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A Common Paper For Common People

KEEP GOING !!

When you are down no one gets an auto jack to pry you up. They may highjack you and take off your spare, but they don't put out any gas or oil.

Citizens Back Up Sheriff In Effort To Enforce The Law

Men of Wealth And Influence Become Incensed When Acts Of Sheriff Questioned

When it became noised around town Saturday morning that an effort was being made by a party to induce the County Attorney to file charges against Sheriff Pierce for having knocked an alleged questionable colored woman down, a number of substantial citizens rushed to headquarters eager to make his bond.

The County Attorney refused to entertain a complaint against the Sheriff and these citizens with an ever increasing number are said to have pledged him their moral and financial support in his effort to clean up a questionable residence in 'Nigger Town' north of the track.

The better element of Clarendon's colored citizens protest, and are just as much opposed to any place of questionable character being maintained in their section of the town as are the whites.

The negro woman referred to above, is said to have slashed the Sheriff with a pocketknife some days ago when he attempted to investigate seeking to recover goods taken from the Rayburn Smith filling station which had been burglarized the night before. She was nailed into court but it is said the court refused to entertain a complaint.

Sentiment against a certain house on the north side is reaching a critical point due to the fact, it is claimed that white men, and some with wives and children at home, have been caught in this place of questionable reputation. Good citizens have volunteered their services in assisting the Sheriff, if needed, in raiding the place that the offending population be prosecuted.

Seventeen Boys Are Guests At Rotary Luncheon Friday

Nickey Stewart Presides With Other Boys Present Interesting Musical Program

The final program for a proper observation of Boy's Week was carried out at the Rotary luncheon at noon Friday at the Hotel Clarendon when President Jenkins tapped the bell and turned his office over to Nickey Stewart.

Gus B. Stevenson, band director, and three of his pupils, Bob Bledsoe, Hubert Reavis, Jack Latson complimented the Rotarians with a clarinet quartet. As a second number, Mr. Stevenson and A. J. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Smith, played two numbers on cornets.

The above named boys were a part of seventeen who came as guests of members of the Club carrying out a plan suggested earlier in the week. Rotarian Densil Davis had charge of a regular program for the entertainment of the boys, but this plan was changed in order that the boys be given an opportunity to demonstrate their musical skill.

President Jenkins announced that ladies' night would be observed

"Cimarron" Will Be Shown At Pastime Monday and Tues.

Revival of Old West Scenes And Customs Captivates And Charms All Ages

Being a westerner, the Leader editor has no apology to offer for paying tribute to pioneers, their history and customs. In the picture, "Cimarron", that will be shown at the Pastime Monday and Tuesday of next week, all ages should appreciate the money expended to bring back to us a picture history of pioneer days.

Western Oklahoma plays an important part in this story from which the picture is made. The renowned silver-tongued orator of the Panhandle, Temple Houston, is the man who furnishes the part for "Yancey Cravat" in the story by Edna Ferber.

Years of pathos, hardships of daily life and heart-breaking scenes in court rooms enter into this story filled with human heart throbs. This picture includes some of the scenes of Temple Houston's defense of the outcast girl printed in the Leader recently, the entire lot of papers being sold out in 24 hours.

Older folks will appreciate the reminders of younger years when these scenes are thrown on the screen. Younger folks will marvel at the grit and determination of their ancestors in an age when "Women were queens and men were men."

Don't fail to see this picture. You may have seen the "Four Horsemen", or "The Birth of a Nation" or "The Covered Wagon", but you will always regret it if you pass up seeing "Cimarron."

Miss Mary Stocking spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. Boykin's Pupils Enter Pampa Musical Contest

Five violin pupils of Mrs. G. L. Boykin entered the contest at Pampa Wednesday in the Musical Festival in progress over the week.

Lovella Bell and Virginia Cluck as the first group played "Fantasia" by Mollennauer.

The second group consisting of Harvey Lou Strawn and Elizabeth Kemp presented "Menuet" by Padarewski.

Bobby Boston, a junior violinist of note locally, played "Sixth Aire" by Dancla.

Mrs. John M. Bass appeared as piano accompanist in each number.

No entrants appeared hence there was no contest. In the judging, Mrs. Boykin's pupils placed in the order named: Lovella Bell, Harvey Lou Strawn, Elizabeth Kemp, Virginia Cluck and Bobbie Boston.

Mrs. A. H. Baker is visiting her daughter and family at Panhandle. ed on the night of Friday, May 29th. Pampa Rotarians have been invited to share in the pleasure of this event.

Announcement was made of the Rotarian-Lion ball game for the following day. Rotarian Davis also announced that the boys would be given plenty of time for athletics following the game of the civic clubs.

Rotarian Frank Houston of the Childress club was a welcome visitor.

Rev. Murrell Will Preach Baccalaureate Sermon On Sunday

Program at Methodist Church To Begin at 11 o'clock Sunday Morning

The series of programs to be presented incident to closing of Clarendon's public schools begins Sunday morning with the following program: Professional—Marche Romaine—Gounod.

Doxology—Kent Prayer—Rev. B. N. Shepherd Antehm—Praise Ye Jehovah—Ashford.

Scripture Reading—Rev. E. B. Bowen.

Announcements—Supt. H. T. Burton.

Hymn No. 177 Hark, Ten Thousand Harps—Mason.

Sermon—Rev. W. M. Murrell Hymn No. 408 Lead On O King Eternal—Smart.

Recessional—March—Stults. Benediction—Rev. E. B. Bowen

Sam M. Braswell, Director of Music.

Miss Fray Stallings, Organist. The Commencement exercises Clarendon Junior College will be held at the College Auditorium at 8 p. m. on May 14th. Copy of program given below:

Professional—Jubilant March—T. Edwin Solly.

Anna Weideman Invocation—Rev. L. L. Swan

Piano Solos—Godowsky. Alt-Wien—Godowsky.

Scatterflakes—R. Deane Shure Pauline Shelton

Address—Hon. Marvin Jones Presentation of Diplomas—Dean W. A. Clark, Jr.

Benediction—Rev. R. S. McKee Recessional—Commemoration March—C. J. Grey.

Anna Weideman Graduation exercises Junior High School will be held in the auditorium of that building at 10 a. m. May 15th.

Senior High School commencement program will be presented at 8 p. m. on May 15th at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parker of Pampa are rejoicing over the arrival of a son born Sunday, the 3rd.

Rotarians Chewed Up By Lions In Fast Ball Game Saturday

Mixed Teams of Questionable Talent Attempt to Play Soft Baseball

Neither side mustered enough members to wade in the mud and rain to make up strictly Lion and Rotarian teams, but they did their best. The ball used was of the soft indoor variety and the stunt was pulled off at the Ball Park Saturday morning at 10:30 with all colors at top sail.

During the game a few hit the ball. This luck was limited to the more husky which included Bill Ferrell and Harley Burton. Others are said to have sunk the bat into the ball but she refused to slide off any distance.

The game was all that it was intended to be—a mess of fun. The crowd was limited due to misbehavior of the weather. Since very few players went away satisfied with their scores, other games are likely to occur at any time.

Those playing on the Lions side were Ira Merchant, Darrell Nored, Phifer Estlack, Dr. Stricklin, Ed Teer Harley Burton, Lester Boykin, Loyd Stallings, Sam Braswell, Jr., Clyde Douglas.

The Rotarian team was made up of Arch Dyer, Cecil Alexander, Densil Davis, Robert Cope, Bill Ferrell, Curry Powell, Gus Stevenson, Allan Bryan, Robt. Drennon and Kinney Lane.

Those hearing the Count Von Luckner lecture at Canyon Wednesday night from here were H. R. Kerbow, G. L. Boykin, Clyde Price, C. J. Douglas, C. C. Powell, H. T. Burton and R. E. Drennon.

Banks Over Five Counties State Basis Of Next Year Loans

Banks Have Agreed to Refuse Loans to Farmers Who Fall Down on Their Job

Farmers of Donley, Hall, Collingsworth and Childress counties and those doing business with the bank at Quitaque who expect to secure loans for financing a crop next year are being advised to follow a live at home program by planting feed and food products this season to tide them over.

The banks of the above named counties are issuing the warning in time and are agreed that this idea must be followed out in order that their former customers prosper. Loans for the purpose of feed purchases at this time take the lead with demands for money to buy food a close second.

The circular letters being mailed read as follows:

"The present agricultural conditions and the prospect for the prices of all agricultural commodities in the future suggest that a program of live at home for the farmer is imperative.

We wish to point out to the farmers of this territory that from our viewpoint the time has come when it behooves every farmer to grow his food and feed at home, consisting of fruit, vegetables, poultry, meat and milk, and have these products preserved in sufficient quantities to feed a family at least one year, and a two year supply of feed for all live stock. It is an utter impossibility to produce any one crop (particularly cotton) and meet your obligations. One crop programs have always proved disastrous.

We have no disposition to dictate to our former customers but it is our seasoned judgment and experience that unless a live at home policy is adopted harder times are ahead.

Therefore it will be the policy of the following banks to base their loans in the future, beginning in 1932, on whether or not the farmer is following the program as outlined above.

This statement is made at this time so farmers may plan their 1931 farming activities accordingly."

Herman Bennett, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Matt Bennett, and sisters here and at Ft. Worth, returned to Hollywood, California Monday.

Joe Bob Baker Gets Shetland Pony Pastime Monday

Lucky Winner Is One Among Dozens of Small Boys In Attendance Contest

The name of the Pastime Theatre has been upon the lips of every boy and girl in this section for the past several days, all due to the fact that manager Homer Mulkey was offering a shetland pony free to some lucky youngster.

This offer came to a climax Monday night when the Pastime was packed to capacity. When the number held by Joe Bob Baker was called, the youngster yelled out and beat a hasty retreat to the rostrum.

After due ceremony, Joe Bob became the owner of "Tony", the beautiful shetland pony that has aroused so much interest, and whose picture has been displayed over both town and country for several days.

Joe Bob, aged 8, is an Oklahoma product having been born at Sayre. He came to make his home in Clarendon little more than a year ago. He attends school and is in the second grade. He has a brother Billy, who no doubt will share in this treasure.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Baker who reside on East First street. When seen Monday, Mr. Baker gladly announced that he would contribute a saddle, blanket and bridle to the son to make his happiness complete.

Pueblo Chieftain Orders Chicks From Local Hatchery

Chief Murrabala of Pueblos Among Hundreds Admiring Hatchery Products

The Clarendon Hatchery of which Frank White, Jr. is owner, is enjoying a liberal amount of outside patronage this season, not the least among them being the above named chief of the Pueblo Indians at Taos, New Mexico, who wants chicks and favors Buff Orpingtons, the latest shipment going to him next week.

Interesting things happen in a hatchery at times. For instance the second bunch of wild Mallard ducks came off or out of the hatchery Monday. Husky fellows with every promise to make good. A leader clipped in the wing prevents their flying away, and does not cause the wing to droop, is the latest in bird surgery.

Thirty thousand chicks have been hatched so far this season for a Pampa firm. Seven thousand have been shipped to Amarillo. The custom hatch is running above three hundred thousand to date.

L. H. Baker, local gin manager on East First street is now offering pen fed fryers from a batch of twenty-five hundred bought of the local hatchery.

More than nine thousand dollars have been paid out already this season for eggs that stand the test and meet the requirements of the Hatchery management. These eggs are from some of the best fowls in the state.

Another meritorious side issue of the hatchery business is found in the fact that Mr. White hatches chicks free for widows unable to pay for the service. This offer is good for the month of May.

He is also making an offer this week to responsible parties whereby they may have their eggs hatched and pay for the job this fall. This offer reflects credit upon the management and will no doubt meet with the hearty response it so richly merits.

The Clarendon Hatchery is a distinct asset to this section, and the record made for good service and honesty of purpose speaks volumes for those connected with the enterprise.

MacDowell Club Contributes Songs At Pastime Theatre

Picture Machine Displays The Words On The Screen When sung by Audience

In keeping with his policy of helping out with present day interests, Mr. Mulkey invited the MacDowell Club to further observe Music Week by rendering a selection between shows Monday night.

The words of the "Star Spangled Banner" were thrown on the screen and the MacDowell Club led the audience in singing the national anthem. Mr. Hoover only recently having signed the bill making this song our national song.

The fervor with which the audience responded, proved that the same spirit of patriotism is alive in the breast of every American and as Plato has said: "Musical training is a more potent instrument than any other because rhythm and harmony find their way into the secret place of the soul."

A beautiful contribution to the evening's entertainment honoring Music Week was that of "Water Lilies" as sung by the talented voices of the members of the MacDowell Club.

O. C. Watson returned from Dallas Friday accompanied by his son George who has been spending time in a Dallas institution for treatment. His friends will be glad to learn that he has improved to the extent that two braces have been dispensed with.

Four Programs To Feature Lelia Lake's School Closing

A Varied Series of Programs Including All Grades Will Begin Friday Night

Pupils, teachers and patrons of the Lelia school are proud of the record made this school term. Much has been accomplished. There was more and better cooperation all-round.

In the county events more pupils won medals. These medals represent superior skill and training in both athletic and mental contests. It is a record of which they are and have a right to be proud.

The first program will be presented Friday night by pupils of Miss Stogner.

Tuesday night of next week the pupils of the intermediate grades will present a program. These pupils of Mrs. Thomasson, Misses Taylor, Hill and Garland will please their audience with a varied program.

Wednesday night of the 13th, Miss Christal will present her pupils in a music recital. There will be some surprises in this program because of the exceptional accomplishments of some of the pupils under this talented teacher.

Thursday night of the 14th will be senior class night. Graduating exercises will be held on the night following.

No admission will be charged at any program night, and the public is cordially invited to be present at each of them.

Rev. B. N. Shepherd, pastor of the First Baptist church of Clarendon will preach a special sermon for the graduates at the Lelia Lake Baptist church at 11 a. m. next Sunday, May 10th.

Two Princesses Are Chosen For Lubbock Celebration

Miss Dorothy White will represent Clarendon as a princess, and Miss Lotta Bourland as princess representing Clarendon College in a pageant "Texas Under Five Flags" at Lubbock the 15th.

The occasion is the 13th Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which is to be held at Lubbock from the 14th to the 16th of this month.

This pageant was written and arranged by Miss D'Laural Beville, of the speech arts department of Texas Tech college.

School Trustees Are Called to Meet Here Saturday

All district trustees are hereby notified to be present at the county court house in the district court room Saturday, the ninth of May at 9 o'clock a. m.

Each group of district trustees is requested to come in a body and to be able to present facts why their respective schools should lower their classifications. Any group of trustees failing to report, the Board will classify that school according to information at hand. Other matters of business profit to the schools and the trustees will be discussed and decided on at this meeting.

By order of the County Board of Education.

H. T. Burton, Chairman. Nora McMurtry, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Bryan of Turkey visited relatives here returning home Tuesday.

First of The Five School Programs At Ashtola Friday

Dean W. A. Clark, Jr. Will Address Graduating Class Friday, May 15th

The first of five programs to be presented by the pupils of the Ashtola school incident to the closing exercises is class night Friday of this week. This program includes some excellent musical numbers. Lu McClellan, Jr. is president of the class.

Elder D. L. Hukel of the Clarendon Church of Christ will preach the baccalaureate sermon next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The intermediate program is scheduled for next Tuesday night, the 12th, and is the longest program of them all. Nineteen interesting numbers appear on this program.

The Seventh Grade's graduation exercises will be held May 13th which is Wednesday of next week. Rev. Robt. S. McKee, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Clarendon will make the principal address.

Commencement exercises will be held on the 15th. Dean W. A. Clark Jr. of Clarendon Municipal Junior College making the principal address. Miss Helen Parker is Salutatorian and Miss Emma Sue Graham is valedictorian of the class. Graduates will be presented diplomas by Supt. C. W. Howard.

Helen Parker's average for the term is 83. Emma Sue Graham's average is 87. Both girls made outstanding grades for the entire term in all subjects.

This is the most elaborate closing of the Ashtola school in its history. More time and effort has been spent in preparation, it is claimed, than in any previous year. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all the programs.

Lions Observe A Music Week Program Tuesday Luncheon

In Observing Music Week The Program Included Variety Different Instruments

The instruments used in celebrating the Music Week program at the Lions' luncheon Tuesday noon at the Antro, included practically every instrument from a "swinette" to a Jews harp.

The oddity of the instruments used added a humorous aspect to the performance, with just enough real artistic skill in some numbers to afford a proper back ground.

Lion Nored as chairman of the program on this occasion both surprised and pleased. "Dude" Gentry with his Jews harp won a big hit and demonstrated that it is possible to have music even though musical instruments should become a lost art.

Other musicians were I. B. Pierce with his Hawaiian guitar, Elmer Palmer on the banjo, T. D. Nored with his mandolin, Joe David on the "fiddle", a combination that rendered a quality of music that could be "felt in the bones."

Mrs. G. L. Boykin contributed a pleasing violin solo, and Miss Fray Stallings appeared in her usual skill as accompanist on the piano.

Another pleasing number was a quartet composed of Messrs. Duncan, Davis, Jones and Boykin.

LET THE HENS PAY IT (An Editorial)

If Donley county can do anything, it can produce good eggs and lots of them. Eggs by the multiplied dozen have been brought to the Leader office the past ten days to be applied on subscription, ten dozen paying for the full year.

This applies to renewal and new subscriptions alike. We pay at the rate of 20 cents a dozen.

We are expecting a thousand dozen by the end of the week. The more the better. With all the number brought in, not a bad egg in the lot.

The egg deal will close this week. Saturday will be the last day.

Get your eggs to us on or before Saturday, May 9th.

The time extension was made to accommodate those who were living farther out and could not get to town by last Saturday.

Phone requests to extend the time were received early before closing and it is to give every one a square deal that we are extending the time. Please do not ask us to accept eggs after next Saturday.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY (An Editorial)

Real economy consists of spending your money where you will get the greatest satisfaction and service. It is possible to get for the amount of money you spend.

It consists of choosing the things you would like to buy—selecting the articles that will give you the most enjoyment—then seeing that you get full value for every dollar.

By reading the advertisements appearing in the Leader each week, you can get a lesson in household economics.

These advertisements teach efficiency in buying. They show you the best markets. They lighten your housework by telling you of the newest conveniences and labor saving devices.

The grocery advertisements tell you where to buy and the price.

There is no guess work about it. They tell you about the latest foods packed by the latest methods from week to week.

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

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Boastful.

Clarendon has more designated scenic highways with street names than any other town in the Panhandle.

Corn Cob Pipes.

The passage of the cigarette tax was a good thing. The writer smokes a cob pipe. If a tax is placed on cob pipes, we are all against that tax.

Free Lodging.

A hotel keeper at Gunnison, Colorado advertises that he will not make any charges for room rent on rainy days. He hasn't lost anything yet so far as can be learned.

High Hatted.

When that Congressional Committee on a four months tour of park site inspections could not spare the time recently to ride from Amarillo out to Palo Duro, they passed up one of the most interesting sight-seeing events of their trip no matter what their itinerary might be or have been.

Millionaire Printers.

As further proof that printers do sometime exercise some financial judgment, it may be cited that Texas has two millionaire printers. Robert Penn of the Penn Oil Company was formerly in the employ of the Dallas Journal. Edward Bateman is the latest having recently sold his holdings to the Humble oil company for \$1,200,000. Bateman was formerly with the Dallas Times-Herald.

Competition.

The wild westerner who is said to have ridden Mexican lions and whipped them with rattlesnakes years ago, is about to lose his prestige. A Louisiana man is said to be breaking alligators for saddle steers. His method is to rope him, ride him out of the pond and teach him any gait the purchaser desires from a soft pace, single-foot, fox-trot or a natural born racer.

Can't Eat Monument.

The Indian office has authorized immediate erection of a monument costing \$2500 to commemorate the surrender of Chief Joseph of the Nez Perce Indians to Col. Nelson A. Miles and government troops near Chinnok, Montana.

This is the poverty-stricken tribe of Indians that Will Rogers says has been living on horse meat for five years. But the Indians were, and still are, on the losing side.

Deportations.

Mexico is sending some 7,000 Americans home. Those who have over-stayed their welcome. We have sent over 100,000 Mexicans home over the past six months period. We are winners yet.

Our nation is deporting all aliens at this time not entitled to remain. In checking up on individuals being deported to foreign nations, it

was found that 15 percent had committed one or more felonies while here.

Common Sense Plan.

In asking the graduates of the schools of Texas to attend commencement exercises dressed in clothing made from cotton, Governor Sterling and all the other state officials signing the request, should have the thanks of all the common sense folks of the state.

Dressed in clothing made from cotton with a bluebonnet bouquet for the flower adornment is not only an advertisement for Texas, but it also arouses an instinct of patriotism.

Banking Ingenuity.

A Missouri paper in giving a bit of history of a young man formerly of that town states that he arose early, took a bath and washed the tub afterwards, never kept any one waiting at breakfast, never smoked or drank bootleg, paid his board promptly and was always on his job at the local country bank.

This went on for a number of years and it suddenly developed that he was thirty-seven thousand dollars short at the bank. He got three years. When he gets out, he announces that he will go to South America and start something with the money he saved. No, there was no woman in on the deal—he never risked that much.

Colored Philosophy.

In speaking before students of the Virginia Colored Normal Institute, W. D. Gresham, supervisor of negro education in Virginia said: "Some letters are so unreasonable, some questions so impertinent, some arguments so foolish and ignorant, some attacks so full of prejudice, that to answer them is to descend to their level."

Whether the statement is original or not, we don't know. But we do know that a lot of white folks could profit from a proper consideration of the facts embodied in the statement of this colored educator in his plea to establish a better understanding among the members of his race.

Promoters.

With the coming of spring the fancy of the promoters lightly turn to unsuspecting victims and pocketbooks—or check books.

Most of the promoters since the oil stock schemes grew stale, generally land in town with a brand new advertising idea. The assaults on our intelligence and pocketbooks are generally successful.

No matter how much warning is given. No matter what kind of a "committee" a town may have to check up on the intruders, some of the business men fall for the most ridiculous ideas and what is more, shell down the coin in advance so eager are they to patronize illegitimate schemes sponsored by a stranger.

No Cure-Alls.

The Journal of the American Medical Association comes out in a leading editorial condemning drug cures, and more especially nostrums. Listen to this:

"There is no evidence that any antiseptic will cure bad breath. There is no good evidence that douching of the nose and throat even with efficient antiseptics will certainly prevent coughs, colds, influenza or sore throat. There is no evidence that antiseptics will prevent dandruff."

Tooth paste that is supposed to cure mouth diseases also comes under the ban of this condemnation. Now check up on your prepared medicines, or even what some doctors have prescribed or told you about drugs, and see where you get.

Social Status.

Now that Mrs. Gann has succeeded in establishing her social status as second lady of the land by reason of being a sister of the Vice President of our nation, all is well among the women folks of Washington—one at least. Mrs. Gann was the second woman to be presented to the King and Queen of Siam at the Hoover function.

For many years Mrs. Gann and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth battled for social supremacy with Mrs. Nick Longworth slightly in the lead. Vice President Curtis is a widower, all of which goes to prove how little regard American voters have for social conditions in Washington.

The women folks get more action on fixing their social positions in Washington than all the law makers get out of proposed relief for farmers, drouth victims and victims of foreign bullets combined.

Wise Suggestion.

Twenty-one banks of this section of the Panhandle are warning their customers that they must follow plans this season designed to produce more of a living at home.

Quoting from the circular letter we read: "We have no disposition to dictate to our farmer customers, but it is our seasoned judgment and experience that unless a live at home policy is adopted, harder times are ahead."

These banks suggest that farmers produce food and feed at home. Also fruit, vegetables, poultry, meat and milk. And what's more, they suggest that a sufficient quantity be preserved or stored up to last the family for at least a year.

One would hardly think that a farmer would be guilty of neglecting either of the above, but some

of them do. The banks are merely trying to help the farmer to help himself. Loans through 1932 will be based on his actions in regard to the production of the above, according to the circular.

Bottle Sympathy.

Vagrant tourists are often handicapped. Not from a lack of gasoline exactly, but from a lack of alibis and schemes to "sting" the unwary. No sooner does the public become acquainted with a scheme until others are hatched from the brains of those who expend mental effort to defraud rather than sell the product of their muscle in honest toil.

The bottle baby is the latest to show up in Clarendon. A local filling station owner was appealed to for a contribution of gasoline. When he did not fall for the usual hard luck spiel, the baby of the couple began to cry.

The parents possibly had something to do with its crying at the critical moment. The mother took the little fellow upon her lap and produced a bottle of water which she offered the infant.

At the same time she stated that water was all the bottle baby had received in the way of nourishment for two days. The filling station man melted down and contributed gasoline. He had a little fellow of his own and they found his weak point.

Just as the couple got ready to leave, they bumped the filling station man for cigarettes and both parents went their way smoking and happy. The same scheme has been worked over the north plains for the past month.

Home Owning.

To live under one's own "vine and fig tree" as it were, is and should be man's highest temporal ambition. Nothing appeals so much to the red-blooded American as to see his wife standing in the doorway of his home, the children romping in the yard and a vine clad porch where goodbyes are waved as he leaves to battle with the world in a labor of love to provide those nearest and dearest with the necessities and, so far as is possible, the luxuries of life.

Home owning furnishes a man the highest ambitions of good citizenship. In this he is encouraged by his government. At the same time this same government often makes such an ambition impossible because of excessive taxation.

Our legislators could do no more worthy act than remove all fear of forced tax sales from the humble home of the small home owners. In the main, children from the

more humble homes, furnish the mothers of the next generation and fathers on whom devolves the responsibility of supplying the stamina of our nation.

There was a time when every man's home was regarded as his castle. The owner was king of kings in his dominion and his queen became the mother of the greatest men in the history of the world. His children received from that home lasting impressions that became a hallowed memory in after years when they, too, became home owners.

Entertaining Royalty.

During the same week that the Hoovers entertained the King and Queen of Siam, they also entertained Bryan Untiedt, hero of the Pleasant Hill, Colorado bus tragedy, who went to Washington upon the special request of the President.

The first royalty entertained were born that way, they couldn't help being what they are, and have never accomplished anything worth while.

The second royalty, a country boy of thirteen years, a son of very ordinary parents in ordinary circumstances, saved the lives of several children. Being the son of parents of small means had taught him to make the most of what he

had. To "make out" and tackle any emergency.

He needed no instructions. Fate had placed him in a position in life where he was frequently called upon to take the initiative. When death stared him in the face in that bus during the dark hours of night the hero of heroes took off his clothing almost to the bare skin and gave it to the more needy.

He led the games and cheered other children to keep them in action to prevent freezing. By that one act alone, his life means more to the world than all the Kings and Queens of Siam since the beginning of the nation's history.

Today the world bows in his presence and seeks to pay him tribute. Scholarships in great schools are offered him. Financial assistance is offered him. High officials pay him tribute for what he is and not for what he was at birth.

Mrs. Carl Parsons and Mrs. Carl Bennett, Jr. with their little folks spent the last of the week visiting relatives near and in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Parsons returned from Mineral Wells the last of the week where Mr. Parsons received benefits from the water appearing more like himself since returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pierce attended the Sheriff's convention at Amarillo going up Tuesday and returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sims and daughter, Mrs. L. B. Merrell, and Mrs. J. D. Stocking left for Roswell Tuesday on a business trip.

Mrs. Loyd Stallings and children returned from Pampa Friday accompanied by her mother, Mrs. H. L. Wilder, and sister, Miss Ethel Wilder.

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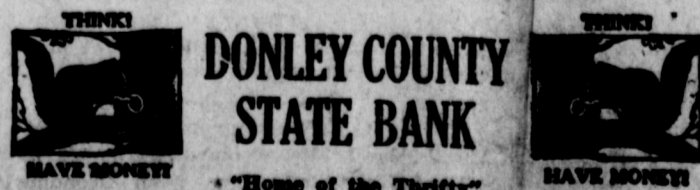
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"From Despair to Happiness"

(or Cupid in the Northland)

Written by W. E. Ferrell

Strange things take place in the far north, when the wind wolves dance and the snow devils build strange shapes out of the drifts, then tear them down again like children knock over play-houses to make something else. Familiar landmarks look queer and unnatural, sometimes the oldest woodsmen and trappers are fooled.

It was a bitter night, the stars were smothered by the clouds that shook loose the snow that floated down, swirling, steady, suffocating filling up trails and leavening valleys, until the northland was one great white plain, with no ending or beginning.

For hours, two forms could be seen roaming, helplessly in that night of terrible whiteness, utterly bewildered. The soft snow under foot, clinging in the manner of new fallen flakes, seemed to be tugging at their feet, trying and striving to pull them down.

It is a terrible thing to be lost in the north country in a storm such as raged in mad dance that night. The cold was a mean searching thing, that crept into one's bones and sucked at the marrow.

The weary travelers knew that they were far off the trail, wandering somewhere in the lonely north. Many times they stumbled and fell, each time it would take longer to get on their feet. Now one would be down, laying on the snow and the other tugging and pulling, trying to get the companion on his feet, in another moment the other would be down, and both would be scrambling and scuffling in the blanket of snow. They knew that it would not be long before they would fall to rise no more, they realized that their power, strength and courage were about exhausted. They could hear the wind devils howling like hungry voices, eager for their prey.

Minute after minute they stumbled along, neither spoke, it was a silent fight against death, with all the odds against them.

Suddenly, from somewhere in the whirlwind of whiteness there appeared a light, for a moment it cast its bright ray through the drifting snow, then it vanished.

As brief as the moment was, the weary travelers, had caught a glimpse of the bright rays and with increased energy they struggled on, going in the direction from which it came.

Soon the light appeared again, this time it was visible for several seconds, before it disappeared. At each lull in the whirling snow it would shine forth, as a beacon, calling the struggling pilgrims on.

After what seemed to be hours of struggling and fighting, the travelers saw a shadow loom up before them and the next moment they fell against the side of a building, and dropped to the snow.

Inside the cabin, I was rebuilding my fires. I had been aroused from my slumber by the howling winds and the hard pellets of sleet that beat against the roof and the side of the shanty. Sleep seemed to flee from me as a fox ahead of the hounds. Visions of the southland and home would present themselves before me, to vanish in a moment and be blotted out by new visions of the north, with its gold, trapping trails, dogs and hardships. Noting that my fire was dying, I crossed the room and threw on a few sticks of dry wood, the glowing embers soon caught hold and in a few minutes I had a cheery fire and the flames began to leap up the chimney. I was just in the act of returning to my bed when suddenly there was a heavy thud against the side of the cabin, and a cry which could be heard above the roar of the howling wind, pierced the air. I knew that a cry like that could only be uttered by a human being.

The next instant I sprang through the door, out into the falling snow. A moment or two later, I was gazing down upon two snow covered forms, that lay against the side of the cabin.

I quickly realized that the weary travelers had lost their way in the blinding storm, and that they had managed to reach my shanty before they gave out.

It was but the work of a few minutes to get them in the cabin and then I discovered that one of my unexpected visitors was a young woman and that her companion was an old man. I did not have time to study my visitors very closely, as I knew that there was work for me to do, so I began at once the task of reviving the victims. I knew that it would require untiring efforts to bring

them back to consciousness, after they had been over-come by the cold and exposure.

For nearly an hour I laboured before I saw any signs of returning life then I noticed the long eye-lashes of the frozen beauty, flutter and open. The dark brown orb was focused upon me for a moment, then it closed again. That one look revived within me the hopes of being able to upset the plans of the Northland in claiming these beings as victims. I was beginning to think that I was fighting a losing battle until I saw her eyes open. Then with renewed vigor and hopes I set to work in earnest, rubbing the rigid bodies with snow and working the limbs to restore circulation and life. Slowly but surely I could see the faint tint of color appearing in the girls cheeks, but I knew that it would require some time for the natural color to return, so I continued my labors.

I had long since given up hopes of my male visitor's recovery, and had been spending all of my time working on the girl. There was a spark of life still burning and I was using all of my knowledge and experience as a trapper and woodsman to fan this spark into a blaze.

I was finally rewarded, her eyes opened and she began to look around the cabin. I was busy heating some broth and making tea and she did not see me. I could not help notice that expression upon her brow. It reminded me of something trapped, something waiting for death at every moment, at every breath. That frightened look told a story of fear and anxiety.

I started toward her and she heard me and turned her head so that she might see who was approaching, and the moment that her gaze fell upon me she uttered a scream that could have been heard a mile, if the wind had not been on such a spree. One would have thought that she had discovered a catamount or a grizzly about to pounce upon her. This one cry was all and she dropped off into another coma.

(to be continued in next issue)

* * * * * SUNNYVIEW * * * * *

All the farmers would be glad to see some sunshine as all are anxious to plant their crops.

Miss Eula Haley and Mrs. Paul Smith and Children called on Mrs. Nelson Riley Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham called on Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reid, also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts drove to Goldston Sunday afternoon and visited with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wood entertained a few of their friends with 42 games Saturday evening.

Mrs. Millard Starks spent Monday with Mrs. S. A. Pierce of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Wood of Clarendon called on Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hester spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Jones of Ashtola.

Mrs. Heckle Starks spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Patten.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bogard and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Owen Butler of Lelia Lake Saturday night. 42 was enjoyed till a late hour after which refreshments were served to those present.

Mrs. F. L. Behrens and daughter Nannie and Mrs. Lanham called on Miss Ethel Hutto Monday afternoon.

* * * * * CHAMBERLAIN * * * * *

Mrs. D. N. Hudson has been real sick of late but is reported better at this writing.

Homer Newton attended to business at Amarillo Friday.

The recent showers and spring days has instilled the baseball spirit rather strongly in these parts. The Hudgins team came up Thursday and took the short end of a three to seven score in a good game played on the home diamond. Friday the Chamberlain team was defeated by the Hudgins boys on the latter's diamond.

Considerable progress was made last week in the round up of old Stubby Foot and his tribe. Mr. Sloane located the home of this noted wolf's mate and by a lot of ex-

avation he and son Alex and Mr. Byrd dug her and a large brood of young ones out and killed them. The community is due these gentlemen a real turkey dinner, to say nothing of the fried chicken that should be theirs.

Mr. Hinkle says to his knowledge old stub foot has made this community his home for ten years and he thinks during this period at least one hundred chickens has been added to the menu of this noted wolf from his farm alone. In the last few weeks some five packs of grey hounds have made desperate efforts to capture him, but in each instance he has either eluded them or turned and whipped them to a frazzle, thereby gaining the reputation of being king of the brakes. But W. A. Hughes says old stubby is soon to meet his Waterloo, for he made a trip to Amarillo Friday and brought back two noted wolf hounds with pedigrees as long as a man's arm and enough grit in their gizzard to fight a circle saw. Now when these famous canines meet old stub foot on the field of honor, if they should come out second best, then their reputation as scrappers, and Hughes standard for truth and veracity will have gone hay wire, so here's hoping.

R. W. Moore and H. A. Harrison motored to Amarillo Wednesday.

Lee White of Amarillo visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Clifford Johnson Sunday.

Charlie Dozier who has lived in this community for a number of years and worked for the J A ranch in trust for twenty two years has severed his relation with them on account of poor health and moved last week to Clarendon. We regret the loss of Mr. Dozier and his good family and in his broken health. We trust the J A people will live up to their reputation of being generous to those who have worked for them long and faithful.

N. Dingler and daughters, Misses Mamie and Gertrude were dinner guests in the Hughes home Sunday.

Mesdames J. M. Bass, G. L. Boykin, U. J. Boston, G. G. Kemp, Joe Cluck were among the number to attend the Music Festival at Pampa Wednesday.

Prize Winners In Cigarette Contest To Be Announced

Winston-Salem, N. C., May 5—Prize winners in the Camel cigarette \$50,000 cash prize contest will be announced next week, officials of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, said today.

The contest judges and their staff, who have been carefully reading the approximately 1,000,000 entries, have completed their work, the announcement stated, and plans are now being completed for the actual awarding of the checks.

Thirty-eight prizes, including a first prize of \$25,000 are to be awarded for the best letters on how the new cellophane moisture-proof wrappers on Camel packages benefit smokers. Second prize will be \$10,000, and third prize \$5,000. There will be five awards of \$1,000 each, five awards of \$500 each and 25 awards of \$100 each.

Judges of the contest are Roy W. Howard, Chairman of the Board of the Scripps-Howard League of Newspapers; Charles Dana Gibson, famous artist and publisher of Life Magazine, and Ray Long, President of the International Magazine Company and Editor of Cosmopolitan.

Petty Thieves Again Rob School Buildings

The South Ward and Junior High school buildings were again broken into Thursday night and small sums of money taken from each building.

It appears that actual cash only was wanted as other property was not taken. Some of the desks and closets were damaged by being pried open where locked.

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Small Grains Have Showing of Bumper Crop; Little Cut Worm Damage

The first alarm when cut worms in multiplied millions began to make their appearance in this section some two weeks spread terror to the hearts of the small grain growers.

Little damage has been reported so far in the grain fields. Cut worm damage in early garden planting is causing a big loss at this time. Some report that entire rows of Bermuda onion plants have been cut down in a single night.

Poison is helping allay the cut worm damage, several following the formula printed in the Leader some weeks back at the suggestion of the County Agent Brown.

Early corn is beginning to show up though the cold, wet weather over the past ten days has retarded growth. The rains of Thursday and Friday prevented any further work in the fields over the week.

More interest is being shown in purebred and certified planting seed. Quite a number are buying cotton seed of the better varieties tested out in Donley county the past year.

A large feed crop will be planted this spring. This idea is being further emphasized by the bankers of this district, they being in unit on the 'live at home' idea. There will be mighty little of the old style 'one crop' planting in Donley county this season, if any at all.

Leader Editor Gets Stung Friday in Egg Deal

Looking upon the world with an innocent aspect is not always the best policy. To regard one's neighbors in the same light is also presumptuous as was proven here Friday.

After being assured that the egg trade was bona fide, fair, square, open and above board with the line drawn only on pipped eggs, one Ed Wheeler, financial genius of Brice Flat, came into the office regaled with a beautiful basket of many loud colors in which he had arranged ten dozen freckled eggs of the English sparrow species.

The editor claims to be a game guy, but he knows when he is licked. Ed's subscription was chalked up for the year. There was no room to back down for Ed had delivered ten dozen miniature eggs without a pipped one in the bunch.


That wasn't all the dirty work connected with this defamations of

character and destroyer of reputations, he had invited a number of others to hang around and haw! haw! while the victim of the joke blushed.

The only question is, can a sparrow sing? If the blame things are good for anything it is singing. If they do sing, we have a chance to get even. We can turn Ed in for interfering with the family relations of a Texas songbird which is a serious offense. Failing in that, we may have the eggs run through the local hatchery and turn the flock loose on his garden.

Seriously speaking, Ed got our goat. We're plum licked. We took the count but there will be no more bird eggs accepted. They must be prime eggs laid by a hen of the feathered tribe and she must weigh at least seven pounds. We would even "bo-up" at a bamtang egg right now.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Woods attended church at Hedley Sunday.



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Fisher Body craftsmen, with their background of fine-car designing, have made this new Chevrolet an exceptionally attractive automobile. Study it from any angle and you find it extremely pleasing. Look at it from the front and you are impressed by the modish ensemble of deep radiator, large headlamps and arched tie bar—all gleaming in rich chromium plate. Viewed from the side, the long hood, low-slung body

lines, sweeping fenders and massive wire wheels strikingly suggest the car's fleetness and power. And the appeal of Chevrolet's beauty is made more pronounced by the fact that all models are available in a variety of colors.

Interiors, too, are unusual in every way. The upholstery is carefully tailored. Seats are roomy, deeply cushioned and invitingly soft. And the interiors are tastefully appointed.

In fact, the new Chevrolet Six is such a thoroughly fine-looking automobile that it has become a very popular choice with every type of buyer. You find it not only the smart family car, but the smart personal car as well—a worthy companion to the expensive automobiles of the two- and three-car household.



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GRADUATES HONORED AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Monday night, April 4, 1931, the Baptist Church had as guests in an evening of fellowship the senior classes of the High School and Junior College.

In the lobby of the south entrance, the guests were met by a welcome committee who asked them to register and to pin on a slip of paper giving their surnames and the initial of the same below, with the instruction that they would have use for it later.

At the head of the stairs, the guests were given a program in the form of a college bulletin, with pencil attached. The first page gave the calendar for the college year as follows:

- Sept. 25- Arrival
- Sept. 26- Opening Reception
- Sept. 27- Matriculation
- Oct. 12- Stunt Night
- Nov. 25- Home coming Athletic Meet
- Jan. 27- Mid Term exams
- April 1- Intercollegiate Meet
- June 1- Commencement

"The arrival" typified the meeting of old friends and the making of new ones, as the guests tried to see how many words they could spell by combining initial letters of surnames. One popular young lady, with A for initial, helped spell 87 words.

"The Opening Reception" was featured by looking everybody over and forecasting the most popular young man and woman by an "infallible" test.

"Matriculation", as usual, was a time of readjustment of self-evaluation as a number found themselves classed, not as seniors, but as freshmen, sophomores, or juniors, according to the place their surname initial occupied in the alphabet.

"Stunt Night" was cleverly presented by four stunts, one from each of the classes under the direction of their class sponsors.

Interest ran high in the "Home Coming Athletic Meet" as the juniors and sophomores competed against the seniors and freshmen in a double quick relay which resulted in a tie.

"Mid-Term Exams" revealed the fact that the innocent looking college catalogue contained questions on physiology, geography, and zoology so testing that there were no hundred percent grades. However, all passed.

The "Intercollegiate Meet" scheduled for April Fool failed to materialize.

At "Commencement", President Shepherd, in a few well chosen words, expressed the joy of the church in making this social contact with this group of choice young people and then introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Z. T. Huff, Dean of Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, Texas.

Dean Huff, in his introduction, stressed the importance of spending some time during the educational career in a Christian College sponsored by the denomination of the persons choice. He then discussed in a brief concise way the subject "A Worthwhile Life". Some of the essentials of a worthwhile life as he presented them, were health, ordliness, thrift of time, money, leisure, promptness in meeting engagements, a sense of humor, initiative, self-reliance, courage, convictions, observance of law, courtesy, loyalty, appreciation of beauty, willingness to work, honesty, trustworthiness, the giving of God the place He deserves in every life.

After Commencement, Miss Gertrude Shepherd made the statement that her mother, when she came for Commencement, had brought a box of eats from home, that her daughter might have the whole gang in for one last spread. The group, forthwith, adjourned to the dormitory room of this young lady, which had been made attractive with a spread over the single bed, pillows, pennants, etc. things dear to the heart of a college girl. As the box was unpacked, it disclosed sandwiches, deviled eggs, pickles, cake. Other mothers had evidently joined in preparation for the spread, as plates, and ice-tea was ready.

Those enjoying the party, besides the group from the church who helped in directing and presenting the various phases of the entertainment, were Bernice Andis, Helen Goldston, Hazel Gilbert, Fred Bourland, Lorraine Hays, Harold Phelps, Eugene Estlack, Phifer Estlack, Verna Lusk, Glen Churchman, Silas Franklin, Helen Slater, Ruth Dunn, Mary Slater, Lodi

Green, Thomas Clayton, Margaret Dillard, Lucile Andis, Leona Merritt, Virgie Skinner, Lois Wallace, Pauline Shelton, Jean Bourland, Jonnie D Latson, Adeline Smith, Billie Dillard, Melba Del Warner, Benton Smith, Mrs. Nathan Cox, Bill Wood, Ralph Summers, Delphia Bones, Pauline Sanford, Dorothy Jo Taylor, Lois Lafon, Marue Trostle, James Smith, Jack Drafen, Carrol Holtzclaw, Gertrude Shepherd, Glennie Haley, Superintendent H. T. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Huff, of Plainview.

B. A. U. PROGRAM May 10, 1931.

Subject—the Wicked Husbandmen Leader—Mrs. J. J. Oller.

What prompted the parable—Mrs. Joe Fowler.

Whom do the wicked Husbandmen represent?—Mrs. L. L. Correlius.

What does the Vineyard represent?—Mrs. B. R. Crabtree.

How account for the wickedness of these men?—Mrs. Leona Richardson.

What application of the Parable does Jesus make?—T. L. Kimbriel

Special—"Rock Me to Sleep, Mother"—Mrs. J. F. Oller.

BAPTIST W. M. S. NOTES

The Baptist W. M. S. met at the church Monday afternoon in a business meeting. In the absence of Mrs. Wm. Gray, Mrs. W. C. Stewart, first vice-president presided.

Rev. B. N. Shepherd brought a helpful devotional from the twelfth chapter of John.

This coming Monday, the Society will meet in circles as follows: Rex Ray at the home of Mrs. O. L. Beach, with Mrs. Ralph Andis associate hostess. The South and East at the church.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. PICNIC

The members of the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. and a number of invited guests enjoyed a picnic at the river Friday evening. As soon as the cars stopped, the crowd made for the hills, while the sponsors spread the lunch. After supper, various games were enjoyed. Some sixty people were included in this outing.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM May 10, 1931.

Subject: Real Homes.

The two Unions will combine forces for the Mother's Day program.

A House or a home—Afton Lusk Our Mothers and home—Ruth Tucker.

Avoiding a family Quarrel—Hugh Phelps.
A home wrecked by dishonesty—Cecil Philley.

What Jealousy did to a home—Nelson Merritt.
O loyal daughter—Frances Parker.
The ideal home—Marie Carlile.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM May 10, 1931.

Subject—Pledging Our Love.
Song—"Love of Mother"—Tune "Home Sweet Home"—Dorothy Phelps.

Scripture—Ephesians 6:1 and Exodus 20:12 Houston Alexander "My Mother"—Laverne Kimbriel.

What Mothers do for their children.

They pray for them—Billie Baker.

They sacrifice for them—Pauline Carlile.

They love them—Jessie Carnell.

What May we do for our Mothers?

We may obey them—W. H. Philley.

We may help them—Truett Holtzclaw.

We may help make them happy—Bob Whately.

Poem—"Dearest Pal"—Dorothy Phelps.

Song—"We Pledge Our Love to Thee"—Laverne Kimbriel.

ASHTOLA

Mrs. W. G. Alexander and children of Borger and Mrs. Clyde Owens and daughter of Lella Lake visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wallace Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Billingsay and children from Farwell returned home Monday. They have been visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Collier and family. Miss Irene Collier returned home with them for an extended visit.

Mr. J. W. Tiser from Clarendon visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnson the past week.

Miss Jessie Swinburn is spending a few days this week with her brother, Raymond Swinburn of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard spent last week end visiting home folks in Throckmorton and Graham. They also visited friends in New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deal of Tascosa spent the first part of last week visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey and family.

Mr. Jack Scarborough and Glen Harvey from Petersburg are visit-

Short Story Writer to Run Serial in Leader

The Leader begins a serial story this week, "From Despair to Happiness" or "Cupid in the Northland" written by Rev. W. E. Ferrell, pastor of the Christian church of Clarendon.

The story embodies just enough of the romantic to add spice and deals with facts in the Klondike gold rush. The geological departments of both the United States and Canada were called upon to supply data for the story in order that the story be based on facts.

The author has refused offers from publication houses for this story and the Leader management feels honored indeed to be permitted to run the story for our readers when the privilege has been denied magazines of national reputation.

Officers Elected Christian Missionary Society

At a meeting of the Missionary Society of the Christian church held Wednesday of this week, Mrs. J. R. Tucker was elected President, Mrs. R. E. Paxson, Vice President; Mrs. Ed Carlson, Secretary-Treasurer and Mrs. J. E. Teer Reporter.

Rev. Ingram Preaches Two Places Sunday

Rev. C. B. Ingram returned home Monday morning after spending the weekend in the Antelope Flat country.

He preached at Hickman Sunday morning and at Antelope Flat in the afternoon. After spending from Friday to Monday in that section, he reports twenty-three conversions, making 191 since Conference, and 151 since January 1st. He states that he had set his goal at 100 for the year and is 51 over his number with more than half the year before him.

ting friends and relatives here.

While Mrs. Albert Reed was away visiting some one came and took a radio battery and a coat.

The Little Tidwell girl happened to a serious accident one day the past week. She fell and broke her collar bone.

This community received another good rain Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Tom Gellisple of the Chenaunt ranch was a visitor in the homes of his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shadle and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wallace.

Epworth League Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Fields are the proud parents of a big boy.

Recent Survey Of Business Conditions Show Improvement

Abilene, Texas, May 6—Prospects for improved crop, ranching and business conditions during 1931 continue promising according to the regular monthly Business Conditions Survey conducted by the West Texas Utilities Company. The survey includes reports from the nine operating districts of the company, and covers forty-nine West Texas counties.

Indications are that the 1931 wheat, small grain and feed crops will be far above average, and although but little cotton is planted as yet, the excellent condition of the top and subsoils gives promise of yields considerably above normal.

A consensus of opinions from the various sections served by the company places the wheat and feed crop yields at from twenty-five to thirty per cent above normal during 1931. In the Panhandle section, wheat is the main crop, while the abundant feed will be beneficial to all sections of the territory.

The report points out that while trade and collections are still far below normal, a slight improvement has been noted throughout the territories—chiefly apparent in the trade territories of San Angelo, Quanah, McCamey and Dalhart. This improvement should become more rapid as confidence in 1931 crop conditions grows more widespread. Retail trade has picked up perceptibly during the past thirty days.

The survey concludes with the optimistic observance that with favorable weather conditions during the spring and summer, a good cotton, wheat and feed crop seems assured. Even though prices remain low, a large crop will give remunerative employment to thousands of men and put large amounts of money into circulation. Prospects for 1931, despite the shortage of ready money due to three consecutive years of crop failures, are more encouraging than at any time during the past two years.

Denver Road Breaks Rule For Local Teacher

Through trains never stop at Ashtola, at least no one remembers when they did. In order to spend the week end with her mother, Mrs. Nora McMurtry, her daughter, Miss Frances McMurtry hailed the train at Ashtola Saturday and was surprised when she stepped aboard and found the road had broken a rule of all time in her behalf.

Miss Frances is one of the popular faculty of the Ashtola schools and appears to be just as popular with the railroad employees who are eager to be accommodating to school 'marms'.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the beautiful flowers, consoling songs, the kindness of the Goodwill Club, the T. E. L. Sunday school class, the kind words of the ministers and any who in any way helped us to bear our burden of grief.

- Mrs. Maggie Hopkins.
- Mr. and Mrs. Karl Adams.
- Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McConnell.
- Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Glasscock.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Williams.
- Mr. and Mrs. Siler Hopkins.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hopkins.
- Mrs. Glenn Kirby of Jerich visited Mrs. W. A. Land Tuesday.

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1930 NEEDLE CLUB
The 1930 Needle Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Earnest Hunt as hostess.

The members enjoyed the afternoon with wholesome conversation and needle work.

An appetizing refreshment was served by the hostess at the close of the busy session.

Those present were Mesdames Clarence Whitlock, Alvin Landers, Marvin Land, Turner Kirby, Don Martin, Buster Vaughn, Ray Couch, Grimsley, Carl Peabody.

MRS. H. RUDDELL ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Harry Ruddell entertained with a bridge party at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Following the games, a lovely refreshment was served to the following members: Mesdames W. J. Greene, C. C. Powell, W. W. Taylor, U. J. Boston, D. O. Stallings, M. M. Noble, C. E. Killough, H. B. Kerbow, Eva Rhodes.

Mrs. Fred Buntin and Mrs. B. L. Jenkins, Jr. were guests for the afternoon.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. James Trent was hostess to the members of the Tuesday Afternoon bridge club when she entertained the ladies with two tables of bridge at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Dainty tulips of many hues were used for decoration.

The color scheme of orchid and pink was used and the plate favors were pansy pot plants.

A lovely two-course refreshment was served to the following: Mesdames C. H. Bugbee, Odos Caraway, W. H. Cook, W. H. Martin, L. S. Bagby, Sella Gentry, Mrs. C. G. Stricklin was a guest of the Club.

MOTHERS' CLUB

The Mothers' Club met in the Club Room Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. M. Patman, Mrs. Eva Draffin, Mrs. W. W. Taylor, Mrs. J. R. Porter, Mrs. T. H. Ellis, Mrs. W. C. McDonald and Mrs. Will Johnson entertaining.

A one o'clock luncheon was served in two courses during which time a program was rendered.

New officers were introduced by the President, Mrs. Eva Draffin.

The Club Room was beautifully decorated with pot plants, ferns and tulips. Each table had for center piece orchid and pink sweet peas, the same color being used in place cards.

This was the last meeting of the club year.

Those present were Mesdames Fred Buntin, H. T. Burton, Bill Bromley, J. M. Baez, U. J. Boston, J. D. Swift, R. E. Paxson, L. Thoraberry, T. D. Nored, Y. E. Mc Adams, C. J. Douglas.

Special guests were Mesdames P. P. Atteberry, G. A. Ryan, Buel Sanford, Kelly Chamberlain, F. A. Stocking, H. B. Naylor, J. G. Sherman, Manley Ozier.

PATHFINDER CLUB

The Pathfinder Club will meet in regular session at the Club Room Friday afternoon at 3:30.

MISS EUNICE JOHNSON IS PRESENTED

The Speech Arts Department of Clarendon College directed by Mrs. Rita Foster Stocking presented Miss Eunice Johnson in "The Straw", a play in three acts at the College Auditorium Tuesday evening.

The talent and training of Miss Johnson was just as pleasing in the role of the leading lady in this play as when appearing in readings on numerous occasions the past few years. She is one of the Panhandle's most gifted young ladies in this particular art in which she has elected to specialize.

ALPHA DELTA PSI HAS PARTY

The Alpha Delta literary Society met in its last meeting Wednesday night in the home of Miss Lodi Green. Bridge and forty-two were enjoyed during earlier part of evening, after which the business session was held. During business session, Ansel Barton was elected president during summer. Nova Cook was elected secretary and treasurer. Lovely refreshments of punch and cookies were served during the games.

COLLEGE PICNIC

Wednesday being College Day all the students of the Clarendon Junior College enjoyed and outing at Troublesome and J. A.

Wednesday morning was spent at Troublesome where they played games and did other things. Then a delicious lunch was eaten. Then they motored to the J. A. headquarters, where they were in time to enjoy the round-up of the J. A. Ranch. They returned home about 5:30.

GOODWILL CLUB

Mrs. Melvin Cook was a charming hostess when she entertained the members and a few friends of the Goodwill Club at her home Thursday afternoon with a Kid Party.

Mrs. Blanton played the role of an old-time grandmother, while she was attended by her granddaughter, Mary who proved to be Mrs. R. Y. King. Grandmother Haile was the great aunt of Mary. Mary made the most of being properly chaperoned and proudly introduced her relatives as the guests arrived.

The old timers were much excited and greatly disgusted at the modern dress. Grandmother Haile was voted the best reader of the evening.

Mrs. St. Johnson the best dancer, Mrs. R. Y. King the best old-fashioned girl, and Mrs. T. D. Nored the cutest little girl.

Each guest was dressed as a little girl and their pranks, fun and frolic was a scream from start to finish.

A young man appeared on the scene and the grandmother dragged her granddaughter from the room. Later she appeared dressed as a flapper and seemed quite interested in the young man.

The "Rural Belle" a one act play was presented by Mr. Phifer Estlack and Miss Nova Cook. It was enjoyed and appreciated by all present. A plate lunch was served to the following:

Mesdames Don Martin, T. D. Nored, Cecil Longley, Elmer Jones, Hick Johnson, Fred Russell, Will Johnson, Si Johnson, Johnnie Johnson, Lucian Bones, R. Y. King, Leslie Carsile, H. Shoffet, W. B. Haile, Blanton, J. E. Mongole, F. O. Wood, J. C. Estlack, S. G. Phelps, Grandmother Haile, Miss Mabel Mongole, Miss Lucille Yates and Mrs. A. O. Yates.

Mr. Phifer Estlack, Miss Nova Cook, Miss Emma Lee Johnson and the hostess.

LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB

The annual reception of the Beaux Arts Club, with the Junior Beaux Arts Club as joint hostesses was held Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. T. H. Ellis.

In the receiving line stood Mrs. Grace Palmer of Amarillo, the guest of honor, and the present and past presidents of the club, Mrs. T. H. Ellis, Mrs. J. W. Evans and Mrs. Homer Glascoe.

On the walls of the reception rooms hung an exhibit of oil paintings and etchings executed by prominent artists of the Panhandle. The subjects of these sketches consisted for the most part of still life objects, but there were several beautiful western landscapes, and some personal sketches.

Tables presided over by the young ladies of the Junior Art club were exhibits of the various articles which had been made objects of study from time to time—pottery, old china, pewter, Sheffield silver and hand-made lace.

The rooms were decorated with vases of gorgeous tulips and favors in the form of dainty bouquets of wild flowers were presented to the guests by Mrs. L. S. Bagby. Refreshments consisted of cake and ice cream in the shape and color of the club flower, a white daisy with yellow center.

A large number of local guests, with some out-of-town visitors, enjoyed the exhibits as well as the social feature of the occasion.

JOHN BEVERLY HOPKINS

John Beverly Hopkins, age 22 years, 6 months and 29 days died in a sanitarium at El Paso April 30th.

His body was brought here to be buried beside that of his father who passed away 13 years ago. The funeral service was conducted at the Baptist Church at 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

Rev. C. E. Lancaster, pastor of the Baptist Church at Pampa had charge of the services assisted by Rev. B. N. Shepherd, pastor of the Baptist Church here, and Rev. Tom Brabblan, pastor of the Pampa Methodist Church.

Two brothers and four brothers-in-law acted as pall bearers.

Over a hundred out-of-town friends were here for the last rites attesting to the standing of the young man where he was best known.

He attended school at Terrell, Texas and later at Oklahoma City where his health began to fail

some four years ago.

Surviving him are his mother, Mrs. Maggie Hopkins of Pampa, four sisters, Mrs. Roger McConnell and Mrs. R. B. Glasscock of Pampa, Mrs. Ewing Williams of Spearman and Mrs. Karl Adams of Clarendon.

His brothers are Siler and Jim Hopkins, both of whom reside at Pampa.

To the bereaved and friends was the fact that the body was placed in a surface burial vault manufactured here by the Panhandle Vault Company, sealed with a granite cover where the name might be carved on the top instead of a monument, as is the usual custom.

WIN ONE S. S. CLASS

The members of the Win One Sunday school class of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. C. D. McDowell Monday afternoon. Mrs. R. C. Weatherly assisted Mrs. McDowell in entertaining.

Mrs. R. Y. King led in the devotional service.

After a brief business session during which time committee reports were heard, a social hour followed with refreshments.

Mrs. J. T. Patman will entertain the class in their next meeting.

YOUNG MATRONS

Mrs. Lillian Brady and Mrs. Harrison Simpson were joint hostesses in entertaining the Young Matrons Sunday school class at the home of Mrs. Brady Thursday afternoon, fourteen being present.

Tulips in a wide range of color were used for decoration.

After the business session, games of 42 were played until late when a lovely refreshment was served.

Those present included the teacher, Mrs. E. P. Shelton and Mesdames B. C. Antrobus, Ben Andis, O. C. Watson, H. L. McElvany, C. E. Bairfield, B. F. Kirtley, H. D. Toomb, James Haile.

Guests were Mesdames Stark, L. B. Chunn, W. T. Hayter, C. E. Miller.

KILL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

Mrs. G. H. McCleskey entertained the members of the Club at her home Thursday afternoon.

After a short business session, needle work and conversation was enjoyed after which the hostess served lovely refreshments. Parasols were used for plate favors being an appropriate reminder of April showers.

Those present were Mesdames W. A. Land, Buel Sanford, W. B. Sims, Eva Draffin, W. A. Massie, E. H. Noland, Joe Cluck, W. C. Stewart, S. W. Lowe, F. L. Goldston, F. O. Wood, W. J. Greene.

Guests: Mesdames R. C. Weatherly, Frank Simmons, Joe Goldston, E. C. Herd, and Master Billie Lowe

1926 BOOK CLUB

The 1926 Book Club met in the Club Room Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Paul Smithy and Miss Fray Stallings as hostesses.

Program subject was based on Little Theatre movement.

A one-act play entitled "The

Flattering Word" written by Geo. Kelly was presented by Mesdames Harlan Naylor, Allan J., Bryan, Manly Ozier, O. T. Smith and Miss Fray Stallings.

The hostesses served dainty refreshments during the social hour.

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C. H. D. CLUB

The members of the Clarendon Club met at the home of Mrs. C. L. Benson Friday afternoon, Mrs. O. L. Fink, the president, presiding over a business meeting.

Mrs. T. R. Broun, the secretary, gave interesting instruction in the preparation and keeping of records for the purpose of making reports.

Following the business session, Miss Buttrill demonstrated on clothing and straw hats.

A dainty salad course was served the hostess to the following: Mesdames J. A. Tomb, M. T. Crabtree, T. R. Broun, A. H. Baker, J. M. Acord, C. E. Lindsey, J. D. Stocking, L. A. Reavis, J. C. Estlack, S. B. Arnold, H. J. Edgington, J. A. Meaders, O. L. Fink, Major Hudson, J. E. Ware, W. D. Van Eaton, Miss Katie Meaders, Miss Martha Buttrill.

MRS. BRUMLEY HONORED

Mrs. Rolle Brumley and Mrs. Joe Goldston entertained their mother, Mrs. Harry Brumley with a surprise birthday party Thursday April 30, 1931.

Needle work and progressive conversation was the main source of entertainment. Jokes were passed and read—much to the enjoyment of the guests. Mrs. Goldston read a poem to "mother" after

which master John Carrol Brumley presented his grandmother with the lovely gifts.

A dainty two-course luncheon was served, yellow tulpi being used as favors. This being Mrs. A. T. Cole's birthday, she was presented with a bouquet of yellow tulips much to her surprise.

HEDLEY

Mrs. B. M. Davis and daughter Miss Jessie were shopping in Clarendon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burden and daughter Hilda Ruth from Shamrock visited in the Earnest Eads home Sunday.

Mrs. Buford Bill from Estelline visited Thursday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Moreman.

The members of the Hedley Golf Club are practicing regularly these days in preparation for the Greenbelt Tournament which is to be held in Clarendon soon. A very enthusiastic group took part in the local tournament which was held one day this week. Competition being close in each match a lot of good practice was gained. With the election of new officers and the course in good condition the club here is growing in interest every day.

Miss Joyce Jester from Floydada is the house guest of Miss Helen Moore here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kutch from Wellington spent the week end in the home of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mann.

H. Mobley returned Friday from a short vacation spent in points in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston from Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boston from Pampa spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boston Sr.

Mrs. Ethel McEwen left Monday for an extended visit with relatives and friends in Paris, Texas. Mrs. Matthew Allen returned Sunday from a few weeks visit

with relatives in Dalas and San Angelo.

J. A. Pirtle made a business trip to Wichita Falls Monday.

Dr. Webb received a message Sunday that his father was seriously ill at his home in Quanah.

The Freshmen class presented a very enjoyable program in chapel Tuesday morning. A number of visitors were present.

May 1st has been designated as Junior Day in Hedley High school. The day was observed by an enthusiastic group of Juniors with a picnic at Troublesome canyon where a picnic lunch was spread.

Other sports characteristic of such celebrations were enjoyed the remainder of the day. A great time was reported by all who are fortunate enough to be one of the jolly group of Juniors. Mrs. Nowlin sponsor, Mr. Covey principal and Mrs. Covey accompanied them.

On Monday evening May 4, Evelyn Alexander entertained the Juniors and a number of Seniors with a party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alexander. A number of games were played. The chief diversion of the evening was the fued between Juniors and Seniors, however it was a friendly fued and enjoyed by each one.

The baccalaureate sermon for the Seniors of Hedley High school will be held in the auditorium on Sunday, May 10, at 2:30 p. m. It will be preached by Rev. Merrell of Clarendon, presiding elder of this district.

WILLIAMS-BURDINE
Mr. W. W. Williams and Miss Lou Ellen Burdine were united in marriage on Sunday May 3, at 3:30 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. V. A. Hansard officiated.

The groom is a prominent citizen of Amarillo. The bride is the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Burdine. She was a graduate of the 1929 class of Hedley High school. She is a loyal member of the Hedley Missionary Baptist church and a good worker in the Sunday school. Her presence will be greatly missed by the church and a host of friends who wish them an abundance of good luck and happiness in their new life.

Isaac Griffin Dies Near Littlefield Recently

The many friends of Isaac Griffin, formerly well known and highly respected citizen of the Hedley section, will regret to hear of his death near Littlefield recently, to which place he moved in April, 1930.

His death was due to pneumonia. His seven brothers were with him at the time of his death. He was also a brother of F. M. Griffin who now lives near Giles.

Geo. C. Jones becomes the owner of the Lester Stevens place south of town this week by purchase. The consideration is said to have been \$1000. This place consists of the home, good chicken houses, and a block of land located near the Arthur E. Benson farm.

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Temple of Truth
By the Apostle



Migosh! Now Sam Lowe is talking hard times. Eggs keep coming in. Quite a number have phoned in and complained about the muddy roads keeping them away and have asked for an extension of time. They get the extension alright for if any one feels sorry for a muddy road, I do. So many people cuss that kind of a road.

The egg idea is going over big. Don't know when we will close it now. It depends on the rain, and the rain regulates travel and the folks just have to have a chance to bring them in. Quite a few are grown here in town, but the big bulk of them have come from Windy Valley to Goodnight, and from Brice to Alanreed.

Keep bringing in the eggs, folks, we believe in helping our neighbors at every opportunity, and while we are giving you a twenty cent deal on them, you ought to be getting thirty in cash. The big packing houses handle the most of the eggs you sell and also regulate the price. Very few of us own a packing house so we have to take whatever we can get.

And say, folks, if you are going to change school teachers, I happen to know a young man who is well qualified, and of the plain, sensible type who wants a school. He does not chew, smoke, get drunk or throw wild parties, but he will and has fought when imposed upon. If you want a practical school teacher, let me know. I'll vouch for him making good. He was raised in a Sunday school, knows basketball and football and will be a live wire in your community.

A man told me today that he had vaccinated his hogs and if he had enough money, he would have his kids vaccinated against smallpox. Hogs are worth something and will be high this fall. Don't know so much about the price of children.

A lady here in town proposes to take care of little tots for twenty-five cents for the first hour and ten cents for each hour thereafter. All I got to say is that while I would feel mighty sorry for her, there ought to be a bunch around town rounded up and turned over to her right now.

Yes, and some one was in and said that after reading all the rural news in the Leader he was of the opinion that they didn't do anything but visit. Well dad blame it, he could go home and start something that might lead to a visit too. These folks who send in the news items do the best they can. If nothing happens, there is nothing to report. Every word while happening should be reported to the correspondent in that respective community.

A preacher who hunts rabbits and other big game reports that he killed a jack rabbit ten miles away. Or it might have been a tenth of a mile. Anyway, J. W. Sullivan was with him and he is expected to save the day by backing up the preacher's stories.

We have a "chair" for this and a "chair" for that in our larger schools. Why not a "chair" to teach us how to laugh. At least how to look pleasant. Just thought of that because a man just now told me that a certain merchant was so disgruntled and sour all the time that he did not ever want to go into his place of business again.

And say, another man wants poetry. Am trying hard to find a market for poetry. Announcement is made in the Terry County Herald, Brownfield, Texas that the editor, Jack Stricklin wants poetry. He is "some" poet himself, but wants others to print.

A lady wants to know if we believe in clubs for women. Certainly do lady if kindness fails.

Of all the doggone mean things! Listen to this! Mrs. O. V. Anderson who is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Williams at the section House was at the celebration at the Odd Fellow hall Thursday night. She left her purse, a prized gift, in the car. While she was in the hall some one stole her purse and contents.

The thief ought to mail the purse back to her. Or if it is brought to me at the Leader office, I will not say a word more about it and will take the purse to the owner. Perhaps the one who got it is sorry of it now and will see that she gets it back. Women prize gifts, and besides, that is no way for Clarendon folks to treat a visitor? I am just as sorry she lost it as can be. Let's see that she gets it back.

Oh yes, Mrs. Whipple Reid has her purse back that she advertised for last week. Mr. A. B. Bynum of Lelia Lake found it and reading the advertisement Wednesday, he called me and told me about having it. Nothing beats our Classified Column for finding the lost.

The Apostle has been a busy human since this egg business started. If he had only the pleasure of the visiting with the folks to show for it, he would be satisfied. There is nothing like meeting up with your neighbors, and we found out a lot about the folks of three counties as they brought in eggs and were kind enough to spend some time in talking over affairs in which they were interested.

I'm a paralyzed hot tomale agent if the folks are not profiting from the depression. Lots of them talk of living more at home and of laying up more when times get ripe again.

J. J. Seago, who lives near Goldston was in Saturday with ten dozen eggs and related an instance of having moved back to the black land belt at one time since living here. He don't stay long, sold out and got back to high ground. "When decent times get back I'm going to let all of 'em spend like we used to if they want to, but as for me I have learned a lesson and intend to save up something" was his parting statement as he got ready to go back to see about his Jersey cows and chickens that have been his main stay through this spell.

It's all off folks, it's all off. The Apostle ain't going to be any kind of a ramrod for the street dance the 4th of July. The dance will likely be held but some one else will likely have to fiddle, call and round up. The Arkansawites who had been going barefooted all the week to toughen up for the job have been notified. It's all the Apostle can do to hold membership in the Gully Jumpers, Ridge Runners, Hound Dog Singin' Association, Bung Starters and other clubs and he can't fool with nothin' else.

If there is any one that I fear, it is just two men: One calls you brother on a snort acquaintance and the other slips you on the back and offers special bargains on a shorter acquaintance.

The Yo-Yo went the way of the Do-Do. Business went to the same place. Mrs. A. L. Allen who lives at Ashtola honored us with a visit Tuesday. Mrs. Allen is busy all the time and what's more she is a business woman. It would be worth a lot to other women to hear her tell how she knows and buys bargains. She told the Apostle that she liked the Leader better than any weekly she had ever read and had no criticism to offer. Well, that makes a fellow feel like he has done something when he can print a paper that pleases plain sensible folks, not that they are hard to please, but they know what they like, and the Leader is it.

Now a fellow who believes that heaven is older than the earth, and that the earth has been wobbling around through space five hundred million years, wants to know if the bonds have been paid off that were floated when the streets of heaven were plated with gold. "I'll swear I don't know."

And say, here is an invitation to join the Skillet Lickers. Will we join? We will not! The only skillet owned by the Apostle forced him to keep a hound dog to keep it clean, and he was sick half the time. A hound dog is the bumest property in the dry land belt that ever howled on four legs. More people have died from the effects of skillet fried chuck than any other one thing. Join 'em? Never!!

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GOLDSTON

A large attendance was out to Sunday school Sunday afternoon. Bro. Camel of Hedley filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning but services were postponed Sunday night due to illness in the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely Hudson and little son, Allan Dwayne of Chamberlain visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dyer are rejoicing over a 8½ pound boy. The baby has been given the name Bobby Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas and family of Clarendon were guests in the L. J. Goldston home Sunday afternoon.

Literary Society met Tuesday night April the 28th. A short program was given Friday. After the program those present enjoyed a 42 party.

Y. E. McAdams and family were visitors in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. M. W. Hatley who has been at the bedside of her niece, Mrs. Bill Broom of Amarillo for the past week returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Bryson and son of Chamberlain visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hurn.

Four games of baseball were played this week. The scores were as following: Lelia Lake 7, Goldston 6; Hopkins 1, Goldston 8; Clarendon 4, and Goldston 10. The second team also defeated Hopkins second team Friday afternoon.

Floyde Shannon and family of Martin visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Grant Thursday.

Bonnie Wade underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owens and family of Jericho visited in the J. D. Pope home over the week end.

Mrs. J. J. Seago is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mixon and little son, Claude Allan visited Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Murff and family of Brice Sunday.

Mattie Rhodes, a teacher in the Bethel school returned home Sunday her school being out Friday for this term.

Mr. Wilson Gray motored to Amarillo Monday to return his daughter, Cleo, who is to visit with him awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Duckworth of Brownfield visited relatives here Thursday and Friday.

WINDY VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Tims of Chamberlain spent Sunday in the home of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Harlin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kavanaugh and daughter, Patsie, and Allen Kavanaugh were Shamrock visitors Saturday.

The young folks enjoyed a party in the Henry Stogner home Saturday night.

Miss Virgie Skinner of Clarendon spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rainey.

Mr. Oscar Morgan of Amherst is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovett Noble visited in the J. R. Hillman home Sunday.

Mrs. Betty Black and daughter, Cecia, visited friends at Quail Sun, afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mills visited Mrs. Mills parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bowling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Cottingham of Lelia Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Lyons and family Friday.

Miss Ruby Hahn of Clarendon spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Ayers.

LELIA LAKE

Grandma Baggett, who has been with her granddaughter, Mrs. Jim Rogers, in Lubbock, the past few months returned home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds meeting her in Amarillo.

All our present teachers, save one, have accepted the school for another year. We regret losing Miss Lucy Stogner from our teaching force, she having accepted school work elsewhere. Miss Stogner has been with us four years, and is a valuable English teacher.

The Bridge Club met Wednesday with Mrs. Willard Knox, at which time the Club showered Mrs. Bert Smith, who recently lost her home and contents by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis and daughter, Louise, visited their daughter, Mrs. Rex Reeves of Lela Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph of Lefors, visited his sister, Mrs. C. L. Lewis, last week.

Bert Mayfield shipped out two cars of hogs Wednesday, bought of local hog raisers.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Brewer of Granite, Okla., visited in the J. B. Reynolds home a hort while Tues. P. M. Cruse and wife took dinner with R. I. McGowan and wife of Clarendon Tuesday.

Thursday afternoon, Goldston and Lelia Lake met in one of the peppiest ball games of the season. After nine innings the score stood even, and in the hotly contested tenth, Lelia won by a score. This, we understand, was the first defeat for Goldston of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rice of Claude visited in the Holly Wood home Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Cook of Amarillo is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. L. Kennedy.

Miss Edna Wood, accompanied by Miss Iva Carruth visited Miss Wood's mother, Grandma Wood Sunday. Miss Edna teaches at Shamrock.

Mrs. H. H. Grounds of Amarillo visited in the W. L. Butler home Sunday.

W. L. Butler and Mrs. Butler attended the funeral of John Hopkins, Sunday. Mr. Hopkins died in El Paso, we understand.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rutter of Hereford, spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Aten, parents of Mrs. Rutter.

"The Galloping Princess," presented here Friday night by the senior class was well rendered and greatly enjoyed.

Out of town guests of Miss Moody Kennedy Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kennedy, Mrs. T. B. Lumpkin, Miss Elma Smith of Clarendon; Mr. Walter Hillyer of Wellington, and Miss Leuce Batson of Memphis.

"The Tom Thumb Wedding," with other numbers, will be presented by the Primary grade Friday eve, May 8.

Miss Lena Simmons and mother, of Berger were callers in the home of Mrs. Nobles and Miss Stogner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cottingham and son, Bobbie of Plainview visited Mrs. W. S. Noble last week.

Mrs. Lester McKinney and daughter, Erlene of Eestelline visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dotson over the week end.

Mr. A. A. Smith and family, Mrs. O. A. Smith of Martin together with Mr. and Mrs. Seth of Lelia Lake visited in the home of Mrs. Noble and Miss Stogner Sunday.

Fishing is the order of the day at Lelia Lake these days. Good catches of the several kinds of fish in Mr. Taylor's lakes are being reported daily.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Turner returned Monday of last week from Des Moines, New Mexico.

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

Mrs. Johnny Gerner and Miss Hill entertained the fifth grade a few hours at the camp ground Friday eve. After playing games and having a jolly good time they were served ice cream and cake.

Mrs. Cleo Key of Panhandle is visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Keys.

Several Speak to Juniors During Boys' Week

Several business men of the town spoke to the boys of Junior High School last week. Judge A. T. Cole spoke to the Seniors at the College.

Those speaking to the Juniors were Rev. W. E. Ferrell, pastor of the First Christian church who spoke Tuesday. Dr. B. L. Jenkins spoke to them Wednesday. Tom F. Connally, grain dealer, addressed them Thursday. J. C. Estlack of the Donley County Leader spoke to them Friday afternoon.

Mrs. O. D. Meador of Hudgins paid her respects to the Leader office Tuesday. She reports field planting in full swing in her neighborhood at this time.

Druggist Employs a Novel Method of Advertising

Jack B. Jones of the Clarendon Drug store has been using a novel method of advertising his cosmetics carried in stock.

He not only supplied the 'make up' for a number of rural school plays where a number of different kinds were used, but goes even farther in supplying the 'remover' following the act.

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Competent and unbiased authorities have figured that in ironing an average family laundry the housewife pushes her iron a distance of over five miles, and lifts an accumulative weight of over five tons! Amazing, isn't it?

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Find out how effortless, how inexpensive in operation these modern electric ironers really are. The Fedelco Ironers are considered the finest available—drop in and see them today.

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Large Audience Hears Spring Concert Thursday Night

MacDowell Club Honors Week of Music Festivals At College Auditorium

The MacDowell Spring Concert, although given a few days in advance, was to observe Music Week which is being observed nationally during the week of May 3 to 10th.

The program was a success from every standpoint. The program was splendid and the attendance large, the audience was as responsive and enthusiastic as the most temperamental artist could desire.

Both the Memphis guest artists and home talent were at their best and the friendly spirit of rivalry made each group put forth extra effort to please. It would be difficult to state which numbers were most pleasing to the large number who were present on this occasion.

The High School Orchestra was most pleasing and a distinct addition to the program. The group of Southern melodies, with wigs and costumes in keeping, had a direct appeal.

The link connecting the old and the new was best illustrated in a playlet, "The Girl of Today", which showed to advantage the wonderful present day opportunities.

The duets of the visiting artists were filled with color and displayed to advantage their voices and dramatic ability. The colorful Spanish number was greeted with so much applause that it called for an encore.

The male quartet was filled with harmony and made a distinct hit, as also did the song specialties which showed cleverness and ingenuity.

The piano and vocal solos bespoke the real feeling and finish of the artist and the Irish and negro dancers were enthusiastically received.

The MacDowell choruses were very pleasing and showed much careful training on the part of the Director, as well as ability of individual members.

Following the program, a delightful reception was given at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry. An informal program was rendered, while a spirit of fun and frolic prevailed.

The members of the MacDowell Club are deeply appreciative of the ready response of the public for the many kindnesses shown them, and for the many kind acts that helped to make of this affair a success.

Over Two Hundred Attend Lodge Celebration

Rev. W. E. Ferrell was the principal speaker and F. O. Wood master of ceremonies at a joint celebration of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at their lodge hall here Thursday night.

Excellent music was furnished by Sam Roberts with his violin, accompanied on piano by Mrs. Dick Eichelberger, and Rice Batson on the guitar.

The Rebekahs looked after the banquet part of the program with plenty and to spare. The program lasted until a late hour and drew an attendance of over two hundred for many miles around. This annual celebration was the 112th for the Odd Fellow order.

G. G. Kemp attended to business in New Mexico last week.

Memphis Checker Tourn'ment Interests Home Men

The first checker tournament to be held at Memphis Saturday was a big day for the boys who play the game.

Prizes were offered by the business men of the town, and a silver cup promised next year if the event was made an annual affair. Three prizes were offered at this time, each being goods from the stores and of real value.

R. M. Hagan of Memphis won first; Tom Rich of Memphis second; Dan Latimer of Hedley third; and F. M. Guinn drew consolation consisting of socks, ties and a checker board as an intimation that he needed practice.

Those attending from here were Fat Longan, H. Fitzgerald, I. O. Noble and J. H. Morris. Dan Latimer and J. Less Hawkins of Hedley were also on the job.

Of the local players, I. O. Noble is said to have led the bunch giving Dan Latimer a close race for third prize. Morris did not enter contest as a matter of fairness as he was once champion of the state.

Faculty of Lelia Lake School Offered Positions Again

Only Changes Made Are In Grades; More Medals Are Won in League Meet

The entire corps of teachers for Lelia Lake was re-elected for another term and they have all accepted with one exception. W. V. Thomasson is Supt. of the school, and with splendid co-operation of all teachers has had a very progressive year. Mrs. Thomasson will next year teach High school English, a position held this year by Miss Lucy Stogner, who goes to Adrian next year. Other teachers are: Mr. Dave Waldron, Prin. and Coach; Miss Nan Potter, Math and Spanish; Misses Vera Garland, Eula Bess Hill and Mr. Robert Weatherly, Intermediate; Miss Layma Taylor, second Primary, and Miss Lorene Stogner, First Primary.

Lelia Lake has enjoyed a very successful school year. More medals were won in Interscholastic League work than ever before; many excellent plays and programs have been given; Parent-Teachers has had a very good attendance; the school exhibit was a credit to the faculty and students. Many improvements have been made and all indications are that next year may accomplish much in an educational way.

Veazey's Invention Meets Approval Business Men

B. F. Veazey, well known locally being formerly identified with the grocery trade of Clarendon some months ago, has placed on the market a bag rack of his own invention.

The invention is designed to fill a long felt need of those who conduct a business requiring paper bags. The holder enables one to 'grab' off a bag at a loss of no time with plenty more ready.

Rev. J. A. Birnbaum, pastor of the Lutheran church at Vernon, stopped here today visiting his friend Fred W. Rathjen.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Quatlebaum of Amarillo visited relatives here over the weekend.

Congressman And Mayor Are Both Here Wednesday

Congressman Marvin Jones and Mayor Earnest Thompson of Amarillo came down Wednesday afternoon mixing business with pleasure, or at least the Mayor had business and Mr. Jones merely came along to visit with his many friends here.

One Way Bus Picks Up Five Men Here Monday

Bud Russell's assistant stopped here Monday afternoon with the "one way" bus and took aboard five men who are to spend short sentences in the pen.

Those leaving at this time were Bob White, 2 years on forgery case; Homer Reed, booze manufacture conviction 1 year; Claude Horn, forgery, 2 years; W. F. Brown, burglary, 2 years.

Brown is the party who was alleged to have been taken at Lelia after robbing the John Howard store, being caught in the act.

Leonard McCullum, the only negro in the bunch, went down for a year on a chicken theft charge. The colored race cannot realize that it is a crime to set chickens after a custom over several centuries.

Leonard had several of his race on hand to bid him goodbye, good luck and some even suggested good advice. Some cried, others laughed, but it was the usual crowd for the colored race always makes a "law" case an event in their lives.

Pastor of Christian Church Tenders Resignation

Rev. W. E. Ferrell, pastor of the First Christian church of Clarendon for the past fourteen months, tendered his resignation to the Church Board Wednesday night of this week, the resignation to become effective not later than July 1st.

Rev. Ferrell has accepted a position as Field Manager for the "Bible Expositor" for the state of North Carolina, which is also his birth state. He will maintain headquarters at New Bern for the first few months.

His resignation will come as a surprise and will be looked upon with universal regret by members of his church, and the large number of friends of this city who have realized his worth as a minister and as a civic worker since he took the work here.

Mrs. Dick Hughes of Pampa visited relatives here over the week.

Earl Smith came down from Pampa to spend Sunday with home folks.

Claude Pyle Again Enters Service Station Line

The present partnership is composed of Cecil W. Smith and Claude Pyle, both well known hustlers. They are equipped to render any modern day service to be had at a first-class filling station. They will also handle all the Sinclair products consisting of gas, oils and greases. Car laundering, gear flushing and greasing jobs will be made a specialty.

Business Men Want Peabody Back on Job Again

Following the suspension of Constable C. M. Peabody from the position of night watchman, a petition was circulated Thursday in an effort to ascertain the sentiment of the business men of the town who help pay the salary of a night watchman.

Every business man who had an opportunity to sign, except two, got on the dotted line asking that Peabody again be placed on the night force. The petition bore about a hundred names and included names of men who are interested in buildings or a business on the principal streets.

Clifford Allison is Cashier McLean Banking House

Clifford Allison, son of Mrs. J. L. Allison of this city, and for some three years identified with the Donley County State bank, and later the First State bank of Hedley until merged with the Guaranty State bank, has accepted a position as cashier of the American National Bank of McLean.

He began in his new position on the first of the month. No young man stands higher in the estimation of the citizens of Clarendon than he and no one is better qualified to fill this position of responsibility and trust.

A. M. Beville is with relatives in Amarillo.

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Clarendon Band to Present First Summer Concert

The first presentation of the Clarendon Band with Gus B. Stevenson directing, will be heard at the old Grammar School building next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p. m.

While the principal numbers will be played by the regular band, Mr. Stevenson announces that the Junior band will be given an opportunity to show the public what the younger musicians can do in the way of popular music.

This will be the last number complimentary to National Music Week. The Band was a special feature on the program presented by the MacDowell club at the College Auditorium Thursday night. The Band also took a prominent part in the musical festival at Pampa Wednesday.

No admission is charged for these public concerts. The entire public is invited to attend and enjoy the presentations. These concerts were very popular last season with a goodly attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McClelland of Oklahoma City arrived Monday to be with his mother who is a patient at Adair hospital.

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

Mrs. Claude Brown and her friend, Miss Ross, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin Friday night.

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

CHILDREN'S NURSERY—24 hour service. Phone 365. 7tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—The 1st of May. Unfurnished home with modern conveniences. Call 912-C. Mrs. Monica Harvey. 8tfc.

LOST

LOST—Long pair white kid gloves on street of Clarendon Saturday. Please call 89 or 386. 9c.

LOST Lady's brown purse from car parked in front of Thompson Candy Kitchen Thursday night. Contained address of 571 West Douglas street, Wichita, Kansas. Property of Mrs. O. V. Anderson at the Section House here. Please return and no questions asked. Prized as a gift. 9p.

LOST—Dark colored horse mule about 15 hands high, smooth

mouth. No brand. Ankle of left fore leg stiff. Phone 918-G. J. H. Hutto, Clarendon. 9tfc

FOR SALE

FRYERS FOR SALE—Pen fed, buttermilk feed, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 pound heavy breeds delivered. Call 147. 9tfc.

FOR SALE—Russell's Big Boll cotton seed. 75c a bushel. Phone 949-A. Forest Sawyer, Clarendon, Texas. 9p.

FOR SALE—I own Lot 10, Block 8, Grant's Addition to Clarendon, but have never seen it. Will sell for small cash payment and monthly or annual terms. What do you offer me for it? Seth Sayles, Box 508, Abilene, Texas. 10p

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Modish and becoming hats made from your material or ours, in our home. Phone 206 for appointment. Harned Sisters, Expert Milliners. 1tfc.

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PINEAPPLE—No. 1 Flats 2 for	25
COFFEE—Woods Special, 2 for	45
ENGLISH PEAS—No. 2 can, 2 for	25
PINK SALMONS—Tall Cans, 2 for	25
POTTED MEAT—Armours, 6 for	25
CRACKERS—Brown's Salted, 2 lbs.	25
KANSAS CREAM FLOUR—48 lbs.	\$1.05
SOAP—P&G or Crystal White, 7 for	25
MILK—6 Baby or 3 tall cans for	25

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