We asked the Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory to help us.

After many experiments and humidity tests covering all methods of packing cigarettes came the report of

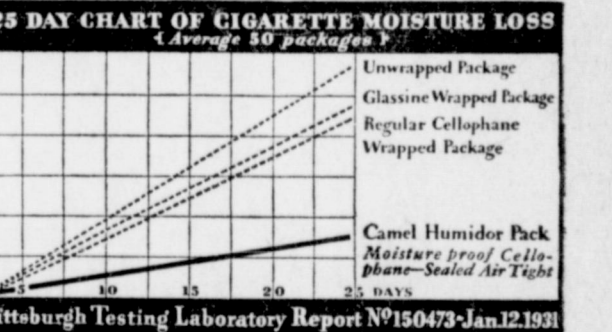
(A) No cigarette pack-nose wrapped in paper or ordinary cellophane gives anything like adequate protection against evaporation.

(B) All cigarettes so packed tend to dry out rapidly from the day they are released from the factory.

(C) Only a waterproof material with a specially devised

air-tight seal could give the desired protection. (D) This measure, while costly, could be relied on to keep Camels in prime condition for at least three months in any climate.

If you have a technical bent, the graph below made by the Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory will show you the exact results of their exhaustive study.



Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory chart above graphically shows you that only the Camel Humidor Pack delivers cigarettes to you in prime condition

YOU may be sure we gave this report a lot of careful study. We checked it and re-checked it and then we went ahead. We tried this device and that. At last we met success. The air-tight wrapping involved the designing of special processes, special machines.

That costs a lot of money, more than \$2,000,000 the first year, but after you have tried Camels packed this modern new way we are sure you will agree it is a fine investment.

For some time now every Camel that has left our factory has gone out in this new Humidor Pack.

We have said nothing about it until now, to make sure your dealer would be able to supply you when the good news came out.

Camel smokers of course have already discovered that their favorite cigarette is better and milder now than ever before.

If you aren't a Camel smoker, try them just to see what a difference there really is between harsh, dried out tobacco and a properly conditioned cigarette.

You can feel the difference, you can hear the difference and you certainly can taste the difference.

Of course we're prejudiced. We always have believed that Camel is the world's best cigarette.

Now we know it.

Just treat yourself to Camels in the new Humidor Pack and see if you don't agree.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY
Winston-Salem, N. C.



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Any erroneous reflection upon the character...

NOTICE—Obituaries and poetry at a rate of 1 cent per word.



West Texas Province... Panhandle...

Query: What was the longest rain... Noah's Reward...

E. A. U. PROGRAM March 15, 1931. Subject: The 'Universal Church'...

BAPTIST W. M. S. NOTES The Baptist W. M. S. will meet in circles Wednesday afternoon...

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER-BRIDGE PARTY Mrs. B. L. Jenkins, Jr. was honored with a dinner bridge and 42 party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins Thursday evening...

Guest list playing bridge. Mesdames B. L. Jenkins, Jr., Harry Ruddell, W. C. McDonald, M. H. Rhoades, F. E. Chamberlain, Ruth Teat, J. L. McMurtry, R. C. Kerbow, C. C. Powell, J. R. Porter, Floyd Lumpkin, Kelly Chamberlain...

MOTHERS CLUB Mrs. Bill Bromley entertained the Mothers Club Friday afternoon in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. M. Mosley...

Wonders of Plant Breeding—by Mrs. T. D. Nored. Works of Luther Burbanks—Mrs. W. W. Taylor.

DELTA PSI Alpha Delta Psi society met for their first meeting for this term...

CLARENDON C. H. D. CLUB MET FRIDAY Mrs. G. A. Anderson was hostess to the members of this club in a meeting held at her home Friday afternoon...

ASSOCIATIONAL BIBLE INSTITUTE Baptist forces from Donley and Hall counties met at Memphis each night from Monday through Friday in a Bible Institute...

MISSIONARY SOCIETY The Circles of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet in the following homes...

FORTY-TWO CLUB The 42 club was entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patman Thursday afternoon with five tables being used...

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our good neighbors and friends for their many kind deeds and sympathy and floral tributes in our recent bereavement.

Funeral Services of J. R. Cox Held Here Thursday The body of Mr. Cox was returned here Wednesday from Mineral Wells where he died suddenly the day before...

Funeral Services of J. R. Cox Held Here Thursday James Robert Cox was born in Jamesport, Missouri March 5th, 1876 later moving to Giltown, Texas where he resided until coming to Hedley in 1915...

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BRICE The pupils in Miss Guthrie's room enjoyed a birthday party Wednesday afternoon which was given in honor of Misses Ollie Gossett and Phyllis Cross...

CLARENDON HATCHERY Phone 263 Opposite Postoffice

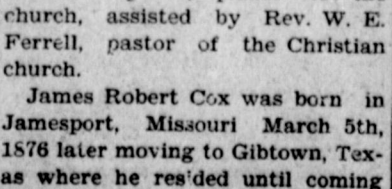
WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY Attractive Lamps Create a Charming Atmosphere

Whether your home is large or small, richly or only moderately furnished, you can add immeasurably to its charm by placing attractive lamps at appropriate places throughout the house.

The soft and shaded illumination of stand and table lamps creates an atmosphere of distinction and quality impossible of achievement in any other way.

A complete and colorful assortment of lamps is on display in the Merchandise Showroom—priced to fit every pocketbook, and selected to fill every need.

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as to get his leg cut very badly. Some one stepped on it while in a scuffle over the ball and it was necessary to have five stitches taken on it. This will be a hindrance to the Pirates base ball team for some time.

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Mrs. Will Dubbs who has been visiting her husband the past two week returned home Sunday.

The East Texas peach crop was damaged fully fifty percent Friday night when the thermometer dropped to 26.

Our old friend and neighbor, Mr. E. A. Sloan, celebrated his 81st birthday Monday. He is one among the few old cowboys of the Matador ranch of the early days and probably knows more old timers in West Texas than anyone.

We were also glad to have Mr. Rice of Amarillo to meet with us for singing Sunday afternoon.

Harry Hartzog who is attending the Brice school spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Martin.

Mr. Harold Graham returned home Wednesday, he has been visiting his brother, Mr. Fred Graham of Seagraves.

Mrs. Oleta Goodmar and baby has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swinburn.

Mrs. Duckworth who has been at the bedside of her father at Shamrock for several days returned to her school Wednesday.

Mr. Edward Wheeler and wife visited in the home of A. E. Johnson at Ashtola Thursday.

Mrs. Mildred Putman of Clarendon spent the week end with Claudine Smallwood.

Mrs. Jack Bredbeck spent the week at Clarendon visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. Frank White.

The young folks enjoyed the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid B. Thomas Friday night.

Miss Oneta Isham had her cousin from Plaska to spend the week with her.

The school boys were defeated in the ball game Thursday by the Brice All-Stars.

Mr. Thomas and his Biology class are still adding to their Zoo. They mounted a squirrel this week.

The school has adopted a new style of governing called the Council, which is composed of five high students, namely, R. V. Hatley, Chairman, Lola Todd secretary, Marion Cross, Francis Hatley, C. R. Cross and Hardy Todd.

The Council has a business meeting every Thursday.

While playing base ball Wednesday, T. C. Isham was so unlucky

Her many friends here will regret to learn that Mrs. Henry Tice of Wellington is confined in the sanitarium there suffering from sciatica. Her mother, Mrs. A. H. Baker, and sister, Mrs. Marion Cox of Panhandle, are with her.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Preacher of Lelia Lake, an 8 pound girl Friday March 6th. The little lady has been given the name, Noma Jean. Mrs. Preacher will be remembered in Clarendon as Miss Lucille Curlee.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitlock, Lawrence Whitlock and Ruth Hartzog motored to Amarillo Sunday, Mrs. Clarence Whitlock remaining for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Barnes.

Donley County Leader \$2 a Year

Useless Waste. The dusty part of the season is here. Dust destroys the fabric of clothing more than wear. Coat collars, for instance, change color and become worn more than any other part of a suit regardless of cost.

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Your country has now done that which means more to you, "12 Years Afterwards," than all the praises we have sung in your honor. We are glad for you. We feel that you are entitled to no less and hope the day will never dawn when our people will forget the sacrifices you made back in 1918, when our country needed you. Passage of the Veteran's Loan fund has shown that Uncle Sam has not forgotten the men who answered the call to arms during the troublesome times of the World's War. We salute you Ex-Service Men.

Recognition - - -

In A Way That Means More Than Glory!

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Goldston Brothers
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The Nook Drug

F. B. Thomas Feed Store

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Donley County Abstract Co.

Adorable Beauty Shop
Balcony Rundell Music Store

Clarendon Drug Store

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Bryan-Miller Company
"The Man's Store"

Greene Dry Goods Co.
"The Big Daylight Store"

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Hommel Bros.

Holland Brothers

Moss Battery & Electric

W. A. Land Shoe Shop

Home Bakery

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Douglas-Goldston Drug Co.
The Rexall Store

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Union Bus Station

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Rathjen's Shoe Store

Andis Brothers

Clarendon Abstract Company

Watson & Antrobus

Clarendon Grain Company



South Ward School HONOR ROLL

FIRST GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
Billie Ralph Andis-92
John Jr. Robinson-92
Calvin Salmon-92
Mary Frances Fox-92
Jack Stephenson-91
Dorothy Nell Oiler-91
Maxine Robertson-91
Jo Alice Lane-91
Edna Ruth Huffstutler-90
Bertha Mae Thomas-90
Elizabeth Morrison-90
Ollie McCrary-90
Charles Britten Shuford-90
Ray Bulls-90

SECOND HONOR ROLL
Maurice Rsiey-89
Elsie Mae Ellis-88
James Lumpkin-88
Billie Ruth Bulman-88
Roy Bulls-87
Dorothy Dean Thomas-87
Kitty Ruth Baley-87
Jewel Allen-86
Walton Tucker-86
Billy Noble-86
Irene Langford-86
Loyce Beach-85
George Reeves-85
Pearl Derrick-85
Billy Gene Johnson-85
J. A. Howard, Jr.-85
Madeline Kelly-85
Lena Williams-85
Robert Summers-85
Earnest Eudy-85
Betty Blanche Baker-85
James Berry-85
Billy Mears-85
Aileen Kutch-85
Bernice Langford-85
Maggie Davis-85
Opal Housden-85
Margaret Calson-85
Lois Moffett-85

SECOND GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
Lucille Goldston-92
Ronald Keener-92
Mildred Phelps-92
Kathryn Keener-92
Bobbie Joe Skelton-91
Claudene Haley-90
Betty Jo Caraway-90
Ellis Reid-90
Jo Ann Smith-90
Maxine Lamtin-90
Johnny Grady-90

SECOND HONOR ROLL
Katrene Carlile-89
Leon Lusk-88
Oleta Marshall-88
Emogene Mayo-88
Dona Adams-88
Gaynell Tidwell-88
Lois Heatherly-87
Rowena Smith-87
Lorene Thomas-87
Dorothy Frances Nobles-87
Walter Mc Pherson-89
Rosa Lee Ellis-89
Lowell Hickman-88
Nelda Peabody-87
Louise Russell-87
Cleo Russell-86
Glenn Sloan-86
Eua Glenn Bain-86
David Olen-86
Ramona Smith-86
Dan Batson-86
Joe Bob Baker-86
Coleman Huffm n-85
Clarence Pipes-85
Alonzo Tozer-85

THIRD GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
June McMurtry-95
Billie Patman-95
Billy Headrick-94
Neil Sachse-93
Fred Chamberlain-92
Gladys Thomas-92
Billie Lou Gilbert-91
Phillips Gentry-91
Raymond Hay-90
Houston Alexander-90
O. J. Melton-90
Ruth McDonald-90
Lois Taylor-90

SECOND HONOR ROLL
La Juan Ellis-89
Irene O'Neal-89
Billie Latson-88
Pauline Riley-88
Jack Mackey-87
Finnis Russom-87
Thelma Heatherley-86
Joyce McCrary-86
Billy Yates-86
Margaret Berry-86
Dwight Tomb-86
Claude Taylor-86
J. L. Reid-85
Mary Zee Taylor-85
Louise Wood-85
Virginia Vaughn-85
Emily Davis-85

FOURTH GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
Phebe Ann Buntin-96
Maxine Ellis-96
Gladys Hutton-94
Frances Morris-94
Edward McDaniel-93
Ray Robertson-92
Ethelyn Drennon-91
Maurine Langford-91
Kathleen Ryan-91
Edith Shelton-91
Gall Adams-91
Jane Hillman-91
Martha Jo Word-90
Homer Tucker-90

Royce Lummus-90
Aline Gibbs-90
Carl Webb-90
SECOND HONOR ROLL
Jimmy Gen- Thompson-89
Billie Cooke-89
Frances Grady-89
Mildred Jo Ham-89
Lawrence Heckman-89
Georgella Ray-88
Lucille Nidever-88
Jimmie Watters-88
Jack Reeves-87
Kenneth Sloan-87
Mary E. Robinson-87
Dorothy Kerbow-87
Jessie Lane-87
Cecil Smith-87
Ray Palmer-86
Margaret Reavis-85
Junior Swift-85
Ida Pearl Ticer-85
William McPherson-85

FIFTH GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
La Verne Kimbriel-92
Earl Eudy-92
Margaret Easterling-92
Jean McDonald-91
Elizabeth Combest-91
Dorothy Langford-91
Murel Crabtree-90
Vera Mae Allee-90
Edna Thomas-90
Albert Cobb-90
Willard Ham-90
SECOND HONOR ROLL
Frances Fowles-89
Reba Nichols-89
Drusilla Mayo-88
Pauline O'Neal-88
Jaunita Cummins-87
Ralph Grady-87
Zelda Ruth Nored-87
Frances Hearn-87
Durward McCracken-87
Ava Marie Griffin-86
Edna Wardlow-86
Harold Simmons-86
Truett Holtzclaw-86
Ruth Cornell-85
Lilly Lane-85
Margaret Kelly-85
Irene Russom-85
Lorene Reynolds-85

Junior High School HONOR ROLL

SIXTH GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
Jimmy Bourland-93
Jo Ellen Kennedy-92
Nickey Stewart-91
Eugenia Noland-91
SECOND HONOR ROLL
Allen Patman-89
La Verne McMurtry-89
Wesley Powell-89
Dorothy Scoggins-89
Nell Cook-88
Helen Risley-88
Margaret Hillman-88
Pauline Carlile-87
Fannie Mae Sachse-87
Maurice Lane-87
Peggy Word-87
Mamie Ferrell-87
Pearl McGowan-87
Dollie Faust-86
Fannie McGowan-86
Mary Wood-86
E. W. Jones-86
Mary Lois Hayter-86
Aubrey Brady-86
Gertrude Hayden-85
Verlin Martin-85
Howard Gilbert-85

SEVENTH GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
Avis Lee Mc Elvany-95
Mary Frances Dewey-94
Ila Deal-93
Helen Louise Greene-92
Mildred Crabtree-92
Mary Travis Dyer-92
Mary Ella Barnard-90
Marie Carlile-90
Houston Gattis-90
Val Rita Hayden-90
Dorothy Phelps-90

SECOND HONOR ROLL
Anna Moores Swift-89
A. J. Smith-88
Lowell Lafon-88
Ruby Franabarger-88
Curtis Thomas-88
Alma Dale McFarling-87
Dorothy Jo Ryan-87
Bobby Boston-86
Woodrow Bulls-86
Dorothy Allen-85
Genella Eloridge-85
Kedron Evans-85
Vivian Taylor-85
Ruth Warren-85

EIGHTH GRADE
FIRST HONOR ROLL
Ruby Del Scoggins-93
La Verne Lott-93

* Political Announcements *
FOR MAYOR OF CLARENDON

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

**EVERLITE
FLOUR**

Shelton & Sanford Grocery

'Militiamen Guard' \$50,000 Contest Mail



THE thousands of letters received in the \$50,000 Camel cigarette contest, advertised in newspapers from coast to coast, were guarded in the same manner as huge gold shipments. Photograph shows contest mail being loaded into an armored truck at the Winston-Salem, N. C., postoffice under guard for transportation to the offices of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company. Charles Dana Gibson, noted artist and publisher of Life, Ray Long, president of International Magazine Company and Editor of Cosmopolitan Magazine, and Roy Howard, chairman of the board of the Scripps-Howard newspapers, were judges of the contest which called for answers to the question, "What recent change has been made in the wrapping of the Camel package containing twenty cigarettes and what are its advantages to the smoker?" The huge response to the contest announcements proved anew the great responsiveness of the public to newspaper advertising.

Lee Christine Cousins-92
Wilma D. Smith-92
Arthur Chase-91
Gladys Salmon-90
Christine Lambkin-90

SECOND HONOR ROLL
Mary Frances Powell-88
Dorothy Powell-88
Joy McCanne-87
George Chamberlain-87
Evelyn Murphy-87
Myrtle Mae Williams-85
Billie Baker 85
T. J. Mann-85

OUR WEEKLY CHURCH CHAT

Lost—A Boy.

No, not kidnapped by bandits and hidden in a cave to weep and to starve while a nation is searching frantically for him. If that were the case a hundred thousand men would rush to his rescue. Unfortunately, the losing of the lad was without any dramatic excitement, though as sadly and really.

The fact is, his father lost him. Being too busy to sit with him at the fireside and answer his trivial questions during the years when father was the only hero he knew,

he let go his hold on him—his own big-hearted boy.

His mother, too, lost him. Much engrossed with teas, dinners and clubs, she let the nurse hear his prayers, and thus her grip on him slipped and he was gone.

Yes, the church, too, lost him by thinking only of the wise and elderly and dignified, making no provisions for the humanness of the boy in the sermon or the service.

So the church and many sad-hearted parents, are now looking for the lost boy—and, oh, how anxiously, but too late! (selected)

Every day as we read our paper, we are startled by the stories of the crime wave that is sweeping around the world. But when we settle down and begin to study certain facts we should not be surprised. From some high school surveys we learn that 16% of children did not know where Jesus was born, 16% did not know the name of His mother, 70% did not know where to find the Sermon on the Mount. Out of 495 papers of 20 questions each, 399 could not name the writers of the four gospels, 407 did not know the name of the great missionary of the New Testament, 417 could not name four disciples. When we learn that over 25,000,000 of the youth of our land have no religious training, an estimate of 7 out of 10, then we are not surprised that about 70% of the crimes are committed by people under twenty five years of age.

It is the time for us to wake up and to realize that Christianity is the hope of the world. It is the only influence that can enter the heart of a bad man and change him into a good man. God knew that the world would not heal itself, so he sent Jesus to 'seek and to save'. Jesus in turn instructed men and sent them forth with a message, those men have passed the work to us and we become Christ's witnesses, his ambassadors, to carry His message to mankind. We must not fail Him. He has made no other arrangements, the world's greatest need is Christ, and God has decreed that men tell others of the plan of salvation.

The responsibility of the 'other fellows' salvation rests upon you, until you have delivered the message and warning, then it rests upon the people or person taught. Use your life, time, talent, and money, Help save the boy.

"An Alarm From Heaven" will be our subject Sunday morning. When heaven sounds an alarm we should heed it. Sunday night our subject will be "The Lost Boy, or Misplaced Things." Studying this lesson may help you to find yourself, so come out and study with us.

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

Winter Auto Troubles

BATTERIES recharged by the slow process which prevents bucking of plates and insures a longer life.

RADIATORS will freeze. We repair them. **EASY STARTING** in winter is possible if you have your car "tuned up" occasionally to where it has a chance to "kick off" promptly without losing any compression. If your motor is hard to start, bring it to us.

"A share of your business will be appreciated"

Finis Harp's Auto Hospital

COSTLY DELAYS!

When you have a broken down car or truck, you naturally think of—

Expense and Delay

first of all things. The many car parts which we keep in stock right here saves the delay. The salvaged parts save expense.

The success of our business has been made possible by the service rendered the public. Ask your neighbor about us—he knows.

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Performance, too, proves Chevrolet the Great American Value

The new Chevrolet Six is a fine performer. It maintains high road speeds at a low, easy-working engine speed. Its 50-horsepower engine operates with unsurpassed economy. Six cylinders enable you to creep along, accelerate, climb hills, go fast—and do it all smoothly, quietly—with little shifting of gears. Step into a Chevrolet and drive. Let performance, too, prove Chevrolet the Great American Value.

New low prices—Roadster, \$475; Sport Roadster, \$495; Phaeton, \$510; Standard Coupe, \$535; Coach or Standard Five-Window Coupe, \$545; Sport Coupe, \$575; Five-Passenger Coupe, \$595; Convertible Cabriolet, \$615; Standard Sedan, \$635; Special Sedan or Convertible Landau Phaeton, \$650. Prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich. Special equipment extra. Low delivered prices and easy terms.

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Temple of Truth

By the Apostle



Migosh! When we arrive at the point where there is not a thing to be found for the unemployed to do next, let's turn our attention to the poor earth worms.

It is neither he nor she, never was born, knows nothing of the protecting care of a "papa" and a mother's love is denied it.

If all the worms were hunted up and a small bell placed on their necks, the gentle tinkle, tinkle would add much to its joy and besides it would enable Coach Burton and a lot of other dumb fishermen to locate them more easily.

Here's another bright idea that is original with the Apostle: These bait hunters could get a supply of that famous Amarillo mineral water (adv.) and pour it over the ground where the neglected worms live, and when they come out to dance off the effects of the "elixir of life" the fishermen could grab off as many as they wanted.

It's all a brilliant idea, given free without the asking and will help all the citizens of the town. The Apostle believes in helping everything and everybody, but first our undying sympathy goes out to the frigid zones of the fishermen.

J. M. Cornell brought in a sack of clothing Friday that he had found on the road. This sack of clothing was worth several dollars and was being brought to the laundry when lost. Being an honest man, J. M. brought the sack to the Leader office asking that an ad be run seeking a recovery of the lost articles.

The College Hill widow says there is something personal about a husband, just as there is about a wash cloth or a tooth brush. "I want one that I can count on when I need him and not when other people are through with him."

Now comes Homer Mulky who owns one of the best dog products of Jack county and says he is due to win first honors in the dog tournament to be held here late this month. The dog's pedigree is "Bromide of Potassium, Dam Borax of Peruvian Bark" and was imported by Doc Wood several months ago.

That dog tournament is one of the outstanding achievements of the Chamber of Commerce for the year 1931, and Secretary G. L. Boykin, City Marshall and any others that took a hand in lancing it for Clarendon, are to be congratulated.

Marshall Pyle disclaims any connection with the dog tournament, but he has been killing pooch hounds around town all week cutting down show material, and when the big show starts, it will be just like Flop to bob up with a Pekinese poodle.

This has been "donating week" and I don't mean maybe. Contrary-



On The Screen

—under the glare of powerful lights and the stress of "Picture Making" the beauty rendered by Gouraud's Oriental Cream stands the test. It gives an alluring, pearly appearance that will not rub off, streak or spot.

No "touching up" necessary as the skin retains the delightfully soft, seductive beauty under all conditions.

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tion to two rescue home funds, three starving families not counting my own, band fund, and one preacher. What's the matter with the Association for the protection of Africa? Blind mice?

If the moon had a baby would the sky rocket? I don't know, but did the stars shoot its papa? How do you like the honor roll published in this issue of the Leader? Fine bunch of kids and we are all proud of them.

Work And Wages And The Sovereignty of Government

Editor Leader: There is one distinction which the advocate of "the right to work" fall sometimes to make. No one doubts a man's right to work, but that does not mean that he has a right to demand either the government or anybody else to hire him to work.

It is not only the right of every man to work, but it is his duty to work. If the other man has no job, he must make one for himself, either on the farm or in the shop. He has no right to sit around and look for a job, or wait for one to come to him.

But if there is work which the government needs to have done, then it is the duty of the government to proceed to have that work done, thus giving employment to all the men needed and thus paying the workers proper wages on which to live decent and honorable lives.

Under our present financial system, the government, as well as individuals are blocked from the duty of making improvements until the money necessary is borrowed with interest from our gold owning bankers and money lenders. The government itself cannot do its plain duty until it makes satisfactory terms with some private money lenders.

If these lenders do not desire the work to be done as contemplated by the government, they have the power to say "no, we will not lend you the money", and then the government is stilled, and cannot move till the money lenders say move. This is an ignoble state of government. This disgraces the government. This shows the existence in the government of a power superior to the government itself.

What a miscarriage of justice it is when the government must back down and refuse to do its plain duty because it is under the ban of private interests that are able to dictate the things it should do! That is what is the matter with the nation today in this time of awful depression.

Our national law makers were held up in their plain duty of paying the ex-soldiers for their full past services just because money lenders headed by Secretary Mellon were refusing to lend the government the necessary money to meet the payments. Any tyro in economics can see that this is a ruse in government—an injustice

SHINES 10c
DYE & SHINE 30c
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POTTS-McGOWN

Experienced Shine Boy
BILLY WALKER

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Pain Passes Off

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

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

"I keep Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills in my pocket and when I get a dull heavy feeling in my head, I take a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill and the pain passes off."

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS

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inflicted upon the government by a lot of private money manipulators.

Our government should not be under the dictates of the money lenders. They should be under the dictates of the government. The government stamps their money and turns it over to them just when they call for it. Their money is not money at all till the government first stamps its fiat upon it, and yet our misguided congress has given to them the power to refuse, even to lend that money back to the government if they choose to do so.

Our misguided government has chosen not to stamp money for itself, but to stamp it for the gold owners, and then let them dictate the terms by which the government and the people can use that money when it is needed to relieve the dire calamities that are upon us.

Now is the time for our congressmen to assert the sovereignty of their government in the stamping of its own money for its own needs, and make service, instead of gold the basis of that money issue. No longer should the great United States Government cringe at the behest of a grafting gold owning oligarchy and be held up in its benevolent and progressive designs in the interests of human needs.

Soldiers should be paid for their services, and workers should be paid for other services in which the good of all humanity is involved and no private set of gold owners should be allowed to handicap the government in its efforts at justice and human betterment.

P. A. Spain, Paris, Texas.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Goodpasture of Memphis visited in the Pat Longan home Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Palmer and son John Wesley spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Riley, and John Wesley celebrated his 2nd birthday with a birthday dinner and a lovely birthday cake beautifully decorated and holding two candles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanham of Sunny View spent Sunday in the John Goldston home.

Miss Helen Goldston entertained a few of her friends with a party Thursday night. Bridge and forty-two were enjoyed until a late hour

Graduation Gifts!

Let us make you a gift suitable for your needs. Finish them yourself—Your work of art will be appreciated.

- End Tables
- Book Ends
- Candle Stick Holders
- Telephone Desks
- Dressing Chairs
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- Dressing Tables
- Reading Lamp Stands
- Foot Stools
- Writing Pad Boards
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And several other articles too numerous to mention. Just let us know your needs.

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rillo the past week returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevenson and little daughter of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart Tuesday.

The young people enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lynn Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Blevis and family also Douglas Malone of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Johnson and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Buttrill of Clarendon met with the club members Thursday. She gave a very interesting talk on Home Improvement Work-Interior and Home Improvement Work-Exterior.

H. B. Rhodes and family spent the week end visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mill-sap.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Hall and little daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Hall and family of Lesley Sunday.

Mattie Rhodes of Bethel spent the week end with her folks.

A CROWN FOR A MOTHER

By Helen Welshimer Once in a while a woman goes forth to high conquest, led by voices that whisper of fame and laurels and far, glad things that wait for those who ride gallantly down the highways of the world. To the privileged few comes the clarion call, but to a myriad army an older, lovelier dream, soft as voices of little children at story-telling time, brings a challenge as simple as it is beautiful.

It does not lead to a world where banners fly and bugles blow, but to a little home where gardens and children grow, where there are cookie jars to be filled, torn trousers to be mended, bruises to be bound, tears to be kissed away from trusting eyes, and laughter and sacrifice and sympathy to be fostered in the brave eyes of little boys and the trusting eyes of little girls.

Mother Goose and her fairy crew

come back, knights who have been victorious on far crusades climb the garden wall to show the paths to children who are preparing for the day when they, too, shall go forth to win an accolade. And all the while the one who opened the door to the glorious world of make believe makes another pudding, re-trims an old hat, and buys a flowered ribbon or a new cap to accor-rise the child to whom she has given the shining vision.

She teaches her children to sing through the twilight when the morrow is far away; she tells them that there is a land where dreams come true but only those who are faithful to the trust of simple things will find it, and she repeats again and again that life is a gay adventure to those who will wear the scarlet plume of valor, chivalry and loving kindness.

To the mothers of the world the old-fashioned mothers and the laughing young mothers, the mothers who have vanished down the winding streets of memory, and the widowed mothers who flung their heads against the wind and went out to take a father's place, coming home at dusk to be mothers again, the world offers tribute.

It does not matter so much if a woman comes to the ending of the way with trumpet songs in the dusk stars in the packet of visions that she has fulfilled, and laurel leaves on her hair. If the crown of mother love is not there, she has missed the happiest path on the long crusade.

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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.

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Old Mother Nature has no substitute when aid is needed for torpid, constipated liver. That's why Carter's Little Liver Pills are made out of pure vegetable calomel. Starting thirty-two ounces of bile flowing freely, they thoroughly cleanse body of all waste. Red bottles. All Druggists. Insist on Carter's by name. Take Carter's.

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THE HOME OF Perfect Talking Pictures

Wed-Thurs 11-12th Ina Clair, Frederic March and Mary Brian

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This wonderful cast reveals the private lives and loves of America's favorites. Here is Inside Stuff that tells what their outward appearance does not. Plenty of good comedy, very good modern escapades. You will get a kick out of this one. Also Paramount Act.

BRING A FRIEND—OUR PENNY NIGHT—10-35c—Two for 11-36c

Friday 13th Ed Wynn (the perfect fool) Ginger Rogers

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Everybody grins with Ed Wynn, the man with a million laughs coming direct from Broadway to you. Now if you need a good laugh here it is already wrapped up. Also Paramount News and Act. Mat. 10-30c—Night 10-35c

Saturday 14th Bob Steel

—in— "The Land of Missing Men"

A girl, a gun, and Gold, a perfect picture for Bob Steele, Western Whiz. He was Man among men, strong, Swift, Deadly. Also Kentucky Jubilee in Way Down South. Mat. 10-30c—Night 10-35c

Mon-Tues 16-17th Gary Cooper, Lily Damita, Ernest Torrence, and Fred Kohler

—in— "Fighting Caravans"

Greatest since the Covered Wagon. Westward Ho! Men, women, children, scores of horses pulling dozens of wagons plunging courageously into a blind wilderness. Facing privations, fighting their way to victory, and the promised land of the Golden West, and two of them—A man, a girl, finding love beyond their dreams. You went away saying the Covered Wagon was the best silent picture you ever saw. Now you will say this excels it as we have Talking and natural sound. Also good Comedy. 10-40c

COMING—Clara Bow in No Limit, and Ingagi, the great Animal picture.

Civic And Charity Results is Announced At Lions Luncheon

Calls For Assistance From Needy Continue to Come From Many Sections

Lion Mulkey reported on the condition of the Red Cross work of the county, he being county chairman and familiar with the progress of the work.

Lions Boykin and McKee reported on the progress of the work at the City Park, much of the curbing being completed and the stone practically all used that had been brought in by volunteer labor some weeks ago.

Lion Burton called attention to the fact that clothing for the younger children of needy families was most urgent, and that fuel in most any form was also needed to prevent suffering through the cold weather.

He also called attention to the fact that the school census was being taken and that families moving into the district should be reported to the proper authorities promptly that the district might get proper credit for them in drawing state apportionment funds.

Guests for the day were Frank Fount of Textline, J. W. Watts and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Finch of Hedley.

Mr. Watts was given a rising vote of thanks for the able manner in which he had served the town in the capacity of Captain of the Goodfellows and in the management of the funds in seeing to their proper distribution.

Texas Cowboy Writer Hailed As Nation's Greatest

To be hailed as the greatest writer of Southwest stories of legends of hidden fortunes, lost mines, old cow trails and early pioneer life, comes to J. Frank Dobie, ex-cowboy and native Texan with his greatest book, "Coronado's Children" entering its third edition, on sale at the Rexall store here.

Strange as it may seem, reminds, hackmore and moral have a vague meaning in the vocabulary of the present day generation of Texas. In reading this book, old timers will recall rich experiences and the young will get thrills.

One can see the thousands of longhorns winding up the trail, smell the cow chip fire and aroma of coffee, bacon and onions. The "hot roll" and pack is again explained and "fairgrounding" a brute as a cowpuncher's pastime is indeed a surprise.

County Highway Held Up Pending on Decision

The construction of a highway across the county, or at least the grading, drainage and bridge work promised by the state provided the right-of-way is secured by the county, is being held up at this time pending a decision relative to the location of the road from this side of Hedley to the east county line.

Some of the citizens of Hedley want the highway to pass through town on the north side of the track. State highway officials will be asked to pass on this matter before grading can begin as the state had made a survey on the south side of the track.

Highway men say that the grading could begin within sixty days on the original survey, but even though a change is granted, actual surveying would be delayed until late fall and grading could not begin for some months later.

Employment is Given Many Men Needing Jobs

During the past month several men have been employed at the ball park in tearing down the fencing, leveling up the ground, etc. The fence will be again erected which will give further employment.

Work on the city park site has also given employment to several in building the curbing. This work was directed by Mr. Steagall and is a most satisfactory looking job.

so far as the work has been completed. It is hoped that this work will be carried on until damage from heavy rains will be avoided.

Petit Jury is Announced

Petit Jury for the second week of the March term of District Court, March 30th, 1931.

- E. B. Richardson
Floyd Keener
Clyde Grimsley
John H. Hunt
E. O. Hutton
Condy Jones
J. H. Mana
J. S. Spradlin
N. E. Payne
A. B. Long
Will Kenney
J. A. Stewart
O. L. Smith
Otis Jackson
O. Lusrey
Jim Josey
D. R. Dunning
J. K. Morton
Sid Gittis
F. R. Crisp
Andrew Jay
J. R. Bain
G. F. Leathers
J. C. Perdue
G. R. Grant
W. H. Morgan
J. G. McDougal
R. R. Dawkins
L. J. Goldston
E. F. Kirby
J. W. Rhoades
J. W. DeBord
A. M. Bishop
J. T. Curtis
M. A. Josey
F. E. Carter

Dozens Brought to Crippled Children's Clinic Sat.

One hundred and twenty-two crippled children of the Panhandle were taken to the clinic conducted by surgeons of the Texas Shriners' Crippled Children Hospital of Dallas at the Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo Saturday.



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Snappy new Style Cloths and Colors.

At \$27.50—2 Pants

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Doctors Carrell, Gray and Gerard put in a full day and it was found necessary for Dr. Gray to remain over to complete the task of examination. Children were brought from as far south as Lubbock and from practically all sections of the north Plains.

This clinic is being sponsored by the clubs of the Panhandle in cooperation with the Dallas Masonic institution. Further clinics will be held, it is said, in the near future.

To Observe Mission Day Next Sunday

The Christian Church will observe Mission Day, Sunday March 15th. The church had planned to have this special service a week ago, but because of the snow and bad weather it was postponed for two weeks.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends of Clarendon and Lelia Lake for their thoughtfulness shown us in our great sorrow. Such kindness strengthens us to bear our great loss.

Mrs. Ione Ellis
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ellis
And Family

Homer M. Ellis

Funeral services were conducted at the local Methodist church at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon for Homer M. Ellis who died at El Paso the preceding Sunday. The services were conducted by Rev. W. M. Murrell, presiding elder, and Rev. B. N. Shepherd, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city.

The services at the cemetery were in charge of the Masonic order of which the deceased was an honored member for several years.

WINDY VALLEY

County agent, T. R. Brown of Clarendon made a very interesting talk on gardening at the school house Tuesday night. There was a good size crowd present.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Morris and son Virgil visited Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Cole Tuesday evening.

Miss Inez Skinner visited Mrs. J. H. Treadwell at Memphis Wed. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kavanaugh and daughter and Miss Rachel Tidrow visited Mr. Shelly Kavanaugh and family at Shamrock Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Reeves of Lelia Lake visited in the O. S. Lyons home awhile Monday night.

Mrs. Bettie Black and daughter Oecia spent Friday night with Mrs. M. G. Cottingham of Lelia Lake.

We have been having some very disagreeable weather here the last few days. It snowed some Friday, seems like winter has just begun.

The school girls basketball team played the outside girls team in basketball Thursday evening, the school girls being victorious.

Mrs. I. M. Noble visited Mrs. M. A. Josey Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher and little son of Chamberlain spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Fletcher.

Mrs. M. A. Josey who has been sick for sometime was taken to the Adair hospital Wednesday and is not improving as we would like for her to, we wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. D. B. Perdue of Hudgins called on Mr. J. W. Skinner Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Cottingham of Lelia Lake called in the home of O. S. Lyons Friday afternoon.

Mr. Allen Kavanaugh of Shamrock is visiting his brother, G. W. Kavanaugh and family.

Janice Harlin fell and broke her arm and is having to miss school. We hope it will soon be alright and she can be in school again.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelly Kavanaugh and Miss Mary Sherring of Shamrock spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kavanaugh.

Miss Rachel Tidrow spent the week end with homefolks at Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs of Hudgins visited Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Noble Thursday.

Several of the young people attended the party at Mr. Butlers at Lelia Lake Saturday night.

SUNNYVIEW

Friends here of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Riley, will be pleased to learn that they arrived home from Miner at Wells Thursday afternoon, where they spent the past 5 weeks for the benefit of his health. He is not well but was greatly benefitted by the treatment and water.

Miss Louise Batson of Memphis and Mr. Quin Aten of Lelia Lake visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joan Goldston and family of Pleasant Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wood spent Sunday at Brice visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Mrs. Clarence Cannon and baby of Littlefield are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harden and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bailey and Mrs. D. B. Bailey called on Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Roberson Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ella Smith of East Texas is here for a visit with her brothers Paul and Harve Smith. Mrs. Clayton and son Thomas,

also Misses Orene, Kathleen, Ina and Pauline Riley also John Bruce Glen and Jack called on Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard Tuesday night till bed time and played "42", others to enjoy the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and daughter, Miss Myrtle were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham Wednesday night till bed time. Mrs. Sam Roberts and brother Rice Batson drove to Memphis Tuesday night to see their mother Mrs. Q. O. Batson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and baby and his mother Mrs. M. E. Jones of Brice spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Failley.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bailey and family till bed time Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham called on Mr. Hutto and daughter, Miss Ethel, a while Thursday night.

Mrs. Sam Roberts spent today (Monday) with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parker and baby of Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard entertained a few of their friends on Saturday night with "42". Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Luthie Putler, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks Ice cream and cake was served at a late hour.

Miss Eula Haley, Miss Ella Smith and Mrs. Paul Smith and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley Sunday.

Miss Bessie Lee Clayton is home from Beverly where she has been teaching all fall and winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard and family and Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Starks.

Sam Roberts spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Amarillo visiting his mother, his son Ray and other

MARTIN

Bro. Shepherd filled his regular appointment at the school house Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon.

The Martin Home Demonstration club will meet Thursday March 12th with Mrs. O. D. Hurn. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Peabody and son Merle Wayne of Hedley spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Noel Harvey.

Singing Sunday evening was well attended. Everyone is invited to come every Sunday evening at 7:30 and help sing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Turnbow and son Royce spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller.

The Men's forty-two club met Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Easterling with the following present: Mr. Charlie Hurn, Mr. O. D. Hurn, Mr. West Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Acy Peabody, Mr. Walter Morrow and Mr. J. B. Turnbow of Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurman Patterson spent from Wednesday until Saturday at Pleasant Valley with the lady's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon.

The young people enjoyed a party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Acy Peabody.

Doke Smith and Bob Donell left Friday for San Antonio.

Mrs. Charles Dean of Dimmitt is visiting with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Lane this week.

Misses Allene and Janet Parks of Estelline visited friends in Clarendon Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Bently and Miss Isabell Eatley of McLean spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. C. A. Bryan who has been visiting in Turkey the past month returned to Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. O. W. Latson who is constructing a gulf filling station at Amarillo spent the week end in his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovell and Mrs. Chun left Saturday for east Texas where they will visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wright of Borger spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting relatives.

Miss Carrie Davis and Mr. E. S. Cope left Monday for Abilene where they will enter the oratorical contest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sims, Jr. and her mother, Mrs. J. B. Baird were in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. W. F. Fleming of Chicago, Ill. is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. B. Baird and Mrs. Annie Hall.

Miss May Bennett visited her sister, Mrs. Park Chamberlain at the North West Texas Hospital of Amarillo Sunday.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST

LOST—100 lbs. of corn meal. In sack with J. O. E. in red letters. Return S. W. Endsley. Phone 49tf.

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

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Modish and becoming hats made from your material or ours, in our home. Phone 296 for appointment. Harned Sisters, Expert Milliners. 1tf.

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

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

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

COTTON SEED—Acala and Qualla 75c per bushell. F. L. Behrens, Clarendon, Texas. 49tf.

FOR SALE—Place your order for chicks NOW. Will have Buff Orpingtons and Reds by January 30th. Lelia Lake Hatcheries, N. M. Hornsby, Prop. 49tf.

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

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

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