

HIGHWAY MEN ARE INTERESTED IN STATE PARK

State Highway Commission Gives Out Statement Regarding Palo Duro

That it would be a boon to the pleasure of the multitudes of the Panhandle, there is no question. Rich and poor alike will benefit from any development of the canyon.

All Texas is interested in Palo Duro Canyon being converted into a state or national park. It is now up to the civic bodies of the Panhandle to put the matter before the State Highway Commission. There is nothing in the history of Panhandle development that means so much to us as this state park proposition.

The following article appeared in the editorial column of the Star-Telegram Saturday:

The State Highway Commission, at a recent hearing in Austin in connection with designation and improvement of travel routes in the Palo Duro canyon region of the Panhandle, authorized the clearing up of matters related to setting apart a state park in the canyon before certain highway locations were made. The commission's attitude suggests another reason why the project, which has been the dream of years, should be hastened to fruition.

The Palo Duro canyon is one of the most obvious locations for a public playground to be found anywhere in the United States. Its position calls for such a dedication as perhaps no other location does. It is in the center of a vast flat population on farms and in hundreds of miles on all sides, which, while it affords rich and highly accessible agricultural lands to support a great and prosperous country stretching out for hundreds of cities and towns, nevertheless affords little in the way of scenic variety. But here, in the midst of all this, where some ancient force has laid down a tremendous slash in the terrain, nature has made up for its niggardness. Scenic grandeur is here, made all the more effective because of its lack in the surrounding country.

Yet, with all this advantage, Palo Duro today is little known and seldom visited, even by those whose homes are within an easy automobile drive of it. It has not been opened to the public, as has been the case with other regions no more favorably situated. The reason is largely that the ownership of the lands in the region remains in private hands. No public authority has the incentive to incur the expense which is necessary to build roads and otherwise open up the region to public enjoyment.

Conversion of Palo Duro canyon into a state park at once is a worthy community project which should be on the program of all the chambers of commerce and public organizations of the Panhandle and Plains region. From the "home folks" must come the urge and the leadership required to make this dream a reality.

Mrs. N. E. Schott of Brice was a Clarendon shopper Monday.



Mrs. Duke Keys
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COTTON CLEANING MACHINE GETS ATTENTION

Invention of Newlin Man May Revolutionize Ginning Methods and Prices

A new process of cleaning cotton before ginning thru the stands has been invented by F. D. Roan of Newlin, a man of over twenty years experience in the gin business.

A company known as the F. D. Roan Machine Company has been incorporated for the purpose of placing the machine on the market. All of the capital stock has been sold and no more is offered for sale at any price, local men taking all that was offered.

W. E. Nelson, a former Clarendon insurance man is president of the new concern and is also head salesman. C. L. Sloan is vice-president, J. C. Downing is secretary-treasurer. In addition to the above named men of prominence, F. D. Roan and Sam J. Hamilton constitute the board of directors.

A number of gins in the Panhandle have purchased the machine to be installed in time to begin the season of 1929. For the present, these machines will be manufactured at Newlin, present company headquarters.

The machine occupies small space, is practically dustless and removes all foreign matter from the cotton except burrs. The principle of the machine is based on the blowing process, air being forced thru four cylinders controlled by alternating valves. Spikes, beaters and dust extractors clean the cotton sufficiently to enhance the value of the product several cents a pound, so say ginners who have tested out the product passed thru this new invention.

That the machine has merit is beyond question when ginners discard other similar methods practically, new and install the Roan machine. The price of the new machine is much lower than other machines now being used.



Mrs. Walter Wilson
Photo By
ALDERSON STUDIO

Museum Field Man Will Explore in Panhandle

F. A. Johnson field man for the American Museum of Natural History is in the city for the purpose of gathering fossil remains for that institution. Mr. Johnson who is registered at the Antro Hotel expects to work in this section for the next two or three months, and any information from any source as to the location of fossil remains will be gratefully welcomed by the fossil hunter. Mr. Johnson was a member of the American Expedition that entered Mongolia in 1923 under the direction of Dr. Roy Andrews and to him it was accorded the distinction of discovering the only Dinosaur eggs ever found by any expedition. Mr. Johnson states that this discovery dates back in the geological record about ten million years.

With complete equipment and resources of a great Museum behind him Mr. Johnson expects to make some interesting finds in this section which he states is rich in fossil remains.

Mrs. W. L. Moffitt and Mrs. A. M. Bishop of Hedley were here on a shopping tour Monday.

AUTO KILLS BOY NEAR MCKNIGHT SAT. NIGHT

Hit and Run Driver Fatally Injures Lad. Sheriff Has Only Slight Clue

A small son of J. L. Walker was knocked from the car on which he was riding with a number of other children on the highway about a mile west of McKnight Saturday night and almost instantly killed, he having expired in about thirty minutes after receiving the injury.

Those in the car are of the opinion that the driver of the wild car was intoxicated due to the fact that he was alternating across the road. This forced the car in which the Walker boy was riding almost into the bar pit.

The Walker car was occupied by seven Walker children ranging in age from seven to eighteen years. Samuel, the lad who was killed, was standing on the running board when the Walker car was struck. Samuel was knocked to the ground and dragged for a distance of fifty yards. Two of the children ran on home some half mile for help. Others took the injured boy to water in an effort to revive him. When the grief-stricken father arrived, the injured lad was rushed to Hedley for medical attention but died in his father's arms just as they reached town.

The killer was driving a new Ford coupe from the parts picked up on the roadway after the accident. A call was made to the sheriff's office here after some delay. Mr. Mosley called various garages in all nearby and Oklahoma towns without result. Most of Sunday was spent in a search for evidence by Sheriff Mosley and his deputy.

The body was prepared for burial at Hedley and shipped back to Parker county, from which place the family just recently moved.

Tom Messer of Hedley asked the kindly disposed citizens to join him in a free will offering which made it possible for the body to be shipped to the old home. Citizens responded readily much to their credit.

The mother of the Walker children died about a year ago near Weatherford from which place the family had recently moved.

AUTO ACCIDENT VICTIM BURIED HERE MONDAY

Youth Dies From Injuries Received in Car Wreck Near Estelline

While racing on the highway near Estelline Friday, a new car in which Miss Wilma Huddleston and Charles Perdue were riding, overturned crushing the skull of young Perdue rendering him unconscious in which state he remained till his death in an Amarillo hospital Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m.

The young lady was taken to a hospital at Memphis where it was found she had suffered only minor injuries.

The body of the young man was taken to Hedley Monday where funeral services were held, after which interment was had in the Citizens' cemetery at Clarendon.

The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Perdue, prominent citizens of Hedley at which place Charles grew to manhood. A large number of sorrowing friends accompanied the remains to their last resting place signifying the esteem in which the young man was held in his home town.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Merchant returned from Panhandle Friday to which place they had been called due to the serious illness of W. H. Tuttle.

Miss Coye Latson and Miss Isabel Bailey left Saturday for Waco where they will matriculate in Baylor for the summer school.

Mrs. O. T. Smith is enjoying a visit from her father J. E. Encchs and a sister, Mrs. E. V. Horton and Mrs. Louis Shamburger all of Tyler.

ENTHUSIASM IS RAMPANT IN LEADER'S BIG PRIZE SUBSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN

Closing of Big Vote Offer Brings Hundreds of New Subscriptions To Your Donley County Leader - Contestants Votes Soar Into Millions

NAMES	TOWNS	VOTES
Mrs. Duke Keys,		580,800
Mrs. W. A. Wilson,		578,600
Mrs. Zavilla Lynn,		578,000
Miss Dutch Reese,		576,900
Miss Ruby Moffitt,		576,100
Bernice Webb,		576,000
Gladys A. Ewen,		571,800
Eula Allen,		88,800

As the rules of the contest specify that votes can be held in reserve, this vote tabulation does not of necessity mean the actual votes of contestants.

(By Frank Kane)
Your Donley County Leader's

big prize subscription has taken the countryside by storm. From every nook, and corner, the topic of conversation is: "Who will be the winner of the New Dodge Sedan" and be voted the most popular Miss, or Mrs. among those contestants competing for the valuable prizes to be awarded June 29th.

In looking over the vote standings of the contestants it can be said in fairness to each and every contestant, their many friends have surely proved loyal.

Saturday evening at 10 p. m. closed the big vote offering. Hundreds of new subscriptions were placed on the Leader's fast growing subscription list.

Subscriptions came in from the four corners of the Leader's trade territory till in the end, millions of votes have been cast for the contestants.

In the Alnreed territory Miss Dutch Reese is having wonderful success.

Alanreed, McLean, Lefors, and Jericho, are voting as a unit for this popular Miss, who has her heart set on winning the New Dodge Sedan, and high honors.

It might be well for the Clarendon contestants to pay some attention to Miss Dutch Reese, the Alnreed contestant, for she, so the report goes, wont be content till she's seated in the New Dodge Sedan, on the evening of June 29th.

At this writing it looks like the outside contestants will make the Clarendon contestants sit up and take notice as they too, have their hearts set on winning the Dodge Sedan.

In the Hedley district Gladys Adamson Ewen, likewise will bear watching, having broadcasted the news she's out to win the New Dodge Sedan, her many friends are predicting that Hedley will be legion in their desire, the first grand prize will come to their city.

With the vote totals soaring in every issue of the Leader, there's no telling how high the votes will run when the official count has been tabulated by the judges.

As the rules of the campaign state that contestants can hold votes issued on subscriptions, in reserve, the actual vote will not be known until the final count has been made June 29th, the close of

Hedley Man Narrowly Escapes Death Monday Morning

While driving his car across the track near the depot in Hedley Monday morning, J. G. McDougal was suddenly acquainted with the fact that his car had stalled on the track on which an oncoming freight was switching. Before he could make a decision, the train struck the car tearing off the gas tank and back fenders.

Had the car been on the main line, a serious accident would have been inevitable. Mr. McDougal received a bad fright and is ordinarily a very cautious driver even at that.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Holder and daughter Carroll, left for Los Angeles, Cal. Saturday to visit a daughter.

the campaign.

This method precludes the possibility of contestants votes being known only to themselves, that is absolutely fair to one, and all, alike.

Exceptional vote gains were made last week by Mrs. Duke Keys, Miss Ruby Moffitt, and Miss Dutch Reese, of Alnreed.

Not to be denied in the race that they are in to stay, Wilson, Lynn, and Webb, are of the never say die spirit, one has only to glance at their vote standing to appreciate their every efforts.

All in all, it's a wonderful campaign, the writer has been engaged in this sort of circulation work for the past twenty years, and in that time, no greater circulation campaign have I experienced.

The spirit of the contestants is truly wonderful, while it's true the tension is great, they are not that ones to find fault.

To be sure people are responding nobly to subscribing for the Leader as they are called on, for one or more years.

With votes granted on subscription orders that will decide the winners of the various prizes, there wont be any let up to the canvass until every mothers son is seen.

Coming into the second vote period the contestants are aware of the fact that they have built a nice foundation of votes.

That they may keep it intact, everyday hence will find them as busy as can be getting their share of subscriptions to the Donley County Leader.

Ballew & Noble, Dodge Brothers Dealers, have informed the Leader office that they will have a brand new Dodge Brothers Sedan, on hand to be awarded the Miss, or Mrs. having the greatest number of votes, June 29th.

All the other prizes are on hand waiting to be given to the proud owners, four weeks hence and the prizes will be in possession of the rightful ones according to the official count to be made at the conclusion of the campaign.

The Donley County Leader is rightly proud of this great achievement, likewise is the Leader proud of its contestants, as for our readers it will always be our ambition to give you a weekly publication second to none.

Let's go contestants.

Summer School Students Go On Picnic to J. A. Ranch

The Summer school students went on the first of a series of picnics that will be given every Saturday during the summer session. About thirty students enjoyed the sights on the J. A. ranch Saturday. The students and the faculty spread their dinner with the cowboys and a big feed was enjoyed by all. The cowboys were out with the wagon rounding up the cattle and branding the calves. The treat was something new to most of the students who live out of town.

The student body will visit Palo Duro canyon next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Enochs of Amarillo visited with Mrs. O. T. Smith Monday.

LOCAL HATCHERY SEASON CLOSES JUNE 18TH

Chick Shipments To Three States Including Pueblo Indians of New Mex.

A most successful run of the Clarendon hatchery will come to a close the 18th according to a statement of Frank White, Jr. To date near a half million baby chicks have been hatched off most of which were sold within a radius of fifty miles of Clarendon.

Shipments were made to Oklahoma, New Mexico and Colorado. A shipment was made Monday to John A. Maribel, governor of the Pueblo Indians of New Mexico, this shipment being due to a recommendation of the high quality of the product of this hatchery.

At this time farmers are being supplied with chicks on the share basis that the hatchery may be supplied with choice eggs for the next season.

Several hundred dollars went out of the county this past season for pure strain eggs that will be kept at home next season. Local farmers owning pure bred flocks have disposed of egg production to the hatchery at a fancy price this season and in most instances will double the volume next season.

Luther Lowery, a prominent farmer of Claude, has contracted for two thousand baby chicks from which he hopes to reap a rich harvest next season in the sale of eggs. Eighteen hundred have been delivered to him. Many other farmers have taken out pure bred chicks by the hundreds including a big variety of breeds.

The owner of the hatchery has built up a fine business by showing a spirit of cooperation with any one interested in poultry. An incubator of fifty-two thousand egg capacity was first installed but the owner was forced to double his capacity soon after the regular run started. At this time Clarendon can boast of the only hatchery having Smith machines of this capacity.



Mrs. Zevilla Lynn
Photo By
ALDERSON STUDIO

New Feed Mill Will Have Many Advantages Over Old

The new type hammer mill to be installed next week by A. W. Simpson embodies many advantages not to be found in mill types of even a few years ago.

This new type of mill will handle any small grain, corn on the cob or bundle stuff. As the product is fed into the machine, it is chopped into short lengths. An electro-magnet picks up any metal that may have become mixed with the feed and rocks are separated by a chute. The feed is then hammered in mid-air—not against anything as might be supposed. The grain is then screened and passed into a bin or sack. A suction takes care of the dust, passing it to the outside of the building.

This type of feed mill is said to be the latest on the market. The pit or basement has been prepared for some time and the machine will be in operation almost immediately upon its arrival. Mr. Simpson states that farmers may then find a ready market for their feed right at home where it will be milled instead of shipping out and then shipping back again which is an expensive process.

HEDLEY FARMERS PROVE VALUE OF SMALL ACREAGE

That a Large Farm is Not Necessary Is Proven By Careful Test

Many farmers in west Texas are coming to realize that a large acreage does not mean success every time when taxes, depreciation, interest on investment and power and tools necessary to operation are taken into consideration.

It has long been known, with but few exceptions, that the most successful farmers are those on small farms. W. L. Moffitt, owner of fifteen acres of red sandy land adjoining Hedley on the east, finds his farm intensively cultivated to be as profitable as the larger farms. A visit to this small farm will convince one at first sight as to the industrious nature of those who make it their home. No waste land is to be noted. All fence corners are clean. In addition to cotton, which is the principal crop, fruit growing and poultry production come in for a goodly share of attention.

A dewberry patch of near a half acre next to the road burdened with great luscious berries that find a ready market denotes the fact that the owner is not overlooking the smaller items. Grapes and other fruit make up for a part of the money crop.

Mr. Moffitt, after tilling this farm for a number of years, has cared for his land in such a manner that it has not blown and the soil is richer today than when he first began to farm it.

Across the road to the south is the A. M. Bishop farm, of only twenty-seven acres, but if the farmer farms produced in proportion, a farm in Donley county would be worth a fortune.

Mr. Bishop's main crop is cotton, but he also has sweet clover for pasture. Grows more headed grain than is necessary for his own use, has a fine orchard, vineyard and berry patch. Diversification is his general plan while the good housewife has her garden, chickens, etc. Like the Moffitt family, they too store up for winter use choice vegetables and fruits. Only enough corn for immediate family needs is produced as other varieties produce more value.

Both of these farms present a picture of contentment where the inhabitants are enjoying peaceful pursuits removed from the turmoil of the world. Just such homes as these give to the world our best women and men of affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson W. Ballew and son Wilson Jr. and daughter Vivian, and Mrs. Roberts of Amarillo, visited relatives in Clarendon over Sunday.

W. T. Hayter visited with home folks over the week end. Mr. Hayter has a fine business at Pampa in the gent's furnishing line for the same reason that he had a good business here.

Mrs. B. F. Crawford, John Henry and the girls, Misses Katherine and Leona, visited relatives near Post the last of the week returning Sunday.



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

A BLIND GODDESS

Man's idea of justice is symbolized by a blindfolded goddess. Blindfolded to show that in judging she recognizes neither favorite friend nor foe, only justice. If one were a believer in ironic gods, playing cruel jokes on mankind, it would seem that such gods pushed justice off here pedestal in an orgy of blindman's buff in our national lawmaking bodies the past month when the ex-soldier was apparently forgotten by the leaders in their wild frenzy to make appropriations for the building of projects for favored localities. In that case, the blindfolded goddess became a groping figure reminding man that after all the most worth while things in this life are gained only after a struggle.

A MAN

To simply be classed as a man according to the vernacular of the west, means much more than the term "gentleman." A "man" of the west covers a lot of ground. To be a man, means a great deal more than one would ordinarily imagine.

An organization that has at its head a real "man," is indeed fortunate. That organization may be found right here at home—Aubyn E. Clark Post of the American Legion No. 125. The commander of that post has the goodwill, respect and esteem of his "buddies" and his fellow-citizens.

Enthusiastic tho calm and collected, he discharges the duties placed upon him over his protest. Busy, quiet and unassuming, the post could not have done better in the selection of Clyde J. Douglas as their commander. The editor of the Leader is but voicing the sentiments of those buddies who know and appreciate their commander. They are deeply appreciative of the fact that he at no time leaves anything undone that will result in their betterment. The writer passes these words on to him while living. May he find enjoyment in the fullest in the discharge of his duties to those who have in him utmost faith and confidence—he is a real man. No one will be more surprised or less pleased than he to see this in print.

PERSEVERANCE

The 54th commencement address delivered to the graduates of Baylor University was made by a woman—the first in the history of that noted school.

That woman came of pioneer parents, was born in a dugout and knew hardships all thru her childhood. She washed dishes to pay her way thru even the higher schools of learning and made a record as a student.

She knew no failure. Perseverance and indomitable will carried her thru the law school, various smaller offices and finally rewarded her with the office of Assistant Attorney General of the United States. Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, student-cook, dishwasher, pioneer in woman's prosecution of violators of a vice that directly concerns her sex.

Her very presence was an inspiration to the student body. Her words of wisdom soothed and brot solace to many who, like herself, are now paying the price of personal victory over obstacles. Many no doubt who reveled in the eloquence of this noted woman, likewise will become noted for their wonderful achievements in many lines of endeavor. Many a poor girl will take heart after hearing that address—many will compliment those in authority at Baylor for having Mrs. Willebrandt make that address.

MOTHERLY LOVE

At Floresville, Texas Tuesday of last week the citizens at large turned out in a great body to pay their last tribute of respect to one of God's saints, a mother who had passed her one hundred and first milestone.

This great concourse of friends and neighbors keenly felt the loss of one who was the mother of eleven children, a good neighbor and whose sacred memory will dwell with them for life. Not only was Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Lawrence the mother of eleven children, but she had also raised eigh-

teen orphan children.

One can picture the trials, the joys and the sorrows, but no one can measure in words the magnitude of mother love that must have been hers. She was under no personal obligations to assume the extra task except that kindly admonition of her Master, "Suffer little children to come unto me, for of such is the kingdom of heaven," and "As ye do unto the least of these, etc."

Life was made brighter for many because of her having lived. The pathway made dark by the death angel was made brighter by this kindly disposed mother who grasped an opportunity to do the will of her Master. No carving in marble is a fitting monument to her memory. The greatest monument to the memory of this sainted old mother is the good deeds that may be done by those whom she reared.

One cannot but think that tired hands are now resting, that heart-aches or no more, and that she is enjoying the fullest in that "mansions not made with hands." What a wonderful example for other mothers who bemoan the fact that little footsteps are annoying, that lisps of infancy are not the interpretation of angelic songs, that childhood's happy smiles from dreamland are not the mirth transmitted to us from heavenly hosts.

HAVE YOU A MOSES IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

In a great many communities and even towns, there springs from the multitude an egoist who would very gladly play the part of the Moses for that particular section. He likely never gets away from home base with his selfish ideas, musters only a few supporters, but is a constant menace to the peace, progress and happiness of the folks who have to endure such nonsense.

That assumed leadership grows within the mind of the "menace" until that party branches out into other communities attempting to dictate to them how to run their affairs, often breeding prejudice, jealousy and resentment in general. The human family is pretty much the same the world over. Some are born leaders but that natural ability is pushed forward. The egoist uses a club in various forms but never survives for any great length of time. People may often be led, but never driven.

The average community is capable of transacting its own business without importing any brains in an advisory capacity outside the school room. When the would-be leader runs onto a snag and the old thinker refuses to give up a scheme that will put his narrow conceived ideas over, he cries to the populace that they are prejudiced, that others are blocking his progress. As a matter of fact the whole bunch is disgusted with brainless leadership, the brand that is all "bulldoze" and while he may be a "Moses," he never gets out of the bullrushes—merely shoots the bull which is also classified as hot air.

The Leader is a common paper published in the interests of the whole county and then some. We are proud of the support given us. We assume no leadership. We ask only for the privilege of telling to the world your progress, your aims and ambitions. This applies to your town or community. If an individual accomplishes something of worth-while interest, we shall be glad to give it publication. To merely boost an egoist—never!

During the halcyon days of old Clarendon College, she was represented in oratorical contests by two of the best minds that had ever matriculated in that school in that particular branch of talent. Those boys were Milton Price and Stephen Russell. Milton has long ago gone up near the top in his association with a wealthy oil man while acting in the capacity of private secretary.

This week the editor of the Leader is in receipt of an announcement from Stephen Russell conveying the information that he is graduating from the law department of the state university of Colorado at Denver. We may expect to hear of some wonderful achievements of these boys in the future.

Fugitive Drops Dead



David Steinhardt, fugitive bankrupt lawyer, dropped dead in Philadelphia just as his capture was imminent. He was sought as an embezzler of millions.

Clean manly fellows, both coming from homes of the working class—the salt of the earth. No greater calamity can befall a boy than to be born of wealthy parents, and especially so if those parents do not use proper judgment in training that boy to earn his way from the ground up.

John Beverly is telling the world that he is in the lead with the garden business this season and declares that he can prove it. He claims to have had string beans from his garden May 26th. Who can beat that record?

CRIME VS BOY SCOUTS

The Annual Crime Bill of America Totals twelve billions of dollars, about one half of the criminals responsible for this tremendous bill are under twenty one years of age. One commissioner reports that of 154 men serving life sentences more than half were under twenty one years of age when caught and none had ever had a contact with a Boy's Club, Boy Scout Troop or a Trained Leader.

The average cost of arresting, sentencing and incarcerating a criminal is \$2,000 to each community and you still have a criminal and perhaps worse than in the beginning.

There are in Hall County about 1400 boys of the ages from 12 to 17 inclusive. Donley 600, Collingsworth 1,000, Gray and Wheeler (the part embraced by the Southeast Panhandle Area Council.) Boy Scouts of America another 800. There is also another 800 eleven year old boys coming on, in all about 4600 boys of the dangerous age. We are spending about \$1.00 a year on each boy to provide him LEISURE TIME activity. For the greatest time of peril in any boys or girls life is that time when he hasn't a thing to do. The Scouting Program fills this time with worthwhile activities that build character and develops the best

To Obtain Full Amount of His Insurance Disabled Ex-Service Man Has Filed Suit

Clarence J. Billington, disabled ex-service man of Memphis, filed suit through his attorneys, Bran-non and George and J. Earle Kuntz of Wichita Falls, in the United States District Court at Amarillo last week, against the United States of America, seeking to obtain the full amount of his war risk insurance, plus accrued interest, dating from the day of discharge, claiming total disability.

Disability of Tuberculosis
Attached to Ambulance Co. Mr. Billington has resided in Memphis practically all of his life, except the time he was away in army service. He was married here in 1925. During the war period he was stationed at Camp Bowie and Camp Travis and attached to Ambulance Company 142 of the 36th Division. His case has been handled by the Oklahoma City office of the U. S. Veterans Bureau for some time past, but he has not received the relief to which he believes he is justly entitled, which occasioned the suit.—Memphis Democrat.

Frequently Hospitalized
Mr. Billington stated that he

educational method, "LEARN BY DOING." The Scout learns to be a better citizen by picking up nails and glass from the street. His "DAILY GOOD TURN" is the service idea over again. By his association with men and leaders of Character he catches high ideals, for Character is CAUGHT and not taught.

The tremendous task of reaching the 4600 boys cannot be done by one man. The man power of every community must be mobilized to do it. Churches, Service Clubs, Schools and parents must unite in one solid body, give some of their time to this tremendous problem. The school cannot do it alone for we can educate criminals as well as citizens, for the greatest criminals are the educated ones. The church cannot do it as seven out of ten boys of this age are lost to the church. Every force of the community must be organized for SERVICE and every available man must be mobilized for the task. Not only money but man-

Use every opportunity you can to aid and assist him to get the right ideals of life.

I. E. Jolly, Scout Exe. Southwest Panhandle Area. Boy Scouts of America.

J. R. Dale of the Goldston community took advantage of the recent rainy spell to set out some thirteen thousand sweet potato slips. He grew his own plants of both Porto Rico and Nancy Hall varieties.

Miss Lois Clement of Amarillo was a guest of Mrs. W. O. Hommel the first of the week.

Mrs. H. T. Wilkins and daughter, Miss Lois Marie and son H. T. Jr. of Alanreed, were guests of the Frank J. Hommel home Friday and Saturday.

Miss Oren Hamby of Hedley is visiting relatives in Clarendon.

Ugliest Woman?



Miss Mary A. Bevan, who is said to claim honors as the world's ugliest woman, arrived in New York aboard the Leviathan.

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To the results of our big drive for circulation.

The first period of our circulation contest closed last Saturday night and the results are very gratifying.

The Donley County Leader is plunging ahead toward the goal which was set, and when this is achieved we can boast of a BONAFIDE circulation equal to that of any weekly paper published in the Panhandle.

We appreciate the fine spirit and interest displayed by the business men and citizenship in general of Clarendon, Groom, Jericho, Alanreed, McLean, Mc Knight, Quail, Giles, Hedley, Turkey, Quitaque, Silverton, Brice, Claude, Goodnight, Ashtola, Lelia Lake, Goldston and the many communities where the community center is their school building. Even Amarillo has a large listing.

Subscriptions have been phoned in and mailed in. Truly the public at large doubly appreciates a county-wide publication of the four-square type void of prejudice and any spirit of rule or ruin. All contestants are working with a strong enthusiasm and the awards will be made absolutely on the merits of honest endeavor.

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Never Wore Skirts
Jacqueline Moret, in jail at Canon City, Col., is an unusual inmate. This girl bandit says she has never in her life worn skirts, always affecting trousers and a cap

Golden Wedding Anniversary at Ross Home Wednesday

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Ross was celebrated at the family home in this city Wednesday, May 29th. This venerable couple have made their home here for the past twenty-seven years during all of which time they have been numbered among our most highly respected and useful citizens. Both are members of the Methodist church, Mrs. Ross being a leading worker in the Woman's Missionary Society where her wise counsel is frequently sought by her co-workers. Mr. Ross was a leading business man of Clarendon for many years before his retirement due to old age, he now being in his seventy-third year. Mrs. Ross has spent sixty-six years in Texas, both of these good citizens being natives sixty-six years in Texas, both of these good citizens being natives of the Lone Star state, and were married in Cooke county a half century ago.

Two boys and three girls were born to this union, two girls only surviving. Mrs. Wade Willis of Amarillo and Mrs. R. H. Beville of this city. They have four grandchildren and one great grandchild. Those to assist in this celebration and to partake of the palatial feast included Mrs. T. A. Ross, a niece, of Childress, S. P. McMinn, a nephew who makes his home in Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Willis, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Beville and three children, Ross Harwood, Perry Allen and John Russel.

The legion of friends of this couple wish for them many more anniversaries in which they are joined by the Donley County Leader.

Boys and Girls Club of Lelia Lake Entertain Friday

The Boys and Girls Clubs of Lelia Lake, assisted by the citizens of the community, put on a picnic and fish fry Friday night. Clarendon band was invited to furnish music, eighteen of them going down. The program was carried out at the Cottingham camp ground, one of the prettiest spots in the Panhandle. The ladies had prepared ice cream and orange ade, fried chicken and about everything else that is good to eat on such occasions. The entire affair was a howling success from start to finish. The Lelia Lake boys, the first to organize in anticipation of the coming of the new county agent, caught the fish.

M. G. Cottingham furnished the band boys with all they could eat, drink, etc. which they appreciated very much. The honorable sheriff was stuck for the drinks (soft-adv.) when he invited two, and suddenly realized that the whole crowd had overheard the invitation and had lined up demanding that he make his request good. The sheriff stood pat on that proposition just like he has everything else.

The band boys are always glad to help out with any features of this nature and will respond to any invitation they may receive.

Memphis, Texas, June 1, 1929
Donley County Leader:
Dear Daddy Editor:
Your sweet little sugar lump has been sick for several weeks—not able to sit up yet. Next week's paper will have a long letter telling about the cause of my sickness. Will also pass my compliments to the marrying parson, in the Donley County court house, who stays on the first floor, in the middle room on the south side and also to the marrying parson, who was in that room before this occupant. Suppress their papers next week if you can, as if not there will be wailing and nashing of teeth.

Lovingly,
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AMARILLO WOMAN DECLARES ORGATONE GAVE HER RELIEF AFTER SURGICAL OPERATION

"I noticed benefits before I had finished the first bottle of Orgatone and now I am in fine condition generally," Mrs. Rose A. Trunk, well known Amarillo woman residing at 303 Lincoln Ave., Amarillo, Texas.

"In September 1928, I underwent a surgical operation and had my gall bladder removed. I was instructed by my doctor to take something to stimulate the bile flow owing to my general condition which was naturally a run down one. "Accounts in the newspapers of its good work led me to try Orgatone. I gained strength almost at once and now I feel much stronger every day. I have a fine appetite and what I eat seems to agree with me. My bile flow has been regulated and my nervousness has entirely disappeared. Yes, I gladly recommend Orgatone to all who are troubled as I was." Hundreds of people, like Mrs. Trunk, have gained from Orgatone. The scientific treatment that has proven almost unerring in cases of stomach, liver and kidney trouble, gall duct and bladder disorders and the like. Genuine Orgatone may be obtained in Clarendon at the Stockings Drug Store.

NEW LAWS TO BECOME EFFECTIVE ON JUNE 12

"Hot Shot" marriages will be a thing of the past less than two weeks hence, according to authors of the "Three-day notice of intention to marry" law, which will go into effect along with many other major laws, on June 12.

All the "90-day" bills of the regular session become effective on the same date as the marriage law which requires the prospective bridegroom to furnish a physician's certificate of his freedom from social disease.

Blanks are being sent to all county clerks on which to register the public bans of marriages after June 12. Some of the other general laws which go into effect June 12, are:

- Create rural credit unions.
- Large banks may increase number of directors to 25.
- Theft of cotton or cottonseed a felony.
- Civil appeals courts may hear cases involving \$100 judgment.
- Unlawful to drink in airplanes or common carrier.
- School teachers must be American citizens.
- Sale of real estate for delinquent taxes only on foreclosure.
- Specify bond of executors and administrators.
- Civil service for counties over 150,000 population.
- Minimum school age six years (in operation Sept. 30, 1930).
- Legal notices shall be posted and published.
- Unlawful to contribute to delinquency of minor.
- Regular pharmacists and sale of

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. Charley Bell in her usual charming manner at her home Thursday afternoon. Rose decorations were used in a color scheme throughout, the many beautiful colors being carefully blended for best effect. Two tables furnished amusement, Miss Francis Cooke winning high score prize. A dainty two course refreshment was served. Those enjoying the entertainment were: Meses. Earl Alexander, Clyde Price, T. H. Ellis, Charles Trent, and Misses Mary and Francis Cooke, Mary Stocking and Miss Beula Baird.

Local Plant Grower Gets Much Publicity Recently

The name Jones is a household word over this section of the southwest and is instantly associated with vegetable plants due to the fact that he is the largest grower and shipper in this line, and has been for the past quarter of a century.

Articles are frequently copied from our columns and among that number, the Altus paper recently added the fact that T. Jones taught school at Navajo and Martha near there. That he was an instructor in the first normal school held in Greer county which was then a part of Texas. He was also the first county superintendent of schools of that county.

The article copied was the hunting article in which the Leader mentioned the fact that Mrs. Jones was also familiar with hunting big game as well as her husband.

Mr. Jones has been gaining much publicity recently due to the distribution of five thousand circulars over many states. The copy on the circulars was the article appearing in an editorial of the Leader with the comments of the Merkel paper and the editor of the Leader and was headed "Spanking West Texas." The article in question was meant as a joke all-round and is so taken by all those directly interested. Letters have been received from many points by Mr. Jones and especially over the southwest in which the writers laud the wording of the message and congratulate Mr. Jones for his patriotic spirit in advertising west Texas.

Application has been made by T. J. Allen to the railroad commission for a permit to operate a bus line from Hedley to the Texas-Oklahoma state line via of Buck Creek and Wellington. He proposes to continue the line thru Oklahoma to Hollis.

Mrs. Matt Bennett, of whom mention was made in the Leader two weeks past, has recovered sufficiently to leave the sanitarium at Sherman and is now visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dee Brooks of Ft. Worth. They will both spend a part of the month with another daughter of Mrs. Bennett's at San Marcos.

Eckener's Son



Knut Eckener, son of Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the Graf Zeppelin, plans to come to U. S. and become consulting engineer at the Akron, O., plant of the Goodyear Zeppelin Company.

Murder Jury Frees Fulcher At Wellington Friday

Edward Fulcher, charged with the murder of Roy Oatman at a dance near Wellington February 23rd, was freed by the jury at 11:30 Friday morning.

The case went to trial Monday and attracted wide attention due to the prominence of both parties. Spectators brot their lunch and remained all day. Even standing room was taken. There was no demonstration at the close of the trial.

This closed the present term of the district court.



THINK! HAVE MONEY!

In this week's issue of our paper The Donley County State Bank is starting a Thrift Campaign in our community. They have chosen for their trade mark a squirrel. For their slogan they will use the words: THINK, HAVE MONEY. This trade mark and slogan are well chosen. Our country is afflicted by extravagance and wild-cat speculation. We will all be better off if we cut off extravagance and cut out biting at get-rich-quick schemes. We trust and feel that the Donley County State Bank will have the cooperation of our entire community in this campaign of thrift and in keeping our money at home to sustain and develop our Home Industries. Our paper is with this movement good and strong.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hughes spent the week end in the home of Mrs. Hughes' sister, Mr. and Mrs. Park Chamberlain.

Miss Florence and Kenneth Fink arrived home from Austin Thursday night, having driven thru in a car. Both have been students in the state university the past session and made a good record in their studies.

Mrs. J. P. Rose of Dalhart and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chambers and niece, Miss Lorene Tows of Afton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Morrison Wednesday.

R. E. Lewis of Ashtola bought supplies, passed the glad hand around and all felt better for his visit Saturday.

Citizens of Lynn county of which Tahoka is the county capitol, are petitioning for a million dollar road bond issue.

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Mr. Merchant—A few more cents on our commodities and a few more cents on labor will keep more money in circulation and we will all have an easier time.

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1st, they are just a lure and a bait.
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Uzcludun Arrives



Paulino Uzcludun, strong man of the Pyraees, has arrived in New York from Cuba, ambitious to annex the heavyweight boxing title of the world.

LELIA LAKE

Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, Miss Elna Davis became the bride of Mr. John Fletcher. Mrs. Fletcher is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Davis and for the past year has been attending Clarendon college. We join with the Leader in wishing this couple much happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kennedy entertained with a "42" party Friday night. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

The boys and girls clubs sold fried fish, chicken and ice cream at the campground Friday night for the purpose of raising funds to pay the expenses of the girls in going to the short course.

Mrs. Pat Hinton of Geronimo, Ariz. arrived Friday to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bynum.

Mrs. Henry Tatum of Clarendon spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor.

Miss Alta Lewis returned Saturday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ira Womack at Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Smith at Memphis.

Gene Whatley and daughter, Geneva, were shopping in Amarillo Saturday.

Glynn Taylor Jones of Amarillo spent the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor.

Misses Vera Garland and Vera Brinson left Sunday going to Canyon where they will be in school thru the summer session.

Miss Nona Cash of Clarendon spent the week end with Miss Louise Lewis.

Otis Blaylock of Wellington spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Blaylock.

Mrs. Oldham was taken to a Wellington sanitarium Wednesday. She is some better at this time.

Misses Alta Lewis, Hessie and Corda Holland left Tuesday for Canyon where they will attend school for the summer.

Miss Addie Holland returned from Canyon Friday where she has been a student for the past several months.

Bert Smith was a business visitor in Amarillo Saturday.

Miss Jewell Lewis, who is attending Clarendon college for the summer session, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis over the week end.

An impressive memorial service was rendered at the Baptist church Sunday morning at the Sunday school hour.

BRICE

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wright moved to Buffalo Flat Thursday, where Mrs. Wright will teach school another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McDaniel moved to their home near the Gillespie Gin Tuesday.

Messrs. Henry Youngblood and J. M. Dixon of Clarendon were pleasant visitors in the Flat Tuesday.

Mr. Bob Cummins and daughter Leola and Junita of Hulver spent Tuesday visiting their daughter and sister Mrs. Frank White.

Miss Neva, who has been here for a visit returned home with them.

Miss Velma Lemons, who has been attending school at Austin for the past nine months, returned home Thursday night. We are very glad to have Velma in our midst again.

Mr. Willie Gossett and family of Dallas were guests of his brother Mr. A. J. Gossett and family

Tuesday and Tuesday night.

Mr. A. J. Gossett and brother Willie Gossett of Dallas made a business trip to Clarendon Tuesday.

Duke Osborn moved a truck load of furniture to Buffalo Flat for G. W. Wright.

C. A. Wilson made a business trip to Clarendon Wednesday.

Mrs. John Rhodes and little daughters Aline, Dorothy and Billie Joe, of Goldston spent Wednesday with Mrs. D. T. Smallwood.

Duke Osborn made a business trip to Memphis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower of Memphis called in the Marvin Auddell home Wednesday afternoon, and attended to business matters in the Flat.

Mrs. Wayne Rexrode called on Mr. W. E. Shepherd Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. D. T. Smallwood and daughters called on Mrs. Marvin Auddell Wednesday afternoon.

We are sorry to report the death of Mrs. Dee Sachse of Quitaque, after several months of illness.

The young people enjoyed a party in the C. T. Isham home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Wingrove of Leslie and Misses Cleota and Maxine Wingrove of Lakeview spent Sunday in the Flat visiting relatives and friends. Cleota and Maxine attended Sunday school at the Methodist church.

Miss Ruth Hartzog, who has been attending school in Okla. returned home this week to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hartzog. She was accompanied home by several of her relatives who are here for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White called in the Lefe Smallwood home Friday night for a social hour.

Messrs. L. H. McDonald, Frank White and Lefe Smallwood made a business trip to Memphis Friday.

The young people enjoyed a party and good time socially at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rhodes Saturday night.

Several couples of young people came from the Goldston and Leslie communities. Everyone reports a grand time and hope to be entertained in this home quite often.

Mrs. John Rhodes and little daughters returned to their home at Goldston Friday after having spent several days in the Flat visiting relatives and old friends.

Clifford Payne, who attends school at Dallas, came Sunday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood and daughters shopped in Clarendon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lemons and family spent Saturday shopping and attending to business matters in Clarendon.

Miss Virgie Brock of Lodge was a pleasant caller in the Flat Tuesday afternoon.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Lott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tidwell, as doing no good. Mrs. Lott has been ill for some time.

We have had a splendid week for work the past week. The farmers are busy finishing their replanting and starting the cultiva-

tion of their cotton. A few have started the hoe hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pharr spent Saturday afternoon shopping and attending to business matters in Clarendon.

The Ladies Home Demonstration club will meet Tuesday afternoon June 11th at the school auditorium. Miss Adams is to meet with them and give a demonstration on the use of the pressure cooker. The ladies are urged to be present at two o'clock sharp.

Little Daniel Howitt Smallwood is on the sick list at this writing.

Lafe Smallwood spent Sunday afternoon in Memphis with Ben Hill.

We are glad to report W. M. Childress improving from the typhoid fever.

CLUB NOTES

A 2 HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL

The Donley County Home Demonstration council met in the Women's club room under C. H. Demonstrator's office in City Hall building at 2 p. m. May 25th with 8 clubs represented by 16 council delegates. After the roll call and opening exercises the reading of the minutes of last meeting being postponed on account of the absence of the secretary, the business of deciding upon the question of serving a luncheon to the Lion's club May 28 was taken up, discussed and voted upon. The women decided to serve this luncheon in order to get money in the council treasury to sponsor a Home Demonstration contest.

The next question was choosing a menu and appointing the work out to the women of the different clubs. This business took so much of the time that there was barely time enough to award the prizes to the county winners in the county living room contest. Mrs. N. L. Jones, Ashtola was awarded a permanent wave given by a local beauty shop in token of winning 1st place in class 1. Mrs. Melvin Rampy who won 2nd place received a large enamel-roaster. Mrs. A. C. Arnold who won 3rd place received a dozen square jars with glass lids.

Mrs. O. R. Culwell being winner of first place in class 2 was awarded an enameled vegetable steamer. After announcing details of Rally Day June 21, 1929 the meeting adjourned to meet again 4th Saturday in June.

A 16 THE SHEER WASH DRESS

Four Women's H. D. clubs have been given the demonstration on Sheer Wash Dresses. Samples of available materials for these dresses have been shown and color demonstrations tried on individuals in clubs. A discussion of relation of type fabric to pattern selections and the demonstration of effects of different shaped necks and fancy touches to sleeves were shown by pictures. Lines necessary for beautifully costuming the stout figure and lines necessary for the well dressed slender figure were demonstrated and each wo-

Air Stowaway



Gwen Ponton, sixteen year old Oakland, Cal., girl who returned from Salt Lake city after stowing away on the 30 passenger plane "Patrician."

man in H. D. club work in this county is being urged to make for her self or some one else a sheer wash dress or a child's garment, using the Demonstration given largely in the year on children's clothing, so that each woman will have some outer garment to exhibit June 21st which is Rally Day for Donley county D. H. clubs. The gift shop in Clarendon has offered a \$2 gift to the woman who has shown most skill in designing the making of the garment she exhibits June 21st 1929.

Haynes-Sample

The marriage of Miss Ina Mae Sample of Big Springs and Raymond Haynes of Claude was solemnized at five thirty Sunday morning at the home of Aleen Parks, Rev. S. R. McClung officiating.

Only a few friends and relatives were present for the wedding. After visiting in Memphis, Clarendon and Claude Mr. and Mrs. Haynes will leave for Oklahoma City where they plan to make their home.

The bride was attired in an ensemble suit of pink crepe. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sample of Big Springs, Texas and at one time attended Southwestern at Georgetown and later Clarendon College and for the past year taught school near Big Springs.

The groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Haynes of Lexington, Oklahoma and where he lived until coming to Texas a few years ago.

Those present for the wedding were: Mrs. Charles Cameron and husband of Claude, sister of the groom, Mrs. E. D. Drake and husband of Lakeview, sister of the bride, Mr. Jasper Sample, Misses Carrie Davis and Mixie May.

MARTIN

The Martin young folks were entertained with a party at Mr. Endsley's home Saturday night.

There was singing at Martin Sunday night and after singing Brother J. B. Powell preached.

Mrs. Bert Ford, Mrs. Della Lafon and Mrs. M. L. Pittman attended council meeting at Clarendon Saturday evening.

The Martin club was appointed to take cherry pies to the Lions club luncheon that was served to them Tuesday in the Antro hotel.

Mrs. J. B. Turnbow and Mrs. M. L. Pittman were the two from Martin club that entered the butter contest at Clarendon Saturday May 23; and they won two of the prizes, the first and fourth, Mrs. Turnbow winning first and Mrs. Pittman fourth. We are certainly proud of Mrs. Turnbow especially she will get the trip to the state contest and hope she wins down there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pool visited their daughter, Mrs. Parsons at Claude Sunday.

Mrs. Aubrey Talley and Mrs. J. B. Turnbow visited Grandma Stone at Mrs. Holtzclaw's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Endsley and family and Ola Bell Cash visited relatives near Brice Sunday.

M. L. Pittman and family visited with his sisters, Misses Sybil and Virginia in Amarillo Sunday. Mrs. Pittman's brothers and their families of Brice were there also and they all enjoyed being together. Was almost a family reunion. Mr. V. G. Pittman went along with them, and visited his sister, Mrs. J. W. Minter of Amarillo.

Mrs. O. D. Hearn and Mrs. Della Lafon were the members from the Martin club appointed to help serve the Lions club luncheon Tuesday. They report a splendid success. We certainly appreciate what the Lions club and all the other business men of Clarendon do for us in our club work.

Oren Parsons of Claude is staying with his sister Mrs. Aubrey Talley attending summer school.

Mr. W. D. Peabody and daughter Mary visited his son Carl Peabody in Clarendon Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Peabody spent the week end visiting her married children at McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Hearn and Mrs. J. B. Turnbow and son Rayce all attended the picture show at Clarendon Tuesday night.

Mack Jones of Lakeview visited his brother-in-law J. B. Powell Monday.


Bunt Owen and children were out from Clarendon spending a few days with her parents.

Mrs. C. E. Griggs and daughter, Miss Eunice, returned from a visit with relatives at Texarkana Saturday. Mrs. A. P. Bell, mother of Mrs. Griggs, accompanied them home for an extended visit.

Miss Bernice Rowland left Thursday to become a summer pupil in C. I. A. at Denton.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Drew Smith Monday.

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Hedley Has Ideal Affair For the Younger Set

The young people of Hedley met Monday night with a select program. These gatherings include the social and religious organizations and are of great benefit to the uplifting of the incoming generation.

The editor of the Leader suggests that they select a reporter and send in news of these gatherings for publication. The Leader will co-operate with you in every manner possible for your betterment.

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The Settling of the Sage

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She heard him cross the floor. He dropped from the window on the far side from the men. When he came in sight of them he was running zigzagging in his flight. Half a dozen rifles spat from two hundred yards up the slope, the balls passing him with nasty snaps. He reached the edge of the sage and plunged headlong between two rocks.

Waddles pumped a rifle and covered Harris' flight as best he could.



Waddles Pumped a Rifle and Covered Harris' Flight as Best He Could.

drilling the center of every sage that shook or quivered back of the house.

Two men turned their attention to the one who handicapped their chances of locating the crawling man and poured their fire through the window. He dropped to the floor and peered from a crack. The firing had suddenly ceased. He saw a hat moving up a coulee, a mere flash here and there above the sage as the owner of it ran.

The smoke hurt his eyes and the heat seemed to crack his skin. He crossed over to see if Harris was down; that would account for the sudden cessation of shooting from the hills back of the house.

The raiders in the lower field were riding swiftly for the far side of the valley. One man knelt near the head gate, then mounted and jumped his horse off after the rest. Waddles put the whole force of his lungs behind one mighty cheer.

Far down along the rim of the valley, outlined against the sky, four miles were running as so many startled deer under the bite of the lash and six men swayed and clung to the wagon that lurched behind. Three men unloaded from the wagon as it came opposite the cluster of men riding far out across the flats. They opened a long-range fire at a thousand yards while the others stayed with the wagon as it rocked on toward the burning ranch.

Billie was running to the brush where Harris had disappeared. He rose to meet her.

"Cal, you're not hurt?" she asked.

"Not a scratch," he said. "Thanks to you."

In her relief she grasped his arm and gave it a fierce little squeeze.

"Then it's all right," she said.

Waddles burst from the door of the burning house, his arms piled high with salvage.

"We'll save what we can," Harris said, and started for the house. As he ran the valley rocked with a concussion which nearly threw him flat and a column of fragments and trash rose a hundred feet above the spot where the head gate had been but a second past.

A dozen running horses flipped over the edge of the hill and plunged

down toward the ranch. The men wore back from Brill's. Harris held up his hand to halt the riders as they would have kept on past the house. He knew that the raiders stationed behind the ranch had long since reached their horses and were lost in the choppy hills. He waved all hands toward the buildings and they swarmed inside, carrying out load after load of such articles as could be moved and piling them out of reach of the flames.

The girl sat apart and watched them work. Her lethargy had returned. It seemed a small matter to rescue these trinkets when the Three Bar was a total wreck.

Harris caught two of the saddled horses that carried the men from Brill's and crossed over to where the girl sat.

"Let's ride down to the field," he said. "And see what's got to be done. I expect a week's work will repair that part of it all right."

She gazed at him in amazement. He spoke of repairing the damage while the Three Bar burned before his eyes. But she rose and mounted the horse and they rode off down what had once been the lane, the fence flattened by the rushing horde of cattle that had swept through.

The homestead cabins smoked but still stood intact.

"Look!" he urged cheerfully. "Those logs were too green to burn. We won't even have to rebuild. They'll look a little charred round the edges maybe, but otherwise as good as new. We're not hurt. They can't hurt our land. I'd rather have this flat right now—the way it stands—than three thousand head of cows on the range and no land at all. We can rebuild the place this winter while work is slack. Build better than before."

His enthusiasm failed to touch her. For her the Three Bar was wrecked, the old home gone, and who cared? The loss of the edging black smoke-cloud at the foot of the hills.

They rode from the devastated fields and angled southwest across the range. When some ten miles from the Three Bar Harris dismounted on a ridge and she joined him, listening with entire indifference to his optimistic plans.

"We're only scratched," he said. "It won't matter in the end."

"This is the end," she disented. "The Three Bar is done."

"It's just the start," he returned. "It's the end for them! Don't you see? They staked everything on one big raid that would smash the Three Bar and discourage the rest from duplicating our move. That would give Slade a new lease of life—delay the inevitable for a few more years. They made one final attempt and lost. They're through!"

He asserted positively. "That's their last shot. We're only delayed—that's all. The homestead cabins are only charred. The old buildings at the ranch are gone. I'll put a crew in the hills getting out new logs and there'll be enough out-of-job peelers riding grab-line to rebuild the place. We've got our land. The hay is trampled flat right now, but the roots aren't hurt. Next spring will show the whole flat coming up with a heavy stand of hay."

"You're a good partner, Cal," she said. "You've done your best. But the whole thing would only happen over again. Slade's too strong for us."

"Slade's through!" he asserted.

"He's locked up and when he gets out his hands will be tied. Inside of a month the law will be in the saddle for the first time in years. Once Aiden gets a grip on things, with folks behind him, he'll never lose it again."

He painted the future of the Three Bar as the foremost outfit within a hundred miles, but her mind was busy with a future so entirely different from the one he portrayed that she scarcely grasped his words.

She had heard her parents speak of a day when they should go back home; and she had always felt that the day would come when she, too, would live in the place from which they had come—with frequent trips back to the range. The love for the ranch had delayed her departure from year to year. But now the old familiar buildings were gone and there were no ties to hold her back once she was gone.

Harris rose and pointed, rousing her from her abstraction. Down in the valley below them filed a long line of dusty horsemen.

"There is the law," he said. "That's what I brought you here to see. It's what we've been waiting for. That little procession stands for organized law!"

She turned and looked behind her as her ear caught the thud of hoofs and jangle of equipment. The Three Bar men were just topping the ridge.

Harris knew that action, not inaction, was the best outlet for her energies, temporarily smothered by the shock of the raid.

"I thought maybe you'd like to go," he said. "The jaunt will do you good."

She showed the first sign of interest she had evidenced.

"And we're going to the Breaks," she stated.

"That's where," he said. "We'll order them to give up and stand trial. They won't. Then we'll clean them out. Hunt them down like rats!"

The little band in the valley was drawing near. She recognized Carp, Bentley and another Slade man riding with the sheriff at their head.

"What's Bentley doing there?" she asked.

"One of Carp's men," Harris said. "If any of them get away from us Carp will hound them down. He wears the U. S. badge and won't be stopped by any feeling about crossing the Utah or Idaho lines. Rustling is of no interest to him. That's the sheriff's job. But Carp will round them up for obstructing the homestead laws."

The Three Bar men came up and halted. Harris and the girl changed mounts and led their men down to join the file of riders below.

It was well after sundown when they halted in a sheltered valley. Waddles cooked a meal over an open fire. Red rolls were spread and the men were instantly asleep. Three hours before sunup the cook was once more busy round a fire.

The meal was bolted and each man lashed a generous lunch on his saddle before riding off.

Daylight found them twenty miles from camp and the horses were breathing hard. They turned into a coulee threaded by a well-worn trail. Three miles along this Bentley turned to the right up a branching gulch with eight men. Another mile and Carp led a similar detachment off to the left. Billie rode with the sheriff and Harris at the head of the rest, holding to the beaten trail.

Harris motioned to Billie.

"You fall back," he said. The men had drawn their rifles from the scabbards. "They never did post a guard. But there's just a chance. So for a little piece you'd better bring up the rear."

Harris turned up a side pocket and the men waited while he and the sheriff climbed a ridge on foot to investigate. Harris motioned to the girl.

"Come along up where you can see," he said, and she followed them up the ridge.

"From behind a sage-clamp Harris trained his glasses on the group a mile out across the shallow basin. Two men stood before a teepee near the stockade. There were two other tents inside the structure, with a number of men moving about them.

He handed the glass to the girl. "We'll be starting," he said. "By the time we get fixed the rest will be closing in. You stay here and watch the whole thing."

"I'm going along," she said. "I'm as good a shot as there is in the hills. And it was my ranch they burned!"

The sheriff shoved back his hat and pushed his fingers through his mop of gray hair.

"Fact," he confessed. "Every word. But there's swarms of men in this country—and such a d—n scattering few of girls that we just can't take the risk. That's how it is. If you don't promise to stay with the stockade, we'll have to detail a couple of the boys to ride guard on you till it's over with."

She knew that the other men would back Harris and Aiden in their verdict. She nodded and watched them turn back toward the horses.

There was nothing spectacular in the attack of Harris and the sheriff. They went about it as if hunting vermin, cautiously and systematically, taking every possible advantage of the enemy with the least possible risk to their men. The advance was slow as they closed in on the stockade. There was a sudden commotion among the men at the building. They were moving swiftly under cover. Some of the attacking force had been seen. The majority of the raiders took to the stockade. Four ran into the main cabin.

It was as if she gazed upon the activities of battling ants, the whole game spread out in the field of her glasses. There came a lull in the action and she knew that the sheriff had raised his voice to summon them to come out without their guns and go back as prisoners to stand trial for every crime under the sun.

Not a shot had been fired. Inside the stockade she could see Lang's men kneeling or flattened on the ground as they gazed through cracks in the walls.

She made out Harris, crouching in a draw. A thin haze of smoke spurted from his position. Three similar puffs showed along the face of the stockade. Then the sounds of the shots drifted to her—faint, snappy, reports. Throughout the next half-hour there was not a shot fired in the flat; no general bombardment, no wild shooting, but guerrilla warfare where every man held his fire for a definite human target. A man shifted his position in the stockade, raised to peer from a hole breast high, and she saw him pitch down on the ground before the sound of the shot reached her. One of her men had noted the darkening of the crack and had searched him out with a rifle shot. Three shots answered it from the main cabin.

She presently noted one of her men sitting under a sheltering bank and eating his lunch. She looked at her watch; it was after three—the day more than half gone and less than a hundred shots had been fired. Five men were down in the stockade.

The sidewalks lengthened rapidly, and her view through the glasses was beginning to blur when the gates of the stockade swung back and five horses dashed out, running at top speed under the urge of the spurs, a wild stampede for safety, every man for himself.

She saw one man turch sidewise and slip to the ground; another straightened in the saddle, swung for two jumps, and slid off backward across the rump of his mount. The shooting ceased when six shots had been fired. Four riderless horses were careening round the basin.

The stockade was empty, leaving only four in the house to be accounted for. A tiny point of light attracted her eye. It grew and spread. She knew that one of her men had crawled up under cover of night and fired the house. She thought of the burning buildings on the Three Bar and rose to make her way back to the pocket where the horses had been left in the care of a deputy.

All through the day she had scarcely moved and she was tired. The hours of inactivity had proved more wearing than a day in the saddle. Harris and the sheriff came in with their detail. There were no prisoners.

A little later Bentley's men rode up and five minutes behind them came Carp with the rest, and all hands turned in. At daylight the long journey to the Three Bar was

commenced. Twenty miles out from the ranch and before noon of the next day the sheriff and the marshals had split off with their men, leaving the Three Bar crew to ride the short intervening space to the ranch alone.

As she neared the edge of the Crazy Loop valley the girl dangled the first glimpse of the pillaged ranch.

And as they reached the edge of the valley and she looked down upon the ruins.

"Now I'm ready to go," she said. "I'll go and see what Judge Colton wants."

"He wanted you to get away before anything like this occurred," Harris said. "I knew that maybe we'd have tough going for a while at some critical time and wanted you to miss all of that—to come back and find the Three Bar booming and ready without having been through all the grief. So I wrote him to urge you to come."

"Well, I'm going now," she said. "I don't need to be urged."

Three of the homesteaders had been detailed to stay at the ranch. They were putting up a temporary fence across the lower end to hold range stock back from the trampled crops until a permanent one could be built and linked up with the side fences which still stood intact. She showed no interest in this. The sight below turned her weak and sick. She wanted but to get away from it all.

Harris pointed as they rode down the slope. The little cabin that old Bill Harris had first erected on the Three Bar, and which had later sheltered the Warrens when they came into possession of the brand, stood solid and unharmed among the blackened ruins which hemmed it in on all sides.

"Look, girl," he exclaimed triumphantly. "Look at that little house. The Three Bar was started with that! We have as much as our folks started with—and more. They even had to build that. We'll start where our folks did, and grow."

Parker and Taylor, not a new firm by any means. They have nothing to sell and little to give away, but they catch more fish than any other firm organized for the sole purpose of nimrodging the elusive reptile. Their seat of operations is Lake Childress and the personnel of the firm, either old or new is: Slat's Parker, barber and Lindsey Taylor, plumber.

E. W. Chenault, blacksmith of Lella Lake and therefore a valuable man to any community, was in town Friday attending to business.

City Marshall T. M. (Flop) Pyle, is regaled with a brand new star about the size of the official designation according to some jealous fellows who have retired to the curb.

R. H. Thomas and Ewell Hudson and father made a trip to the south plains visiting Frank Thomas at Beula returning Friday.

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Hays Files Suit



Will Hays, movie czar, and his wife have come to a parting of the ways after having been married 27 years. Hays filed a suit for divorce at Sullivan, Ind., charging incompatibility.

MAKING BUSINESS

"Poor Jim has been sent to an asylum," said the barber, flourishing a shining razor over his customer.

"Who's Jim?" asked the man in the chair.

"Jim is my twin brother, sir. Jim kept brooding over the hard times, an' I suppose he finally got crazy."

"Is that so?"

"Yes; he and me worked side by side for years, and we are so much alike we couldn't tell each other apart. We both brooded a great deal, too. No money in this business now."

"What's the reason?"

"Prices too low. Unless a customer takes a shampoo, it does not pay to shave or cut hair. Poor Jim! I caught him trying to cut a customer's throat because he refused a shampoo; so I had to have the poor fellow locked up. Makes me sad. Sometimes I feel sorry I didn't let him slash all he wanted to. It might have saved his reason. Shampoo, sir?"

"Yes."

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In an issue of the Childress Daily Index this week, there appears a quarter page ad of Montgomery Ward & Company telling to the world that they will sell lumber on the easy payment plan. The payments are to be made direct to the company and are lower than most of the building and loan associations.

Just what effect this will have on the old line lumber companies, is a matter of conjecture.

Clarendon Boy to Attend Military Training Camp

Announcement comes that J. P. Rhode, son of Mrs. Eva Rhode of this city, has been designated as one of eight boys from Allen Military Academy of Bryan, Texas to attend the military training camp at Ft. Sam Houston this summer.

This is one of the leading military training camps of the U. S. and it is quite an honor to a cadet to be given this privilege.

Mrs. Marvin Hall of Allanreed was a shopper in Clarendon Saturday.

Left \$67,000,000



J. L. M. Hopkins, grocer of Waynesville, O., aged 61, has fallen heir to \$67,000,000 from the estate of his great uncle, Mark Hopkins of San Francisco, whom he has never seen.

Mrs. Grover Heath and Mrs. Dallas Milmer of Hedley were shopping in Clarendon Saturday.

Misses Laura and Vera Brinson and Mrs. Leonard Tims of Hedley were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. James of Goodnight shopped here Saturday.

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New Law Changes Method Of Obtaining License Under New Requirements

The new law going into effect the 15th of this month, and which has been a subject for discussion ever since the law was first mentioned in the legislative halls, will materially change the method of obtaining a license. There are many good features about the new law. Since this law has aroused the curiosity of many, we are here with printing the law as it is written in the statutes.

Article 4605-A.—For the purpose of ascertaining all facts required under the statutes, the county clerk, at the time the license is applied for, shall examine the applicant or applicants for the license under oath as to age, and residence, which shall be reduced to writing by the county clerk, and subscribed to by applicant or applicants. In case either party is absent when application is made an affidavit shall be made by a person other than the contracting party as to age and residence of the absent party. Said affidavit to be filed in the county clerk's office.

Article 4604-B.—Application for license shall be made at least three days and not more than thirty days before the license shall be issued. Immediately upon receipt of an application for a license the county clerk shall register in a book kept for that purpose and marked "Notice of Intention to Marry", and after the expiration of three and not more than thirty days after the signing of the notice of intention to marry, the county clerk may issue said license.

Article 4604-C.—Before the county clerk shall issue a marriage license the man shall produce a certificate from a reputable licensed physician to show that he is free from venereal disease. The law as passed carried the ninety-day from adjournment clause which would make it become effective June 15, 1929.

CHAMBERLAIN

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blackman were called to Wichita Falls last week by the death of the lady's uncle.

Mrs. A. O. Yates of Clarendon called on Mrs. H. M. Reid one evening last week.

W. B. Barbee and family visited relatives near Lakeview last Sunday.

Miss Alice Behringer left to visit her brother at Pampa before going to her home to spend vacation near Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingle of Hedley spent Sunday with his father.

Miss Lolo Cook of Sunnyview spent the latter part of the week with Miss Mamie Dingle.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday and an interesting lesson discussed.

Our singing school will begin Monday night. Billie Bud and Geroldine Adudell spent Sunday at Lakeview.

Mrs. Henry Dosier of Ashola visited in our burg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gregg of Clarendon visited in the Rumpy home Sunday.

Mrs. Edwards is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. L. Blackman.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott of Windy Valley attended singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Skinner took dinner with C. R. Skinner Sunday in Clarendon.

Weldon Malone of Hedley spent Sunday here.

Frank Barbee has returned to his home here after an indefinite stay at Claude and Stratford.

Miss Zona Malone of Hedley spent Saturday night with Miss Pauline Foster.

Mrs. Bryson and son W. D. spent Saturday night with the lady's sister, near Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott of Lake Creek visited relatives here Sunday.

Joe Bourland is back from A. & M. Joe made a good record and is entitled to a rest if he gets a chance.

Porter Pierce is numbered among the Teach students to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hurn were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

GOLDSTON

We are having some fine weather and most every one has their crops up and every thing looking fine.

Mr. J. H. Nanney and son Winfred made a business trip Thursday to Turkey, Quitaque and Memphis.

The ball game between the first nine and the second nine teams that was played Friday was attended by a large crowd and was an interesting game but was won by the first nine by a few scores. There was a party in the J. E. Clemmons home Wednesday night. The Merry Maids club met at the school house Wednesday afternoon and several candidates were initiated.

There was some of the young folks from here attend a party in the Howard Rhodes home at Brice Saturday night.

Mrs. Mantooth has been real sick for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dale visited with their daughter Mrs. Cross and Mrs. Aduddell at Brice Sunday.

Miss Sadie Gray and Miss Ida Smith spent the week end with their brother and uncle Mr. W. H. Gray and they motored to Amarillo Sunday to visit Miss Cleo Gray.

Mrs. R. A. Brame and children spent the day with her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Dale Tuesday.

Mrs. Major B. Hudson spent the day in the Goldston community Monday.

Mr. Howard Stewart spent the day with home folks Thursday.

Mr. Pink Hahn is spending the week with his father at Quitaque.

Miss Mildred Brame visited with friends at Brice Sunday.

Miss Ida Spier has been visiting with her brother of Alanreed returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are nursing some cases of measles this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Jolley spent the day with Mr. Harris's father of Hedley Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Alanreed spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clemmons Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall of Eli spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brame Sunday.

Mr. Hugh Eldridge and Mr. Roy Clappitt were visitors in the Goldston community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hunt and baby spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morgan Sunday.

Mrs. S. Dilli spent the day with Mrs. W. H. Morgan Sunday.

A party was enjoyed by the young folks at Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bryants Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Veasy returned home from Hopkins county Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Spier of Alanreed spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. John Spier Sunday.

Mrs. Harwood Beville spent Thursday in Childress visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Youngblood and family were shopping in Amarillo Thursday.

Sam Braswell, Jr. is home after a session in the state university.

Cleo Brown returned home the last of the week after attending school in Canyon the last term.

Mrs. T. O. Kirby of Jericho was shopping in Clarendon Monday.

Farmers State Bank Is Continuing to Expand

From time to time we often hear comment made on the number of checks in circulation showing an increase in depositors of the Farmers State Bank. This bank has always born the reputation, and rightly too, of assisting in the development of every worth while project. J. D. Swift, cashier and loan man of the bank, takes a great interest in the farmer's problem. He did more than any single individual in seeing that all farmers wishing to make the trip, had a way to get to the dairy meet at Plainview. Mr. Swift has first hand information on rural problems and is quick to find the trouble when the business slows up. His advice is sought by dozens of farmers and we have yet to hear one say that his judgment was faulty.

Under the guidance of Mr. Swift the bank continues to grow and is rapidly taking its place among the best banks of the Panhandle. Deposits are steadily gaining. Good will is on the increase. There is no man who takes more interest in the individual problems of a depositor than Swift. His customers know this and confide in him.

The bank is backed by some of the best financiers in this section. Men who have made money, know its value and how to handle it to advantage. The stock is largely owned by farmers and ranchers. There is a welcome or home-like feeling in the bank that especially appeals to the new customer and is assuring to the old.

Merchants are also heavy depositors in this bank. A bank built on good will is bound to grow. The Farmers State Bank exists on good will and is growing. A careful comparison of deposits for the past three calls from the state department will surprise the casual observer.

F. D. Roan and W. E. Nelson, representing the Roan machine company of Newlin were in Clarendon on a business mission Saturday. These men reported their sales for the day as being around twenty-five hundred dollars and enthusiasm growing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hahn and daughter, Miss Jewell, of Bowie, Texas are guests of the Estlack family. Mrs. Hahn and Mrs. Estlack are sisters. Mr. Hahn is looking out for a possible location having disposed of his interests in Bowier recently.

Mrs. J. R. Adamson of Turkey was a shopping visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andis and children spent Sunday with Guy Andis and family near Pampa.

Miss Mantie Graves left Saturday for Mineral Wells where she will spend her vacation.

Mmes. Philip Gentry, Meredith Gentry and Selden Bagby were shopping in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lowe came down from Claude Saturday to spend the week end with relatives and friends in Clarendon.

Misses Bettie Weatherly, Lillian Murphey, Edna Butler and Jack Jones, Eddie Frantz and Earnest Hardin enjoyed an outing and picnic party at Troublesome canyon Sunday evening.

Noted Advertising Author Visits Here Monday

Mr. Charles N. Crewdson was a business caller in Clarendon Monday of this week. Mr. Crewdson is an experienced business man, is author of "Building Business", "Tales of the Road" and is a contributor to the Saturday Evening Post, Success Magazine and other journals of national reputation, writing on financial and advertising subjects. Mr. Crewdson is the owner of several advertising projects involving trademark advertising. He sold this service to a number of firms while here. The public will note some of this modern idea advertising in this issue. Some of these contracts with the Leader will run for five years.

Circle No. 2 Entertains

Circle No. 2 of the Woman's Missionary society entertained the other circles of the society at the home of Mrs. Stephenson Wednesday afternoon. The house was beautifully decorated with a certain variety of wild flowers of purple color, a native in this section. After the rendition of the program, an ice course in pink and cream color was served, with a rose bud as plate favor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Smith spent Sunday with their son O. L. on the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson and Mrs. G. W. Antrobus visited Mrs. A. F. Mahar at Amarillo Sunday.

Nazarenes To Hold Services At Courthouse Sunday

The public is invited to attend the services of the Nazarene church at the Courthouse next Sunday at 3:00 p. m. Mrs. Maud Busy of Hedley will do the preaching. Her regular appointments hereafter will be on the second and fourth Sundays of each month.

Mrs. E. R. Hooker, Mrs. A. T. Simmons, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Frank Simmons, all of Hedley, were Clarendon shoppers Monday.

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HEDLEY

Mr. J. N. Kendall was in Amarillo Sunday. Mr. Kendall reports wheat looking fine.

Mr. Jim Lynn motored over to Clarendon Tuesday to attend business.

Mr. S. F. Stewart of Turkey was here Tuesday, he reports that the farmers have some cotton up and the rest planted. The rain made the land in first rate condition.

Mrs. Luther Mobley of California, is here on a visit with her sister Mrs. C. L. Goin. We are glad to have her with us, but California must be a wonderful place, for she says she must return.

Miss Ruby Moffitt, Neta Culwell, Rhea Farley, and Mrs. Joyce Armstrong motored over to Memphis Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. S. S. Adamson went over to Lubbock, and spent the week end with his son Bob. Uncle Sime, said that the country sure looked good after the rains.

Mr. Lewis Hawkins, of Hedley and Mr. E. G. Christian of Memphis went over to Oklahoma City Sunday returning Tuesday. Les says that he visited in the Fire Department there, and enjoyed telling the boys that he was a fire boy of Hedley. He said the country along road looked just fine, and had been plenty of rain every where.

Mr. W. H. Chapman is here on a visit with old friends. Mr. Chapman lives in California. He has a host of friends here, that are glad to see him looking so good. That place they call sunny California must be a wonderful place, for people from there sure look good.

Mr. Alvin Cadenhead of Shamrock was here Monday adjusting Fridalra's for the West Texas Utilities Co.

We had a real bad scare Monday morning when a freight train struck Mr. G. J. McDougle's car. Mr. McDougle had started across the track and some way he killed the engine, on looking up he saw the train was upon him, and in his haste to get started again he must have got the car flooded, any way it failed to start. The on coming train hit the car and tore off the gas tank, and did quite a bit of damage to the car. It was lucky that he was not in the center of the track, or it would have been a terrible crash.

Mr. J. H. Farley and Chas Lowry went over to Wellington Tuesday attending to business.

Mr. J. A. Purdie and family were over to Wellington Sunday visiting friends, and attending the new Ritz theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Lowry and little daughter Sarah Beth motored over to Clarendon Saturday afternoon.

Miss Jewell Everett and Ruby Cable motored over to Memphis Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. M. Grundy of Memphis spent first of the week in the J. T. Adamson home, and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards, and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Edwards sisters, Mrs. Huckabq and Mrs. Grundy of Memphis.

Mr. R. E. Newman and son Pete went to Clarendon to attend business.

Miss Myrtle Reeves was in Clarendon Saturday, visiting friends and doing some shopping.

Mrs. Claude Strickland of Dallas came home Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Johnson and family were up Sunday from Memphis to visit with their brother Clifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Crawford were here Sunday from Memphis seeing old friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tucker were here visiting Mrs. Tucker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newman. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker report good crops from Estelline.

R. F. Newman was over to spend the week end with home folks. R. F. is with the ball team over at Wellington, we hope him success when he plays.

Mr. Robert Watkins, came in Monday. We are always glad to have Robert with us even though he does not stay long at a time.

Homer Pool left Monday for Canyon, where he is going to attend the summer term of school there.

Miss Cloteal Moreman left Friday night for Denton, she is attending the summer term of school there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adamson and family are here from Turkey visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Adamson, this week end. They are to attend the Eastern Star Installation.

It looked natural to have John back on the streets again, he re-

ports things fine and dandy over his way.

The Young People's Sunday School Class of the Methodist church met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. R. B. Adams Friday night for a business and social meeting. The class has reached its number of enrollment, and are ready to do some real Christian work. The business was the electing of new officers.

President, Gladys Ewen.
Sec. and Treas., Raymond Trussel

Press reporter, Gladys Ewen. The business all attended to the social hour was very much enjoyed by the following members; Ada Alexander, Maggie Bell Nail, Gladys Ewen, Rex Kendall, Raymond Trussel, Louis Boston, Pete Newman, and the hostess Mrs. R. B. Adams. Every one reported a wonderful time and the class will meet the second Tuesday in each month, and we hope all members will be present, and if there is any young people here who do not attend Sunday school, have an invitation to meet with us.

Miss Gladys Simpson left Friday night for Denton. She is going to school there this summer.

Miss Neta Culwell left Friday night for Denton. She will be there through the summer attending school. We regret very much to lose these young people, but are glad they are applying themselves to turn out better scholars.

The line crew from Childress is here making a new line for the West Texas Utilities Company. We have so many new houses going up that we had to have some new lines built to take care of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lindsey and Mrs. Oscar Alexander and son J. B. of Amarillo were here for the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson.

Rex Kendall, Miss Maggie Bell Nail, Mrs. E. D. Landreth and children and Johnnie Lee Landreth motored up to Groom Sunday to attend the services there. Rev. Landreth has been up the past three weeks helping in a revival meeting. The revival was a great success and they all returned home Sunday night. We are glad to have our pastor here again as we miss him from our church.

Friday night near Estelline the Ford car in which Charles Perdue was in was turned over and he was very badly hurt. He was rushed to the Amarillo hospital, where every thing was done for him, but he passed away late Sunday afternoon. He was brought here and the services were held at the Baptist church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, then the remains were taken to Clarendon, the family Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Perdue have our heart felt sympathy.

We regret very much the sad accident on little Sammie Walker who was killed out on the highway about one mile west of McKnight. The family was coming home and the car was hit by a car going east. Sammie lived a few hours but passed away Saturday night. The services were held at the Baptist

church Sunday evening. We give the father and his brothers and sisters our deepest sympathy in this hour of grief.

Gladys Ewen was seen in McKnight and Giles Saturday afternoon getting subscriptions for the paper. We as Hedley folks would certainly like to see her get the car, and she has our backing in every way.

Local Buick Dealer Now Displays Marquette

As announced over the nation by advertisements for the past several days, the Marquette car made its appearance on the floor of the Caraway sales room Saturday all other Buick dealers following a similar program for the grand opening day.

A large crowd viewed the Marquette Saturday and the local distributor, Odos Caraway, took pleasure in explaining the many new features in an enthusiastic manner. Buick men have long wanted a middle class car. They have just the car they have been needing and looking for it one may judge from the statements of the literature sent out from headquarters which are always considered accurate.

The price of the new car ranges from \$965 to 1035 according to model, all prices f. o. b. factory. Among the new features embodied in the Marquette are: non-glare windshield; new type of mohair upholstery; rubber engine mountings; dust proof head lamps. The Buick people adhered to the Fisher body, tapered chassis frame, a seventy-five pound crankshaft, adjustable steering wheel and other features found on a car of the better class.

The pickup claimed for this car of from 10 to 60 miles an hour in 31 seconds assures the owner of plenty of acceleration. Think of riding at 68 to 70 miles per hour with complete safety and get-away that you need in a car nowadays—and that is what you get states Mr. Caraway who expects to make the buying public take notice from here out.

Judge W. T. Link has moved his law office to the location formerly occupied by A. T. Cole in the Farmers State Bank building.

Jim Williamson of Iowa Park was in town Monday. Jim was in the confectionery business here a few years ago and is here to visit his daughter, Mrs. Barcu Antrobus.

Neal McKillop, who graduated from San Marcos Baptist academy recently, returned home Saturday.

Miss Majorie McKillop returned home Monday evening from an extended visit with relatives in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder and children of Borger attended the funeral of their nephew here Monday.

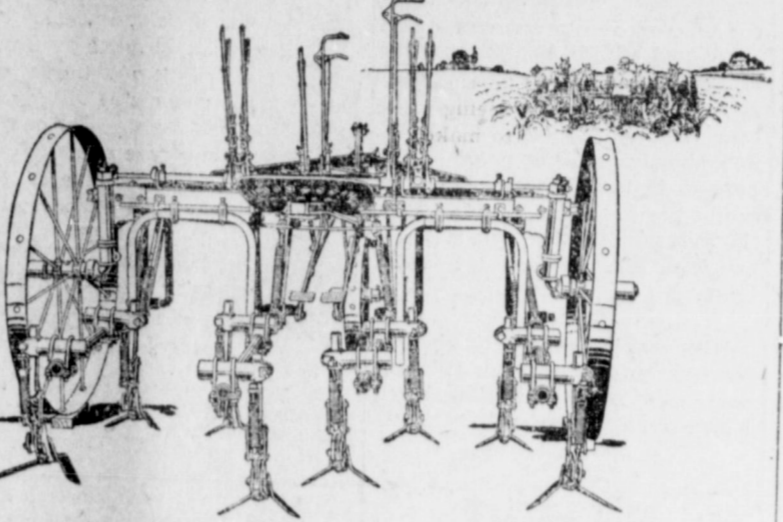
Andy Jay of Paducah visited friends in Clarendon Sunday.

Fred Rathjen and Elvis French visited friends in Amarillo Sunday

E. Hardin was an Amarillo visitor Sunday.

Miss Maud Bledsoe is attending Tech college for the summer term

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Business and Location Change

I have bought the Kent & Merchant Insurance business and the office will be moved to the rear of the Donley County State Bank Building.

To those who have been patronizing this business, I extend a wish to continue in the line as before. To those who have not been patrons, I extend the invitation to let me serve you.

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"Shirt Tail Lady"



Mrs. J. L. Murray, of Bloomington, Ill., who has presented to Mrs. Herbert Hoover an old-fashioned quilt made out of flour bags of a design which Mrs. Hoover so admired that she sent one to her son as a wedding gift several years ago. Mrs. Murray was known during the world-war as the "Shirt Tail Lady" because of the unique things she made out of men's old shirts.

was reported on garden, poultry and dairy demonstrations. Garments finished were graded and further instructions given in regard to clothing contest work.

Owing to the rain at the hour for meeting at Goldston May 21st only one woman ventured out. Agent made a home visit to Mrs. Sid Harris and appointed June 4th as the next meeting date for Goldston Women's Home Demonstration Club.

The Naylor Women's Home Demonstration club met with 18 present at the home of Mrs. Charley Corder. In view of the fact that their June demonstration on sheer dresses was to fall after June 21st when the style show is to be held the foods demonstration planned for this meeting was shifted to June and the demonstration on making sheer wash dresses was given at this time.

The Giles Women met at the home of Mrs. Harvey Stotts May 23rd. The same being true of Giles as of Naylor the sheer wash dress demonstration was given to the 12 women who attended.

The Giles Girl's Home Demonstration club met at noon at the Giles school. After hearing good home work reports and having a demonstration on school dress, literature was distributed to help the girls with the foods demonstration which is to be held at the home of Grace Bair June 10th.

The Butter Judging contest for Home Demonstration club women was held at the office of West Texas Utilities in Clarendon May 25. Miss Veda Swafford C. H. D. A. from Wellington scored the women judging the butter. Mr. Boston of Piggly-Wiggly furnished the 3 samples of butter scored. R. L. Bigger is furnishing the 2 first prizes, an automobile casing for each. A waterless cooker is the 3rd prize and a year's subscription to the Clarendon News is the 4th prize. Mrs. J. B. Turnbow won 1st place. Mrs. H. M. Reid won 2nd place. Mrs. Swinburn of Ashtola won 3rd place. Mrs. M. L. Pittman of Martin won 4th place.

Prizes will be awarded by donors on Rally day June 21st at Lelia Lake when all the Home Demonstration clubs of the county are to get together at Lelia Lake camp and have a review of work done and a picnic spread, a style show and the awarding of prizes. The county Judge, Commissioners and the business men who have donated prizes for club contests are invited to be present and enjoy the luncheon and as much of the entertainment as they have time for.

Lelia Lake club girls and boys met at the church in Lelia Lake May 21st and jointly planned a picnic to be held at Lelia Lake camp and a food sale which is to sponsor club boys and girls to A. & M. short course this summer. Ice cream, fried chicken, sandwiches, lemonade and orange ade are to be sold and the general public will be welcomed at the picnic. Open from 7:30 p. m. until 10:30 p. m. The boys and girls say everyone will have a good time.

The Lelia Lake club girls met for their demonstration after this joint meeting and good home work

ASK AND RECEIVE

"What were you and Mr. Smith talking about in the parlor?" demanded Miss Blushes' mother.

"Oh, we were discussing our kith and kin," replied the young lady.

"Yeth, you wath," interposed her little sister. Mr. Thmth asked you for kith, and you said "you kin."

—Am. Mutual Mag.

McKNIGHT

School closed last Friday afternoon. A very interesting program was rendered by the students of all of the grades directed under the capable management of Mrs. R. F. Matthews. The primaries gave the first program which was very interesting from the standpoint that several of the little folks were under school age; but regardless of that fact they did superbly well. Following the primaries the intermediates rendered a very interesting program. The closing of the exercise was featured by the play entitled "Sambobo's Party", acted by the pupils of Mr. Matthews room.

The teachers of the McKnight school wish to thank the patrons of this community for the fellowship and friendliness they have shown us for the past several months, and hope that they will continue to do so in the years to come.

At the close of this successful school term we wish to stop long enough to say that we owe our success to the patrons of this community. We sincerely appreciated ev-

Jones Law Author



Senator Wesley L. Jones, author of the Jones law, which has maximum penalties up to five years imprisonment and up to \$10,000 fine for prohibition violators.

ery effort to assist us in each and every matter that we undertook. By the Teachers of the McKnight school.

Again we wish to thank the storekeepers for their assistance in any enterprise that we undertook. The store of Mr. Victor Shelton and garage is commended as a first class vender of confections, groceries, gas, and oil. Mr. Shelton believes in backing his community to the utmost and in doing so he has built up for himself a very substantial trade by his square dealings.

Mr. J. H. Pierce our other groceryman who has been ill for several weeks, is also especially commended for his assistance to us in the past year. He enjoys a very wide trade territory, and is well known for his honesty in that he treats everyone as his friend and deals with him accordingly.

Mr. Joe Gatewood and Mr. Charlie Williams made a business trip to Clarendon Friday.

Prayer meeting that was to be held last week was postponed until this week.

Mr. Edd Jennings and relatives have been visiting in the home of Mr. Herman Kirkpatrick the past

week, returning to their homes in Trinidad, Colorado Saturday.

In the baseball games last Sunday the McKnight boys were successful in that they defeated both Bray and Giles in very hard fought games.

The play entitled "The Daughter of the Desert" brought over from Amarillo by Mr. Duggins was well attended and was enjoyed immensely by everyone present.

Sunday school and church were held regularly at the school building Sunday.

Earle Jones left here Friday for Clarendon where he stayed overnight with home folks and left for Dubuque, Iowa Saturday night where he intends to spend the summer.

Mr. Raymond Matthews and wife left for Commerce to make quite an extended visit with home folks. They will return to McKnight about the middle of July to resume school duties.

Mrs. J. C. Eubank and Mrs. M. C. Knight of Claude were shopping in Clarendon Saturday.

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CLUB NOTES

The following club notes were received too late for publication last week thru no fault of the County Demonstration agent. We are giving them space this week due to the fact that we believe the people out over the county will be interested, tho the items may be a week late. It shows the progress of the work being done in this respect and we are glad to co-operate with Miss Thompson in her work.

The Martin Girl's Home Demonstration club met at Martin school house May 20th. The work done was on school costumes to be entered in the Girl's 4-H Dress contest next meeting at Mary Frances Dewey's home, and the demonstrations is to be food preparation.

Twenty Hedley Home Demonstration club girls met at Hedley school at 3 p. m. May 20th. Good work on gardens, and poultry was reported. Clothing work was inspected at club with further instructions given, and a club picture was made with girls who had completed club caps and aprons wearing them. Their next meeting is to be at the home of one of their members. Miss Johnnie Webb of Hedley. At this meeting which is to be held June 3rd, they are to learn to prepare whole wheat muffins and vegetable salads.

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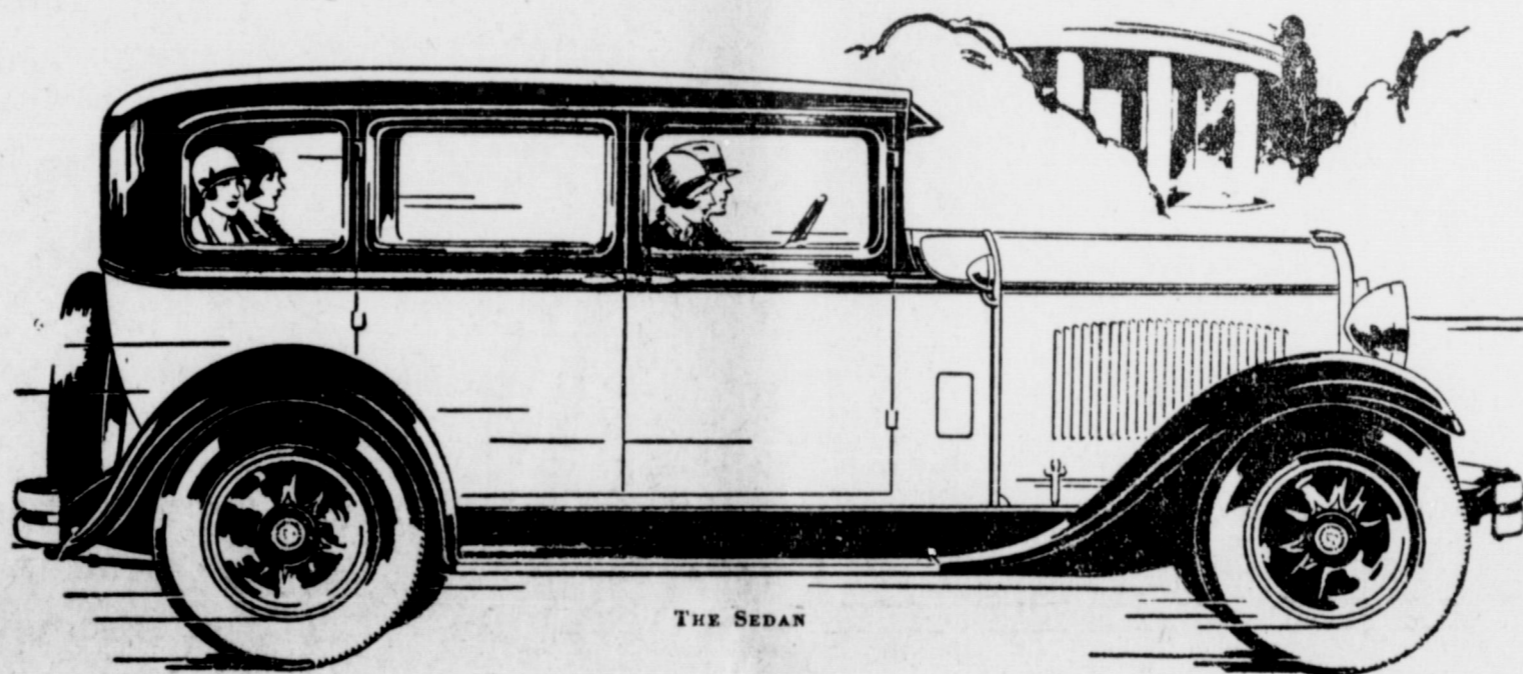
22 More Days and Leader Contest Will Close

A Few weeks Hence your Donley County Leader will award over \$2,000 in Handsome awards featuring as a Grand Capital prize a late model Dodge Brothers Sedan Valued at \$1215.00.

In all five Handsome awards will be given in addition to 15 per cent commission to Non-Prize winners. The Five Handsome Gifts to be awarded by the Leader on June 29th are as follows: Dodge Sedan, R. C. A. Radio, Five Piece Bedroom Suite, Diamond Ring, as well a lovely Diamond Bar Pin.

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This elegant five piece in Walnut consists of vanity dresser, and bench, chest, bed and night stand.

The Amarillo Furniture Company is now exhibiting this suite that you may see a real gift in home furnishing.

Look for this exhibit in their window.

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Can be seen by calling at Stockings Drug Store. It's sure a gem if there ever was one.

Commercial White Stone with mounting to match, see this ring, then set sail for the Leader Office.

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\$75 PLATINUM BAR PIN \$75

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**GOLDSTON BROTHERS
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"Where Gems And Gold Are Fairly Sold"

This lovely gift can be seen by calling at Goldston Bros. where it is on display.

Nominations will be received at this store, be sure and enter your name.

YOUR DONLEY COUNTY LEADER'S GREATER CIRCULATION CAMPAIGN

Hundreds of new paid in advance Subscriptions have already been added to the Subscription list of Your Donley County Leader, since the inception of our Big Free Prize Offer.

Subscriptions are coming in from all parts of the Leader's Trade Territory, Donley county—Hall county—Armstrong county, and Gray county are sending in their quota Daily.

The contestants are a unit in their praise for the kindness shown them during their Canvassing tours—The Leader joins hands with the Contestants in thanking one and all alike.

ALANREED

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reese and daughter Dutch were in Clarendon getting subscriptions for the Donley County Leader Monday.

The Purple Sage Oil well No. 2 is trying to be cleaned out. The men are progressing very nicely.

Mrs. T. H. Bourland of McLean was visiting in the home of Mrs. A. L. Hill Monday.

Mrs. Lovett Nobles was a McLean visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Palmer and son were in Clarendon Monday on business.

Miss Vivian Taylor of Wichita Falls is visiting home folks.

Jimmie Hill was in Alanreed Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Woods and son spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reese and daughter Dutch attended a baseball game Sunday afternoon at Alanreed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Reese, Claude Fulton and Jay Reese were in McLean Saturday on business.

Mrs. Whyllie Taylor who has been sick is improving very nicely now.

Mrs. J. W. Hill and son Odel were McLean visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Elton Lightfoot of Amarillo was visiting with the Hill family Wednesday night.

Miss Dexter Fincher of Canyon Texas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davenport.

Mr. Elmo Murry of Lefors, was a caller in the E. C. Reese home Thursday night.

Mr. Walter Brown has returned from a reunion at Wichita Falls.

We have had a very nice rain around over our community, and the farmers are wearing a smile.

Miss Dutch Reese, popular contestant in the Donley County Leader subscription contest, is receiving the hearty cooperation of the public in this section.

ASHTOLA

Mr. and Mrs. Gladys Trussel spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce at Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunkle and family of Goodnight, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hitchcock and Mr. and Mrs. Sauter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Richey Sunday.

Miss Ruby Wood of Clarendon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Ruby Durrett.

Mrs. Henry Lovell of Clarendon spent Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lovell.

Miss Selma Dial who has been visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Dial left for her home Tuesday at Cleburne.

Mrs. A. L. Allen, Mrs. Elmer Hunsucker, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen visited friends and relatives at Hedley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. John Dial, Miss Selma Dial and Mr. Edd Lovell visited in the H. W. Lovell home Monday night.

There was a large number of the people of the community attended the picture show Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Duie Goodman and family Tuesday night.

Mrs. Oleta Goodman of McLean who has been spending a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Swinburn returned to her home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christal and family of Lelia Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker and family Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Allen visited with relatives in Oklahoma the past week.

Miss Letha Pierce of Hedley and Mr. Gladys Trussel of Ashtola were quietly married at Hedley May 25. These young people are well liked in their respective communities and we wish for them much happiness down life's pathway. They are making their home on the Del Shares in this community.

The Ashtola Parent-Teachers met at the school house Friday evening to straighten out the business for the 1928-29 school year. They are in good shape financially and all old officers are to hold over. The body will not meet during the summer until just before the next term of school. We are hoping to enlist all the parents and have a successful organization next term. With the help of the teachers. We will have five teachers and all have already been elected.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gregg and family of Clarendon spent Sunday with their brother Elsie Gregg and family. Their mother who has not been well for some time returned home with them for several days visit.

There has been several people

of our community going fishing the past week. The following people report good luck and lots of fun, Mr. and Mrs. Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Goble Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Hunsucker, Mrs. Reed and their families also Clarence Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dial, Edd Lovell and Ina Poovey motored to Memphis Sunday.

Mr. Joe Lewis went to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phelan and son of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. John Smithy of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lovell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lovell visited in the Poovey home Sunday.

Grandma Cobb who has been visiting her daughter in Okla. for the past several months returned to the home of her son Clarence Cobb in this community where she will make her home.

Mr. Martin and family of Wichita Falls is visiting his sister Mrs. M. S. Swinburn.

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Alderson Offers Artistic Photo Display to Window Shoppers

The art display in the windows of the Alderson Art Studio & Gift Shop the past few days has occasioned no little comment. The retouching of photos along latest methods only to be found in the larger city art studios of this nature, are a surprise to many. Various sizes and finishes are shown with excellent effect.

The photos of contestants in the Leader's subscription campaign are especially good and afford an excellent opportunity for the artist to display his skill. After viewing these wonderful productions, one may rest assured that Clarendon has a real photo artist in the person of the proprietor, Mr. Earl Alderson, and his assistant, Mr. Earl Smith.

Both of these young men possess an unusual amount of ability, backed by a determination to go to the top in their profession. The degree of proficiency already attained is ample assurance that they will succeed.

Clarendon Golfers Winners Over Childress Players Here Sunday

J. R. Sherrill lost to John Penell.

C. A. Blanton lost to Bill Cooke.

Clyde Davidson lost to Ira Mer-

chant.

R. B. Turner lost to M. P. Gentry.

W. A. Blanton lost to Al Cooke.

Jack Khits lost to P. B. Gentry.

C. P. Sanders lost to Bennet Kerbow.

J. D. Mickl lost to A. N. Wood.

A. J. Brown lost to W. A. Willson.

Clarence Wiley lost to H. Kennedy.

Dick Wiley lost to Tom Connally.

Bert Leslie lost to Homer Parsons.

Charlie Barns lost to R. C. Weatherly Sr.

V. Franke lost to J. T. Patman.

Mickey lost to R. C. Weatherly Jr.

Hillard lost to Lee Casey.

C. B. McCollum won over Dr. Galloway.

A good time was had by all and we hope to have a return match with these players in the near future.

The Greatest Market Today

The greatest market today Mr. Business Man is the rural market. It is on the farms that by far the greater part of our people's wealth is created.

Thoughtful advertisers realize the binding tie between the Donley County Leader and our farmer friends. We are proud of our rural circulation, the rural news that we carry in our columns each week as all the other news that is well for their special benefit as fit to print.

We have subscription list second to none in the weekly paper field and adding new ones each day. The present campaign has already exceeded our fondest expectations.

The Donley County Leader works for its advertisers. Nothing is left undone that will make your space bring you returns. The same principle applies to the small readers in the classified columns as to the large display advertisements. Let's talk it over.

Miss Florence Garrett of Boise City, Okla. is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. S. H. Hunt and uncle, Earnest Hunt in this city.

Earl and Burl Beck of the well known cowboy boot making firm of Amarillo, were in Clarendon over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sloan and children of Plainview are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sloan.

Mrs. M. C. Cochran and daughter Miss Winnie of Amarillo, were guests of Mrs. J. C. Estlack Sunday night.

Mrs. Gammon and daughter Miss Julia, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Ft. Worth, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Vada Waldron is a recent student of the big school at Canyon.

Jack F. Jones had business in Hollis, Oklahoma and other points this week leaving here Monday.

O. K. Clark of White Deer visited friends in Clarendon over Sunday.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—166 head of good weaner pigs and shoats. Phone 225 Clarendon. A. E. or E. A. Wood. 11tfc.

FOR SALE—Large cypress elevated tank about 10x10 in good condition. A. H. Baker at District Clerk's Office. tfc.

FOR SALE—Maize heads and Red Top cane seed. Native seed clear of Johnson grass. R. M. Wilson, Box 242, Clarendon. tfc.

I do only expert watch repairing. S. F. Honeycutt, O. D. and Jeweler.

All kinds of watch repairing done right. S. F. Honeycutt, O. D. and Jeweler.

MILK COW—Good milk cow with

heifer calf. This cow is well known and is being sold because I don't need her for milk customers thru the summer. See her milked. Phone 455.

MILK COWS—All kinds of Jerseys. Fresh and otherwise. Just what you need. Phone 461. T. W. Smith. tfc.

FOR SALE—Peanuts 7c. Peas 5c. Phone 11 or 911B.

FOR SALE—Joe Lumas mule team, aged 6 and 7. Gentle and sound. Also Peter Schuttler wagon. Priced right. Phone 223. R. H. Thomas. 13p.

BULL SERVICE—Jersey bull, thorobred at \$3.00 for service. Good pasture and convenient. Phone 461. T. W. Smith. tfc.

FOR SALE—High grade Jersey

heifers fresh in milk. Will trade for stock cattle or hogs. J. P. Parks, Phone 484 tfc.

FOR SALE—Buick roadster. Young saddle horse with bridle and saddle. One shotgun. One low wheel wagon. Would trade for cattle. S. B. Kutch. Phone 492 tfc.

FOR SALE—Nancy Hall potato slips any amount. Phone 276. C. T. McClenney. tfc.

FOR RENT

furnished or unfurnished at the W. P. Blake house one block west of the City Hall. Priced right. See Mrs. Huffman at the Home Bakery. (9tfc)

FOR RENT—Two newly finished apartments for rent May 1st. H. B. Kerbow. tfc.

NURSE—Prepared rooms for o. b.

cases with experienced nurse. Call 503.

FOR SALE—Hay baling outfit consisting of buck rake, mower, baler and sweep rake. All or any part. E. M. Ozier. (9tfc)

FOR SALE—Nice young milk cows that you will be proud to own. See E. M. Ozier. (9tfc)

FOR SALE—Hay in bale or ton lots. Alfalfa or mixed. E. M. Ozier (9tfc)

WANTED

WANTED—Salesman. Must be energetic and willing to work. References necessary. H. C. Kerbow & Sons. 9tfc.

HOGS—Highest market price paid for hogs. It will pay you to see me before selling. Phone 940A. W. B. Mayfield. 13tfc.

**This Our Greatest Dress Sale
200 New Summer Dresses
For Women and Misses**



3 Days Only \$13.95 Thursday Friday Saturday

Beyond a doubt this is the Greatest Values ever grouped together at this price. Our entire line of high grade dresses go in this clean up sale--Values up to \$30.00

Size 14 to 48

See these dresses on display in our windows.

The Successful Permanent For Beauty and Charm the new DUART



You will be delighted with the beautiful lasting waves of the new Duart permanent--the Croquignole wind wave with ringlet ends--a soft natural wave. Every Permanent Guaranteed.

Special purchase sale. 100 Hart Schaffner & Marx suits in latest styles--Regular \$35.00 values for--

\$25.00

We were lucky; so are you. We just bought a great assortment of this price suit in the latest styles, patterns and fabrics from Hart Schaffner & Marx. See these suits on display in our windows.

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