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## Merchants Sponsor to Novel Dollar Day MINISTERS TO LEAD MOVEMENT OF CITIZENSHIP BACK TO CHURCH

### MINISTERS PLAN "NRA" CAMPAIGN

#### RECOVERY OF ATTENDANCE ON SERVICES TO BE OB- JECT OF EFFORT

The letters NRA mean the National Recovery Act to millions of people throughout the United States, but to the people of Clarendon they are taking on a new meaning. To them they mean, "Newer Religious Activities."

The churches of the city have united their forces to put on a special "Go to Church" campaign for the months of October and November. The ministers of the city, in a joint session, held Monday morning, outlined a program for better church attendance and they are appealing to the members of the churches in Clarendon to assist them in this campaign.

Many "New Deals" are being tried throughout the world by people who are seeking health, happiness and prosperity, and the preachers of this city believe all of these things can be found and obtained, if people will obey the "code" outlined by the "Master" to His disciples many years ago. To thousands of people, this code is still "new" and it will bring results if put into practice. "Newer Religious Activities" will solve many of the problems of life, and it is a program that all can help to put across.

Beginning with the first Sunday in October special efforts will be made and interesting programs will be arranged in all of the churches to build up a better attendance record. Vacation days are about over and it is about time for church members to awake and get on the job and face the tasks before them. The churches of any city are its greatest assets. None would want to live in a community without churches. None have a greater duty than that of throwing the resources of our homes and lives into the movement of building up the church. Too many people who believe in the church confine their interest to mere believing but now is the time to put "Newer Religious Activities" to work. Everybody in church, every Lord's Day. The churches need you and you need the churches. The churches of Clarendon are expecting you to do your part.

### GOVERNMENT PLOWS UP ONLY ONE PATCH

Only one cotton patch in Collingsworth County has been plowed up by orders of the Federal Government. Last week four farmers were still refusing to plow up their cotton in conformity with the contract signed with the Government.

When the situation was explained, three of them agreed to plow up their own cotton, but the fourth refused, and he was served with a court order and a man was sent out with a tractor Wednesday to plow up the cotton. The expense of plowing will be deducted from his check.—Wellington Leader.

### NRA TO TAKE PLACE OF HIT-OR-MISS SYSTEM

LOS ANGELES.—At a mammoth mass meeting and luncheon of business men, the head of the State board tersely explained the working of the entire NRA system and added: "Instead of being an idealistic or altruistic scheme, the NRA program is one of the most hard-boiled pieces of legislation ever enacted. Its real object is not only to relieve suffering and lift up the heads and hopes of millions of unemployed but it is a planned organization of business that will definitely replace the present hit-or-miss system."

Milton Beavers, business manager of the Community News at Plainview, spent Sunday here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Beavers.

### Panhandle Plains Historical Review

Members of the Panhandle Plains Historical Society, many of whom reside in Clarendon, have just received Volume Six of the society's annual publication, "Panhandle Plains Historical Review."

Its cover page, in rough texture, is embellished with a sketch of three wild horses by Harold D. Bugbee, who has furnished the cover design for every issue of the Review since it was started. The book, of more than 100 pages, was printed by the Russell Stationery company of Amarillo, with George Autrey in charge of its production.

It contains a roster of the officers and directors, the life members and the annual members. Following an article by the editor, L. F. Sheffy, about the contributors, come the articles which put into the record data which would otherwise die with those to whom they are familiar. This is the real object of the Review.

The articles include a sketch of the life of James H. Cartor by Ernest Cabe; An English view of the Wild West, by Angie Debo; The LX ranch of Texas, by Margaret Sheers; Recollections of Tascosa before and after the coming of the law, John Arnot, an old-time cowhand; The Spanish horse on the great plains, by L. F. Sheffy. The book is a valuable contribution to the historical record of the Panhandle Plains of Texas.

### OVER 300 HORSES AT AMARILLO FAIR

#### ATTRACTIONS WILL INCLUDE MANY NEVER OFFERED TO PATRONS BEFORE

Ten years ago the Tri-State Exposition was but a dream, in the minds of the Panhandle-Plains people.

Today, as a practical realization of that dream, it stands in the front rank of the truly great fairs of the southwest.

The Exposition's importance among fairs—and also the importance of the region which it represents—has been recognized by its admission into the various Fair Circuits, thus assuring exhibits and amusement features of a class far beyond any ever seen in the Great Plains region. Through this recognition, visitors to Amarillo Tri-State Exposition this year will enjoy exhibits and entertainments on a parity with those offered at other regional organizations and great state fairs.

Visitors to the fair this year will be afforded an opportunity of seeing an exhibit such as the younger generation has never before seen, and will carry the older generation back 10 or 15 years ago when man's best friend, the horse, played a very important part in all fairs. This year, at the Tri-State Fair, there will be no less than three hundred blue-blooded and thorough-bred horses from all sections of the country. These horses will be on exhibit in their stalls day and night. The stalls will be lighted, the barns decorated, and visitors will be welcome to walk down the long corridor of horse stalls and look them over.

Promptly at 2:30 every afternoon for six days, beginning Sept. 25th a sufficient number of these rack to take part in six running line thoroughbreds will be on the races. In each race there will be from six to 12 horses. Pure money offered for these races is \$500.00 per day.

For the first time in the history of the Tri-State Fair, parimutuel betting will be legal. Furthermore, on two nights in front of the grandstand, the visitors will find offered as entertainment and amusement, two world championship boxing bouts. These championship boxing bouts,

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### POST BARBECUE WELL ATTENDED

#### OVER 200 GUESTS ENJOY FEED TENDERED ALL EX- SERVICE MEN

The Aubyn E. Clark Post of the American Legion was host Tuesday night to all ex-service men and their families at a barbecue supper which was served in the building next to Anstro Hotel. The annual occasion was attended by a number estimated to be well over 200 men, women and children, exceeding any previous year.

The lone service table, extending down the middle of the room, was loaded down with such an abundance of food that, although the attendance was even greater than expected there was an ample supply for all.

Members of the Post are especially appreciative of the courtesy of Legionnaire Harley Skinner, who furnished all the beef and mutton. And more delicious barbecue was never served anywhere. Other members of the Post furnished coffee, pickles, bread and other accessories, and the ladies prepared dozens of cakes, pies and other delicacies, a top off the menu, there were about 40 watermelons, which were sliced and served as long as anyone wanted watermelon.

During the evening delightful music was furnished by the Clarendon band, directed by Sam Stephenson. Largely composed of schoolboys, with a few adults, the band is a real pleasure to hear. They played with a finish and snap that would do credit to much older musicians.

After the feasting was over a bunch of "the boys" began to crave a little vocal harmony, and soon a group of them, with the band director, and occasionally the band, helping out, were singing all the songs that were so popular during the stirring days of 1917-1918, "over there." It was getting late before the singers and singees were satisfied, and the crowd reluctantly began to break up. It was a jolly occasion, everybody enjoyed it, and present indications are that a repeat performance would play to another full house.

### Cotton Samples to Gov't Classers

Arrangements have been completed by which the Fitzgerald gin of this city will sample each bale of cotton ginned this season, all samples going to the Dallas office of the Division of Cotton Marketing to be classed by government cotton classers according to official cotton standards.

The class of each individual sample will be reported to Mr. Fitzgerald for the benefit of his customers, and this service will be supplied at no cost to them. It will no longer be necessary for the farmer to ask the buyer the class of his cotton, as he will have the knowledge as soon as the report is received from Dallas.

It is pointed out that the Clarendon trade territory will be benefitted by this service as the classification of cotton ginned here will be used by the Department of Agriculture in compiling its regular grade and staple reports, by state soil areas, by states and for the entire cotton belt.

Periodic comparisons the grade and staple of Donley county will be made with that of other counties. The reports fill also indicate the quality of the next year's planting seed, and producers of unprofitable cotton can plan their seed program for the next season in order to secure the greatest net return on land and labor investment.

Rhea Couch, manager of the Lowe grocery store, has been kept at home the greater part of the week by illness believed to be a form of flu. He was in the store a few hours Wednesday but was reported to be feeling somewhat worse this morning.

### William H. Terrell Passes Away Here

Funeral services were held today at the family home, by Rev. B. N. Shepherd, for William Henry Terrell, who passed away Wednesday morning at 11:25 o'clock, following an illness of about six months' duration.

Born at Pine Bluff, Ark., on Feb. 17, 1867, Mr. Terrell was married on June 15, 1899 to Miss Emmagene Merrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Merrick, of Clarendon. He had come to Donley county as a lad and then about 16 years old had taken employment with the JA ranch, with which he remained in various capacities until 1907. He then engaged in various mercantile enterprises, chiefly at other points, but making his home the greater part of the years since 1907 in Clarendon. He was taken ill a few months ago with an incurable malady, which rapidly brought him to his death.

Pallbearers included old friends and former associates on the JA ranch, Charlie Johnson, Charlie Murphy, M. E. Bell, Frank Whitlock, Walter W. Taylor and Homer Mulkey. The body was laid to rest in Citizens cemetery under the direction of Buntin and Son's Mortuary.

The wife and son, Billie Joe, have the deep sympathy of the entire citizenship in their bereavement.

### DONLEY COUNTY TO EXHIBIT AT FAIR

#### COUNTY AGRICULTURE WILL HAVE GOOD SHOWING AT TRI-STATE FAIR

Donley County has never failed to present a fine agriculture display at the Amarillo Tri-State Fair since its organization, and 1933 will be no exception. Plans have been completed whereby the county exhibit will be assembled and placed on display in its usual location in the Exhibit Building in Amarillo through members of G. L. Boykin's Agriculture Class in Clarendon High School.

These young fellows, with Walter Brady in the lead, are already busy in securing a most complete and superior exhibit and with the assistance of Mr. Boykin, County Agent Broun, and others interested. Donley will make a showing of which the whole county will be proud and which will add much to the Fair.

It will be necessary for a small sum to be collected to cover the expenses of the exhibit and the business men of Clarendon are invited to be ready with a half-dollar or a dollar when approached on the laudable undertaking.

The exhibit will probably be put in place Friday, Sept. 22, and if you are a farmer and have any show products in any field or garden please cooperate by bringing it in to the Chamber of Commerce or leave it at The News office, not later than Thursday, Sept. 21st. Or if you can't bring it in or phone and someone will drive out and get it.

### Veteran Ranchman Dies At Benjamin

Frank Patton, one of the best known and liked ranchers of the Panhandle, died suddenly of acute indigestion at his ranch home near Benjamin Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services will be held at Benjamin at 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

The West has lost one of its best and most valuable cowmen. He had many friends in Clarendon.

W. D. Jordan, John McClellan, and his nephew, Francis Brown and Mrs. Brown left immediately for Benjamin after receiving word of his death.

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### METHODISTS SET FOR CONFERENCE

#### OFFICIALS MAKE PLANS FOR BALANCING FINANCES IN NEXT FEW WEEKS

Confronted with a deficit for the year of \$1,700, the board of stewards of the First Methodist Church, Monday evening laid plans for a strenuous effort to have all obligations in hand by the opening of the Annual Conference which meets in Clarendon on November 9th.

Chairman Boykin and the pastor, Rev. E. B. Bowen outlined the necessity of bringing the church financial program up this year, particularly as the church is to be host to the conference, and the full support of the board members was pledged in that effort.

According to the plans an intensive "every-member campaign" will be announced next Sunday to all the Sunday School classes and to the church at large, somewhat on the plan of the effort in July when a most successful campaign was conducted. Weekly contributions of from five cents to five dollars will be solicited and every man, woman and child in the church will be urged to pledge the sum they feel able to meet. The campaign will run for five Sundays, beginning Sunday, Sept. 24th. In addition to this, of course, the usual benevolent pledges will also have to be met.

Discussion was held on the heavy expense incident to the church during the past two or three years due to so many musical and miscellaneous concerts being held in the auditorium. The board voted to restrict the use of the auditorium to church services and such other religious meetings that might be approved by the pastor. The use of the organ was also restricted to the services and such practice as necessary for the accredited organists of the church.

The finance committee of the church composed of Chairman Boykin, Secretary McElvany, Mess. Davis and Powell, has the details and schedules of the plan to wipe out the \$1,700 deficit well in hand and earnestly urges the co-operation of the entire membership.

Soon the Methodist membership and the citizens of the town will be asked to pledge accommodations to four hundred delegates who will be in attendance on the Conference the four days in Nov. beginning the 9th. This year only bed and breakfast will be asked for, since the delegates will be fed at noon and night by a special fund provided by the conference. Sam M. Braswell will be in charge of the arrangements for the conference working with the pastor.

### Highway Difficulties Settled With Denver

The Commissioners Court this week ratified unanimously a tentative offer to the Fort Worth & Denver railroad which closed definitely all difficulties on right-of-way matters through the county. The Denver officials had agreed to accept the compromise tentative offer and the action of the court brushes away all delays from that cause.

Today the last deed needed to complete the right-of-way from Clarendon to the Armstrong County line was received by County Judge Lowe, and every effort will be made to secure all the deeds to the Hall County line in the shortest possible time.

A proposed bridge across Lake Creek was also authorized by the Court, which will cost around \$2,500. This will serve many citizens of Donley living in the East end of the county.

Mrs. Bryan Weatherby of Amarillo is the guest of Mrs. B. W. Kirtley this week.

### Donley County Men at Memphis Meeting

Deputy State Superintendent Jno. Olsen, who was assigned the twelve counties of Collingsworth, Hall, Childress, Motley, Cottle, Dickens, King, Knox, Kent, Stonewall, askell, and Donley as his district, outlined to Superintendents and County Boards of Collingsworth, Childress, Hall and Donley his plans for supervision for the next two years, at a meeting held at Memphis Tuesday.

Mr. Olsen has a four-point platform for schools which he hopes to complete in each county. First, two teachers' meetings of all the teachers of the county each year; second, a trustees-teacher's organization; third, uniform promotion day; fourth, a central county library in the county superintendent's office.

Mr. Olsen has had experience as a rural and city superintendent, as County Superintendent of Ellis County and under the administration of the late Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs was head of the census department which place he now holds under the administration of State Superintendent L. A. Woods.

The following superintendents and county board members were present at Memphis Tuesday: W. V. Thomasson of Lelia Lake, S. R. Steele of Hedley, W. A. Poovey of Ashtola, Edwin Baley of Martin, and Sloan Baker of Clarendon.

### LIONS MAGAZINE PROGRAM SUBJECT

#### MEMBERS MAKE TALKS ON CURRENT ARTICLES IN CLUB MONTHLY

To call the particular attention of members of the local Lions club to worth-while articles in their monthly magazine, the program committee arranged for discussion of several of the articles by Lions at the regular Tuesday luncheon, this feature of the program being preceded, however, by an interesting report by Lion Sam M. Braswell on his recent trip to Hattiesburg, Miss., to fill an engagement of International President Roderick Beddow, who was suddenly taken ill at Dallas.

Lion Braswell had to make the trip to Hattiesburg by airplane and return the same way. He described passing over several points of interest, notably the Wicksburg battlefield, Caddo Lake and the Mississippi river, landing at the state capital, Jackson, which is the largest city in the state, and yet has less than 100,000 population, he said. Lion Braswell declared the trip, which was made under instructions from Lions International office at Chicago, was the most interesting trip made in many years.

#### Magazine Program

Taking the phrase, "Our Nation's Safety," from the Lions' motto (Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety), International President Roderick Beddow's article in the current issue of the Lion's Magazine was discussed by H. T. Burton. The chief executive of Lionism wrote a ringing call to all Lions to stand squarely behind the President, urging them to use all their influence in promoting and building up intense loyalty among all the people to the recovery program launched by the President. Lion Burton went further, and discussed, as an important factor in national safety, the emergency in which education finds itself, especially right here in Clarendon. He expressed grave fears as to the continuance of the public schools here unless a concerted effort is made to bring about the payment of sufficient taxes to make it possible to conduct a full nine months' school.

The story of a baby show and clinic, which was conducted by the

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### BALLOON DERBY ON DOLLAR DAY

#### NEXT SATURDAY WEEK TO BE EXCITING DAY OF VALUABLE GIFTS

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, in co-operation with a large number of the merchants and the Clarendon News, has arranged a novel feature for the next Dollar Day and Trades Day, which will be held here on Saturday, Sept. 23rd.

Nearly 100 toy balloons, inflated with gas, will be released from the roof of one of the business buildings, each balloon carrying an envelope which will contain a certificate entitling the finder to take it to the store named thereon and claim the gift mentioned.

The prizes range in value from a \$5 Stetson hat, offered by Hanna-Pape Company, down to matinee theatre tickets offered by the Pastime Theatre, 50 tickets being given by the owner. In some instances specific gifts are mentioned. Others offer certificates which will be good for anything in the store.

Just what will a toy balloon, filled with gas, do when it is released from a roof-top? No one knows, of course. And that will add greatly to the interest of the occasion. Some of them will "rise and fly," caught by a vagrant zephyr. Others will appear sluggish and will not get far away. Some of them will explode quickly, for one reason or another, perhaps dropping their envelopes into the middle of the watching crowd.

When that happens, look out for your toes, because no one will know whether their certificate will be good for a pair of Allen Bryan's shoes, a free ticket to that sensational motion picture, "King Kong," or a sack of flour from Piggly Wiggly, or a dollar's worth of Clifford & Ray's groceries, or . . . well, the rest of the long list of gifts will be found in the big advertisement on pages 4 and 5 of this issue of The News. Anyway, there will be plenty of good-natured scrambling for the gift certificates.

The "balloon derby" is a friendly expression of the goodwill of the business men of Clarendon who have made it possible. They sincerely hope that it will prove enjoyable to all as well as especially profitable to those who are lucky enough to secure a certificate. They want the people of the Clarendon trade territory to LIKE to come to Clarendon. And the Chamber of Commerce is planning a series of Trades Days which will not only have a real financial worth to the customers of Clarendon merchants, but days which will provide clean fun and wholesome entertainment that will make everybody glad they came to Clarendon for Trades Day.

#### Free Auction

The original feature of Trades Day will be continued, the free auction service provided through the courtesy of Claude R. Gamblin distributor of the Panhandle Refining Company's products.

Mr. Gamblin announces that the auction sales will be held hereafter on the location which has so long been the favorite trading location for Donley county people, the wagon-yard and mule-barns just west of the Clarendon Steam Laundry. There is ample space and accommodation for all the livestock which may be brought in.

Free auction service will, as heretofore, be extended to the owners of any and all kinds of property. Nothing is barred. Bring anything you want to bring—farm implements or farm products, furniture, canned goods, or other articles which you do not need. Somebody will buy them from you.

As soon as the cotton checks (please excuse us for mentioning them, but we still believe there is a Santa Claus, like Will Rogers does, and Will says that we all

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**NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION MEMBER 1932**

Even our ministers have become infected with the spirit of NRA, which to them means "newer religious activities." They met in ecclesiastical conclave this week, presumably worked out a code of fair competition, and turned their serious attention to a "go to church" campaign. Increased attendance on church services, both Sunday school and the usual worship services, will be their objective. Consecrated Christians will applaud their course.

If one were to accept attendance on church services as the only evidence of belief that the worship of God in His house is necessary to Christian living, he could well conclude that most of the people care nothing about worshipping God. Yet it would be difficult to find many in Clarendon who would not assure you, in all sincerity, that they believe the church is God's holy institution and that a town without churches would be unthinkable.

Why, then, do they not go to church? Is there any good reason why someone else should attend church services? Is one Christian under any greater obligation to perform that act of worship than another? Is it not due, largely, to the development of a habit of NOT going to church, a habit brought about by Sunday laziness? When Sunday morning comes around it is so easy to decide that anything else will be more pleasant than going to church. Perhaps the preacher doesn't measure up to the ability we think OUR church deserves; perhaps the choir does not sing as well as it should; or maybe we feel embarrassed in our three-year-old suits or our last year's dresses.

Whatever the reason, doesn't it all boil down at last to the fact that such a viewpoint leaves out of it our DUTY to worship God? The man or woman who is willing to face a personal issue squarely, and who claims to be a Christian, will ask the question, "Is it MY duty to do this, or can I let someone else do it for me? An honest Christian can make but one answer: "No one else can do this for me; it is my duty." If the united effort which Clarendon ministers and their faithful workers are undertaking can succeed in rousing those who CLAIM to be Christians to a sense of responsibility to personal duty, the churches of Clarendon will soon be filled to overflowing.

By the time this reaches our readers it is quite likely that the first batch of what we commonly refer to as "cotton checks" will have come to Donley county farmers. In reality they could more appropriately be called premium checks, a sort of reward for meritorious performance. Be that as it may, the farmers who receive the checks will probably pay debts, if any, and make purchases which have been waiting for arrival of the money. Donley county farmers will receive checks amounting to nearly \$240,000. That's close to a quarter million dollars. The farmers will receive the first benefit from the money and then, like a hot drink to one who is suffering from cold, its influence will spread throughout the economic life of the county. It will not affect farmer and business man alone. It will affect every man, woman and child in Donley county.

All this is no news to anyone. We all know it to be as true as truth. And yet there are some of us who pull long faces, are down in the mouth, and otherwise give evidence of great mental suffering. Why do we do that way? Have we lost hope, that it can no longer shine in our eyes? Spring always follows winter, and our years of depression are almost over. Have faith in financial weather observers who tell us that the storm is about over.

A cyclone cellar is the safe place to go when a cyclone is tearing its destructive course across your possessions," said a radio speaker recently. "But it's no place to stay after the cyclone is over. Come on out and feed the stock and put the roof back on," he said. That is exactly what too many Americans have been doing too long. It's time to come out of the cyclone cellar, buy what you can afford to buy, and help start the restoration of happy gainful employment for those whose labor enters into supplying your necessities. Then they can buy what you have to sell—and what's more important, be able to pay you what you ought to receive for it. That's a simple lesson in economics and now the class is dismissed.

Nineteen Panhandle counties are to have \$7,500,000 spent in them on highway construction and the work is already under way. Red tape is being cut, the plans are already under way. Red tape is being cut, the plans are in Donley county, according to an investigator who was here this week, there will be work soon for all the men who have received limited employment from the county relief committee. No wiser use of public money could possibly be made than by giving employment to men who need it in the construction of highways that everybody needs.

A new appreciation of the advantages of a Junior College for the youth of Donley county is evident in comment of the citizenship on the increased enrollment in the

institution. It is unfortunate that there is no accurate way of determining, not what it cost to send a boy or girl to Clarendon Junior College for two years, but rather how much it saves over the cost of sending them to another college or university. It must be apparent that not all the boys and girls who are enabled to obtain two years of college work here would be able to go to any other college. The worth of this feature is also difficult of calculation, but it will unquestionably be a credit entry in the public ledger.

In view of these considerations it is embarrassing to learn that Donley county taxpayers paid less school taxes than any county in the Panhandle west of Childress county. The statement is credited to a school authority to whom the actual facts are available. It seems in order to urge that Donley county taxpayers make an extra special effort to catch up with as large a portion of delinquent school taxes as is humanly possible this year. It should not be forgotten that schooling of which a boy or girl is deprived can not be repaid in later years.

## TAIL LIGHTS ON THE WAGONS

Farmers who have paid taxes until they can't own an automobile and who venture out on the fine public highways in their wagons, must now take further precautions besides driving over in the ditch all the time.

The state is going to make them put tail lights on the wagons. Not lights, but red and white reflectors, all that are required on trucks.

The highway patrol has been instructed to "enforce" the law requiring the farmer to put a white reflector in the left and a red one on the right side of the rear of his wagon. Whether enforcement will mean arrest and fine for a farmer, or merely instructions to equip the horse-drawn vehicles apparently was within the discretion of the enforcement officers.

As a suggestion, if the state has power to protect the highways from traffic dangers, it wouldn't be a bad idea to stop some of the trucks that have glaring headlights that blind all approaching drivers for 400 yards, and either take the headlights off entirely, or take their lights out of the eyes of other drivers and put it down on the road. A good many hundred more people have been killed because of such glaring headlights than by the failure of farmers to put tail lights on the wagons.—Amarillo Daily News.

The bachelor comforts himself with the thought that disappointment has one consolation—it may have saved him a greater disappointment in marriage.

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These conditions create new, difficult and costly problems for us, but we approach them willingly, glad to contribute what we can to help the nation to better times.

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**BRICE**

(Frankie Smallwood)

Mr. Lee Kerbow and family moved to Bethel community Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Aduddell of South Texas are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lemons spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brock of Plaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins formerly of this place, but who have been in Colorado for the past year, are back in our community.

Mr. N. L. Murfee has as guests this week his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Lockney.

Mr. A. P. Todd and family attended the singing convention at Buffalo Flat Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Churchman and family of Clarendon visited in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Salmon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Demell Gillespie were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Hardy Todd, who has been working in Colorado, returned home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. D. Chappell, who have been attending school at Denton, and who will teach here this school year are back in our community.

There was singing in the home of N. L. Murff Sunday night.

The young people enjoyed a party in the home of Cecil Rich Saturday night.

Homer Elliott has as guests this week his mother and father.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Baten of east Texas visited relatives here last week.

Miss Lola Bessie Todd was a Memphis visitor Saturday.

**LELIA LAKE**

(By Mrs. H. R. King)

Mrs. Herman Pool of Oklahoma City came Sunday night to visit in the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark, of Giles, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pingleton came home Monday after being called to Amarillo by the illness and death of his brother.

Miss Goldie Atkinson returned home at King Sunday after a visit in the home of her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dodson of Vega, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Leathers and son, Leroy, and Rev. and Mrs. Allen, drove to Lubbock Thursday in regards to Leroy enrolling in Tech.

Richard Finch left Sunday for Abilene where he will be a student of A. C. C.

G. A. Davis and Bert Richardson spent the week-end attending to business on the south plains.

Miss Edna Wood who teaches at Shamrock spent Saturday and Sunday here with her mother.

Mrs. Sue Stansell of Wellington came Tuesday afternoon to visit with her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Cottingham.

M. G. Cottingham left Sunday for Ft. Worth where he goes for medical attention.

Noel Knox of Adrain spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Myers and sons and Mrs. Inez Myers came home Monday after a vacation of three weeks spent at Hot Springs New Mexico.

Mrs. Guy Taylor and Miss Layma Taylor left Tuesday for Amarillo where Mrs. Taylor went for medical attention.

W. W. Jones and Elmer Kennedy spent Monday in Amarillo.

Rev. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Tomlinson, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis and Miss Lucille Hamm, spent Tuesday in Memphis attending to Panhandle Baptist Association.

Members of the Study Club entertained their husbands and a few guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morton Tuesday evening. After games and contests out doors, games of 42 were enjoyed and refreshments

**Midway**

(By Mrs. P. H. Longan)

Our school opened Monday with several good talks from the trustees, teachers and Sloan Baker.

At noon every one enjoyed the dinner brought by the ladies. After dinner the men cleaned up the yard. They also enjoyed a game of ball. There were 18 present for the primary room with Miss Mattie Rhodes teacher.

There will be more later and we feel sure we are going to have a successful term this year.

Gene Chamberlain left Monday for Childress where he will be engaged in cotton buying.

Mrs. Arnold who has been visiting her son and his wife on the Burson ranch at Silverton, came home Monday in time to be at the dinner at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Chestnut from Amarillo visited her sister, Mrs. Hugh Riley over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kittle were called to Oklahoma Sunday morning because of the serious illness of Mr. Kittle's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Beach and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meaders.

Glen Williams was called to Wolf City Sunday night because of the death of his father who has been ill for some time. Mr. Williams returned from there Friday night, having spent all last week at his father's bedside. He has the sympathy of all in his bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andis, Mr. and Mrs. Snooks Andis, Mr. and Mrs. Cleot Tinkle from Pratt, Kansas, Mr. Tom Tinkle from Shamrock, all visited in the Longan home Sunday afternoon.

Little Betty Jo Bain spent Sunday with Lois Beach and Rachel Longan.

Misses Nan Potter and Marparie Harlin visited relatives at Parnell over the week-end. Mrs. Minnie Wise returned home with them Sunday evening.

Nelse Robinson, H. Beach and Harold Longan went to Lubbock Tuesday morning, returning Saturday night. Harold visited with the Dorsett boys while Mr. Beach and Mr. Robinson were attending business.

Mrs. Robinson and Miss Thelma Robinson visited in the Edgar Beach home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clampitt were callers in the Longan home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. M. Potter, Tom Corder and J. C. Longan were Panhandle

were served to Messrs and Mesdames Will Kennedy, W. A. Tomlinson, E. R. Myers, W. V. Thomason, Harry Stebbins, C. C. Carter, John Dial, E. L. Lewis, C. L. Lewis, John Gerner, and Misses Margaret Gerner and Maxine Tomlinson

Miss Maxine Tomlinson spent Saturday night with Miss Madeline Taylor.

Miss Margaret Gerner spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Juanita and Rubye Jones.

Mrs. Martin sponsored a Baptist Sunday school picnic Friday night at the school house. Refreshments, consisting of punch, and-wiches and cookies were served to the following: Misses Aliene Reid, Maxine Tomlinson, Madeline Taylor, Fern Martin, Mavis Wiggins, Genevia Whittigton, Jessie J. Tomlinson and Marie Howard; Messrs. Richard Finch, Morris Finch, Tommie Allen, Dub Tomlinson, Dock Tyler, Herman Hamm, Elbert Bain, Billy Howard and Jeff Wiggins.

**SUNNY VIEW**

(By Mrs. A. M. Lanham)

Health in this section is fine. Some few have begun picking cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Singletary of Wellington visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Morris this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and son of Nashville, Tenn., are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts were visitors in the Lanham home Thursday afternoon.

visitors Monday.

Mrs. Fronebarger, Mrs. E. Dunn and daughter, Elizabeth, Edna Blair from Clarendon and Mrs. Odos Naylor visited in the Longan home Tuesday afternoon.

Pat Longan has been laid up this week with a badly infected hand. He almost had blood poison.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Mahaffey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Posey from Claude visited Mr. and Mrs. Mahaffey Tuesday.

Mrs. Hayes and Miss Lorene Hayes were callers in the Longan home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Brame returned home Saturday after spending the week with her sister at Goldston. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard and family and Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Starks. The menfolk attended the ball game at Midway in the afternoon.

Mr. J. N. Riley has finished his new feed crib and the coat of red paint can be seen a long distance. It would be fine if all of us folks would do more painting.

**NAYLOR**

(By Mrs. Richmond Bowlin)

The Naylor singing club met at Bray Sunday night to sing with the Bray bunch.

Ben Carnes came up from Childress to spend mid-week with his sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tidrow.

Pete Crofford of Wheeler is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ashley and son, Jr., of McLean, spend mid-week with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Selby, the ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spencer

**Special Low Rates Offered At Canyon**

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Only \$16.50 is needed to pay all tuition, hospital and labora-

who has been visiting in the Selby home returned to their home at Borger Friday.

Our school rounded out the first month Friday, the work done was up to the standard.

tory fees, student activity fee, which includes text book rental, admission to regular schedule football games, subscription to the college paper and other campus fees for the 9 weeks. Board and room are the only additional expenses. Students who want private lessons in music or speech, payment will be allowed on a monthly basis, allowing the produce checks which are received monthly at home to pay these expenses.

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Clarendon Lodge No. 709 A. F. & A. M.; Meets second Friday night in each month. Nolie Simmons, W. M.; Homer Parsons, Secretary.

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LOST—Pair of glasses for near-sighted person. White gold "Fulvite" frames. Reward and no questions asked. Dr. Mark L. Stricklin. (37-3tc)

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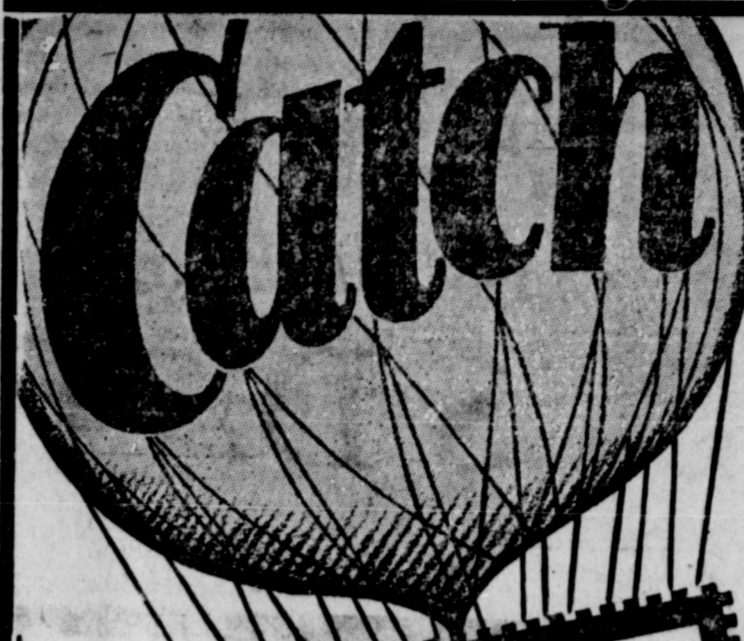
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## CARD OF THANKS

Our deep sorrow has been lightened by the many deeds of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband, father and grandfather. We are grateful for all of these and also the floral offerings.

Mrs. M. C. Reid  
M. F. Reid and family  
H. M. Reid and family  
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Mrs. Albert Reid and family  
Mrs. Jay W. Pierce,  
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**NOTE THE DATE  
SATURDAY,  
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# Catch ONE of THESE BALLOONS

CLARENDON MERCHANTS WILL GIVE

# DOLLAR DAY

NOTE THE DATE

Saturday

BALLOONS BEARING GIFTS

At 1:30 p. m. on Dollar Day nearly 100 toy balloons will be released from the top of one of the buildings in Clarendon. Certificates in envelopes attached to them will entitle the finder to go to the merchant whose name is on the certificate and claim the gift. Read the ads on this page for the list of valuable gifts.

Bring Your Trade Stuff to the FREE AUCTION conducted by Claude R. Gamblin. No Fees. Everybody is coming. Don't Miss it!



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- SPUDS, Extra Fine, Large New, 10 Pounds . . . 28c
- COCOA, Our Mothers, 2 Lb. . . 23c; 1 Lb. . . 15c
- PORK and BEANS, Libby's or Van Camp's . . . 6c
- LEMONS, 360 Size, Sunkist, Each . . . . . 2c
- RICE, Bulk, Good Grade, 4 Pounds . . . . . 25c
- LYE, Rex or Red Top, 3 For . . . . . 25c
- SOAP, Giant Bars, C. W. or P&G, 5 Bars . . . . 21c
- JELLO, 2 Packages For . . . . . 15c
- COMPOUND, Swift Jewel, Fresh, 8 Lb. Carton 65c

Cotton Sacks 7 1/2 Ft. . . . . 85c  
10 1/2 Ft. . . . \$1.05 9 Ft. 95c  
12 Ft. . . . \$1.20

CABBAGE, Fresh Heads, Green, Pound . . . . 2c

OVALTINE, \$1.00 Size . . . 75c; 50c Size . . . 39c

Coffee Chase and Sanborn's 3 Lbs. . . 79c 1 Lb. 27c

BINDER TWINE, Per Ball . . . . . 59c

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### Who Wants This Brand-New \$5 STETSON HAT

We're going to send the hat up on the balloon . . . no, not the hat, but a prize Certificate that will be good for the hat at our store.

If you don't need the hat, then pick out \$5 worth of anything else as your reward for catching our balloon.

HANNA - POPE CO.

### IT WILL BE WORTH \$3.00



to you if you get your hands first on our balloon, because it will have a Certificate on it that we will accept as \$3 in cash on any purchase. No conditions of any kind. Come to Clarendon on Dollar Day and Trades Day (Saturday, Sept. 23rd). Let's all have a good time together.

RATHJEN'S SHOE STORE

### Bring The Certificate

that has our name on it to the store and receive for it your choice of—



\$2.50 In Merchandise

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"Hardware and Furniture"

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of Floor Varnish

It doesn't carry the varnish, of course, but the Prize Certificate is just as good at our store. All you have to do is bring in the certificate and you get the varnish, a whole gallon of it. It will make your floors look like new.

Shamburger Lumber Co.

### 50 FREE Matinee Tickets to Pastime Theatre

We are going to send up 50 balloons, each carrying a certificate good for admission to the Saturday matinee at the best picture show in Clarendon.

Watch our published programs for news of the good pictures that are on the way. Don't forget about "42nd Street" next Monday and Tuesday nights.

### "Fortune" May Be Yours



Saturday, Sept. 23rd, may be your day of good fortune. It certainly will be if you catch the balloon that carries our certificate for a . . .

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# TRADES DAY and TRADES DAY

## Saturday Sept. 23 NOTE THE DATE

**PRIZES AND GIFTS WILL BE RELEASED AT 1:30 P. M. — DON'T MISS THE FUN!**

### Make No Mistake!

MERELY RETURN THE CERTIFICATE

\$2.50 in Merchandise, FREE

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The Rexall Store



### REWARD! No Questions

Asked

Just Bring Certificate

The lucky individual who rescues our Prize Certificate in the balloon free-for-all can exchange it for \$3 in trade at our parts and Accessories department.

Just present the certificate and tell us what you want. Here's hoping you find it.

**Clarendon Motor Company**



### What Goes Up Must Come Down . . .

Our balloon is going to carry a certificate good to the finder for . . .

**\$2.50 In Merchandise**

No condition of any kind. Just present your certificate and make your choice from our big stock. It'll be a lucky find!

**GOLDSTON BROS.**  
Jewelers and Optometrist



### \$9.50 On Three Balloons

The persons who find two of our certificates will each receive a FREE tray custom hatch, 150 eggs. The regular charge for each tray is \$4.50.

Somebody else will find a certificate good for a carton of Purina Dog Chow, worth 50 cents.

PLEASE RESCUE OUR BALLOONS!

**CLARENDON HATCHERY**



### 48 Pounds Of Flour

Is what Piggly Wiggly's balloon will have on it . . . that is, the Prize Certificate will call for 48 Pounds of Flour to be delivered to the finder when presented at our store.

At the Piggly Wiggly you are your own salesman, buying what you want and selecting yourself and saving Money, too.

**PIGGLY WIGGLY**



### OUR FIVE BALLOONS

. . . will each carry a Prize Certificate . . .

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# SOCIETY

LORRAINE PATRICK, Editor

### Both Beaux Arts Clubs To Canyon Saturday

Leaving here about 10 a. m. Saturday, about twenty members of the Les Beaux Arts and Junior Les Beaux Arts arrived in Amarillo at noon and had lunch there.

Following this they went on to Canyon where they inspected the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum, which is located on the campus of West Texas State Teachers College. Stuart H. Condon, a former Clarendon citizen and now one of the faculty of the school, and L. F. Sheffy field secretary of the museum, conducted them through the museum.

The visitors were delighted with the beauty, size, and distinctive architecture of the building. The portraits of pioneer plainmen and scenes of this colorful country, which hang in the Mary E. Hudspeth Gallery, were particularly interesting to the group. The Charles Goodnight collection of Indian relics was thoroughly enjoyed as man had known this interesting man.

The trip proved very educational and the crowd left with a feeling of pride in the museum. Among those making the trip were Misses Mary H. Howren, Anna Moores, Temple Harris, Mae Bennett, Geraldine Pratt, Jean Pourland, Dorothy Jo Taylor, Elizabeth Kemp, Lucille Andis, Carroll Holder, Anna Moores Swift, and Messrs Bill Carroll and Bill Word.

Mesdames W. W. Taylor, C. G. Stricklin, W. H. Patrick, R. L. Bigger, J. D. Swift, L. S. Bagby, J. H. Morris, and Charlie Trent.

### Needle Club Guests Of Mrs. Brumley

Beautiful bouquets of garden flowers adorned the rooms and added much to the delightfulness of the afternoon Thursday when Mrs. H. C. Brumley entertained the Kill Kare Needle Klub, at her home.

Sewing and conversation featured the entertainment for the afternoon, with dainty refreshments being served to:

Mrs. Leck Goldston, Mrs. Geo. McCleskey, Mrs. C. W. Taylor, Mrs. G. G. Kemp, Mrs. Joe Goldston, Mrs. E. P. Shelton, Mrs. Ross Long of Houston, and Mrs. C. W. Williams of Comanche, guests.

Mrs. Eva Draffen, Mrs. M. L. Stricklin, Mrs. S. W. Lowe, Mrs. W. A. Länd, Miss Ida Harned, Miss Etta Harned, Mrs. W. B. Sims, Mrs. Homer Mulkey, Mrs. F. O. Wood, Mrs. Joe Cluck, Mrs. W. A. Massie, Mrs. Van Kennedy, Mrs. M. W. Mosley, and Mrs. W. C. Stewart, members.

### Recent Bride Is Showered

Mrs. Beale Queen was delightfully surprised when a group of her friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Jimmie Moore, Wednesday afternoon and showered her with many attractive and appropriate gifts.

Mrs. Steve Hunter dressed as a negro mammy entered and presented the honoree with "the wash," which proved to be the lovely gifts. After each had been opened and inspected, Mrs. Queen thanked the donors in her charming manner.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Chas. Johnson, Mrs. Frank Barton, Mrs. Frank Sparks, Mrs. Lu McClellan, Mrs. Clinton Henry, Mrs. Joe Ritter, Mrs. Steve Hunter, Mrs. Clarence Piercy, Mrs. Harry Piercy, Mrs. Bob Baird, Mrs. Johnnie Rex McClellan, Mrs. Keith Stegall, Mrs. Chester Roehr, Mrs. Boy Blackwell, Miss Jean Sparks, Mrs. Richard Bell, Mrs. Jimmie Moore, and the honoree, Mrs. Beale Queen.

### St. Agnes Altar Guild

Mrs. Allan Jefferies was hostess to the monthly meeting of the St. Agnes Altar Guild, on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. McClelland, who has been the Guild's directress since its beginning twenty-five years ago, had charge of the program. Mrs. T. H. Ellis, president, led the prayers and devotional. A resume of the work of this group since its organization was read and approved.

Delectable refreshments were served by the hostess to nine members.

Women gauge men's devotion less by what they do, than by what they fail to do for them.

### Marilyn Merchant Celebrates Her Fifth Birthday

Saturday proved to be a very special day for little Miss Marilyn Merchant. It was her fifth birthday and her mother, Mrs. Ira Merchant, invited several of her little friends in to help her celebrate.

At four-thirty all the children had assembled and various games were played throughout the remainder of the afternoon. The honoree was the recipient of many nice gifts.

A delicious ice course was served to the children. Present were Nancy Ann Bell, Margaret Ann Jenkins, Ruth Patman, Beverly Gray Stricklin, Jean Porter, Ethelyn Drennan, Charlotte Ann Merchant, Tommy Wade Gattis, Soxie Stocking, Jimmy Douglas, and the honoree, Marilyn Merchant.

### Mrs. G. J. Teel Entertains

Tuesday afternoon, the Friendship Club was charmingly entertained by Mrs. G. J. Teel, at her home.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. J. D. Stocking, following which Mrs. C. E. Lindsey read the Scripture lesson, it being the First Chapter of James.

After a short business meeting, the Pollyanna packages were distributed, opened and admired. The hostess served a delicious salad course to:

Mrs. C. R. Skinner, Mrs. M. E. Thornton, Mrs. J. D. Stocking, Mrs. W. T. Hayter, Mrs. J. E. Mongole, Mrs. J. W. Rowland, Mrs. Eva Womack, Mrs. J. A. Meaders, Miss Katie Meaders, Mrs. H. Tyree, Mrs. J. L. Allison, Mrs. C. E. Lindsey, Mrs. J. A. Tomb, Mrs. M. T. Crabtree, and Mrs. L. Ballew.

Mrs. H. Tyree will be hostess to the next meeting of the club, Tuesday Sept. 26th.

### Birthday Party

A joyous occasion for Juanell Stevenson was the celebration of her third birthday, on Thursday, September 7th when her mother, Mrs. Everett Stevenson invited several of her friends to the Primary Dept. of the Presbyterian Church to help her celebrate.

Various games were played during the afternoon and Mrs. Bill Bromley delighted the kiddies with a story telling. Later the children were served ice cream and cake at tables centered with pretty bouquets of golden glow and zinnias.

Attending were Douglas Richard and Wayne Lowe, Billie McCon and Mary Ann Bromley, Billie Neal and Charles Bogard, Dwayne Hudson, Margaret Morris, Myrne McDonald, Jimmy Dean Howze, Juanelle Stevenson, Mrs. Bill Bromley, Mrs. Neal Bogard, Mrs. Neely Hudson, Mrs. Walter Lowe, and Mrs. Robert S. McKee.

### Weekend Party At Bell's Ranch

A group of young people spent the past week-end at Bell's ranch and report a most enjoyable time.

Arriving about dusk Saturday evening, they made a bon fire and fixed supper. This was thoroughly enjoyed. Among those present were Misses Wylfa Lee Alexander, Betty Weatherly, Cleo Brown, Lillian Murphy, Dot Colbert. Messrs Gordon Lane, Rufus White, Jack Bourland, Morris Beavers, Bo Montgomery, Walker Lane, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fraser of Groom.

### Chamberlain Home Demonstration Club

Thirteen members and one guest were present at the meeting of the Chamberlain Home Demonstration Club, when it met Thursday, Sept. 7th, with Mrs. Will Hearne as hostess.

The very interesting program was in charge of Mrs. Harley Skinner. Following this, delicious refreshments were served during the social hour.

Mrs. Alfred Huffstutler will be hostess to the next meeting Thursday, September 21st.

Fred Ballew and family and Mrs. Wilson Ballew of Amarillo, also Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gillim of Hereford were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Ballew.

### B. & P. W. Club Has Interesting Program

The Research Committee, of which Ruth Harris is chairman, had charge of the program Tuesday evening when the Business and Professional Woman's Club met at the Woman's Club Room.

The roll call was answered by each member giving her vocation and the number of years she had worked. This was followed by a most interesting talk by the guest speaker of the evening, Mr. Sam M. Braswell, who spoke on the Importance of Research in Club Work, giving many useful suggestions.

Guests for the evening included Miss Mary Howren and Mr. and Mrs. Sam M. Braswell. Club members were Katherine Stark, Rhoda Wiedman, Carrie Davis, Fannie Perry, Helen Wiedman, Etta Harned, Ida Harned, Opal Pyle, Julia Wiedman, Mildred Martin, Ruth Teat, Mantie Graves, Julia Mae Caraway, Lotta Bourland, Mary Alice Jay, Lela Lamson, Layma Taylor, Gwendolyn Couch, Ruth Harris and Norma Rhode.

### Mothers Club to Meet Friday

The Mothers Self Culture Club will hold its first meeting this fall at the home of Mrs. A. T. Miller, with Mrs. Cap Morris, hostess.

This will be a social meeting and will begin at 3 o'clock.

### Freddie Wewerka Complimented

Miss Mildred Martin entertained Friday afternoon with a lovely kiddies party complimenting her nephew, Master Freddie Wewerka of El Reno, Oklahoma.

Upon the arrival of the children, toys and games were introduced and the fun began. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent with an ice course being served in the late afternoon.

To enjoy this were Ruth Patman, Emily Engel, Alma Louise Murphy, Marilyn Sawyer, Margaret Ann Jenkins, Janet Stegall, Marilyn Merchant, Edward Engle, Tommy Taylor Murphy, Clyde Price, Jr., Freddie Rathjen, Jr., Edward Sawyer, Manley and Gene Bryan, Jim, Ben, and Ed Boykin, Jimmy Douglas, Frank Stocking, Jr., and Freddie Wewerka.

### Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church met in the basement of the church Wednesday afternoon, with nine members present.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. F. C. Johnson, after which Mrs. Eva Humphrey led the lesson, Third Chapter of Colossians.

The Aid will conduct a Food Sale at the M System store this coming Saturday, Sept. 16th.

### Mayor Has Surprise Party

W. P. Cagle was delightfully surprised Monday evening when his children and several of his friends dropped in to wish him "happy birthday."

They brought ice cream and old-fashioned pound cake, which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. Mr. and Mrs. Van Kennedy and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Bass and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Massie, and Mrs. Brown attended.

### LOYAL WORKERS UNION

Program for Sept. 17, 1933  
Subject—"The Sympathy of Jesus."

1. The Breadth of the Sympathy of Jesus—Mrs. Vinson.
2. They Sympathy of Jesus for the Hopeless—Mrs. Holtzclaw.
3. The Sympathy of Jesus for the Lost—Mr. Holtzclaw.
5. They Sympathy of Jesus for the Misguided—Mrs. Cox.

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Letters remaining in this office unclaimed for the week ending Sept. 9, 1933 are as follows:

- H. T. Brady,
- Kathryn Bourland
- G. R. Dowdy
- J. M. Easley
- Odessie Howell
- James Walsh.

Chas. H. Bugbee, P. M.  
Clarendon, Texas.

Robert Strickland, of Lubbock, is a visitor this week in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Fred A. Story.

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Agriculture Reporter...Isabel Wright

### BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

The students found the school building looking spick and span when they returned; the interior was cleaner than ever before. Various improvements have taken place such as removing an unneeded space-taking closet from the Senior room and removing the primary desks from the English room. It is reported that the renovating was done without even the purchase of a can of paint. The students feel that they owe Mr. Burkett many thanks for his excellent care of the building.

### BAND REPORT

The band is under way for another successful year in school life. Although no programs were given during the first week of school, the organization expects to be busy the remainder of the year. First in importance among the trips is the annual trip to the Fair at Amarillo. The plan now is for the group to attend on Wednesday, September 27. A fortunate few will also play with the Shamrock band on a date that has not yet been set, but which will probably be on Monday, Sept. 25th. Other concerts under consideration include music for the veterans' picnic on Thursday afternoon, music for football games, and for any other occasion for which the band might be called on to play.

### ALPHA DELTA PSI LITERARY SOCIETY

The Alpha Deltans began the new scholastic year right by giving a melon feast for the new students of the college. A large number of students were transported to Troublesome Canyon. After the melons were placed in the stream to keep cool, the party engaged in various pastimes. Several members were so unfortunate as to fall in the stream, but Kenneth Brown, resorting to his old fisherman's tactics, was always ready to fish the unfortunate one out. After the melons were eaten, many experiences, old times, and other things of similar nature were recounted. Upon returning to town, some departed to their homes while others went in groups to the theatre.

### EIGHTH GRADE CLASS HAS MEETING MONDAY

The eighth grade held its first meeting of the year Monday afternoon, and the following officers were elected: Reporter, Ruth Hedgpeth; Assistant Reporter, Lillie Jewell Barnes; President, Earl Eudy; Vice-president, Zella Ruth Nored; Secretary and Treasurer, James Bartlett; Sponsor, Mr. Lane.

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### POOR FISH

Poor Freshmen! Penniless, ignorant, yet hopeful of improvement, we freshmen have entered the second week of College Life. Our knowledge has always been limited, but we have never before been quite so free from "filthy lucre." The underlying reason is this: the Sophomores took advantage of our ignorance and contrived to use it to their advantage. "You are getting a bargain in this English book. It is practically new, and just last year I paid three dollars and a half for it. I'm selling it to you at two dollars." This was the sales talk delivered by the Sophs. In less than a day's time all the second-hand English books had been bought at a price which the Freshmen thought was really a bargain. But alas! some Soph forgot to erase the \$2 mark which was the original price of the book when new. Next year, the freshmen hope to receive \$3.50 at least for their English books. It's a good "tracket". If you have any used books, join in.

### NOTES FROM A CONVENIENT CUFF

by the Inquiring Reporter  
Well, I'm in a bad humor. Some one has put hair in my pipe tobacco. Don't breathe it—but I strongly suspect my grandmother. Fashion notes for opening day at school. Blue evening dress with sequins. Might be appropriate for some hot spot or premiere but not for school. Saw many familiar faces, tanned by summer sports, healthy and alert, ready for the old grind. Saw cute cartoon of one of the younger generation getting ready for school. Have seen many fathers of the school kids going around with long faces, one hand clutching nervously at his hip pockets in which once reposed a nice fat wallet. They are firm believers in schooling, but gosh how they hate to give up cigars and drinks. The fish have an awful habit of running up and down the halls greeting every one with a rather bewildered, "Pardon, but do you have History 113 or what have you? A somewhat panic stricken Soph thought of the idea of hanging a sign on his back, "No Books," and after having been

accepted no less than nine hundred times I began to have a secret desire to follow his advice. Studies attending universities run around giving the old home town one last look. Giving the girlfriend the last minute rush. Extracting promises they never expect the Big Moment to carry out.

### THE LIBRARY

Our school boasts of one of the largest and most complete libraries of any similarly ranking school. The library is composed of 7244 volumes and subscribes for sixty current magazines and newspapers. Magazines are kept on file dating as far back as 1925; references in these may be easily found by consulting the Reader's Guide. National Geographical magazines dating from May 1912 may be found on file; however, the files are not altogether complete from that date. Encyclopedias and other reference books number around two hundred volumes.

Mrs. Clarke, our capable librarian, will assist any new pupil who has not become familiar with the library in locating any reading material he may desire. For each student to make ample use of our library is the desire of each teacher.

### JR. HIGH READY FOR BUSINESS

The Jr. High opened the fall term September the 4th with an enrollment of one hundred and eighty students.

Several new students that are making Clarendon their home for the winter are among the student body: Eighth grade, Shirley West, Carthage, Missouri; M. D. King, Goodnight, Texas; Willard Neal, Clarendon, Texas; James Bartlett, Childress, Texas; Lenora Lane, Martin Community; Lula Mae Dunkle, Alameda, Texas; Ruth Hedgpeth, Danville, Ill.; Lenora Crawford, Colorado, Texas. Seventh grade: Mabel Otto, Martin Community; Eddie Hedgpeth, Danville, Ill.

Sixth grade: Dorothy Mae King, Goodnight, Texas; Edith Earthenman, Goldston, Texas. We are all glad to have these students with us and in behalf of the older students we extend a hearty welcome.

### JUNIOR CLASS MEETING

The Junior Class held its first meeting in the Study Hall Friday at noon. After much confusion and disorder, the following officers were decided upon: president, Lawrence Whitlock, who was president of the Sophomore class last year and whose real name in "Heavy" though some people insist upon calling him Lawrence; vice-president, Dorothy Jo Ryan; secretary and treasurer, Mary Frances Dewey; sergeant-at-arms, Carroll Hudson; pep-leader Sarah Virginia McGowan, who was pep-leader of the Sophs last year; reporter, for the Junior Tangle Tongue, Avis Lee McElvaney.

The Juniors are not exactly pleased that school has started, but they are very optimistic and have decided to make the best of it and to beat the Seniors in everything without getting conceited about it. Everyone nearly has his schedule fixed so as not to have any conflicts; however, some still wander in late to class. Although no one may suspect it, the Juniors intend to be the best in class and the loudest on the field.

### SOPHOMORE CLASS HAS MEETING ON MONDAY

The Soph. Class held its first meeting Monday afternoon for the purpose of electing the class officers for this year. The meeting was presided over by last year's president, Jimmie Bourland, and sponsored by Miss Harris. Although the entire class was not present, there were about forty who took part in the elections.

The following officers were elected by popular vote: President, Sam Barrow; Vice-President, Jane Pierce; Secretary and Treasurer, Paul Green; Sgt.-at-arms, Willard Hudson; Reporter, Maurice McGowan; Pep Squad Leader, Eugenia Noland.

We hope the entire class will be present at our next meeting and that we can cooperate to make the year a complete success.

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### ASSEMBLY REPORT

Assembly was held Thursday at 1:05 o'clock p. m. Rev. E. B. Bowen made a short talk on the "Good Samaritan." Mr. Burton made several announcements after which the students passed to their various classes.

Assembly was held Tuesday, September 12. Rev. Ferrell gave a short talk on "How to Find Success in Life," which was especially interesting to every one. Mr. Burton concluded the students' meeting with some important announcements.

### NAMES OF NEW PUPILS ATTENDING SCHOOL

In high school, there are sixteen pupils who have not attended this school previously. We are glad to have each of them with us. They are as follows:

Wylie Buchanan, Hedley; R. A. Beverly, Chamberlain; Marie Darnell, Hedley; Frances Dewey, Ashtola; J. E. Duckett, Chamberlain; Glenn Drennen, Ashtola; Norris Dewey, Ashtola; Cleo Eanes, Silverton; Mary Earthenman, Goldston; Grace Hardie, Ashtola; Margaret, Hillman, Hedley; Sam Barrow, Chillicothe; Winfred Noble, Hedley; Royce Turnbow, Martin; Clyde Skinner, Hedley; James R. Peggram, Quail.

The out-of-town pupils who have not previously attended college in Clarendon are:

J. R. Bartlett, Childress; Mable Ruth Crisk, Mobeetie; Sylvia Floyd, Lakeview; Bernice Lee Hegler, DeKalb; Willie Irene Kennedy, McLean; Roe Plunk, Hedley; Reba Longino, Wellington.

### PEP SQUAD REPORT

The Pep Squad met for the first time on Monday afternoon, September 11. At that time, they elected a reporter, La Verne McMurtry. The pep leaders for the year are: Eugenia Noland, Soph leader; Sarah Virginia McGowan, Junior leader; and Isabel Wright, Senior leader. The Pep Squad will meet again

on Tuesday the 12th, to discuss the style of uniforms to be worn the coming football season.

### SENIOR REPORT

The Seniors had their first class meeting Monday at noon. Election of officers was held with the following chosen:

President, O. C. Watson; Vice-president, Elery Watson; secretary and treasurer LaVerne Lott; reporter, Lovie Beavers; pep squad leader, Isabel Wright; sergeant-at-arms, T. J. Mann.

The Seniors of 1933-34 are planning to make this the best year of their school life. The president asks for the loyal support of each member to help carry out this plan. Come on Seniors, let's do our part.

### A PLA FOR SCHOOLS

Superintendent Burton received word Monday from the United States Department of Education to announce to the students that an interesting educational program would be broadcast over the NBC Network at six o'clock Monday.

George F. Zoak, United States Commissioner of Education, delivered the talk on "Emergency in Education."

"Don't let the children pay for the depression," pleaded Commissioner Zoak. An education cannot wait; a child gets it at a certain period in his life or he loses it entirely," he went further to explain. "One hundred and seventy thousand children will be forced to stay out of school this year unless educated privately, and only one high school out of every twenty will continue the whole nine months." Mr. Zoak said. He concluded his interesting lecture by repeating his plea for every person to do his utmost to keep our schools open.

### INITIATION

The running of the gauntlet was completed Tuesday when the last boy, who has been pretending to be sick for the past week, was

finally subjected. The class president, O. C. Watson, Heavy Whitlock, and Sam Barrow were also run through. Heavy was a little backward at first about running through, but was finally persuaded that it would not hurt much, therefore, he ran through. I am thinking that this business of running through the gauntlet will make the price of leather go up. So buy while buying is good.

### PRESS CLUB

The Press Club met on Tuesday for the first time, Jo Ella Stewart, the Editor-in-Chief of the Broncho Range, presided over the meeting. New officers were elected for the club: President, Bill Word; Vice-president, Lovie Beavers; Reporter, Anna Moores Swift; Sponsor, Miss Headrick.

The date of the next meeting has not been set. The club wishes to make the paper the best it has ever been.

### BRONCHOS WEEK BY WEEK

The training on the football field is progressing rapidly and efficiently. Up to the last day or two there has been a steady increase in the number of students to report for work-outs. There are about forty working-out daily now.

So far the training has consisted mostly of exercises meant to build up, toughen, and develop the stamina of the players. Monday, however, much to the boys' delight, uniforms were issued, and the Broncos were allowed to indulge in their first scrimmage. For a few days the boys will be a bit stiff and sore, but it will not be long before they will be over all of that and there is nothing like scrimmage to really train the players. It also puts the spirit of the game in their systems and keeps it there.

A week after George Atkinson of Chicago introduced Walter McKenzie to his wife and assured her that he was "a nice boy," she eloped with him.

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and to cure his meat at the most convenient time. The box was used during the cooler part of the year, and only when compelled to do so by warm weather, the farmer will probably find the cost of icing the box fairly reasonable. It is believed that farmers may club together in building a community box, or that one farmer may build and rent to neighbors."

Blue prints of the box and directions for its making and its use have been prepared by the Extension Service and are available through the county farm demonstration agents.

Among the things Mrs. Helen Warak of Chicago told a judge her husband did was to take her for a boat ride just so he could toss the wedding ring in the water in her presence.

### STRANGE TALES ABOUT LIGHTNING

#### DALHART WRITER TELLS OF DEATHS THAT HAPPEN OUT-OF-DOORS

(As Told By Albert H. Law In Dalhart Texas)

Statistics indicate most people killed by lightning are struck in houses but the eight killed in the Dalhart territory since 1898 have all been struck out-dors except two in a tent.

Harvey Sneed, carrying a hot branding iron over his head, as he bestrode a horse, was killed on the Joe Sneed ranch near Texline in the summer of 1907 or 1908, recalls Mrs. B. N. Long.

There was no mark on the boy but in the hair of the horse, also instantly killed, were wavy burned streaks, resembling the irregular path lightning cuts across the sky. Mr. Long says there were five holes scorched at the edges about the size of those made by a 45 pistol bullet in the saddle seat. Harry was a nephew of Joe Sneed now of Amarillo.

Walter Stewart, brother of Victor L. Dalhart, and Malcolm, rancher near here, was killed Aug. 2, 1910, while working for A. M. James, 20 miles north of Dalhart. With other punchers Stewart was rounding up cows and calves. The bolt made a star like bruise in his forehead; melted the stem of his watch, apparently leaped from there to the saddle horn around which the leather was broken, and then into the horse, which also was killed instantly.

Mr. James recalls the horse wrangler, scared, turned the horses loose and went to the wagon. Mr. James overtook them in a swag, dry when he rode into it and belly deep in his horse when he rode out. While holding the horses there lightning struck near several times but the water effectually grounded it. Stewart had been killed when he returned to the herd.

Fences Are Hazards During that storm, which came up about 5 or 6 p. m., four cattle in the herd Stewart was helping work, were killed: all by different bolts. Lightning played about on the tossing horns of the herd, it

was said. Barbed wire fences are a big hazard in this country; lightning striking them and running long distances. Malcolm Stewart lost 27 cattle on his ranch in May, 1917, lightning striking a fence, turning a right angle corner and three-quarters of a mile distance killing the cattle, purebred cows and calves, that had drifted against it.

The Two Story pasture, 15 miles north of Dalhart, is claimed by some cowmen to be the worst lightning pasture in this section. Five miles north of the Two Story ranch house, after which the pasture is named, Stewart was killed. In this pasture H. N. Pollard, Dalhart, lost 26 steers in the summer of 1925; six killed along the fence, the others by individual bolts. One was killed as he stuck his nose in a tub of water. A few feet away in a pump house, stood a lad who was unhurt. In another pasture Pollard lost 43 cattle by a shock off a fence.

Killed Near Cow In the same pasture where Stewart was struck 34 of James' cattle were killed by lightning from a fence while another time 17 were slain as they were going through a gate. In the latter instance men were all about but not close enough to the cattle or gate to get hurt.

Chas. Joe Israel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Israel, now of Dalhart, was killed by lightning June 13, 1924, 30 miles north of Dalhart. He was standing near a milk cow in the center of a corral. His brother, Kenneth R., now of Dalhart, was only four or six feet away, the cow and a snubbing post between them. Kenneth said: "I was knocked down twice. The flash knocked me to the ground. I leaped up and seemed to be knocked down again. My brother sank gradually to the ground, like an empty grain sack. Two hours afterward my feet still burned and hurt severely."

Joe's sister, Bertie and Hazel, were standing at the corral gate, a couple of rods from him. They did not feel the shock. The four were doing the evening milking and had finished except one cow.

Though there are stories of metal coins being welded together in a person's pockets when struck by lightning, the silver in the pockets of Chas. Joe's clothes were not affected, his brother says. There were no marks on the body and his watch had not stopped.

Man Killed Recently J. T. White, farmer near Conlen, was killed by lightning June 9, 1930. His body was found slumped down by a metal gasoline barrel in a truck. So far as known it is the only case in this section where lightning struck a truck or an automobile which moves on rubber; an insulator for electricity. Apparently he had climbed into the truck to start home or get gasoline when hit.

Calvin Willie Kuykendall was killed July 11, 1931, in the Rue Whorton pasture, west of the ranch of Mrs. J. M. Taylor for whom he was working. The cattle had stampeded; Kuykendall had dismounted, and was trying to shelter himself from the rain behind his hot horse when struck. Another man about 30 feet away was not affected. Two years ago Mr. Kuykendall's sister was struck by lightning in Dallas county.

Frank Denton recalls three other deaths by lightning. One, a negro, killed near what is now Stratford in 1898 while dising. The body was mutilated and the iron seat of the seat on which the negro sat partially melted.

The other two were white men, killed in a tent at Sand Springs, near Obar, N. M., a number of years ago. Four men sat playing cards when the bolt struck. Two finally regained consciousness. One of the dead men, Hider, came from Oklahoma, his father still living around Logan, says Mr. Denton. Stringer, a surveyor, is also at Logan, Mr. Denton states. Locomotives Are Safe

Contention is that groups of livestock or humans do not draw lightning, but many experiences seem to prove they do. It is also established that the highest point is likely to be the first struck by a charge. As this may be a man on a flat prairie, a horse, tree or whatnot the safest procedure seems to avoid being the highest point laying prone has been recommended. This theory of the highest point being the one first struck is what makes houses, barns, trees and the like in the country, or isolated, danger spots, it is said. Houses in a city, closely grouped, do not seem so apt to be struck; partly because they are protected by lightning rods, plumbing fixtures or something else that immediately grounds a lightning charge.

Seeking refuge in a house or under a tree is not safe because the lightning may leave the tree or house and jump to the person. Railroad men say anyone would be safe in a locomotive because being all metal and contacting the ground through the rails the charge would be grounded harmlessly.

### Former Clarendon Boy Visits Here

Henry R. Kelley and his wife, of Cleburne, Texas, spent Thursday night and Friday here, Mr. Kelley wishing to see his former home town and old friends. Son of J. H. Kelley, carpenter and building contractor, Henry was born here and lived here until the family's removal to Cleburne in 1912, when he was about 17

years old. One of the first places he called on was the office of The News. "From the time I was about ten years old until we moved away, I worked as printer's devil at the Clarendon News office," he said. During those years he worked in succession for Joe M. Warren, A. M. Beville and John E. Cooke, "and I still like to go where newspapers are made," he added. While in the office he examined some old copies of The News which he said he probably set

some type for. Another older copy of the Clarendon News interested him very much, the issue dated September 13, 1883, fifty years ago this week. Mr. Kelley is employed in the purchasing department of the Santa Fe railroad. Both his parents are still living at Cleburne, his father having reached the age of 86. Mr. Kelley met up with a number of his former friends here and said he enjoyed his visit very much. Come back again, Henry Kelley.

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**Balloon Derby—**  
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ought to know by this time that we just have to wait until Santa Claus comes) as we were saying, as soon as the cotton checks begin to come in, these free auctions will prove their real worth to the people of Donley county. They will become an active clearing-house for getting useful articles into the possession of those who need them. And they will come to be looked for eagerly. We're telling you.

**Note The Date**

Don't get confused about the date of the next Trades Day and Dollar Day. It will be held next Saturday week, September 23rd. In other words, a week from next Saturday. On that day the stores of Clarendon will offer you bargains that you will probably not realize the value of until later on when replacement time comes. They are not "kidding anybody" when they tell you in the advertisements that it will cost them, frequently, more than you pay them to put back in stock what you bought from them. A merchant, if he continues in business, must continually put back in stock what he sells out of it. He should not be criticized if he prices his goods on a replacement basis. But when he offers them at less—then it is a real bargain for you. And when you buy something, anything, it means employment for those who must manufacture it. And that is the heart of national recovery that is the object of NRA.

So come to Clarendon on Trades Day and Dollar Day, Saturday, Sept. 23rd.

**Lions Program—**  
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Montreal (Canada) Lions club, was told by Lion Ira Merchant. Over 1,000 babies were entered in the show, practically all their parents believing their babies to be physically perfect. Yet over 500 of them were found to be in need of medical and corrective treatments of various kinds, and it is impossible to estimate how much good was done, and how many children's lives were saved or made more healthful by the clinic which was the prime purpose of the baby show.

Lion J. T. Patman exhibited

framed copies of the Code of Ethics and Membership certificate, both in colors, which have come to members in the last two issues of the magazine. He urged that members have these framed and hung in their business offices.

A story in the Magazine about the long-time membership of Lions in the Wharton club was told by D. O. Stallings, who believes that he has been a member since 1926, and knows that he has never missed a meeting. It is believed that no other Lion in Texas has such a record, and the club members saluted him by rising to their feet. Secretary R. S. McKee was instructed to present Lion Stallings' name to the Magazine for the honors claimed by the Wharton Lions.

For lack of time, it was necessary to call in two or three interesting magazine features which had been prepared, and it was apparent that the members enjoyed the program.

**Ladies Night Oct. 24**

A letter from District Governor Del. W. Harrington, of El Paso, stated that he accepted with pleasure the club's invitation to be present for the 11th Anniversary of the presentation of the club's charter, which will also be observed as Ladies' Night, by ancient custom. Elaborate plans are being laid for observance of the anniversary.

Lion Roy Byrd, of Clovis, representative of Ponca Mercantile company, was the guest of Clyde J. Douglas, and complimented the large and enthusiastic membership of the club here, saying that it surpassed his own good club.

**At Amarillo Fair—**  
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In addition to the strong preliminary bouts which will appear upon each card, will afford two and one-half hours of the fastest sport in existence today.

On the midway will be the C. F. Zeiger United Shows day and night. The Zeiger shows are a brand new feature in this part of the country, carrying 250 people, 15 railroad cars, 25 stellar attractions and 12 thrilling rides.

The management feels safe in saying that this will be the highest class carnival ever to set up on the Amarillo lot.

**BRAY**  
(By Mrs. Claude Hill)

There was forty-eight present at Sunday School Sunday. Rev. Truman Caldwell preached at the eleven o'clock hour.

School is progressing nicely under the management of Prof. W. C. Howard. Mrs. W. C. Howard and Miss Florence Hollingsworth.

The young people were entertained Saturday night with a party and musical in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Green. The music was by Mr. and Mrs. Cordory and Ralph Davis.

Cotton is opening fast and one few farmers have commenced picking.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Griffin spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Robinson.

Miss Lillian Sharp spent Friday night with Miss Fay Malone.

Mr. Oscar Hammond and Mr. James Pierson returned Wednesday night from Colorado where they have been working in the wheat harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hill and children spent Sunday visiting in the home of Mrs. Hill's parents Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Evans and children and Mrs. Bill Higdon and daughter, Bettie Fern, were visiting Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dickson.

Miss Elva Dishman was visiting Monday with Misses Ethel and Floy Bell.

Mrs. J. C. Hill was shopping in Memphis Saturday afternoon.

Those on the sick list the past week were Misses Imogene Robinson, Ethel Bell and Rex Bell, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Spier who has been ill with typhoid fever the past four weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Earl Dickson called on Mrs. Allen Thursday afternoon.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bell Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Sharp and daughter, Miss Lillian, Misses Thelma Styles, Effie Hammond and Mrs. Earl Dickson and son Bill Joe.

Miss Faye Malone spent Saturday night with Miss Lillian Sharpe.

Miss Lavonia Sweeney spent

Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Bernice and Imogene Bell. Singing was well attended Sunday night, several being present from Naylor, Hedley and McKnight.

Miss Ola Curd of Hedley spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Green.

Miss Eva Duckworth was visiting Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayhorn Cavender.

Miss Elva Dishman spent Wednesday with Miss Ethel Bell.

Miss Aletha Malone spent Sunday afternoon visiting with Miss Thelma Sanders.

Miss Floy Bell spent Wednesday night with Miss Elva Dishman.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Muncy and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis and children of McKnight, spent Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crawford.

**BAPTIST REVIVAL MEETING BEGINNING SUNDAY SEPT. 17**

Beginning next Sunday, Sept. 17th, the First Baptist Church will conduct a revival meeting. Rev. Douglas Carver, the popular young pastor of the White Deer Baptist church, is to do the preaching. He is well known as one of the leading pastors of Texas.

Every one is invited to lend your help. We hope it will not only be a benefit to the Baptist church, but to the whole community. It may be to the whole community, but, only to the extent that you back it.

All other organizations are asked to please leave off their activities as far as possible in cooperation with the meeting. The revival will last only two weeks, so we are asking for that much courtesy for the church and the Lord. We, as a church, try to support and cooperate with every worth-while club and other organizations in the community by holding our activities to a minimum during any special activities of such organizations. No one or group ever lost anything by showing a community spirit of mutual interest.

All singers are requested to help us with the singing by coming on to the choir as you come into the building. We hope to have good singing. We have ordered 100 new song books to add to the supply we already have so all possible can be furnished with a book. Bring your instrument and help us have a good orchestra.

Please, if you are a Christian, pray for the meeting.  
—B. N. Shepherd, Pastor.

**PARSONS BROS. INSTALL HAT BLOCKING EQUIPMENT**

With the addition this week of automatic hat blocking and finishing equipment, electrically operated, Parsons Bros are now in position to offer their customers a new cleaning service, in addition to their already complete service on garment dry-cleaning and pressing.

The new equipment, made by the Electro-matic company, operates automatically to give the hat a real factory finish, with uniform ironing and heat application, which is followed by hand-finishing. A full stock of ribbons and sweat-bands enables the renewal of these in original styles when required.

"We are particularly pleased over the fact that our new plant will enable us to give our customers really quick service now. Heretofore it has been necessary to send such jobs away, and delays have occurred which were unavoidable under such a system. We can now finish hats on regular schedules on the second day after receiving them," said one of the brothers.

The public is invited to call and see the new equipment and also the recently re-decorated cleaning and pressing plant.

**T. M. LITTLE'S SON-IN-LAW DEAD IN OKLAHOMA**

T. M. Little, Sr., was notified by wire about four o'clock Wednesday afternoon of the death of his son-in-law, Dr. J. H. Cameron, at Healdton, Oklahoma. Details of the unexpected death were meagre, the telegram saying that the victim was stricken with apoplexy and passed away at 3 p. m.

Mr. Little and son, Floyd, left immediately by automobile for Healdton and will remain for the funeral.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

(Robt. S. McKee, Pastor)  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 o'clock.  
Sermon by Pastor, "Living a Life."

Evening Bible Lesson, 7:45.  
Read "The Gospel of Mark."  
Young People's Forum, Open House, Monday, 7:30 p. m.  
Woman's Auxiliary Bible Study, Wednesday, 3 p. m.

Read the Classified Ads.



**Sport Sputters SAYS—**

With more new material showing up every day, the Bronchos are getting tougher and tougher every day. Competition is becoming much greater, some of last year's regulars are fighting hard to retain their old position. Two unheard-of lads, Noble and Buchannan, shot a surprise into the eyes of all those who looked on, with low charging and hard tackling. The veterans as yet have been permitted to rest on the glory of past campaigns but announcement is that within the next few days they, too, will prove their worth to the current machine. Some forty suits were issued Monday and the majority of the lads are getting down to business. The Bronchos know as well as everyone else knows, that if they are to put out a winning team, they must get down to real work and plenty of sweat. The Bronchos of '33 till possess that "Fighting and Determined to Win" spirit that carried the far-famed Bronchos of '31 to Bi-District honors.

As yet the squad has been blessed by the absence of any major injuries. Although the early season crop of blisters and charley-horses have interfered with practice.

A game for the opening date of Sept. 22, is still being sought and no favorites are being played. Any strong team, Class A or B in this section is eligible. However no definite plans have been made. Chillicothe has put a bid to share play with the Bronchos on September 28.

The Sputters is very happy to announce that Bill Green and Loyd Benson, both of last year's Broncho squad, are making fine progress at New Mexico Military Institute. Bill working out with the regular squad and Loyd bidding for honors on the regular squad by being on the second squad.

**THE CODE FOR CHURCHES**

In these days of codes, when competitors in worldly affairs are sitting down together and agreeing how they shall co-operate to bring business recovery, have you thought how wonderful it would be if the churches would like-wise unite to promote the kingdom of God? What a day that would be!

There would, of course, be the necessity of adopting a code—a basis on which all could co-operate. And what other basis would there be—could there be—than the Word of God, the Bible itself?

The terms of salvation? They are there and always have been there, without change, since the establishment of the church. The creed? The Name? The Ordinances? They are all there, unchanged and unchanging.

Again we say, wouldn't it be a wonderful thing if men were as sensible about the Kingdom of God as they are about material things?

The church has accomplished but a small part, because it has never received the whole-hearted support and co-operation of those who profess to love her.

Too many churches are forced to struggle for existence. Too many pastors are forced to preach to empty pews. Too many people who believe in the church and its program confine their

interest to mere believing. They have never united their forces and resources to make the church and its program successful. They have lost sight of the fact that the real mission of the church is to fight sin to present Jesus Christ as the world's only Savior.

God knew that He was assigned a great task to mankind when He sent forth His Son to declare the terms of reconciliation and He also knew that men could accomplish the task if they would co-operate in the movement. He knew that laws or codes would be needed, so He inspired men of old, to set the rules and regulations for promoting the work, but men have been slow in accepting them and abiding by His instructions.

Sunday we will bring two lessons to help you understand God's code for building up His Kingdom; at the morning hour, "The Certainty of Victory," and at the evening hour, "The Ambassador of God."

Mrs. R. A. Chunn joined her son, C. B. Chunn, at Groom today on a trip which will take them to visit relatives at Cheyenne, Okla., Dallas, Ft. Worth, Mineral Wells and Munday. She will be gone several weeks.

Houston (Buss) Bell was operated for appendicitis Wednesday morning at Adair hospital and is reported to be making satisfactory recover.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Reed of Bowie have been visiting Mrs. Reed's sister, Mrs. F. C. Johnson, Mrs. T. F. Hannon of Wichita Falls, another sister of Mrs. Johnson's is here.

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