

## VERDICT GIVES HILL STABBER SHORT TERM

### Jury Gets Case Saturday After Legal Battle Consuming Entire Week

Alleging self defense from the beginning, attorneys for Pete Williams charged with the death of O. C. Hill, Jr. which went to trial in the District Court at Amarillo Monday, did not alter their course through the entire trial.

The state was represented by Edward W. Thomerson assisted by R. E. Underwood and E. A. Simpson. The defendant was represented by E. T. Miller and C. G. Clayton.

The defendant claimed that he did not stab Hill at the Rodeo grounds on the night of July 4th until after Hill had repeatedly knocked him down and was on top of him. The prosecution claimed that nothing but the mere statement of Williams indicated that he had ever been knocked down.

Many witnesses were used on both sides and the case went to the jury about noon Saturday after a trial consuming all of the week. The jury deliberated until about four o'clock Sunday afternoon when they returned a verdict assessing the punishment at three and a half years in the state penitentiary.

The verdict is a distinct disappointment to the many friends of the deceased in Donley county. That the defendant will accept the short term is pretty generally agreed and no appeal notice has been filed.

## BRONCHOS BEST GROOM IN FIRST GAME OF SEASON

### Bronchos See Victorious Season Ahead With a Good Start At Groom Friday

Grooms crack High school football boys bowed in submission to the Broncho pigskin artists of Clarendon High Friday to the tune of 18 to 7. The Groom boys put up a heroic battle and are good sports scoring a touchdown early in the game.

The Bronchos made first down following Groom's touchdown and thereafter kept the ball in enemy territory.

Nichols, hefty left half, scored two of Clarendon's touchdowns, and Dillard intercepted a pass for the other.

Authorities on the game are of the opinion that the Bronchos show a need of improvement in the defense as well as the offensive phase of the game.

The charging ability of the team appears to be under par but workouts of the week will remedy this defect. The public is invited to attend the workouts and encourage the players by their interest. The regular player's names are given below.

C. E. Clemens, C. T. Ehhrens, J. T. Benson, C. Bourland, R. T. Davis, R. T. Wood, R. E. Devers, L. H. Andis, R. H. Whitlock, F. B. Montgomery and J. B. Hayter.

Mrs. Nora McMurtry of Tulla is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Talley.

### State Your Choice

Every newspaper man worthy of the name wants to give his readers what they want. What part of the Leader do you like best? Use a postal or letter and tell us what department you like best. The colored supplements used by some papers for fillers will be added if you want it. These colored sections are printed in Dallas, Kansas City or elsewhere and filled with foreign advertising. Since the reading matter is out of date, we have never been very strong for the idea. Do it today. Write that letter or postal and tell us what you think about it.

## Will Celebrate Birthday With Special Program

The first Sunday in October will be a big event in the life of Rev. C. B. Ingram for more than one reason. His friends are to celebrate his seventy-seventh birthday with a lunch at noon and program at the local Methodist church in the afternoon.

Rev. Ingram, itinerant Methodist preacher of this section and who covers a large number of pastorates in isolated places, has for some time been offering a blue ribbon to the church congregation that did not whisper during services. On this particular occasion, he is going to give to the church with the best record, a blue ribbon and a chart as a token of his high appreciation.

The twenty-one charges served by him will have representation on the special program. Rev. Ingram states that he has not had a whisper during services for some three months except by a visitor outside the community, a visitor from Denver, Colorado having furnished one whisper he states.

The representatives of each of these twenty-one communities are instructed to come to the home of Bro. Ingram Sunday morning, the first Sunday in October, each bringing two sandwiches, one for themselves and one for the preacher.

The afternoon program will begin about 2 p. m. Mr. Wingrove of Brice will lead the song service. Mmes. N. L. Murff and Estes will represent Brice territory. Mrs. Ike Davis and Mrs. Guy Lawrence will represent the Groom community. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beasley will represent the Doshier charge.

Messes. John Young and W. B. Dodson will be over from the Laidie community. Claude Hill and Bob Ferguson of the Bray community will be here. C. W. Gollighugh of Salt Fork will have his entire class over for the big day.

Rev. Ingram asks that other papers please copy as he wishes all the folks who hear him preach at the several places to be present and to help celebrate.

## PRESBYTERIANS DEDICATE NEW CHURCH SUN.

### Visiting Ministers Dedicate Church Before Assemblage That Taxed Capacity

The new Presbyterian church was dedicated with all the sacred rites of the organization in an impressive service here Sunday morning. Dr. H. S. Springall of Dallas preached at the morning hour choosing as his subject "Contribution of Presbyterianism to the present age."

W. M. Montgomery, lay member of this church practically since its founding, gave an interesting sketch of the history of the local church, its membership and accomplishments, etc.

The evening service was in charge of Dr. S. L. Joekel of Austin, who is a professor in the State University and also an instructor in Austin Theological Seminary. Dr. Joekel chose as his subject "Building for God" and delivered one of the most impressive sermons in Clarendon church history.

W. H. Patrick represented the mayor, Mr. H. W. Taylor, in a message conveying the best wishes of the civic interests of the city.

Rev. S. R. McClung, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, represented the other church interests in extending to the membership of the new church their best wishes.

O. W. Latson, contractor in charge of the construction of the church, presented the keys and expressed his high appreciation of the wonderful christian spirit in his dealings with the Board of Trustees.

F. E. Chamberlain, as chairman of the Board of Trustees, accepted the keys and expressed the wish that the membership might always serve the church with the same patience and accuracy as shown by Mr. Latson in the construction of the building.

Rev. Robt. S. McKee, pastor of the church, led in the responsive (Continued to Back Page)

## Natural Accident Friday Results In Freak Injury

While removing the tank from the west side of the power plant Friday, R. M. (Dick) Chunn happened to a very unusual injury.

After all preparations has been made according to his experience of long years in handling jobs of this kind, Mr. Chunn was stooped over just as the tank left its moorings and a weight attached to the arm which automatically regulates the water flow gave way and fell striking him in the back. The weight fell with such force that it forced him to the ground and no injury resulted to his back. Little attention was paid to the injury apparently of small consequences until Saturday morning. Mr. Chunn's foot had begun to pain giving him some concern and a physician was called.

The physician found that the bones of the right foot had been forced apart straining the ligaments causing the excessive pain. No explanation could be given by the physician other than that the body was forced downward with such sudden force as to injure the foot as described above. The weight did not strike the foot and no injury resulted from the blow in the back so far as the surface showed.

## LEGION VETS MAKE POPPIES

### U. S. Veterans At Legion Making 100,000 "Buddy Poppies" for Nov. 11

According to Miss Alice Eads, head of the Occupational Therapy department at the U. S. Veterans' Hospital at Legion, near Kerrville, the "Buddy Poppy" is now being made at Legion, the only hospital in Texas making it. The boys are at work on 100,000 "Buddy Poppies" for Armistice Day, November 11. They receive a penny each for every poppy they make, which means \$1,000 for sick men, who have no compensation, some of whom have families. "Why buy the commercial poppy, when you can buy the poppies being made at Kerrville and help war veterans who are sick with tuberculosis," is a question Miss Eads asks, to remind our people of a splendid work to be done by buying poppies made by the veterans.

The poppies are thoroughly sterilized, according to Miss Eads, being subjected to 300 degrees Fahrenheit, and never touched afterward by the sick. Miss Eads gives the credit of Legion veterans making the poppy to the American Legion Auxiliary, and its president, Mrs. Grady Kinsolving of Corpus Christi, who have been interested in the project and succeeded in having sick soldiers get the benefit of making the poppies.

A moving picture of Legion veterans making the "Buddy Poppy," has been made, and may be shown in our own picture-house, the Pastime, if application is made for it. Miss Eads urges that every American Legion post and unit in Texas as that sell poppies on Armistice Day, send in their orders at once to Miss Ella Mae Maddox, Littlefield Bldg., Austin, Texas. In turn, she will send materials to Legion for making up the poppies.

## Radio-Electric Shop To Occupy Space In Goldston Bldg.

A new firm to be known as the Radio-Electric Shop has purchased the stock, equipment and good will of Garrison Bros. and will establish the headquarters in the space formerly occupied by Harned Sisters in the Goldston building.

The new firm will handle a leading line of radios as well as a general line of electrical equipment. The firm will also employ electricians for all forms of electric work, repairing and wiring.

J. B. Redfern, a member of the new firm, will have charge of the business and will have associated with him Joe Oldston and possibly other business men. Mr. Redfern, a young man, has devoted several years to the study of radios and electrical subjects and was formerly in the employ of the local West Texas Utilities company here. He later entered the employ of Goldston Bros. as manager of their radio department.

## CHILD OF THREE IS LOST TWENTY FOUR HOURS

### Hundreds Search Roughs In Hunt That Locates Lad Three Miles From Home

Buster has been found! That was the news that was passed around in Clarendon late Monday afternoon just before dark. Who is buster? Buster is the name of the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gray who are temporarily living on the Van Eaton farm some fifteen miles northeast of here.

An obscure lad unknown to the most talked of fellow in Donley county was the sudden rise to fame of this little fellow because he became offended Sunday afternoon when his father forbid his going to the creek with other boys. Taking his cat in his arms, Buster wandered away from the cotton patch where his parents were at work and could not be located when night came.

The last that was seen of the hero of the most gigantic boy hunt in the Panhandle was when his mother saw him near the house playing with the cat that became his constant companion on his tour of the river breaks the night following and the next day.

The alarm went out Sunday night that Buster was lost. Neighbors helped hunt through the night and when morning came and the word went out that Buster could not be found, men began to arrive from Alameda, McLean, Hedley, Lelia Lake, Clarendon and other points in a mad search for the tot whose disappearance had become a profound mystery.

By mid-afternoon Monday several hundred men on foot, horseback and in autos were scouring the country in a mad search. All roads leading to the Rowe pasture and Van Eaton's farms were crowded with cars bringing more to aid in the quest of the unexplainable disappearance of Buster since no trace of him could be found.

T. A. T. of Amarillo dispatched a plane to the scene in charge of a young man of twenty-one years, Bobby Dewell by name. Bob skimmed the earth of every canyon near the place of disappearance flitting in and out among the hills barely above the tree tops in a manner that made the hair almost rise on the heads of nearby searchers. When his gas ran out, he parked his plane in a cotton patch, took on a supply and continued the search and was on the job until Buster was found.

"Buster Gray, aged three, brown eyes, striped unionalls and barefoot, recently of Quanah" was the message big hearted Homer Mulkey sent over the wires late Monday afternoon to radio stations KGRS at Amarillo and WBAP at Ft. Worth and daily papers of many cities. Mr. Mulkey had about concluded that Buster had been kidnapped and was leaving nothing undone to let the southwest know all about it.

When found, Buster was lying down with his kitty huggled up in his arms none the worse for his adventure, at a point about three miles north of where he was last seen. Although having spent the night alone in the open, and having passed through sandbur patches and briar thickets, Buster showed no scratches.

Tracks were found a short distance before Buster was located and the father sent this bit of encouragement back to the frantic mother. The father was with the party finding Buster and took him home where a reunited family and hundreds of good citizens rejoiced together.

## Whitlock Barber Shop Will Have New Glass Front

Workmen began Monday tearing out the old front of the Whitlock barber shop owned by Mrs. H. J. Edington. A modern glass front will be installed.

This front has done service for over a quarter of a century. A number of repairs have been made to the building from time to time this year.

## Taylor Paint Company Will Begin Operations Soon

Clarendon's second new firm is to begin operations soon with the opening of a paint and wallpaper store. The Radio Electric Company announces in this issue and the Taylor Paint Company will have their announcement before the public just as soon as suitable quarters may be obtained.

Several likely places are open and it will be a matter of a few days until the new firm will place their stock which was purchased in Amarillo the last of the week.

The paint company will be composed of the Taylor brothers, Henry G. and Homer Taylor, both of whom are well known locally for their square dealing and skill in their line of endeavor.

Henry G. Taylor returned here the last of the week from Ft. Collins, Colorado where he has been associated with a brother who is in the same line of business. In fact all five of the boys are following the same trade.

A complete stock of paints, wall paper, glass etc will be stocked and general contracting done as well as sign work and other lines that are included in a first-class paint company's scope of work.

## DEMONSTRATION AGENT PRAISES CLUB WORK

### Many Compliments Are Paid Donley County's Poultry And Club Show Held Here

The County Demonstrator and members of the various clubs over the county are pleased to learn that their efforts meet with the hearty approval of Miss Grubbs, District Home Demonstration Agent, who was here during the show and who did a part of the judging of the exhibits.

Miss Grubbs stated that this was the best showing made by the county since she began her work in this district three years ago. The entertainment ideas met with her approval and since the plays proved to be so popular, she hopes that they will be continued throughout the year.

M. E. Oats, agricultural agent of the Denver road, paid the ladies a high compliment and remarked that the local show attracted a larger crowd than any similar show he had ever visited. Mr. Oats estimated the attendance at the club plays Tuesday night as being around fifteen hundred.

The boosters behind the show movement are of the opinion that the band boys did much to bring the people together and wish to thank them also. The sponsors of the band originated the community play idea, but after Mr. Lindsey left, Mr. Boykin and Miss Thompson appropriated the idea for the benefit of the club show by making an agreement with Mr. Nored of the West Texas Utilities Company, who was made chairman of the original committee.

The public in general is giving the most of the credit to T. D. Nored for his willingness to lend a helping hand from carpenter work to playing in the band, and to Miss Thompson who marshalled her forces for the most successful club showing in Panhandle history, and to Mr. Boykin who shouldered all the perplexing problems and fathomed them out by hard work both manual and mental.

## Sheriff Didn't Visit Oklahoma To Investigate Death

Sheriff M. W. Mosley Saturday made the statement that he did not go either by himself or with anyone to Oklahoma to investigate the death of S. B. Scoggins who was out on bond to answer to the charge of having murdered the John Slaughter, who was acting as nightwatchman here at the time.

Scoggins is said to have dropped dead near his home in Crepe, Oklahoma last week, Wright and negro, the others charged with implication in the crime, are in the local jail awaiting action of the grand jury next month.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kutch are attending the Fair at Amarillo.

## Donley County Land Owners Will Plant Out Orchards

Year after year it becomes more apparent that Donley county is especially well suited to the growing of fruits, but caution or judgment should be used in the selection of varieties.

Plums are one of the leading varieties of fruit that seem to do well and this part of the Panhandle is fortunate in being able to produce the famed European varieties. Green Gage and Blue Damson plums are the leading varieties. The European plums are not so susceptible to insect pests as the Chickasaw plums or the Japanese varieties. They also blossom late and escape frosts. If apples hit, so will the European plums.

Early peaches blossom latest and this should be taken into consideration when a selection of varieties is made. Early peaches are the surest croppers here.

Among the apples, Delicious seems to produce well and then the Winesap varieties next. There is always a good demand for good apples.

Grapes are the surest crop of all and wide variety may be planted out with every assurance of grapes during the entire growing season. The earliest grape now known is the Delicious, then Moore's Early, Campbell's Early and after these, Concord follows closely. Carmen is a sure cropper but no early grape is of very high quality. Ellen Scott is a good mid-summer variety and does well in Donley county. Last Rose is the latest sure crop ripening in September and of a fine quality.

Most any variety of dewberries if propagated in the south will do well. Blackberries of any upright growth will do reasonably well but none of them are to be compared with dewberries. Black Kansas raspberries do well on tight soil but should be purchased from central states nurseries. Gooseberries are a success. Strawberries do well on the right kind of soil but have to be "petted" quite a bit if of the everbearing varieties.

## HALL TO SERVE 30 YEARS FOR HEDLEY MURDER

### Jury Out Four Hours In Case That Required Two Panels In Memphis Court Trial

Bert (Cowboy) Hall must serve thirty years for his part in the killing of J. H. Richey, Hedley nightwatchman Dec. 31st of last year, according to a jury trying the case at Memphis which rendered that verdict Wednesday night.

Hall was represented by E. T. (Dusty) Miller of Amarillo and David Fitzgerald of Memphis, District Attorney Mahan was assisted in the prosecution by W. T. Link and A. T. Cole of Clarendon. The first panel of 100 jurymen was exhausted with the selection of the eleventh juror. Ten additional men were called for jury duty from which the twelfth man was selected. The case occupied the court two days and every inch of ground was contested by both sides. The state asked for the death penalty.

It will be recalled that four men were charged with the crime, Joe Dunwoodie received a sentence of 99 years here during the spring term of court. Jimmie Brown, who was wounded during the alleged robbery of the store, was in a local sanitarium for some time and is yet to be tried. It is due to Brown's having turned state's evidence that the case was cleared up with such precision. The other man supposed to have participated in the robbery according to Brown, has never been heard of since his escape the night the murder was committed. Hall was tried on a charge of venue from this county and the trial date of Brown has not been set.

## Woman's Missionary Society

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. J. G. Sherman will lead in the lesson.

## OLD TIMERS WILL CELEBRATE DAY AT AMARILLO

### Old Settlers Will Celebrate September 25th At Big Amarillo Fair

Plans for a day of celebration of the pioneers of the Panhandle were unfolded and the usual interesting details plus some additional ones were added by the fair committee of the Old Settlers association at a luncheon meeting at the Amarillo hotel yesterday, Wednesday, September 25, during the Tri-State fair exposition has been set aside as Old Settlers' day.

"We're expecting a large attendance," Miss Laura V. Hammer, who with Horace Russell, secretary of the association, directs this committee, said she expressed the wish that all the newspapers in the Panhandle make mention of the day and the program.

"Fifty Years of Navigation in the Panhandle," by Judge Newt Willis, of Pampa and Canadian, heads the list of numbers on the program. W. H. Patrick of Clarendon will speak on "Cattle Brands and Other Endorsement," and Jepp Todd of Canadian will have as his subject "Out Where the Barb-wire Fence Began."

Judge J. C. Paul, president of the Panhandle Old Settlers' association, is out of town but will return in time to preside at the ceremonies. A special invitation has been extended to Col. Charles Goodnight of Clarendon to attend and his acceptance is expected, according to Miss Hammer.

## REVIVAL CLOSURES AFTER 2 WEEKS OF SUCCESS

### Many Additions Result From Convincing Eloquence Of Well Known Evangelist

The revival being conducted at the local Methodist church by Dr. Thurston B. Price was brought to a successful conclusion Sunday night. In a strong sermon at the last service choosing as his subject, "What must I do to be saved", Dr. Price held the undivided attention of his congregation to the last as he has done at each service since beginning his work here.

Choosing rather to appeal to the intellectual rather than the emotional nature of his hearers, Dr. Price condemned sin in a straightforward manner which resulted in some sixty-five conversions and reclamations during the two weeks.

The membership and well wishers of the church were liberal in their contributions to the visiting evangelist contributing about eight hundred dollars to his efforts by way of appreciation.

Dr. Price will hold his next revival at Tyler according to information given the Leader by a member of the local church.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wall of Lubbock visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Massie.

Mrs. Cal Merchant and Mrs. Ira Merchant visited in Amarillo Monday.

### On With The Show

It has been estimated that Texas has a few citizens left after deducting the number out on turlough and those serving on committees. Most of the citizens "free and footloose" are school teachers and kids, tho it is claimed at least five percent of the remainder are engaged in useful occupations. Though Texas has had some wonderful prison breaks the past few years, the Prison Commission states that Texas is 100 years behind the times, after making a visit to New York state where two prison breaks occurred the same week.

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**IMITATORS**

As imitators, the colored race is of a manner born. No sooner did the whites begin a new orgy of slaying in Borger than the niggers began the same thing in Amarillo. The method of waylaying the victim was followed and other details show a strong similarity.

**AIRMINDED**

There is no question but what the general public is becoming air-minded. When the planes were here Wednesday, dozens of citizens of Clarendon availed themselves of taking a ride in the air. Most of the folks showed a preference for the large tri-motored plane because it was closed in but there was a whole lot of folks who wanted to experience the thrills of darting thru the air like a bird and took a ride in the smaller plane.

The drivers use the utmost caution and there is practically no danger. Each plane is carefully inspected before each flight to see that the air bird is in prime condition.

**MORE DAM IDEAS**

Another citizen dropped in to give us the benefit of his ideas which are dam good ideas or good dam ideas just as you want to arrange it. Fred Ballew evidently thinks in more channels than by way of auto sales and service.

Here is Fred's idea. Build a dam on each of the draws that bring the water thru town. Arrange overflow or spillways so that the water can be let out gradually only in proportion to the ability of the city ditch to carry it off.

Since the crest of the flood could be impounded and let out gradually, Fred is of the opinion that there would be no occasion for any flood. That was something along the line that G. G. Kemp had in mind some two weeks ago. Several are becoming interested in the flood idea. What do you think about it?

**POULTRY AND CLUB SHOW**

Well the country folks put up fine exhibits—that is most of them came from the country or the suburbs. The country folks put on some dandy good plays. Those plays should become a monthly feature and the town folks should furnish the prize money. It affords an excellent opportunity to develop talent as well as get the folks together for a neighborly visit.

That poultry business has outgrown present dimensions and should be enlarged on next season according to the ideas of the poultry growers. T. L. Nored may not know much about the chickens wearing feathers, but he does know how to keep the visitors in a good humor and keep the ball rolling.

It was a good show and accomplished a world of good.

**PHONE SERVICE**

Most all public service corporations build good will by giving the public the best service possible. Instance the West Texas Utilities and other corporations.

The writer's phone refused to function on the 12th of this month. The matter was promptly reported and a new phone was installed on the 18th only a loss of service for six days which is pretty good for a little hick of a village.

This bum service, what little there is of it, is said to be due to a limited force and a very bum equipment. Of course it would be useless to ask the force anything about it because that would only result in them losing their jobs.

Here is another excellent chance for the Chamber of Commerce to render the membership and public at large a real service. If the present phone owners do not intend to operate, the writer knows a fellow who does and they can sell their junk to him, or he will put in a new equipment.

They're All Doing It Now  
Speaking of newspaper contents, quite a number of the boys are hitting them up hot and heavy

right now. If conducted in a legitimate manner, there is nothing like a subscription contest to fill up the galleys right now.

The Lockney Post-Herald has one going. Jimmy Smith and his partner have a dandy at Snyder. The Childress Index has started off in a blaze of glory. Perhaps the Index is getting ahead of the new paper that is to start there the first of next month.

If the Index gets by with theirs—and of course they will—Hilburn and Haskett will likely start one to boost their weekly. The public may get tired of it when they have to put up with two right in a bunch, but the weekly will get the subs too just the same.

Here's luck to you, boys, and may each of you get every reader in your trade territory on your list, make a lot of friends and no enemies.

**TRADE AT HOME**

The average newspaper man often hears the merchant cry "trade at home." Some even go so far as to ask the newspaper to explain the idea that goods just as good may be bought right at home for the same money or even less. That is a fact. All the people should patronize home merchants. Home labor should be employed at all times on all jobs.

Right at this time some merchants are buying bread from out of town firms when the same bread could be bought at home. Some of these firms also advocate the "trade at home" idea.

We have two good bakeries right here in Clarendon. Either will give as good service and produce as good a product as can be had anywhere. Why not demand the home product? Why should the consumer not demand that the merchant give them a loaf of bread with the brand of a home bakery? Trade at home? Sure, but let it include bread as well as other commodities.

**OFFICIAL TREACHERY**

Press reports state that Captain Frank Hamer, a state ranger, has intimated that he has in his possession an affidavit alleging official conspiracy in connection with the recent murder of District Attorney John A. Holmes.

Such conditions have existed previous to this time within our own state. It may be true of Borger. Holmes made the supreme sacrifice in the line of duty. His widow is of the opinion that he was double crossed. There is no penalty too severe to mete out to a peace officer who will betray the confidence of those who gave him a vote of confidence, much less intrigue to cause the death of a useful citizen and brother officer.

For the past few years citizens familiar with the situation in and around Borger, have had reason to believe that lawlessness could not be stopped there until the man or men "higher up" was called to account. It now looks like such statements were not mere speculation.

It may be said of a few of the peace officers now on the job that no amount of money will bribe them, and that all forms of lawlessness will be put to an end.

**A LARGER POULTRY SHOW**

T. D. Nored, a working member on the Board of the local Chamber of Commerce is of the opinion that a poultry show national in scope is possible to be formed from the nucleus already established.

The Panhandle-Plains Poultry Show. How does that sound? It is possible. Plainview has her dairy show. Other lesser towns have their fairs. It is up to Clarendon to have something different. We have the soil, climate, water and people to make it one of the greatest institutions in the southwest.

It will take money and effort. We can overcome either of those obstacles if that is all that will keep the people of Donley county from telling it to the world that we grow the best poultry to be found anywhere.

The invitation for cooperation

should be extended to all of north-west Texas, or all of that territory embraced in the Panhandle-Plains area. Several poultry growers did not think it worth while to exhibit here Tuesday and Wednesday because, as they thought, it would amount to so little that it was not worth their while. They will all come in strong next season. On with the poultry idea!

**THE LIBRARY**

The Clarendon Junior College library used by both students of the College and the High School, contains over seven thousand volumes. Of this number, there are a number of books in sets. Most of the books are well bound in leather or other expensive binding.

Despite the fact that we have this library, we have no suitable place in which to keep them. Many of the books lie on a common board shelf in a room that is neither plastered nor papered.

Only a small sum would be required to purchase modern cases for these books, many of which will be profitable as a reference work for a century.

The library room is divided into two sections. The back room needs more light and a better inside finish. School funds are limited. It is up to the people who are interested in such matters to see that these books are properly cared for that they may benefit this and the next generation.

The rooms are kept clean but the dust will naturally collect and cut out the binding. A paid librarian looks after the books most carefully but she can't keep them from deteriorating.

This is evidently a matter for the Parent-Teacher Association. If they have too many problems just now, a committee drive upon the part of the student body will put it over.

If you are interested in the "Bookcase Fund", call around and get the writer's contribution as a starter and put it over. Let's take care of what we now have.

**A DESIRE**

I wonder sometimes, dear heart, if along life's pathway we will walk together day after day.

Into my heart your love has entwined  
An everlasting faith undefined.

Faith, and a desire to be one of the people  
For the people, with a love untold  
To live within the walls of justice  
"To have, to hold."

An everlasting desire to do the work God has planned:  
To help the weak, and to build mankind;

Not with a rod of iron, or malice, or a supernatural will,  
But give to the world a love,  
"God's message to fulfill."  
—Jane Kerr.

**A PUZZLE**

Sambo: "Didn't you tell that procrastinate means to 'put off'?"  
Professor: "Dat am the signification of the word—yes sah!"  
Sambo: "Den, why did that street car conductor laugh when I says: 'Procrastinate' me at 21st street?"—Sith-Helm.



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*The Ancient Wailing Wall Scene of Carnage*



A view of the noted wailing wall in Jerusalem, used by those of Jewish faith for religious prayer, at which Jews were slain during the wars between Jews and Arabs. The Moslems charge that the Jews seek to extend their rights to the wall, and are opposed to it.

That's How He—Or She—Felt About It  
Celebrity: Say, for \$2,000 I'd smoke one of the darn things.  
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J. R. Dale was in the Leader office a few days ago and in summing up the 1929 situation stated that while his crop had escaped hail, the dry weather had done a plenty. He will harvest a pretty good crop even at that and incidentally mentioned the fact that the cows and chickens had paid all the expenses during the summer and could do as well this winter if necessary. Right now his cellar is full of canned stuff, some of it being two years old. The Dales are good farmers and live at home so far as possible.

J. H. Rutherford was a business visitor to Amarillo Friday.

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**ASHTOLA**

Sunday school was at the regular hour Sunday morning with a large attendance present. Preaching service followed. Rev. Oldham the Baptist pastor at Lelia Lake, preached a very interesting sermon.

Miss Vera Johnson returned home Sunday after a few weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Dixie Scarborough, of Petersburg.

Mrs. Louie Merrell and daughter, little Miss Muffett, went to Amarillo Saturday to see Mrs. Merrill's niece who was very sick. Mrs. C. B. Harp came home Sunday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Major Evans of Phoenix, Arizona, who has been very ill but Mrs. Harp reports her much improved.

Miss Irene Collier visited Misses Lavera and Ima Poovey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kid and children of near Hedley visited Mrs. Kid's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunsucker, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christal and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Parker and family Sunday.

Mr. Tucker and daughter Miss Ula Tucker went to their home at Canyon Wednesday after a few days visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Albert Reed.

Misses Mary Lovell and Lavera Poovey visited Mrs. Henry Lovell of Clarendon Saturday.

Miss DeEtte Reed left Wednesday for Canyon where she will attend school for the next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Moss came home Saturday after a few days visit with friends and relatives at Abilene.

There was a party at Mr. and Mrs. Millums Saturday, there was a large crowd present and every one present reported a good time.

Mr. Dee Jerdon is visiting his sister Mrs. Snodgrass at Borger at the present.

Mr. Hubert Lovell who has been working in the Lovell Garage here for several months visited his uncle H. W. Lovell and family Monday then left that evening for his father's home at Money Grove.

Mr. Homer Poovey of Waxahachie, and Mr. Walter Crafton of Ft. Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey and family the past week.

Miss Ruby Durrett left Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. Peatfish in California.

Mr. Irwin and son's and James Durrett returned home Saturday from Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wallace and daughter Virgie and Ruby Reed visited friends and relatives at Lelia Lake Sunday.

Miss Ruby Wood of Clarendon visited in Ashtola Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen went to Hedley Sunday where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Vaughn of Clarendon visited Mrs. Vaughn's father, Mr. W. F. Barker Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Scarborough at Petersburg came Sunday, he will work at the gin this season.

Mr. W. A. Poovey, Mr. Homer Poovey, and Walter Craftman made a business trip to Canyon Monday.

Mr. Clarence Collier and family of East Texas have moved in this community for the present.

Mr. J. A. Johnson, George Worrick, Ross DeFriece and Edd Lovell went to Wheeler county Friday on business.

The Ashtola P.-T. A. met Thursday afternoon with a good attendance and a very interesting and profitable meeting. Punch and cake was served to all present which was very much enjoyed.

W. P. Holley is improving his home and building a shack for cotton pickers. H. W. Lovell is also building a house for cotton pickers on the Sammie Dyer place.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Emma Dozier suffering from several badly mashed fingers which she received when she shut the car door.

Bro. Williams of Clarendon preached Thursday and Friday night of last week in the school auditorium.

Clarence Hitchcock and wife visited friends at Newlin Sunday.

Several from here attended the Williams trial at Amarillo.

We have had good rains in this community which was very much appreciated. Cotton has begun to open and several bales have been ginned up to date.

Quite a few people from here attended the fair at Clarendon. The Home Demonstration Club from this community entered a booth and won third prize. Several members of the girls Club exhibited their work and won prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kimpton and son visited in the J. S. Hayter home Friday night.

**McKNIGHT**

Sunday school was held at the regular hour, with a large attendance. The contest will end next Sunday, the losing side will entertain the winner with a picnic Sunday afternoon.

The Methodist revival, conducted by Bro. Landreth of Hedley, ended Friday night. The good preaching was enjoyed by all and we feel that some good has been done.

Prayer meeting will be held every Wednesday night from now on. Starting at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Every one is invited to come.

The farmers are getting out their cotton fast now. Soon the gin will have to run steady to keep up with their gining.

Mr. Perry Neal of Quitaque is spending this week with his sister, Mrs. Vick Shelton, we are glad to see him looking so well after his prolonged illness.

Miss Lois Jamar of Oklahoma is spending this week with her cousin, Miss Edna DeBord.

School turned out Friday for cotton picking. Everyone reports a nice time who attended the closing day picnic.

Mr. Walter Ginn and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Ginn's parents of Lelia Lake.

Miss Ruby Phillips, one of the school teachers left Friday for her home in Newlin, where she will spend her vacation.

Mrs. Ruby Meriman of Ashtola visited her mother, Mrs. J. C. Boles the past week.

Mr. Garnet Willingham and wife of Quail spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. DeBord.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Higdon's are leaving our community, we know the Ring community welcomes them as they are good neighbors and church workers.

Mr. Landon Duggins and Miss Marie Gatewood attended church in Hedley Sunday night.

Miss Ruth Wilson of Clarendon is visiting Miss Gladys Weeb this week.

Mr. Paul Grisby and Miss Altha Youree of Ring were visitors in McKnight Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vick Shelton were visitors in Wellington Thursday.

Mr. Tom Messer left Friday for Ft. Worth on business.

Mr. Will H. Hill and family who have been with Grandma Hill of Boyd, who is very ill, returned home Saturday morning.

Miss Inez Boles, who has been staying with her grandmother, returned to her home in Giles to spend a few weeks.

Miss Ida Hill who has been visiting near Duncan, Oklahoma for the past two weeks returned home Saturday morning.

Mr. C. W. Williams and family left Saturday for Vernon, where they will spend a few days. Grandma Williams will return home with them.

Misses Eula Rose Allen and Errie Friday, teachers of the Windy Valley school, called at the Leader office Monday to say that their school had disbanded for cotton picking and asked that the Leader follow them to their home addresses. Miss Friday lives at Blooming Grove and left for that place Monday night.

Mrs. Excell McFarling of Breckenridge, Mrs. Hugh McKelvey of Memphis and Mrs. Ross Adamson of Hedley spent Tuesday with Mrs. Bunt Owen.

Miss Ruby Lee Landers of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Latson visited in McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Fink went to Lubbock Sunday where Mr. Fink will undergo a major operation.

Mrs. May Hickman and Mr. McKinney of Borger, visited over the week end in the F. C. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wall and children, Lula and Johny, of Groom spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. A. Massie.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Greer and family who have been visiting Mrs. Greer's sister, Mrs. DeFriece and family, left Friday.

The parents of the community met Friday at the request of the trustees to decide whether school should dismiss for the children to help with the cotton picking or not. They decided for the school to stop when the trustees decided it would be best for the community at large. There was no definite length of time set for the school to stay stopped.

**HEDLEY**

Mr. H. W. Stogner, was the lucky one in the drawing at the Real Service Station last Saturday afternoon. The manager, Mr. L. A. Hart, gave away a Radio, to the one drawing the number that was selected out of the numbers given away when you bought gas and oil. There was a large crowd and lots of tickets, but just one was lucky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adamson of Ashtola were visiting in the J. T. Adamson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stokes Rosser and family, and Loscar Rosser were visiting friends here Sunday, they returned to their home in Plainview.

Miss Verda Gilliam is now working in the Security State Bank.

Mrs. Exil McFarlin of Breckenridge who has been visiting her father, was in Memphis the past week with her sister, Mrs. Hugh McKelvey.

S. C. Richardson made a business trip to Clarendon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Pertele were over to Clarendon Wednesday riding the big Ford airplane.

Mrs. E. M. Ewen and daughter Ollie Ruth of Memphis were here Wednesday visiting her sister, Mrs. C. J. McDougle.

Mrs. Donal Linsey of Amarillo is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson this week.

Mr. Roy Kutch of Childress made a business call on the office of the West Texas Utilities Company Friday afternoon.

Miss Mary Harris left the first of the week for cool Colorado to make a months visit.

Gladys Ewen is seen driving one of the new Fords. The Ford must be good as the new ones are sure being seen out on the highway.

Mr. Ernest and Kermit Johnson went to Dallas last week end, where Kermit stayed to attend school there the coming year.

Capt. Nat. S. Perrine of Amarillo was here Monday attending to business. Mr. J. S. Perrine who has been making his home here for the past several months returned to Amarillo with his son.

The 1919 Jr. Study Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alva Simmons. The following program was given: Roll call, Texas Poets. Sketch of life and work of three Western Poets, Miss Cloteal Moreman. Eastern Poets, Miss Melba Johnson. Southern Poets, Mrs. Hobert Moffitt.

Modern Poem, Mrs. Garvin McCaskill.

The program was very much enjoyed by all. After the program and business was over the following club members were served to a delicious plate lunch. Mmes. Charles Evertt, Dannie Battle, P. L. Dishman, Elvin Hicky, Garvin McCaskill, Ralph Moreman, Misses Cloteal Moreman, Melba Johnson, and Alice Noel. Mrs. Alva Simmons, Hobert Moffitt, and Rainey Westberry as hostess. Every one had a delightful time and hope they can meet with Mrs. Simmons again real soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adamson, Gladys Ewen and little Inez went to Amarillo for the week end.

**PETIT JURY LIST**

Petit Jurors selected for the second week of the October term of District Court 1929:

- J. R. Calhoun
- W. O. Butler
- F. L. Bourland
- H. C. Brumley
- U. J. Boston
- J. A. Pool
- J. A. Stewart
- Tom Tate
- W. P. Smith
- D. B. Stephens
- L. R. Bates
- D. F. Rundel
- J. A. Lemmons
- C. L. Hohnson
- J. F. Blocker
- W. S. Bagby
- G. R. Grant
- R. S. Ballew
- A. L. Chase
- D. W. Tomlinson
- Charles Lowery
- E. R. Andis
- W. J. Self
- J. W. Noel
- W. H. Morgan
- J. D. Pope
- W. W. Gorman
- W. E. Clifford
- John H. Clark
- M. P. Gentry
- W. M. Pickering
- John Hennesmeyer
- Frank M. Barton
- W. O. Drake
- W. F. Shannon
- W. A. Poovey.

**Hi-Y Officer's Training Camp In Session At Canyon**

Scoutmaster I. E. Jolly led the singing and otherwise appeared on the program at the Hi-Y officer's training camp at Canyon Saturday. The session was held on the Methodist camp ground and a large attendance was present to enjoy the program.

Cearley Read Kinnard, Chas. Flannery, A. R. Evans and Vance Swinburne of Memphis accompanied Mr. Jolly from that point for the training.

Prof C. E. Batton accompanied the Clarendon boys to the Hi-Y meet at Canyon Saturday.

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Mrs. A. Phillips of Memphis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kate Hildebrand.

Mrs. White of Hedley spent the past week here in the home of her son, Mr. Frank White, Sr.

Mrs. Gertrude Baker of Amarillo spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. J. D. McAdams.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Liesberg accompanied their granddaughter Bobby Lynch home Sunday.

C. L. Benson, Jr. is a student of Texas Tech at Lubbock having entered for the classes Monday.

Miss Beulah Baird spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Beville, Jr., at Amarillo.

**Provender Vanishes Into Thin Air While Owner Sleeps**

Some low down snake in the grass of a thief with all the malice aforethought that it is possible for the human mind to congregate into one skull purloined from the front porch of E. Price of road construction fame in this city Saturday night one tub of select peaches and three choice water-melons.

It matters not from whom this provender was gotten or in what manner, but E. Price can tell the thief just what he thinks of his methods of dampening the ardor of industry if he will only come clean and tell how it was done.

**Baptists Of Two Counties Will Meet At Turkey**

Sunday school and E. Y. P. U. workers of each of the churches in Hall and Donley counties will meet at the First Baptist church at Turkey Friday, September the 27th.

The program will begin at 7 p. m. and includes speakers and preachers of note as well as laymen who are interested in these phases of church work.

This program will take the place of the regular Fifth Sunday meeting here to which the public is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bromley returned to Clarendon Sunday evening after spending the summer at Manitou, Colorado and Albuquerque for the benefit of Mr. Bromley's health. Mr. Bromley states that he gained twenty pounds while away and feels like a new man.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sims, Mrs. Eva Draffin and Mrs. Mollie Gray attended the W. M. S. district meet at the First Baptist Church at Amarillo Friday.

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Mrs. Dollie Barnhart returned to her home at Pampa Saturday after a visit with Mrs. J. B. Baird.

Messrs. Steagal and Homer Gorman have been putting up a building for E. P. Berry near Washburn, coming down to spend Sunday with homefolks.

Misses Boon and Dixie Massey of Oklahoma visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Baker Tuesday on their way home from Panhandle.

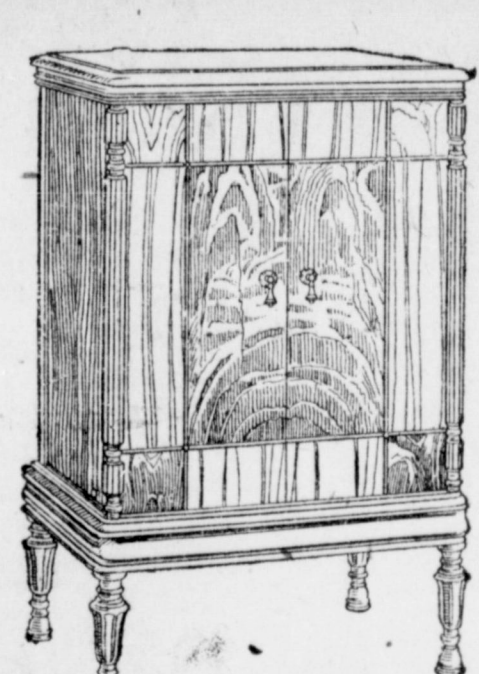
Mrs. M. D. Stephens, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ozier, returned to her home at Lamesa Sunday. She was accompanied as far as Plainview by Mr. Ozier and Mrs. Manly Ozier.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hallmark and babe and Mrs. Paul Atteberry and children of Amarillo visited the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kutch Sunday.



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**SOCIETY**

**1922 BRIDGE CLUB**

Mrs. J. T. Sims entertained the 1922 Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon in her usual charming manner. The rooms were beautifully decorated with garden flowers, asters predominating.

Mrs. W. H. Cooke was the recipient of the club prize. Mrs. J. F. Blocker received the guest prize and Mrs. Holman Kennedy cut consolation.

After the games a two course luncheon was served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Morris, to the following: Mmes. R. A. Chamberlain, W. J. Word, A. R. Letts, W. H. Cooke, H. Kennedy, J. F. Blocker, Odos Caraway, W. H. Martin, L. S. Bagby, W. H. Patrick, T. H. Ellis and Sella Gentry.

**FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB**

Mrs. Park Chamberlain proved herself to be a delightful hostess Friday afternoon when she entertained the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club at the home of her mother, Mrs. Maggie Bennett.

The rooms were decorated with a variety of asters and roses especially for the occasion, and were most beautiful.

Mrs. Phillips Gentry won high score, Miss Mildred Martin won cut.

The hostess served a two course refreshment to Mmes. Phillips Gentry, Meredith Gentry, Forest Taylor, Oscar Jenkins, Jr., Sam Dyer, Clarence Miller, Seldon Bagby, Jim Morris, Holman Kennedy, Miss Mildred Martin and Mrs. Chas. M. Bell and Mrs. Ira Merchant who were guests for the afternoon.

**SATURDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB**

Mrs. Odos Caraway entertained the Saturday afternoon Bridge Club at her home Saturday afternoon with two tables.

Mrs. George A. Ryan won high score and Mrs. W. H. Patrick cut consolation. Following the games, refreshments were served by the hostess to Mmes. W. H. Patrick, Jim McMurtry, G. A. Ryan, R. A.

**PATHFINDER CLUB**

Mmes. J. T. Sims and C. A. Burton will be joint hostesses to the Pathfinder Club Friday afternoon at 3:30 at the Club Room of the Municipal building.

This is the first meeting of the new Club year and all members are requested to be present. A musical program of unusual interest has been arranged for this occasion and the following new officers will be installed: President, Mrs. Jim McMurtry; vice-president, Mrs. A. T. Cole; secretary, Mrs. J. T. Patman; treasurer, Mrs. M. M. Noble; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Nathan Cox; historian, Mrs. W. B. Sims; librarian, Mrs. C. A. Burton; representative to the County Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. E. P. Shelton.

**THURSDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB**

The Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club was entertained by Miss Beulah Baird Thursday afternoon at her home in the west end with two tables of auction bridge.

The home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and pot plants. Mrs. M. H. Rhodes won high score prize and Miss Mary Cooke drew consolation.

After the games, a dainty two course luncheon was served to Mmes. Earl Alexander, P. L. Chamberlain, Clyde Price, M. H. Rhodes, T. H. Ellis, Chas. M. Bell, Miss Mary Cooke and the guest of the afternoon, Miss Mildred Martin.

**Clarendon Demonstration Club**

The Clarendon Home Demonstration Club was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. O. D. Liesberg. A short business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. W. H. Youngblood, who also read a report of the score card of the Club's booth at the Poultry and Club Show.

Upon motion of Mrs. J. D. Stocking, the members present voiced their approval by rising vote, praising the efforts of Miss Harvey Thompson, County Demonstration agent, for her work in making the Club Show a success, and pledged her their united support in making the exhibits next year better.

**Christian Ladies Aid**

The regular meeting of this organization was held in the church basement Wednesday, seventeen members being present. The day was spent in quilting, three being finished as a reward for their efforts.

The mid-afternoon service was presided over by Mrs. Eva Humphrey who led in prayer. Mrs. W. T. Hayter led in the discussion of the bible lesson.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. O. D. Liesberg and an outline of the church work for the coming winter was discussed. The meeting closed by repeating the Lord's prayer in unison.

After the business session, Mrs. Toomb was invited into the dining room followed by the membership. To her surprise, there was displayed on the table a beautiful cake with candles arranged to form the figures "69", that being the birthday of Mrs. Toomb. The wish was made and the candles blown out.

Presently Mrs. Liesberg entered bearing a large basket containing twenty-four nice beautiful handkerchiefs and presented them to Mrs. Toomb, who graciously expressed her thanks for the kindly remembrance which was a great surprise to her as she had not been informed of the Club's object.

Mrs. R. H. Cline also presented Mrs. Toomb with a beautiful bouquet of roses as a further token of appreciation of the Club.

The hostess assisted by Miss Ruby Hahn, served a refreshment plate to Mmes. G. A. Anderson, A. H. Baker, O. L. Fink, J. D. Stocking, J. A. Meaders, S. B. Arnold, J. C. Estlack, M. T. Crabtree, M. Toomb, Wm. Spitzer, C. R. Skinner, W. L. Crane, J. W. Watts, C. L. Benson, C. E. Lindsey, H. J. Edington, W. H. Youngblood, Fred Ballew, Miss Katie Meaders and the hostess, Mrs. O. D. Liesberg, and the guests of the evening, Mrs. Lonnie Hahn and daughter, Miss Ruby, and Mrs. R. H. Cline.

The next meeting will be held all day Oct. 4th at the beautiful farm home of Mrs. J. A. Meaders.

**Mrs. John F. Blocker Entertains Honoring Mrs. Sam Sayers**

Mrs. John F. Blocker, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Dorr Ellis, entertained at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon honoring Mrs. Sam Sayers who is to leave soon for her new home at Mineral Wells.

Only old time friends of Mrs. Sayers were invited. Mrs. Ed Bromley arrived in advance of the guests and took Mrs. Sayers for an auto ride while the other guests arranged a handkerchief shower, the entire program of the afternoon being a surprise affair for the honoree.

Those especially invited were friends of many years of Mrs. Sayers and included Mmes. Ed Bromley, H. W. Taylor, R. W. Talley, T. H. Peebles, D. P. Ross, M. M. Nobles, Joe Cluck, and Mrs. Cluck's mother, Mrs. Reeves, R. M. Morris, Cal Merchant, O. W. Latson, G. E. Allen, C. A. Burton, J. H. Hurn, W. T. Clifford, Cliff McDowell and Dave Johnson.

Iced courses were served to these good friends of the honor guest and the afternoon devoted to conversation. While somewhat tinged with sadness at her leaving, these friends were happy to be present to do honor to one of Donley County's highly respected pioneers.

**Mother's Club Meets**

The Mother's Club was entertained by Mrs. W. M. Patman Friday afternoon, twelve members being present. A very interesting lesson topic of "Do we fail in teaching love, gratitude and respect? If so, why?" was discussed at length in a most interesting manner by the leader, Mrs. Geo. A. Ryan, in which she was assisted by Mmes. U. J. Boston, Wm. C. McDonald and H. T. Burton.

In the absence of Mrs. Paul Shelton, president, the business was presided over by Mrs. H. T. Burton.

After the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess to Mmes. G. A. Ryan, T. D. Nored, H. T. Burton, Dorr Ellis, Bill Bromley, Richard Wilkerson, U. J. Boston, T. H. Ellis, W. C. McDonald, W. W. Taylor and C. J. Douglas.

**Baptist Missionary Society**

Due to the visit of the State Corresponding Secretary Mrs. H. R. Leigh and Mrs. J. R. Grundy, District President, a large attendance was noted at the meeting of the Society which was held in the church parlors Wednesday.

Mrs. W. C. Stewart led in the devotional service which opened with a prayer by the pastor, Rev. S. R. McClung.

An interesting talk on the subject of "co-operation" was made by Mrs. Leigh which furnished much food for thought. A number of those present expressed their personal pleasure at being present for the talk. Refreshments were served.

**Episcopal Auxilliary**

Mrs. A. R. Letts entertained the Auxilliary of the Episcopal church at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The bible lesson was in charge of Mrs. James Trent and Mrs. L. S. Bagby led in study. During the business session it was decided to entertain at the Parish house with a Halloween party supplemented with refreshments and games.

The hostess served refreshments.

**Presbyterian Auxilliary**

The ladies of the Auxilliary enjoying an era of enthusiasm since it is possible to meet in the parlors of their new church. The meeting Wednesday afternoon was presided over by Mrs. Robt. S. McKee, who led in the lesson study taken from the book of Acts.

During the business meeting a number of matters were discussed pertaining to the completion of the church building and the work of their organization for the winter months.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

**ST. JOHN'S CHAPTER**

Mrs. Selden Bagby was hostess to the Chapter of the Episcopal church at the Parish Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments were served to a good attendance.

Messrs. Homer Mulkey, G. G. Kemp, A. L. Chase and T. D. Nored were Hedley visitors Friday.

**1926 Book Club**

Mmes. Elba Ballew and Rayburn Smith were hostesses to the 1926 Book Club in the club room at the Municipal Building Tuesday afternoon.

The room was beautifully decorated with ferns, pot and cut flowers.

A synopsis of "Sacrifice", a book written by Owen Johnson, was discussed in an interesting manner by Mrs. Richard Wilkerson.

**COOKE-FOREST**

A wedding of unusual interest to local people occurred in St. Clement's Episcopal church at El Paso recently when Miss Frances Cooke became the bride of Mr. Edwin Forrest of Amarillo.

Friends present for the nuptials were Mr. and Mrs. Del Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan, (former residents of Clarendon), Mrs. Julia Cooke Yates and Miss Helen Cooke, a sister, all of El Paso, and Mr. Cal Herring of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan honored the newly-weds with a dinner following the ceremony. Mr. Herring entertained with a special Spanish dinner in Jaurez the following evening.

Mrs. Forrest grew to womanhood here, was educated in the local schools and has taught for a number of years. Her trained talent as an entertainer made her a special favorite among the young set here where she has a large number of friends who wish her every happiness.

Mr. Forrest is one of the leading insurance and realty men of Amarillo being associated with Col. Will A. Miller, and where they will make their home.

Mrs. R. H. Beville and sons Perry Allen and John Russell came down from their home in Amarillo Sunday to visit with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Ross accompanied them home and will spend a week visiting friends and relatives in Amarillo.

Monty R. Garrison, one of the big guns of the West Texas Utilities, was up from Childress Saturday on a matter of business in connection with his company.

**Methodist Missionary Society**

One of the most interesting meetings of the Society was held in the church parlor Wednesday afternoon presided over by Mrs. Fred Buntin.

The time was devoted to a business meeting at which time the Society purchased an electric refrigerator for the parsonage. Several other improvements were discussed and an outline of the work of the Society studied which will mean much to the church when consummated.

**THE PEP SQUAD**

Viola Jones

The Seniors and Junior classes met in their home rooms Thursday of last week for the purpose of electing a pep squad leader and members of the pep squad. Each class elected ten capable girls and a leader.

The nominees, Betty Walker and Elgin Patrick for leader from the Senior class had a close run with Betty Walker coming out in the lead. Betty has already shown her capability as an excellent leader for that class.

Kitty Speed was the only nominee from the Junior class, she was unanimously elected as their leader. Each member is pleased with Kitty's pep and voice and feel sure that she will prove capable.

The Sophomore class has not elected its leader and members yet, but they will soon.

Each member of the squad promises to do her best to help the Bronchos win every game. They will also appreciate others coming to the games and yelling for it makes the boys fight. The entire squad and leaders plan to go and do their share of the yelling at Quittaque Friday.

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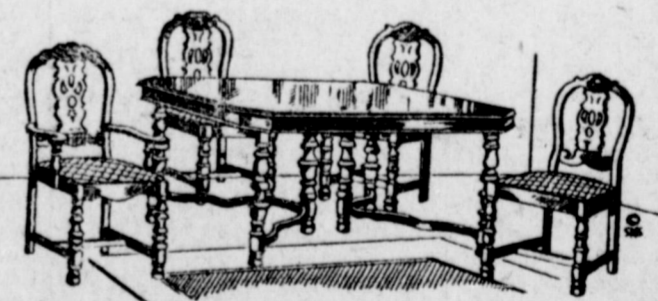
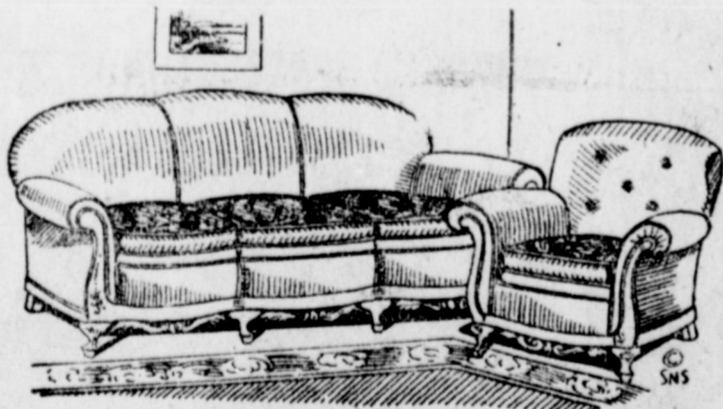
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**Light Golden Jubilee Will Honor World's Noted Inventor**

The numerous celebrations to be held this fall in honor of Thomas A. Edison, in conjunction with Light's Golden Jubilee suggest similar tributes for other contributors which this grand old man of science has made to the world's progress. Possibly because it was his first work it is not so well known that Edison aided tremendously in the development of the art of telegraphy. His inventions of the duplex and the quadruplex methods of telegraphy, the Universal stock ticker, and various automatic relays and other pieces of telegraphic equipment have exerted a wide influence on the progress of this form of instantaneous communication.

Edison became interested in telegraphy when he was a news boy on the Grand Trunk Railway, at which time he was but fourteen years old. His taste for chemistry induced him to set up a laboratory in the empty baggage car always carried on his train. One of his experiments set the car on fire and so incensed the conductor that he summarily ejected the young inventor at Mount Clemens, Mich., the next station. Edison sold papers at this station, and out of gratitude for saving the life of his son the station agent taught him the Morse code and the lad soon became proficient enough to accept a job as a railway telegraph operator. Later the desire for travel manifested itself and he journeyed to Indianapolis where he went to work for the Western Union.

His early days as a telegraph operator took him to various parts of the country and he developed into an unusually expert operator, noted especially for the excellence of his handwriting. From Indianapolis Edison went to Cincinnati and then to Memphis, where he devised an automatic telegraph repeater which enabled New York to send directly to New Orleans. He next visited Nashville and left there for Louisville where he arrived cold, hungry and broke; but he soon got a job and remained in that city for two years, copying press reports. After a journey to New Orleans he returned to Louisville; then went to his home in Port Huron and subsequently journeyed to Boston where he obtained work with the Western Union and, because of his speed and skill, was assigned to Number One New York wire.

In Boston he found conditions favorable for continuing his experimental work and invented a stock ticker and started a market quotation service. In 1868 he made an unsuccessful trip to New York in an effort to sell his stock ticker. After a fruitless trip to Rochester for the same purpose and a return to New York he got a position as expert in charge of the Gold Indicator Company's stock ticker service at the then munificent salary of \$300.00 per month.

The young inventor built an electric printer which with several other improvements he sold to the Gold and Stock Telegraph Company, and after the Western Union assumed control of this firm he was retained by General Marshall Lefferts, the president, to improve the ticker. The result of his labors was the Edison Universal Stock ticker which is in general use today. He received \$40,000 for this invention and with this money in hand he opened up a factory, purchased machinery, hired men to work for him and went into the business of manufacturing tickers.

Probably the most important telegraph inventions of Edison were the duplex and quadruplex. For many years after the invention of Professor Morse some of the best engineering brains not only in this country but in Europe, too, had been endeavoring to perfect some method whereby more than one message at one time could be sent over a single telegraph wire. Each attempt was found to be at fault in some particular or other which made it impractical. Edison put his mind on this problem and the result was the duplex method of telegraphy by which two messages may be sent over the same wire at once. Later he invented the quadruplex, which permits four messages to be sent simultaneously over a single wire. These two inventions resulted in the saving of millions of dollars to the telegraph companies and are considered today by telegraph experts to be the most important contributions to telegraphy since the invention of the telegraph.

In some of his business deals with the Western Union Edison made a peculiar stipulation. He

sold two of his inventions outright to the Western Union with the specific understanding that he should receive \$12,000 a year for them over a period of seventeen years, the life of the patents.

"I knew that if I got that money all at once I'd spend it in further experiments," Edison explained. "Getting it the way I did saved me from financial worries for seventeen years."

Even today Edison retains his interest in telegraph and is still a proficient Morse operator. Despite his deafness which has become quite pronounced in recent years he is able to hear the dots and dashes of the Morse sounder and he has lost none of his aptitude at the key.

**CAPITAL WEEKLY PRESS**

Vann M. Kennedy

There is the possibility that a special session of the 41st Legislature will meet in Austin shortly in a noble effort to benefit Confederate veterans and their widows — almost forgotten old folks to generations little enough appreciate of their heritage.

The legislature will meet in a two-day session and will serve without pay or traveling expenses, if the plan is feasible. Senator W. A. Williamson of San Antonio is sponsoring the movement for the grants session.

Twenty-one senators have already volunteered to attend, which makes a working quorum in the Senate. There are 60 members of the House of Representatives who are ready to answer the special call—several members short of a quorum in the House, which now has 148 members, two having recently resigned.

**Amended Pension Law**  
More than 3000 Confederate widows are receiving no pension. This is due to an amending of the pension laws by the 41st Legislature of few months ago. All widows over 75 years of age were put on a preferred list and pensions were raised from about \$17 to \$25 per month. But there was not enough money in the pension fund to stand the raise. Those not on the preferred list have received no pension the last quarter, and many of them are practically destitute.

It is proposed to reenact the old pension law, which provided for a pro rating of the available pension funds among all pensioners. To iron out the pension wrinkles will take much more than a two day session, is the opinion of many observers. The outstanding difficulty is the lack of funds. The Constitution sets a maximum limit of a seven cent levy in ad valorem taxes for Confederate pensions. The fund thus raised is inadequate to properly take care of the increased pension list. Recent sessions of the Legislature have amended the laws to make many persons eligible for pensions.

**Walker Appointed**  
J. T. Walker was appointed Land Commissioner last week by Governor Moody. For 21 years he has served as Chief Clerk in the General Land Office. He succeeds the late Commissioner J. T. Robinson.

Walker will lose \$800 per year in pay by changing positions. As Chief Clerk he received a salary of \$3,300. The Constitution limits the salary to the Land Commissioner to \$2,500.

**Auditor Named**  
Governor Moody has announced the appointment of Moore Lynn of Dallas to the newly-created position of State Auditor. Lynn will serve until the work of the new office has been established on a permanent basis.

The State Auditor is to plan and put into operation a uniform system of departmental accounting, which is now far from approaching any standard.

The new office also includes the responsibility of civil service or efficiency functions—dubbed by one senator as the "official state snooper". The Auditor is to make reports etc. on the ability and efficiency of departmental personnel—a feature not likely to add to his popularity. The sum of \$25,000 was appropriated for the initial work. The Auditor is to receive a salary of not more than \$7,500.

**Rangers to Berger**  
The assassination last week of John A. Holmes, Hutchinson County District Attorney, brought immediate executive action in Austin. Governor Moody sent Ranger Captains Tom Hickman and Frank Hamer and Privates Mannie Gault and C. O. Moore to Berger to make an investigation.

The Governor posted a reward of \$750 for the ambusher and said, "I shall employ the best lawyers I can find to prosecute him and shall ask that he be given the death penalty if Texas juries have one left."

"He has been tying into the darling and insolent lawless element, and because of this activity has fallen victim of one of the worst crimes ever committed in Texas," Governor Moody said in praise of Holmes. "It was only ten days ago that Holmes went to Colorado and secured the extradition for Whitey Walker (noted gangster), wanted at Berger for murder. If the slayer of Holmes is convicted and given the death penalty, I will never consider an application for commutation or any other kind of clemency."

**George Garrison Locates Old Time Light Globe**

In making repairs Friday, electrician Geo. Garrison found a 250 watt light globe with carbon filament long since discontinued by the manufacturer, in the basement of Hanna, Pope & Company. This globe was picked up second hand by Henry Williams twenty-four years ago when Mr. Williams operated that store. The globe still

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Mr. Garrison also found globes in the old Presbyterian church that had been in use twenty-three years. The average life of present day globes is one thousand light hours. The old globes gave off

much heat and the filament was changed to a tungsten metal process to avoid the heat that shortened the life of the globe.

Mrs. Fred Miller of Wichita spent the past week with her daughter here, Mrs. R. C. Ryan.

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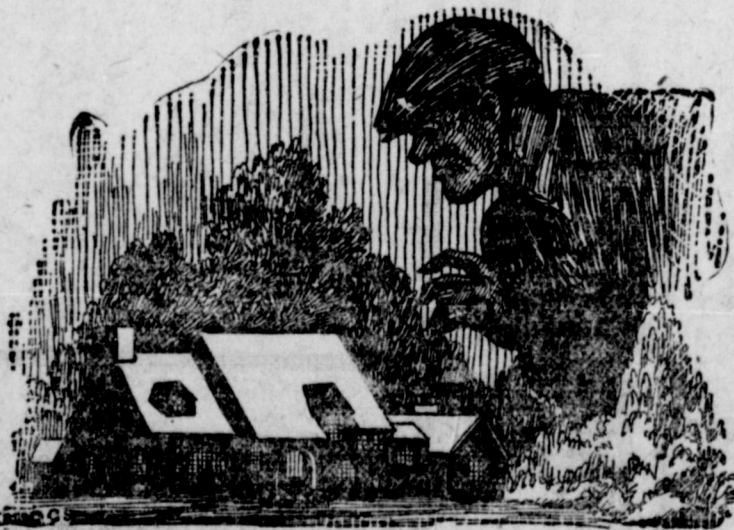
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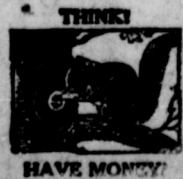
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**County Assessor Completes Tax Rolls For This Year**

In looking over the balance sheets brought to the Leader office by county assessor W. A. Armstrong Friday, several items appear to be of unusual interest.

The total assessed valuation for the county is \$7,866,213.00. Last year the same item called for \$7,131,309.00.

There was 23,585 cattle in the county last year and 26,069 this year. There is 5,223 horses and mules in the county now as compared with 5,075 last year.

Four jacks appeared on the list last year but none for this year. There was twelve goats last year and four this. These are milk goats of the best grade.

The sheep numbered 826 for 1928 and only 117 for this year.

Hogs dropped off about half there being 1521 on the rolls this season and 3066 last year. Nine dogs are on the list now and six last year.

Milk cows are not shown on the rolls separate from "neat" or range cattle so there is no way to determine the amount of milk cows, tho it is estimated that they have trebled in number over the past twelve months.

The railroads passing thru the county are assessed at 413,745 the same as last year. Pipe lines are chalked up for 314,435 this year and 203,450 for the year previous.

The sheriff's office reports 2,636 autos and 404 trucks registered.

It must be remembered that the assessments represent about a third of the actual value, but the numbers of animals, etc. are supposed to be correct.

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**\$1.00**

5 yards limit to each customer

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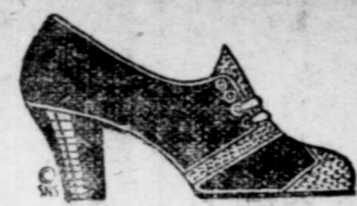
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65c FOULARDS —at— <b>49c</b> Yard	Rayon Gingham 35c Value <b>24c</b> Yard	Quilting Outing <b>12 1-2c</b> Yard	36 in. Percalé <b>15c</b> Yard	<b>BLANKETS</b> See our prices on Blankets, we can save you MONEY—We have all kinds	Work Shirts <b>95c</b> Up	Mens Cap's <b>\$1.00</b> Up	Mens Fancy Rayon Socks <b>25c</b>	\$5.00 Button Leg Pants <b>\$4.25</b>
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Indian Head 50c Value <b>39c</b> Yard	3 Flowers Face Powder <b>75c</b> Box	Cotton Rugs 18x36 at <b>39c</b> Each	Childrens Underwear Marked at Low Price	Cotton Bats 3 lb. Rolls at <b>39c</b>	<b>The LEADER STORE</b> Clarendon, Texas -- Next Door to Post Office	Childrens Hose in Cotton and Silks at Low Price	Outing Gowns \$1.25 Value at <b>98c</b>	Childrens Coveralls Value up to \$1.50 now at <b>95c</b>	Men's Sheep-Skin Coats Special at <b>\$6.25</b>	Men's Shamos-skin Jackets Best Grade at <b>\$12.95</b>
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**Former Clarendon Girl Writes Interesting Letter**

The following excerpt is taken from a letter received recently by Miss Bettie Walker of this city from Miss Dorothy McCanne, Miss Walker makes this contribution for the pleasure of those who are acquainted with the young lady now in a foreign land.

"Of all the castles I saw, the Edinburgh Castle is the most interesting. It scowls from a precipice down on the city that has intruded below. Castle-rack is 441 feet straight up and the mysterious old castle broods up there aloof from the modern world. You have to walk and climb and walk climb to even get near the top. You cross over the ancient drawbridge to be faced by heavy oak-gates, passing these you go through iron bar gates—and then you are only through the outside wall and must go through several more barriers to reach the heart of the castle. It is the most beautiful and romantic place I've ever been. From the top you see the city spread out like a child's toys below; farther on you can glimpse the sparkling sea and still farther on the blue and distant coast of Fyfe. It is such a historic old castle, too. As it was such a troubled time Queen Mary came there for the birth of her son, because it could be so strongly fortified. Huge cannon guard every approach. An old legend tells how the Catholic Mary wanted her baby christened in that church. Now all Mary's supporters and allies were Scotch Presbyterian to the core, so she decided to let the child down the cliff in a basket to the priest secretly. Now the legend is not history because it is so doubtful but it is whispered that some of the women who was to meet the little King at the bottom of the steep precipice watched her opportunity and slipped her own child into the basket and kept the infant Prince. But anyway, the supposed child of Mary Queen of Scots was destined to unite the two kingdoms that had long been so bitter into one, as they are today. Also in the castle and carefully guarded are the crown jewels of Scotland in all their magnificence and splendor.

Edinburgh is my favorite castle—I could write reams on it because it is truly, truly romantic. I also liked Stirling very, very much and the Palace was beautiful as it overlooked a mirroring lake that was placid and lovely. We saw these two on the same trip that we saw Lock Katrine and Ellen's Isle. Ellen's Isle is much smaller than I had pictured it, but more lovely than words can say—no matter how near they come to describing it perfectly.

Another castle is Warwick Castle. The walk up to it is lovely, spacious green lawns and beautifully trimmed trees, and peacock strutting all over the grounds displaying their loveliness. The castle is the private residence of the Earl of Warwick, a boy of eighteen. His father died not long ago, leaving the title of Earl of the estate, and millions. He and his mother live in this grand old place that has such exquisite furniture. You should see the massive old hall room! The last time it was used was when the Prince of Wales was entertained there. The ancient old dining room is lovely and has been used by this same family for generations which shows how a grand old family in England lives from generation to generation in the same magnificent style.

Hollywood palace in Edinburgh is kept up for the King of England when he visits there. It is very historical but not nearly so romantic as either in its surroundings or architecture. You have to go through one of the slum parts of Edinburgh to reach it—the poverty contrasted with the pomp, the wretchedness with the wealth inside the great gates left a lasting impression.

In London His Majesty has two residences, one in the city and then one in Windsor Buckingham Palace is in London and is surrounded by beautiful parks and gardens. We saw the guards change there on morning and it is truly a beautiful sight. All of the guards are dressed in black bushes, a type of hat and the scarlet coat that can't be matched. These men stay at various positions around the palace day and night. The horse guards are in a sort of armour that glistens like some king of old. They are all mounted on horses just alike, except the officer who rides a white horse.

Windsor Castle is much more romantic and more like a palace; Buckingham is more like the White House. The ride up the Thames by boat to Windsor is one

of the most enjoyable I've ever taken. The state apartments are gorgeous, and we also saw Queen Mary's doll house—the miniature mansion that people the world over have sent things to: A tiny piano about 3 inches high that really plays. The swans that float up and down the river belong for the most part to the crown.

We saw several ruins that seemed to whisper softly of bygone splendor with a haunting sigh for things that once had been. There is an air of tragedy lurking about such ruins that I can not read.

The guards in Scotland are all dressed in kilts. I got a thrill at Strirling when one of the cutest ones gave me a salute. I know he saluted me because there was no one else near.

Oh yes! I almost forgot to tell you about the Tower of London—I could write pages on it alone—the execution block, the traitor's gate, the interesting exhibits—but most interesting of all the crown jewels of England—reposing in all their glory and splendor. Please, don't think I exaggerate when I tell you about the royal sceptre—it has a diamond in it as large as my fist. It is the largest diamond in the world in one perfect piece. It was given the King by Africa. The crowns set in rubies and diamonds were of course priceless, and without equal."

**World Conference May Change Entire Calendar**

Business men's organizations throughout the country are about to begin voting through a national referendum on recommendation looking towards reform of the calendar. The referendum will be conducted by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States among its more than 1,600 member organizations.

The proposals for calendar reform come from a special committee of the Chamber, accompanied by a minority report advocating continuance of the present calendar.

The recommendations of the committee are three in number, as follows:

1. That the present calendar should be so changed as to bring about a greater comparability in business records for periods within a year and for periods from year to year.

2. That the form which changes in the calendar should take should be determined through international conference.

3. That the government of the United States should participate in an international conference to determine the form of changes to be made in the calendar.

The subject of calendar reform has been agitated for a number of years both here and abroad. The League of Nations, the International Chamber of Commerce and the International Astronomical Union are among the organizations which have given it study.

The report of the Chamber's committee emphasizes especially inconveniences in business accounting arising from the fact that months, quarters and half years are of unequal length, quoting at length from a report made to the League of Nations by a special committee.

The committee reporting to the League of Nations went over about 200 plans for changing the calendar and recommended that attention should be centered on three fundamental questions:

1. Should the divisions of the year in the present calendar be so

**New York Cow Sets Non-Stop Record**



Completing her ninth test, Sophie's Emily, at Kandleigh Farm, Lockport, N. Y. emerged as the world's greatest dairy cow. For her nine successive tests she has averaged 781 lbs. of butterfat and 15,927 lbs. of milk, her total production to date being 7,030.31 lbs. of butterfat and 143,348 lbs. of milk.

changed that there will be greater uniformity in length and consequently better comparability?

2. Should the weeks be fixed in their relation to the divisions of the year in which they occur?

3. How should the form of the changes be determined?

The Chamber's committee, in proposing calendar reform, itself puts forward no specific plan. In its report it says that a difference of opinion developed among majority members as to what particular divisions of the year should be made equal. Plans of one kind undertake to make the year's quarters of equal length, with the same number of week days in each month. The best known plan of the other type contemplates months of equal length, with the weeks fixed in each month, with the consequence that the number of weeks days would be the same in all months and a date within the month always would fall upon the same day of the week. Both types of plans provide calendars of 364 days and would utilize a "blank" day to fill out the ordinary year, with two "blank" days for leap year.

Majority members of the Chamber's committee developed individual preference respecting a twelve month plan and a thirteen month plan, with the thirteen month plan receiving most favor.

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**MARTIN**

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Johnson spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Easterling at Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Endsley spent Sunday with her mother at Brice. Mrs. Wallace Walding is spending the week with her sister at Hedley.

Miss Lois LaFon returned home after a four week visit to Oklahoma City and McLean, Texas.

Miss Inez Tidwell spent the week end with her parents at Brice.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey of McLean spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Powell.

Mr. Dave Patterson spent Monday with Mrs. Della LaFon.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Pittman spent Sunday with Mr. M. L. Pittman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wood of Clarendon spent Friday with Mrs. Alvin Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jordan, Mrs. Easterling and daughter Margaret Sue spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Della LaFon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges of White Deer spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. D. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wood of Clarendon spent Sunday with Mrs. Dave Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Kavanaugh of Lelia Lake spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Easterling are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton of Alarend.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Talley of Clarendon were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Talley Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jordan and Mr. Easterling spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blair of Goodnight.

Miss Roberta Adkins spent Sunday with Mary Peabody.

Mr. W. E. Hodges and daughter, Mrs. Buck Roberts spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hodges of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Sunny

View spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Reed.

Mr. Ernest Fulton of Alarend spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Easterling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Talley. Ina Fay Pittman spent Thursday night with Lois LaFon.

Mrs. Lee Wood of Clarendon spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. D. Wood.

Messrs. J. H. Rutherford, W. H. Patrick and H. W. Taylor had business in Amarillo Friday.

E. H. Kennedy, old resident and one of the staunchest citizens of Lelia Lake paid the Leader a visit Friday, left an order for printed stationery and stated that crops were a long way from what they should be in his section though they will get by as usual.

Rev. Sam E. Allison, pastor of the local Methodist church, is assisting Rev. Dr. Ernest Thompson of Memphis in a revival this week at Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meader of McLean made a brief visit to the home of his sister, Mrs. Lonnie Hahn and family here Thursday.

R. T. Brown and J. M. Stevens were business visitors to Pampa Friday.

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**BRICE**

Messrs. G. H. Crews and Paul Morris made a business trip to Amarillo last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheeler spent Sunday in the Lella Lake community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pharr spent last Sunday night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ayers of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick of Clarendon were pleasant visitors in the Flat last Sunday, having called a short while in the D. F. Smallwood home.

Mr. Jack Broddoc took charge of the Barber shop Monday. We wish him much success.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Newton moved to Brice Monday from the Curtis Benson place south of Brice. Ottis is now an employee of the O. M. Crosby gin.

Mr. O. M. Cosby of Memphis was a pleasant visitor in the Flat Saturday.

Messrs. George Craft and W. C. Boon were Memphis business visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McDonald made a business trip to Clarendon Monday.

Mr. M. H. Broddoc and son Jack made a business trip to Memphis Tuesday.

Jack Boone and Lefe Smallwood went to Clarendon Monday night to see the show.

We are sorry to report the illness of Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Melton Evan's mother. She has been ill some two weeks, suffering with her head. Mrs. Jones went to Arkansas some three weeks ago, when her little grandchild died. She has been suffering with neuralgia in her face and head every since.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Crews and Mr. Paul Morris made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday. Mrs. Crews spent the night with relatives while Mr. Crews and Mr. Morris got a load of Mexican cotton pickers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale of Goldston spent last Sunday with his sister and family, Mrs. Jeff Aduddell.

Lafe Smallwood and Willie Tedder made a business trip to Clarendon Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Aduddell and little son Marvin, Jr. spent Thursday night with the lady's parents in the Goldston community.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirb Hogin of Leslie were visitors in the Flat Friday.

The Arnce family of Antelope Flat happened to a serious accident last Friday night while returning from the fair at Memphis. The car driven by Mr. Arnce collided with another car. A son some fifteen years of age of Mr. Arnce was riding on one fender of the car. One of his limbs was crushed from ankle to above knee. They rushed him immediately to the Sanitarium at Memphis. He has been in an unconscious state ever since.

Mr. Jack Zack Salmon has spent several nights in Memphis this week helping to wait on the injured Arnce boy.

Mr. C. J. Talley of Clarendon was a pleasant business visitor in the Flat Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood and daughter Frankie attended the fair in Clarendon Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cross were visitors in Clarendon Wednesday.

Mr. Marion Cross spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Alice Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Crews made a pleasure trip to Childress Thursday.

Misses Claudine and Mamie Smallwood spent the week end with homefolks.

Miss Ruth Hartzog spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hartzog.

Mrs. Charlie Murff had as guest Sunday morning her father, Mr. Howard of near Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Smallwood and little sons spent Sunday in the M. L. Pittman home in the Martin community.

Rev. Baker of Memphis, the new pastor of the Baptist church, preached here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. M. H. Salmon is driving a new Chevrolet Coach this week.

Lafe Smallwood, M. L. Pittman and son Brady of Martin motored to Goldston Sunday afternoon for a social call with Ben Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus McCrary also Mr. Cleo Copeland were Clarendon business visitors Saturday.

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

Mr. Frank White, salesman for the A. Nash suits spent the week end with his wife and sister. He spent the week in Hedley, Estelina, Memphis and Lella Lake.

**Paper Will Soon Enter Semi-Weekly Field at Childress**

A paper to be known as the Childress News will begin publication there October 1st as announced in these columns some time ago. L. E. Haskett, for many years publisher of the Index, will be editor and will have associated with him J. A. Hilburn, veteran newspaper man of west Texas. Also H. S. Black, J. M. Carter and J. M. Preston, all prominent business men of that city.

A complete newspaper plant has been purchased including two typesetting machines. The new publication will be a semi-weekly it is announced. Since Mr. Haskett set a pace for west Texas weeklies a few years ago that has not been surpassed to date, it is likely that the new paper will receive substantial support from the beginning according to information emanating from the hustling railroad town.

**SOME FISH**

Young Lady (on first visit to Western ranch)—For what purpose do you use that coil of line on your saddle?

Cowpuncher—That line, you call it, lady, we use for catching cattle and horses.

Young Lady—Oh, indeed! Now, may I ask you, what do you use for bait?—Los Angeles Times.

**USEFUL**

A woman lost her little, curly poodle, and called on the police to find it. The next day one of the force came with the dog, very wet and dirty. The lady was overjoyed and asked a number of foolish questions, among others: "Where did you find my dear darling?"

"Why, ma'am," said the officer, "a fellow had him on a pole, and was washing windows with him."

**TO MARGARET**

Sorry we can't use the joke you submitted, but we object to those which make fun of "mother-in-law." She's "somebody's mother," you know.

**ECHO ANSWERS**

If a freight train at a crossing Hits an auto fair and square There's the freight train—Where's the auto?

Echo answers, "Where?"

—Boston Transcript.

**WE KNOW ITS SO**

"Ah, I wish I could find some place where I could be cut off entirely from the world."

"Try a telephone-booth."—Ex.

**He'll Get Tired Eventually**

An attorney who advertised for a chauffeur, when questioning a negro applicant, said: "How about you, George, are you married?"

"Naw, sir boss, naw sir. Ah makes mah own livin'."

**A TIP**

A certain busy printer, whose time is worth money, has a good method of dealing with barbers. As soon as he is seated in the chair he says: "Cut the whole three short."

"What three, sir?" asks the barber.

"Hair, whiskers, and chatter," replies the printer.

It takes five years for a tree to produce nuts. The colleges do it in four.—Washington Herald.

Mrs. Dr. Richardson of Alpine spent Thursday night with Mrs. W. H. Youngblood.

**Confederate Vet 106**



Edward W. Nance of Statesboro, Ga., who says he is 106 years old and the oldest living Confederate veteran. He says he was born Feb. 26, 1823. Nance served under Stonewall Jackson. He was wounded three times and eventually captured as a prisoner of war.

**CAPITAL WEEKLY PRESS**

Vann M. Kennedy

Texas pride stubs its toe for a hard fall when we learn that our prison system is "the worst in United States . . . 100 years behind the times".

A six thousand mile prison inspection tour led the Texas Prison Relocation Commission, composed of the personnel of the State Prison Board and members of the 41st Legislature to the number of nine, to many dismal conclusions. On the other hand, the trip furnished the members of the Commission with enthusiastic ideas for the reformation of prison conditions.

**Change Of Attitude**

It now remains for the Commission to visit prospective sites for the relocation, and to draw up a detailed report of recommendations for prison reformation to be submitted to the Governor and a special session of the Legislature. This work will probably be completed during December, and Governor Moody will call a January session of the Legislature.

Heretofore, prisons have been looked upon in much the same light as a funeral parlor—no one wants such an establishment in his neighborhood. A great change has been wrought. There is going to be keen rivalry to secure the prison by several communities. Huntsville has already put in its bid. A majority of the Commission, however, are believed to favor a relocation within 25 miles of Austin.

**Prison Plans**

In general, the Commission favors the abandonment of large-scale farming and the substitution of manufacturing industries to supply certain needs of State institutions. A brand-new escape-proof prison would be built.

Proposed items for prison manufacture: automobile license plates; furniture and equipment for State departments and institutions; printing and textbook rebinding; shoes and clothing for eleemosynary wards.

The Commission opposes the idea of competition with free labor and industry in the manufacture of any articles. Consumption of prison made goods would be limited to public institutions. Present competition with farmers in crop raising would be eliminated.

Some of the members favor a limited use of convicts for public road work, having seen such practice favored in other states. Unanimous praise of the prison systems of Alabama and Oklahoma was voiced by the members. They learned that Minnesota has not had an escaped convict in 16 years.

**Tentative Sketch**

Dr. F. E. Giesecke of A. & M. College, architect for the Commission, has drawn up a tentative sketch for a centralized prison system, costing \$4,563,000. It would provide for a 30 acre plot enclosed by a wall 32 feet high; eight industrial buildings, a hospital, 10 cell blocks, two administration buildings, and other necessary buildings. This plant would house 3000 convicts, leaving some 2500 to raise food products for the eleemosynary institutions.

Financing the project will be biggest obstacle in the reform. It has been suggested that the plant be built by units; perhaps making an outlay of \$2,000,000 to start it off. A state-wide bond issue is frowned upon.

It seems probable that Commission will be unanimous in agreement over prison plans despite its large membership. Favorable action of the Legislature is also anticipated.

**Women Overworked**

The drastic vetoes of appropriations for the eleemosynary institutions by Governor Moody has caused female attendants to work in 12 hour shifts, which is a violation of the 9-54 hour female labor law, according to Labor Commissioner Charles McKemy. Some 20 employees of the institutions affected have resigned because of the longer hours of work, R. B. Walthall, Chairman of the State Board of Control, said. Heretofore provision has been made for three shifts of employees.

Commissioner McKemy is positive that the 9-54 hour law applies to State institutions and says: "If, therefore, in the course of our work it is found that superintendents of eleemosynary or other institutions are violating the law, the violations will be brought to the attention of the county or district attorney for the county in which the violations occur, and the prosecuting attorneys may then take such action as they deem necessary."

**Merchants Suggest Square Deal Rule Badly Needed**

Not only are the merchants suggesting the idea, but others are also highly in favor of some plan to withhold employment from those who do not pay their accounts or honest debts to either merchants or individuals.

Some have suggested the plan apply to all forms of indebtedness such as groceries, drygoods, house rent, etc. This rule would not be enforced against those in temporary need or distress, but would apply especially to the professional deadbeat who makes a practice of beating bills and often boasts of the fact.

All those who wish to stand up for a square deal will be given an opportunity to have their say at an early date so say those who want this rule invoked. It is claimed that this has been the rule of railroad companies and other large corporations for many years.

Slim Tidwell had a collision near the Chamberlain schoolhouse Sunday night badly lacerating his face. Two Fords ran together, both of which were damaged.

C. W. Meaders is visiting J. A. and Boyd Meaders and other relatives at McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Blocker, Mrs. Sayers and Mrs. Dorr Ellis were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. E. P. Sheiton was called to Dallas Friday on account of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Crotto.

**"Tiger" Ill**



The most recent photo of Georges Clemenceau, aged wartime premier of France, who has been taken suddenly ill. A physician said the "Tiger" was over-fatigued, and advised a complete rest. Clemenceau is 86.

Mrs. Andy Campbell of north of town drew the ticket entitling her to a free wave at the Mitchell beauty parlor. This was a feature of the Mitchell exhibit at the Poultry and Club show.

Mrs. John Clark, Mick Clark and Mrs. Vance Winslow and two daughters spent the week end with Mrs. Van Alan Kent at Plainview.

Curry Powell, who makes his headquarters at Roswell, was in town the middle of the week with the idea in mind of moving his family back to Clarendon or Amarillo.

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**Congressman Marvin Jones Says--**

In his speech here Tuesday, Mr. Marvin Jones told you that our country was in one mell of a hess and gave you a remedy from a political standpoint, which is very good.

At the same time we have to look out for our own localities if we stay on top.

Our City Dads and Chambers of Commerce tear their shirts to get big business into our towns, even to the extent of donating sites and bonuses.

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We have the capital and natural resources to finance any line of business that is needed here if we would only use them.

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**Home Demonstration Clubs**

Miss Harvey Thompson  
County Demonstrator

The following report is made on the various contests at the Poultry and Club Show of last week. Clubs entering booth exhibits were Jericho, Hedley, Giles, Martin, Naylor, Ashtola, Clarendon and Chamberlain. In this contest Martin won first prize of \$50, Chamberlain second prize of \$20, Ashtola third receiving \$10.

Martin was only 59 points from being perfect. It was in the articles of sewing called for in the score card that the Martin club won honors. Chamberlain was 63 points from perfect, Ashtola 87, Naylor 101, Giles 103, Jericho 106 and Clarendon 120 points.

Honors divided for first places on different items of Score Card:

- 2 Qts. preserves, different varieties, Martin 1st, Clarendon 2nd, Hedley 3rd.
- 2 Qts. relishes, different varieties, fine chopped, Clarendon 1st, Naylor 2nd, Chamberlain 3rd.
- 2 Qts. canned vegetables, different varieties, Chamberlain 1st, Hedley 2nd, Jericho 3rd.
- 2 Qts. canned fruit, different varieties, Naylor 1st, Martin 2nd, Hedley 3rd.
- 2 Qts. fruit sweet pickles, different varieties, Chamberlain 1st, Jericho 2nd, Hedley 3rd.
- 2 Qts. vegetable pickles, different varieties, Giles 1st, Naylor 2nd, Chamberlain 3rd.
- 2 Qts. watermelon rind products, Chamberlain 1st, Ashtola 2nd, Hedley 3rd.
- 3 Containers of jelly, different varieties, Ashtola 1st, Martin 2nd, Clarendon 3rd.

Home braided rug (gunny sack) Martin 1st, Jericho 2nd, Clarendon 3rd.

Pillow cases (linen), Martin 1st, Chamberlain 2nd, Jericho 3rd.

Pillow cases (cotton), Jericho 1st, Martin 2nd, Chamberlain 3rd. Boy's cotton suit ages to 5, Jericho 1st, Martin 2nd, Chamberlain 3rd.

Girl's cotton dress with bloomers ages 7-9, Martin 1st, Naylor 2nd, Hedley 3rd.

Girl's cotton dress ages 2 to 5, Ashtola 1st, Chamberlain 2nd, Martin 3rd.

Woman's wash dress, set in sleeves and pockets, Naylor 1st, Martin 2nd, Chamberlain 3rd.

Woman's wash dress, sheer cotton material, Clarendon 1st, Martin 2nd, Hedley 3rd.

(Clarendon was penalized 8 points for getting this dress in late.)

Dresser scarf, Martin 1st, Chamberlain 2nd, Ashtola 3rd.

Secretary's record book, Chamberlain 1st, Ashtola 2nd, Hedley 3rd.

**Woman's Open Class Division**

2 Qts. Canned vegetables, Mrs. J. M. Acord 1st, Mrs. W. C. Bridges 2nd, Mrs. J. B. Turnbow 3rd.

2 Qts. Canned fruit (different varieties), Mrs. J. M. Acord 1st, Mrs. Melvin Rampey 2nd, Mrs. J. M. Potter 3rd.

2 Qts. Preserves, different varieties, Mrs. W. H. Corbin 1st, Mrs. J. M. Potter 2nd, Mrs. S. R. Tomlinson 3rd.

2 Qts. Relishes, different varieties, Mrs. M. Rampey 1st, Mrs. W. C. Bridges 2nd, Mrs. M. H. Henderson 3rd.

2 Qts. Fruit sweet pickles, different varieties, Mrs. W. H. Corbin 1st, Mrs. M. Rampey 2nd, Mrs. H. A. Williams 3rd.

2 Qts. Vegetable pickles, different varieties, Mrs. J. M. Acord 1st, Mrs. H. A. Williams 2nd, Mrs. H. A. Williams 3rd.

2 Qts. Watermelon rind products (None worthy) Mrs. J. B. Turnbow 1st, Mrs. M. Rampey 2nd.

3 Containers jelly different varieties, Mrs. W. H. Corbin 1st, Mrs. W. C. Bridges 2nd, Mrs. H. A. Williams 3rd.

Home made braided rug (wool) (None worthy), Mrs. H. M. Reid 2nd.

Home made braided rug (cotton) (None worthy) Mrs. J. M. Acord 2nd.

Home made braided rug (gunny sack) (None worthy), Mrs. D. Millner 2nd.

Pillow case (linen), Mrs. H. M. Reid 1st, Mrs. J. B. Turnbow 2nd.

Pillow case (cotton), Mrs. J. B. Turnbow 1st, Mrs. Roy Beverly 2nd, Mrs. A. Huffstutler 3rd.

Towel (linen), Mrs. E. Ashmead 1st, Mrs. W. C. Bridges 2nd.

Boy's cotton suit ages 2 to 5, Mrs. W. C. Bridges.

Girl's cotton dress ages 2 to 5, Mrs. M. L. Wood 1st, Mrs. W. C. Bridges 2nd.

Girl's cotton dress age 7 to 9,

Mrs. W. C. Bridges.

Woman's wash dress set in sleeves and pockets, bound button holes, Mrs. W. C. Bridges 1st, Mrs. H. M. Reid 2nd.

Woman's dress sheer cotton material, Mrs. W. C. Bridges.

Dresser scarf, Mrs. J. B. Turnbow 1st, Mrs. A. Huffstutler 2nd, Mrs. W. C. Bridges 3rd.

**Girl's List of Winnings**

Othella Poovey, first year club girl.

1st on 1 pt. green tomato pickles, 1 qt. soup mixture, 1 pint chili sauce, sewing box and equipment, and second on 1 qt. tomatoes. She also won \$3.00 prize on complete exhibit. Second on club history, third on apron and third on cap and emblem.

Maguerite Lafon: 2nd on well equipped sewing box.

Lola Faye Stephens: 2nd on soup mixture and 2nd on club history.

Ila Mae Kyser: 2nd on club cap and emblem, 2nd on apron.

Winona Ford: 3rd on well equipped sewing box.

Opal Dunning, Second year club girl. \$3.00 on complete exhibit, 1st on 2 cans tomatoes, 2nd on towel, third each on fruit preserves and gown.

Flora Durrett: 2nd each on gown and undergarments.

Margaret McElyea: Won \$2.00 on complete exhibit, 3rd on fancy pack peas, 3rd on watermelon rind preserves, 3rd on gown, 2nd each on fancy pack baby beets and 1 pt. preserves.

Velma Shaw: 3rd on patch.

Ima Poovey: 2nd on club history, 1st each on cotton school dress, cotton slip, 2 containers of jelly, 3rd on 1 qt. cucumber pickles, 1st on 1 qt. tomato mince meat, 2nd on 2 qts. vegetables, fancy pack and different varieties. She also won \$3.00 on complete exhibit.

Dovie Wood: 2nd on towel, 2nd on simple cotton school slip.

**Farm Products Division**

Sweet Potatoes: 1st J. B. Reynolds.

Peppers (sweet): W. P. Howard, 1st; J. B. Reynolds, 2nd; Clyde Hudson, 3rd.

Dry peas: W. P. Howard, 1st. Carrots: J. B. Reynolds, 1st.

Okra: W. P. Howard, 1st; J. B. Reynolds, 2nd; Keat Reynolds, 3rd.

Pears: Clyde Hudson, 1st; W. H. Corbin, 2nd; W. D. Van Eaton, 3rd.

Peaches: J. M. Potter, 1st and 2nd; M. T. Crabtree, 3rd.

Plums: J. M. Potter, 1st.

Squash: J. B. Reynolds, 1st.

Onions: W. P. Howard, 1st; W. M. Jordan, 2nd.

Grapes: J. M. Potter, 1st; Mrs. W. Kennedy, 2nd.

Egg Plant: Mrs. E. Allgren, 1st; J. B. Reynolds, 2nd.

Watermelons: Glen Williams, 1st; C. H. Reynolds, 2nd; Clarence Cannon, 3rd.

Milo: T. L. Naylor, 1st; Glen Williams, 2nd; L. R. Schull, 3rd.

Yellow Corn: T. L. Naylor, 1st; J. R. Bulls, 2nd.

Corn: Strawberry and Bloody Butcher varieties, W. P. Howard, 1st.

Cantaloupes: L. B. Davis, 1st; Mrs. Carl Naylor, 2nd and 3rd.

Kaffir: H. M. Reid, 1st.

Irish Potatoes: W. M. Jordan, 1st; J. B. Reynolds, 2nd.

Tomatoes: Mrs. W. Kennedy, 1st; J. B. Reynolds, 2nd.

Cotton: (Three stalks) W. P. Howard, 1st; J. B. Reynolds, 2nd; R. E. Mann, 3rd.

W. P. Howard of Lelia Lake won first on sunflower, peanuts, cashew, cane.

Eggs: W. T. Lowe.

**Poultry Division**

Sweepstakes: Leslie Stevens won 1st on Rhode Island Reds, single hen, young pen, old pen, and display.

J. S. Grooms won 1st on Barred Rock cockerel and pullet.

Barred Rocks: Clye Hudson 1st and 2nd on 2 hens, M. C. Rampey 3rd on cockerel.

1st and 2nd pullet, 1st and 2nd cockerel, 1st young pen, all won by J. S. Grooms.

Blue Andalusians: 1st cockerel and 1st pen, J. T. Lane.

Hamburgs: 1st pullet and 1st pen, D. E. Stephenson.

White Langshans: 1st pen, Roberta Mann.

White Rocks: 1st cockerel, 1st pullet, 1st and 2nd hen, Mrs. Minnie Naylor.

Buff Rocks: 1st and 2nd pullets, Frank Hardin.

White Wyandottes: 1st and 3rd pullet, W. P. Howard; 2nd pullet and 1st cockerel, Harry Mc (?)

Buff Reds: 1st and 2nd, Frank Hardin.

Buff Leghorn: 1st cockerel, Odell Bomard.

Black Minorcas: 1st and 3rd hen, J. N. Riley; 2nd hen, 1st pullet, 1st cockerel, 1st pen, A. L. Otto.

**Temple of Truth**  
By the Apostle

Now comes one Jewel P. Lightfoot, member of one of Texas' numerous committees, and proposes a huge monumental arch honoring West Texas. He suggests that this "hootus" be placed at the fork of Highway 10 and the Bankhead Highway branch near Weatherford. The inscription, he thinks, should read: "The Gateway To The Golden West."

The Apostle rises to suggest that the same money be spent for nail pickers to cut down the puncture crop. At any rate the wording would have to be changed on dry years to read "Sodom and Gomorrah" or something else like purgatory if the tourists who traveled that highway the past summer have any judgment of what a country is like when the drouth strikes.

The Jim Committee reports the blackballing of O. C. Hawk whose name was proposed for the Liar's Club. The principal charge against him was that of aiding and abetting in the matrimonial capture of "Ma" Grimes, present mayor-domo of Quail.

O. L. Fink, who is said to have lost his hearing while trying to make the other party hear him over the telephone has gone to Lubbock for medical treatment.

White Leghorn: 1st and 3rd hen, E. V. Quattlebaum; 2nd hen, J. N. Riley. 1st cockerel, Clyde Hudson; 1st cock, E. V. Quattlebaum. 1st pullet, Mrs. Carl Naylor; 2nd pullet, J. R. Bulls; 3rd pullet, W. O. Butler; 1st young pen, Mrs. Carl Naylor; 2nd young pen, M. T. Crabtree; 3rd young pen, W. E. Hughes.

Rhode Island Reds: 1st cockerel, 1st cock, 2nd and 3rd cockerel, 1st 2nd and 3rd young pens all won by Leslie Stevens. E. V. Quattlebaum won on 2nd and 3rd cock, 2nd and 3rd hen, 2nd and 3rd pens.

Buff Orpington: 1st old pen and 2nd young pen, N. M. Hornsby. 1st young pen, 1st, 2nd and 3rd hen, 1st and 2nd pullet, W. D. Van Eaton, 3rd young pen, 3rd pullet, J. N. Riley.

White Orpingtons: 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullets, A. H. Baker.

Games: 1st hen and 1st cockerel, Mrs. J. B. Turnbow.

White Cornish Game: 1st and 2nd hen, 1st and 2nd pullet, G. A. Anderson.

Turkeys: 1st old tom, J. N. Riley; 2nd old tom, Glenn Williams; 3rd old tom, W. C. Hughes; 2nd pullet, 1st young tom, J. M. Potter; 2nd young tom, Glenn Williams; 2nd trio, W. C. Hughes; 1st trio, Chas. Hearn.

A. N. Wood, who won the powder puff during the recent golf meet, was said to have won the permanent wave in the beauty parlor contest at the Poultry Show. Some men are born lucky.

Something over a quarter of a century past, it was the privilege of the Apostle to form an acquaintance with Sallie Shaw who lived just over the line in old Jack county.

Sallie was of the domineer type, pudged-footed and corn fed. Buxom and her face a bouquet of healthy freckles. God is said to be omnipotent, and if he ever made a better girl than Sallie, the Apostle never found her. Sallie bore the oscillations of an embryo courtship with christian fortitude.

It was generally conceded among the boys that Sallie was too good for the bunch hanging around her at that time, and Sallie must have been of the same opinion for she is today a sweet old maid near the half century mark.

Although of the unsophisticated backwoods type where she has spent her entire life, modern ideas have gradually permeated the rocky hills and hills of the most backwoods section of the universe.

The Apostle read the community items sent to the county paper by Sallie just Saturday. In writing up a wedding of the community, Sallie spoke of an "ensemble of peach and georgette crepe" with all the style and dignity of a modiste.

Back in the halcyon days when Sallie was forced to ask the Apostle to back off until she could throw out the dishwasher, Sallie knew no more about crepe than a hog did heaven. In fact she hardly knew the difference between plain corded bed ticking and silk. It was all the same to the innocent girl whose life was simple and character as pure as God ever made them.

The Apostle's curiosity got the best of him Sunday. All the rules of etiquette were smashed like a democratic landslide in a presidential election. That letter makes but one simple request—for her photo. Does Sallie wear bobbed hair? Has she discarded the coverings of her pedal extremities and exposed perhaps a million freckles to a gaping galaxy of feeble-minded masculinity? Does Sallie wear high heels that force her to assume an air of pigeon toe wabbles in her perambulations? Has modern style reduced the yardage of her dress from the size of a wagon sheet to that of a feminine handkerchief? Has the "reducing" craze struck the corpulent Sallie reducing her avoirdupois from two hundred and some odd down to that of a de-generated pigmy? The Apostle wants to know. There is no other

way to find out. It is no disgrace to be ignorant, but it is to stay that way.

Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Bryan of Turkey spent the week end with relatives in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Sanford, Mrs. W. A. Land and Earl Bryan visited in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Parsons of Amarillo spent Friday with Mrs. G. A. Anderson.

W. H. Youngblood accompanied Miss Thelma and Wade and Miss Verna Latson to Lubbock Thursday where they will attend school this winter at Tech College.

Clarendon was represented at the Hi-Y conference at Canyon by Carroll Holtzclaw, Ansel Barton, Harold Phelps and Paul Talley. They returned Sunday evening.

Don't fail to read the ads in the Leader and profit thereby.

Mr. and Mrs. Park M. Chamberlain spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hughes at Pampa.

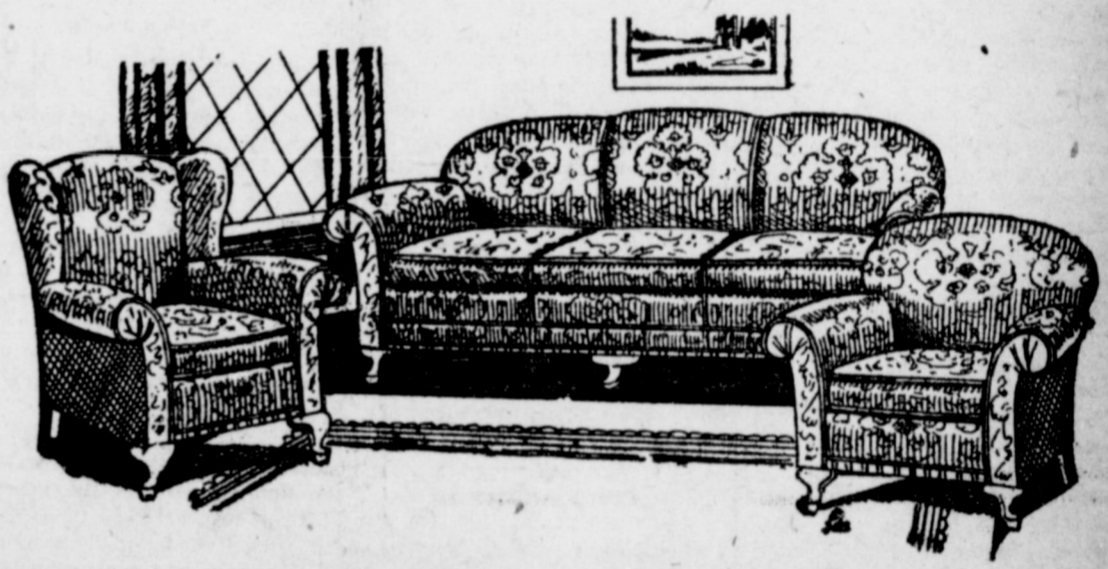
Miss Esther Morrison matriculated at Texas Tech of Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Butler of Gariand, Texas, formerly a resident of Donley county, is spending a pleasant week visiting with Mmes. A. M. Lanham, J. T. Wilson, J. R. Dale and Mrs. Sam Roberts.

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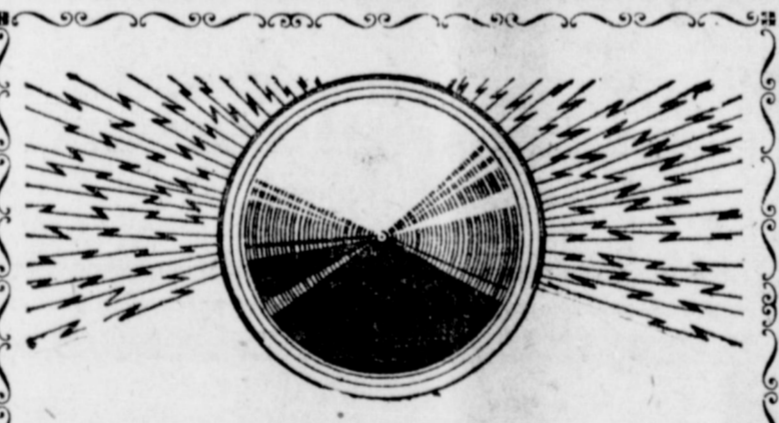
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### The TRAIL OF '98

A Northland Romance

By ROBERT W. SERVICE

Illustrations by Irwin Myers

"I shook my head and laughed ironically. 'Pay' in connection with the name of Berna—ain't I laughing?"

"She's good," I said once again. "Wait a little till you know her. I don't judge her yet. Wait a little. He saw it was no use to ste further words on me. He hed."

"Well, well," he said, "have it ur own way. I think she's ruin'g you. She must be bad, or she couldn't live with you like that. I have it your own way, boy; I'll h'k and see."

In the days that followed I did not to bring about a friendship tween Garry and Berna. At first had difficulty in dragging him to e house, but in a little while e came quite willingly. His sunny arm returned, and with it his bril-

### MARILLO MAN MAKES STATEMENT

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"Anyone who had noticed the fearful condition my wife was in can readily see the great change. Orgatone has made for her," said E. McCollum, Amarillo, Texas. "My wife has improved so much that her neighbors often speak of her health has been broken up for over two years and she suffered from stomach disorders. Her appetite left her and what little she did eat soured on her stomach causing gas and intense pain. She never was able to eat breakfast at all, she was weak and dizzy and had terrible raging headaches and was losing weight and strength. She had severe cramps in her stomach and side. Most all the time she would roll and toss at night and never got very much rest at all. She had a bad case of constipation."

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### THE GREATER THING

However humble the place I may hold  
Or lowly the trails I have trod,  
There's a child who bases his faith on me;  
There's a dog who thinks I am God.

Lord, keep me worthy—Lord, keep me clean  
And fearless and unbeguiled,  
Lest I lose caste in the sight of a dog,  
And the wide clear eyes of a child.

Lest there shall come in the years to be  
The blight of a withering grief,  
And a little dog mourn for a fallen god,  
And a child for his lost belief.  
—C. T. Davis in P.-T. A. Mag.

J. F. Council and son C. F. of near Quall were in town on a matter of business Friday. Mr. Council spent some of his happy boyhood days on Little Sugar back in old Benton county, Arkansas stumping his toes on the same rocks that the editor stumped later. Neither of us were able to make a scar on the rocks.

Right now the Council men are farmers in a good section but the dry weather has cut crops over there to an average of a bale to six acres so these men state.

F. M. Griffin, who farms north of Hedley was in town Friday with a load of farm products for which he found a ready market. Mr. Griffin estimates that it will take an average of six acres to make a bale in his neighborhood where a half bale to the acre is a normal crop.

Max Saled of the chain of Leader stores, came over from Wellington staying over night Wednesday.

lant smile, his warm, endearing frankness.

"I must say I tried very hard to reconcile Berna and Garry. I threw them together on every opportunity, for I wanted him to understand and to love her. I felt he had to know her to appreciate her at her true value, and, although he spoke no word to me, I was soon conscious of a vast change in him. Short of brotherly regard, he was everything that could be desired to her—cordial, friendly, charming. Once I asked Berna what she thought of him.

"I think he's splendid," she said quietly. "He's the handsomest man I've ever seen, and he's as nice as he's good looking. In many ways you remind me of him, and yet there's a difference."

"I remind you of him—no, girl. He's as much above me as I am above—say a swash. He has all the virtues; I, all the faults. He is the self I should have been if the worst had been the best."

"Hush! you are my sweetheart," she assured me with a caress, "and the dearest in the world."

"By the way, Berna," I said, "you remember something we talked about before he came? Don't you think that now—?"

"Now—?"

"Yes."

"All right." She flashed a glad, tender look at me and left the room. That night she was strangely elated.

I was head over heels in work. In a mail just arrived I had a letter from the Prodigal, and a certain paragraph in it set me pondering. Here it was:

"You must look out for Locasto. He was in New York a week ago. He's down and out. Blood-poisoning set in in his foot after he got Outside, and eventually he had to have it taken off. He's got a false mit for the one Mac sawed off. But you should see him. He's all shot to pieces with the 'hooh.' It's a fright the pace he's gone. Seems to have a terrible pick at you. Seems you have copped out his best girl, the only one he's ever cared a red cent for. Said he would get even with you if he swung for it. I think he's dangerous, even a mad-man. He is leaving for the North now, so be on your guard."

Locasto coming! I had almost forgotten his existence. Well, I no longer cared for him. I could afford to despise him. Surely he would never dare to molest us. If he did—he was a broken, discredited blackguard. I could crush him. Coming here! He must even now be on the way. He was coming back to the scene of his ruined fortunes, and God knows with what wild schemes of vengeance his heart was full. Decidedly I must beware.

As I sat there dreaming, a ring came to the phone. It was the foreman at Gold Hill.

"The hoisting machine has broken down," he told me. "Can you come out and see what is required?"

"All right," I replied. "I'll leave at once."

"Berna," I said, "I'll have to go out to the Forks tonight. I'll be back early tomorrow. Get me a bite to eat, dear, while I go round and order the horse."

On my way I met Garry and told him I would be gone over night. "Won't you come?" I asked.

"No, thanks, old man. I don't feel like a night drive."

"All right. Good-by."

So I hurried off, and soon after, with a jingle of bells, I drove up to my door. Berna had made supper. She seemed excited. Her eyes were starry bright, her cheeks burned.

"Aren't you well, sweetheart?" I asked. "You look feverish."

"Yes, dear, I'm well. But I don't want you to go tonight. Something tells me you shouldn't. Please don't go, dear, please for my sake, I'm afraid, I'm afraid. Won't some one else do?"

"Nonsense, girl. You mustn't be so foolish. It's only for a few hours."

She clung to me tightly, so that I wondered what had got into the girl. Then I gently kissed her, disengaged her hands, and bade her good-night.

As I was rattling off through the darkness, a boy handed me a note. I put it in my pocket, thinking I would read it when I reached Ogilvie bridge. Then I whipped up the horse.

As I sped along with a jingle of bells, my spirits rose. Things were looking splendid. The mine was turning out far better than we had expected. Surely we could sell out soon, and I would have all the money I wanted. My life-struggle was nearly over.

Then again, I had reconciled Garry to Berna. When I told him of a certain secret I was hugging to my breast he would capitulate entirely. How happy we would all be! I would buy a small estate near home, and we would settle down. But first we would spend a few years in travel. We would see the whole world. What good times we would have. Berna and I! Bless her! It had all worked out beautifully.

Why was she so frightened, so loath to let me go? I wondered vaguely and flicked up the horse so that it plunged sharply forward.

Both! In my elation I had forgotten to get off at the inn and read my note. Never mind, I would keep it till I reached the Forks.

As I spun along, I thought of how changed it all was from the Bonanza I first knew. How I remembered tramping along that hill-side slope, packing a sack of flour over a muddy trail, a poor miner in muddy overalls! Now I was driving a smart horse on a fine road. I was an operator of a first-class mine. I was a man of business, of experience. Higher and higher my spirits rose.

How fast the horse flew! I would be at the Forks in no time. I flashed past cabin windows. I saw the solitary oil-lamp and the miner reading his book or filling his pipe. Never was there a finer, more in-

telligent man; but his day was passing. The whole country was falling into the hands of companies. Soon, thought I, one or two big combines would control the whole wealth of that land. Already they had their eyes on it. The gold-ships would float and roar where the old-time miner toiled with pick and pan. Change! Change!

I almost fancied I could see the monster dredges plowing up the valley, where now men panted at the windlass. I could see vast heaps of tailings filling the creek-bed; I could hear the crash of the steel grizzlies; I could see the buckets scooping up the pay-dirt. I felt strangely prophetic. My imagination ran riot in all kinds of wonders, great power plants, quartz discoveries. Change! Change!

Yes, the stamp-mill would add its thunder to the other voices; the country would be netted with wires, and clamorous for far and wide. Man had sought out this land where Silence had reigned so long. He had awakened the echoes with the shot of his rifle and the ring of his ax. Silence had raised a startled head and poised there, listening. Then, with crack of pick and boom of blast, man had hurled her back. Further and further had he driven her. With his advancing horde, mad in their lust for the loot of the valley, he had banished her. His engines had frightened her with their clamorous roar. His crashing giants had driven her covering to the inviolate fastnesses of her hills. There she broods and waits.

But Silence will return. To her was given the land that she might rule and have dominion over it forever. And in a few years the clamor will cease, the din will die away. In a few years the treasure will be exhausted, and the looters will depart. The engines will lie in rust and ruin; the wind will sweep through empty homes; the tailing-piles lie pallid in the moon. Then the last man will strike the last blow, and Silence will come again into her own.

Yes, Silence will come home once more. Again will she rule despot over peak and plain. She is only waiting, brooding in the impregnable desolation of her hills. To her has been given empery of the land, and hand in hand with Darkness will she return.

As I drew up at the hotel, the clerk came out to meet me.

"Gent wants to speak to you at the phone, sir."

It was Murray of Dawson, an old-timer, and a friend of mine.

"Hello!"

"Hello! Say, Meldrum, this is Murray speaking. Say, just wanted to let you know there's a stage due some time before morning. Locasto's on board, and they say he's healed for you. Thought I'd better tell you so's you can get fixed up for him."

"All right," I answered. "Thank you, I'll turn and come right back."

So I switched round the horse, and once more I drove over the glistening road. A grim fear was gripping me. Of a sudden the shadow of Locasto loomed up sinister and menacing. Even now he was speeding Dawsonward with a great hatred of me in his heart. Well, I would get back and prepare for him.

There came to my mind a comic perception of the awkwardness of returning to one's own home unexpectedly in the dead of night. At first I decided I would go to a hotel, then on second thoughts I determined to try the house, for I had a desire to be near Berna.

I knocked gently, then a little louder, then at last quite loudly. Within all was still, dark as a sepulcher. "Curious! she was such a light sleeper, too. Why did she not hear me?"

Once more I decided to go to the hotel; once more that vague, indefinite fear assailed me and again I knocked. And now my fear was becoming a panic. I had my latch-key in my pocket, so very quietly I opened the door.

"Berna," I whispered.

No reply.

That dim, nameless dread was clutching at my heart, and I groped overhead in the darkness for the drop-light.

Instantly the cabin was flooded with light. In the dining room I could see the remains of our supper lying untidily. That was not like her. She had a horror of dirty dishes. I passed into the bedroom—Ah! the bed had never been slept on.

What a fool I was! It flashed on me she had gone over to a neighbor's to sleep. She was afraid of being alone. Poor little girl! How surprised she would be to see me in the morning!

"Well, I would go to bed. As I was pulling off my coat, I found the note that had been given to me. Blaming myself for my carelessness, I pulled it out of my pocket and opened it. As I unfolded the sheet, I noticed it was written in what looked like a disguised hand. Strange! I thought. The writing was small and faint. I rubbed my eyes and held it up to the light.

Merciful God! What was this? Oh, no, it could not be! My eyes were deceiving me. It was some illusion. Feverishly I read them again. Yes, they were the same words. What could they mean? Surely, surely—Oh, horror of horrors! They could not mean that. Again I read them. Yes, they were there:

"If you are fool enough to believe that Berna is faithful to you visit your brother's room tonight."

"A Well-wisher."

Berna! Garry!—the two I loved. Oh, it could not be! It was monstrous. It was horrible! I would not believe it; I would not. Curse the vile wretch that wrote such words. I would kill him. Berna! my Berna! she was as good as gold, as true as steel, Garry! I would lay down my life on his honor. Dazedly I sat down. The paper lay on the hearth-rug, and I stared at

it hatefully. It was unspeakably loathsome, yet I was fascinated by it. I longed to take it up, to read it again. Somehow I did not dare. I was becoming a coward.

Well, it was a lie, a black devil's lie. She was with one of the neighbors. I trusted her. I would trust her with my life. I would go to bed. In the morning she would return, and then I would unearth the wretch who had dared to write such things. I began to undress.

Wearily I took off my clothes. I lay in bed with the darkness enfolding me, and I closed my eyes to make a double darkness! Hal! right in the center of my eyes, burned the fatal paper with its



Curse the Vile Wretch That Wrote Such Words!

atrocious suggestion. I sprang up. It was of no use. I must settle this thing once and for all. I turned on the light and deliberately dressed again.

I was going to the hotel where Garry had his room. I would tell him I had come back unexpectedly and ask to share his room. I was not acting on the note! I did not suspect her. Heaven forbid! But the thing had unnerved me. I could not stay in this place.

The hotel was quiet. A sleepy night clerk stared at me, and I pushed past him. Garry's rooms were on the third floor. Through the transom I could see his light was burning.

I knocked faintly.

There was a sudden stir.

Again I knocked.

Did my ears deceive me or did I hear a woman's startled cry? There was something familiar about it—Oh, my God!

I reeled. I almost fell. I clatched at the door-frame. I leaned sickly against the door for support. Heaven help me!

"I'm coming," I heard him say.

The door was unlocked, and there he stood. He was fully dressed. He looked at me with an expression on his face I could not define, but he was very calm.

"Come in," he said.

I went into his sitting-room. Everything was in order. I would have sworn I heard a woman scream, and yet no one was in sight. The bedroom door was slightly ajar. I eyed it in a fascinated way.

"I'm sorry to disturb you, Garry," I said, and I was conscious how strained and queer my voice sounded. "I got back suddenly, and there's no one at home. I want to stay here with you, if you don't mind."

"Certainly, old man; only too glad to have you."

His voice was steady. I sat down on the edge of a chair. My eyes were riveted on that bedroom door.

"Had a good drive?" he went on genially. "You must be cold. Let me give you some whiskey."

I held the glass with a shaking hand.

"What's the matter, old man? You're ill."

I clutched him by the arm.

"Garry, there's some one in that room."

"Nonsense! there's no one there."

"There is, I tell you. Listen! Don't you hear them breathing?"

He was quiet. Distinctly I could hear the panting of human breath. I was going mad. I could stand it no longer.

"Garry," I gasped, "I'm going to see. I'm going to see."

"Hold on—"

"Leave go, man! I'm going, I say. You won't hold me. Let go. I tell you, let go—Now come out, come out, whoever you are—Ah!"

It was a woman.

"Ha!" I cried, "I told you so, brother, a woman. I think I know her, too. Here, let me see—I thought so."

I had clutched her, pulled her to the light. It was Berna.

Her face was white as chalk, her eyes dilated with terror. She trembled. She seemed near fainting.

"I thought so."

Now that it seemed the worst was betrayed to me, I was strangely calm. I made her sit down. She said no word, but looked at me with a wild pleading in her eyes. No one spoke.

There we were, the three of us; Berna, faint with fear, ghastly pitiful; I calm, yet calm with a strange, unnatural calmness, and Garry—he surprised me. He had seated himself, and with the greatest sang-froid he was lighting a cigarette.

A long tense silence. At last I broke it.

"What have you got to say for yourself, Garry?" I asked.

It was wonderful how calm he was.

"Looks pretty bad, doesn't it, brother?" he said gravely.

"Yes, it couldn't look worse."

### The Best Part of The Show Is Meeting The Neighbors

The very best part of the whole show here last week was meeting the many readers of the Leader who dropped in to say hello. The visitors were made up of men, women and children. Often a whole family came in to see how the paper was "made" as they termed it.

Some of these folks live forty miles away. We are always glad to have visitors and the invitation is issued without partiality—come in when you get ready. We'll do our best to entertain you.

Lafe Smallwood of the Brice Valley country and one the best farmers of that section was in town the last of the week. Lafe has been on the job locally for about eight years, and while he is not pleased with the crop conditions now, he says it has the 1927 crop skinned a city block.

E. L. Lewis, all round farmer and grain man of Lelia Lake is sitting steady in the boat. Having been there so long, and knowing the country as he does, it takes more than dry weather, hail and windstorms to shake his confidence in a country where he has made several thousand dollars honestly and has the good will of all his neighbors too boot.

Messrs. E. A. Thompson and J. B. Jones, Sr. left here Thursday bound for a Hobart, Oklahoma sanatorium. Here's hoping that both of these estimable citizens find the fountain of youth.

### SCHOOL NOTES

The Seniors and Juniors met and organized their classes last week. The Seniors elected Joe Noble president and Mr. Hutton and Mr. Wells sponsors. The Juniors elected Raymond Nichols president and Miss Beck sponsor. The Sophs have not organized yet. The college classes elected sponsors, but did not organize.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stocking were elected sponsors for the college Sophs, and Misses Eavers and Storder were elected sponsors for the college Freshmen class.

Joe Noble was elected captain

of the football team Monday afternoon. Noble is a two-year letter man and will probably fill the fullbacks position again this year.

Mrs. M. T. Crabtree and mother, Mrs. Toomb, spent Thursday with Mrs. Toomb's brother, Harry Brown, of Goodnight.

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## NORMAL CHILD "BUILT FROM MALFORDERED BABY WHOSE FOLKS NEEDED BUT ASKED NO CHARITY"

A little more than two years ago in a little two-room box house under the Red River levee, in East Texas, a little girl was born. The advent of any baby into the world should, under normal circumstances, be cause for great rejoicing. But in this case the happiness was dimmed materially by poverty, and a total lack of even life's necessities, for one thing; and then another very potent factor made the birth anything but a happy event for the hard-working parents. Little Lucile was malformed.

She had no upperlip, no upper gums, and no palette. There was just a gaping hole in her little baby face where a soft red mouth should have been. To make matters worse, her nose was twisted to one side and one nostril was loose and pendulous.

Naturally, the parents were not proud of this pitiful little mite. They were saddened and heartsick. They could not picture any normal future for her. They could see how even ordinary happiness and contentment could come to her. They were very poor, and this baby's plight made them even more miserable. So they stayed to themselves and kept the child hidden as much as possible.

With News Came Aid. But at length the news got around and a young minister learned about the little girl. He made his way over the rough roads, through the mud and the slush of winter to the house under the levee, and interviewed the mother. If it could be obtained, he said, would the parents accept surgical aid for their child?

They leaped at the chance. So the young minister went back home and wrote to the authorities at the Methodist Hospital in Dallas, and after reading the pitiful account of the affair, Dr. J. H. Groseclose went to investigate. When he came to the home Lucile was 8 months old and had never worn a dress. There had been none for her to wear and no money to purchase any but the bare necessities. So this baby girl had passed her miserable little existence wrapped in a piece of old sheet or a quilt. The mother herself was in wretched health and the little house, set up on stilts to avoid the overflow waters, was cold and dreary.

So Dr. Groseclose felt that something drastic must be done. He

had little Lucile brought to Dallas to the Methodist Hospital. Here a competent surgeon was found who was willing to donate his services free. Nurse came hastily, caps and gowns were donned by the assistants in the operating room, sterile gloves slipped on, ether administered, and the long and painful business of rebuilding a human face was begun.

**Rebuilt to Normalcy.** By a special scientific process new gums were grafted and teeth came through. The sides of the upperlip were pulled together and held by a clamp, then sewed; the nose was straightened, new skin grafted.

And today, after fourteen months of operations, skin graftings and long, slow processes of healing, Baby Lucile looks just like any other other normal healthy child, and moreover she is like any other child, save for the fact that she can not speak, yet because of the cleft palette, which is to be the last step in this rebuilding process.

Last week she came down from the Red River country for the purpose of having this palette closed. But upon her arrival at the Methodist Hospital, which place is practically home to her now, the surgeons discovered that her tonsils were bad, so they were taken out.

Today little Lucile, blue-eyed and golden-haired, lies on a tiny hospital bed in the children's ward, clad in a voluminous hospital nightgown several sizes too large for her. But despite the recent tonsil operation, she is ready at a moment's notice to gather up the trailing ends and dart the length of the room, should any one make an untoward movement denoting either or another operation coming on. So far life has held much suffering for her. However, ten years from now, when she is beginning to be a young lady, she will be thankful beyond all words that some one took the pains and trouble and cared enough about her to remake her little face and with it to reshape her whole existence.

In another month the final operation will have been completed; the palette will be closed, and she will learn to talk. All of this has been done by the Methodist Hospital as a part of its charity program which covers thousands of dollars every year.—Dallas News.

## SUNNYVIEW

We are at last having some clear cool weather which is a great help to the farmers, as the cotton is opening very rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp of McLean called on Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham. They were on their vacation and had been to Childress and Memphis, and were going to Claude and Amarillo to visit relatives.

Mrs. Fannie Butler of Garland spent last week visiting with Mrs. A. M. Lanham, Mrs. F. L. Behrens and Mrs. Archie McNeely, she is now visiting in the home of Mrs. S. S. Roberts.

Neal Bogard and Heckle Starks drove to Childress Monday to get some cotton pickers. There is great need for help by the farmers to pick their cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor called on Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lanham Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley and family attended the Dedication Services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bailey and children and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jones were callers in the Lanham home late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McNeely and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roberts Saturday night and heard some good Radio programs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor called in the J. N. Riley home late Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Riley called on Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Clayton Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stoar of Wichita Falls spent Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Riley.

The members of the Clarendon Rebekah Lodge No. 149 Clarendon met in regular session on Friday night Sept. 20. After the usual business was disposed of a musical program was rendered by the young folks and an old fashion supper was spread on long tables which consisted of all the eatables which we will call a real "feed", instead of a luncheon or a banquet, etc. A good membership was present and several guests who were invited were present. The occasion being the celebration of the 78th Anniversary of Rebekah I. O. O. F.

### Clarendon Junior College Annual Statement 1928-1929 Term

Disbursements:	
Teachers Salaries	6875.78
Supplies-Printing	591.82
Attorneys expenses	130.00
Superintendent expenses	236.60
Tuition Fees refunded	71.25
Matrons Board	85.40
Tuition refunded	112.50
Postage	47.50
Membership fees	35.00
Inspection fees	40.00
Subscription to Paper	5.00
Commencement Address	25.00
Check returned	25.00
Balance on hand 9-1-29	8,280.85
	816.07
	9,096.92

Receipts:	
Balance on hand 9-1-28	1698.58
Tuition collected	6615.70
Dormitory Room rents	656.05
Lease vacant property	92.50
Depository interest	24.29
Phone calls	9.80
	9,096.92

W. W. Taylor, Secretary.

### Hall County Officers Capture Huge Still And Four Men Near Parnell Monday

The following account of the capture of a still near Parnell yesterday (Monday) is taken from the Amarillo Daily News.

In the ravines four miles northwest of Parnell one of the greatest whiskey stills ever discovered in the west, with four men equipped with stores and tents to last 60 days, was seized and the operators jailed here today.

Three white men and a negro were taken in a chase. Two of them are residents of Hall county. The negro did not stop his flight until the officers shot a dog running at his side.

Charley Humes, deputy sheriff of Turkey led the raiders. The confiscated loot included a big sedan nearly new, two tents, 60 days supply of rations, 600 pounds of sugar, 600 pounds of shorts, 20 gallons of whiskey already run, 43 barrels of mash and the 300-gallon still.

The Commissioners Court was in session Monday and approved the tax rolls.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A coal heater in good condition, good grate and ready for service. See Killough & Son or phone 44. 29tfc.

FOR SALE—Pure sweet cider at 50c per gallon. W. F. Shannon, 2½ miles northwest of Goldston. 32-p.

FOR SALE—High wheel broad tire wagon. See Frank Hardin. 28-tfc.

FOR SALE—Jersey milk cow, aged six years, gentle and good milker. See her at my home one block west and five blocks south of the High School. Phone 220. Tom Parker. 27-tfc.

FOR SALE—Some nice Jersey cows. T. W. Smith. Phone 461. 22-tfc.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, genuine leather upholsteredavenport of the folding bed type. Just the thing for the spare bed. Call 455. 27-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. (9tfc)

FOR SALE—160 acres 2½ miles of Clarendon. Average improvements. Windmill and plenty of good water. Ideal for truck farm. Would accept some trade. M. R. Garrison, 502 Avenue D, S. E., Childress, Texas. 24tfc.

FRUIT TREES—No better at any price. Suited to this climate. True to name. Stark Bros. grow them at Louisiana, Mo. Buy from your neighbor. R. E. L. Lewis, Ashdola, Texas. 28-4t.

FOR SALE—At sacrifice price, one modern 7 room house and 2½ acres of land, ideal for chicken farm. Call 512 or 386. 28-tfc.

FOR SALE—Apple Cider Pure "D" Stuff. 50c a gallon. 3 miles southwest of McLean. A. T. Wilson, McLean, Texas. 31pd.

### PLAINS LAND FOR SALE

320 acres, \$2.00 per acre cash, ½ crop for balance till paid.  
390 acres, \$2.00 cash, balance 33 years at 6 per cent.  
640 acres, \$2.50 cash, balance ½ crop at 6 per cent.

160 acres Donley county, \$1000 cash, balance like rent.  
320 acres Donley county, \$2000 cash, balance 33 years.  
640 acres Plains land to lease at \$1.00 per acre.  
320 acres Plains land to lease at \$1.00 per acre.  
I have what you want where you want it.  
J. Cobb Harris. 28tfc.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Six room house 3 blocks of school, garage and half block of land at reasonable price. Call at Leader office or see B. F. Crawford. 27-tfc.

FOR RENT—Nice four room house with all modern conveniences. See Mrs. A. B. Cobb or call 410. 27-tfc.

FOR RENT—Four room house three blocks east of Clarendon hotel. Newly papered and all modern conveniences. Phone 67. Mrs. John Vineyard. 25tfc.

FOR RENT—One apartment with modern conveniences. Phone 9 or see H. B. Kerbow. 28-tfc.

FOR RENT—Three room house with bath close in. See me at Simpson's Mill or call 149. S. H. Lovell. 28-tfc.

### WANTED

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

WANTED—Girl or woman help at Clarendon Steam Laundry. Call 75. 14tfc.

WANTED—Poultry and eggs. See me before you sell. Phone 220. Tom Parker. 27-tfc.

### LOST

LOST—A red and a black mare mule. Both got out of my pasture south of town Saturday. About 15½ hands. Please call phone number 436. John Lott. 29c.

LOST—In or near the Grammar School building at the Poultry show Tuesday, a white gold filligree brooch pin with amber set. Return to Leader office for reward. 29c.

## PRESBYTERIANS

(Continued From Front Page) reading and Dr. Springall offered the dedicatory prayer.

One of the most impressive and highly appreciated numbers on the program of this dedicatory service was the solo as sung by Mr. Robt. Cope.

The local pastor, Rev. McKee, reports that the church was taxed to the limit to take care of the congregation at both morning and evening services. The Sunday school attendance has trebled since the use of the new church began and the church attendance is largely increased.

### Staccato Of Airplanes Disturbs Otherwise Peaceful Citizens

Judge T. H. Peebles, owner of the local air port and landing field east of town, flivvered into town early Sunday morning in a frenzied expecancy this being his thirtieth anniversary of having discovered Donley county.

Judge Peebles instantly began his quest of meeting a certain airplane pilot whose cognomen or nonpneudone the Judge understood to be "Whistlebreches". At any rate this party was to meet the Judge here and accompany him to Amarillo where he was to deliver to him a monoplane in exchange for the family flivver plus \$917.16.

The many friends of this good citizen of thirty years standing have been suspicious of his actions for several days lest he become air-minded knowing the malady to be classed as both contagious and infectious. It appears to have attacked him in malignant form. He has lost interest in material things that have caused him to go along in the even tenor of his way these many years with a mind fully decided to let nature take its course.

While waiting for "Whistlebreches" to show up Sunday morning, the Judge, being a scholar of the old school and a product of the South's proudest lineage, discussed the fallacies of modern politics and the educational abortions of the present misguided generation. His Latin quotations were intermittent, being freely punctuated with the technical details of the machine that floats through the ether on ribbon radio waves far above the static life of the genus homo.

Judge Peebles served Donley county in an official capacity

## Boy Is Badly Injured While Returning From Fair

While returning from the Memphis fair to their home Friday night, the car occupied by the Arnce family of Antelope Flat collided with another car.

A child of fifteen of the Arnce family was riding on the fender and was badly injured, one limb being crushed. He was rushed to a Memphis sanitarium where he had not regained consciousness up to Monday.

Blinding lights is said to have caused the wreck which resulted in much damage to both cars.

Some of the boys are taking a vacation until after the Grand Jury meets.

many years ago and gave her the best administration as county attorney she has ever had. His knowledge of Gladstone is above par and his familiarity with Latin sagas and their writings is surpassing. Being a constant reader, his knowledge of present day events is far above that of the average man.

He was having trouble with the flivver gas line at last accounts but was slowly heading toward Amarillo in quest of the most prized possession of his life.

Frank Whitlock, who has always heard humanity's call and lent a helping hand, was among the large number of Clarendon men to help hunt Buster Gray Monday. He claims to have picked a hat full of sandbars out of his sock legs after the boy was found, but did not know that he was in the burs during the excitement.

Contractor Joe Humphrey, Jr. has three jobs going and expecting some more to start soon. W. O. Butler is having a five room house built that is about ready for the shingles, modern in all respects and a basement. The two Wilson houses will be completed this week.

The W. F. Manning home partly destroyed by fire while occupied by Fred Smith is being repaired by Mr. Humphrey's force.

## C. W. Gallaway, D.C. CHIROPRACTOR

Phone 234  
Res. Phone 236  
Clarendon, Texas



## EVERY HEADACHE IS A DANGER SIGNAL

Some persons see clearly at distant and near ranges, but it is always with a tax placed on muscles and nerves. The slight effort, though often unconscious, causes headaches, indigestion, inflammation, nausea, etc.

### Dr. S. F. Honeycutt, O. D.

At Stocking's Drug Store. Clarendon, Texas

### Annual Statement 1928-1929 Term Clarendon Public Schools

Disbursements:	
Water	407.53
Lights and Power	683.51
Phone-Telegraph	229.15
Fuel	1598.20
Supplies	1610.52
Teachers Salaries	37560.75
Janitor Wages	2400.00
Insurance Premiums	1972.30
Repairs-Remodeling	5781.98
Bonds and Interest	10621.25
Paving Notes	1369.14
Tax Collector	739.85
Tax Assessor	365.00
Miscellaneous Expense	1012.67
School Physician Salary	400.00
Secretary Salary	380.00
Interest paid on Vouchers	616.48
Total Expenses	67,747.73
Balance on hand close of school year	1,851.09
	69,598.82

Receipts:	
Local Taxes collected	44011.31
State Apportionment	11655.00
County Apportionment	310.80
County Transfers	705.00
Vocational AG Salary	1125.00
Vocational HE Salary	750.00
Depository Interest	133.06
Real Estate Sold	10908.65
Total Receipts	69,598.82

Deficit at the beginning of the School year 1928-1929 5,610.26  
Less cash balance on hand at close of school year 1,851.09

Net deficit at close of 1928-1929 school term August 31st 1929 3,759.17  
W. W. Taylor, Secretary.

Neil McKillop has accepted a position as shipping clerk with Armour & Co. of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estlack and son Wayne are attending the fair at Abilene this week.

### GOLDSTON

Sunday school was attended by a large crowd Sunday also singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nanney returned from Ft. Worth Friday.

Mr. H. M. Stewart went to Dallas Friday night for medical treatment.

Miss Cleo Tracy has returned to school at Amarillo.

Miss Gladys Carroll of Jericho visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nanney and John Winfred visited their half brother, Mr. Bert Washan who is seriously ill at a hospital in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brame made a trip to Amarillo Sunday.

Cotton picking is the order of the day now.

School will close Friday of this week for cotton picking.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dale visited with Mrs. Eldridge near Clarendon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. R. and J. S. Dale made a trip to Pampa last Saturday.

### Rebekah Lodge Celebrates Their Seventy-Eighth Anniversary

Following the regular session of the lodge here Friday night, a musical program was carried out by the younger members of the local lodge.

A real feed for which this organization is famous was spread at the conclusion of the program. From all reports not a single member failed to register perfection on the "supper" as they distinguish it from a "Banquet" in that there is plenty of home cooked foods of unsurpassed quality.

The lodge is making a steady growth and boasts of an enthusiastic membership placing their lodge on a par with any like organizations of the entire Panhandle.

Joe Humphrey is a business visitor to the Amarillo fair.

# FABRICS for WINTER

## WOOLENS— —SILKS— —COTTONS

Light weight woolens—plain and printed Silks—Novelty Cotton are here in array of the Authentic Styles for fall—Colors are rich browns, new blue, wine tone, black and tweed like prints.

### Hanna-Pope & Co.

Associated Stores