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City Buys Auditorium Site From School

Old Grammar School Block At Head of Kearney Street Bought By City From School Trustees

DEAL CONVERTS UNUSED PROPERTY INTO READY CASH FOR LIQUIDATING SCHOOL DEFICIT AND PAVES WAY FOR AUDITORIUM IN IDEAL LOCA-

What is believed to be the beginning of a movement that will ginning of a movement that will MULKEY SPEAKS AT McLEAN LIONS CLUB provide Clarendon and community with the sorely needed auditorium, was recorded last week in the deed and transfer of the old Grammar School block at the land of Kearney Street from the School School Sight program. At the conclusions of the program of the conclusions of the conc

cant for over a year, and with the rapidly increasing motor traffic about the block it has been generally accepted that it would never again be available for school use and especially for the little tots so its sale by the school increased in capacity by one little tots so its sale by the school board comes as no surprise. Details connected with the occupying of the old Clarendon College property and the recent installation of the modern home economics department of the high school, has caused a deficit in the treasury of the school district and the board has wrestled for some board has board h months with the problem of takcare of the deficit without another increase in taxes. Therefore, with the rising tide of sentiment for the provision of a suit able auditorium for school and community uses, and the concern of the city commission over this need, it was only logical that the needs of all parties concerned should be met in the sale and transfer of the property which is universally agreed presents the most ideal location for such a community enterprise.

On the part of the city government, it was possible to finance the purchase without the usual issuance of bonds, and by reason of the city's splendid financial rating, a warrant issue was floated with ease and the money made available.

When interviewed about the possibility of an early consummation of auditorium project, a municipal band and macpointed out to a News represen-tative that the commission did not feel that it would be possible just at this time to provide the funds through any method with-out the undue increase in city taxes, but that there were plans afoot that would consolidate some outstanding city indebted-ness and with some refinancing it was thought that a plan might be worked out in another year to

on the taxpayers.

Anyway, the first step has been taken looking to an auditorium. The best site in town has been secured at a minimum cost. The school district has been relieved of a deficit and those who are working to the end of better facilities for school, churches, clubs and community in the auditorium, sponsored by the Man and community in the auditorium of the program will begin at seven of the camp. In sending in the application to attend the camp, the scout or would-be scout, must send in 50 cents for a registration fee.

A rule that is placed in effect with this camp is the fact that a program of seasonal music.

A rule that is placed in effect with this camp is the fact that a physical examination must be taken to assure the boy an entrance into the camp. This can be made for the camp. In sending in the application to attend the next few weeks.

The present church building of the Presbyterians, located at the intersection of Second and Kearney Streets, has become insufficient to meet the needs of the organization in the next few weeks.

A rule that is placed in effect with this camp is the fact that a physical examination must be taken to assure the boy an entrance into the camp. This care and community in the auditorium are encouraged by the trade as Progress comes slowly-but

Reports from the bedside of Mrs. J. W. Gray in Amarillo would indicate that she is recuperating as rapidly as could be expected from the injury received last week when she fell and broke a shoulder.

MR. AND MRS. GEO, STOCK ING ANNOUNCE ARRIVAL

A cablegram has been received by Mrs. J. D. Stocking from Mr. and Mrs. George Stocking anouncing the arrival of a son.

Mr. Stocking is now doing reoundation and is now located in

Miss Sybil Johnson went hildress Thursday on business.

BAND AND CHORAL CONCERT DEC. 23

This city and community will be treated to a joint Christmas concert on Sunday evening, Dec. 23rd, at the Methodist Church, presented by the Clarendon Municipal Band, under the direction of E. M. Lindsey, and the MacDowell Club, directed by Miss Halen Martin

Junior Boys Chorus of Clarendon, sponsored by the MacDowell Club and directed by Mrs. Richard Wilkerson. This chorus has only been organized a few weeks and promises to be one of the outstand with the registration fee to I. E. Jolly at Memphis before the boy will be allowed to enter.

The line up of articles to be attached to the came of the line up of articles to be attached to the came will include the

cert will appear in next week's issue of The News.

PUBLIC NURSE IS

TO COUNTY FOR SCHOOL

Donley County is here and that any of the schools of the county so long as she is allowed to remain in Donley County. Mrs. Campbell is here as a represen-tative of the State Department of Health, and is here at no exher room, transportation and

old Grammar School block at the head of Kearney Street from the Clarendon Independent School District to the City of Clarendon, for a cash consideration of \$10,000.00. In the deal, the school board retained rights and privileges in such auditorium when it should be completed, and the retention of these rights is the only reason that could be accounted for the small purchase price named.

On the purchase of the old Clarendon College property the 'use of the Grammar school building on the block in question was abandoned and it has stood vacant for over a year, and with

Mrs. John H. Clark and daugh-ter, Miss Ella Clark, were Ama-rillo visitors Thursday of last

SCOUT COUNCIL PLANS FOR CAMP

COUNCIL PLANS NEW VENTURE FOR HOLIDAYS. | ance

that Scouting is outdoor work, week. the Executive Board of the Southeast Panhandle Council have placed their seal of approval on a winter camp to be held from the afternoon of December 26th ing relatives and attending to busuntil the morning of December 26th until the morning of December 30th. Slips are being mailed to each of the Scout Troops in the council and if sufficient replies are received, the camp will be carried to completion as planned. Eligibility to attend the camp is not limited to the boys who

is not limited to the boys who are members of a troop, but any boy who shows a desire to belong to an organization of this sort DOWELL CLUB WILL REN-DER CHRISTMAS CONCERT

To an organization of this sorter may partake of the camp if he meets the requirements. The camp is to be held on the same location as the one held during the summer with sufficient stove

and fuel being furnished to provide for the warmth of the boys.

Meals will be prepared by a

Meals will be proven his comcook who has proven his com-petency and the boys who attend petency and the boys who attend are assured that they will receive plenty of well cooked food. The cost will be slight for the ten meals, \$3.00 being charge for this amount. No other charges will be made for the camp. In sending in the application to attend the camp, the scout or would-be scout, must send in 50 cents for the Presbyterians, located at the aregistration fee.

taken to assure the boy an entrance into the camp. This certificate must be mailed with the registration fee to I. E. Jolly at Memphis before the boy will be allowed to enter

GOODFELLOWS TO HERE FOR WORK START WORK 18TH

No definite goal has been set for the Goodfellows fund for the year, although it is thought that the amount needed will not be less than that raised in former thought that there is less of suf-fering here than in most cities

Basing their act on the idea rytown is a guest in the home of Mrs. C. W. Bennett, Sr., this

PLAN NEW HOME

PLAN TO CALL PASTOR AND ERECT NEW BUILDING IN NEAR FUTURE.

The Presbyterian Church Clarendon, occupying one of the oldest church homes from point of service, comprise one of the strongest bodies of the churches of Clarendon. At the present time this organization is without the services of a pastor, but plans

satisfactorily disposed of, The Ladies Auxiliary of the church raised the funds and purchased a quarter block just south of the Episcopal Church and have this

BUILDING HERE

MRS. CAMPBELL IS ASSIGNED ANNUAL DRIVE FOR FUNDS INDICATIONS POINT TO FUR-THER GROWTH OF CLAR-

Recent additions to the residence sections of the town will include a new home for Mrs. Monica Harvey. This home was completely built new from the ground up and is one of the nicest

John Bas's has torn away th John Bass has torn away the old J. L. Bain home in the western side of the town and is remodeling this into a six-room residence. In addition to this, Mr. Bass is planning the erection of a new home for himself on the boulevard just east of the college on a part of the block that formerly belong-

In the outlying districts there is found the Strawn home that is being completely remodeled, as well as that of Chas. H. Bugbec, Other improvements are being made by the farmers of the immediate section in addition to the two changes noted.

Ed Speed is constructing to

Ed Speed is constructing a home for his family on East First Street, in the midst of a number of other newly improved homes in that part of the city.

Another part of the business Another part of the business section that is receiving improvements is that part recently purchased by Mr. Thomas. A warehouse of brick and tile is being placed on the rear of this lot and has been so hidden by other buildings that little has been known of its presence. of its presence. Some improve-ments have been made and others are to be made in the plant of the Cold Storage Power Company Large quantities of the old floor-ing in the ice storage rooms have been removed and will be replaced with concrete and other floor

ing of a like nature.

The time of year for remodel-The line up of articles to be taken to camp will include the mess kit or cooking utensils.

The full program of this concert will appear in next week's issue of The News.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Antrobus motored to Amarillo Wednesday.

The line up of articles to be taken to camp will include the mess kit or cooking utensils, fork, spoon, old quilt, poncho or rubber or canvass cloth for pad, four or five blankets, mackinaw or sweater, wool shirts. Scout knife and have this land ready for use when the present structure has been sold.

It has been reported that there are a number of prospects for the purchase of this desirable building location and that the construction of the new building would only be a matter of a few months.

The line up of articles to be taken to camp will include the land ready for use when the present structure has been sold.

It has been reported that there of the city are likely to follow the examples set by those at work at the present time and make Clarendon take on further tion of the new building would only be a matter of a few months. ing and renovating is at hand and others in the city are likely to follow the examples set by those





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To your hands, dear reader, now comes this the 1928 Home Town Edition of The Clarendon News, and it is the hope of the editor and staff that you will enjoy its pages, even as we have enjoyed the gruelling task of assembling and producing it. This issue goes to hundreds of non-subscribers and is an invitation for them to inform themselves about Clarendon and Donley County, that they may regard us as we deserve, as well as an invitation to become regular readers of this newspaper. We believe that you will agree that this annual edition is in every way equal if not the superior of any Home Town editions, and even now we are pledging ourselves to a better one in 1929, and for fear that we will not say it often enough and loud enough, The Clarendon News staff wishes you one and all the finest and hap- condition little above an imbecile, sometime assuming the piest Christmas vou have ever known.

Next Tuesday. Dec. 18th, is the date set by annual custom for the raising of the Goodfellows Fund in this community. For many years Clarendon citizens have proven their sincere interest in the welfare of the poor and unfortunate News doubts if Clarendon is surpassed in the handling of its charities. Even when the financial condition of the county is at its peak there is always need for aid, and as the committees begin their work next Tuesday we confidently believe that the citizens of this community will meet them with a smile and a ready contribution. That's Clarendon's

been set and the marked success of the first show this year along some darn good advice. will no doubt be far surpassed in the coming exhibit. The reason the 1929 show is going to be better is that the industry is entrenched as one of the basic elements of successful farming in this section. We all can afford to invest time and effort in making the big dairy show a success when and prosperity.

May Jolly Old

Ring Loudly His Sleigh Bells of

GOOD CHEER

at your door and from the pack on

Groceries and Superior Feeds

PHONES 186 AND 421

his back pour out for you

Precious

Judge Hamlin of Farwell, representing the 31st district in Governor Moody's state-wide committee of thirty- record for cotton production of 24,800 bales. The 1928 one to study the highway problem and make recommenda- crop will likely go over the 25,000 bale mark, is the expressed tions to the next legislature, told the committee that a provision to refund counties for all highway funds spent, news and at the prevailing prices it has contributed much whether the road is of standard construction and regard- to putting the county in the best financial condition it has less of its condition, would put West Texas overwhelmingly ever known. against any state bond issue for highways. Judge Hamlin is right. The most reasonable proposition so far, is that no refunds be made counties for building before the creation of the highway commission. Very few miles in Texas was of although it is classified by the doctors as of a light form. standard construction before the commission was formed, and it would be manifestly unfair to pay for such roads when no federal or state aid is now available unless the roads are up to a high standard. The greatest question before Texas today is the highways and the people are ready of a surprise attack. Watch your health. for its solution on a fair and just basis, but no sops or subsidies will be tolerated.

Clarendon bankers report that there will be less carryover loans from Donley County farmers and cattlemen than ever in the history of the county. They all agree that we face 1929 in the best financial condition since the war, and some are ready to maintain that the county is in the best financial condition that it has ever known. The pendulum is swinging back, a la Babson, and we may expect better years to offset the two or three just behind. The News feels that Donley County people are entitled to the prosperity they are now experiencing, for they have shown their mettle in the adverse days and have come through it by the fundamental American principles of frugality, thrift and industry. Fortune smiles often in Donley County.

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Another source of wonderment is the chap that has a hunch in his brain cavity that the way to celebrate the birth of the Prince of Peace is to pour rot-gut whiskey into a seared stomach until his senses reel and he drops into a role of a criminal. What but Demon Rum would cause a man to so far forget himself and his obligations to God and man?

Amarillo lost to Abilene, after outplaying the husky bunch from the Oil Belt district, and all the Panhandle felt among us by contributing liberally to this fund and The defeated, as Amarillo had the best team in its history this year. However, it may be a different story when Abilene meets Cleburne, and since this editor is a former Johnson County citizen, he will be pardoned for "pulling" for Cleburne. Cleburne or Abilene will be state champs.

Holiday stocks have never been so varied and profuse in Clarendon stores as this season. When The News urges its readers to shop early and shop in Clarendon it isn't 1929 Dates for the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show have merely functioning as the Home Newspaper-it is passing

This editor is not and never will be an applicant for a postoffice, but some of our friends are, so we hope Mr. Hoover will ride safely through the plots of South America dairying has done so much for our financial independence and land in the United States for the happiest Christmas

Just what you need for the holidays

VEGETABLES

Try the

Sausage Seasoning

Specials for Friday and Saturday

Fancy Wrapped Winesap Per Dozen

25c

A perfect blend of sage, peppers

Old Plantation

CHRISTMAS TREES

in our line of

and pure salt.

Apples

CANDIES

FRUITS

NUTS

Donley County, it now appears, will break her all-time opinion of several men who know cotton. This is wonderful

Over the nation there seems to be a wave of influenza, The holiday season is no time for busy, red-blooded Americans to be laid up with even a light form of "flu," so we will all do well to look to our health and not be the victim

How small the world is today. For days we have heard by telegraph and radio of the varying condition of King George of England, and the whole world has known more of his illness than one formerly knew of illness in the neighborhood. The world wishes the King an early recovery and many more peaceful, happy years.

I have always thought of Christmas time, when it has come round apart from the veneration due to its sacred name and origin, if anything belonging to it can be apart from that—as a good time; a kind, forgiving, charitable, pleasant time.—Charles Dickens.

WE EXTEND

Our friends and customers our thanks through The News for the business that has been ours in the past year.

May this season be bright and happy for you and yours, and may the future that lies out before you be laden with good things.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Front bedrooms in desirable home. Gas, all modern conveniences. Leon O. Lewis.

FOR RENT: The Spitzer home, after Jan. 1. Phone 187 after 7:30 p. m. (50tfc.) 7:30 p. m.

FOR RENT: 3 furnished roms, private bath. Phone 106. 50tfc.

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment and bed rooms. Phone 521. (5tfc)

FOR SALE

BARRELED KRAUT at Clifford & RAY Grocery. Bring your jar to get full benefits. (48c.)

FOR SALE: 3 horses, some farm implements and cows. See A. O.

FOR SALE OR TRADE-Separator used six months. 484. J. P. Parks. (5

FOR SALE: Registered Police (49tfc.)

FOR SALE: 3 Good Milk Cows. All fresh. Frank Hardin. 49tfc

FOR SALE—Fat hog, 13 cents dressed 10 cents on foot. Sam dressed, 10 cents on foot. Strankersley, on old Bruce place. (50pd.)

FOR SALE:-Fresh sorghum syrup. Phone 1018-2R, J. O. Thomp-

FOR SALE: School land in Bailey and Cochran Counties. Not the cheap kind, but the best land, like thousands of others have bought on the South plains. 40 acre tracts and up, \$5 per acre cash and balance on 40 years time, 6 per cent interest. See or write W. L. Blaylock, Box 74, Le-•••••••••• County real estate.

> FOR SALE: 160 acre farm 9 miles north of Goodnight. 120 acres in cultivation, 4-room house, well, windmill, good granary and chicken houses. \$35 per acre, \$2,000 cash and balance easy. C. H. Davenport, Rt. 2, Groom, Texas. (51pd.)

> FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE: Farms, Ranches, City Property, Can take residence as part pay-ment on good farm. J. O. Quat-tlebaum, box 381, Clarendon, Tex-(45tfc.)

FOR SALE: Full Blood Narragansett Turkeys. Toms, \$8:00; Hens, \$6.00. Tom Thomas, Good-night, Texas. (52pd.)

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FOR SALE: 15 or 20 nice Jersey heifers, fresh in fall or winter. Some extra good. First come, best choice. E. M. Ozier. (42tfc.)

FOR TRADE

NICE FIVE-ROOM modern house and a four-room house in Amarillo, will trade for farm near Clarendon. E. L. Blackwell, Box 2773, Amarillo. (51pd.)

FOR TRADE: Five-room residence in Fort Worth, walking distance of T. W. C., 4 lots, modern. Lucy L. Stogner, Lelia Lake, Texas. (50pd.)

WANTED

WANTED: Housekeeper, wo-man of middle age. Phone 315, J. Fred Smith. (50pd.)

LOST—from dairy in Clarendon, white faced bull calf, unmarked and no brands, 6 months old. Reward. Phone 484. J. P. Parks. (50tfc.)

MISCELLANEOUS

HOME MADE Fruit cakes for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Mail orders filled. Mrs. J. J. Mc-Micken, Memphis, Texas. (50c)

PIANOS PIANOS

Reliable manufacturer has in this vicinity one player and one piano for sale cheap rather than ship back, or might store with responsible party. Address Manufacturer, Box 365, Chicago, Illinois. (41tfc.)

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the annual Stockholders' meeting of the Donley County State Bank will be held in the Directors' room on the first Monday after the first Tuesday in January, 1929, the same being the 7th day of January. At this time, the election of directors for the coming year and such other business as may come before the body will be attended.

(1c) F. E. Chamberlain, Vice Pres.

Shelton & Sanford

Hershey or Baby Ruth 24 5c-Bars, Box 95c Candy Marshmallows 3 Angelus 10c-Packages 23c Evap. Peaches $13\frac{1}{2}c$ Flour \$2.25 Why not have the best flour for your cakes? 1928 - Crop No. 1 Grade Per Pound Walnuts 35c

College—High School Activities

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

of tinsel ribbon bought sold; paper wreath; a day at home

for me.

The merry bells ring out, the people kneel;
Up goes the man of God before the crowd;
With voice of honey and with

eyes of steel

He drones your humble gospel to the proud.

Nobody listens. Less than the wind that blows

Are all your words to us you died

to save.
O Prince of Peace! O Sharon's dewy Rose!

How mute you lie within your vaulted grave.

The stone the angel rolled away with tears

back upon your mouth these thousand years.

Mrs. Crane brought out the following high points in her talk on what the parent-teachers are planning to do. The first meeting of the parent-teachers was in Washington, D. C., in 1897. Since that time, it has grown by leaps and bounds. The parent-teachers organization does not want to be strictly financial. Its major issue is child welfare. It strives to be a university for grown ups. It is interested first, in the physical well being of the child, realizing that education means nothing at the control of health Secondly.

well being of the child, realizing that education means nothing at the expense of health. Secondly, it strives to develop the child mentally. There are today five million illiterates in America. The organization is particularly interested in the character development of the child, and encourages thrift. Mrs. Crane added that Amarillo is the first place in the state to have the pre-school teacher association, and that there are now two hundred and twenty such organization in Texas. She finalorganization in Texas. She finally urged the college and high school parent-teacher association of this school to have interesting

Mr. Cooper made a very inter-esting talk in chapel Tuesday on his experiences in the army. He told about the trip to the boat and gave some of the experiences the soldiers had in Coney Island. The trip over was a very inter-esting event according to his acesting event, according to his account, and we were all sorry that the bell rang before he had time to finish the speech he had outlined, but we are sure he will come back and finish it soon.

By Edna St. Vincent Millay.

(Note—The Press Club boasts of some poets, but it has chosen this poem by Miss Millay from her new book for the readers of this column):

For this your mother sweated in the cold.

For this you bled upon the bitter tree.

There was much interest and some interesting plans were made which will be announced later. The society decided to accept the challenge of the Alpha Delta Psi for a debate to be given on December 12th. After the singing of popular songs the society adjourned.

Personals

BURIED MONDA

Miss Genevra Merrell spent

Miss Genevra Merrell spent Sunday in Amarillo.

Miss Rita Foster, head of the department of speech in the College, and a teacher in the ward school, left Sunday night for her home in Cleburne, where she will remain until after the holidays.

Dorothy McCanne went to Am-

The Midnite Blondes made flying trip to Claude on Sunday. Edna Gerlach of Memphis has just entered college.

thousand years.

District President Talks

At P. T. A. Thursday

One of the most beneficial and interesting programs of the P. T.

A. this year was rendered Thursday afternoon in the College auditorium when Mrs. J. C. Crane, eighth district president, and Mrs.

T. J. Page, secretary, made talks on parent-teacher work before a joint meeting of parent-teachers.

Mrs. Crane brought out the following high points in her talk on what the most interesting and varied program committee and this personsible for all the program committee, and this pennish the committee and this program committee, and this pennish the committee and this program committee and this pennish the committee and this program end this program committee and this pennish the committee and this program end the most in the entire year. An interesting and trail the program committee and this program end this program end on more than twenty years ago. His home has been appointed, and this group is responsible for all the program end on more than twenty years and hiss days old at the time and his presence on the died on December 2 the died on December 2 that time and his p

Palo Duros Entertain

The Palo Duro Literary Socie-ty had charge of the chaped ex-ercises Friday after the announcements had been made. The following program was rendered:
Get Out and Get Under the Moon—Orchestra, accompanied by chorus of Palo Duro girls.

Among My Souvenirs—Orchestra.

Other Selections—Orchestra.
Piano Solo—Esther Morrison.
Reading—Jessie Burson.
Vocal Solo—Willie Mae Stew-

My Girl—Male Quartette.
Sweet Adeline—Male Quartette.
The Bullfrog—Male Quartette.
Piano Selections—Bill Wilder.
Constantinople—Male Quartette.

Claude Defeats Clarendon Girl Basketeers 27-18

rganization in teacher association of this school parent-teacher association of this school to have interesting and vital programs, and have the students take part in them.

Mrs. T. J. Page gave an interesting talk on the correspondence work which is being put on by the P. T. A. She suggested that this organization study the course. The ouestions may be obtained from Mrs. E. Chamness, Capitol Chation, Austin, Texas.

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The ouestions are the clarendon of this game the Clarendon of this game the Clarendon of the mash from getting damp.

onomics department where they were given a party, which was

FACULTY ALL-STARS BEATEN

Another upset in football conflicts has been seen staged, but not unprecedented. In fact, this has been a year of one of con-tinual upset after another. This HOW IT WILL HAPPEN

By "Slick" Naylor.

The all-school team kicks to the all-town team. Hutton receives and is thrown for a seven inch loss by the referee. On the first blay Dean Cooper went around left end only to fall over his shadow for no gain. H. T. Burton was called on the next play to truth his stuff, the ball was passed to him and while he was trying to figure out which foot to start on the mighty end of the all-school team. Fred Bourland dashed in and threw the mighty ground gainer to the earth, for a twenty yard gain. The game was at its highest point of interest when J. Roy Wells raced through the entire all-school team for a dorson before the ball and the score didn't count. Stocking seemed to be the only one left to do the scoring for the ball and the score didn't count. Stocking seemed to be the only one left to do the scoring for the ball and dashed around the water boy. Mr. E. M. Lindsey.

Senator Farrow surely could tackle, a turkey dinner. The star olayers Bagby, Stallings, Smith Hardin, Kennedy and Lane forgot to report to the game and the other members of the team didn't miss them until the game was over.

The all-school team olayed real football throughout the game. The all-school team members wanted to know when their husbands were going to come home. The real score of the game has been misplaced and therefore I annot give it accurately so I will leave it out.

Palo Duro

The Palo Duro Literary Society had a very interestine busiless meeting on Wednesday Demorate was not as large as usual, and was good for the final counter.

The crowd was led to believe the school hall-stars mither a head of the school hall-stars would be school hall-stars and the proposed the first score of the game as to as ferror of the school hall-stars came tered the game as the underdog, but before was proven so last Friday when the Faculty All-Stars met the School All-Stars under a heavy

omewhat different had there not been for about thirty-five cents that one of the officials had bet on the losing team. Penalties were frequent on the part of the school team while the town boys were not bothered by the decisions.

By combining all the rules that have been published in the rule books for the last ten years the boys had great fun in deciding which rule would be used on the next play.

BURIED MONDAY

REMAINS OF G. S. PATTER-SON SHIPPED AWAY FOR INTERMENT.

Friends of G. S. Patterson of Clarendon were saddened last Saturday to learn of the sudden and unexpected death of this cit-izen at his home late that day. He and Mrs. Patterson had made their plans for the Christmas holidays and had already taken their trunks to the depot and had made all arrangements when he was taken sick. Death came late Sat-

Alpha Delta Psi

Alpha Delta Psi has changed its method of preparing programs. A standing program committee has been appointed, and this group is responsible for all the programs for the state of taken sick. Death came late Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Patterson was born January 3rd, 1857, in Waxahachie, Ellis County, Texas. His life was spent in Texas, he coming to Clarendon more than twenty years programs for the state of the state

Patterson was married to Miss Lee Forrest. To this union a number of children were born, and the following are alive to mourn the passing of the father: Miss Susie Patterson, Memphis, Tenn.; Mulkey Patterson, Dallas; L. C. Patterson, Eastland: Mrs. J. C. Patterson, Eastland; Mrs. Leo Rippey, Nashville, Tenn.; and Edwin Patterson of Dallas. In addition to these, two brothers, addition to these, two brothers,
W. D. Patterson of Amarillo and
Fred S. Patterson of Atlanta,
Georgia, and two sisters, Mrs. H.
R. Parks and Miss L. C. Patterson of Dallas are left to mourn
the passing of their brother.
There are ten grandchildren.
The funeral services for the
mortal remains of Mr. Patterson
were conducted in Clarendon Sun-

mortal remains of Mr. Patterson were conducted in Clarendon Sunday afternoon at 4:30 in the funeral parlors of P. A. Buntin & Son. Rev. S. E. Allison conducted the last rites. The body was shipped to Forreston. Ellis County, Sunday evening for interment. Those of the immediate family who could not be here at the funeral services joined the party down

Want a cook Want a partner Want a situation, Want to sell a farm, Want to borrow money Want to borrow money
Want to sell sheep, cattle,
Want to sell town property,
Want to sell groceries, drugs,
Want to sell boots and shoes,
Want to sell dry goods, carpets,
Want to sell clothing, hats, caps,
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PASTIME

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Also Paramount Novelty, "Cruising the Arctic." 10c-30c

Saturday, 15th Olive Borden in STOOL PIGEON

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Also Great Events, "Cleopatra," hand colored picture.

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Monday and Tuesday, 17th - 18th Colleen Moore and Gary Cooper in the season's greatest production, LILAC TIME

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OUEEN

Also Cartoon Comedy and Paramount News 10c-30c

Saturday, 15th Gordon Clifford in West of Mojave

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> -in-"Do Your Duty"

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GOLDSTON

are having rainy weather Lela has stopped boll-pulling for Mary

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Goldston visited in Clarendon last Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. Richard Thomas, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Everet Stevens and Mrs. Clyde Hudson and Mrs. Clyde Hudson and Mrs. Clyde Hudson and Mrs. Clyde Hudson and Mrs. Everet Stevens and Mrs. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson attended Sunday school here Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Richard Thomas, and family. There was singing at

Howard Stewart was out from Clarendon visiting homefolks and Mr. and Mrs. Neely Veazy and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Dilli at Allenreed

with Nina Grant last Wednesday.
Lela Shannon visited with
Mary Ollie Walker Saturday Mr. Dyer made a trip to Okla-

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stevens

Misses Dixie May and Alleen Parks of Clarendon visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Wardlow last

Quite taken to Clarendon to mark

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Goldston and children visited relatives in Clarendon Saturday of last week.

hour with a very good attendance. Rev. Van Pelt, the new Methodist preacher, preached his first sermon Sunday. Everyor his sermon very much.

Miss Jessie Swinburn Sunday with Beatrice Randel. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Deaton of visited in the home

Irs. Dollie White, Sunday.
Little Miss Pauline Johnson

Mr. and Mrs.R. L. Mason and family of Lelia Lake, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kempson and son vis- Willie Gregg Sunday.

ited in the home of S. A. Eddings
Sunday.

Miss Onata Hayter spent
Wednesday night with Vera JohnWednesday night with Vera John
Mrs. and Mrs. Raymond Swinburn of Wichita Falls visited in the home of his parents, M. S. Swinburn, and family, the past

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Swinburn
were called to the deathbed of his
father-in-law, Mr. Martin, of
Wichita• Falls.

Miss Josie Thomas spent Sunday with Grace Slater.

Athylene Drennan spent Sunday with Mary Lois Hayter.

Mrs. Roy Moore of Amarillo
spent Saturday night and Sunday
in the home of Lee McClelland.

Misses Ima and Layera Poovey

Messrs. Joe Bailey Johnson, Car-

rail Parker, Jerry Hayter, John Harp, Lu and Johnnie Rex Mc-Clelland; Misses Mildred Harp, and Beatrice Randel. Everyone

regular hour Sunday afternoon with 85 present. Let all come and have a good Sunday school.

Mr. Hilburn of Hedley preached

Mr. Hilburn of School Sunday aft
School started last Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs.

h the sec-of each Windy Valley took dinner in

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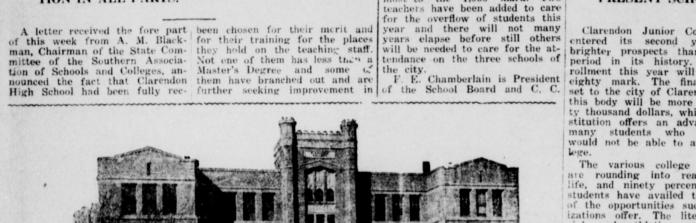
City Schools Get New High Ranking

CLARENDON HIGH SCHOOL IS AD-MITTED TO SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

RECENT MEETING OF ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES ADMITS CLARENDON SCHOOL TO FULL MEMBERSHIP IN BODY. RECOMMEN-DATION WAS MADE AFTER STRICT EXAMINA. TION IN ALL PARTS.

demand by numerous bodies of the city for entertainment fea-

The enrollment of the public schools of Clarendon is this year some sixty to seventy students ahead of the same time last year. season, the enrollment of the schools is expected to reach almost to the 1,000 mark. Two teachers have been added to care



CLARENDON JUNIOR COLLE GE AND HIGH SCHOOL

ognized by that organization and their education to make them- Powell is Secretary of the organthat full membership had been selves fitted for the teaching of ization. extended to the body. This recommendation came after a thorough examination had been made to the students with whom they are of the body are: Odos Caraway, working.

To keep the minds of the students with whom they are of the body are: Odos Caraway, J. W. Martin, W. M. Montgomery, W. Taylor and O. C. Watough examination had been made in all parts of the school by supervisors from the State Departation at time would be to make the school growth of the studies at time would be to make the school growth of the studies at time would be to make the school growth of the studies at time would be to make the school growth of the studies at time would be to make the school growth of the studies at the school growth of the school g ment of Education.

School into this organization of nation wide strength follows the natural trend that has been under way in the school for the past several years. That a high standard is maintained in all parts of the school is evidenced in the steady progress that has been made in the matter of credits for entrance to other schools. This now stands at more than thirty units of affiliation, all of them being accepted without question by any affiliated school in the

The latest addition to the High School is the improvement that has been effected in the Home Economics Department, headed by Miss Helen Beck. This department was changed on the plans officially passed upon by the State Department of Education and was completed at some considerable cost to the school system. The changes made were inspected by sors of the State Department and the result was that no other school in the Pan-iandle can equal the equipment offered for the use of the stu-

ent of Education.

School go stale in a short time.

The receipt of Clarendon High This effect is kept off by the in-

This effect is kept off by the in-troduction of all sorts of athletics, for both boys and girls of the school. If at all possible, the student is urged to take some part in the athletic life of the school, thus making him feel his part in keeping the honor and the life of the body to its highest level. Football, basketball, track, tennis and many other items find the boys well alive to their responsibilties and find them win-ning their due share of acclaim for the victories they win. girls make the most of their time with tennis and basketball with other less strenuous forms of exercise to keep them in the best physical condition.

Again on the literary side of the school, we find organizations tending to keep the minds alert and at work. In this is meant the organizations for debating, extemporaneous speaking and the dramatic arts. In this part of the work Clarendon High School again comes to the front, producing many winners in the state meets who go forth against schools many times as large and

iandle can equil the equipment offered for the use of the students in this department of the school.

Other improvements have been made, notably in the matter of the Library and in the portion of the school given over to the teaching of Vocational Agriculture. These two items also received especial mention in a recent commendatory letter received from the State Department of Education.

Another strong element that

The remaining members H. T. Burton is Superin-



Superintendent

TWELVE-STORY | UILDING

Another strong element that nice or the old time lew's hard, tallest in town, with five more to enters into the High School and there is a place for him in the its equipment is the matter of organization of the schools and the faculty. These people have these juvenile bands are much in fifth floor. tallest in town, with five more to be erected. The theatre part of

CLARENDON JUNIOR COLLEGE IS BEST **EQUIPPED IN THE STATE OF TEXAS**

This year the enrollment reaches 830 in all parts of the school, with the term of compulsory attendance yet to be started. After the close of the heavy harvesting the close of TO REACH NEAR ONE HUNDRED BY END OF PRESENT SCHOOL YEAR.

> Clarendon Junior College has on behalf of the junior college entered its second year with without demanding the detailed brighter prospects than at any period in its history. The enrollment this year will pass the eighty mark. The financial asset to the city of Clarendon from this body will be more than sixty thousand dollars, while the institution offers an advantage to

The various college activities The various college activities are rounding into real college life, and ninety percent of the students have availed themselves of the opportunities such organizations offer. The literary, social, and athletic organizations have well defined aims and purposes for the year and have regular weekly meetings. Leadership is finding its way out through ship is finding its way out through these activities which otherwise would be denied freshmen in large universities.

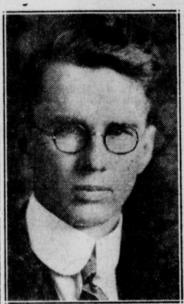
The College has membership in the Texas Association of Colleges, is approved by the State Department of Education and is a member of the Texas Association of Junior Colleges.

The adventures of a Junior

The advantages of a Junior College is well set forth in the following editorial from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram:

"From the tone of addresses delivered at the opening session of the convention in Fort Worth of the American Association of Junior Colleges, it may be judged that institutions of learning of sort are developing not only a class consciousness but a supea class consciousness but a superiority consciousness. Speakers on the opening day program rather generously agreed that the junior colleges render a necessary service in a much more efficient manner than the same service is rendered in institutions of higher rank, one, Dr. W. C. Eels of Stanford University, making the comprehensive assertion ing the comprehensive assertion that junior colleges do better preparatory work for colleges than the colleges do for themselves. "The thoughtful laymen will be disposed to credit these claims

stitution offers an advantage to two years. These are the years many students who otherwise of college work which are comwould not be able to attend col- passed in the field of the junior hard to find. Most college fresh-men are too young to be away



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Santa Claus Comes To Donley County Club Women

Women's Club Room For Donley County is Being Fitted Up and Opened For Use in City Building

the rooms.

This committee is composed of the presidents of all the women's clubs of Donley County and their successors in office, thus insuring a popular and periodically changing board of management. A finance committee was appointed for the purpose of securing funds for the furnishing of the rooms, and a purchasing committee was for the furnishing of the rooms, and a purchasing committee was also appointed to make the initial purchases of furnishings necessary to put the quarters in readiness for general use. Both of these committees are functioning and under their plans there will be no assessment against the clubs of the county, as the financ-

VICTIM OF WRECK

D. W. ROBINSON, ENGINEER,

Victim of the fatal railway wreck near Dalhart Sunday, D. W. Robinson, passenger engineer on the Fort Worth & Denver railway, was buried in Clarendon Tuesday afternoon, this being his old home. Funeral services were held from the First Christian Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Henry Taylor, assisted by Rev. D. L. Hukel, pastor of the Church of Christ.

Mr. Robinson was born on August 4th, 1883, and lived in Clarendon in his early manhood, beginning his apprentice as a trainman while this city was a division point. He has been on the road for the last twenty-one years with the exception of a few years on the ranch, and was regarded as one of the most competent en-

What seemed to be a vague possibility a few weeks ago, is now being brought into happy realization, and the club women of Donley County are being provided a club home which will rank among the best in the Panhandle when fully furnished.

As announced some weeks ago, the city commission of Clarendon offered rooms on the ground floor offered rooms and furnish them according to their needs. At a subsequent meeting of representatives of a few clubs a committee or board was set up for the purpose of accepting the offer of the city commission and to lay plans for the furnishing of the rooms.

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The Church of Christ has grown from its utility becomes more apparent, it will be made more usable by the addition of more furnishings.

Donley County Club Women are the strength of the work was carried on the work of the municipal building from the site shave spent from ten to fit ty thousand dollars to provided and make it of general benefit to Donley County with least of the strength of the strength of the will be made more usable by the addition of more furnishings.

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The Church of Christ has grown the strength of the work was first begun in the bound of general use of the various women of general use of the vario tables, an artistic mantle with gas fittings, and four dozen steel asfittings, and four dozen steel assembly chairs. The walls are provided with a picture mold and one of the clubs will hang a few pictures at once to add to the attractiveness of the room. It is planned to buy a fine grade of linoleum for the floors at a later date, and a piano will be provided as soon as possible.

The county federation of women's clubs will be among the first to use the club rooms for a general meeting and election of officers in the near future, and

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Der, and he was interred with full Masonic honors.

Mr. Robinson was a brother of Mrs. O. D. Leisberg and a brother-in-law of Dick Allen, both of this city.

The pall bearers were: Jas. Trent, Bob Bigger, W. A. Walters of Clarendon; R. C. Whittington, C. O. Simmons, J. H. McClesky.

C. H. Runyon, R. I. Donivan and I. P. Holcomb, of Wichita Falls.

All the Clarendon men listed above were former railroad comrades, and the Wichita Falls men are brother trainmen of the deceased.

Mrs. Leisberg relates that her daughter, Mrs. Bob Lynch, while just a child of five years, used to recite the following poem that is brought forcefully to mind in this sad hour:

this sad hour:

Those overalls of blue

You ask me why I keep them,
those overalls of blue. Well,
there's no one here to wear them,
oh, child, it's very true. For he
left one sunny morning in his engine blithe and gay and they
brought him in at evening but his
soul had passed away. Twas the
bravest deed on record, so they bravest deed on record, so they told me when they came, but I didn't care for glory, for the world seems not the same for he on the ranch, and was regarded as one of the most competent engineers in the Denver service, and had one of the choice passenger runs at the time the accident that runs at the time the accident that cost him his life occurred. As a young man Mr. Robinson married Lou Allen of Clarendon and to this union was born a daughter and a son, all of whom survive him. The daughter is married and lives at Wichita Falls, where the Robinson family lived until some two months ago when Mr. Robinson took a run on the upper division and moved to Amarillo.

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A feature of the funeral service was a quartette composed of Miss Cecil Hukel, Mess, Duncan and McGowan and Rev. D. L. Hukel. From the church the service was in charge of the Masons of which Mr. Robinson was a mem-

the MacDowell Club hopes to hold their regular weekly practices just as soon as a piano is secured, as will likely the Junior Boys Chorus, sponsored by the Mac-Dowell Club.

It is the earnest hope of the it is the earnest hope of the city commission that every club in the county will use the rooms thus provided and make it of general benefit to Donley County at large. The kitchenette makes it possible to serve everything from light refreshments to a regular six-course lunchers and as

This is a good-will facility of-fered by the City of Clarendon that The News does not believe is duplicated in any other city of the Southwest, and is another reason why Clarendon is regarded as the finest all-round home

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J. H. Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jordan, Mrs. Ethel Ellis, Mrs. Bessie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langford, Lonnie Langford.

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The Burton Family.

Messrs. D. B. Pope, John Burgan and Jack Williams spent Sun-

ENLARGED PLANS FOR DISCIPLES

this place the members bought a temporary frame building, in which the work was carried on the Lena Lake Church of Christ, we are planning to do quite a bit of missionary work in Don-

Various preachers have served with the church since its organiwith the church since its organization, among whom were such well known men as Thos. E. Millholland, W. W. Brewer, H. P. Cooper. At present D. Lee Hukel, formerly of Crosbyton, is local minister, having begun the work in September of this year. Since September there has been a gradual growth in church attendance ual growth in church attendance until at many services the large auditorium is almost filled.

Our Bible school department has shown an increase in interest and attendance also.

One of the most enthusiastic meetings of the church is the La-dies' Bible Class, which meets on Monday afternoon.

The membership of the Church of Christ believe in civic improvements and love to see our little city beautified, hence the ladies in conjunction with the minister are planning to beautify our church lot, by putting out a good set of bermuda on the north and east of the building and on the south front to plant shrubs and flowers.

Committees have been appointed among the ladies to look into the condition of the poor and needy, and keep the church informed along this line so that it can successfully handle the benevolent side of Christianity. We are planning in the near future to erect some sand tables in the church building so that

tory of God's dealings with man by teaching Bible geography.

Plans are being considered, and CLARENDON CHURCH OF CHRIST IS ENTERING TO BUSY NEW YEAR.

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TO Global of Claim by the minister to cover a period of some two weeks. This school will be at night and we hope by this plan to attain a better working knowledge of God's Word.

The Church of Christ has grown from a small beginning about church are: Elders, R. O. Thomfiteen years ago to a member-ship of possibly 150. Worship sey, with D. Lee Hukel local minister. Under the leadership of these men, with the co-opera-tion of the Lelia Lake Church of

we may be able to picture to the ley County and elsewhere if pos-young mind the wonderful his- sible. It is our desire to do all DAY WITH METHODISTS we can for the betterment of mankind in everyway.

We count ourselves happy have cast our lot in the beautiful little city of Clarendon. To everyone we extend

hearty invitation to be with us in all our meetings. The program of services is as

Bible school, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Communion, 11:45 a. m. Young People's Meeting, 6:15

Preaching, 7:15 p. m. Ladies' Bible Class, Monday, p. m. "Come thou with us and we will lo thee good."
D. Lee Hukel, Local Minister.

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for the Methodist Orphanage at Waco is to be held at the Methodist Church Sunday. Announcement of this work was made some two weeks past and already some

of the classes have passed their pledges in to Superintendent Porter. The goal for Clarendon at this time amounts to \$400.00, the amount that has been given this organization for the past number forces. A precial program will of years. A special program will be presented in connection with the drive to make it all the more

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Fink have returned to Clarendon to spend the winter months

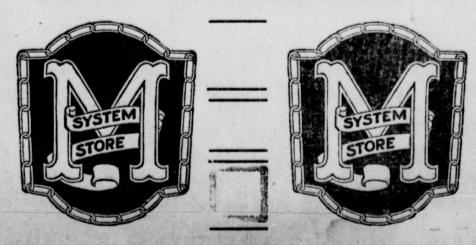
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LIONS TALK OF **BUDGET SYSTEM**

DIRECTORS MEET AND PRE-SENT PROPOSED CHANGE

Following a session of the Di-rectors of the Clarendon Lions Club held Monday evening of this week, at which time matters of finance took a great part of the time of the nine assembled directors, the plan was presented to be week. the membership at the usual luncheon Tuesday. Despite the act that great discussion was great many questions were ask-d and it looked as if there would be a great deal of interest man-

fest in the matter. ifest in the matter.

The P. D. Q. quartet from one of the societies of the college gave a number of selections that met with the approval of the Lions in their meeting. The boys asked to appear before the luncheon and thus dispensed with the usual with the region of the line. The lub singing at that time. Sam Cauthen, Bill Wilder Andrew Reavis. The boys invited to return at their

G. R. Kenniston was the re aining guest of the day, bring-g up a matter that was coning up a matter that was considered dronped by the two delegates to the Lions International Convention. No further discussion is expected from this quarter.

Lion Patrick explained the effect of the recent active market section, stating that little effect would be found since commercial paper had not changed in rate in the least. The Lion's casual men-tion of thirty millions of dollars as small change, comparatively speaking, was met with some sur-prise on the part of the club. nouncement of the beginning annual Goodfellows Drive

Pleasant Valley

Mrs. Fannie Butler spent sev-al days visiting in the Longan Mr. and Mrs. Shelton were supor guests in the Riley home es Mary Jo Beaulah Baird.

D. Morris is visiting in the Zeb Morris home.

Miss Ruby Shelton spent the week-end with Miss Ruth Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goldston and

Mrs. Lamberson home.

Mrs. Lamberson is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton, Nola May, Bud, and Irvin Wood were callers in the Longan home Sunday night spent the week-end in Clarendon.

Mr. T. L. Harris of Altus, Okla., spent the week-end in the home

home.

Ed Mahaffey. Hal Riley and John Irvin Wilson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riley at Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Bartlett and children of Childress spent Sunday night with friends in our city.

ADDITIONAL RED

Two additional names enrolled in the Annual Ped Cross member-ship drive have been handed The News since publishing the long list in this issue. The names to be added are: Rev. McClung and Wint Eairfield. Others will be published as they are handed in.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school in all departments at 9:30, J. R. Porter, Superintendent.

The usual eleven o'clock hour will be given over to the Laymen of the church, at which time a of the church, at which time a discussion of the newly adopted plan of the church will be given its due share of attention and discussion. A full attendance at this time is especially urged on all members of the church. Special music will be furnished by the

The pastor will have charge of The devotional service of the Epworth League will be held at 6:15 o'clock.

Friends of Miss Eva Lee Morrison will be glad to learn of her recovery from illness in her home in this city. She will be enabled to return to her place in the Farmers State Bank in the very near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robinson of Matador attended the funeral of Mr. Robinson's brother, who was killed Sunday in a train accident near Dalhart.

Reverend S. R. McClung was

Friends of the Wisdom family of this city will be glad to learn that C. H. Wisdom has been returned to his home here after onite a siege in Fort Worth, and that he is improving slowly since his return here.

Friday morning Mrs. John Beverly was called to the hedside of her nephew. Hubert Louis of Wichita Falls, who underwent a very serious operation the previ-

I ate word received from Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts at Glenrose indicate that Mrs. Watts is improving slowly. The family left here Monday evening of this week for the health of Mrs. Watts and her many friends here will be glad to learn that she is undergoing treatment.

relatives in Dahas and Sweetwarter before returning.

Among those who went to Marion Talley sing were Misses Rhoda and Helen Wiedman, Mae Lumpkin, Katherine Patrick, Elizabeth Morris, and Mr. Louie Holloway.

SOCIETY NOTES

ocial Enjoyed by Woman's Missionary Auxiliary Members

The last circle meeting for the year 1928 was held by the members of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary Wednesday afternoon in the following homes:

Number one in the home of

Mrs. É. Price; number two with Mrs. U. J. Boston., number three with Mrs. G. W. Antrobus and number four with Mrs. E. M

Short devotionals were followed by socials which were greatly enjoyed at each meeting place.

Ladies Aid in Bible Study

The Ladies Aid Society, First Christian Church, met in the home of Mrs. W. T. Hayter Wednesday afternoon for their regular Bible study. The 2nd chapter of Matthew

was interestingly brought to those present by Mrs. Jim Casey, with a round table discussion following. During the business session the ladies voted to hold no more sessions until after Christmas. Eight members, and one visitor was a members and one visitor were present to enjoy the lesson and dainty refreshments which were erved at the close.

Episcopal Auxiliary Takes Up New Study at Meet

Mrs. James Trent was Mrs. James Trent was hostess to the members of the Episcopal Auxiliary Wednesday afternoon when the study, "Building the City of God," was taken up.

Mrs. L. L. Swann has kindly consented to conduct this study and the ladies are looking forward with runch pleasure to the study of this book.

This society will not meet again until after Christmas.

tertains With Bridge

Miss Mary Cooke charmingly entertained the members of the Thursday afternoon Bridge Club Thursday afternoon at her home, afternoon.

Chrysanthemums were artistically arranged in the entertaining coms and added a real decorative

note.

Mrs. Homer Glascoe was awarded high score at the close of the games and a pleasing luncheon was served to: Mesdames T. H. Filis, M. H. Rhoades, L. L. Swann, Homer G'ascoe, Clarence Miller, Richard Bell, Earl Alexander, Selden Bagby and Clyde Price, Misses Mary Jo Chamberlain and Regulah Baird.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. som Goldston and inlideren were callers in the Lonan home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stringer and ource of Hedley spent Tuesday in the Lamberson home.

Mr. Leon Haile of Wichita Falls spent the week-end in the W. M. Montgomery home.

Mr. T. L. Harris of Altus, Okla., spent the week-end in the home of his brother, J. H. Harris.

Harold White of Fort Worth visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. White. CROSS MEMBERS Sunday.

Misses Jane Killough, Catherine Smith and Mrs. Jack Killough spent the week-end in Childress visiting with Mrs. Killough's mother, Mrs. Bellah.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Briscoe of Frederick, Okla., were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. H.

T. C. Cunningham who is con-nected with the West Texas Util-ities Company has been in Clarendon for the past few days.

Mrs. A. W. McLean and Miss Wilma McLean of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mrs. C. C. Powell.

Mrs. Everett Clark of Groom shopped in Clarendon Monday and visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lane.

Mrs. Fred Connally returned to her home in Amarillo Saturday evening after having spent the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom F. Connally.

Reverend S. R. McClung was unable to take his place in the pulpit Sunday morning on account of illness. We are glad to report that he is well now.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain left Wednesday for Fort Worth, where she will spend the coming two months with her daughter, Mrs.

Wichita Falls, who underwent a very serious operation the previous day. Mrs. Beverly returned Saturday morning and reported that the patient was doing nicely.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Christian Church Begins the New Year With New Pastor Christian Church of work of the above is the Pastor vices Sunday. According to those who have heard him and spoken to him, he is a man of great merit and will be one who is pleasing to his hearers. He is well educated and is especially qualified to fill the duties in the church of t First Christian Church Begins

The First Christian Church of work of the church is the Rev. this city will no longer be without the services of a pastor, according to advices, received the
fore part of this week. The new
minister named to head the

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Sherman and son, Kenneth, motored to Wellington Sunday afternoon to visit with the J. A. Laney family.

We Extend the Season's Greetings and Best Wishes Specials for Friday and Saturday

Apples

Large Extra Fancy

Oranges

Average Size

2-lb Package Mixed Candy

Walnuts

Good Size, Soft

Shell, Per Pound

Raisins

Candy

4-lb. Package Market Day, Each

.35

Pineapple Peaches

2 1-2 Size Libby's, Fancy

Halves or Sliced

2 1-2 Size

Sliced, Libby's

.23

Salmon

Libby's Fancy Red

Per Can

.25

Smoke Salt

Sugar Cure Vright's, 10-lb Can

.79

Mustard

Toilet Paper

Libby's 8oz. Jars

Waldorf, 3 Rolls

Bacon

Sausage

Sugar Cured, Light Weight, Per Pound

Pure Pork Pound

.23

.28

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Court House Gets New Tenants Jan., 1st

NEW OFFICIALS IN OFFICE SOON

CLEAN SWEEP OF ALL COUNTY OFFICIALS IN EFFECT JANUARY FIRST.

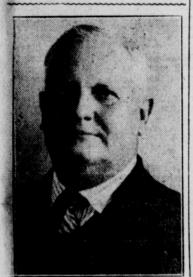
One of the most sweeping changes in the officials of Donley County will take effect January first when the newly elected offi-cials take their offices in the

(Editor's Note—Cuts of Mrs. B. G. Smith, county clerk, and Mrs. Linnie Cauthen, county treasurer, not being available The News regrets being forced to print this age without them.)

places voted them by Donley vots. This change is seen in every fice in the courthouse, not one office in the courthbus, in the old officials remaining to

of the old officials remaining to keep the newly installed members of the force in line.

In the office of the County Judge, J. J. Alexander will take his place, relieving J. R. Porter, who has filled the office for two terms and a part of an appointive



J. J. ALEXANDER



M. W. MOSELEY Sheriff and Tax Collector

term. Mr. Alexander needs no introduction to the people of Donley County, since he has made his home here for a great many years and has many friends in all sections of the county. For the past several years, following his tenure of office in the County Clerk's place, he has operated an abstract business here and will leave this under control of a when he takes office. Judge Porter will open offices here and will go further into private prac-tice.

The office of Sheriff and Tax The office of Sheriff and Tax Collector will be held after January first by M. W. Moseley, a resident of the Hedley community for many years and a well known figure in all parts of the county. Mr. Moseley has been successful in the farming and stock raising business during the past few years and has considerable property in the vicinity of Hedley. erty in the vicinity of Hedley. Mr. Moseley moved his family here shortly before the opening of the school year and placed his children in the schools of this city. Mr. W. A. Pierce, outgoing official of this time, has not made his future plans public.

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The office of County Clerk is to be held by Mrs. B. G. (Bessie) Smith after the first of January. Donley County folk in any man

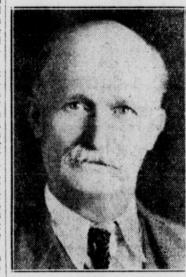
ner and her many friends in all parts of the section are glad to see her take this place. She has been a member of the Clarendon Public School faculty for the past several years and has met with some considerable success in this line. Mrs. Smith will succeed Miss Lottie E. Lane in this office. Miss Lane has not made her plans for the future known to the publie up to this date

The office of Tax Assessor of the county will be filled by W. A. Armstrong, a resident of Hedley for a number of years and now a resident of Clarendon. Mr. Armstrong is a business man and a former and is well known in the farmer and is well known in the sections of the county where he has made his home. Since com-ing to Clarendon he has become one of the most popular and well liked men of the city. Mr. Armstrong will relieve Miss Eula Naylor, who has held this office for a number of years, following the death of her father, who also held this same office for some

County Treasurer will be Mrs. Linnie Cauthen following her taking this office on January first.

Mrs. Cauthen has been a resident of Clarendon and Donley County

Mrs. Annie Parks for the past for the past several years and proved to be a popular candidate, receiving one of the highest num-ber of votes cast in the elections



A. H. BAKER



A. ARMSTRONG

the office asked. Mrs. Cauthen transacted, and a report from will escury the place filled by Scout Executive Jolley was heard. will occupy the place filled by Mrs. Annie Parks for the past

R. Y. King will fill the office of County Attorney, to which place he was appointed by the commissioners court following the death of Curtis E. Thompson this summer. Mr. King has been a great many years, having established an office in Hedley before coming to Clarendon to make his

the county since he has made his home here for a number of years and has been in business here for quite a time. Mrs. White has not stated the line of business she plans to enter following her refrom office of District

Rayburn L. Smith will continue in his office of weigher in Pre-cinct 2, and there are comparative-ly few changes that will be ef-

CLARENDON MEN GO WITH SCOUTS

LOCAL MEN AND BOYS AT-TEND SCOUT AREA MEET-ING AT MEMPHIS, DEC. 6.

Boy Scout Council and seven that Clarendon had had the sumscouts from local troops attended scouts from local troops attended a meeting of the Southeast Pan-drew this city's bid and moved that handle, B. S. A., held in Memphis Shamrock be selected by unani mous vote, which was done. Thi Thursday evening of last week.

and the assembly by Arthur Keys, al cities over the area. chairman of the Quanah Parker Area with headquarters at Quanah. Following the formal presentation of the charter, busi-ness details of the local area was reported over the new area, and Clarendon was given complimen-tary notice for the backing of the scout program by the business men here. Treasurer Odos Caraway made a report of the financ-

endon is concerned and disclosed the fact that while not all the thousand dollars set as a goal had been subscribed yet, the payment of pledges in hand were one hundred per cent in full. Local com-mittees will complete the pledging of the shortage in the budget in a few weeks.

Clarendon and Shamrock both invited the Council to hold the Clarendon officials of the local spective cities in early January, On this occasion the charter for his newly formed area was prethis newly formed area was pre-sented to Chairman J. C. Wells scouts will attend from the sever

Scouts from Clarendon in tendance on the Memphis meeting were: Perry Allen Beville, George Wayne Estlack, George Bourland, Chas, Walker, Jack Latson, Ken-neth Sherman, and Bobbie Bled-soe. Clarendon councilmen and court of honor members in attendance were: Odos Caraway, G. L. Boykin, J. G. Sherman, W. C. Stewart, Fred Rathjen, Tom F. Connally, Sam M. Braswell, Homr Mulkey, George Ryan, O. C.

Before the meeting Memphis scouts, under the direction of Scout Executive Jolly, served "mulligan" steaming from a large open kettle, buttered buns, coffee and cocoa to the visiting men and scouts. The Memphis scouts also presented a two-act play exemilitying the principles of scout.

ing of the budget insofar as Clar- | PANHANDLE-PLAINS DAIRY TO BE HELD APRIL 2 TO 5

> Plainview, Dec. 7.—The 2nd annual Panhandle-Plains Dairy show will be held in Plainview April 2 to 5, according to the decision reached at a meeting of the board of directors and officers of the Panhandie-Plains Dairy Show As-sociation in Plainview Tuesday

ed; the vocational and 4-H boys judging contest and one for dairy products and manufactures. The indications are that the 1929 show will far exceed the first show both by quality and quantity. Plans are under way at Plainview for building a modern dairy show barn in which to hold the show annually.

Present at the meeting Tuesday were: D. F. Eaton, president, Lubbock: O. L. Stansell, vice presecretary-treasurer, and directors C. B. Martin, Tulia; J. A. Debnam, Levelland; R. B. Davis, Brownfield; Dr. S. J. Un-derwood, Hale Center; C. E. Mer-rell, Shallowater; R. C. Nichols, Tulia; W. W. Evans, Lamesa; E. W. Hester, O'Donnell; P. C. Bennett, Amarillo; R. O. Dunkle, Hereford: W. R. Ferguson, Hale Center; S. J. Payne, Tulia; R. M. Milhollin Plainview; O. L. Ruth-erford, Hereford, and Ben Dixon, Lows and Henry Angley, head of

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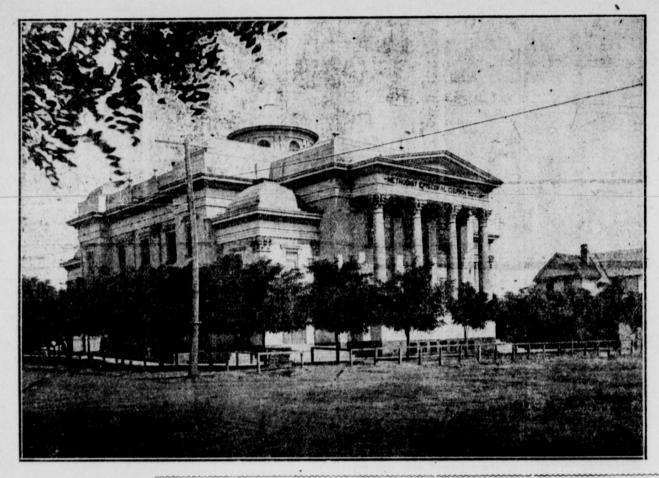
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home. Mr. King is the only one of the officials of the county who could be said to have been retained from the past term and he is serving his first elective term of office. The office of District Clerk will be occupied by A. H. Baker, who relieves Mrs. Flora G. White in this position. Mr. Baker needs no introduction to the voters of the county since he have to make his and with the investment of Ama munigan, steaming from a large open kettle, buttered buns, coffee and cocoa to the visiting men and scouts. The Memphis scouts also presented a two-act play exemplifying the principles of scouting after the crowd adjourned from the open to the Baptist Church where the session was held. The office of District Clerk will be occupied by A. H. Baker, who relieves Mrs. Flora G. White in this position. Mr. Baker needs no introduction to the voters of the county since he have the county since he have the first presented a two-act play exemplifying the principles of scouting after the crowd adjourned from the open to the Baptist Church where the session was held. The County Commissioners will receive two new members in their scouts. The Memphis scouts also presented a two-act play exemplifying the principles of scouting after the crowd adjourned from the open to the Baptist Church where the session was held. J. T. Bain and J. F. Stiles. Thank You For the nice business you have given us during 1928, which exceeded any year in the history of this office. We appreciate your patronage and shall try harder than ever to give your business that same care and attention that it deserves during 1929. Wishing you all a very happy Christmas and a prosperous, busy New Year, we are Yours very truly, Powell & Patman Agents for All Kinds of Insurance, **Bonds and Loans**

Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Valued At \$80,000 HOOVER VICTOR



Local Congregation Sets Goal for New Year



REV. S. E. ALLISON Pastor

The First Methodist Church is one of the strong organizations of the city.

Rev. Sam E. Allison is its present pastor. The Official Board is composed of twenty-five of the leading business men of the community. The present membership of this church seventy souls and it contributed for all purposes the sum of \$14,666.

It has a modernly organized Sunday school, with Judge Porter as General Superintendent and G.

L. Boykin, assistant, with a corps of 46 officers and teachers, with an enrollment of 562. This school is giving scholarships to two of 46 officers and teachers, with an enrollment of 562. This school is giving scholarships to two young women in the Clarendon Junior College, supporting an orphan, and a native missionary in China and making a contribution of \$400 per year. And they raised for all purposes last year the sum of \$1,435.

This church is and teachers, with an enrollment of 562. This school stays of this church is sectorally and though the pail and through the pail and through the potential and through the potential and through the potential and through the potential and through the pail and through the potential and electric bulb is placed in the quart can. The whole apparatus should be mounted in a suitable frame so the hens can drink from the pail conveniently.

This church is enuren under the leauer and to the bottom of the Borard of Sam M. Braswell is sectorally soldering a quart can to the bottom of the bottom of the purchased in the man of the pail and through the treasurer, and Tom F. Connally is the charge lay leader. This church is making large planes for the future and is one of the real assets of our community.

Six or eight other hars, and cans it the end of a perfect day.

Movement of population from the Borough of Manhattan to the bottom of the guire at the end of a perfect day.

Movement of population from the Borough of the decoration.

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New York The number of chilling the purposes in the population from the pail and through the

expensive enough for a man to enjoy it. It is a physical and mental exertion made attractive by the fact that you have to dress for it in a \$200,000 clubhouse.

GOLF is what letter OVER SMITH BY 26,004 VOTES GOLF is what letter-carrying

ditch-digging and carpet-beating would be if those three tasks had to be performed on the same hot afternoon in short pants and colored socks by gouty-looking genlemen who require a different implement for every mood OFFICIAL COUNT OF BAL-LOTS MADE WITH FOUR COUNTIES OUT. plement for every mood.

Austin, Texas, Dec. 7.—Texas gave Herbert Hoover, Republican candidate for President, a majority of 26,004 votes over his Democratic opponent. Gov. Alfred E. Smith, in the election of Nov.6, it was shown by the official count of returns for presidential electors, which was announced Friday by the State canvassing board.

Mr. Hoover's majority over Governor Smith and the presidential candidates of the Communist and Socialist parties in Texas was 25,073.

Returns were received from all counties except Bowie, Coke, Lamb and San Augustine.

All of the twenty Republican and referent implement for every mood.

GOLF is the simplest looking game in the world when you decide to take it up, and the toughtest after you have been at it ten or twelve years.

It is probably the only known game a man can play as long as a quarter of a century and then discover that it was too deep for him in the first place.

The game is played on carefully selected grass with little white balls and as many clubs as the player can afford. These little balls cost from 75c to \$25, and it is possible to support a family of ten people (all adults) for five months on the money represented by the balls lost by some golfers in a single afternoon.

eighty-seven. He then has a shower, drinks a couple of red sodas, sings "Sweet Adeline" with six or eight other liars, and calls

NEW YORK-PARIS



Returns except Bowie, Coke, Lamb and San Augustine.

All of the twenty Republican presidential electors had majorities over the Democratic electors and Texas' vote of twenty in the electoral college will be recorded for Mr. Hoover, Mike H. Thomas, with 367,036 votes, led the Republican electors.

Although Arch Campbell and W. S. Drake had resigned as Republican electors and others were substituted for them, the returns showed that Campbell had received 13,051 votes and Drake 17,217. The failure of some counties to correct tally sheets was the cause and it was through this confusion that the canvassing board consumed so much time in tabulating the returns. The substitutes for Campbell and Drake received a vote higher than the leading Democratic elector. The releading Democratic

with strass or paillettes but more often the designer concentrates on

To The Patrons Whom It Has Been Our Pleasure to Serve

We Extend Heartiest Christmas Greetings and Best Wishes For 1929

In this Holiday message we are joined by all the members of our organization. We only hope your dealings with us have been as pleasant to you as they have to us and that during 1929 it may again be our good fortune to continue to claim you as our patron.

Accept our hearty thanks for your patronage and for any kind words spoken in our behalf in 1928.

Farmers State Bank

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POSTMASTER SAYS **BUY-MAIL EARLY**

Postmaster Chas. H. Bugbee of this city urges all patrons of the local post office to shop and mail early this year, preparatory to the Yuletide season, in order to avoid the usual Christmas rush, and to guarantee delivery of packages before Christmas Day, when the post offices of the nation will be closed.

Instructions for mailing Christmas packages are contained in a special bulletin received from Postmaster General Harry S. New at Washington, its purpose

New at Washington, its purpose being to reduce congestion and delay in the mails during the Christmas holidays by securing the co-operation of the public.

"The Clarendon post office will make every possible effort to handle the Christmas mails without congestion and delays," Postmaster Bugbee stated to a representative of The Clarendon News Wednesday.

Owing to the enormous volume.

Owing to the enormous volume, this can be done only with the co-operation of the public Compli-ance with the suggestions of the post office department on Christmas packages will greatly aid the cost office and insure prompt handling of the mail.

All parcels should be securely wrapped or packed, the bulletin says. Strong paper and heavy twine should be used.

Gifts of unusual size and shape, such as umbrellas, canes, golf sticks, should be reinforced their full length by strong strips of post office department on Christ-

full length by strong strips of wood tightly wrapped and tied or otherwise sufficiently wrapped towithstand transportation. Hats should be packed in strong corrugated paper or fiber boxes. Ordinary pasteboard hat boxes must be crated. Women's hats and stiff hats easily damaged should be marked "fragile." Cut flowers should be placed in strong, suitable boxes of wood, tin or heavy corrugated cardboard, the flowers wrapped in tissue to re-tain moisture. Candles should be inclosed in strong outside boxes or containers. Glassware, fragile containers. Glassware, fragile toys and crockery must be pack-

toys and crockery must be packed so as to prevent the escape of pieces if broken in transit.

Perishable Article

Articles likely to spoif within the time reasonably required for transportation and delivery will not be accepted for mailing. They should be wrapped or packed corefully according to contents. earefully, according to contents, and the parcel plainly marked "perishable." Special delivery "perishable." Special delivery stamps should be used to expedite delivery, the buletin says.

COTTON FARMERS LOSE MILLIONS BY EARLY SELLING

TEXAS AGRICULTURE HEAD FINDS \$10 BALE LOSS DUE TO DUMPING.

Austin, Dec. 8 .- Cotton growers of the South lost at least \$10 a bale, or \$140,000,000, on the 1928 cotton crop by "dumping" it apon the market, George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture, said today.

He pointed out that his department had emphasized that "present conditions" justified 20 cents per pound for cotton, and contended that this price would be reached before the close of the

"These statements have been verified, as spot cotton has al-ready reached 20 cents in Houston and Galveston," he said.

and Galveston," he said.
"It is well known we have no system of marketing agricultural products. Some voluntary efforts have been made to establish a marketing system along co-operative lines, but they have only partially succeeded.
"Secretary Jardine in his recont arranged recont agricultures logisla-

cent annual report urges legisla-tion to aid in marketing surplus tion to aid in marketing surplus crops through a federal farm board and a revolving fund appropriated by congress. This plan, if properly managed by an honest, capable board controlled by the producers along the lines recommended by B. Y. Yoakum, might render valuable aid to the farmers in marketing their surplus crops."

1929 LICENSE PLATES ARE HEARD AS WELL AS SEEN

The new license plates for automobiles in 1929 will make almost as much noise as the cars on which they are placed. This announcement is made after having seen one of the new plates. They are of a dark brown color for the background with a bright yellow figure. The plates are arranged similarly to the one for last year with the exception that the date and the name of the state is below the general number of the car instead of being placed at the ends as was the case in previous vears. The plates are labeled "Front" and "Rear" as was the case for 1928. The numbers for Donley County start with 313*451 and runs to 2.500 figures above this. Automobile owners in the county may secure their plates at any time now, provided their cars bear a 1928 seal. In cases where a new car is purchased, the 1928 license for the last quarter must be paid before the new license as and a seal and a county of the county may be a county the new license can be a county to the new license can be a car in the car i

A Year of Progress---

It has been just a year since the New Ford was introduced. At this first anniversary, it is interesting to review the record of the months just passed and see what has been accomplished. Since December 2, 1927, nearly 750,000 new Ford cars have been built. Production has been gradually increased from a few hundred a day to six thousand a day. We expect to make 2,000,000 automobiles in 1929.

These are impressive figures. But they are not only that. Figures of themselves are unimportant The big thing is that the New Ford has delivered a service beyond all expectations. The promise of a year ago is now an accomplished fact.

New Ford is the Expression of an Ideal

Our policy has always been to regard ourselves as charged with making the best automobile it is possible to make at a low price. That is our mission. We have done it for more than twenty years. The public expects us to keep on doing it.

That obligation includes good design as well as good materials. We hold it our duty to permit nothing to stand in the way of progress, yet we do not make changes simply for the sake of making them. First, it must be demonstrated that what seems like an improvement in theory is an improvement in practice.

The new Ford has made a high place for itself because it is built on sound principles. There is nothing of an experiment about it.

The whole effort has been toward simplicity—to give you outstanding service with as little machinery as possible. That is where experience counts. Built into the New Ford is everything we have learned in the making of fifteen million automobiles.

The Motor Has Made a Remarkable Record

Take the motor. It has made a remarkable record because it combines every essential feature of good performance—power, acceleration, smoothness, speed, reliability, economy and long life. Not just acceleration. Not just smoothness. Not just speed. But the most of all of these features that can be built into a low-priced car without cutting corners or sacrificing quality anywhere along the line.

We were building more than a motor when we did this. We were fulfilling the public's trust in us to make the best selection for their use. Had any other type been better, we would have chosen that.

Value of Simplicity Shown in Performance

Daily, in the performance of the New Ford, you can see the value of its sound simplicity of design, its balance, the care with which it has been made, and the quality that has been put into it. It will do 55 to 65 miles an hour, which is fast enough for anyone. You know how quickly it accelerates. You have seen it climb hills on high. If you drive a Ford you know its economy of operation and low cost of upkeep.



From every part of the world come reports of its reliability and endurance. Many of the new Fords have been driven 50,000 miles the past year. Some more than 100,000 miles. There is no telling how far they will go. The average life of the Model T was seven years. We believe this new car will do even better.

The engine is the heart of the motor car, of course. Yet there are other features almost as important. We refer particularly to the safety of the New Ford. To its really remarkable smoothness and stability at all speeds and its easy-riding comfort. To the beauty of its lines and colors. To the ease of control. To the Triplex shatter-proof glass windshield. To the electric welding that makes it such a strong and sturdy car.

In a word, the quality of the New Ford goes clear through. Nothing has been done for show. No one part has been given undue prominence at the expense of another.

Constantly Making a Better Automobile

The New Ford was a good car when it was first introduced. We made sure of that before we asked you to buy it. It is a better car today.

"The New Ford car embodies the best results of our experience in making 15,000,000 automobiles. We consider it our most important contribution to the progress and prosperity of the country, and to the daily welfare of millions of people."

Contantly we are finding new and better ways of doing things. As soon as we are sure of them we put them into the car. There is no such thing as a yearly model. Why should there be? As we make improvements, they are so planned that the owners of previously built cars may take immediate advantage of them.

Everything has been done with one purpose—to bring the benefits of modern, economical transportation to all the people.

Our mission is to make the best automobile that can be made to sell at a low price. In ever-increasing measure, the New Ford is the expression of that Ideal.

Ford Motor Company

Detroit, Michigan

CLARENDON MOTOR COMPANY

Your FORD Dealer

In modern times, dreams are eldom heeded except by the suerstitious, but as most people are nterested in dreams and their mystery, we give you some mod-

Abroad—to dream of being abroad, you will have success in your undertakings.

Absence-To dream of absent riends means that you will soon lear from them. If they stand ear your bed, the news will be

accident occurs to you means great success. If you see an ac-cident to others, beware of false

Accidents-To dream that an

Birds—A giod sign, bring riends and fortune. To kill hem, bad fortune; if they sing,

Blood—If you see blood, it's a good sign. You will fall heir to riches. To lose blood signifies orrow and disappointment.

Blossoms-If you see flowers or crees in bloom it's a sign of sucess and happiness.

Camp-For a maid to dream the is camping out, she will mar-Coins-If gold, great prosperity

and much pleasure; if silver, it is

Dancing-To see dancing is a Day—A clear one is a happy and lucky omen. To see the day-preak is good fortune in all

Dog-To dream of a dog means your friends are faithful. If he uns behind you, somebody is landering you. If he fights with

slandering you. If he fights with another dog, fear persecutions; if with a cat you will quarrel.

Engaged—To dream you are, be careful or you will quarrel with friends and loved ones.

Eyes—To see, defeat; to lose, bad luck; brown eyes, deceit, blue, weakness; gray, flattery.

Fall—To dream you fall from a high place denotes loss of position and goods.

Fire—To dream you are burnt y fire, means you will have fever. sparkling fire denotes money in

Flowers-To see them of bright riowers—To see them of bright colors means a pleasant life. To see them out of season means no success. To gather flowers, a lasting friendship. To cast them away, despair and quarrels.

Gate—If open, bad tidings; if closed, good news; to pass through you will said sides.

rough, you will gain riches.

Mouse—To dream one is buildng a house means comfort.

Hunting—If the game is killed through through

friends, but you discover them and overcome them. Insults-To dream you are ou will dispute with some person

Kissing—Dream of kissing go ontrarywise; if pleasant, slander; disagreeable, pleasure and har-

Letters—To write or receive tem means good news. Masriage—To dream of being

narried signifies death and mis-ortune. To dream you are presmeans joyous news and good luck.
Money—To dream of losing
money means losses in business.
To find money, if gold, is a good

Music-To dream you hear mus-

Purse—To lose a purse is good.
To dream you find a purse or pocketbook full of money is a sign of good luck.

Quarrels—If one dreams of nuarrels or fighting, he will hear of some unlooked-for news of women, or embrace some joy.

Rats—Secret enemies, treason; a sign of having many enemies.

Roses—Nothing can be better than to dream of heavitful deep

than to dream of beautiful flowers, if they are in season,

Snow—Snow is good. To the young it means they will marry and prepare.

nd prosper.

Tears—If you dream of shedding tears, it means that you will speedily be much happier.

Wrestling-To dream you are wrestling means a serious accu-sation will be brought against

COWS AND APPLES NOW CLEANED ELECTRICALLY

Apples are being cleaned of spray residue and cows are being scientifically groomed by two regriculture.
The apples are placed on a trav-

ling belt which carries them uner a spray of warm hydrochloric acid solution. Passage through the spray requires about 50 sec-onds, after which they are automatically dried.

The pressure pump for the spray and the traveling carrier are both operated by electric moors, while the solution is brought to the necessary temperature of 100 degrees by electric insert

A herd of 44 cows has been coomed for a year at Purdue University by an adaption of the electric vacuum cleaner, and a report says that their hides and coats of hair were kept in better condition than was possible by hand grooming. With an addi-tional cost of only .09 cents a day for power per cow, the ease of grooming with the machine, the keeping of hides in better shape and keeping the animal much cleaner, it was concluded by those in charge that the electric currying machine was practical in large dairy herds, especially where market milk is produced," where market resays the report.

Baptist Congregation Best Organized In Their History CANYON NAMED



The First Baptist Church and Sunday school will have a Christ-mas tree on the night of the 24th, A beautiful tree has already been secured and at the proper time will be beautifully trimmed and decorated by members of the T. E. L. Sunday school class, taught

The program will be given principally by the boys and girls of the Junior and Intermediate Departments and will be in charge of Mrs. Joe Goldston, chairman of ne program committee.
One feature of the program is

to be under the direction of Mr. E. M. Lindsey, who is the direct-

church could not be any better than it is at the present time. Our people have responded most liberally and we are glad to report that through the efforts of nounce that the church has succeeded in raising all outstanding obligations of the church. These results have been attained largely through the untiring efforts of Mr. Joe Goldston, Treasurer, and Mr. O. C. Watson, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Finance Company, through the power for the hazard can be controlled.

This material, although highly inflaming the flammable, is particularly adapted as a fumigant in the small elegance as a fumigant in the Burbank oil field.

The Oklahoma Power & Water Company, through its generating system in Sand Springs, Okla, will furnish the power for the motor. The motor is but seven inches in diameter and approxi-

Every phase of our church work



REV. S. R. McCLUNG

to spend a pleasant time with us The Christmas celebration fittingly brings to a close one of the best years work our church has had in quite a while.

The Sunday school has done great deal of splendid work dur-lieve that Old Santa Claus will arrive in Clarendon on the even-ing of the 24th and will have his ing of the 24th and will have his plans arranged in such a way as ing the year under the general supervision of Mr. S. W. Lowe. He has assisting him in this work a splendid group of more than fifty workers. Some of these workers are with us for the first time this year and they are proving their real worth in carrying on the work of the Sunday school. The B. Y. P. U. Department of our church work is under the direction of Miss Ruth Thompson, who is specially trained for that kind of work and who is most faithful in the discharge of the work committed to her by the church. We do not know where we could find a more beautiful spirit of service than that shown by Miss Thompson.

spirit of service than that shown by Miss Thompson.

The W. M. U. is under the able direction of Mrs. W. C. Stewart, who is assisted by Mrs. Geo. Mc-Cleskey and Mrs. G. G. Kemp. These ladies are worthy of the highest praise because of their untiring efforts to enlist all the women in the work of the church. To them, perhaps more than any other organization, credit is due other organization, credit is due for the prevailing spirit of Missions that is constantly felt in our church.

The Special Workers Band is presided over by Miss Kittie Speed. This is a new organization in our church, but it has and is filling a unique place in the lives of those who feel that there is a special work for them to do is a special work for them to do in the service of the Master. Miss Speed is assisted by Miss Ouita Towles and Miss Mildred Sparks, together with other members of the organization.

The music of the church has The music of the church has been exceptionally good under the direction of Miss Annie Bourland, director of the choir, and Mr. E. M. Lindsey, director of the orchestra. Through Mr. Lindsey's efforts a splendid orchestra has been added to the services of the church and their services are

is such as to make the entire membership feel justly proud of

church. In the matter of enlisting new members and reaching the un-saved the church feels that it has had a very successful year. A larger number have been received on a profession of faith than for any other year in quite a while. The record of the church

greatly enjoyed by the entire club shows that a net gain of 100 NEW MOTOR TO PUMP has been reached during the last OH, FROM DEEP ongregation.

The financial condition of the twelve months.

our people we are enabled to an- to learn that any of them can be controlled by carbon disulphide. This material, although highly in-

The addition of superphosphate manure both preserves the ni-ogen already in the manure and adds more phosphate, in which manure is low, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Superphosphate is cheap and convenient to buy and handle. It may be spread in the gutters in the stable at the rate of I wound a day ble at the rate of 1 pound a day per animal, or it may be added to the manure in the shed at the rate of 40 to 60 pounds per ton.

The motor is being installed in the bottom of an oil well over one half mile underground. Besides the tubing, a heavily armored cable will carry the electricity

Many of the ills to which calves are subject can be traced to unsuitable stables, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Calves kept in stables that are clean, dry. light, sunny, warm well ventilated, and free from draugts are less susceptible to pneumonia, from which many die in winter. Digestive ailments also are less likely to develop if so are less likely to develop if the bedding, stalls, and feed better crops in 1929 than if de-troughs are kept clean.

OIL FROM DEEP WELL

Electrical and oil operators are a new invention "Bolshevik" motor. called the more insect pests that attack Such a motor is being installed your stored grain, it is consoling by the Phillips Petroleum Company in a well located about six miles northwest of Shidler, Ok., in the Burbank oil field.

> mately twenty feet long with a pump attachment which is also seven inches in diameter and approximately ten feet long. It will develop about 50 horse power. The usual 50 horsepower motor is about three feet in diameter and three feet long.

The motor is being installed in sides the tubing, a heavily armor ed cable will carry the electricity to the bottom of the deep well to

With lively remembrance of your good will let us renew our wishes for your happiness and prosperity at this season and throughout the New Year.

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As We Come to the Close of the Greatest Holiday Season of our History

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Canyon, Dec. 10.—A telegram received today from Congressman Marvin Jones to President J. A. Hill carries the information that the West Texas Teachers College has been designated as the depos-itory for government documents

This depository was formerly, located at old Clarendon college. When that institution was discontinued steps were taken to have it located at Canyon which now territory.

According to members of the college faculty the depository is one of the greatest assets which could have come to the Teachers

Department Files Listed All the publications of the departments of government and special reports of congressional committees, reports of consuls and of the diplomatic corps will be sent immediately to the college. Publications of the departments

of commerce, agriculture, interior, state, war, navy, the treasury, the post office, labor and of the attorney general are some of those included.

These publications are invalu

able to teachers and students of economics, history, government, There is almost education. subject which can be mentioned on which the government has not printed exhaustive and accurate information. All this will be received at the depository.

Not only will current publica-tions of the government be received, but many valuable documents which have been published in the past will also be available

Valuable for Research

has a great deal of material which is valuable to students and other get the work completed. is valuable to students and others who are doing research work.

times in amount and in variety of subjects on which information

Editor's Note: from individuals The materials of the Panhandle Plains Historical society have been extremely useful to many persons, but the designation of Canyon as the government depository increases the material many loss to Canyon following the books to Canyon College. close of Clarendon College.

Protect trees from rabbits and

our display of useful and beautiful Christmas gifts. Gifts for every member of the family. Jewelry, Silverware, Toilet Sets, beautiful book-ends, books for all ages. Smokers. Fine perfumes and toilet waters. Cigarette cases and lighters. Gift stationery. Mirror photo frames. Handsome leather goods.

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Donley County Women's Clubs Important Factor in Activities

FIFTEEN ORGANIZED BODIES WIELD STRONG IN FLUENCE FOR BETTERMENT OF COUNTY. BIG IMPROVEMENT SEEN OVER WORK FOR PAST YEAR. PLANS ARE WELL IN HAND FOR YEAR OF ADVANCEMENT IN COMING YEAR. MISS HARVEY THOMPSON IS DEMONSTRATOR.

To make the statement that the produce from the farm homes of club members of Donley County would equal one per cent of the cotton crop for the present year would seem to be flying in the face of an all wise Providence. Yet such a statement could be made and proven with figures presents. The addition, 1,964 quarts of pelies and jam; 1,276 quarts of preserves; 2,632 quarts of pickles and relishes; 316 quarts of fruit juices; and 588 quarts of canned meats have been added to the larders of the county. Fruit to the Make and proven with figures presented from the office of Miss Harvey Thompson, County Home Demonstration Agent. It is to be understood that these figures include only milk and poultry and poultry products actually sold and the cash received for them. This also takes into consideration the fact that the amounts that have been reported are to be found in the figures given. Actual figures presented show that \$11,856.72 was the amount received from dairy produce sold and \$8,040.87 was the amount received from dairy produce sold and \$8,040.87 was the amount received from chickens and dairy products. Should home consumption of these products be taken into consideration, this figure would run well over the one per cent given above.

Taken all together, the clubs of the county have shown a fine growth. Of the entire membership, eighty per cent report spring gardens planted with an average the mounty have shown a fine growth. Of the entire membership, eighty per cent report spring gardens planted with an average the hands of improvement; 7 kitchens have been changed and 21 bed rooms have been refinished. Thirty pieces of furniture have been refinished and 20 floors have been finished in a different manner. Nine water systems have been installed in the homes; 29 members report their home grounds improved; eighteen labor savers have been added to the home equipment; thre houses have been screened



MISS HARVEY THOMPSON Home Demonstrator, Donley County.

escaped the attention of the agent

and the general public.

For the coming year of 1929, the program of the clubs is even larger than for the year recently closed. Miss Thompson has started work on a five-year course of action that will touch every part.

of fourteen varieties of vegetables to the garden. Twenty-five per cent of the club members report fall gardens with an average of three vegetables to the garden. In addition, the members report to have planted three small fruit In addition, the members report to have planted three small fruit each during the course of the year.

In the poultry division, another good gain is reported with an average of 77 shielders or each club.

good gain is reported with an average of 77 chickens on each club farm. During the season, an average of bed room improvement and the close of the year found on the improvement of the liveach club home with a small inand the close of the year found each club home with a small ing rooms. The programs have been approved by the State Department of Extension of A. & M. College and all members in all clubs are enthusiastically facing the new year and are planning to do even greater things than have been done in the year and are planning to do even greater things than have been done in the years past.

HIGHWAY 28 IN WILBARGER COUNTY READY FOR TOP

It will be only a short time before the widening of the road of the year, this figure had risen to stand at an average of three cows per farm home.

Outdoor activities by no means held the greater part of the time and attention of the club members of the county for they were busy inside their home as a resume of the work done in that part of activities would indicate. An average of twenty garments were made for each farm home with seven hats and 145 other garments renovated and remodeled. 894 pieces of household ling includes the erection of one

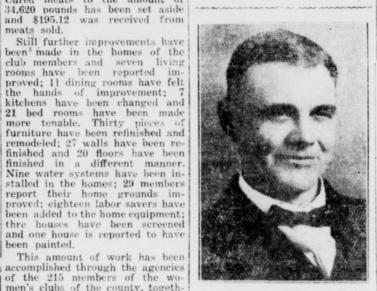
were made for each farm home with seven hats and 145 other garments renovated and remodeled. 894 pieces of household linens were made, 137 quilts completed and 14 rag rugs were added to enhance the beauty and utility of the homes. The culinary department of the homes have not suffered for lack of attention due to other activities. This is

Clarendon Citizen Witnessed Corner Stone Ceremonies of State Capitol Down at Austin

Panhandle who witnessed the laying of the corner stone of the Texas Capitol building at Austin, lives right here in Clarendon and has been a citizen of this county "Austin, the Friendly City." for many, many years.

iff and tax collector of Donley County, is the man, and while not an old man at all, yet is beginning to be among the very few who saw the colorful parade and the Masonie ceremonies that went with the setting of the magnificent corner store to the capital cent corner stone to the capitol edifice which cost the state of Texas three million acres of Panhandle land.

Mr. Rutherford, then a young-ster in his 'teens, lived with his father at Round Rock, just six-



J. H. RUTHERFORD

teen miles from Austin, and with the father journeyed to Austin on an excursion train operated over the I. & G. N. railroad on that balmy spring day in 1883, for the occasion that officially gave Texas the finest state house in the na-

ers to connect with the organization when they so desire.

The club members of the county have been busy in many other activities in addition to this list of articles mentioned above. First on the list would come the work with the Donley County Fair, followed in close order by the encampment at the State Fair at Dallas, the Short Course at the South, some coming from as Texas Masonry, with a host of prominent Masons from all over the South, some coming from as far away as Atlanta, Georgia. An empty store building down on Congress terms band becomes the south of the Grand onlicers of the min the United States. It is now one of the large

Very few people know that pos-mandeered for a monster banque with successive tables for the en

Shortly afternoon the Masonic J. H. Rutherford, former sherff and tax collector of Donley
County, is the man, and while not visiting Masons of high rank, the Austin lodge and visiting brethren. Next came the state officials headed by Governor John Ireland, two companies of local state
militia and the famed Texas Ranmilitia and the famed Texas Ra

> The capitol building was just out of the basement some two or three feet and had been planked over for the accommodation of the throng, and young Rutherford re-lates that he worked his way around to within a few feet of the actual laying of the corner stone as carried out under the Masonic ritual. In the recepticle of the stone was place souvenirs from the corner stone of the old capithe corner stone of the old capi-tol burned in IS81, the new con-stitution of the state, current newspapers, coins, and of course— the Bible. This followed address-es by prominent men of the day and was the culmination of a long ceremony—especially long to a youngster who lived in those active days. active days.

Mr. Rutherford says the excur-sion train was badly crowded on VOLUME IS BUILT IN PECOS the going and return trip, and further noted that on such occasions back in the "eighties" passengers often crawled to the roof at at cost of \$50,000. The whole

is of the opinion that Mr. Ruther ford is the only man now living in this section who viewed the for mal ceremonies of day—a spectacle that impresses itself indelibly on the mind of the budding citizen.

Congress Avenue, had been com-lagricultural industries

CHURCHES GROW HALF MILLION IN **DECADE IN TEXAS**

Washington, Dec. 10 .- In 1926 there were nearly 500,000 more church members in Texas than there were in 1916, as reported by the Bureau of the Census, the total for the former year having been 2,280,514. In 1926 there were 826,880 women members of Texas churches, which was 240,000 more than the number of men. In 1926 the female membership num-

than the male members.

During the ten years the State increased its number of churches or local organizations from 14, 295 to 15,060, with 12,770 church houses, which were reported as valued at \$109,736,370, compared ith \$40,491,000 ten years before ne debt on 2.776 amounted to 3,500,000, while in 1916 1.97 turches reported a total indebt lness of \$3,128,000.

edness of \$3,128,000.

Sunday schools were reported by 11,668 churches, with 1,102,-294 pupils enrolled. In 1916 only 10,772 churches reported Sunday schools with an enrollment of 918,374. The report does not include undenominational or union Sunday schools. Returns to the Census Bureau show eighty-six denominations in the State, compara-Census Bureau snow eight, nominations in the State, compard with seventy-six ten years

sengers often crawled to the roof of the passenger cars sat back to back on the top—a condition which would not be tolerated in these days of safety campaigns and rapid travel.

There may be others in the Panhandle who saw the placing of the corner stone in the capitol walls and which was finally completed in 1888, but The Clarendon News is of the opinion that Mr. Ruther.

at at cost of \$50,000. The whole building is 100 by 175 feet in dimensions and is so built that it will house and refrigerate ten one time. It also has a private ice house and three bungalow homes for employees.

The total Indian population of Texas by the latest census was 2.109. The largest tribe is the

Texas by the latest census was 2.109. The largest tribe is the Alabama in Polk County.

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Canyon, Texas

J. A. Hill, President

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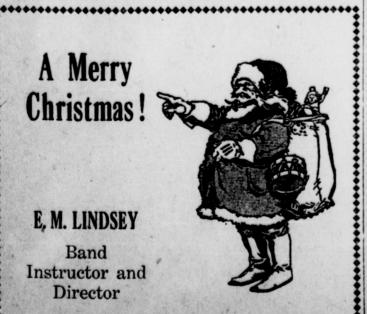
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Morris Rosenfield Opened Clarendon's First General Mercantile Establishment In Old Town

Pioneer Recounts Stirring Days on the Frontier and Organization of Donley County.

they had served to cowardice. I understood they were passengers on a train which was held up by bandits, und, although they were in uniform, and

DR. CALDWELL'S THREE RULES

Dr. Caldwell watched the results constipation for 47 years, and beved that no matter how careful ople are of their health, diet and ercise, constipation will occur from ne to time. Of next importance, en, is how to treat it when it comes. to the body of the word of the word of the composition of the composit

and by the time we reached Clarendon we were riding in the most ramshackle wagon imaginable, the wheels of which had such play on their axles that they left tracks brother, August J. Rosenfield, went to work for Sanger Bros., who were coming north from Houston with the slow construction of the Houston & Texas Central Railroad. When the Sanger this halt that I realized when the range. The buffalo

bet and the Northwest. In 1882 they call they were wild, but appeared to be the Northwest to 1882 they call ed me into the office and informed me that they wished me to take charge of a store they were about to open at Clarendon was, they said they did not know, as the place was not on the man, but that T. P. Barry, their belief traveling man, knew, and would show me the wax to it. Barry. W. O. Conner and Seymour Mayor were in the office at the time of a branch of the region of the regio

acter, the authentic cowboy atmosphere.

The big cattlemen were, of course, interested in holding the range as long as possible. The report had gone abroad that the Northwest was a rainless region and wholly unsuited to agriculture. Wann of the authence here. By W. S. Adair, in Dallas News.

"Some of my people were in Texas in the days of the Republic," said Morris Rosenfield of aboard the train.

"One wished to agriculture. Many of the cattlemen believed this to be the truth, and those that learned it was not, kept the information to themselves. One of them planted some yet, and when it grew six feet tall and had the longest heads and largest grains on it ever seen price having nassed and rank.

"In 1886 the people of Clarentinos to them prescribed way that Donley Country, and when it grew six feet tall and had the longest heads and largest grains on it ever seen price having nassed and remeat.

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"We soon learned that the fine vehicle in which we had set out was merely for show. We had shower that the fine vehicle in which we had set out was merely for show. We had set out was merely for show. We had set out was merely for show. We had shower that the fine vehicle in which we had set out was merely for show. We had shower that the fine vehicle in which we had set out was merely for show. We had set out was merely for show. We had shower that the fine vehicle in which we had set out was merely for show. We had shower that the fine vehicle in which we had set out was merely for show. We had set out was merely for show.

Houston with the slow construction of the Houston & Texas Central Railroad. When the Sanger firm and the railroad reached Dallas in 1872 I joined my brother and he and I opened the first fancy grocery store here. Dallas was at that tirne the livest town in all this part of the country.

"I went to work for Sanger Bros. in 1881 as head of the furnishings goods and hat department. Sanger Bros. had opened branch stores at several points in the Northwest. In 1882 they called me that they wished me to take charge of a store they were long the first hat they were wild, but appeared to be tame, because they had not yet been frightened by the guns of hunters.

Poet on the Spot.

wrote has much of the feeling of the Panhandle, the raciness of the soil, and, in my opinion, has not been appreciated. It abounds in true touches of the landscape and the usual mob of wanderers that Of all gifts, a new motor car .. of all cars a new Buick .. the fullest measure of Christmas cheer you could possibly give to your family ...

The Silver Anniversary

ODOS CARAWAY, Local Agent When Better Automobiles Are Built . . . Buick Will Build Them

delicate nuances of frontier char-acter, the authentic cowboy atmos-and the new Clarendon at once

Texas in the days of the Republic," said Morris Rosenfield of 1817 Peabody avenue. "My unele, John Rosenfield, a native of Germany, had settled in England. He was a tailor and tailors in Germany in his time were taught kitchen gardening along with the use of the needle.

"Hearing that the new Republic of Texas was offering a proceeded but a short distance of land to the head of eventual aboard the train.

"Our stage horses went at a gallop, negotiating eight miles an gallop, negotiating eight miles an and hushed the matter up. I planted some cotton in santimes on the way, a distance of the needle.

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CROWELL RECEIVING MA-TERIAL FOR LEE HIGHWAY

Material arrives daily at Crow-ell for construction work on the Lee Highway. A car of steel to be used in reinforced concrete work on culver's and bridges is the latest to arrive. Work on this stretch of the highway is progressing rapidly.

LAWS ARE URGED TO STOP SHORTING BY GASOLINE MEN

Austin, Texas, Dec. 7.—Adequate laws to empower the division of weights and measures in the Department of Agriculture properly to test and to conficulture defective, or decentive grasuling defective or deceptive gasoline pumps were stressed in addresses before a conference of state and city weights and measures in-spectors here Friday. The con-ference will continue through Sat-

"Motorists in Texas are losing "Motorists in Texas are losing gasoline valued at \$3,182,800 this year through the activities of short measure artists," J. A. Kinard of Big Spring, State Inspector of Weights and Measures, told the convention, while E. C. Blesi, president of the Texas State Autres, bill Association, delayed measures. tomobile Association, declared mo-torists over the United States are suffering losses amounting to \$20,000,000 every year from the

Some Give Too Much. Surrounding the statement, Mr. Kinard submitted a report of the weights and measures division, which showed results of tests made in Fort Worth, Austin, Dallas, Taylor, Waco, Houston, Galveston and Beaumont. An average gross shortage of 3.5 per cent showed in these tests. Sales over Texas this year were 607,637,833 gallons.

Pumps in Beaumont gave the most accurate measurements of

any tested and Galveston dis-pensers were the worst, Mr. Kin-ard said. In Fort Worth sixty tests were made and six pumps were found to be accurate, forty-five gave short measure and nine five gave short measure and nine delivered too much fluid. In Dallas fifty-one tests were made with results of one correct pump, thirty-nine short measures and eleven yielding over measure.

The main trick in shortening motorists is to have drains which deliver part of the gasoline back into the storage tank. Other pumps were found to be unlevel, were adjusted to give short meas-

Licensing Urged.

As a remedy, the licensing of pumps and operators was strongly urged before the gathering, placing enforcement of the law in the hands of State authorities with heavy penalties for wilful violators. Support of the national conference on weights and measures, which has developed several plans for assuring correct when necessary and for as brief periods as possible, in putting nothing into the refrigerator that does not need to be kept there. For example, paper wrappings on meats and other foods, vegetables and fruits that can be stored equally well in a vegetable bin or closet, or extra dishes containing leftovers that could be combined on one plate should not be put in the refrigerator.

Other speakers Friday were Commissioner of Agriculture George B. Terrell, C. C. Cheshire, Abilene sealer of weights and measures; John W. Hornsby, State Senator-elect from Travis County; Ralph Smith, of the national Bureau of Standards, and K. Pickford, chief rater of the State Fire Insurance Department. State Fire Insurance Department,

frigerator is to save food, not ice, so real economy of operation consists in having wellinsulated walls, in keeping the ice-chamber well stocked, in opening doors only when necessary and for as brief periods as possible in nutting

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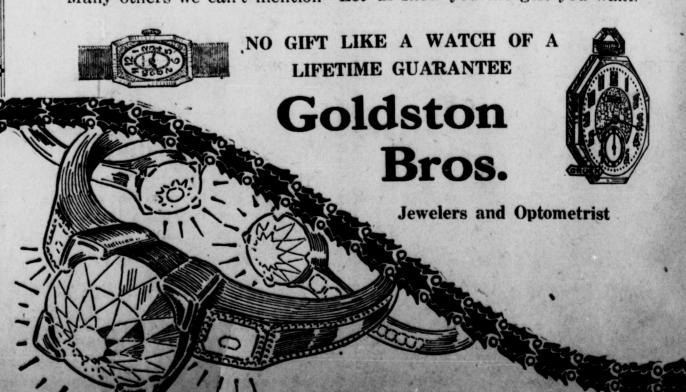
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Watch and Chain, Wrist Watch, Ring, Traveling Set, Fountain Pen and Pencil Set.

Many others we can't mention-Let us show you the gift you want.



FROM 5 HENS TO 15,000;3 MILLION EGGS A YEAR

TEXAN WHO QUIT JOB TO RAISE CHICKENS MAKES FORTUNE COME HOME TO

Wichita Falls, Texas,-Mose were hatched.

Twenty-five years ago he gave up a clerical job, bought five white Leghorn hens and a rooster His neighbors couldn't see it.
They said the fancy price he paid for his brood fowls was foolish.
The little farm and flock had ex
Of interest is the fact that the

Mexico recently sent two personal representatives to Texas to select foundation stock from the Johnson flocks for a poultry ranch he plans to establish near Mexico

Johnson's love of the poultry business goes back to the time he was a boy, scarcely able to walk, when he had a couple of chickens for pets.

Boy Wanted and the Kind

Wanted—A boy who stands straight, sits straight, acts straight and talks straight.

A boy who listens carefully when spoken to, who asks ques-cions when he does not underabout things that are none of his business.

A boy whose finger nails are not in mourning, whose ears are clean, whose shoes are polished, whose clothes are brushed, whose teeth are well cared for.

A boy who moves quickly and makes as little noise as possible.

A boy who whistles in the street but not where he ought to keep

still.

A boy who looks cheerful, has a ready smile for everybody, and never sulks.

A boy who is polite to every man and respectful to every woman and girl.

A boy who does not smoke cigarettes and has no desire to learn how.

A boy who never bullies other oys or allows other boys to bully

A boy who, when he does not know a thing says, "I do not know" and when he has made a mistake says, "I am sorry," and when requested to do a thing says, "I'll try."

A boy who looks you in the eye and tells you the truth every time.

time.

A boy who had rather lose his job, or be expelled from school than to tell a lie or be a cad.

A boy who is more eager to know how to speak good English than talk sleng.

A boy who does not want to be "smart" nor in any way attract attention.

boy who is eager to read wholesome books. boy who is perfectly at ease he company of respectable

by who is not a goody-prig, or a little Pharisee, st a healthy, happy and full

This boy is wanted everywhere.
The family wants him, the chool wants him, the office wants im, and all creation wants him.

Exchange.

TION FEB. 4-8.

College Station, Texas.-It is fitting that the twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of agricultural extension work in the United Johnson is wealthy because he States, to be held at Houston counted his chickens before they Feb. 4-8 in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Southern white Leghorn hens and a rooster for it was in Texas and moved to a 50-acre farm to demonstration work in this countraise chickens by the thousands. (try had its origin in 1903, and the first country agent in the

They said the fancy price he paid for his brood fowls was foolish. The little farm and flock had exhausted his financial resources.

Johnson's wife did a little counting herself. True, all the Mexican boll weveil invasion of the funds have been held.

The bank announces that they have the addresses of most of the reaction herself. True, all the Mexican boll weveil invasion of the hatching was still to be done, but she consented to giving up the certainty of a weekly pay check because she believed her husband could make a fortune come home to roost with the chickens.

Today the Johnson farm near Wichita Falls has 15,000 Leghorn hens which lay 3,000,000 eggs a year. There are so many chickens that an investment of \$109,000 is represented by the buildings and equipment needed for their care. Other wives, who buy eggs for their table, can appreciate what 3,000,000 eggs a was a way of an income for Johnson and his wife. And, there is another, at though smaller, Johnson, has not escaped trying times in the chicken business. Five years after he started his flock a tornade swept his farm, destroying a laber of the building and countern States. The same the work grew rapidly in popularity and soon there were more than 50 when the started all over again.

About one-third of the egg output of the Wichita Falls farm is used for incubation of baby chicks. Johnson sold 800,000 beyon held to the wind the foundation stock from the Johnson focks for a poultry ranch help and the funds have the farm of the wind when the store that the phase to decease they have, in the least the foundation of the wind the funds have the decease and representatives to Texas to select form the store of the case of the proposal to the funds have the decease who have not given the case of the proposal that the funds have the decease who have not given the case of the proposal ded in 1910.

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And we wish you

Ed L. Speed

do our best to please you.

TEXAS HAD FIRST

CO. FARM AGENT

Vice of the A. & M. College of Texas in 1912 and headquarters moved to College Station. Six canvas tents, erected in front of the old Agricultural Building, housed the offices. H. H. Williamson, now vice director and state agent of the Texas Service, was with the service at that time.

Today the Texas Service has 270 White County and home demonstration agents and 42 negro men and women agents.

Washington, Dec. 7.—A prohibition debate which filled the reconstration agents and 42 negro men and women agents.

THE REWARD POSTED IN WEATHERBY MURDER WILL BE RETURNED

Memphis, Texas, Dec. 6.—Funds that were put up as a reward for the apprehension of the murderer of the Weatherby family, who met annual meeting of the Southern Agricultural Workers' Association, should be observed in Texas. County, which have been held in For it was in Texas that farm escrow for more than a year, are ready to be returned to the do-nors, according to an announce-ment made by the Hall County National Bank, in which institu-

tion the funds have been held.

The bank announces that they

Chas. G. Speed

PASSED BY HOUSE

Washington, Dec. 7 .- A prohiord with words but brought the wets no results furished the di-version for those who looked down from the galleries Friday upon

While the Senate continued the long debate over the building of a huge dam on the Colorado River the House engaged in the analysis of the Analy nual fight over the item in the treasury-postoffice appropriation bill for prohibition enforcement. The wets made futile thrusts against it, but when the talking had ended, the item—for \$13,-500,000—and the bill itself, calling for more than \$1,000,000,000 was passed. It was the first mair accomplishment of these size. jor accomplishment of the session, but there are eight more of these supply measures to be enacted be fore adjournment on March 4.

The measure carries \$813,215,725 for the postoffice and \$303,459,664 for the Treasury. Besides the prohibition enforcement appropriation, it included \$23,040,000 for control of the carries of the carries and the carries of the carr 000 for continuing work on pub-lic buildings and \$130,000,000 for the return of illegally collected

Washington, Dec. 1.—College en-trance credit for high school work in home economics is allowed by all state universities which admit women and by at least twelve privately owned higher institutions, the Burea of Education reports. ices of the Presbyterian Church present at this meeting since the are mixed, and to insure fresh-

Dailas will address the gathering.

Immediately following the morning services at 11:00 o'clock, vices of the day will be observed.

In that time.

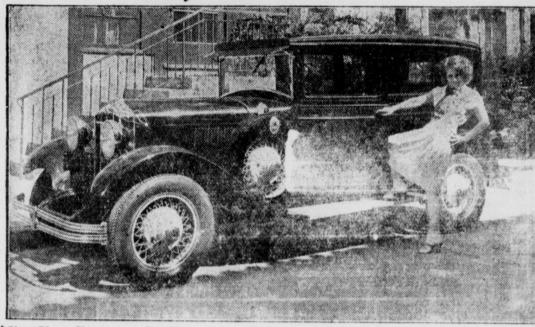
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To add one pound of salt to the mix are for each 100 pounds of at 11:00 o'clock, the regular services, and the day will be observed.

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PRESBYTERIANS TO HOLD there will be a congregational of grain feeds for dairy care meeting. The membership of the are mixed on the farm, they church is especially urged to be should be ground only as they on Sunday. December 16th, at possibility of calling a pastor will ness too much should not be mixbe -taken under advisement at ed at one time. It is a good idea

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Memories

OF LIFE'S HAPPIEST DAYS

We hope they will be yours this Christmas to

cheer you up and make you enjoy the season.

A Prosperous, Happy 1929

We would like to keep on serving you and will

Speed Bros.

That I have been located in Clarendon, I have made many friends and have enjoyed ar very pleasing patronage.

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Now I Extend

The Season's Greetings and wish for you a Prosperous and Successful New Year.

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Goldston Building

The Romance of Paper



common commodities have a more picturesque background than it hasa background comprised of North ern woods, tropical forests and ver-dant landscapes of growing flax. And some of the uses made of paper are no less devoid of romantic as

The present-day source of linen paper is the flax fields of Europe But the history of flax growing antedates that of Europe, going back beyond the days of Iutankhamen and the other Egyptian Pharaobs.

Pharachs.

In Ireland, Italy, Russia and Belgium, where flax is now principally grown, its cultivation is by hand. The seed is sown without aid of machinery, and the fields weeded by workers bending over the plants. When the flax is cut, it is carefully strewn over the fields for the dew to we too is and under water, where

RED CROSS DRIVE IS GREAT SUCCESS

GOAL FOR LAST YEAR PASS. ED WITH SOME REPORTS

The Red Cross Roll Call for 1928 was beenacht to a succeeding of the 1928 was taken to the 1928 was 12505. The 1928 was 12505 was a was a final member from the 2928 was 12505 was a was a final member. As I sate to the 1928 was 12505 was a was a final member from the 2928 was 12505 was a was a final member from the 2928 was 12505 was a was a final member from the 2928 was 12505 was a was a final was 1928 was 12505 was a was 100 members from the 2928 was 12505 was a was 100 members from the 2928 was 12505 was 1000 was 1000 was 1000 was 12505 was 1000 was 10 Electric Company.

It is well known that such paper makes the finest stationery, but it has other rather amazing uses. Our of them is in an electrical device known as a condenser, a simple piece of apparatus formed of two installic plates insulated from each tither by strips of linen paper so hat an electrical current is unable to low through it while the energy, apportant, for example, in a telestrical current sunable to make stationery before the fact that the Western Electric Company, at its Hawthorne with the sun paper so hat an electrical current is unable to make a condensers at as policement of the most stationery before the direct current out of the most stationery before the direct current out of the most strips of linen paper so hat an electrical current is unable to low through it while the energy for the most of the most stationery but it is well known as a condenser, a simple device of apparatus formed of two installic plates insulated from each there by strips of linen paper so hat an electrical current is unable to low through it while the condensers and the latest that the Western Electric Company, at its Hawthorne with the possible properties and the latest that the Western Electric Company, at its Hawthorne with the possible properties and the latest that the Western Electric Company, at its Hawthorne with the possible properties and the latest that the Western Electric Company, at its Hawthorne with the possible properties and the latest that the Western Electric Company, at its Hawthorne with the possible properties and the latest that the western of the properties of the force current out of the possible properties of the most of the properties of the most of the properties of the properties of the most of the properties of the most of the properties of the latest that the western of the properties of the properties of the most of the properties of the latest that the western of the properties of the properties of the work in Properties of the properties of the most of the properties of the Mr. George Greene, Howard Stewert, Mrs. Walter Taylor, Katherine Patrick, Lorraine Patrick, Elgin Patrick, W. H. Patrick, Mrs. W. H. Patrick, Mrs. W. E. Bailey, Paul Shelton, A. M. King, W. H. Youngblood, J. H. Headrick, J. W. Watts, R. C. McCov. Bryan & Miller, Ballew & Noble, C. D. Shamburger Lumber Co., Mr. Bill Greene, C. P. Pipes, Jessie Burson, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Saye, Mrs. Minnie E. Dyer, S. W. Lowe, W. J. Evans, J. H. Müler, Winks, Adams, Mr. W. P. Cagle, "That does not have prompt and efficient medical inspection: "That does not receive primary instruction in the elements of hy-Winks, Adams, Mr. W. P. Cagle, Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain, Mr. E. Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain, Mr. E. giene and good health;
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COTTON PRICES BREAK DUE TO CROP ESTIMATE

GOVERNMENT SAYS YIELD OF 14,373,000 BALES INDI-CATED.

133,000 bales and last year's actual crop of 12,955,000.

Forecast 14,373,000 Bales.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The
Department of Agriculture today
forecast the 1928 cotton crop at
14,373,000 equivalent 500-pound
bales in its final estimaes of the
season

season. The Census Bureau at the same time reported total ginnings of the 1928 crop prior to Dec. 1 at 12,561,618.

Production in 1927 was 12,955,000 bales; in 1926, it was 17,977,000, and in 1925 a total of 16,-

When your Children Cry for It

O'Donnell's next progressive acquisition will be a modern sewer system. Those responsible for the improvement realize that it will mean new homes, increased population and added industries.

The farm flock should not be a "pin money" proposition. Poultry and egg prices for the coming year indicate a good profit for the farmer who has the proper stock and gives it good care. Put good laying stock on the farm, and realize a profit.

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The stockholders meeting of The First National Bank of Claracter of the proper stock and gives the product and you could use it every day. But it's in an emergency that Castoria means most. Some night when constipation must be relieved—or colic pains—or other suffering. Never be without it; some mothers keep an extra bottle unopened, to make sure there will always be Castoria in the house. It is effective for older children, too; read the book that comes with it.



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Each year I consume in the United States more than \$500,000,000 worth of property.

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My flames sweep through the village and across the mighty

Forests fall before me, and over the prairie I spread my blighting hand.

I am Fire.
Into my maw of destruction are brought each year in this country more than 8,000 babes and children. My insatiable appetite de-mands 4,000 women of your land each twelve months. Three thousand men you feed into my

CURSE ALL OVER THE WORLD'

Your childless mothers dread my

All over your land I have plant-

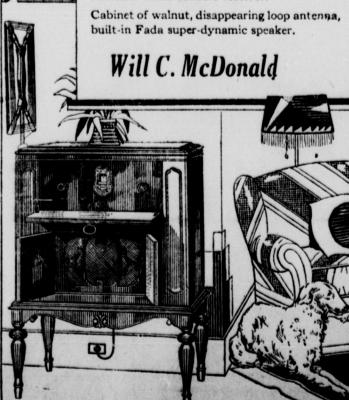
children.

I am Fire.
I am more dangerous than dynamite, more treacherous than Satan; more to be feared than all

your enemies upon the earth, you carry me about your person, you store me in your homes, you spread me over land and water. I am Fire.—Houston Post.

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The New Year

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Reminds us that we have much to be thankful for-

SO WE THANK YOU

and then, too, it brings us to plans for the future and in our planning we are thinking of how we can serve you better to the end that we may show our appreciation of your pa-

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For Your Success and Happiness During

1929.

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CLARENDON, DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DEC. 13, 1928

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Chamber Of Commerce Has Led In Progress For 1928

1929 Annual Banquet and Election of Thompson, county demonstrator. The fourth item, including the sponsoring of a county fair, and exhibits to the Tri-State and Dal-Directors Set For January 15th. Four New Members to be Elected.

In reviewing the activities of a that reason and in order to have Chamber of Commerce for a past a more definite plan of work for year's work one readily finds the the year 1928 set about to adopt.

In reviewing the activities of a that reason and in order to have contest, two girls were sent to Dallas to the state encampment, besides other work in this connection mentioned above.

year's work one reaffily finds the the year 1928 set about to adopt many lines of endeavor that such a yearly plan of work. This plan an organization is asked to co-op- was adopted and included 10 main of paved roads in this county and erate with and take a part in items that should claim the atten-



The second item in the plan was the establishment of a poultry hatchery in Clarendon. Frank White, Jr., of this city has announced that his hatchery will be in operation by January 1st, and that he has bought a 52,000 egg capacity plant.

The third item, the promotion

farm diversification, better nich many prizes were won at irs including a first prize on xaffir at the state fair of Texas. Again here prizes have been pro-vided for by the Chamber of

The sixth item, the promotion helping. Some of them are worthwhile, and are engaged in while
others have no bearing on such
an organization and cannot be undertaken, often to the everlasting
disappointment of and sometimes
enmity of the proponent.

The local chamber foresaw much
of this multiplicity of demand on
the local organization, and for

been followed to the extent that 40 farmers were taken to the South Plains Dairy Show at Plainview, three or four carloads of dairy cows were sold here, two Donley County farmers have entered the Panhandle Master Dairry Farmers contest, and at present the organization is co-operating with the county Demonstration agent in providing prizes for contests including dairying.

The second item in the plan was the establishment of a poultry batchery in Clarendon Frank

Clarendon, has not been given much attention but it was deemed that very little could be done in this matter at present. The chamber represented on a committee of local organization representatives to work on this plan and will be ready at such time as the committee of local organization representatives to work on this plan and will be ready at such time as the country, and been otherwise useful in the communication of the country, and been otherwise useful in the communication of the country of



to the proper authorities.

A yard and city beautiful contest was carried out in keeping with the next item on the plan and prizes were awarded to six winners in this work.

Yarious other places, including several trips to county communities to help out with their programs of various nature, and in boosting the county fair.

Besides the above items the Secretary has represented the

Item nine, a city auditorium for city at various meetings of inter

taken part in other activities to an actuality. In this plant, the CAMERON LUMBER CO.

rations degrees.

The annual banquet for the organization this year will be held on the night of Jan. 15th. At this time a new plan will be submitted for the coming year and in the face of one of the best years for the organization a much better year than the last is to be expected. At the banquet four new directors will be elected to take the place of G. G. Kemp, J. T. Patman, J. R. Porter and Joe Goldston, making up the seven Goldston Goldston, making up the seven Goldston Goldston, making up the seven directors with C. J. Douglas, H. J. Edington, and O. C. Watson who will serve for the year 1929.

G. L. Boykin, Cor.

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PLANTS MAY BE NEXT
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ON a single occasion, 16 pink bollworms were taken from a few handsful of seed cotton contained in sacks about to be taken out of the quarantined area. To prevent the movement of such cotton, State and Federal inspectors are stationed at quarantine posts on main highways. The cars of cotton pickers in the illustration have been detained and are awaiting inspection before leaving the infested area for the

Texas' Urge to Lead is Shown By Great Growth in Public Utilities

Great efforts were put forth by fuel, as well as dozens of smaller public utilities of Texas during communities located along the the past year in keeping pace lines.
with the rapid growth of the Lone Street railway systems of Texas

plied with improved service of va-rious kinds, street railway in the cities of the State.

New discoveries during the year added to the huge supplies of natural gas already available for industrial and domestic purposes and for generation of electric power, and made certain that for years to come abundant supplies of fuel would be available.

As a result of improvements made in 1927, Texas generating stations now have a kilowatt capacity of 650,000 (870,000 horsepower), carried over 6,200 miles

connections were made, and nota-ble improvements made in the serble improvements made in the ser-vice rendered by street railway the Panhandle territory are deep-

number of persons to whom electricity is available resulted from extensions of service by light and power concerns since 1925. At the lodist conference.

star State. From the piney woods of East Texas to the wind-swept Llane Estacado, thousands of men were engaged in construction work to meet the increasing demands of commerce. Modern conveniences were made available to a large number of cities and towns which previously had been without them, and others were supplied with improved service of various Street railway systems of Texas contributed a large part of the million dollars a day spent for improvements by American street car and interurban companies in 1927. Many new cars of the latest design and color, and more comfortable riding, were placed in service, and tracks were extended. At the beginning of this year there were approximately 600 miles of the

pacity of 650,000 (870,000 horse-power), carried over 6,200 miles of transmission lines to 820 cities, towns and villages of the State; 8,000 miles of pipe line bringing natural gas from the oil fields to a rapidly increasing number of communities, 24,600 new telephone communities, 24,600 new telephone disconnections were made, and nota-

ystems.

An increase of 729,000 in the Methodist college here, is the

extensions of service by light and power concerns since 1925. At the beginning of 1928, this service was available to 2,800,000 of Texas' population, or about 52 per cent of the total, as compared with 2,071,000, or 41 per cent, in 1925.

New Factories Come

The general distribution of electric power has brought many new factories to the State. Texas in 1927 led the entire nation in the gain in value of manufacturing, the increase being placed at \$300.000,000 by the Texas State Manufacturing Association.

Development of natural gas fields in Texas seems likely soon to place the State near the top in production. Pipe lines are being extended rapidly and during the past year two large Texas eities—Houston and Austin—have been supplied with this splendid

Sterling Plan Is Favored By Sub-Committee

PLEDGE WHATEVER REVE-NUE NECESSARY FOR RE-

tually was agreed on today by the sub-committe of the finance group of Governor Moody's highway legislation committee of 31, as the most practical plan of construct-ing and maintaining a state sysem of public highways.

would make provision by law for sources of revenue, including license fees on motor vehicles, a tax on gasoline and other products of gas or petroleum and other ex-plosives used for motor power, and tax or charge on commercial vehicles engaged in transporting per-sons or property within the State. Gas Tax is Limited

It would be provided that onefourth of any revenue from a tax

on gasoline be paid into the avail-able school fund, as now provided \$10,000 A SQUARE FO

It was agreed that bonds at no time should exceed an amount which a three cent tax on gasoline would redeem, principal and in-

From any of the funds thus derived the legislature could make provisions for refunds to counties and road districts to compensate them for expenditures which they Austin, Nov. 30.—Issuance of State bonds not to exceed \$225, 000,000 outstanding at any one time, and pledging whatever portion of the revenue of the Highway Department is necessary to meet interest and principal, virtually was agreed on today by the trial to the principal and interest of any the finance group in the construction of the principal and interest of any lateral roads, or be applied upon the construction of the principal and interest of any lateral roads, or be applied upon any of our cities. For one thing, street, space is

To Committee Dec. 10

The plan will be presented to Generally it is acceptance of the plan advocated by R. S. Sterling, chairman of the Highway Com-

designated in the organic law.

congestion is causing the car as the most logical vehicle for mass travel, according to R. P. American Electric Railway Asso-Stevens, former president of the ciation. Mr. Stevens points out that while the private automobile constitutes the most serious problem faced by the electric railway industry, yet the very number of automobiles that attempt to use the streets is forcing a more intelligent allotment of street space.

Our large cities are above.

ABY BEEF SHOW
IN TULIA FEBRUARY 2ND
The first baby beef show conducted in Swisher County will be held in Tulia February 2, 1929.
C. B. Martin, county agent, now has 34 baby beeves on balanced rations in boys clubs, one of which won \$544.84 in prizes recently.

PADUCAH WHITE WAY 1S
UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Paducah is ornament.

Paducah is ornament.

worth \$10,000 a square foot in some of our cities. For another, their purpose, that is, from being avenues for the movement of traffic. For still another, medical authorities are beginning to express John L. Darrouzet of Galveston, chairman of the sub-committee of the finance group to draft a plan, objected to two features of the atmosphere in city streets by the exhaust of innumerable automobiles."

He said he was opposed to writing into the organic law the amount of a tax to be levied against any given industry or business and that he is against the indiscriminate issuance of bonds where the maximum amount is not designated in the organic law.

Paducah is constructing an ornamental white way along the streets of the business section. It will have 34 standards mounted on the side walks with wiring underground when completed, and will replace the old system of 17 standards located in the center of the Red River District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce held November 23 at Decatur drew a large crowd. President A. M. Bourland, Manager Homer Wade, and Publicity Manager E. H. Whitehead were among W. T. C. C. officials present

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Capitol City Gun Maker Does Service For 75 Years

Gun-Maker of the Pioneer Days Has Had a Very Interesting Career. Iant defenders away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pockets pretty well. They were traced by the gold dollars which they dropped along the way in making their escape, and their capture was in this way effected. Mr. Petmecky followed the Confederate flag from 1861-1865. He served under Tom Green and others in New Mexico. "But those were hard times," he said. "I do not like to talk about them." when the war was over he returned to Austin and resumed in plate, which is sheet steel coated in the plate, which is sheet steel coated in the plate, which is sheet steel coated in the pokens. They did not get one of the gold dollars which they dropped along the way in making their escape, and their capture was in this way effected. Mr. Petmecky followed the Confederate flag from 1861-1865. He served under Tom Green and others in New Mexico. "But those were hard times," he said. "I do not like to talk about them." when the war was over he returned to Austin and resumed in pokens. The tank is made of terne plate, which is sheet steel coated in the pokens away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money, but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money but lined their pokens away. They did not get all the money but lined their pokens away in this way effected. Mr. Petmecky followed the Confederate flag from 1861-1865. He served under Tom Green and others in New Mexico. "But those as triking example of the quality of materials and workmanship in this latest product of one of the really revolutionary features of the new Model A Ford car and is a striking example of the pokens and the

quarters of a century in the Texas capital, during which time he has manufactured rifles for many of the outstanding figures in Texas University was a plum thicket when I was a boy," said Mr. Petmecky, "and many a time I was a history, is the unique record the matthing instituted the nutural method the nutural metho as history, is the unique record

of J. C. Petmecky.

The veteran gunsmith of Aus-

seventy-three years in the same business in Austin and over sixty

business in Austin and over sixty years in the same city block is the record of J. C. Petmecky, veteran gunmaker, 505 Congress Avenue.

"I have made guns for Sam Houston, Sul Ross, Big Foot Wallace, Ben McCulloch, and other noted Texans," Mr. Petmecky said when questioned about his career.

During the early days of Texas a Comanche Indian secured, in some way, a suit of Spanish armor. Because of this he was called "Iron Jacket." No ordinary bullet could pierce this armor, and Iron Jacket became the terror of the settlers. Sul Ross, whose son afterward became Governor of Texas, joined the Texas and Iron Jacket became the terror of the settlers. Sul Ross, whose son afterward became Governor of Texas, joined the Texas Rangers purposely to kill this Indian. Mr. Petmecky rechambered his gun and made a speciality large pointed bullat to the settlers. In the neighborhood of the settlers of the settlers. Sul Ross, whose son afterward became Governor of Texas, joined the Texas Rangers purposely to kill this Indian. Mr. Petmecky rechambered his gun and made a speciality large pointed bullat to the neighborhood of the season there when the new Roswell hotel was formerly opened with the Hawaiian Welcome Ceremony. F. L. Childs, general manager, sponsored this unique entertainment.

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have hunted quail, squirrels and rabbits there."

The veteran gunsmith of Austin is well known in Kerrville.

His son, the late Walter Petmecky, resided here for many years and his granddaughter, Mrs. C. C. Vann, of this city recently visited him in Austin. The following feature story reviewing Mr. Petmecky's early experiences was written by Minnie Craddock and appeared in a recent issue of the Dallas News. It will be of particular interest to the pioneer's many friends in the Hill country:

Conquerer of the West, maker of history, perpetrator of romance, seventy-three years in the same the others would gather around to see what had happened to the fallen deer."

For twenty-five years Mr. Petmecky has offered a prize for the heaviest deer killed during the hunting season. In 1920 Jake Petmecky, his son, killed a buck which weighed 190 pounds when dressed. This is the heaviest deer ever weighed during this contest, but of course he did not enter it for the prize. This deer was killed in the neighborhood of

Rangers purposely to kill this Indian. Mr. Petmecky rechambered his gun and made a specially large pointed bullet to fit it. Iron Jack and his band were surprised by the Rangers, and he was killed by one of these bullets. This suit of armor was kept at the old capitol building, but was destroyed when that burned.

The Petmecky guns compare favorably with the machine-made product of the present day. They have a peculiar "set trigger," or "hair trigger." which makes safe and easy to fire. The word "Petmecky" is engraved on a bronze plate attached to the stock of every gun. No gun display is complete in all this country without a Petmecky gun, and it usually occupies the most prominent position.

It was not alone the Petmecky guns were appreciated, but the Petmecky spur used to be known all over the West. It was a favorite with the cowboys and those who rode the range, but after 1890 was supplanted by the factory-made spur, which could be produced much cheaper.

Mr. Petmecky has always been an enthusiastic sportsman. The vanting and recreation."

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In early days, before hunting lamps were in use in this country, men hunted with what was called a "fire man." They went out in pairs at night. One carried a pan with a long handle which contained fire: the other carried a pan with a long handle which contained fire: the other carried a pan with a long handle which contained fire: the other carried a pan with a long handle which contained fire: the other carried a pan with a long handle which contained fire: the other carried a pan with a long handle which contained fire: the other carried a pan with a long handle with the aright a fire ma

of the Petmecky shop are was robbed during the days of re with mounted trophies of construction after the Civil War

business. Three of his six sons, Fred F. Petmecky, J. H. Petmecky, and H. J. Petmecky, are associated with him in business. The only other living son is Charles Petmecky. Mr. Petmecky is a 33-degree Mason and he and his brother-inlaw are the only living charter members of the Masonic Lodge n Austin.

REFRIGERATON PAYS

There are about 228,750,000 omes in the United States and approximately 55 per cent of these use refrigeration during the warm weather; 20 per cent use artificial cooling methods the year round. Food experts have estimated that spoilage of foods, due to improper refrigeration, results in annual losses of \$700,000,000, or enough to support with food the entire indigent of the nation.

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with tin to prevent rust and corrosion. The steel sheets from which tht tank is made are from .049 of an inch to .051 of an inch

halves then go to the assembly line which leads to the welding machines. The opening for the gasoline inlet is stamped out of the upper or cowl section and the filler flange for the cap is rolled into the opening. A steering column bracket is given on the out umn bracket is riveted on the out-side at the bottom of the lower portion of the tank and these riv-ets are all treated with tin plate to prevent corrosion. An ignition cable support also is welded to this lower section and baffle plates are soldered inside to prevent the splashing of gasoline when the car is in use. Then the two tank halves go into a soda bath where they are thoroughly

The welding of the two halves takes just four minutes and is the first instance on record in which terne plate has been successfully welded. The process by which these two shaped pieces of plated steel are made into one solid, hol-low piece is known as seam welding. It is somewhat similar to the chain stitching method of a sewing machine in sewing cloth. The weld seam around the tank is 120 inches long. This welding job is done completely on one machine, the two edges to be realled being replied between two welded being rolled between two electric contact rollers which fuse the two pieces of metal and make them one

Immediately after the tank is

2 welded it is placed in a testing
machine where 15 pounds of air
is forced into it. It is then sealed
and submerged in a water tank and a careful examination is made to detect any air bubles which would indicate a leak. The tank undergoes two other simi-lar compressed air and water tests during the finishing operations,

the last of these being made aft er the gasoline gauge has been in-stalled.

But there is still another process which is being used to test frequent samples of the finished tanks. In this test the tank is filled with seven or eight gallons of water and placed upon an agitator or "shimmy" machine which stimulates driving conditions over an extremely rough road at a high rate of speed. In some of these tests sample tanks have been thoroughly jounced and jolted continuously for four or five weeks without developing any leaks or manufacturing flaws.

During the experimental stages several of these tanks were blown up by air pressure until they looked like balloons, but the welded seams held perfectly against the terrific pressure.

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When finished, the tank The tank is made of terne mounted in the car to form the plate, which is sheet steel coated cowl, and it is separated from the engine by a solid steel dash

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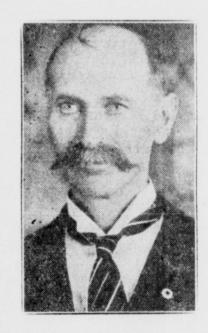
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Efforts To Secure Airport For Clarendon In Line With Statewide Movement

Association Makes Survey and Finds Forty-Three Cities With Landing Facilities or immediate Plans for Same Under Way.

Establishing of airports or improvements of existing aviation facilities are ranking in importance with such major problems as highway programs, traffic matters and agricultural devlopment as foremost subjects for attention of chambers of commerce of Texas cities and towns, according to a bulletin just issued by the Texas Commercial Executives Association.

Recently the association made a survey of Texas and made a survey of Texas and some tests in the state which have already established landing.

San Angelo and Midland were represented in the aerocade with their own planes and passengers. New Orleans, several weeks previously sponsored an aerocade which visited points in Lousiana, Texas and Mississippi. Texas ports, such as the one at Orange, received high praise from the out-of-town air visitors.

Eand-MeNally Company of Chicago and Detroit.

Midland has developed fast in aviation matters. Owner of a local hotel is installing a three million beam candle light atop his structure as a night guide to the field. Block signal lights along the T. & P. railway have been found helpful night guides.

Lubbock's field came in for unusual praise by visitors with the Fort Worth aerocade.

The Boeing Airplane Company of Seattle, Wash, now has an investment of over \$7,000,000 has been submany recently requested a copy of the airport survey made by Texas secretaries.

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a good will aerocade, visited num-erous cities throughout West Tex-as. Some fifty passengers made the trip. Other cities, such as San Angelo and Midland were represented in the aerocade with their own planes and passengers.

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house owned by some one else?

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onstruction under way by Janu-ry. The city voted \$100,000 for municipal port, purchased 480 Scheduled Flying Is Safe Trans-

the bulletin issued from the office of the association secretary at Corsicana.

Nation Gets New Port Daily
On October 10 there were listed with the department of commerce at Washington a total of 1.387

New Ports for East Texas
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or an airport depot.

Fish are now being transported to advise that it will be five min-

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Build that home during the year just past, or did you help pay for the

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BUILDING MATERIALS

Amarillo is expected to get to private parties, with assurance that its development will be con-

Greenville, thru its city council, Mr. Yourstruly: "In re your has closed a lease for 170 acres statement concerning immediate preparations to serve dinner, beg

engineer of the Us. S. Department of Commerce, was recently in Gainesville conferring with the Chamber on plans for a port. This was in line with the reported desire of the government to change the routing somewhat of the Fort Worth to Oklahoma malline to fly over the larger cities and towns between the two terminals.

West Texas Towns Add Impetus Ranger had a great celebration on November 11, at the opening of its new port, constructed at a cost of over \$10,000. Many visiting planes attended.

Amarillo is expected to get

to Houston by airplane from Mexico, via Laredo, using the new dry ice, via Laredo, using the new owing to the fact that I have lighted a cigar. Regretting my inability to comply promptly with your request, and trusting that the delay will not seriously inconvenience you—"

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His Wife: "Thank heavens! Won't you have some potatoes,

Mr. Yourstruly: "Your sug-

ference with our appetite, ity has been granted to pass the potatoes at your earliest convenience. Trust you can push this matter through without delay Also wish to call your attention to the gravy, which, according to

Beginning on Thursday the thirteenth and continuing to the following Tuesday, the Tri-State Poultry show will hold forth at the Municipal auditorium in Amarillo and all lovers of fine birds



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ceryman, has got lots of money, but the brother didn't have much, so when he come to open his gents' clothing somebody had to go bail for him. Seems that the route ighber called my man up on versed. If any member, of the localized states and in all versed.

Especially when the pants jobber give your brother the credit on he strength of what you said." He didn't know my man. Not

What do you think he said? is rich. He says no, he ight it was a sin to throw money away for nothing he could do so much good it."

Wouldn't that can your per-

that's the way you feel about it, you can get out of it. Your promise wasn't binding because

wasn't in writing."

And that's what he done. Just that. He throwed down his given word because the pants jobber had slipped up on gotting

Do you know what I'd like to ive a whole dollar to do? It's o go to that bird's church some morning with a banany foot long in my inside I'd sit in his pew with nim and when he opened his false old trap to sing Nearer My God o Thee. I'd ram the banany in

Maybe I'd give as much Well, buddies, that ain't my

INDIGESTION SPOILS YOUR LIFE

How to End Stomach Troubles

indigestion may

Say, it's funny, ain't it, what a chap can do and still have religion? D'ye know, sometimes I almost think that some birds think that that's all religion is for—to fix you so's you can do about anything you want to do, and it ain't marked up against you because you're religious.

I don't want to make no sermon out of this, but I do want to tell you boys what my idea of being a religious business man is. There is such a thing, you know, although I've heard people doubt it.

Well, if that's what anybody want to do and the go do it. You always know what it is. You only kid yourself if you think you don't.

Well, if that's what anybody weath the good it.

Well, if that's what anybody ought to do, it's more what the religious boys ought to do, ain't it? Sure it is. But it's sure amazin' how many of 'em don't see it that way.—The Stroller, in Modern Merchant and Grocery World

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Well, that's what anybody ought to do, it's more what the religious boys ought to do, and they got tement could give you the name of one right now. And they got the other kind, too and they got the the could the press of the press is asked to do don't keep got the press, except in an hour of the best inguity to be forward looking to the press got to the other kind, too and the press, got

gents' clothing somebody had to go bail for him. Seems that the pants jobber called my man up on the phone and asked would he guarantee his brother's account if they give him a line, and my man says he would. It didn't amount to an awful lot, I think about \$800.

This sounds like a sensational sort of story, but the brother got killed on the railroad before his store'd been open sixty days. He didn't leave nothing to pay his bill with and the pants jobber came on my man to stand up to his guarantee.

Know what he done? He went to his lawyer and says "is there any way I can get out of this? Frank's dead and therefore I have no interest in his business any longer. Seems a shame that I have to throw all that money

Frank's dead and therefore I have no interest in his business any longer. Seems a shame that I have to throw all that money away."

The lawyer told him he didn't want to, because it wasn't in writing. According to the way the story came to me, the lawyer was a pretty decent boy. He says, "Of course you give your word, though and you may feel you ought to go through with it on that account.

The Democrat is expected to have a story covering every enchave and the story and the story and the story to be written, it is necessary for some member of the staff to be present. As it is now, the only admission card a staff to be present. As it is now, the only admission card a staff to be present. As it is now, the only admission card a staff to be present. As it is now, the only admission card a staff to be present. As it is now, the only admission card a staff to be present. As it is now, the only admission card a staff to be present. As it is now, the on



E. T. STRONG ident and General Manager BUICK MOTOR CO.

LABOR RECEIVES **MOST ROAD MONEY**

DISBURSEMENT OF PUBLIC FUNDS THROUGH IM-PROVEMENT PROGRAMS SPREADS PROSPERITY.

By E. E. Duffy.

Where does money go when it is spent, has been a query on the tip of tongues since the invention of money some 3,000 years ago. In the case of roads, however, In the case of roads, however, the lowa State Highway Commission has prepared an illuminating answer. All things considered, labor receives a trifle more than half of the construction cost of a mile of pavement. The cost of stone aggregate, cement, reinforcing steel, freight and other construction costs account for the remainder of the charge.

In Iowa the construction cost of a mile of pavement has aver-

of a mile of pavement has averaged \$26,184. Of this amount 52 per cent, or \$13,706 goes to labor through various distributed chan-

fistributed as follows: Stone ag-gregate, \$3,441; cement, \$5,856; einforcing steel, \$850; freight, (5,520; grading, \$2,000; miscella-

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From these studies it is apparent that the circulation of money is not unlike the circulation of is not unlike the circulation of blood. Eventually it gets back to the starting point. The gener-al citizenry of Iowa, for instance, through the recently passed \$100,000,000 bond issue, will pay for the constrction of some 3,400 additional miles of paving.

been shipped into Texas and consigned to ranges lately. Three cars were from C. C. Prichard of FORD TO ERECT
TWO NEW BUILDINGS
ad has been broken in signed to ranges lately. Three cars were from C. C. Prichard of Artesia, N. M., two from John Fanning, of Lakewood, N. M., and four from Charley Foster, of Lake Arthur, N. M.



The Christmas Dinner

"It is not the weight of jewel or plate Or the rustle of silk or fur, But the spirit in which the gift is rich

As the gifts of the Wise Men were. And we are not told whose gift was gold Or whose was the gift of myrrh.

Here's a Christmas dinner which looks pretty, tastes delicious and yet is not difficult to prepare. gift to your fa-mily? And yet that is what you a ctually offer them when you serve your Christmas feast, to see to it that Christmas Appetizer Consommé with Oysters Roast Goose Sage Stuffing
Chilled Apple Sauce
ptatoes Brussels Sprouts and Chestnuts Vegetable Holly Wreath Grapefruit and Grape Salad

y o u, yourself, are not so tired Salted Nuts Mince Pie Turkish Paste that they cannot have the best of Coffee

stop on the constriction of some 3.400 additional miles of paving. This program will mean that Iowa labor alone will be benefited to the tune of more than \$50,000,000.

With this considerable pavement mileage reducing car operating, coats of Iowa motorists to a point where the bond issue charges will be more than compensated for, it is obvious that bond issues and improved road programs are decidedly good business. Some students of ceronomics point out that this very progressiveness of state and local governments and the resultant wide distribution of funds has in some small part accounted for current prosperity.

NEW MEXICO CALVES TO BE FED ON TEXAS RANGES

Have the best of you, too!

The secret of preparing a Christ-make dinner which will be enjoyed by everyone, you included, is to plan it so that many of the foods may be prepared beforehand; also plan to serve one or two dishes which are unusually attractive looking. Such is the vegetable holly wreath described below.

To make the Christmas appetizer, toast a circle of bread. Spread with contents of a can of sardiness, come students of cenomics point out that this very progressiveness of state and local governments and the resultant wide distribution of funds has in some small part accounted for current prosperity.

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Time for



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Johnson-Mahaffey Motor Co.

CLARENDON, TEXAS.

Panhandle Land Paid for the State Capitol of Texas

3,000,000 Acres of Land Paid for Our State Capitol—Money Lost on Job busine By Chicago Contractor.

state capitol building at Austin is expense, including miles of exa connecting link between that pensive railroads and switching period in Texas history when there tracks, the commissioners reject- this time kept pace with the inwere vast areas of undeveloped ed the material delivered, as it public domain and the present had to come up to the sample seera of wonderful agricultural and general industrial activity in the very region to which the magnificent structure owes its construction. The fact that next legislature will be called upon to make a sizable appropriation for many necessary interior repairs to the building calls to mind that many persons of Texas are unfamiliar with the unusual circumstances connected with the contract for location against the date. It had to come up to the sample selected, which, fortunately for the state, was a fine one and could not be obtained at these quarries in sufficient quantity for the proposed work. This came near wrecking the prospects of Texas securing a capitol building under the contract which had been made by the state. The contractors, through Abner Taylor, their representative, offered to compromise with the state for work done to date, if their bond of a quarter onnected with the contract for its erection.

The contract price was three million acres of land, situated in the northwestern part of the state, bordering New Mexico. In a rough way at the time, the land was estimated to have a value of around fifty cents an acre. At that estimate the capitol cost \$1,500,000, but the contractors put

that estimate the capitol cost \$1,500,000, but the contractors put considerably more than that sum into the building. The receipted vouchers filed with the capital commission show that the structure cost approximately \$3,600,000. The Capitol Syndicate, as it was called, had its headquarters in Chicago and was composed of John V. Farwell and his brother, Charles Farwell, Abner Taylor and Colonel Babcock all of Chicago. This same syndicate owned the Capitol Syndicate land of 3,000,000 acres and still owns that part of the vast tract which remains unsold. Much of the land was disposed of at prices ranging from \$20 to \$20 an acre, and upon the former remote area are now a number of thriving towns. At the time the capitol was erected, however, the state got a far better building than it expected to get when the contract was awarded. It is regarded as perhaps the only instance of this kind in the United States.

Interesting and little known facts connected with the construction of the capitol are contained in a letter which was written with the capital and reconstruction of the capitol are contained in a letter which was written with the capital and reconstruction of the capitol are contained in a letter which was written was more and majority of the capital board consideration, at the construction of the capitol are contained in a letter which was written.

were not fully set forth in the plans and specifications, and only by the most careful scrutiny of every detail as construction progressed mistakes were avoided, and the state secured a building which in point of durability and strength of construction is not strength of construction processed mistakes were avoided, and they were forced to consider granite as the only available material, free from any sentimental love of a home product and state patriotism, which they had relied upon to vote down their limitations within the appropriation made by the state and make an exception to capital building in the United States. This we did strength of construction is not surpassed by any modern structure of its size and purpose. This feature of our capitol building impressed all who visited it durcompetent of judging. It impressed George Gould and Russell Sage, and inspired the latter to remark to the writer of this communication: 'As a citizen of New York, I would gladly exchange with Texas, if such were possible, our twenty-three million dollar building at Albany for this: we would lose some ornamen but we would gain in utility, strength and durability.

"The most important question which confronted the state's agents in our capitol construction was the stone of which it should be constructed. Our contract material known as Oatmanville limestone, located about nine miles from Austin. After the contractors had opened the stone



do you always give a glance to see Bayer on the box—and the word genuine printed in red? It isn't the genuine Bayer Aspirin without it! A drugstore always has Bayer, with the proven directions tucked in every box:



Austin-In a large sense, the quarries at that place at great mise with the state for work done to date, if their bond of a quarter million dollars was released.

> Texas Material Used "In the discussion of this matter, there was not a representa-tive of the state's interest but insisted that our capitol should be constructed of the best native Texas materials available, but the members of the capitol board dif-

building. It is to honest John Ireland and F. R. Lubbock, who insisted it should be granite or nothing, or to Swain, Walsh and Templeton, who were modern enough to meet the issue from a business point of view and allow no vantage of position to the contractors by the bluff proposition, which was of vital intesest to the welfare of our capitol building, was settled satisfactorily and perhaps all parties by the positions taken were a factor to its solution, together with the enhancement of land values which from this time kept pace with the increased cost of the building. To these circumstances are due the successful completion of our cap-

Actual Cost \$3,600,000 "The actual cost of the build-

ing proper is known to a cent, as the law required a duplicate receipted voucher to be filed with the commissioners for every dollar paid out by the contractors on the actual construction of the building. These receipted vouchbuilding. These receipted vouchers, filed with the commissioners, if I remember correctly, were something over three million, six hundred thousand dollars. They do not, however, include many miles of railroad constructed and expenses, which latter were eliminated from our office after entering into the granite contract. For this branch of the work Col. John T. Dickinson, aft-

facts connected with the construction of the capitol are contained
in a letter which was written
many years ago by M. H. McLaurin who was a member of the
capitol commission. He wrote:
Seventh Largest Building
"The construction of this building, at the time the seventh largest in the world, involved intricate features which could not or
were not fully set forth in the
plans and specifications, and only
by the most careful scrutiny of
contract for a material to be used,
but both the commissioners and a
majority of the capital board considered this proposition, owing to
the expense of transportation,
merely a bluff to enforce terms
and concessions in the final adopiton of granite, and the Indiana
stone proposition was accepted.
"The contracts were prepared
and submitted to the contractors.
They turned them down, as was
expected, and they were forced to
consider granite as the only, available material, free from any sen-

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commission were carefully prepared in well-bound books, and troubles encountered, together with much other valuable information which in years to commay be of interest to the general public. These minute books, records, plans, specifications, etc., I had occasion to examine some years ago in order to refresh my memory on some points, and visited the capitol for that purpose. I was disappointed in not finding them. Though the state has a department known as public buildings and grounds, where it appears those records should be, I only found some miscellaneous data in a junk-vault of the comptroller's department. This is to be regretted, and I think the records of the organization of the matter it was almost unan-of the county. A. B. Bynum, Vishelton, T. R. Moreman and others spoke briefly. A large number of the county. A. B. Bynum, Vishelton, T. R. Moreman and others spoke briefly. A large number of commerce. A meeting of the Board the county. A. B. Bynum, Vishelton, T. R. Moreman and others spoke briefly. A large number of citizens attended this meeting.

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The citizens of Hedley, Lelia Lake last night. The story munities met in the Woodman Hall not be used but borax and ammonia are safe to add to water in charge of the water of the county. A. B. Bynum, Vishelton, T. R. Moreman and others spoke briefly. A large number of commerce. When a sweater is to be washed, it should first be measured at it is almost dry.

Concrete is being poured for the fourth and last story of the sportment of the used. Use any soap in the form of a jelly, and do not rub soap directly on the fabric. Use more water for any other fabric. Squeeze and work the

The following paragraphs were clipped from the issue of the Hedley Informer of Friday, November 30th and will be found to contain the details of the organization of the "Citizens Chamber of Commerce.' A meeting of the Board of Directors was held on Tuesday following their election Monday night and a second meeting of the entire organization was held in Lelia Lake last night. The story follows:



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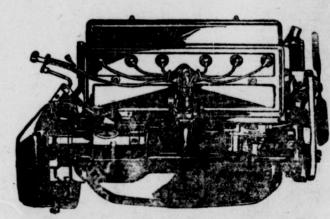
And here, also, are other features by the score—each an impressive example of automotive progress-each contributing to outstanding performance, quiet operation, long life, ease of control and economical ownership!

We cordially invite you to visit our showroom and secure complete and detailed information regarding this great new car, which will be ready for delivery beginning January 1st.

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Lowered by fatigue, loss of sleep, lack of exercise, improper diet, overheated rooms and focal infection is an important factor in causing colds, according to Dr. Arnold H. Kegel, Chicago Health Commissioner, writing in a recent issue of the Chicago Health Bulletin. This bulletin opened Chicago's campaign against the common cold and marked the beginning of the "No-Cold" Club.

The purpose of this club, Dr. Kegel states, is to spread the latest and most scientific information on colds and how to avoid them. Business men, members of prominent clubs and societies as well as Parent-Teachers Associations and echeol children are enrolling, and

BETTER FARM CONDITIONS SEEN BY JARDINE IN REPORT TO PRESIDENT

Indications are that the gross income of American agriculture for the crop year 1928-29 will be larger than that of the preceding crop year, says Secretary of Agriculture William M. Jardine in his annual report to the President. In the crop year 1927-28 the gross income of American agriculture from all products amounted to \$12,253,000,000, compared with \$12,127,000,000 in the crop year 1925-26, in which year the total was the highest since 1919-20. As the present marketing season has some months to run, it is not yet possible to estimate its probable financial results in detail.

The expectation of an increased

by dairymen, beef producers, and poultrymen. Hog raisers like-wise have grounds for optimism. In the early part of 1928 hog prices were unsatisfactory, but the later months brought great improvement. Returns from cash grains, hay, tobacco, and potatoes will be smaller than in the preceding crop year.

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In general, says Secretary Jardine, the situation is less uneventhan in any year since 1920. The great factor of production, and likewise in the adjustment of supply to demand. In all probability the improvement in gross income will be reflected in a proportionate increase in net income, because the evidence available indicates that production costs in 1928 were not larger than in 1927 and may have been smaller.

"The season was one of heavy production despite hampering weather conditions in some areas, says the report. "Yields per acre were about 3 per cent above the average for the last 10 years and about 1.7 per cent above those of last year. Good yields were harvested except in the eastern and central parts of the cotton medical parts of the cotton limits of the out-of of the cotton in the last few years continued.

"Acreage of cross harvested was the largest of course, that the area harvested last year was diminished by the Mississippi floods, Expansion of acreage is not aways desirable, and the expansion this year in the case of certain cross—notable potatone—was definitely

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The expectation of an increased gross income, the report indicates, is based chiefly on the fact that the livestock industries have prospered conspicuously. Substantially larger returns than those of the preceding year will be earned the preceding year will be earned the preceding year will be earned to state the first few years after the pest spread through the Cotton Belt. Weather conditions were unfavorable for cotton. In consequence the cotton crop in October was estimated at less than 14,000,000 bales, compared with 17,977,000 bales in 1926. Last bales was held down by acreage reduction, boll-weevil damage, and the Mississippi floods. Although cotton prices now are lower than those prevailing in October, 1927, the market has showed strength recently. Since the production is greater than last year, the outlook for cotton incomes is encouraging.



be about 5 per cent greater than that of the 1927-28 season. Canada, our most important competitor in wheat, has a record crop, although a part has been reduced in quality by frosts. Europe, outside of Russia, has a crop somewhat larger and of better quality than that of last year. But the increase in the world's supply will be considerably offset by an increase in the demand. In Europe the consumption of wheat will probably be stimulated by its relatively low price, and by the will probably be stimulated by its relatively low price, and by the fact that the corn crop in southern Europe is short. Moreover, Russia's rye crop is short, and that country will probably import more wheat than it did in 1927-28. Turkey and northern China have short wheat crops. The prospect is for consumption of

livestock industry, in which all its branches shared, was the most outstanding development in the least agricultural situation. Cat-1928 agricultural situation. Cattle prices continued the advance which started late in 1926, and by midsummer reached the highest average level ever recorded in peace time. Hog prices early in the year touched the bottom of a long decline which had started 18 months previously and are 1926. The coming year.

"Generally favorable conditions prevailed this year for the dairy industry. Prices were good and the returns to producers relative-leading farm enterprises. Supplies of roughage and hay were large, and this fact, despite high prices for concentrated feeds, gave

er demand for meats at prices as-suring reasonable profits to the duction of meats from inspected slaughter for the calendar year 1928 will probably be slightly larger than in either 1927 or 1926. Total gross income from livestock sales will be larger than last year, and will almost equal to that of 1926, which

Prosperity was brought to the livestock industry through re-djustments in production, where-by producers reduced their breed-ing herds and disposed of burden-some surpluses. This readjust-ment was completed first in the sheep industry about 1922. It

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have short wheat crops. The prospect is for consumption of this season's large production to an extent that should leave only a comparatively small increase in the carryover.

"General improvement in the "General improvement in the constant of the last six years has experienced two periods of surplus production and low prices, and one period of small supplies and high prices. It has now entered its second period of reduced production. An unward eving of prices is in pro-

a long decline which had started a large, and this fact, despite high prices for concentrated feeds, gave dairymen a margin of returns overwhere well maintained notwith maintained notwith increased production.

Although total milk production were well maintained notwen standing increased production. Wool prices were higher. Range Wool prices were fair to good was about the same as in 1927, where of cheese, dry milk, and Wool prices were higher. Range conditions were fair to good throughout the year; all sections were free from serious droughts. Abundant supplies of corn, hay, and other feedstuffs were harvested.

"In short, the livestock industry is now in the best balanced condition it has held for many years. Production of cattle, hogs and sheep has been adjusted hogs and sheep has been adjusted of butter and condensed and evaporated milk and cream recorded, but data are not yet available to show whether this increase sufficed to offset the indicated decrease in the consumption of butter and condensed and evaporated milk suffer from speech defects. Each speech teacher has a daily assignment of two schools. The class period is half an hour and classes are composed of from eight to ten condition. So far as possible, children. So far as possible, children. So far as possible, children of the same age and the same type of speech defects are grouped for instruction. Three speech climates are composed of particular to the condition of two schools. The class period is half an hour and classes are composed of from eight to ten condition. The speech defects are grouped for instruction. Three speech climates are composed of particular to the condition of the same age and the same type of speech defects are grouped for instruction. Three speech climates are composed of particular to the condition of th

sales will be larger than last year.
and will almost equal to that of 1926, which was the highest in recent years as a result of that year's high level of hog prices. This year the proportion of the gross income distributed to cattlemen will more nearly equal that going to hog producers. Sheepmen also will receive a larger share.

"Proportion of the gross income distributed to cattlemen will more nearly equal that going to hog producers. Sheepmen also will receive a larger including fractional problems. Considerable space is devoted to recounting research and regulatory work done by the various bureaus of the department. Federal aid road construction is chronicled, and numerous discovering the problems. are. including financing of research.

"Prosperity was brought to the Particular attention is devoted by

as the Theatre Block because two of the theatres are there is unSale of the National Tuberculosis

American Federation of Labor, recently said, "The Christmas Seal Sale of the National Tuberculosis"

American Federation of Labor, recently said, "The Christmas Seal Schools, and in one evening school mile, 3,280.8 feet. dergoing some beautification with Association provides an opportuthe remodeling of the Palace. B.
S. Ferguson owner of the play house is putting up a new front and adding new seats.

Association provides an opportunity to place upon every communication of the holiday period a symbol of the spirit of good will between men. The anti-tuberculosis movement is one of contact in the contact of the play in the contact of the play is a special of the spirit of good will be tween men. The anti-tuberculosis movement is one of contact of the play is a special of the structive purpose and method. Dissemination of health information is the sure way to check the white plague and this may be promoted by buying Christmas

nd by purchasing the seals. The sale in Texas is being nected by the Texas Public Health Association and their twentythree ocal associations. It is expected hat over \$100,000 worth of these calth seals will be sold.

Two supervisors, 44 regular carry on the work of speech improvement in public schools of Philadelphia. From 10 to 12 per cent of the children of the city

Hemstitching Mrs. C. A. Burton

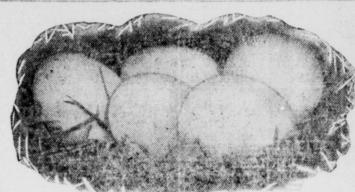
Everyone can contribute in ac-ord with his ability and I hope hat wage-earners will do their

The Association has put a spec ial emphasis on preventive work among wage earners because the highest mortality is among our fellow workers. This is an added reason for workers to encourage the sale for 1928 by endorsement

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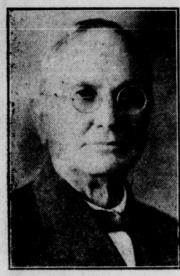
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CLARENDON CITY HALL IS COMPLETE

The Claredon City Hall is one the most complete structures like nature in the Panhandle section of the state. Originally rected by Mrs. Cornelia Adair and the citizenship of Clarendon for a Y. M. C. A. building, it lay idle for a number of years. The building was taken over by the City offices in 1926 and was used original construction until in the year 1927, when plans



H. W. TAYLOR

of interest to four ty and county. side

Clarendon Municipal Building

pool into rooms for the women of duction of the fire rates of the Donley County and a fire station. city.

house to the eastern, halls, of the building. This is used The lower floor of the building by the resident fireman and has as converted from a gymnasium a great deal to do with the re-

were set in motion to make it the present useful building.

The offices of the City Secretary and Mayor are to be found in the right hand half of the building as one enters the front door. These offices are fitted for the consummation of the business of the city with the least possible effort on the part of the officers.

Directly down the hall from the front door of the building the American Legion Hall is located. The hall is furnished and is used by the Legion for all their gatherings. The hall was completed according to specifications furnished by the Legion and is the property of that organization and is used by them for all purposes.

The County Home Demonstration Agent and the Chamber of of this will be found in another of the mre rates of the city.

The fire station is used to house the trucks and other fire fighting apparatus of the city of Clarendon and is one of the most combination in the city during the trucks and other fire fighting apparatus of the city of Clarendon and is one of the most combination in the city during the early part of the year. The offices were occupied May first after the entire building had been the plans and specifications of the city of Clarendon and is used by them for the wowlen right the was completed and in the plans and specifications of the city of Clarendon and is used by them for the outled and made ready for the use of the city during the early part of the pears was completed and made ready for the use of the city during the early part of the pears was completed and made the club is attention to the business of clarendon and is used to house the trucks and other fire fighting apparatus of the city of Clarendon and is used by the most combined to the use of the city during the carry of the part of the pears was completed and made the club is attention of the state. The club room in the front the order of the outlet on used to house of the city of Clarendon and is used by them for the outlet and was completed and is used by them for the order of the state. The club r



Clarendon Motor Co., Corner 3rd and Sully



Goldston Building, Corner Kearney and 2nd

C. A. BURTON **BURIED SUNDAY**

day of last week, were held Sun-day afternoon, at the Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. S. El Allison, pastor.

A large concourse of relatives, friends and acquaintances were present to do last honors to the memory of the deceased and the floral offerings bore mute testimony to the universal regard in which Mr. Burton was held in this community.

After reading of selected passages of scriptures by the pastor and "Nearer My God to Thee" sung by the choir, L. A. Reavis, teacher of the men's Bible class of the Methodist Sunday School, delivered a tribute to the life and character of Mr. Burton, who was a member of his class. At the conclusion of the tribute, Mrs. Richard Wilkerson sang "Face to Face," with organ accompaniment. Rev. Allison then read the short sketch of Mr. Burton's life and delivered an impressive funeral impressive funeral came connected with the Donley

Mr. Burton was born at Mus-Mr. Burton was born at Muscatine, Iowa, on July 21st, 1858, being over seventy years old at the date of his death. The Burton family moved to Mineral Springs, Arkansas, when Mr. Burton was only two years old, where he spent his young manhood and where he married Missed and Grant week, were held Sunday afternoon, at the Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. S. Et Allison, pastor.

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tian faith of the departed, his loyalty to church, home and community obligations.

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In attendance on the funeral of their father were C. A. (Drew)

land.

Burton, Joe Burton and Edgar K. Burton, all of whom survive. In 1893 Mr. Burton moved his family to Clarendon and has lived here continuously but for a few months spent in Plainview in 1909.

In 1905 Mr. Burton's first wife died, and in 1907 he was married to Miss Gabie E. Betts, who survives him.

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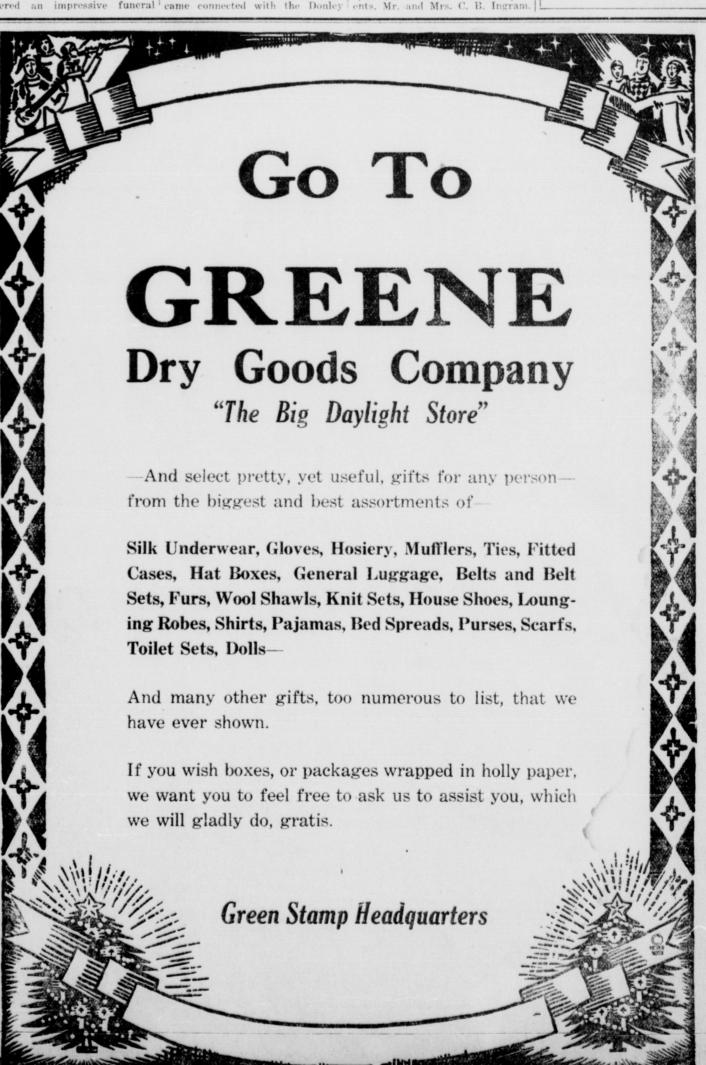
Honorary pall bearers: W. H. Patrick, R. W. Talley, James Trent, J. T. Patman, T. H. Peebles, E. M. Ozier, David Johnson, H. W. Taylor, Joe Horn, H. Lott, J. H. Hurn, J. J. Alexander. H. C. Kerbow, J. R. Tucker, Tom Naylor, C. W. Smith, P. A. Buntin, John Beverly, Homer Glascoe, R. H. Alexander, W. R. Holder, Jack H. Alexander, W. R. Holder, Jack Killough, Jerome Stocking, B. B.

CONCERT IN AMARILLO

Miss Mantie Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hemminger, Elizabeth Morris, Katherine Patrick and Louie Holloway motored to Amarillo Monday evening of this week to attend the Marion Talley con-cert. They report Miss Talley all the press reports have indi-cated and have no regrets on hav-ing braved the inclement weather

THE GUYS WITH A WHINE

don't mind the man with I don't mind the man with red-blooded kick, at a real or fancied wrong; I can stand for the chap with the grouch, if he's quick to drop it when joy comes along; I have praise for the fellow who says what he thinks though his thoughts may not fit mine, but spare me from having to mix with the ginks who go through the world with a whine. I am willing to listen to sinner or saint who is willing to fight for his rights. And there's something sometimes in an honest complaint that the soul of me really delights; for kickers are useful and grouches are wise, for their purpose is frequently fine, but spare me from having to mix with the guys who go through the world with a whine.—E. A. C, in Pine Needles saint who is willing to fight



Why Have A Parent-Teachers Association?

Publicity Chairman 8th District
The scope of service in the Parent-Teacher Association is so

FARMERS GIVE ELECTRIC MEN CLASSIC PICTURE OF LIFE ON ELECTRIFIED FARM

wide that the parent of the paren Publicity Chairman 8th District
The scope of service in the Parent-Teacher Association is so wide that there is room for everybody, and so varied that everyone can choose the work for which he or she is best fitted. Everyone is fitted for some work, although there are members who feel that they cannot do anything. Everyone is able to do something if he or she has only the will to do. There is the field of the officers, of the chairmen, of the committee members, of those who are willing to work with their hands, and others who prefer to plan the social phases; and again some must do the thinking and planning in general, and still there is work for those who are willing to whatever the association finds for them to do.

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The purpose of this organization is to promote the welfare of children, both individually and collectively, and it means not the welfare of one child but of all children; and a training not of the mind alone, but of every activity of the child—mental, moral and spiritual. An organization with such varied activities offers an unlimited choice of service. Nearly every member is interested in some phase of child development. The Parent-Teacher Asopment. The Parent-Teacher Association is concerned with every phase, whether it is health, recreation, safety, study, reading, mus-ic, art, or anything that influences the life and character of the child -this organization needs the thoughts and labors of all its this organization needs the thoughts and labors of all its members. One can serve by attending the meetings, both regular and special, or study circles and there find out how to improve conditions for her own and her neighbor's children and then go home and put in practice what she has learned.

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insufficient chaperonage, existence of contagious diseases, and the necessity of quarantine. In the Parent-Teachers Association community problems can be solved and standards es-tablished. All parents know that it is easier to control the activi-ties of their children through for all the members all the time in a project as farreaching as the service program of the National

Galveston is the oldest importmost conveniently situated ports

farms will be electrified. He suggested creation of a committee to recommend standard, approved electrical equipment for the farm.

The conference was attended by letting the standard of music may blend in harmony with the occasion, and help to make the more sacred the story of

she has learned.

It is not only the privilege but also the duty of each member to present to the local association any harmful conditions, such as the sale of narcotics, or alcoholic drinks to children, improper recreations, fire hazards, dangerous crossings, insufficient chaperon, of building lines in proportion to of building lines in proportion to the number of customers available for each line is one of the principal obstacles to rapid rural electrification, that the rates must be fair to the farmer and at the same time insure the electric companies from financial loss, that the problems should be explained groups rather than singly. The opportunity for service is limited only by the member's time and ability for there is enough work the subject thorough, scientific companies should continue to give the subject thorough, scientific study in co-operation with the agricultural and engineering experts

At a meeting of the Texas Committee on the Relation of Electricity to Agriculture it was decided to push on with the work of establishing experimental elec-trified farms in the state to study

Epworth League

been deeply felt in the hearts of Christians, and which will still be active for eons yet to pass.

The entire service will be inter-woven with Christmas Carols, the relating of the "Glorified Songs of Old," and Christmas in story, poetry and song. Histories of old Hymns will be told so that the young people may better understand their worth and significance to the Christian world. As the eration with electric power men organ plays, and the lights are to bring about the day whe all dimmed, an atmosphere of sanc-farms will be electrified. He sug-tity will prevail, hushing out all

the birth of Christ. The League members are doing great work, and are very enthu-siastic over the large number coming out to the meetings. The membership roll has increased wonderfully during the past month, and the chances for new members are very promising. Young folks of the town and in the country as well are cordially invited to attend services next Sunday at 6 p. m., and become members of the League.

NEW METHODIST CHURCH AT WOODSON NEAR FINISH

Finishing work is being done on the basement of the new Meth-

As a corn borer control measure, plowing must be clean, and the trash must be buried in such way that none of it will appear or reappear on the surface.

the practical electrification problems over a period of three years. These farms represent many sections and various types of farm-

RIO GRANDE BRIDGE AT DEL RIO FINISHED SOON

With the arrival of a car of steel to be used on the International steel bridge across the Rio Grande at Del Rio, it is estimated that the bridge can be completed in four monts and be available for traffic in early spring.

Christmas Service NEW YARK-PARIS





THE mode at Biarritz during the season is one of smart sim-plicity. The blouse sketched is an angora with bands of soft apple green crepe de chine applied as a finish. Tiny bands of the silk outlined the neck and served as back-ground for the long row of apple green buttons. For a darker note of accent, the wearer chose two heavy deeper green pyralin bracelets. This was seen on a smart Frenchwoman dancing at teatime

at the Casino. The hat sketched was worn by a Finishing work and the new Methodist church at Woodson. The basement is divided into seven rooms, including kitchen, assembly room, and class rooms. Gas bly room, and class rooms. Gas brought out in Paris by Agnes.

Because of the brilliant sun in the bring was attached to the crown in a delightful way. This is the new note in hats of the sports type first brought out in Paris by Agnes.

Because of the brilliant sun in Biarritz, some sort of eye protection is necessary for almost every-one and it is interesting to note that here in a community of millionaires and Rolls-Royces, the favorite glasses are either blue spectacles with shell rims or lorgnettes of white glass with simulated amber handles. And very smart they look along with the real pearls

DEALERS SHOWN

Direct factory contact with the 5,000 members in the domestic dealer organization for the public showing of the new 1929 Pontiac vice information on the many new Six, was under way this week points of engine construction.

being pressed into service to get across to the dealer organization the story of the new Pontiac which shortly will appear on the

Dealer meetings were held on December 10th at Buffalo, Pittsburgh and Denver, while other meetings are being held almost daily until the wind-up on December 22nd at Cleveland and Minnearelis Minneapolis.

Heading the first group which will swing down the Atlantic seaboard, are W. B. Sawyer, Eastern sales manager; W. E. Fellows, adults the sales manager. vertising manager; and Hugh Hig-ginbottom, distribution manager. E. M. Lubeck. Western sales man-ager, and W. M. Chamberlin, manager, and W. M. Chamberlin, manager of development, will cover the Central West; while the Pacific Coast meetings will be conducted by R. B. Batchelder, assistant to W. R. Tracy, vice-president in charge of sales, and L. M. Dreeves, manager of the Pacific Coast region.

Coast region.

Regional and district office officials also will assist in conducting the meetings and a service expert from the home office will explain to every dealer group the many new performance features incorporated in the Pontiac Six for 1999

for 1929. Meetings will be staged in centrally located auditoriums in every town visited, and every meeting will be attended by several hundred dealers, associate dealers and managers. The program

NEW PONTIAC SIX

will be of several hours duration and will include Movietone talking pictures presenting the messages of A. R. Glancy, president of the Oakland company, and Mr. Tracy, to the dealer groups.

Speakers will present the dealer groups.

CLARENDON GOLFERS ISSUE CHALLENGE TO PANHANDLE bers of the Hillcroft Golf Club, all over the age of 50, have is-

Speakers will present to the audience the entire picture of the new Pontiac Six and the outline of the program for the coming year, including the extensive ad-vertising budget for 1929 and ser-

with the holding of the first of a how the new line of bodies develseries of nation-wide meetings by home officials.

Thirty key points stretching from Boston to Los Angeles, and from Seattle to Jacksonville, are being visited by three groups of executives from the factory at Pontiac, Michigan. Talking motion pictures, lantern slides and elaborate theatrical equipment is being pressed into service to get large and show the new line of bodies developed by Fisher body craftsmen and Oakland engineers reveal pleasing points of variance from conventional design, stressing particularly the radically new hood louvre grouping and departures from accepted trends in the development of window design, in belt line, body molding and pillar line effects.

An enthusiastic dealer group greeted the presentation of the new car at the points already visited, according to word received at the factory, the car fully

at planting time.

sued a challenge to any other four sued a challenge to any other four golfers of like age in the Panhandle. These men state that they will play on any course in the Panhandle and that they are ready to start when their challenge has been accepted. They are not the least bit particular as to where they play, provided their opponents are above the age of fifty. The players interested in this proposition may secure further information by calling on T. F. Connally, A. N. Wood, J. T. Patman or R. C. Weatherly.

The Department of Interior announces that production of electricity by public utility plants in the United States in August totaled 7,485,000,000 kilowatt-hours.

As the time draws near for the January "white sales," a list can made of what will be needed in isstifying the advance claim that it offers "big car features within the price range of the small six."

Select corn at husking time, if it was not selected from the standing plants. The poorest place to select seed corn is from the crib at planting time.

THIS LITTLE AD HAS A BIG MEANING-

Because in it we send you our heartiest Christmas wishes and the expression of our appreciations for business of the past. We are hoping you'll let us continue to serve you in 1929.

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.

Lelia Lake

In 100 Hours

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Non-stop steady driving, the Pontiac Landau Sedan consumed

126 Gallons

Of Phillips 100 Per Cent

Gasoline

Quarts

Of Phillips Motor Oil.

This was done on a mileage of 2,741, averaging 21.7 miles per gallon of gasoline and 1,375.5 miles per quart of oil.

The record was such that Mr. Hamilton is planning to use this oil on future drives.

It Will Do the Same For You.

Henry D. Tomb

Local Agent. Phone

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Buy Phillips Products At:

Johnson-Mahaffey Motor Co.

Ashtola Mercantile

Palmer-Riddle Motor Co.

Clarendon Lubricating

During 1928

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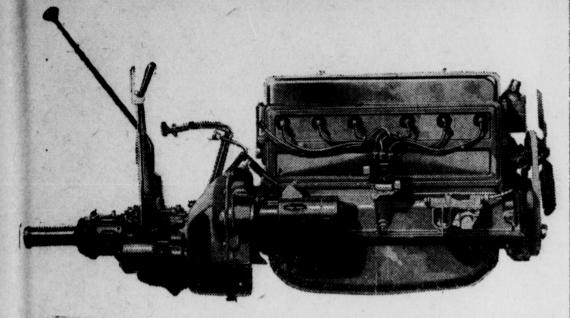
1929 A PROSPEROUS AND 1929

Please accept our thanks for helping make our business the best of its kind in the Panhandle.

Ryan Brothers

Real Estate, Insurance and Loans

New Chevrolet Motor and Transmission



Performance heretofore unexampled in a car at its price is promised in the new valve-in-head six-cylinder Chevrolet. The motor has a three and five sixteenths bore and a three and three quarters-inch stroke. It has a high compression, non-detonating head and is fully enclosed. The piston displacement is 194 cubic inches. The new six develops 32 per cent more power than its famous predecessor; its acceleration is measurably greater and its speed has been stepped up to satisfy maximum requirements. Despite this greatly impressible performance, exacting tests have shown that the new car will run with an average economy of better than 20 miles to the gallon of gasoline, which is practically the same fuel economy enjoyed by the owners of the previous four-cylinder model. The new transmission gears are made of the finest vanadium steel, affording even greater ease of handling under all driving conditions.

AIR ROUTE INTO **MEXICO PLANNED**

EL PASO SPONSORING ROUTE TO SAVE MANY HOURS TIME TO CAPITAL.

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 11 .- The feasibility of air travel between El Paso and Mexico City and other central points of Mexico was successfully demonstrated Thanksgiving week by the successful conclusion of a good will flight to Mexico City, inaugurated by sult in closer relationships be-the El Paso Chamber of Comthe El Paso Chamber of Commerce. This is the first time that a chamber of commerce has inaugurated such a flight with a number of its own members making ply in due time he said. the trip.

The purpose of the trip to Mexico City was to attend the inauguration of President Gil and to carry an invitation to him to attend the West Texas Chamber of tend the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention here next spring. The party failed to arrive in time for the inauguration ceremonies due to head and cross winds that reached a 65 mile velocity and which forced them to land at Aguascalientes at noon on Friday follows:

ever flown in Mexico before, but phasis upon

ception the trip was made on schedule. Had the plane been equipped with landing lights and flares, Scott said that he could easily have come on into El Paso on the return trip in one day with only one hour of night flying. The entire trip to El Paso from Mexico City was made in 12 hours flying time. The trip down was completed in about 16 hours flying time. Even with two night stops, the trip down was made 6 hours quicker than it could have been made by train.

Mexican officials everywhere on the route showed the flyers the utmost courtesy. H. L. Birney, president of the chamber of commerce, said today that he considered the flight one of the greatest aviation events in the southwest, and felt that it would redent Gil has taken the invitation to attend the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention un-der advisement and will make re-

E. W. Kayser, vice president of the chamber of commerce, who headed the delegation was enthusiastic over the success of the flight and said that the entire

locity and which forced them to land at Aguascalientes at noon on Friday following Thanksgiving.
They were then only three hours from the Mexican capital.
The plane which carried the party was a Ford tri-motored airliner of the Senic Airways, Inc. Neither Paul Scott, chief pilot, nor P. D. Lucas, co-pilot, had ever flown in Mexico before, but and the trip entirely by map training as well as upon manual

GIRLS TO RECEIVE **CERTIFICATES 15TH**

COUNTY-WIDE MEET TO SEE PRESENTATION FOR FOUR YEARS WORK.

A meeting of the club members of the girls' clubs of Donley County will be held in Clarendon for the purpose of presenting certificates and pins to the mem-bers who have completed their work in the four years prescribed courses. The County Federation is furnishing the funds for the pins for the third and fourth year girls. Certificates are presented in addition to other merit awards that may be made.

awards that may be made.
At this time there will be twenty-eight certificates awarded twenty-eight certificates awarded for first year work, twelve for second year, three for third year and two for fourth year. The girls have met with the County Home Demonstration Agent twice each month and have made a great deal of improvement. Many new members are being added to the clubs in all parts of added to the clubs in all parts of the county and the new program of placing all the efforts of all the members on a single objective will add much to the interest in all parts of the club work.

The public is cordially invited to attend and take part in the presentation of the certificates and pins Saturday of this week.

hirds water. See that the flocks

UNDER Capitol DOME

Austin, Texas, Dec. 11.-Expensive gifts for heads of state departents are taboo for this Christmas. Lead by Mrs. Jane McCal-lum, secretary of state, a number of the officials have requested that there be no department gifts to them. State salaries are too low and it works a hardship on many employes to donate to Christmas presents for their bosses. Anyhow they hold their positions because they do their work, not through "favor," said Mrs. McCallum (County, Mrs. Mrs. McCallum.

With the approach of the 41st Legislature, numerous organizations are framing legislative programs that indicate the "fat statute book" will contain many more pages in mid-summer when new acts take effect. Pharmacists, milk dealers,

tel men, restauranters and the county tax assessors all have met county tax assessors all have met already and planned bills to press before the legislature. The State Automobile Association will press a law to bar gasoline pumps that can be made to cheat and to create a staff of supervisors large enough to check up on the accuracy of gasoline sales.

Astonishing figures of the amount of gasoline measured out to tourists and not actually delivered were laid before a conference held in Austin last week. The average amount of shortage shown in a series of tests at a dozen citizens was 3.5 per cent of the gasoline sold. Figured at the rate of 18 cents a gallon on total rate of 18 cents a gallon on total gasoline gallonage of the year, the auto users paid \$18,000,000 for gas they did not get.

Pumps that let gasoline empty nto both the car tank and the underground tank cause some of the short delivery yet state inspectors said such pumps are not de-liberately made for that purpose. Without them, gas station opera-tors can give purchasers short measure from a visible container in numerous ways, Chief Inspect-or J. A. Kinard of Big Spring, said. One way is to have the measurer off level.

stances too much gasoline was being delivered. Most of the cases, however, were in favor of the gasoline station. The tests were made by driving a car up to gasoline stations and buying gas.

The car had a tank specially an arrest of Agriculture oline stations and buying gas. United States, says the U. S. De The car had a tank specially constructed so it could be emptied rapidly from the bottom. After buying gas, the car was driven to a convenient place and the gas emptied into a tested container.

Careful record was kept of the content of the planted—it is one that should be welcomed more than it is. Planted—it is one that it is a planted—it is one that should be welcomed more than it is.

bearing an undue burden for in-surance on his car. He has compiled statistics of lower rates in other states to back up this con-tention before the legislature.

Dispute over whether Congress man Harry Wurzbach, Republican, was re-elected or County Judge Augustus McClosky, Democrat, of Bexar County, chosen to succeed him threatens to involve the Sec-

County District Court.

News that the general fund of the state of Texas was in the red on book balances forcibly called attention this week to the pro-posal that frequently has been made that state taxes be payable quarterly.

Under the present system by which the taxes for a year are payable in a lump sum, the state treasury at one portion of the year overflows. At another time it is empty except of special funds set aside for specific pur-

Practically no funds will be received from the county tax collector until Feb. 1. In the meantime warrants against the gener al fund will have to be met by the Treasurer arranging with banks to hold them. In the past warrents frequently have been discounted for cash. State Treasurer Hatcher warns against this saying that all warrants will be honored as they reach his office

Printing plants in Austin are humming with the printing of biennial reports of the various state departments. These are issued usually the first week in Decem-ber and copies go to the Governor upon which to base his message to the legislature.

marketing tree fruits is being tried out in British Columbia (Canada). Under this new marketing plan, a committee of direction of three members, two ap pointed by the trade and one That all of the wrong amount determine when the products ove sont delivered with intent to im-That all of the wrong amount is not delivered with intent to impose on the motorists was shown shipped, what the minimum grade shall be tosts. In a number of inspect, what percentage of each shall be shipped, the

Careful record was kept of the welcomed more than it is. discrepancy or overflow. discrepancy or overflow.

Some dealers complained that the measuring should have begun in their presence. Mr. Kinard said that would destroy the chance to catch cheaters for they would said that would be stored by the chance to catch cheaters for they would be welcomed more than it is. Plan to encourage this nutrious forage plant, which is relished by all classes of livestock, by giving it plenty of phosphate and also some lime. It may increase the value of your pasture 100 per cent.

recognize a car carrying the test container.

Representative Purl thinks the private motorist in Texas is also also also also accomplete photographic labor-istry, the laboratory has proved atory is part of the physical equip-information of value in supplying photographs ment in the science department is for school and educational publications and lantern slides for lecfalo, N. Y. In addition to the use tures and oth in the study of physics, and chem-School Life.

Through the **Exchange of**

HAPPY

GREETINGS

The people have made Christmas the joy season of

And Well has it been done.

We are glad that it brings us the opportunity

Broadcast **Good Cheer**

From our station of sincerity and we hope every one of our friends are "listening in."

Clarendon Grain Co.

PURINA CHOWS.

Phone

Our Friends

In gratitude for the friendly co-operation so long and so definitely expressed, we wish our many patrons—old and new—A Very Merry Christmas and success for the coming year.

For Christmas Giving-

Our White Swan "Chest of Gold"-containing a complete assortment of groceries—or a two-pound redwood box of fruits—are acceptable.

Plenty of Christmas Candies and Nuts.

Phone Your Orders.

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he Store With the Uhristmas

Welcomes This Season of Gladness and Good Cheer When Kindness and Love Predominates in the Hearts of the People and Joy Abounds in our Midst.

IN THE SPIRIT OF THE SEASON

We pause to send out this message of appreciation and best wishes to our multitude of good patrons and friends wherever you may be today.

MAY JOY BE WITH YOU THIS CHRISTMASTIDE AND MAY 1929 BE HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS

CLYDE J. DOUGLAS

JOE GOLDSTON.

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Clarendon Society Accelerates at Approach of Yuletide

Miss Edith Joyce Harris became the bride of Mr. Jesse Royce Hall on December 2nd, at 5 o'clock in the Methodist parsonage at Wheeler, Texas, Rev. O'Brien, pastor of that church, officiating.

Miss Harris is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris of this city and has lived in Clarendon for several years. She has won many friends with her charming personality and was a very popular member of the High School and the First Baptist Church:

Mrs. B. C. Antrobus Is

Hostess to Bridge Club

Mrs. B. C. Antrobus was hostending guests:

Mrs. B. C. Antrobus was hostens of bridge club, Thursday afternoon at her home.

A color scheme suggestive of the Christmas season was carried out in tallies and fancy candies.

High score was presented to the following class members and invited guests:

Mesdames J. S. McClaren, C. M. Johnson, F. M. Barton, Dee Campbell, J. T. Warren, Walter Lowe, B. F. Kirtley, S. F. Davis, Rufus Dawkins, Bunt Owens, Ollie Hommell, Virgil Wilson, Frank Whitlock, Jack Morrow, W. C. Stewart, M. E. Thornton, Otis Barnes, J. H. Ticer, J. C. Estlack, J. E. Johnson, H. M. Parker, G. G. Kemp, Joe Cluck, Maye Womack, Ralph Andis, Ben Andis, W. O. Butler, Ed Speed, Clyde Hudson, W. A. Land, T. M. Couch, E. M. Lindsey, Maparden and Miss Manette Chase.

Mr. Hall is the son of D. Hall and has lived near Hedley and Clarendon most of his life, and is one of the progressive and

Win One Bazaar and Tea Great Success

The home of Mrs. Tom F. Connally was a gay scene Saturday when the ladies of the Win One Class, Methodist Sunday school, held their annual Christmas tea receiving due attention.

Tables gayly decorated with Christmas holly and crepe paper were heaped with beautiful hand.

The Matheral Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Will Bromley made articles and the large crowd which attended lingered long at

these gift tables.

The tea table was a bower of . . .

South Ward P. T. A. Hears Reports on Convention

Mrs. U. J. Boston gave an intensely interesting report on the P. T. A. and Mothers' Congress meeting held recently in Amarillo Tuesday afternoon when the Sims

Parent-Teacher Association met for regular monthly meeting.

After Mrs. Boston's report no one could doubt the importance of the P. T. A. movement.

MacDowell Club Meets

Plans for the coming concert to be given by the MacDowell Club and the Clarendon Munici-pal Band were completed Tuesday evening when the MacDowell Club met for their weekly re-

The club will meet again Sat-urday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a reheasal and it is hoped that all members will be present as Miss Martin wishes to go through the entire program.

the boys accomplished much.

Darden and Miss Manette Chase.

nomics Club Enjoy Christmas Party home of Mrs. Rayburn

most promising young farmers of Clarendon. They will make their home near Spearman, Texas, and their many friends wish them the most delightful parties of the many years of happiness and a year, their Christmas party. Each wealth of prosperity. age from a grab-bag and such de-lightful surprises they held.

During the business session re-ports for the year were given and

The Mothers' Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will Bromley with Mrs. U. J. Boston in charge of the lesson.

lovliness and drew the admiration of all who visited the tea Girls in Books on Natural History" was an intensely interesting subject of discussion, on which all present offered helpful sugges-tions. A talk on the subject was tions. A talk on the subject was interestingly given by Miss Elizabeth Stevens, with other subjects being discussed by Mrs. W. C. McDonald, Mrs. Geo. Ryan, Mrs. Fred Buntin and Mrs. D. A. Kelly. Mrs. Ralph Porter presided during the business session and presented a plan by which we could assist in furnishing the club room, the club accepting this re-

room, the club accepting this responsibility. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. E. W. Bromley and Mrs. M. W. Moseley served a delightful afternoon refreshment course.

Christmas Party For T. E. L.

its annual Christmas party at the ome of Mrs. H. C. Brumley Tuesday afternoon

The home was beautiful in Yule tide decorations and two lovely Christmas boxes concealed the gifts from the eyes of the curi-

Junior Boys' Chorus

Enthusiasm was at its height
Tuesday afternoon for the boys
of the Junior Boys Chorus
Only four members were absent
and three of those were accounted
for. Seven new names were added to the roll.

New music was gone over and
the boys accomplished much.

The program consisted of a reading by Mrs. W. C. Stewart, an interesting talk on China by
Mrs. J. T. Warren, who also gave a vocal solo in Chinese.
Mrs. W. B. Simms delighted her hearers with a reading and Miss Bernice LaFon beautifully rendered an instrumental selection.
The guests were then told that they might have a Christmas package by drawing a string meeting from the gift box, and this they



Antro Hotel, Corner Kearney Street and First



Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Entertain

olation at the close of the even

ng's games.

Soon Christmas Day will be upon us—the day of joy, created by the gifts we give to our loved ones.

The question "what to give" troubles our mind. What is there that is more appreciated than a useful gift? Why not give them something for the feet?



Daddy and Brother would appreciate a pair of Florsheims, warm slippers, or socks; Mother and Sister a pair of check pumps, nifty slippers in colored kid or satin, or some beautiful shades in smart hosiery.



The boys like bootees. The little tads pretty shoes and slippers.

We invite you to call and let us show you the pretty footwear and hosiery we bought for Christmas for you to select from -- ideal Christmas gifts.





Detroit Jewel

Prepared on a

Will be a pleasant remembrance throughout the New Year-which I trust will bring you many happy days.

W. C. Stewart



Shoes and Hosiery

Clarendon Lions Club Known Over Panhandle As One Among Best Conducted in Territory

SECOND OLDEST LIONS CLUB IN PANHANDLE AND HAS MEMBERSHIP OF FORTY COMMUNITY LEAD-ERS-CLUB HAS RECORD OF UNSELFISH SER-

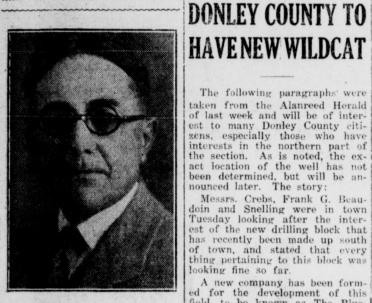
The following paragraphs were

Messrs. Crebs, Frank G. Beau-

looking fine so far.

Clarendon boasts of the second endon the club maintains "Weloldest Lions Club in the Panhandle and is recognized all over this
section as one of the best conducted service clubs of any name
within the ferritory. It and its
good followship is allowed. ducted service clubs of any name within the territory. It and its representatives have long been an active factor in Texas Lionism and what it is prouder of, is the fact that the community regards it as an organization dedicated to unselfish service and has always been ready to aid it in its projects for local betterment.

At the present time it numbers on its roll forty members, gleaned from almost every line of business in Clarendon and it has a



consistent record for giving orevery movement looking to the welfare of the home community, spiritually, morally, intellectually

and commercially.

Officers of the club at the present time are: President, A. L. Chase; Vice-President, C. J. Douglas; Treasurer, Odos Caraway; Secretary, F. L. Stallings; Lion Tamer, Dr. J. G. Sherman; Tail Twister, Dean Cooper; Song Leader, G. L. Boykin; Pianist, Mrs. Joe Cannon, Directors: O. C. Watson, R. L. Bigger, Homer Mulkey, Fred Rathjen, Sam M. Braswell, G. L. Boykin.

Past Presidents of the club now living in Clarendon are in the or-

living in Clarendon are in the order of their service: Sam M. Braswell, Dr. H. L. Wilder, Judge J. R. Porter, O. C. Watson and Homer Mulkey.

Clarendon Lions Club is attach-

ed to Zone 11. of District No. 2, Lions Internation, which operates five countries. viz: United States, Canada, Mexico, Hawaii. China, with 1600 clubs and over

62.000 members on its rosters.

District and zonal honors have come to the club in the appointment of Sam M. Braswell as depment of Sam M. Braswell as deputy district governor, once under the administration of District Governor Greene of Abilene, and again under the present administration of Governor John Erhard of Dallas, while Homer Mulkey was recently elected vice-chairman of Zone 11.

Lionism in Texas has grown to 200 clubs with a reembership of nearly 7,500 and outdistances its nearest service club competitor.

nearest service club competitor by approximately fifty clubs and



F. L. STALLINGS Secretary

eighteen hundred members. town of any consequence has Lions Club contributing mate-lly to the progress and well-ng of its community. Zone 10 I Zone 11 include the Panhan-

CLARENDON MUNICIPAL BAND IS ONE OF STRONGEST IN PANHANDLE

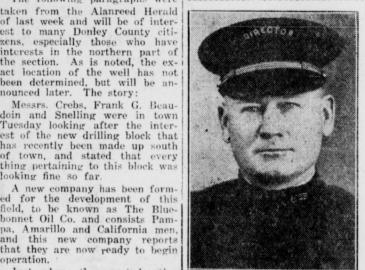
LOCAL ORGANIZATION HOLDS PLACE OF ENVY AMONG BANDS OF THIS SECTION OF THE STATE. E. M. LINDSEY IS DIRECTOR. BOYS SOON TO BE PRESENTED IN CONCERT. MANY ARE PUR-CHASING NEW INSTRUMENTS.

although not the largest organization of the sort in the Panhandle section of the state, is one of the state, is one of the brightness of the best of

few faces remain that once graced the band room when practice was first started. Boys who were students at the beginning of the work of the band are now holding positions that were left vacant when their holders left for other folders of endayor.

when their location of endeavor.

The last West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention, hald in Fort Worth, saw the Clarendon for the competition of the competition of



The Clarendon Municipal Band, the money with bands much older

dle section of the state, is one of the strongest for the number of members in the Panhandle. This is brought out in the fact that the Clarendon representation has been a consistent prize winner in all sorts of contests since the band was first started here a number of years past.

Many changes have been made in the personnel of the organization since it was started here and few faces remain that once graced the band room when practice was his chosen instrument.

Among the members of the band there is a great deal of pride in the instruments, and there are members who are pur-chasing new and better horns for their use as the months pass. The latest additions to the new instrument division are found in the bass section, where Carol Hudson has recently been presented with a BBb Sousaphone that is almost as large as the player. Mart Adams, one of the best bass men in the Panhandle, has recently been added to the aggregation, bringing with him a recording model gold plated horn to grace the band. Lloyd Benson is another member who has added other member who has added brilliance to the band with a fine new trumpet.
The band will appear in

cert with the MacDowell Club and the Junior Boys Chorus on Sun-day evening, December 23rd. Further announcement will made in the coming issue of the

MIDLAND CLEARS ROAD OF SAND FOR SMALL SUM

Removal of the sand from the oad bed of the Midland to An-rews road bed has been complete ed lately, at a cost of only \$264.60 which was taken from the regular chamber of commerce budget at Midland. H. L. McCarleyville, farmer, supervised the work.

BUILDING PERMITS IN SNYDER OVER \$300,000



5 Per Cent

Farm and Ranch Loans

FROM FIVE TO THIRTY-SIX YEARS.

"Ask your neighbor — he has one."

The Clarendon National Farm Loan Associacion

C. E. KILLOUGH, Secretary-Treasurer.

he Store of Yuletide Joy ?

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For the Man

Who smokes, we have thousands of cigars and cigarettes in Holiday packages. We have his favorite brand and know he will be pleased.

25 Cents and Up.



The Pick of the Lot

-That's Jacob's "Made Last Night" Candies. Holiday packages to meet the demands of an exacting group of customers.

We invite your inspection.

A Gift of Note

That's what it would be if he or she were given a gift from our extensive line of stationery. We have what you want-ask to see it.



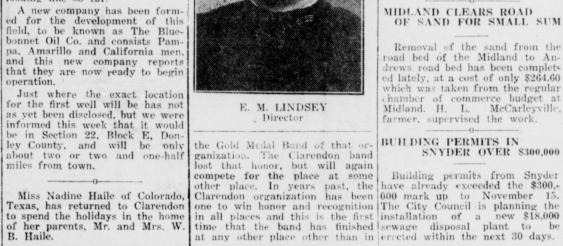
A Lasting Gift

For Mother, Sister, Wife or Sweetheart: A purse, handmade in the Justin Nocona factory. We have the latest styles—all at a popular price.

Clarendon Drug Store

J. S. McCLEAREN, Proprietor

Phone 1



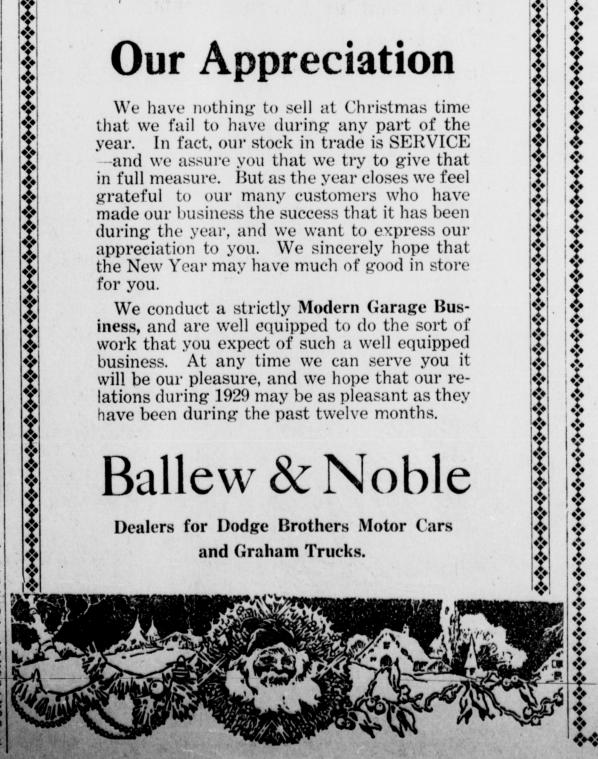
Our Appreciation

We have nothing to sell at Christmas time that we fail to have during any part of the year. In fact, our stock in trade is SERVICE and we assure you that we try to give that in full measure. But as the year closes we feel grateful to our many customers who have made our business the success that it has been during the year, and we want to express our appreciation to you. We sincerely hope that the New Year may have much of good in store

We conduct a strictly Modern Garage Business, and are well equipped to do the sort of work that you expect of such a well equipped business. At any time we can serve you it will be our pleasure, and we hope that our relations during 1929 may be as pleasant as they have been during the past twelve months.

Ballew & Noble

Dealers for Dodge Brothers Motor Cars and Graham Trucks.



ONLY NINE MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS!

CHRISTMAS AT Hanna-Pope & Co.

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Remarkable Selling of Gift Lingerie



Vanity Silk Undies—Gowns—Step-ins-Teddies — Dance Sets — make most acceptable gifts.



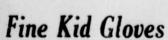
Negligees and Lounging Robes are **Eminently** Giftworthy

These coming in the sure-to-please list — as women never have too many.

Moderately priced for Holiday selling.



Lovely New Handkerchiefs Smart little affairs of fine linen, voiles, crepe de chine—in all colors.



Smartly stitched, new costume colors—make lovely gifts.





Gift Hosiery

Sheer all-silk chiffon, in all the new colors—a much wanted gift by every woman.

Extraordinary Showing of Holiday Apparel and Charming Feminine Wearables for Superb Gifts!



Christmas shoppers will select the needed frocks and coats from these fine moderately priced collections.

Smart Winter Coats

Luxuriously furred, specially priced for Holiday shoppers. New Holiday Frocks

at Pre-Inventory Prices.

Crepes, Satins, Transparent Velvets—in fact every type of frock for this gay season is here, specially priced. All Velvet Dresses half-price for this event. \$9.95 - \$14.85 - \$23.85

Christmas in our Men's Department-Special low Holiday prices on

Smartly Styled Suits

Holidays bring no end of invitations. Surely you can use one of our smart new suits.





What to Give Him-Lounging Robes

Beautifully patterned, with silky-looking Rayon and satin trims. Also Blanket Robes in all attractive colors.



Smart New Gift Slippers!

-THE UNIVERSAL CHRISTMAS GIFT. Ours were never so beautiful as now. Make your selections early.

Silk Mufflers

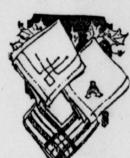
Bright and gaily col ored, fanciful designs, checks, figured stripes and sure-to-please.



Cravats We don't believe the man lives who wouldn't be pleased to get -say-half a dozen of our ties-beauties for Christmas.

Men's Handk'fs

of fine linen, plain, striped or initialed -a neat gift.





Give Him a Belt or S'penders! A nice belt set makes

most acceptable



Shirts He'd Like

Shirts of Broadcloth, Striped Madras either plain or colors, or keen combina-

Natty Pajamas

—in broadcloth, silk braid trimmed, in plain and fancy colors.



Holiday Gloves



-for the men, in kids and suede, both silk and fur lined - just the gift he will appreciate most.

Bright Colored Sweaters

-for every boy and man, in all colors and styles - a gift they all want.



Stetson Hats

Why not make it a useful gift? A Stetson hat is sure to please. They're here in all the new shapes and colors.

Buy Him a Leather Coat for Christmas -a gift he would sure appreciate.

Dorothy Greathouse Decides To Settle in Texas—Will Teach

An announcement of interest to all of Texas and particularly West Texas has just been made in Wichita Falls, when plans were completed for opening the Wichita Falls Conservatory of Music on January 1, under the direction on January 1, under the direction when made a tremendous hit and is now recognized.



DOROTHY GREATHOUSE

of Miss Dorothy Greathouse, on of the most noted concert artists of America. Miss Greathouse will have direct charge of the voice department while Miss Katheryn Orr, who has been her ac-companist on concert tours for the past six years, will be in charge of the piano department. It is planned to make the conservatory one of the largest institutions of the kind in Texas.

Dorothy Greathouse has ap-

YORK-PARIS



EVERY house in Paris makes plentiful use of printed transparent velvet in everything from near sports clothes to elaborate evening wraps and gowns but it remained for Jean Patou to make ensemble afternoon costumes of it, with the coat, frock and coat lin-ing all of the same material in the same pattern. These were quite a feature of Patou's collection.

For the model shown in the sketch he uses black with very small and indistinct grey dots. It is trimmed extensively with fine black fox, the soft gleam of which is a most happy blend with the sheen of the velvet. The coat fol-lows the line of the figure but without any suggestion of exaggerated atting and the skirt carries out this line of the silhouette by hav-ing several slightly flaring godets across the front. The whole ef-fect of so much exquisite fabric and fur is one of extreme elegance.

leading Prima Donna's of the na-tion. Miss Greathouse has spent years of study in Chicago and New York under the tutorage of the most renowned instructors of America. She has also had sev-eral years of experience as teach-er of voice in Chicago and other cities and attained unusual suc-

Miss Orr, her accompanist, has likewise spent years of study under the leading instructors of piano in America and their joining the conservatory fills a long needed want for this section of

cess in this work.



Greathouse but after a survey of the needs for a conservatory of this kind in other cities she decided upon Wichita Falls.

Many a valuable sire in the swine herd is sent to the block too soon when the practice is followed of wine the practice in the practice is followed of wine the practice in the practice is followed of wine the practice in the practice is followed of wine the practice in the practice is followed of wine the practice in the practice is followed of wine the practice in the practice i

Dorothy Greathouse is without doubt one of the greatest artists in the state and the announcement of her locating in this section has been received with great interest and enthusiasm by the music loving people of Texas.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Letters remaining in this office unclaimed for the week ending Dec. 11, 1928, are as follows: Anderson, J. W.

Alderson, J. W. Alen, Tom Alford, Marcus Benson, J. D. Barker, C. C. Bagley, Oliver Brigden, Martin Brackin, Mrs. W. H.* Canster, Gussie Causter, Gussie Davis, E. G. Franklin, F. Frazier, H. C. Forces, Grover Gilliland, Claud Greig, Eloisa Harper, Willie Hazelwood, Gerald Higgins, Raymond Hearn, J. T. Johnson, Lucile Jones, John Jones, Sarah Lynn, Alice (2) Marabal, Dot Morrison, Mrs. Ora May, Marie McAfee, Claude Owens, Frank Patterson, Jesse Ross, Mary Riaz, Consaucion Reeves, Mrs. S. R Rayburn, Walter F. Smith, Mrs. H. D. Sholders, Mrs. Mattie E. Tackett, John Talley, O. P. Taylor, Oddie Mae

Thomason, Herman White, Jno. Walrich, F. A. Wade, Sibyl Charles H. Bugbee, P. M., Clarendon, Texas.

BALL STORE IN ALAN-REED LOOTED LAST WEEK

The following item will be of interest to Clarendon and Donley County citizens since it has to

of merchandise.

Very little cash was in the house, as Mr. Ball has made it a rule for some time not to leave any money at his store at night.

After entering the house and rifling the safe for money, according to indications, they then turned their attention to the dry goods stock, and a careful investigation revealed the fact that several hundred dollars worth of ready-to-wear half been taken.

According to the best figures

most impossible to give an accurate report on the loss without complete inventory of

Lonnie Edge, of near Welling-ton, who poses as a cotton pick-er in these parts, is being held awaiting a preliminary hearing.

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. L. L. Swan. Rector. The Fourth Sunday in Advent.

Morning prayer and sermon, 1 a. m. Church school and Bible Class,

9:45 a. m.

The offerings of the day will be devoted to the Bishop's Temple Memorial Fund for the Episcopate. All are cordially invited to attend annually. these services. Come and bring "A not your friends.

PLAINVIEW BUILDING HIGHWAY OVERPASS

KATHERYN ORR, Pianist

The country. Several cities of Texas bid for the services of Miss Greathouse but after a survey of the country.

lowed of using a boar one season and then marketing him, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture.
A boar in the breeding herd should
not be discarded until the growing
and feeding qualities of his progeny are determined in the feed lot.

WE WELCOME

CHRISTMAS

As a Propitious Time

To Carry Our Sincere

Appreciation

For Past Patronage and to

Wish You

THE BEST JOYS

The Season Affords.

MARVIN JONES IN BOOST FOR SOUTH

ADDRESS BEFORE HOUSE TELLS OF POSSIBILITIES OF SECTION.

being done.

For several years Mr. Jones has been interested in the finding According to the best figures obtainable to date, the loss will range around \$75 or \$80 but, as Mr. Ball stated, it would be al-Commerce and Agriculture. "The process of silk making is

attributed to a chinese Empress in the year 2640 B. C.," said Mr. berry leaves, spins a cocoon, which contains a silk thread several hundred yards long. This is unwound by hand and woven into cloth."

"For three thousand years China guarded the precious secret. Tradition has it that the eggs of worm and the seeds of the mulberry tree were carried out of China in a hollow bamboo cane. But the west could not rival the cheen labor of the Orient and for But the west could not rival the cheap labor of the Orient and for years China and Japan have been selling the United States more than \$400,000,000 worth of silk

"A noted chemist after years of toil has discovered a process similar to that used in making of the original silk thread.

The plant where this new product is being made represents an investment of \$20,000,000, is run night and day, employs 2,500 people and a new unit is now being investigated.

"It uses cotton 'Linters,,' breaks down the structure, mixes it with chemicals, forces it through the long processing machines, from which it emerges in long strands, from which a cloth is woven that requires an expert to distinguish from silk. It is not rayon, which is made from wood pulp and plant fibre but a much finer appearing fabric

"This is real farm relief. If money is merely loaned to take a million bales of cotton off the market, it must come back on at a later date to again depress the If the hens on your farm are not producing profits, the stock is found for even a hundred thouslikely at fault. Sell the poor and bales, it is taken permanentlayers and replace with good by off the market, which necessation. enhances the price of cotton.

NEWS' WEEKLY

Cotton prices reacted a little during the week, Dec. 1-7, with questations on Dec. 7th about 1-8 the curious habit of moving material to control the black week northward after the breeding season to be a species of herons have the curious habit of moving material to control the black week northward after the breeding season. This insect causes Raw cotton being fed into long rows of machines and coming out a product that looks, feels and wears like silk was described as one of the miracles of modern industrial chemistry by Congressman Marvin Jones of Texas, in the House today.

The House listened with much interest to Mr. Jones' description of the great plant at Elizabethton, The House listened with much interest to Mr. Jones' description of the great plant at Elizabethton, Tennessee, where this work is of the past week was unfavorable four mon Panama. of the past week was unfavorable for cotton harvesting in the northfor cotton harvesting in the north-western belt, but favorable in the northeastern. Quotations for middling, 7-8 inch, cotton Dec. 7th. Norfolk, 19.50; Augusta, 19.25; Savannah, 19.40; Montgome¹v, 18.65; New Orleans, 19.45; Little Rock, 18.68, Dallas, 18.75; Houston, 19.25, and Galveston, 19.35. Average price of middling in these ten markets Dec. 7th, 19.11, compared with 19.31 on Nov. 30th, and 18.79 for the corresponding day a year ago. Sales spot cotton for the week in the spot cotton for the week in the ten designated markets, 161,675 bales, compared with 90,572 the corresponding week last season.

> borders and at her own threshold," said Mr. Jones, "the raw materials for the building of a wonderful prosperity. She has the climate and the power, and her people have the determination to translate these resources into her own development. She is building her own plants and with the strength and sinew of her own fibre, in the loom of her own gen-ius and with the industry of her garment of her future glory."

Houston, 11,562; Galveston, 12,181. Total at New York, 20,852
bales; New Orleans, 353,274;
Houston, 905,519; Galveston,670,977. Exports for the week were
heavy and to Dec. 7th this season
amounted to 3,942,326 bales, comnared with 3,414,945 the same reheavy and to Dec. 7th this season
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IMPROVED AFTER GRADING

are now cleared after having been torn up during the last few days. The improvement machinery which hindered traffic for a few days left a nicely graded and lev-el roadbed behind it.

Peace and lenty

FOR THE FRIENDS OF THIS BUS-INESS DURING CHRISTMAS AND THE COMING YEAR.

This is our wish, sincere.

City Gas Co.

The WHIPPET Four

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ALL THIS WEEK

Whippet The Nation's Finest

in the Light Car Field. Entirely New Body-25 Percent More Horsepower— Longer Piston Stroke-Faster Motor-

SEE IT FOR YOURSELF!

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Light Testing Station

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Stormizing

Accessories

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Texas and Louisiana

From points on the FORT WORTH & DENVER CITY RY. and Wichita Valley Railway

Tickets on sale Dec. 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 inclusive; also Dec. 29, 30, 31 and Jan. 1. Final Limit Jan. 7, 1929

Return destination must be reached prior to midnight Jan-

Ask your agent for dedetail fares.
F. D. DAGGETT, G. P. A.
Fort Worth, Texas

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May Your Christmas Be MERRY and Your New Year Be **CHEERY** Is Our Wish for You.

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In 35 different styles to select from: Bed lamps, \$3.15. Table lamps, \$6.25 to \$9.15 complete. Bridge lamps, \$8.50 to \$19.50 complete. Junior lamps \$8.85 to \$17.00 complete.

"I will honor Christmas in my heart And try to keep it all the year."

The same resolve that animated Charles Dickens should stir us now. At Christmas, if ever, should come loving thought and perfect consideration. Then we should think of others first, indulge ourselves in unselfishness.

But usually—we're so self-centered, so busy with our individual pastimes, we put off even making a list until two days before Christmas. Then we rush down and struggle through the crowds, in desperation snatch up anything that happens to be left, go home disappointed and fervently wishing there wasn't such a thing as Christmas.

Is that the right spirit—and whose fault is it?

Let's get the right feeling. Start now, while there is time to thoughtfully consider personal traits, hobbies and needs of those we will remember. Select gifts that carry the warm, personal spirit of Christmas gifts that are fine and permanent, and thus keep Yuletide through all the year.

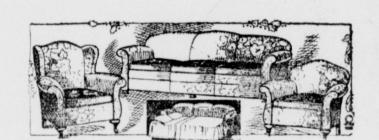


Davenport and Occasional Tables

In burl walnut, mahogany and Chinese red, decorated to match. A wonderful selection and just the piece you have wanted so long. Davenport tables, \$11.50 up. Occasional tables, \$9.35 to \$40.00.

DEMAND MONEY VALUES!

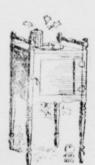
Anyone can spend money, but we like to buy with ours. Nothing is worth more than you can buy it for elsewhere. BUY values in quality merchandise. No one questions the quality of AMARILLO FURNITURE MERCHANDISE, because every piece is nationally advertised and has a moneyback guarantee.



FACTORY DISTRIBUTION, low overhead expense, wide distribution of merchandise and a vast buying power enables Amarillo Furniture Company stores to sell on a competitive basis with any jobber, mail order house or other source of supply.

Living Room Suites, Dining Room Suites and Bed Room Suites

Pool your Christmas money and buy a Suite. Every member of the family and all your guests will enjoy it. Furniture, The Lasting Gift-practical and always appreciated in any home. Our stock is complete with many exclusive lines that are rarely displayed in smaller cities. Come in and let us show you—if it's furniture we have it.



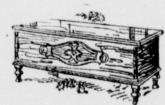
Smokers

In 25 different styles to select from. Something new and different. Some wrought iron with ash tray, \$1.25. Others walnut and mahogany, decorated to match cabinet type.



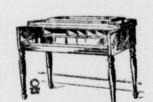
Overstuffed Coxwell Chairs

COXWELL CHAIRS, all loose cushions, upholstered in rich tapestry and velour. Prices \$36.75 to \$45.00. Ottoman to match, \$11.00. Other odd and occasional chairs up to \$20.00.



Cedar Chests

all cedar construction, \$11.25 to \$26.75. Walnut and mahogany, with cedar lining, \$15.75 to \$38.25. Smaller ones for the youngsters, \$1.75 to \$4.00 These must be seen to be appreciated.



Spinnet Desks

-An ideal Christmas present. Walnut and mahogany finish, \$19.00 and up.



Bedroom Chairs

As illustrated, completely upholstered in attractive patterns, \$12.50 up.

FREE At 5 o'clock Christmas Eve, we will give away the Suite you see in our window. No strings attached to this offer. Come in and let us explain. Everybody entering our store is eligible.

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