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## R. I. Survey Begun At Clarendon Tuesday Free Short Course Draws Large County Attendance

### FIRST MATERIAL SOLD FOR ROAD

SURVEYING PARTY PURCHASES STAKES FOR USE IN THEIR WORK.

The first intimation that actual construction was started on the proposed new railroad for Clarendon was brought to light Tuesday afternoon of this week when it was learned that a surveying party had started north from Clarendon as a base and that they had purchased stakes from a local lumber yard. The purchase of the item of stakes is of small value in the first light, but when it is considered that this probably means that the line of work is actually started, the proposition begins to assume real proportions.

The surveying party started their work in the eastern edge of the city, running diagonally north through the city. The starting point is near the stockpens on the eastern edge of the city and will possibly follow an old and original survey that was made by the Fort Worth & Denver when they planned to strike the old town of Clarendon on Salt Fork.

Old timers in the city state that there is a survey in existence running south from a point east of the stockpens, following in a general manner the present dirt road to Brice and that this is possibly the road that will be used in the line to touch Hall County.

Other information than the fact that the survey was started from Clarendon north was not secured from the party. Clarendon citizens who have had conversation with the Railroad Commission state that the road has been asked for more than two years and that they have information stating that the new road will be built in the next year. Application was in the hands of the Interstate Commerce Commission for the building of the road before the new South Plains road of the Denver was sought, according to information received, and all things point favorably toward an early start toward construction of the new line through Clarendon from Groom to Paducah and from there to connect directly with Fort Worth and the central part of the state.

M. M. McCracken and family of Windy Valley region were in Clarendon Saturday and were pleasant callers in the News office while in the city.

W. H. Patrick made his usual first of the month trip to Dallas the latter part of last week to attend a meeting of the directors of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas.

### SCOUT PROGRAM MAY BE FRIDAY

WEATHER CONDITIONS PERMITTING, COUNCIL WILL WORK AS PLANNED.

Scout Executive Jolly was in Clarendon Tuesday of this week and made the announcement that the program planned for last Friday would be held here Friday of this week if the weather conditions would permit. The program is well in hand and all things are ready for its completion, with the local committees having their end of the work well organized.

The basement of the First Christian Church has been secured and will be used for all parts of the evening's entertainment if the weather is too inclement on the outside for the meal to be served Boy Scout style.

It is the plan of the local committee to barbecue an entire sheep for the occasion and possibly give the boys something new in this line that they have never seen before. Other features of the program will be carried to a conclusion as they have been planned.

Friends of the J. L. Allison family, formerly of this city, will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. K. J. Allison in Fort Worth Saturday, February 2nd. Mrs. Allison had visited here in the J. L. Allison home a number of times and was known to many of the Clarendon folk.

### TERRACING SCHOOL HERE MARCH 12TH

J. W. L. SCHULL FARM TO BE USED. "DAD" SHORT TO BE INSTRUCTOR.

After almost a year's work and planning, the terracing school scheduled to be held early in the summer of 1928 is to be held for the benefit of the farmers of Donley County. A. K. "Dad" Short is the man who will have charge of the actual demonstration, he coming here under the auspices and directly in response to a call from C. E. Killough, local secretary-treasurer of the National Farm Loan Association.

The school date has been set as March 12th and the farm of J. W. L. Schull has been selected as the place for the holding of the demonstration. It is possible that the school will be held in both the morning and the afternoon, depending on the interest shown and the number of folk present and taking a part in the work of the day.

The school being brought here by the Federal Land Bank of Houston is in line with their policy in keeping the land they hold loans on in the best possible condition. They require that their lands be terraced if they need this work. An interesting item in connection with the loans made on Donley County lands is the fact that all of them, there has never been one payment delinquent, and not one foreclosure since the work was inaugurated here. This information was secured through Mr. Killough, the local secretary-treasurer, who stated that this was an unusual record although there are many counties of the state who can offer this record.

### COURT TO HEAR HOSPITAL PLEA

COMMISSIONERS COURT WILL REVIEW OFFER OF ADAIR LEASE AT LATER DATE.

Culmination of a county-wide move for the leasing and operation of the Adair Hospital of Clarendon by the county seems to be in the offing as a result of a hearing given the proponents of the motion by the commissioners court on Wednesday morning at the court house. On behalf of the present board of directors of the Adair Hospital, W. H. Patrick was spokesman in the absence of Mayor H. W. Taylor, whose illness prevented his being present. Mr. Patrick spoke of the move having been originated by a popular demand for the services of a hospital such as a county hospital should be and in response to the demand they had sought a hearing with the court to see what was the attitude of the members on the proposal.

No definite plan could be submitted to the court for consideration since the meeting of the hospital board had been postponed until Mr. Taylor and others could be present, but the general idea prevailed that the board would be willing to renovate and renew the Adair Hospital building and equipment, turning it to the county under a long lease at a nominal rental of ten dollars, or one dollar, or some such sum. The county would assume the opening and operation of the institution and shoulder any deficit in operating expense, something which in the past had been about thirty-five hundred to four thousand dollars per year.

Others who spoke before the court were Joe Goldston and Homer Mulkey who asked the favorable consideration of the commissioners to the project and argued that it would mean much to the citizenship of the county to have a county operated institution within its borders.

Judge J. J. Alexander told the petitioners that the court was favorably impressed with the movement, and would be happy to give ready consideration to any definite plan that might be submitted, and on request of Mr. Patrick, announced that the court would not adjourn the regular session for the month but would stand recessed so that when the hospital board were able to get a meeting and outline a tentative proposal, the court would be reconvened and

would give specific attention to the popular demand.

### Weather Slows Golf Club Plans

Extreme weather in recent weeks has greatly retarded the work of the committee appointed within the membership of the Hillcroft Golf Club to canvass the citizenship of this community for new members in the proposed extension of the local club, by the purchase of the present golf grounds and the building of club house with ample accommodations for entertaining. With the annual meeting of the club next Monday evening, Feb. 18th, at the Queen Theatre, it is regarded as rather unlikely that the committees will be able to report in full on their work.

The annual meeting will hear the report of the officers for the past year, will elect new officers for the coming year, and will consider the proposed plans as outlined above in the hope of a definite course of action by March 1st.

An invitation has been presented to the Green Belt Golf Association to hold its 1929 tournament in Clarendon, but the invitation is based on the ability of the Hillcroft club to provide the prerequisite club house by late summer when the tournament is to be held. The action of the club within the next few weeks, therefore, will settle whether or not the big event of the year in golf circles of this section will be staged in Clarendon. Vernon is also a contender for the meet, but it is thought likely that Clarendon will win it if the club house is built.

The annual meeting will begin at 7:45, Monday evening, Feb. 18th, at the Queen Theatre and the secretary of the club is mailing summons to the membership this week.

### SHORT COURSE NUMBER OUT MONDAY

SPECIAL EDITION PLACED IN HANDS OF READERS MONDAY AFTERNOON.

Keeping abreast with the spirit of the times, the Clarendon News published a Special Edition of the paper for the special benefit of the Short Course that was held here Monday and Tuesday of this week. The paper was the usual size, eight-page paper, and was prepared and placed in the hands of the readers Monday afternoon of this week. Plans had been laid when the announcement was made that the Short Course would be held here and it was a comparatively easy matter to complete the publication of the paper when the time arrived for its appearance. The News extends its appreciation to those merchants and business men of the town who made this a possibility and feel that they will be more than repaid for their interest.

In addition to the publication of the Special Edition over the week-end, a twenty-page and cover booklet was printed for the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church. This booklet is their annual year book and contains programs to be used during the coming year's work of the organization.

The usual run of job printing was also handled by the News during the time mentioned above and the force is rather proud of the efforts that were put forth in keeping up with the usual work of the paper which will be in the mails on time despite the fact that much other work was done before the publication of this week's issue of the News could be started.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen J. Bryan announce the arrival of a boy on last Thursday. At last reports mother and son were doing nicely.

Dr. C. D. Henry of Lockney was in Clarendon Sunday attending to business matters.

W. J. Greene returned Sunday noon from a market trip to Saint Louis and other points in the North and east.

A number of petitions have been circulated over the county and will probably be presented to the court at its reconvening.

### COUNTY AGENT IS ASKED IN DONLEY

FARMERS AND BUSINESS MEN PETITION COURT FOR COUNTY AGENT.

A county farm agent is being sought by a county-wide move of farmers and business and professional men, and the first formal move in that direction was made Wednesday morning of this week when a delegation of these met with the commissioners court and presented a few of the community petitions from over the county and made pleas to the court for the necessary funds to match federal funds for the employment of an accredited agent.

On account of the extreme weather of the past week only the advance guard of the petitions were presented to the court and it is the purpose of those working for the agent to present the other petitions at a later date.

John Potter, W. L. Butler, M. G. Cottingham, Harry Brumley, and Barney Fielder were the farmers who spoke to the court in behalf of the aim of the petitions, and they were seconded in their efforts by Odos Caraway, J. T. Patman, H. T. Burton, Clyde Douglas, Homer Mulkey, O. C. Watson, W. H. Patrick and Sam M. Braswell. Mr. Potter brought applause by saying that the only trouble with the services of past county agents was that the people had not availed themselves of their services, as they should. He recited an instance where a phone conversation with a county agent saved a hog, and offered other argument to prove that the agent was worth many times what little individual taxes he might cost the citizenship of the county.

Judge John Alexander, speaking for the court, assured to petitioners that their case was given the taxpayers the earnest consideration of that body. He said that the county finances was the only bar in the way of the movement, and that while the members of the court had no easy task in meeting all the demands made upon them, yet he hoped that some means might be worked out to give the taxpayers those things which they asked. Judge Alexander voiced the opinion that more tax would be needed or a higher rendition of the properties would be necessary to provide for the agent, but that the court felt that they were the servants of the people and would try to carry out their wishes in this as in other matters.

### Good Fire Record Lowers City Rate

Announcement was made this morning by local insurance agents here from the state department of insurance that Clarendon had earned an additional three per cent credit for the low fire record of the past year. This city has enjoyed a six per cent reduction for small fire losses for some years, but the record of the past three consecutive years has brought the additional three per cent which makes Clarendon's key-rate subject to the nine per cent reduction effective March 1st, 1929.

Fred Chamberlain, vice president of the Donley County State Bank, made a business trip to Amarillo Friday and was stricken here Tuesday evening of the flu. He will probably be able to be back at his place of business the fore part of this week.

### MRS. BOYKIN CALLED TO WACO BY FATHER'S DEATH

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Boykin and W. H. Mathews, Jr., of Amarillo left here Tuesday evening of this week for Gatesville, where they were called unexpectedly by the death of the father of Mrs. Boykin. Rev. Matthews is one of the best known pastors in the state, and his death came as a surprise to the many friends of Mrs. Boykin in the city since he was reported to have been improving when the news of his death was received. Interment was held in Waco today and the Boykin family is expected to return to Clarendon the latter part of this week.

### Weather Man Is Free With Cold

The coldest weather that has been registered in Clarendon since December 19th, 1924, was found in Clarendon last Friday night when the temperature dropped to four below zero for one night, regained its name a little during the day Friday and again fell to minus one during the night Saturday. A comparison of the temperature found on the reports of the local weather man would indicate that this is the coldest weather ever seen in February for Clarendon and equals the cold of the month of December. January, the usual holder of all sorts of records of this nature, is a poor second with one minus 3 on January 21st, 1926.

Before these days, January 1, 1919, started the year right with an even zero of temperature. December 13, 1924 equals the record set last week with a minus 4 and almost evens the record with a minus 3 on the 28th of the same month. January 21, 1926, nearly equals the record of last Friday with a minus 3. Old timers are racking their brains in an attempt to score up some lesser temperatures than these, but are unable to secure the dates and the recorded readings.

Snow amounting to .17 of an inch of rain fell during the last week-end, making the days seem colder than they actually were. The season will do a great deal of good especially to those who have an acreage planted to wheat. Cattlemen have been busy with their feeding and indicate that little damage was done.

George Garrison made a business trip to Quitaque Tuesday of this week.

### BUILDING TAKES ADDED IMPETUS

BUSINESS HOUSES IN PROSPECT ADD TO OUTLOOK FOR YEAR.

With contract let for a twenty-five by seventy-two foot brick and tile building and two other buildings of like nature in the offing, the building prospects for the year are taking on an added impetus as the year moves into the opening months. O. W. Latson was awarded the contract the latter part of last week and will start getting material and supplies on the ground in the near future for the building that is to be erected at the intersection of Gorst and First streets. The place is now occupied by a sheet metal building which will be torn away and removed to another location.

The McDonald building at the intersection of Kearney and Second streets is nearing completion at the hands of the workmen and will be ready for its new occupants shortly before the first of March. The interior has been changed and a show room has been placed across the entire front of the structure. A new metal ceiling is being placed and a concrete floor has been put in the front of the building on Kearney Street. The windows were taken from their places and will be lowered to conform with the latest of the most complete buildings in the city.

The Trent building at the corner of Sully and First Streets will be remodeled as soon as the present occupants remove to their location in the McDonald building. The front is to be taken out and replaced according to the latest plans and other changes will be made that are worthy of note.

In the residence section there are even more changes contemplated. John Bass has recently completed remodeling the old Bain home in the western edge of the city and has sold this to Hubert Ziegler, who is now occupying the place. Mr. Bass is also working on a residence for himself on the block of land just in front of the administration building of the College and High School.

In the eastern part of the city the home of Ed Speed has recently been completed and occupied by its new owner, J. W. Bows is erecting a neat home for himself in the same section of the town and many other changes worthy of note have been made in that part of the city. The Presbyterian

### FARM SHORT COURSE PROGRAMS DRAW HUNDREDS OF VISITORS TO CLARENDON

TWO-DAY SHORT COURSE ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL EVER STAGED IN THE PANHANDLE. ALL PROGRAMS HEAVILY ATTENDED AND TWO EXTRA PROGRAMS ADDED TO CARE FOR DEMAND. SPEAKERS PRAISE COMMUNITY.

"The most successful short course ever staged in the Panhandle" is the verdict of those who had Clarendon's Short Course in charge, which began Monday morning and ended Tuesday night. Six programs had been originally scheduled, but the heavy overflow attendance on the first session Monday, caused a repetition of the program at 8:45 Tuesday morning, through the courtesy of the nationally reputed speakers who came to Clarendon through the extension policy of the International Harvester Company. Then, in order to give ample time for the discussion of certain subjects, two programs were carried on simultaneously, Tuesday afternoon, the regular program at the College auditorium, and the extra program at the Queen Theatre, and both had full to overflowing attendance.

Rural schools and patrons from over the county came by the hundreds despite the severe cold and snow that covered the county and the committee in charge of the Short Course say that no county-wide movement ever had a more generous response from the county at large. Preference was given the visitors from the rural communities in seating in the auditorium of the College where the programs were held, and every delegate entered into the exercises with an interest that inspired the speakers on the programs

### ASHTOLA WINS SCHOOL PRIZE

CHAMBERLAIN IS SECOND IN LIST OF ATTENDANCE WINNERS TO COURSE.

When final returns were made for the attendance contest staged by the Chamber of Commerce in connection with the Short Course here Monday and Tuesday, it was learned that the Ashtola school had topped first place with a total of 193 attendance units. Chamberlain was second in the contest with 142 attendance units to their credit.

Other schools who came in with high records will be found to be Martin, Lelia Lake, Hudgins, Windy Valley, Jericho, Goldston and Sunnyview. Due to the fact that Lelia Lake is in an independent school district it was not considered a rural school and for that reason their attendance could not be counted although they were here in great numbers and took a great interest in the work of the Short Course.

The attendance from many of the schools of the county was cut due to the influence of the very inclement weather encountered during the two days of the course. The teachers, however, stated that they were never better pleased than they were with the reception accorded them in Clarendon.

Messrs. Homer Mulkey and Lee Casey were in Amarillo Tuesday afternoon attending to business in connection with the theaters here.

ans plan to make some considerable changes in their manse in the western part of the town and will start this work as soon as the weather will allow it to be done. Some extensive work is planned in this connection and the church is planning to build a new building as soon as satisfactory disposition can be made of the property they now own at the intersection of Kearney and Second Streets.

Lumber yards of the city state that many plans are being made for remodeling homes in the city and predict that the spring and summer will be one of the busiest times ever seen here in the building line. Rooms and houses are scarce at this time and a desirable place is easily rented and the tenants will stay for an indefinite length of time.

who declare they had never had better attention and co-operation than accorded them here.

The Junior Band, directed by E. M. Lindsey, furnished martial music for several of the sessions and the fine arts department of the College and High School contributed piano, choral and quartette music and readings to enliven the programs. Supt. Burton proved a genial host and saw particularly to the details and comforts of the occasion.

All the talks and lectures were given with motion pictures, lantern slides or chart aids and were driven home with all the power of the speakers who were instantly recognized as practical masters of their various subjects dealing with the problems of better farming and home making. Mr. H. S. Mobley, leader of the party, is a lifelong farmer and operates one of the model farms of Northwest Arkansas, when not out on tours. Mr. G. L. Smith is the owner of one of the reputed commercial fruit farms of the nation at Rock Island, Ill., while Miss Grace M. Smith is a woman who has had many years experience in home demonstration work and the solution of problems of the home makers of the farm.

General commendation was heard on the educational and inspirational value of the Short Course and on the last evening of the series of programs by unanimous rising vote the audience thanked the speakers for their efforts and extended an urgent invitation for them to come here again for another Short Course just as soon as their schedule would permit.

The News has compiled a brief outline of the various addresses of the two-day's course and they will be presented from week to week in these columns for the benefit of those who did not get to hear them and for the convenience of the many hundreds who did hear the talks and who desire to refresh their minds on the contents of each address from time to time.

Clarendon was happy to have been the host to such a meeting and every man and woman who had a part in the arrangements feels that Donley County will profit immensely in better farming and more successful farming and home making in 1929, by reason of the Short Course having been presented.

### WORK ON TEST IS HINDERED BY COLD

CONTINUED COLD WEATHER PREVENTS STARTS OF ACTUAL OPERATIONS.

Work that was scheduled to be started on the new test well to be drilled in Donley County a little more than four miles north of Clarendon has been held up by lack of proper weather for the pursuance of duties attendant to the start. The only work that has been done is that which had to do with getting the necessary material to the site of the well.

A road has been cut from the highway in to the location of the well and plans are now under way to get the cellar dug and the derrick erected just as soon as the weather moderates to a sufficient extent to allow operations to be started. The plans of the company call for the spudding of the well to be made shortly before the first of March and the drilling to be completed as soon as work will allow.



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There's an old saying that after all great wars nature maintains the balance of the sexes by a preponderance of boy babies. We are ready to accept the theory, and the great war is just now getting in its work here in Clarendon. And how!

Clarendon's imported Short Course speakers here this week, who have traveled thousands of miles and visited towns and cities in every agricultural area of the nation, were frank in their praise of Clarendon and community, and pronounced this community one of the most friendly and attractive they have ever visited. Somehow, Clarendon always makes a splendid impression upon those who stay here long enough to feel the charm of her citizenship and the beauty of her location and surroundings.

30,000 bales of cotton for Donley County isn't a dream any more, for the 1928 crop is going to run to those figures and a little past. That isn't too much cotton, so long as we raise a great lot of kafir, maize, corn, oats and wheat, and sell a lot of milk and cream, butter and eggs, chickens and turkeys, and raise our own meat and lard and sausage. The balanced rate of production of these things is easy to attain in Donley County, for we have the natural advantages to make us the greatest diversified county in the Southwest.

Donley County people have evidently gotten together on the matter of providing a county hospital through an arrangement with the present board of directors of the Adair Hospital, now closed, for from all parts of the county there comes word of the interest and demand that some provision of this sort be consummated. The commissioners court is made up of men who feel their responsibility as public servants, and will be found ready to consider any move for the public welfare.

When we said in this column last week that the Short Course would show up Clarendon's need for a commodious city auditorium, we didn't say it strong enough. The very first program so taxed the capacity of the college auditorium that over four hundred were unable to get in the building, and had it not been for the kindly courtesy of the visiting speakers who staged a repetition of the program at a very early hour the next morning, these would have missed the inspiration and enlightenment of the program. Now it will not be possible to get repetitions of other programs and events of general community import and interest, and it is up to the far-sighted and envisioned citizenry of Clarendon to set themselves to the task of providing for this serious need of this community. We must have the auditorium, and there is no other set of people to provide it but ourselves. Let us provide for this generation and the one to come.

## RESPECT FOR LAW

Respect for law, as a general thing, we have nix. We are a nation of law-makers and law-breakers. We set up laws much after the manner of the man who sets up the pins in a bowling alley, and then we knock them down. Take our automobile laws, for instance—we have lots of them. One clause says we must have two lights but sometimes we run them without any. Then we have a law which says our automobile lights must not be bright so as to blind the driver of an approaching car. Some of us appear to try to see how bright we can make them. Why should we be worried about a fellow approaching us? He is not even going our way. Again the law has something in it about going around another car on a hill—we all do it especially if the car ahead of us is having trouble getting over the hill, and even if it is going at a good clip we go around. Why just to show up his old boat—we don't even think of the law, even if we did know it, and would not obey it. We have another road pest who has everything on the road hog, at times and that is the fellow who will persist in going around a car just in front of him, at the same time knowing absolutely that he is taking a desperate chance, for he sees another car coming his way, and knows too, that the car coming his way, has the right of way over him. In spite of all that he will make the attempt—just like a baseball player trying to steal a base, he will take the chance. If he knocks the man coming towards him in the ditch, what matters. The fool ought not to have been running so fast, is his mental observation, as far as he is mentally able to have a thought. And the queer thing about particular species of road pest is he is never going anywhere, especially. He is not going after the doctor; nobody is sick, there is no fire anywhere; he has no special engagement. He is just a surplus nut in an automobile and a menace to any highway on which he practices his insane desire to pass people, just when somebody else is coming.—Bonham Favorite.

## The Town Doctor

(The Doctor of Towns)

Says

THERE ARE THOSE WHO'LL SAY, "IT'S ALL A LOT OF BALONEY"

Almost every honest endeavor to induce people to DO something for their community is branded by certain types of individuals as hot air, bunk, hooey and "It's all a lot of baloney." The fellow who starts whispering, "Tie it outside," when THINKING residents talk about the value of "boosting" is usually the fellow who goes outside the record regarding the truth when making conversation about himself. Such people are so engrossed in their own littleness that they cannot grasp the BIGNESS of COLLECTIVE thinking.

The greatest service anyone can do for his community is to THINK about it. Let everyone think a community is GOOD and it WILL be—not overnight—not in a month—nor perhaps even in a year. But THINKING it is good will create and cause ACTION that will gradually and surely MAKE it good. On the other hand, think your town is NO good and it will be just that and nothing different!

THINKING about those things that will improve your community is not a DUTY—it's BUSINESS; therefore, it isn't a question of why you should but why SHOULDNT you be a booster?

A booster is one who supports his town enthusiastically—one who gets BEHIND and PUSHES vigorously, consistently and PERSISTENTLY. The other fellow gets in FRONT and leans BACKWARD, or gets in the road making it tough going for the PUSHERS.

A booster is an optimist and a joy-maker; he is not a cynic nor a crepe-hanger.

A booster cheers; he never jeers, sneers, or hisses.

A booster sticks up for his community; he never turns his nose up at it.

A booster gives every fellow a "break;" he never "dishes the dirt."

A booster says, "I'll do it for the good of the community;" not, "What do I get out of it?"

A booster admires success; he never infers, "There must be something crooked about it."

A booster says, "You bet this is a good town;" he never says, "Oh, yes, it's all right if you like it."

A booster is for anything that is good; a KICKER objects to everything good or bad.

A booster is a POSITIVE quantity; a KICKER is a NEGATIVE minus.

A booster pushes and goes AHEAD; a KICKER balks, stands still and never gets anywhere.

A booster, instead of saying, "It's all a lot of baloney," says, "There may be something in that," and then THINKS about it.

You are the one to decide on which side of the fence you are going to be. Choose the side you think is for your own best interests, and then STAND UP for what you THINK.

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Spearman has a few—a very few—citizen who are here merely to make money. They have no interest in the community affairs; take no interest in the chamber of commerce or other civic organizations. To wring every dollar possible out of the community and give nothing in return, seems to be the purpose and intention of these few citizens. This is not as it should be. Every man owes a little of his very best effort to the town and community in which he lives. If these few citizens think and believe that there is no future for Spearman; that any effort to build a bigger and better town and a more progressive community here, is time and energy wasted, then they should move away from here at once. To reside in a community in which one has no faith, no pride, or interest, is indeed a display of a peculiar state of mentality—something difficult to understand.—Spearman Reporter.

## "LETS GET BETTER ACQUAINTED"

Frank Whitlock handed The News man the following paragraphs a day or so ago and asked if we had room to carry them in these columns. We don't know whether or not Frank wrote them; if he did he is a smart man and if he didn't he's still a smart man for recognizing the truth and value of what's said below:

"If I knew you and you knew me 'Tis seldom, if ever, we'd disagree."

There's a lot of difference between knowing a man and merely being acquainted with him.

"I know that fellow. He's four-square and a straight shooter," you say in defense of a friend, when someone criticises him in your presence.

Soon the critic is convinced he has misjudged your friend. The two learn to know each other better. They become friends. What a wonderful thing you have done—established a friendship between two good fellows.

The better people know each other the more all shall profit—in personal satisfaction, as well as dollars and cents.

Let's get better acquainted!

The U. S. Board of Mines is constructing the "coldest spot in the world" eight miles west of Amarillo, Texas, to supply the navy's giant dirigible of the future with helium. The new government plant will recover helium from the natural gas of the Amarillo field by cooling it to a temperature of 300 degrees below zero. At this temperature, below the constituents of the natural gas, except the helium, are liquefied, permitting it to be drawn off as gas and leaving the residue as liquid.

## Every Burning Minute

One thousand, two hundred and forty-one dollars and twenty cents goes up in smoke every minute—\$1,539,070.00 every day and a total of \$561,980,751.00 every year.

Fire insurance does not prevent the fire but it is a sure means of refinancing a new building when your home is reduced to ruins.

The cost for this protection is very reasonable.

It's too late to see us about insurance after the fire whistle blows. Better see or phone us today and have your policy written or have additional insurance if you are not fully covered.

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Cows will live in this climate with only a little shelter, but they will not produce the most milk unless they are provided with a clean, warm barn.

If women are better auto drivers than men it is because they start from the back seat and worked their way up.

With farm conditions as they are today it pays to watch the corners. An implement shed costs but little and saves many dollars in depreciation.

Whatever trouble Adam had When Cain knocked Abel dazy, He never hired an alienist To prove the boy was crazy.

Storage for grain, feed and other farm products as well as shelter for the animals and protection for implements are all provided in a good barn. To our way of thinking the barn is about the most important building on a farm.

Heavy Percentage A friend banker says "The reason that folks get stirred up over money matters is that money is something in which a great deal of interest is taken."

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## Dairying Proves Successful in South

By M. B. OATES,  
Agriculture Agent, Fort Worth & Denver City Ry. Co.

### MARSHALL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, MADE RAPID

#### DAIRY DEVELOPMENT AFTER BOLL WEEVIL HIT

Marshall County, Tennessee, located in the southern part of Middle Tennessee, had been engaged in stock farming to some extent before the advent of the boll weevil but had not gone in for dairying. However, when the boll weevil hit in 1921, the people immediately turned to dairying.

After one year's experience with the boll weevil a co-operative creamery was built at Lewisburg. There was another creamery at Chapel Hill in the same county and these two creameries (both co-operative) now have 750 patrons. Then early in 1927 the Borden Company completed a condensery at Lewisburg which is valued at \$1,000,000. This plant has 80 employees and 1,000 milk patrons from which it receives 85,000 pounds of milk daily. The plant also has receiving stations which bring up the total dairy milk receipts to 140,000 pounds. Lewisburg also ships a carload of milk daily to Chicago. Dairy products from Marshall County total \$1,000,000 a year. Sales of dairy cattle bring \$250,000 more to dairy farmers of the county. There are now 25,000 cows and heifers above one year of age in the county. There are 2700 farms in the county and 65 per cent of the farmers have dairy cows. It is said that there are a thousand owners of registered cows in the county which probably explains why there is a quarter of a million a year from sales of dairy cattle. There is not a scrub bull in the county. The county has a Jersey Breeders Association which has 150 members. All of this development has attracted the interest of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and as a result, Lewisburg is to get a Federal Experiment Station.

Such a record of accomplishments in the short space of six or seven years is almost spectacular. However, if you had been at the banquet reception given us by the Chamber of Commerce you could realize that such a representative group of citizens could, by united effort, do almost anything. Present at the banquet was J. M. McCord, Jersey Cattle Auctioneer, and present Mayor of Lewisburg, also editor of one of the local papers. He was toast master and a good one, too. Then another local editor was present and the County Agent, the Chamber of Commerce Secretary and Mr. Buchanan, Manager of the Borden Southern Company. Mr. Marshall, president of the Marshall County Jersey Cattle Association was present and told of his faith in the Jersey cow. A. B. Harmon, District Agent, Extension Service, University of Tennessee, was present and also accompanied us for two days. There were eleven bankers present, almost every bank in the county having a representative there. Also several other business men of Lewisburg were there. That was a wonderful reception to give to a little party of only eight men and all of us total strangers. We were not only grateful for the wonderful reception given us but we were profoundly impressed with the fact that almost every business interest in the county was represented and eager to meet a group of visitors who were studying the dairy development in their County.

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Net profit from 300 hens and 3 cows from June 1st to January 1st is the record made by Walter Goldston.

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## EARLY PLANNING URGED FOR ALL ROADS, STREETS

### WINTER LETTING OF PAVING CONTRACTS CARRIES MANY BENEFITS.

By E. E. Duffy.

With automobile usage still rapidly increasing and the street and road daily becoming of more importance, the desirability of making construction plans early is apparent.

Highway engineers are urging that plans be made and contracts be let as early as possible in the winter and spring preceding the construction season. Many communities have gone even further by making definite plans for construction work a full year ahead.

Early planning, it is pointed out, provides ample time for the extensive preparatory work that goes with any sizable project. In building rural pavements, for instance, old roadways are often shortened for economy's sake, and old and new road beds must be whipped into proper condition before the paving mixer can be used. These operations may call for considerable time.

In city paving, many other items must be considered. Where permanent paving projects are contemplated it is of course highly desirable to place all underground utilities, such as water mains, electric wires, telephone cables and so on, in first class condition in order to avoid the constant tearing up of streets with which so many municipalities are afflicted.

The village of Newark, N. J., after experiencing delays through too late consideration of improvement projects, made early plans one year for paving eight streets. Since it was the off-season for contractors, the keen competition developed among them because of the benefits that would accrue through ample planning time made it possible for Newark to save 21 per cent on the estimated cost of the paving.

Early letting enables contractors to procure materials in advance and to secure the proper machinery and the needed workmen. All this is to the decided advantage of the community.

So far, the demands of the automobile have been so insistent that not much time for planning has been permitted. Particularly in larger cities, projects planned some time prior to construction have proven inadequate when built. Consequently the factor of tomorrow's needs should also be given serious thought.

## HAWK BRAND CLOTHES ARE SOUTHERN PRODUCTS

Twenty years ago the center of the textile industry of the United States was located in the New England section. Today the larger percentage of the cotton spinning, weaving, dyeing and manufacturing has been transferred south of the Mason and Dixon line.

This result has been the gradual outgrowth of a desire on the part of the mills and cotton factories to eliminate unnecessary freight and steamship charges, and also to reach a more selective source of skilled labor.

In former years when a representative of a cotton industry, (take for instance an overall manufacturer) called on a merchant his favorite stock or trade talk was, "My overall is made from EASTERN denim." Today all that is changed, for the trade has come to realize that even better denims, khakis and shirtings are being produced by southern institutions.

It is a well known fact that better merchandise can be produced more economically at the source of raw materials than at a great distance and for that reason it behooves every citizen of the south before he buys a cotton product to stop and think, "am I buying a garment made in southern mills and factories from the best materials by skilled operators, or is this made in eastern factories from 'seconds,' and by certain processes made to resemble a good piece of merchandise?"

This quotation is a very important one for it means that each time you demand a southern made product that you are supporting southern factories, who employ citizens of the south and who in turn spend their money for some of the raw materials produced in your community.

Outstanding examples development are the two modern and completely equipped Hawk Brand Work Clothes factories located at Paris and Waco, Texas. At these two plants, there is row after row of modern machinery, which at full capacity are capable of turning out millions of pants, overalls, auto suits, shirts and play suits, annually. Approximately 800 operators can be employed at one time.

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## THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS IN TWO SCHOOLS TO MEET

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 12.—A joint meeting of the theological students of Texas Christian University, and Southern Methodist University will be held at T. C. U. in the near future, the exact date to be announced later.

Program plans are already completed, and call for a meeting starting at 5 p. m., a dinner, and an evening session, with three papers to be presented, one from each school.

Each paper is to discuss: (1) Origin of the denomination represented, setting forth especially the causes that brought the denomination into existence; (2) The particular contribution the denomination has made to the cause of Christianity; (3) Do the original causes that brought the denomination into existence still obtain?

Theological students from other nearby institutions are to be invited to participate in the T. C. U. meeting, which will be the first of a series to be held at the various schools.

## KERRVILLE IS PLANNING GREAT RECREATION CENTER

A swimming pool to cost approximately \$20,000 is one of the objectives of the Kerrville Chamber of Commerce. Visiting engineers assure the city of a supply of water that will be as pure as drinking water. This will be the initial step in the building of a large recreation center.

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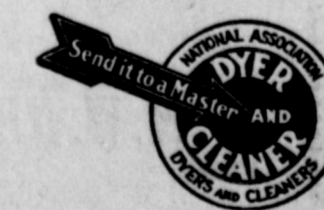
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# UNDER THE DOME

By United Press

Austin, Texas, Feb. 13.—A cure for cancer may be stumbled on at any time, according to Doctor-Senator J. W. Beck, of DeKalb, who is urging the state to establish a state cancer and pellagra hospital.

Treatment of incipient cases of cancer, a large proportion of which can be cured, and research, are both subjects of the new bill.

"Do you think a Texas hospital can accomplish more than the national cancer foundation with their large funds?" Dr. Beck was asked.

In reply to this he pointed out that the more cases that are treated and examined, the quicker the chance of finding a cure. Malaria was cited by Dr. Beck to show what can happen when there is wide research and study.

Cancer is not a disease upon which reports are required. Dr. Beck has gathered figures independently for Texas.

In 56 counties the population of 1,580,496 reports 304 cases of cancer or 19 per 100,000 population. Applied to the whole state this percentage would make 1,146 cases for Texas.

Pellagra, which unless checked frequently results in insanity, showed an average of 236 cases per 100,000 population. This would figure approximately 2400 for the state.

A day in jail for every dollar of usurious interest charged is Rep. J. C. Duvall's cure for loan sharks and shylocks. Under the bill it would be usurious to charge more than ten per cent.

Bill captions are supposed to notify the public what the bills contain. No bill can become a law without its objects being stated in the caption. Practically the captions show nothing of the sort. For instance, an official caption shows a bill "to provide for the taking of testimony of witnesses in trials." So far as the caption shows, taking of testimony of witnesses at a trial is something new. Investigations will likely show that the bill provides for taking deposition under some peculiar conditions. Other bills are captioned "to amend article 30 and so of chapter 30 and so of the Revised Statutes of 1925." Search of the statutes will show what the bill affects.

Proposal for a 120 day session of the legislature with half of it given to introducing bills and committee work, is getting favorable comment. It is designed to eliminate the wild scramble to get bills on the calendar as early as possible. In the scramble all sorts of mistakes creep through. Nebraska has a plan that would require no constitutional amendment nor extra session time. A legislative rule provides that no bills shall be offered after the first 20 days of a session.

Data compiled for the Legislature on Sunday movies shows that the Sunday law of 1871, prohibiting Sunday theaters is given little observance. It was passed before the days of the movie. In the state there are now 876 movie theaters and 427 of them open on Sunday. Advocates of a bill legalizing Sunday movies point out that any city or town, not wishing Sunday movies, can close them by ordinance, even if the Sunday law passes. A movie owners' committee has compiled this list of places which now have Sunday movies despite the 1871 blue law:

Towns over 20,000 population—Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Ft. Worth, El Paso, Beaumont, Galveston, Wichita Falls, Amarillo, Austin, Waco, Port Arthur, Laredo, Texarkana, San Angelo, Corpus Christi.

Towns between 15,000-20,000—



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Towns between 10,000-15,000—Cisco, Del Rio, Eastland, Electric, Harlingen, McAllen, Vernon, Ranger, San Benito, Mineral Wells.

Towns between 5,000-10,000—Kingsville, Borger, Brenham, Weslaco, Cameron, Cuero, Eagle Pass, Edinburg, Goose Creek, Kerrville, Plainview, Midland, Lufkin, Mercedes, Mission, Yoakum, Burk Burnett, New Braunfels, Victoria.

Towns between 2,000-5,000—Alamo, Crockett, Donna, Eagle Lake, El Campo, Falfurrias, Fredericksburg, Goliad, Groveton, Poyote, Raymondville, Rio Grande City, Crystal City, LaPorte, LaGrange, Livingston, McCamey, Nacogdoches, Marfa, Pearsall, Somerville, Wharton, Luling, Robstown, Rusk, San Juan, Bishop, San Diego, Seguin, Sealy, Sinton, Columbus, Wink, Rosebud, Bartlett, Baytown, Beeville, Bellville, San Augustine, Boerne, Brackettville, Hallettsville, Kenedy, Yorktown.

Towns less than 2,000—Amarilloville, Ed Couch, Ellinger, Enclinal, Falls City, Fayetteville, Fabens, Platonía, Frisco, Ganado, Harano, Jayton, Hebronville, Miranda City, Moulton, Needville, Nixon, Nordheim, Orange Grove, Presidio, Poth, Pampa, O'Donnell, Panhandle, Ralls, Refugio, Crowell, Roma, Clifton, Skidmore, Shiner, Smiley, Tivoli, Wallis, Dimmitt, Ysleta, Benavides, Schuling, Rocks Springs, Celina, Schulenburg, Comfort, Crane, Clint, Dilley, Dickinson, Three Rivers.

"The last legislature sure put its foot in it," declared W. S. Barron, speaker of the House. "It changed the newspaper libel laws, and now the newspapers can say hard things about the legislators."

There is lobbying afoot in the halls of the Capitol at Austin to put skirts on the chairs in the Senate and House of Representatives.

The lobbyists are the women employed on the legislature clerical force. And the chairs concerned are the ones they use.

The movement is not the outgrowth of modest complex but is prompted by economy.

Miss Beverly Randolph, of Seguin, secretary to Senator A. J. Wirtz, of Gaudalup County, estimates conservatively that each girl employed as clerk or stenographer in the legislature is ruining on the average of one and a half pairs of stockings a week.

Now that is no small item in the weekly expense account when ladies' hose cost from \$1.95 to \$2.95 a pair, not extra fancy.

The high price of stockings instead of long working hours may be behind the many hints the Senators are getting to touch the treasurer of the State of Texas for increases in the weekly stipend.

The Senators reluctantly raised the salaries of several calendar clerks. And then in a couple of days they were touched again.

But the Senators bucked. Not only did they buck, but they reneged and voted to cut the salaries they had already increased.

That put this stocking matter right up to the girls. And as it

is too cold to go without them, the ladies are trying to find other ways of remedying matters.

Putting drapes on their chairs would not be infringing on the masculinity of law-makers' chairs, the girls said. Their chairs would remain unclothed.

The monotonous routine of rows of chairs and desks in the Senate and House would be broken by moveable chairs draped in bright cretonne or fabrics in colors to blend with the decorative scheme of the legislative chambers, it was said.

Then when a girl is called to a son's desk to take dictation, she can concentrate on her work and not be worried about whether she is going to snag her stockings.

"There is nothing more detrimental to ones well being than a run in one's stocking," Miss Randolph said.

In event no Senator or representative can be found to introduce a concurrent resolution putting the chairs in pinafores, the girls have one more card.

They can arm themselves with the longest nail files to be found in Austin and give their chairs a manicure.

Denton, Texas, Feb. 13.—Dates for the meeting of the Southwestern Journalism Congress and the Northeast Texas Press Association, which will convene simultaneously on the campus of the College of Industrial Arts, have been set at April 5 and 6. Final plans for the meeting date and the appointment of a program committee were arranged at a meeting of a program committee members in McKinney last Saturday.

Eric G. Schroeder, president of the Southwestern Journalism Congress, will have charge of arranging the program for the college group. The Northeast Texas Press Association program will be in charge of a committee of which Rob Edwards, publisher of the Denton Record-Chronicle, is chairman.

It is planned to have the two press groups meet in a joint session the afternoon of the second day to listen to a nationally known speaker. A banquet and dance Saturday evening will climax the second day's program. All meetings will be held in buildings on the C. I. A. Campus.

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 13.—Graham Estes, in charge of intramural at Texas Christian University, this week announced that ten sweaters and twenty medals will be awarded to the thirty men registering the greatest number of points in intramural competition this year. This will be the first time that such awards have been made.

The medals will bear the inscription "T. C. U. Intramural Athletics" and will be on the order of watch charms. The sweaters will be in school colors and with an intramural athletic emblem.

College Station, Texas, Feb. 13.—Isaac Corns, of Harlingen, Cameron County, and Paul Robinson, of Midway, Madison County, 17-year-old 4-H club boys, have been chosen to represent Texas at the National 4-H Encampment at Washington next June. Director O. B. Martin, of the Extension

service of Texas A. & M. College, has announced.

These boys were selected from a large group of contestants who competed for this annual trip on the basis of their records as club members for the last three years, their qualities of leadership, club activities and stories of their club experiences.

Expenses of the boys will be paid from the revenues of the 4-H Club refreshment stand operated each year at the airmen's Short Course at A. & M. Isaac Corns' work was under the direction of County Agent Henry Alsmeyer, of Cameron County, while the work of Paul Robinson was under the direction of W. H. Dupuy, Madison County Agent.

It has been the distinction of Texas boys who have won this trip that their net profits from club work have always amounted to more than \$1,000 and the recipients of the honors this year are no exception. Young Corns, a freshman at A. & M. this year, made and saved \$2,091.10 in three years for his college education on corn and cotton, but chiefly poultry products. Paul Robinson, aside from the distinction of setting a Texas corn production record of 154 bushels to an acre last year, has handled a variety of crop and livestock enterprises for a total net profit in the last three years of \$1,474.49. He is attending high school at Madisonville.

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 13.—Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of Texas Technological College, has accepted an invitation to address an older boys' conference for Y. M. C. A. work at Childress, on March 9.

### FAMED KILLER IS DEAD IN MONTANA

Fort Worth, Feb. 6.—The spectacular career of Tom Ross, West Texas cattleman, who at the age of 53 was sentenced to 55 years for the murder of H. L. Roberson and W. D. Allison, cattle inspectors, only to make a sensational escape from the state penitentiary in 1925, apparently has ended with his reported death in Montana.

According to meager reports from Glacier County, Montana, Ross died as he had lived, a pistol in his hand and defiant. He shot R. C. Hayward, who had succeeded him as foreman of a ranch, held several witnesses at bay for an hour, then went into an adjoining room and took his own life.

Ross had not been heard of since he and Milt Good, convicted also for the slaying of the cattle inspectors, escaped from the state prison. Good was captured in 1926 near Antlers, Okla., and returned. The two cattlemen had been in prison only a few months when they escaped. Good attacked a guard with a stick of wood, knocked him unconscious,

after which they scaled the wall and fled in a waiting automobile.

Ross has been living in Montana under the name of Charles Cannon. A telegram last night from Great Falls, Mont., officers to Ranger Captain Tom Hickman at Austin identified the dead man as Ross. It was said Hickman knew of Ross' presence in Montana and had planned to leave shortly to bring him back to Texas.

Advices from Lubbock said Ross would be sent to Lovington, New Mexico, for burial. His widow, daughter and father-in-law live there.

The murder of the two inspectors at Seminole in 1922 and subsequent trials of Ross and Good attracted nation-wide attention. Roertson and Allison were slain

as they sat in the lobby of a hotel at Seminole, the day after they were to have gone before the grand jury with evidence against cattle rustlers. Mrs. Roberson, clad in a nightgown, ran downstairs and fired at Ross and Good as they fled, inflicting slight wounds on Good.

Ross first was convicted at Lubbock for the murder of Allison and given 35 years. He then was tried at Abilene for Roberson's death and given 25 years after 95 hours deliberation by the jury. Good received sentences totaling 51 years.

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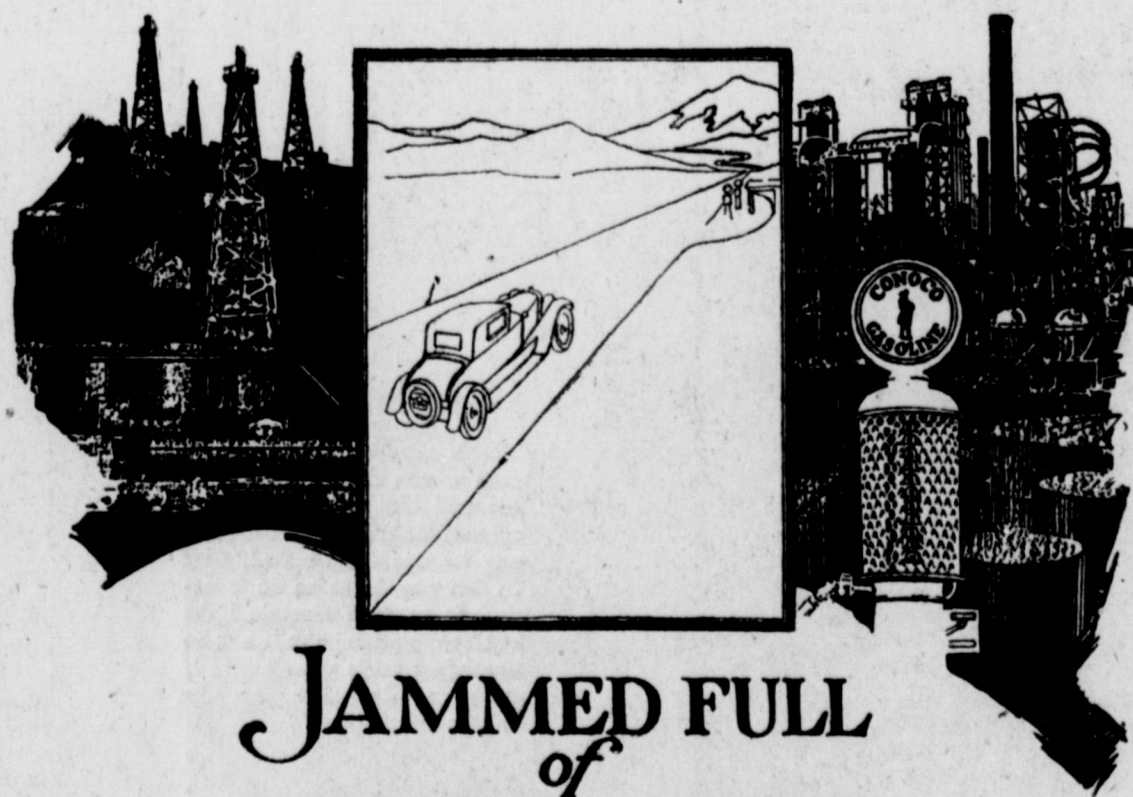
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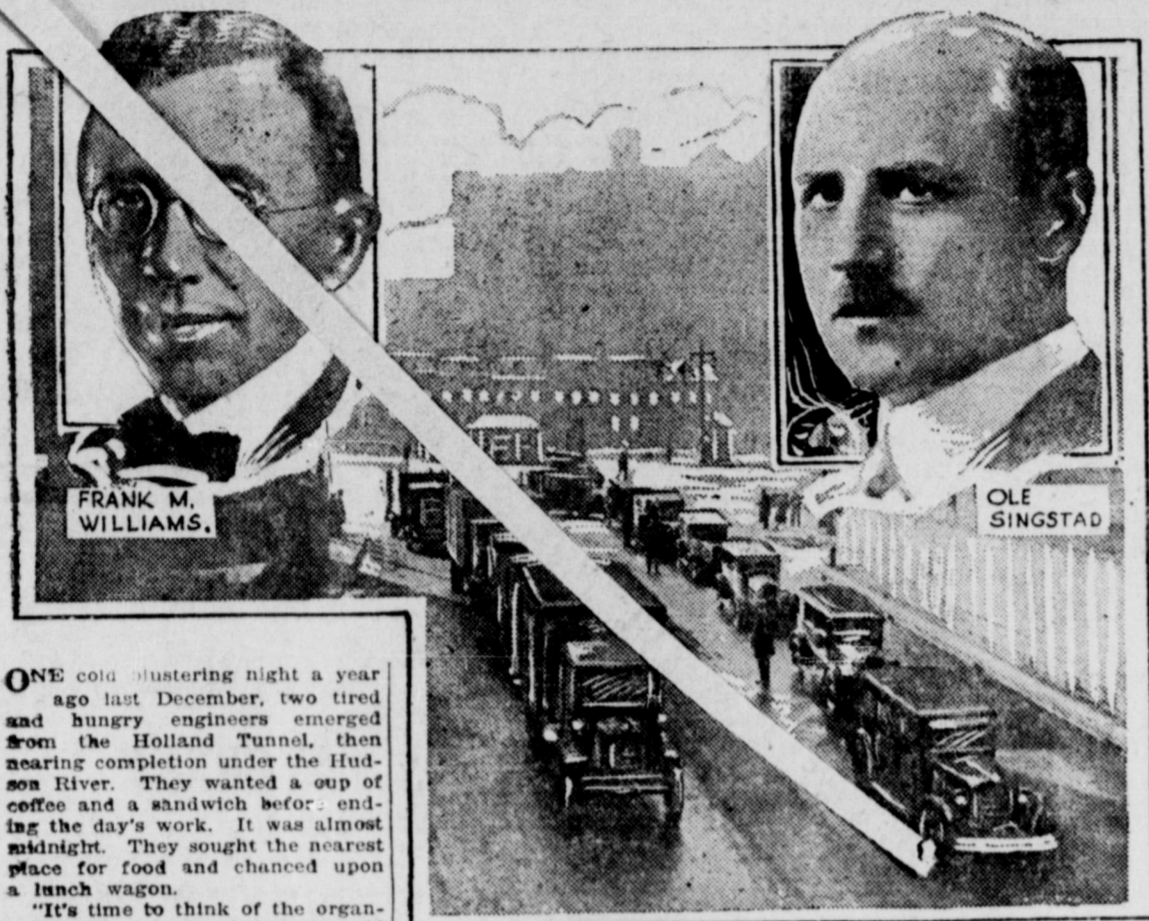
### SAME PRESCRIPTION HE WROTE IN 1892

When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875, the needs for a laxative were not as great as today. People lived normal lives, ate plain, wholesome food, and got plenty of fresh air. But even that early there were drastic physics and purges for the relief of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did not believe were good for human beings.

The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, and which he put in drug stores in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe bowel stimulant. This prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative. It has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, typhoid, colds, fever. At your druggist, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. 22, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.



### Holland Tunnel Triumph of Organization



FRANK M. WILLIAMS.

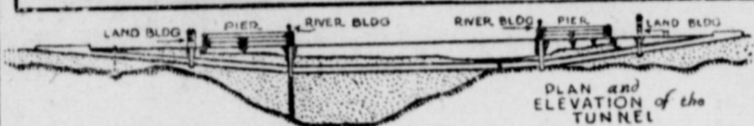
OLE SINGSTAD

ONE cold blustering night a year ago last December, two tired and hungry engineers emerged from the Holland Tunnel, then nearing completion under the Hudson River. They wanted a cup of coffee and a sandwich before ending the day's work. It was almost midnight. They sought the nearest place for food and chanced upon a lunch wagon.

"It's time to think of the organization chart," one of the men said to his companion. The speaker was Frank M. Williams, a state engineer for ten years, builder of the Barge Canal and consulting engineer for the Holland Tunnel. His companion was Ole Singstad, chief engineer of the tunnel.

The men sat down at the lunch wagon counter. Mr. Williams pulled from his pocket an envelope. Together they drew up plans for the complete operating organization of the Holland Tunnel. They traced out on this coffee-spotted envelope the division of work for a force of 400 men who were to control the successful management of the tunnel.

Between sips of coffee and munches on sandwiches the engineers planned to have the two commis-



sions which had supervised the building of the tunnel also supervise its operation. They planned to have the mechanical operation under supervision of a superintendent, who should have five divisions under him.

The divisions were to be electrical operation, maintenance, police, medical and financial. Each was to have its own commander. The financial division was to have charge of all tolls and was to report directly to the commissions. All other divisions were to report to the superintendent, who was to be answerable to the commissions.

The complete scheme of the organization plan was drawn up in an hour. Mr. Williams replaced the envelope in his pocket and the men went home. The tunnel operates today in accordance with the same organization plan drawn up in a lunch wagon more than a year ago. So perfect were these plans that on the opening day 51,748 automobiles passed through the tunnel's two tubes without accident or delay.

### THE SPIRIT OF GOOD CITIZENSHIP

Buy a home, because: My interests are here, I believe in transacting business with friends. The community that is good enough for me to buy in. The man I purchase from pays his part of the city, school and county taxes. I believe in my town and its future.

Speaking of home building, who is the REAL home builder. Is it the home merchant. Who is he? He is the chap who gives you credit when you are financially broke, and carries your account until you are able to pay.

He is the chap who gives you back your money or makes exchanges when you are not satisfied with what you have bought.

He is the chap who meets you at the door with a handshake and lets you out with a message to the "kids" and a real "Come again, goodbye."

He is the chap whose clerks live in the home town and spend their money with you and other home town people.

He is the chap who helps support our churches, our schools, and our charity organizations, and talks for the home town and boosts it every day in the year.

He is the chap who visits you when you are sick, sends flowers to your family when you die, and follows your body out as far as human feet may travel.

He is the home merchant—your neighbor—your friend—your helper in time of need.

Don't you think you ought to trade with him, and be his friend and his helper, too?

Don't you know that the growth and prosperity of your town depends very largely upon the success and prosperity of the home merchant? Out-of-town people judge your city by the appearance of the store and the degree of enterprise shown by the home merchants.

HOME MERCHANTS SUCCEED WHEN HOME FOLKS GIVE THEM THEIR LOYAL SUPPORT.—American Railway Journal.

### SECOND ANNUAL OLD FIDDLERS' CONTEST TO BE HELD IN AMARILLO

Amarillo, Texas, Feb. 14.—Plans are virtually complete for the Second annual Tri-State Fair association's Old Fiddlers' contest to be held in the municipal auditorium here on March 7, according to Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the fair. Entries will close on March 1. The contest is open to old fiddlers of the Panhandle, Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. Each county is entitled to one contestant.

Ten prizes totaling \$200 will be given this year. The first prize will be \$75; second \$50; third \$25; fourth \$15; fifth \$10, and five \$5 prizes.

The contest program will be broadcast over radio station WDAG. Further details on the contest may be secured from Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the Tri-State Fair, Amarillo.

### GUY POWELL IS NAMED COUNTY AGENT OF WISE

Guy Powell is the new Wise County County Agent, according to the Decatur News. He has had practical and college experience in every department of farm and rural life, having graduated from A. & M. College. He was manager of the first cow testing association organized in Texas.

### RAILROADS PROVE INTEREST IN WORK

#### ROCK ISLAND TO ADVERTISE IN 632 PAPERS IN FIVE STATES.

That the railroads of the Panhandle are thoroughly sold on the immigration movement inaugurated by the Panhandle-Plains of Texas, Inc., last fall when they made the exhibits of the agricultural products of the Panhandle at various fairs in Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska is substantially illustrated by the action of the Rock Island Railroad just authorized.

Announcement has been made from the office of Mr. L. M. Allen, Vice President of the Chicago Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company that that company has contracted for the insertion of an advertisement descriptive of Panhandle land in early issues of 632 newspapers throughout Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Iowa and Illinois.

These papers have a total circulation of 506,582. The same advertisement will be run in "Successful Farming" in April.

In addition to this individual act on the part of the Rock Island system that line has joined with the Santa Fe and the Denver in arrangement to carry an additional series of advertisements of the Panhandle newspapers during the coming fall and winter months to follow the displays to be made this fall at various fairs in northern and central states by the Panhandle-Plains of Texas, Inc.

### CUSTOM OF SENDING VALENTINES TRACED

The custom of sending Valentines had its origin in the time of the Romans when the youths of that day on the Feast of Februata Juno used to draw names of girls to whom they were to devote themselves during the coming year. The Christian priests did not take kindly to the custom and endeavored to substitute the names of saints on the slips of paper and advocated the serving of these holy persons instead, but without much success.

Through the centuries the custom of drawing valentines survived. Though it was often done just a plaything, many of the partners chosen in this manner were permanently kept. As the custom of drawing valentines progressed it changed somewhat. As far back as the eighteenth century gifts were sent to one's valentine and on Valentine's Day of old the children used to try to catch people by being the first to cry, "Good morning, Valentine," a present being thus exacted.

In our own day we have seen the Valentine change from a fancy laced frilled paper bearing sentimental verse to a telegraph Valentine greeting. This latter has become so popular that today the telegraph companies have prepared series of special messages for use by their patrons on this day. These messages contain all sorts of ardent phrases and offer a wide choice of those persons who encounter difficulty in wording their sentiments.—Exchange.

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### SUFFERED FOR 15 YEARS; THEN TOOK SARGON, HE SAYS

"For fifteen years I suffered from a complication of troubles. I was weak, nervous and generally rundown. I frequently had sharp, shooting pains in my side.



A. J. MASON

My sleep was poor and I lost weight, strength and energy. Nearly everything I ate caused indigestion. I took a trip to Hot Springs, but got no relief there, and then I visited several health resorts in the North seemingly without benefit.

Right after I started taking the Sargon treatment I began to sleep better and eat anything I wanted and now I feel like a new man. My appetite is fine. The pains in my side have disappeared. I am not the least bit nervous, and am full of new energy. I have gained weight and my friends are all commenting upon my wonderful improvement.

"Sargon Soft Mass Pills are wonderful. They ended my constipation and biliousness without griping in the least. I wouldn't be without Sargon if it cost twenty dollars a bottle."

The above remarkable statement was made by A. J. Mason, residing at the Colonial Hotel, Ft. Worth, and owner of considerable property in that city.

Sargon may be obtained in Clarendon from Douglas-Goldston Drug Co.; and in Hodley from Hedley Drug Co.

### HORNED FROG BAND IS AGAIN OFFICIAL BODY

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 12.—The Horned Frog Band of Texas Christian University has been awarded the contract for the Fat Stick Show here again this year. The band will play two concerts daily, under the direction of Prof. Claude Semmis. Fifty student musicians compose the band.

### FARM RADIO PROGRAM FOR WEEK OF FEBRUARY 18-22

Had master farmer contests been in vogue in George Washington day, "The Father of His Country" undoubtedly would have qualified for an award. Attention has been focused on Washington's achievements in war and statecraft. But farmers today owe much to his pioneer work in improving agriculture. The facts about Washington's farming enterprises and methods will be told radio listeners on the 197th anniversary of his birth by Dr. O. C. Stine, chief of the division of historical research in the United States Department of Agriculture. Doctor Stine will speak, along with Prof. C. F. Marvin, chief of the Weather Bureau, in the department's regular noon-hour program through a network of seventeen stations associated with the National Broadcasting Company in the Middle West and South. Professor Marvin takes occasion, on the birthday anniversary of a man who saw much needed simplification of the calendar in his time to explain new proposals for calendar simplifications which recently have been placed before Congress and the public.

During the preceding four days of the week the Department of Agriculture program will bring to listeners the facts about the world wheat situation, about seed supplies and prices, on the trend of poultry products, and on the dairy market situation. There likewise will be presented a summary of a report just completed showing just what all the nations of the world are doing to improve their livestock. Department specialists will tell how to select the best insecticides and fungicides, the results of twenty years of cow testing, and give practical pointers which follow from poultry farm demonstrations conducted in various parts of the country.

The complete program for the week follows:

**Monday, February 18.**—"The World Wheat Situation in February." E. J. Working, specialist in statistical research; and "Know Your Insecticides and Fungicides." W. S. Abbott, Food, Drug and Insecticide Administration.

**Tuesday, February 19.**—"Seed Supplies and Prices This Spring." G. C. Elder, specialist in seed supplies, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; and "Livestock Improvement Goes Forward Throughout the World." D. S. Burch, Editor, Bureau of Animal Industry.

**Wednesday, February 20.**—"Poultry Farm Demonstrations and What They Mean." R. L. Shrader, extension poultry husbandman; and "The Trend of the Poultry Products." Dr. S. A. Jones, statistician, Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

**Thursday, February 21.**—"The Dairy Market Situation." Roy C. Potts, in charge, division of dairy

and poultry products, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; and "Twenty Years of Cow Testing." J. B. Parker, Bureau of Dairy Industry.

Friday, February 22.—"George Washington, Master Farmer," Dr. O. C. Stine, in charge of historical research; and "Simplifying the Calendar," Professor C. F. Marvin, chief of the Weather Bureau.

These talks are broadcast at 1:15 to 1:30 p. m., Eastern Standard Time, or 12:15 to 12:30 p. m., Central Standard Time, or 11:15 to 11:30 a. m., Mountain Standard Time by the following stations associated with the National Broadcasting Company.

WRC, Washington; KFKX, Chicago; KDKA, Pittsburgh; KSTP, St. Paul-Minneapolis; WOW, Omaha; WDAF, Kansas City; KVOO, Tulsa; KWK, St. Louis; WFAA, Dallas; WOAI, San Antonio; WSB, Atlanta; WMC, Memphis; WSM, Nashville; WLW, Cincinnati; KOA, Denver; WHO, Des Moines; WHA-S, Louisville; WDAF, Kansas City.

With the purpose of outlining a course of study for primary children of slower-moving minds than the average children, but who are not subnormal, experimental classes are conducted in schools of Baltimore, Md. The purpose is to enrich the curriculum by increased use of educational activities and experiences, and to adjust it to the normal interests of such children. The study will be carried on for three years, and the movement in curriculum adjustment will follow the children as they advance to the second and third grades.

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Stock may be purchased on cash basis or on time payments through our local offices from employees, or by writing direct to the Investment Department of the company.

## West Texas Utilities Company

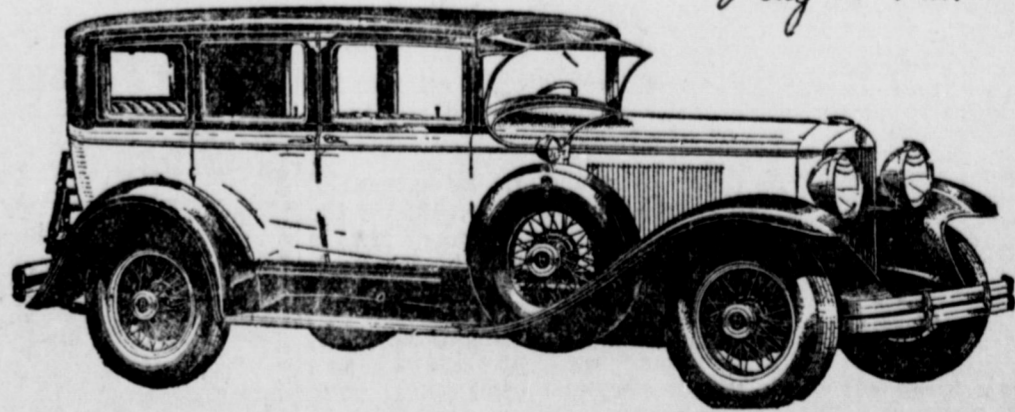
## Come In And See The New Cars



Graham-Paige presents new sixes and eights—of added beauty, improved performance, and, we believe, even greater value. These new models succeed those which in 1928 established a new all-time record for first year sales volume. We want you to see them—and to enjoy the thrilling performance of the Graham-Paige four speed transmission (two high speeds—standard gear shift).

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# Society

Ruby Shelton, Sam Roberson, Ruth Riley and Raymond Moseley Are Wed Recently

Coming as a surprise to their many friends was the announcement of the weddings of Ruby Shelton to Sam Roberson and Ruth Riley to Raymond Moseley on Tuesday, February 5th, at 11:30 o'clock at Estelle, Texas, Rev. J. C. Mann, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, officiating. Although married at the same hour this was not a double wedding as two distinct wedding ceremonies were performed.

The happy couples left immediately following the ceremonies for a trip to the South Plains, visiting in Plainview, Lubbock and Amarillo before returning to their homes in Clarendon.

Miss Ruby Shelton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Shelton, who reside on the Rowe Ranch and Miss Ruth Riley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Riley of the Sunnyview community. Both young ladies were Juniors in Clarendon High School at the time of their marriage and were popular with the student body.

Mr. Sam Roberson is an employee of the Rowe Ranch and is well liked by his fellow workers. Raymond Moseley, better known as Jake, is the son of Sheriff and Mrs. W. M. Moseley and holds a responsible position with the Clarendon Drug Co.

These young people will make their many friends join in wishing them sincere congratulations.

## 500 Club Enjoys Evening

Sleet, snow and cold fail to daunt the members of the 500 Club when it is their regular meeting night and thus the happy crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chase Thursday and spent a most pleasant evening in their chosen game. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain were associate host and hostess.

A most sumptuous dinner was served at the small tables. Places were found and scores kept on dainty score cards suggestive of Valentine.

In the games of 500 which followed Mrs. Geo. Ryan and Mr. James Trent received high score prizes and Mrs. W. H. Patrick and Mr. Geo. Ryan consolation prizes. The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Odos Caraway, Mr. and Mrs. John Blocker, Mr. and Mrs. James Trent, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sims, Mrs. Roberta Ryan and Mrs. W. H. Patrick.

Tables were turned Monday evening among the members of the 500 Club with the gentlemen entertaining the ladies of the above mentioned club and a truly enjoyable affair it was, too.

A good substantial and appetizing dinner was served at Caraway's Restaurant after which the party repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Trent where 500 was enjoyed during the remainder of the evening.

Mrs. J. T. Sims was awarded high score prize at the close and Mrs. Odos Caraway drew consolation.

Those enjoying this lovely hospitality were: Mrs. Geo. B. Bagby, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Mr. and Mrs. James Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Odos Caraway, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Blocker, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ryan and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick.

## Sims P. T. A. Observes Founders' Day

Founder's and Child Welfare Day was observed by the Sims Parent-Teacher Association, South Ward School, at their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 12, 1929.

The program opened with a clever little Valentine program by the pupils of Miss Rita Foster and Miss Maye Lumpkin following which Mrs. J. T. Sims, from whom the association derives its name, gave a splendid address on the "History and Significance of Child Welfare Day," paying homage to Mrs. Birney, organizer of Child Welfare Day, and Mrs. Means, who was one of our most faithful workers.

This address was truly enjoyed by those present and the ladies had a more complete knowledge of Parent-Teacher work at the close of the afternoon's session.

The candle-lighting, thirty-two in all, was cared for by the president, Mrs. W. C. McDonald, and a nice sum was realized from the free-will offering, which will be sent to our state president to be used by the state and national associations for the furtherance of our Parent-Teacher work.

During the business session the members voted to pay a part on the trees that were planted on the campus some time back, also to buy maps and a globe for the benefit of the pupils in Miss Slover's room and to purchase a number of books for the library in this building.

## Mrs. Homer Glascoe Honors Mrs. Hastie

A truly lovely affair was the luncheon given by Mrs. Homer Glascoe at her home, February 8, in honor of her mother, Mrs. Annie Hastie.

This was the eighty-sixth birthday of Mrs. Hastie and she was the recipient of several lovely gifts, among them being an exquisite gift from her devoted friend, Mrs. J. R. Letts, who also enclosed a beautiful original poem which had come to her early that morning as she thought of this dear friend's birthday.

The luncheon table was beauti-

fully arranged in a pink and orchid color scheme. A large bowl filled with sweet peas marked the center of the table with tall lighted tapers casting a soft glow over the entire setting.

After the serving of the luncheon by Mrs. Glascoe and Mrs. T. H. Ellis the ladies busied themselves with fancy needle work and delightful conversation until late afternoon.

Those invited to attend this lovely hospitality were: Mrs. Minnie Dyer, Mrs. E. W. Bromley, Mrs. Frank McCrary, Mrs. R. F. Morris, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. J. R. Letts, Mrs. C. Y. McDonald, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. T. H. Ellis, Mrs. Crockett Taylor and the honoree, Mrs. Annie Hastie.

## Kongential Kard Klub Meets

An affair which added much to the week's social activities was given Monday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Ellis delightfully entertained the members of the Kongential Kard Klub and a few special guests with a dinner-bridge at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Blocker.

The guests gathered for a tempting two-course dinner daintily served at the dining tables, tastefully decorated. The color scheme, pink and white, was carried out in the mint cups, tallies and tall pink tapers which lighted the tables.

Following the dinner the guests found their way back to the living room and indulged in games of auction bridge, with Mrs. Charles Trent, Mr. Phillip Gentry and Dr. O. L. Jenkins being awarded favors at the close.

The guest list: Mr. and Mrs. Forest Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Merchant, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip B. Gentry.

## Mrs. A. R. Letts Hostess to Thursday Needle Club

The Thursday Needle Club members enjoyed a most pleasant afternoon Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. R. Letts. Several hours of needlework and conversation were enjoyed in the cozy living room of the Letts home as the snow made a beautiful coverlet for the brown earth and sleeping flowers outside.

At the close of the afternoon most tempting refreshments, consisting of two-courses were served to the following club members: Mrs. Geo. B. Bagby, Mrs. J. T. Patman, Mrs. C. W. Taylor, Mrs. B. L. Jenkins, Mrs. Minnie Dyer, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. H. C. Kerbow, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. Sella Gentry, Mrs. R. F. Morris, and Mrs. A. A. Mayes.

Special guests for the afternoon were Mrs. James Trent, Mrs. L. L. Swan, and Mrs. Odos Caraway.

## Thursday Evening Club Entertained

The crisp cold weather of Thursday evening only added zest to the meeting of the Thursday Evening Bridge Club in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Gentry where a warm welcome and bright cheery fire awaited the guests.

After the lovely two-course dinner was served auction bridge games were enjoyed with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gentry being awarded the high score favor and Mrs. Selden Bagby cutting high for consolation at the close of the games.

Those enjoying this pleasant evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Selden Bagby, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dyer, Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gentry and Mr. and Mrs. Holman Kennedy.

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## Junior High P. T. A. to Meet

The Junior High Parent-Teacher Association will meet Thursday, February 21st, at 3:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the Junior High building. A patriotic program will be given at this time with a number of school children taking part.

All parents are urged to be present.

## Episcopal Auxiliary Begins Lental Study

"The New Africa," with Mrs. Geo. Ryan as the efficient leader, is the lenten study for the members of the Episcopal Auxiliary. This study was begun Wednesday afternoon and the ladies hope to complete this work by the close of the lenten season, all sessions being held in the Parish House.

During the business session the ladies voted to hold a market each Saturday during lent at the Parish house.

## Presbyterian Auxiliary Meets

The ladies of the Presbyterian Auxiliary are meeting regularly and much interest is manifest in their work.

On Feb. 6 Mrs. R. F. Morris was hostess to the society with a Mission lesson being given and a free-will offering being taken at the close. The sum received from this source was very gratifying.

Then on the 13th the society met with Mrs. Montgomery, where a most interesting lesson was presented after the short business session.

A social hour was enjoyed at the close of each meeting.

## Les Beaux Art Club Meets

The Les Beaux Art Club met with Miss Catherine Ross in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Evans, and Dr. J. W. Evans, for one of the most interesting meetings of the year.

The program on "Byzantine Art" was led by Mrs. W. W. Taylor, who presented the Mosaic in an absorbing fashion. Mrs. Homer Glascoe, Miss Ineva Headrick and Mrs. Jim Headrick discussed various features of Byzantine Art, particularly the paintings and architecture.

The home was decorated in hearts, cups and flowers in the shades of Valentine season and made a pretty setting for the affair.

Dainty refreshments, furthering and completing the Valentine suggestions were served at the close of the afternoon's program.

## Ladies Aid in Interesting Meet

The Ladies Aid, First Christian Church, met in the basement of the church Wednesday afternoon with 18 members present.

The meeting opened with a prayer by Mrs. W. T. Hayter, who also presided over the business session.

The lesson, 27th chapter of Matthew, was led by Rev. Taylor and an open discussion followed. The lesson for next week will be given by Mrs. O. D. Leisburg and the all-day meeting to be held the second Wednesday in March will be in the home of Mrs. O. D. Leisburg.

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## Belle Bennett Circle Meets

The newly organized circle of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary, M. E. Church, South, met in the auditorium in the home of Mrs. Y. E. McAdams with a good attendance.

This circle has voted to be individual and will be known as the Belle Bennett Circle.

Mrs. Carl Bennett and Mrs. B. C. Antrobus talked interestingly on the subject "Home As a Center."

A social hour followed in which clever games and contests pertaining to Valentine were enjoyed. A dainty refreshment course was served.

## W. M. S. to Have Program

The W. M. S., Baptist Church, will meet at the church next Wednesday at 3:00 o'clock in a mission study and the program follows:

Topic: "Where Races Meet." "Why and Whence They Have Come"—Mrs. Geo. McClesky.

"The Foreigner's Contribution to American Life"—Mrs. H. T. Burton.

"The 'Average Immigrant'—Mrs. Cap Lane.

"Why Evangelize?"—Mrs. E. O. Thompson.

A social hour will follow the program and it is hoped that we will have a large attendance.

## Woman's Missionary Auxiliary in Circle Meetings

The regular monthly circle meetings to the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary were held Wednesday afternoon in the following homes:

No. 1, Mrs. Harwood Beville; No. 2, Mrs. G. H. Gattis; No. 3, Mrs. L. L. Taylor; No. 4, at the church.

The topic discussed at each meeting was "Making the Home the Center."

Circle No. 4 reports a splendid meeting with Mrs. E. Price leading the devotional and Mrs. W. M. Murrell, Mrs. J. G. Sherman and Mrs. W. R. Holder discussing topics pertaining to the subject.

Social hours were enjoyed at each home with dainty refreshments being served during this visiting hour.

## Mamie F. McLean Class Enjoys Valentine Party

Miss Allene Parks was hostess to the Mamie F. McLean Sunday school class of the Methodist Church, Wednesday evening in a colorful Valentine party and a series of games, contests was followed by a delightful refreshment course. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cooper, Misses Ethel and Grace Harvey, Mona Churchman, Fannie Perry, Ovella Hunt, Harvey Thompson, Myra Worsham, Lillie Dell Slover, Carrie Davis, Dixie May; Messrs. Ernest Hunt, Howard Stuart, Sam Perry, Paul Hodges and Lee Holland.

Out-of-doors was frosty and cold, but the entertaining rooms of the home of Miss Rita Foster was warm and cozy as the members of the Ko Jo Koi Club met the latter part of last week for a morning's entertainment in conversation, games and other means of entertainment. At noon, a de-

lightful luncheon was served at a down-town confectionery where the party disbanded after declaring the morning one that was more than well spent. Those partaking of the entertainment of the morning are: Gertrude Reed, Aileen Balwe, Eugenia Noland, Vivian Taylor, Dorothy Jo Ryan, Aurelia Kelly, Willie Maude Pratt, Merry Tom Atteberry and the hostess, Miss Rita Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Douglas are receiving the congratulations of their many friends over the arrival of a fine boy Sunday, February 10th.

Walter Wilson was called to Lubbock Tuesday of this week on account of the illness of the father of Mrs. Wilson. Mrs. Wilson has been in Lubbock for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lane and Mrs. H. W. Taylor were called to Jacksboro last week due to the illness of Mrs. Taylor's brother, who is the father of Mrs. Lane. His condition was greatly improved by the time they arrived and Mrs. Taylor returned to her home Thursday to the bedside of her husband, Mr. Taylor.

Mr. H. N. Van Trease motored over from Perryton Tuesday to join his wife and small daughter, Maudie Ann, who have been in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bennet for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Van Trease and daughter returned overland to their home Thursday.

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Walter Wilson was called to Lubbock Tuesday of this week on account of the illness of the father of Mrs. Wilson. Mrs. Wilson has been in Lubbock for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lane and Mrs. H. W. Taylor were called to Jacksboro last week due to the illness of Mrs. Taylor's brother, who is the father of Mrs. Lane. His condition was greatly improved by the time they arrived and Mrs. Taylor returned to her home Thursday to the bedside of her husband, Mr. Taylor.

Mr. H. N. Van Trease motored over from Perryton Tuesday to join his wife and small daughter, Maudie Ann, who have been in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bennet for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Van Trease and daughter returned overland to their home Thursday.

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Take the frock illustrated. It had its first beginning in the October showing of Louise Boulanger at her Paris house. It was a great success because it was so new in its use of the huge soft bow and the large buttons. The American buyers present were delighted with it and many copies were brought back with them. Boulanger herself has made it for some of the smartest women in Paris and its influence is strongly marked here in many new models now being shown for Southern wear and for early spring.

The frock sketched is of very heavy silk jersey in black with a turquoise bow of the same fabric. The buttons and the belt buckle are of brilliant turquoise blue shell, which color by the way, is very smart in Paris now for all sorts of dress accessories and for jewelry.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Henry Taylor, pastor.  
 Sunday school meets in all departments at 9:45 a. m. A class for every age.  
 Morning preaching hour at 11 a. m. Subject, "The Rich Young Ruler."  
 Evening preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Power of the Bible."  
 Mid-week services each Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
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**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Robert S. McKee, pastor.  
 Services for Sunday, Feb. 17: Sunday school convenes at 9:45 a. m. sharp.  
 Morning Worship, 11 o'clock. Sermon by pastor, "Roadmakers." The MacDowell Club will have charge of the music.  
 Evening worship at 7. Sermon subject, "The Key of Promise."  
 The pastor desires to meet all those who are interested in organizing a Young People's Society at 6:30.  
 The Woman's Auxiliary will hold its business meeting at the home of Mrs. R. S. McKee Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. "Stewardship" will be the theme of a talk by the pastor.

**ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH**

Services for first Sunday in Lent, February 17th.  
 Litany and sermon, 11:00 a. m. Church school and Bible class, 9:45 a. m.  
 During the Lenten season there will be devotional service with meditation and instruction every Wednesday and Friday at 5:00 p. m. o'clock.

Friends of Lillian Beard will be glad to hear of the announcement of her removal to Dallas, where she will be engaged in the same line of work followed here.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**

Announcements of services for Sunday, February 17, 1929:  
 Sunday school meets in all its departments at 9:45 a. m., Judge J. R. Porter, General Superintendent.  
 Preaching services, 10:50 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.  
 The pastor will discuss the subject: "God Has Made Us His Trustees." Sunday evening Bishop John M. Moore, the bishop in charge of three Texas Conferences, the Central Texas, West Texas, and the Northwest Texas, will be with and preach for us. Bishop Moore is one of the outstanding men of our whole church and of the South. We are expressing the hope that he will have a good hearing. He will be at Amarillo Sunday morning to preach the sermon opening the 10th Street Methodist Church and will run down to Clarendon in the afternoon for the night service.  
 Devotional meeting of the Senior Epworth League at 6:15, Lester Shull, leader.

**CATTLE MARKET ANALYSIS IS BOOK OF IMPORTANCE**

Austin, Texas, Feb. 12.—Livestock producers and organizations and other individuals and firms who co-operated in furnishing information for the bulletin, "A Market Analysis of the Cattle Industry of Texas," may receive free copies from the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas, according to George M. Lewis, market specialist in the Bureau and editor of the bulletin. Other interested persons may secure the bulletin for a nominal sum which covers the cost of publication.  
 Mr. Lewis has been working on the material for the bulletin for several months and has just completed a study which includes an analysis of the records of cattle shipments to and from Texas showing the volume and the trend of the movement by markets and by states from 1923 to 1927 and a measure of the demand for Texas cattle, together with an attempt to ascertain the causes for the frequent shifts in the several market outlets.  
 "This monograph on the cattle industry is the first of a series of studies dealing with the business side of the livestock and meat packing industries and with wholesale and retail meat distribution in Texas," Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the Bureau, explained in the preface to the bulletin. "The volume of business and the number of people concerned make this group of inter-related businesses second in importance only to that of cotton and cotton textiles in the economic structure of the State."

**17,600 MILE TOUR COSTS BUT LITTLE**

Motorists whose driving seldom exceeds a week-end trip to Base or down to Seaview cottage, will be interested in the expense report of a grand circuit tour of the United States, from the Pacific to the Atlantic, and from Canada to Mexico, just completed by Thomas F. Jones of San Francisco.  
 In a Graham-Paige sedan, Mr. Jones and his family traveled 17,626 miles on 839 gallons of gasoline, costing \$198.52. Oil and grease came to \$54.75. The total out lay for ordinary maintenance work was \$21, and for repairing punctures, \$4.50.  
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THE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND GULF RAILWAY COMPANY hereby gives notice that on January 17, 1929, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., its application for a certificate that the present and future public convenience and necessity require (1) the construction and operation by it of a line of railroad beginning at a point of connection with its mail line at or near the station of Groom, Carson County, Texas, and continuing in a southerly direction to Paducah, Cottle County, a distance of approximately 97 miles; and (2) the operation by it under track-lease rights over the Gulf, Texas and Western Railway of a line of railway from Paducah to Jacksboro, a distance of approximately 146.6 miles, in Jack County, all in the State of Texas.  
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**CLARENDON BANKER HAS ARTICLE IN BULLETIN**

Some weeks ago Robert H. Bean, executive secretary of the American Acceptance Council with headquarters in the financial district of New York City, wrote W. H. Patrick of the First National Bank of Clarendon to prepare an article for publication in the monthly bulletin of the Council, setting out the desirability for investment in bankers' acceptances, since Mr. Patrick is recognized as one of the staunchest believers in that policy in Texas. Mr. Patrick complied and in a letter received here the first of the week, Mr. Bean writes that the article, "Bankers' Acceptances as Secondary Reserve," will be featured in the February issue of the Acceptance Bulletin which will appear about the twentieth of the month.

In his letter, Mr. Bean compliments Mr. Patrick on the logic and timeliness of the article and predicts a favorable reception among the bankers of the nation.

**CLARENDON MAN DIED IN SAN ANTONIO SATURDAY**

The News has been informed of the death of T. B. Miller of Amarillo, landowner of that city and large holder of property in Armstrong County, in San Antonio Saturday. Mr. Miller is known in Clarendon, having married Mrs. Ada Jackson of this city some years ago. At the time of the death of Mr. Miller, Mrs. Miller was at her home in the city. At last account the funeral arrangements had not been announced although it is presumed that the burial was had at Amarillo.

Miss Florence Meade of Saint Louis has accepted a place with Mitchell's Beauty Parlor. Miss Meade comes here as a graduate of a beauty college in that city and is fully qualified for the place she holds.

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**MRS. T. J. JOLLY DIES SUDDENLY HERE MONDAY**

Friends of the Jolly family in Clarendon were surprised Monday morning of this week when they learned of the sudden death of Mrs. T. J. Jolly. The deceased had been ill for some time, but was not considered dangerously so until announcement was made of her death. Mrs. Jolly was born June 21, 1875, in Vinton, Virginia. She was first married to Taylor White, having one child by this union. In 1907 she was married to T. J. Jolly and to this union one son was born. She departed this life Monday, February 11th, at the age of 53 years, 8 months and 20 days.

The last rites were held from the family home in Clarendon Tuesday afternoon, February 12th. Rev. S. E. Allison had charge of the last rites as her pastor, she having been converted and united with the Methodist Church when a young girl. Mrs. J. L. McMurry had charge of the music for the funeral services. Interment was had in the Citizens Cemetery.

Mrs. Jolly is survived by her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Wright, her son, Weidon, and her husband. One brother, W. H. James, of Leonard, Texas, and a sister, Mrs. Estelle Kinnard, also mourn her passing.

Out of town relatives here for the last rites will include: Mrs. Jess White, Texarkana, W. H. Jolly, Texarkana, a brother and sister to Mr. T. J. Jolly and E. S. James of Amarillo, a cousin to Mrs. Jolly.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and assistance in the recent illness and death of our little son, Buddie. May all of you be spared the grief through which we have been carried.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Butler, Lewis Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Burton and Nelda Sue returned to their home here Sunday after an absence of some time due to the illness and death of her father near Decatur.

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Cleanser	Old Dutch, 2 for	.15
Apples	Black Twig, Medium Size, Doz.	.25
Scott's Tissue	3 Rolls	.25
Mustard	Libby's, 9-oz. Jar	.12
Matches	Diamond, Per Carton	.23
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### College—High School Activities

Conducted by the students of Clarendon Junior College and Clarendon High School.

#### BOYS, IS IT FAIR?

By "Slick" Naylor

When we were in the primary department we would snowball everyone. The girls could throw as hard as the boys and it mattered not whom we hit. But now that we are in high school and college it is altogether different whom we hit and how hard the snowballs are made. While the snow was on the ground the first of the week some, I might say all, of our boys were out on the school ground having plenty of fun with the snowballs. But what I could not understand was why some of the older boys would stand in a large crowd and throw a snowball at our girls. The boys who threw the snowball knew that the girls could not return the blow, and if they could they would be safe in the crowd that they were in. Also what chance has a girl, who is coming to school, to get to the building if there are from ten to thirty snowballs coming through the air at her. It would be hard enough for a girl to keep from getting in with only one throwing at her, so you see why it is impossible for the girls to get to school without getting hit several times and probably a hit that might cause trouble. Boys' lets choose sides and have a real fight the next time, and leave the girls out. Now isn't that fair?

#### Alpha Delta Psi

The Alpha Delta Psi Literary Society met Wednesday, February sixth. Some of the officers having withdrawn from school, it became necessary to elect the following new officers: Elma Davis, vice president; Catherine Smith, critic; Susie Spier, reporter. Plans were discussed for the coming inter-society banquet. Everyone is urged to purchase his ticket before Wednesday, February twentieth.

#### Catherine Smith Takes Estlack's Place as Editor

Miss Catherine Smith has been chosen by the press club to take Estlack's place as editor of the school news. Miss Smith takes an active part in student affairs, and at the same time makes excellent grades in her work. The press club has lost one of its most efficient workers in Mr. Estlack. He recently withdrew from school to accept a position with the Estlack Printing.

#### Personals

H. T. Burton, Superintendent of schools, has returned to school after an absence of several days. Both the students and faculty are glad that he is back.

J. Roy Wells, head of the Commercial Department, is recuperating from an operation for tonsillitis. He will be back in school soon.

Alfred Estlack and Earl Humphrey, have withdrawn from the College to accept positions. Both boys were quite interested in literary society work, and held offices in Alpha Delta Psi. They are being missed by the members of the society, and also by the student body.

#### Alpha Delta Psi Society Entertains at Chapel

On Tuesday of last week the Alpha Delta Psi Literary Society showed its ability and spirit by rendering a very entertaining program in chapel. The following program was given: Reading, Betty Griswold; solo, Julian Ewing; duet, Cecil Hukel and Hazel Pharr; "Hicks from the Sticks" by Slick Naylor and Earle Humfrey; reading by Marue Trostle.

#### ABILENE DOCTOR NAMED MEDICAL HEAD COMPANY

Abilene, Texas, Feb. 12.—Dr. J. M. Estes of Abilene has been designated chief surgeon of the West Texas Utilities Company, an announcement from the general offices here last night said.

All consultations and examination of a complicated nature for the company employes will be referred to Dr. Estes while regular medical examinations will continue to be held as in the past, by physicians in various towns served by the company.

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#### A PLEA FOR THE BIRDS

Mrs. W. H. Cooke.

Did you ever stop to think how many different varieties of birds there are in Texas, and how fast they are disappearing? Did you realize that when you killed a bird for pastime, or to try your aim, you were helping to extinguish the species? Are you one who would buy a canary and purchase food for it, merely to hear it sing, and then refuse to the wild bird a few grains of wheat out of an entire field in return for the extermination of thousands of noxious insects, to say nothing of the beauty of its plumage and the cheerfulness of its song? You will buy flowers or a beautiful picture! Yet, what could be prettier than the oriole with its gypsy plumage, the bright colored cardinal, the handsome woodpecker with its red head, or the common dove in its somber hues? Birds are good for nothing but to destroy crops, you have heard it said, and you accepted the statement unquestionably, killing them at random, and even maliciously; waging continual warfare on the doves, swallows and sleek black birds. Had it ever occurred to you what a lonely and gloomy old world this would be without flowers, trees and birds? Yet the destruction of all plant life must follow the extinction of the birds. For it isn't the feathered folk that is destroying your crops and gardens, as is commonly supposed, but rather the insect pest. Sprays are effective, to be sure, but how expensive! and how little they can do in comparison to the birds who can reach nooks and corners that can be reached in no other way! Is it that you are so mercenary that you would shut out the natural beauty of the world? Then if it is, let us consider the economic value of birds rather than the aesthetic, for they are actually worth dollars and cents to you.

With few exceptions, birds show a decided preference for wild fruits and weed seeds, but there are some of them do considerable damage to fruits and grains. You must remember, however, that these same birds have defended the fruits and grains in their formation and unripe stage from insect depredations, and are entitled to a share of the crop on the same broad principle that the laborer is worthy of his hire. You will readily admit, I think, that the insect pest is on the increase. As an example take the bollweevil, which is considered a delicatessen by over 60 Texas birds. It is said to have crossed the Mississippi and invaded South Carolina, Southern Virginia, and other neighboring states and is on a northward march, so that in future boll weevils will be wherever cotton grows. Then there are the pea weevils, bean and pea lice, cabbage worms, cabbage maggots, aphids and thousands of others which are giving more trouble daily. And it is impossible to cope with them without aid from the birds.

I wish I could tell you about all the beautiful and helpful Texas birds, but I must limit my discussion to those which are most beautiful. Of these there is no doubt but that the swallows and the bullbats take rank above all others as being absolutely without preciously toward mischief, and are entirely useful throughout their lives. These birds feed on the wing, and they catch gnats and weevils by the thousands. The bullbat or night hawk has a mouth big enough to swallow himself, and he sweeps up and down the cotton rows as soon as the sun begins to dip down the horizon, catching multitudes of boll weevils. For his home he asks only for sticks and trash in some lonely place, and as soon as he is

able to take his brood out, they are at work in behalf of the cotton.

The swallows, the "mud daubers" and the martins, which are all the same family, feed in like manner. They commence their foraging operations at the break of dawn, and keep it up until they are relieved by the night birds, namely, the bats, night hawks and the whippoorwill. These swallows are called the guardians of the air, for they feed on ants, mosquitoes, gnats, moths, beetles, and all kind of other winged insect pests. They keep up an everlasting war on the swarms of houseflies which breed in the barnyard and around farm buildings, carrying typhoid and other disease germs among man and animals. The cliff swallow, or "mud dauber" is perhaps one of the most useful of the tribe, but he is growing scarcer each year because he has been crowded out by the English sparrows, and has been ruthlessly destroyed because of the mistaken idea he breeds bedbugs. The parasites which are found in the habitation of the mud swallow, however, have no relation whatever to the bedbug, according to scientists, and are absolutely harmless as far as human beings are concerned. They live and die in the swallows' nests, and never crawl.

Perhaps the most misunderstood species of our Texas birds is the woodpecker. The genus is not wholly helpful, for like human beings, there are the good and the bad. Under stress of hunger even the best of them, which are the Hairy, Downy and Texas Red Heads—protectors of the Orchard; the Ivory-billed Guardian of the forests, and the Flicker, or Ant Eater, might be guilty of indiscretions, but the good they do in the way of destroying pernicious insects far outweighs the bad. They spend their lives in saving trees. "Why, they do nothing but destroy fruit, crops, telephone poles, and fence posts," the uninformed tell us. "All day long they can be seen cutting into these to build nests." But is this true? No. When you see a woodpecker pecking all day long he has found a particularly lucrative spot, and is hunting insects, not homes. Isn't a clean hole in a tree or post or telephone pole more desirable than a worm infested spot that continues spreading as the worms eat, until the tree dies or the post crumbles? Then why would it matter if the industrious Red Head takes up his abode in the place he has cleaned? Doesn't he deserve it? And the golden-winged woodpecker who wages an insistent war on the ants! Isn't he worthy of our esteem and protection? He is capable of consuming from 3 to 5 thousand ants at a meal, and he often does it, thus aiding the housewife in her battle against the troublesome pest. Yes, I think if you will study the woodpecker, you will agree with me, that we have but one enemy among the species. The saw-sucker, indeed, can hardly be called the farmer's friend.

I come now to the blackbird, another species of birds which has been greatly misjudged. In Texas it has been outlawed and slaught-

ered mercilessly, and yet it does an untold amount of good. The large blackbirds eat quantities of caterpillars, cabbage worms, army worms, cutworms, white grubs and lizzards, tadpoles, salamanders, small snakes, centipedes and other creeping things. The cowbirds, and other smaller blackbirds destroy enormous quantities of ground beetles, weevils, ants, ticks, maggots, lice and insect eggs. In the rice fields they are the farmer's best friends because they devour a certain grass worm which eats the rice near the edge of the water, destroy vast amounts of grain. They also do their share of work in the cotton fields where the boll weevil is prevalent.

But the best worker in the Southern cotton fields is the common dove. To me it is a beautiful bird in its subdued colors, but it attracts little attention for that very reason. It is commonly called the Turtle or the Mourning Dove because of its mourning cooing which resounds in a plaintive, measured cadence, as it sings its love song to its mate.

For years the wild doves, flying south each year to escape the cold weather, have been massacred by the hundreds and thousands by wanton game shooters, so that at present the species is threatened with absolute extinction. If it were known, however, what an important part these birds play in the destruction of weed seeds, I think this wholesale slaughter would stop. "The seeds of the weeds that destroy the farmer's crops form more than 64 per cent of the food of the dove. And each bird in obtaining this percentage of its diet consumes each day at least 25,000 weed seeds. Sometimes, according to the estimates of the Audubon Societies, the number consumed by one wild dove is as high as 32,000 seeds." This, beyond a doubt, brings about the destruction of more weeds than the quickest and most diligent farmer can get. Besides the weed seeds, the dove devours that form of aphid (insect) which lives on the grasses. When you see a known pasture of dead grass, you can be fairly sure the aphid is responsible, and while the dove does not eat the adult insect, he feeds upon the egg which is on the grass and weeds, and thus prevents reproduction.

There are other Texas birds which are very useful to civilization, but as they are so well known they need not be discussed here. The mockingbird, the blue bird, the quail, wren, blue-jay, kingfisher—all are very helpful and beautiful. In fact, there are 600 varieties of Texas birds, and I suppose the English sparrow is the only species that is absolutely without need, and he must be distinguished from the native sparrow which is a happy helpful little bird.

#### WHITEDEER INSTALLS NEW FIREFIGHTING EQUIPMENT

The latest fire fighting equipment including summer, special hose, pressure hose for fires inside residences and ladder equipment mounted on a large Reo truck has been purchased by the City of White Deer. The truck will be paid for by the decrease in key rate fire insurance.

#### JANUARY IS LOW MONTH FOR BUSINESS FAILURES

Austin, Texas, Feb. 12.—Commercial failures in Texas during January numbered 61, or the fewest for a January since 1920, when 20 bankruptcies were reported, according to Bervard Nichols, assistant in charge of index numbers in the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas.

"These figures compare with 54 failures in December and 66 in January, 1928," Mr. Nichols said. "Normally, January is the high month of the year, so that a large gain from December to January is expected. The increase this year was but seventeen, whereas there was a gain of 24 last year and of 20 two years ago between the two months. From the standpoint of numbers, therefore, the showing is very encouraging. On the other hand, the liability showing is not so favorable. Liabilities of the 61 failures amounted to \$1,181,000 against \$1,571,000 for the 66 defaulting companies in January last year. Liabilities of the average failure are running about \$20,000. This is about in line with the trend over the past few months."

Ed C. Bollivar, editor of the Hedley Informer, was one of the callers to the News office Tuesday morning of this week.

### CUSTOM HATCHING

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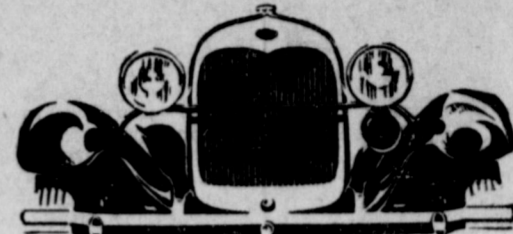
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The cooling surface of the Ford radiator is large, with four rows of tubes set in staggered position so that each receives the full benefit of the incoming air. The fan is of the airplane propeller type and draws air through the radiator at the rapid rate of 850 cubic feet per minute at 1000 revolutions per minute of the motor.

The hot water around the cylinder head is drawn to the radiator to be cooled by a centrifugal water pump of new design.

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The radiator should be kept full, of course, and drained once each month so that sediment will not collect and retard the free passage of water. In cold weather, a reliable anti-freeze solution should be added.

As owner and manager of this important water plant you should also see that the water pump and fan shaft are properly lubricated and the packing around the pump shaft kept in adjustment.

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# County News

## SUNNY VIEW

We have had some real winter with a nice snow still on the ground, and a cold norther again this morning.

Health of this section is very good, with the exception of colds.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lanham, and Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks spent a few very enjoyable hours in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts Saturday evening listening over the radio. Also a few violin selections were played with Mrs. Roberts at the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham called on Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley Monday afternoon. Mr. Riley is recovering from a severe cold.

Mrs. Nelson Riley and children attended the Short Course given at the college, also Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and children, on Monday.

Miss Ruth Riley and Vestal Mosley took their friends by surprise by getting married last Thursday. We all join in wishing them much happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Heckle Starks entertained with a 42 party Monday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bromley and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard and daughter, Dorothy Jean, and little son, Billy Neal, and Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lanham. Refreshments of cake and ice cream and candy were served. All had a merry time.

Mrs. A. M. Lanham called on Mrs. F. L. Behrens Monday evening late.

Sam Roberts was at Memphis Monday seeing after some cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Archie McNeely Sunday night till bed time.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lanham attended the funeral of Joe Hutson of Borger, who died from a gunshot wound accidentally discharged by an officer in Borger.

## USE OF COTTON FOR BAGGING COTTON IS SAVING

About 900,000,000 pounds of jute is being used in the United States annually, and it is gradually increasing.

About 150,000,000 pounds of jute is used for cotton bagging, but as about one-half of this covering is re woven, about 80,000,000 pounds of new jute is used each year for cotton bagging. In other words, about ten times as much jute is shipped into this country every year as is necessary to cover the entire cotton crop of the United States. The other 90 per cent is used for other purposes, for sacks, bags, warping material, for the body of carpets and linoleum and various other purposes.

If cotton were substituted for all of the jute that is now being used for all purposes in the United States it would occasion the use of more than a million additional bales of cotton, which, according to the estimates of the Department of Agriculture, would very greatly increase the average price of cotton, and thus increase the returns to the cotton growers many millions of dollars.

Just now a decided effort is being made to find new outlet for our surplus cotton. In a great many of these attempted new uses cotton runs into competition with jute, which is manufactured largely by the cheap labor of India. But for this competition cotton would now be channelling into a great many of such additional outlets. The tariff would be of great advantage to the grower in the disposal of surplus cotton.

The question of the tariff may be a debatable one, but for the time being, at least, it is the adopted policy of this country. Any tariff that is levied should be upon every article coming through the custom house from which a revenue may be derived—on the raw product as well as the finished articles. Any tariff bill should be a fair and uniform one covering all such commodities.

The cotton grower must pay up on the very ties with which he binds his cotton; he must pay a tariff upon his supplies and utensils with which he produces his cotton. So long as this is the settled policy of the country, it is unfair to force him into competition with the cheap labor of India.

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# BOYS AND GIRLS PRINCIPAL CROP

## SUCCESSFUL DAIRY FARMER SAYS EDUCATION IS MOST NECESSARY.

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 9.—F. G. Louthan, of Plainview, one of the pioneers and leaders in the dairy industry in West Texas, addressed the Farm Short Course recently held at Texas Technological College on the development of dairy and dairy herd improvement. Mr. Louthan is a graduate of the Iowa State College of Agriculture and 30 years ago he had charge of dairying in that institution. He has been the backbone of the dairy industry in Hale County. He makes some practical suggestions on the subject, as follows:

"Dairying doesn't begin with dairying at all. It begins with something else. We must learn to work together. It does not pay when one man tries to do it alone. I have worked for years with the Hale County Dairy Association. We found that before we could cooperate together we had to get our minds set on the things we wished to accomplish. In order to co-operate we must work together; we drink it, eat it, sleep it; we get co-operative minds when we begin to work and work together. With that start we will turn to another thing. When we get our minds set on it and get to doing it, we change from the place we were several years ago.

"In discussing the dairy proposition we, who have dairy cows or think we have, should remember that there are good many other industries in West Texas besides dairying. When we say that dairying is the best thing we run against the wheat man or the man who raises hogs. They are all good industries and produce much wealth. Oil wells produce wealth. But the greatest crop that we have is our boys and girls. Our greatest duty is to educate these young people—send them to high school and then to college.

"It is up to us to carry on the development that has been started in dairying. We must bring West Texas up to a point where it is equal to other dairy section of the country, giving us a chance to compare what we are doing here and what we have done with what those people who have been working in the dairy business for years have done. Don't forget that the ultimate end of this proposition, the foundation of this thing, is co-operative marketing. After we have co-operative marketing we can get to a place where we can begin work. We don't know just how to find it. I am extremely interested in seeing farmers work it out. The Hale County Dairy Association is an illustration of what I have in mind. Six years ago it was organized, and has been satisfactory. It has made some money, but the most important thing that it has done is train a lot of minds to think along dairy lines. It is a hard thing for a man to get out and do

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something without being organized.

"The tendency of Chambers of Commerce as we see it is to advertise, get it going, then push it off on the farmers. Nearly every time anything has been started in that way it has been a failure for that reason. The Fort Worth Star-Telegram starts advertising some town, perhaps about butter making, perhaps condensing, with the idea of making money out of it to push that thing on to a group of farmers. The farmers want something else. They have got to get these men so that they can work together; otherwise they are liable to get something bad. In our dairy association some time ago a man was going to put up a creamery. There was a question as to whether he was strong enough and dairy-minded enough to do it. The farmers are doing it.

"A year ago I was addressing a meeting of this kind, except it was a dairy meeting. I asked all of those present who depended upon the dairy check for their grocery bill to raise their hands. One hundred per cent of them did so. Then I asked how many depended largely upon the dairy check for clothing for the family and 90 per cent of them raised their hands. Seventy-five per cent of them raised their hands when I asked how many depended upon the dairy check to buy gasoline to run their cars, 50 per cent of them used their dairy income to pay the blacksmith bill. This is the case with most dairy men in West Texas. Couldn't we become just a little stronger.

"The dairy industry has an excellent start in Minnesota. The average price per pound for butter fat is 51.2c per pound. We get only 38.5c. This is too much variation. I want you to think over it. There should be a dairy association organized in every county. Floyd County will doubtless have one organized within the next week. In the Floyd County Dairy Association we take in members for \$10 per head instead of \$10 per cow as in Hale County."

## T. C. U. OPERATES OWN BANK FOR STUDENTS' USE

Fort Worth, Jan. 28.—For the benefit of its students, Texas Christian University engages in a private banking business, and operates what is known as "The Trust Fund Bank." Checks ranging from 10 cents to \$357.50 have been written on it, according to Mrs. Irene Smiser, the cashier.

Deposits run about \$40,000 each school year with an average of 50 to 75 checks cashed each day, totaling between \$300 and \$400.

E. McDonald, who makes his home north of Jericho was a pleasant caller in the News office Tuesday of this week. Mr. McDonald added his name to the list of subscribers to the News.

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## NEW FORD GAINS FAME FOR ITS EASY RIDING

One of the things for which the new Ford car has already become famous is its exceptionally easy riding qualities over rough roads. Many factors contribute to this, especially the low ratio of unsprung weight to sprung weight, the flexible transverse springs, Houdaille hydraulic shock absorbers, etc., but perhaps none more than the so-called torque drive. The principle of taking the thrust from the rear axle and carries it to the universal joint housing, a point well forward on the chassis so that the car is really pulled rather than pushed over the road. This construction also relieves the rear spring of any function except that of supporting the load. This permits the leaves of the spring to be made flexible and shackled at both ends, resulting in free and normal action and easy absorption of road shocks.

Radius rods join the torque tube at the forged steel housing of the universal joint adding strength and rigidity, keeping the rear wheels in perfect alignment, and further, resulting in improved riding qualities.

## FOOTBALL SUPPORTS OTHER UNDERGRADUATE SPORTS

Football at Yale University pays the cost of carrying on all other undergraduate sports and makes possible free outdoor athletics for everybody that wants to play, according to the Yale Alumni Weekly. Football gross receipts last year were \$1,033,211. Out of this sum, after paying expenses of \$137,291, and \$352,835 to visiting teams, the net profit was \$543,084. The only other undergraduate organization that made a profit last year was the gun club, with a balance of \$13,111. Deficits for the other activities included \$64,639 for rowing, \$29,309 for track, \$19,824 for baseball, and \$12,719 for swimming. Hockey, boxing, basketball, soccer, tennis, polo, fencing and lacrosse, all lost more than \$5,000 each. Golf, with a deficit of \$2,737, was the smallest loser.

I. S. Jamison of Pampa was in Clarendon Tuesday of this week attending to business matters.

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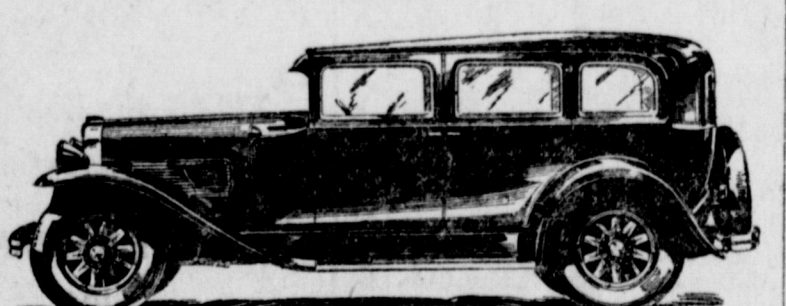
O. D. Dyer, Cuero bootmaker, whose hand made boots are worn by State Ranger Captain Ross Sterling and Walton D. Hood, past commander of the American Legion, won further distinction for his skill and for Cuero, Saturday, when W. T. Johnson, producer of the World's championship rodeo and the National Legion Convention, his son W. T. Jr., and his assistant, W. W. Weatherford of Marfa, drove down from San Antonio to have their measurements taken for four pairs of new boots. The order totaled \$181.50, Dyer said.

Johnson announced while in Cuero his next great rodeo would be staged next July at Indianapolis, when scores of the world's greatest riders will compete. His exhibition last October was one of the features of the National Convention of The American Legion in San Antonio—Cuero Record.

Mr. Dyer is formerly of Clarendon, learning the boot business under two of Texas' (West) most noted boot makers, Arlo Hendricks and his father, W. B. Dyer, when the two were in the business here in 1911. I now have a few samples of Mr. Dyer's boots and can take your measure for them, they must fit or you owe me nothing.

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### MCKEE SPEAKS AT LIONS LUNCHEON

TRIBUTE PAID TO MARTYRED PRESIDENT AND URGES EXAMPLE BE FOLLOWED.

Rev. McKee pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this city, was the speaker of the day at the Lions luncheon Tuesday of this week. The services of Lion McKee were secured some weeks ago for the Lincoln Birthday address and he fulfilled all the hopes of the committee in the speech that he made.

Lion McKee stated it sometimes seemed strange that America should have produced in the last third of a millennium, three men who have been literally taken from this part of the world and adopted as world characters. The three men referred to in this connection were none other than George Washington, Abraham Lincoln and Woodrow Wilson. At the luncheon Tuesday, held on the natal day of Abraham Lincoln, it was fitting that the greater part of the tribute should be given Lincoln.

In a great measure the feeling that once existed in the southern states has been wiped away as is evidenced by the reception accorded the works of Lincoln and plays that have been presented showing him for the man that he really is. Practically the entire nation is today giving him the acclaim that is due him, the north and the south and the east and the west joining in paying tribute to the man who had "charity toward all and malice toward none."

Attributes that should be followed in the life of Lincoln will be found to be: Honesty, Brevity, Tolerance and Optimism. Closing with an injunction to throw oneself on the goodness of the Almighty and trust to His mercy and wisdom will finally bring the nation or the individual through with everything cleared away.

Late daddies were introduced in the club, including Lions Rathien, Porter, Douglas, Merchant, Boykin, and Stallings. On due motion, the daddies were required to prepare and stage the program at the next luncheon. Motion carried despite the objections of the Lions in question.

Guests at the luncheon were introduced during the time of the meal that little or no disturbance be made. These included H. S. Mobley, G. L. Smith, F. H. Rite-man, R. C. Enlow, J. M. Hammon, Miss Harvey Thompson and Miss Grace Smith.

In the roll-call it was found that five Lions were absent from their places, these being Lions Garrison, Nored, Wilson, McClung and Kennedy. Two of these made up their luncheons and others will attend their missed meals if at all possible.

Lion Caraway urged that the Lions meet with the Commissioners Wednesday when they consider the matter of a Farm Demonstration Agent for the county.

In introducing the Short Course visitors to the Lions, Lion Watson called especial attention to the fact that there was such a thing in the city and urged the business men to take advantage of the offering and for them to attend and get something from the programs that were being presented.

### HOWARD S. HUGHES, Jr.

Howard S. Hughes, Jr., who died in Pampa, Texas, Friday, 8th, was buried in Clarendon Saturday, Feb. 9, 1929.

The community was overshadowed with a gloom of sadness when the news came Friday afternoon that Buddie, as he was lovingly called, had gone to live with God.

Buddie was born at Lelia Lake June 12th, 1924.

He possessed a most happy disposition radiating sunshine and gladness where ever he went. We will miss him, yes, but heaven is nearer and in just a short time we will join him in the "Mansion of Rest" and why grieve when we made by hands. God giveth and God taketh, so we must be submissive to him who doeth all things well.

The funeral services were held in the W. L. Butler home, grandparents of Buddie, by Rev. Hukel, pastor of the Church of Christ, assisted by Rev. Henry Taylor, pastor of the First Christian Church of Clarendon, and Rev. Zeck Kennedy of Lelia Lake.

The friends sang sweetly "Some-time We Will Understand." Buddie leaves a host of friends and loved ones to mourn his going. His body sleeps beneath a blanket of flowers and his spirit has returned to God, who gave it.

### AMARILLO PEOPLE NEW MANAGERS OF THE ANTRO

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Vernon and son Ross are to be the new managers of the Antro Hotel, according to advices received here the fore part of this week. Mrs. Bailey, the manager for the past few months, was suddenly called to Houston by the notice of a very serious injury to a brother in that city and was relieved by the arrival of the aforementioned family. Mrs. Vernon and Ross are here at the present time and Mr. Vernon will arrive here the latter part of this week after he has concluded his affairs in the city of Amarillo.

The Vernon family has been connected with the hotel and apartment management for the past twenty-five years, having operated the Vernon apartments in Amarillo for the past several years. They come to Clarendon highly recommended and plan to operate the Antro in a manner that will be pleasing to all Clarendon residents. Their son, O. V. Vernon is remembered in Clarendon, having been at one time the manager of the Board of City Development in that city and is now connected with a brick and building material business in that city.

**BUSINESS MEET OF LEGION NEXT TUESDAY EVE**  
Post Commander Clyde J. Douglas states that the Legion will have a business meeting next Tuesday evening in the Legion Hall. He asks that all members or eligible members of the organization be present as there will be some plans discussed at that time that should have a good hearing. The Legion is also planning for an open house event on the evening of March 5th that will be even larger than the one held on February 5th. The program committee is at work on a problem of that nature and promise something out of the ordinary for that evening.

Orgratone at Stocking's Drug Store. (7c.)

### CHAMBERLAIN

The Chamberlain school and a goodly number of patrons attended the Short Course held at Clarendon Monday and Tuesday. All came away feeling it was two days very profitably spent. The Chamberlain community hopes plans can be laid for a Course next year.

We are having an excellent school term with Miss Behringer as principal, Miss Hailey in the primary department and Miss Maude Bledsoe as teacher of English.

W. M. Emmons and W. O. Butler of Clarendon attended to business in the community Monday.

Mr. Dodson of Lelia Lake called at the Hughes home Tuesday.

Rather a small attendance at Sunday school Sunday and no singing in the evening on account of the cold weather.

The ground has been covered with snow for a week. It will be of much value in storing away moisture for the crops that are to be planted soon.

### CLUB NOTES

The Chamberlain Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday, February 7th, in the home of Mrs. Roy Beverly. Due to inclement weather, only five members were present for the meeting. Roll-call was answered with "One thing I could do to improve my living room." A discussion of furniture for the living room was led by Mrs. Beverly and interesting talks were given by Meses. Reid and Skinner on sanitation, lights and heat. The next meeting of the club is to be held in the home of Mrs. Bryson on February 21st.

Refreshments were served to the guests following the discussion and program of the day. Friends of Elizabeth Davis, who was quite severely injured in an automobile accident in December, will be glad to learn that she is doing nicely at her home in California. Miss Davis will spend the remainder of the winter in California, where she is attending school and will return here for the summer.

**MEMPHIS LAYS LARGE PLANS FOR TEXAS EXES**  
With the approach of the birthday of Texas, the executives of the University of Texas are planning for the annual events that are held each year to celebrate this event. The four county association, composed of Childress, Collingsworth, Donley and Hall, alternate between the four major towns in these four counties, this year meeting with the Memphis aggregation for the celebration. A recent issue of the Memphis Democrat states that plans are well in hand for a great jubilee this year and that all plans are well laid to be one of the best that has ever been held in the section. The invitation committee is composed of William Russell Clark, Lyman E. Robbins, Sam J. Hamilton and H. J. Gore. A good delegation was in attendance last year on the Texas Exes banquet that was held in Childress and a better one is expected to be at the Memphis celebration.

### NAYLOR

Mrs. W. M. Pickering spent Monday with Mrs. A. E. Tidrow. Messrs. Rich Bowlin and W. M. Pickering were Memphis visitors.

Miss Lynn LaFon, our primary teacher, is absent from her room this week on account of flu.

Messrs. Will Pickering and A. E. Tidrow visited Memphis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carnes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tidrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bain are now living in Hedley. We disliked very much to see them go, but wish the best of everything for them.

Miss Lucille Johnson is now at Memphis in school. She will finish high school this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Bowlin were guests of their son's family, Wynne Bowlin, of Hedley, Thursday, the day being their twin girls' first birthday.

The snow is mostly gone leaving a good season and the Naylor farmers happy.

**Palo Duros**  
The Palo Duro Literary Society met in regular session February 13, 1929. Plans for the coming banquet were discussed in a short business meeting. After this an interesting program on "Famous Folk of February" was given. The program ended with a few numbers by the Palo Duro quartet. The club then adjourned to meet again February 20.

**LOCAL EMPLOYEES ARE VISITORS TO CHILDRESS**  
A Public Relations meeting was held Tuesday of this week at Childress, at which time a part of the force of employees of the West Texas Utilities was in attendance. T. D. Nored, manager of the plant, Miss Carrie Davis, local cashier and Miss Sibyl Johnson were the visitors from here. They stopped at Hedley and picked up Charles Lowry, manager of the Hedley plant, and his cashier. The event was the one regularly scheduled to be held.

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Letters remaining in this office unclaimed for the week ending Feb. 12, 1929, are:

- Adams, Viola.
- Bledsoe, Nealie
- Brown, O. L.
- Brown, A. P.
- Brown, Rex
- Briggs, Sam
- Belknap, Chester
- Belford, Veria
- Bennett, C. P.
- Channell, Annie
- Calbillo, Francis
- Carpenter, Mrs. Rosa
- Eanes, Versie
- Farr, E. R.
- Godfrey, Mrs. G. L.
- Green, Mag
- Gunter, Travis
- Gunter, J. B.
- Harry, R. Minda
- Jones, Billie
- Johnson, D. A.
- McClain, H. E.
- Marshall, Mona
- Thompson, Elmer
- Morris, Allen O.
- Moore, Gotcher
- Melton, Ioda
- Moody, R.
- Palacios, Manuel
- Perry, J. A.
- Perry, Annie Lee
- Pierce, James P.
- Smith, Mary E.
- Ninaya, Andres
- Randolph, J. A.
- Robinson, C. H.
- Rippy, T. L.
- Rippy Nuton
- Roberts, Jec
- Smith, Emmett
- Seamons, C. E.
- Sims, H. S.
- Taylor, John T.
- William, Floyd
- Charles H. Bugbee, P. M. Clarendon, Texas.



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<b>Raisins</b>	4 lb. Package, Market Day	<b>.29</b>
<b>Coffee</b>	Concho, 3 lb. Bucket	<b>1.35</b>
<b>Candy</b>	Browns', any 5c Bar, 3 for	<b>.10</b>
<b>Spuds</b>	No. 1, 15 Pounds	<b>.25</b>
<b>Bacon</b>	Dry Salt, Good Grade, lb.	<b>.16</b>
<b>Peaches</b>	No. 10, Sliced or Halves, Each	<b>.55</b>

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