

Loraine Girls Basketball Champions of County

The Loraine girls played the Spade team Saturday night at the Colorado gym to determine who would win the Mitchell County championship. Spade had won the rural championship while Loraine had won the independent title. The Saturday night game won a very hard contested game. Up to the half it looked very bad for Loraine, the score being 19 to 11 in favor of Spade. But during the second half our girls went into action. Rebecca Britton and Wilma Lee starring for Loraine and Christine Boline was a very superior forward for Spade. Final score was 34 to 31 in favor of Loraine.

According to Supt. Bennett, the girls during the season have conducted themselves like perfect little ladies at all times. Not one single time have any of the team shown the least bit of unsportsmanlike conduct, for which we should all be very proud. Such conditions do not just happen. It is due to the fine leadership of Miss Inez Mayes, their coach. Much credit for their record is due her. They have played 13 games and won 12 of them. The one lost was to Itan and we have defeated them twice since then. Our total score for the season was 358 points to our competitors 250 points. Below are the names of the players of the Mitchell County champion girls basketball team.

The results of each contest in points are as follows:

The Games	
Loraine 13, Westbrook 12	
Loraine 14, Westbrook 11	
Loraine 24, Busby 12	
Loraine 12, Itan 25	
Loraine 30, Itan 20	
Loraine 30, Roscoe 23	
Loraine 37, Colorado 19	
Loraine 27, Westbrook 22	
Loraine 41, Itan 16	
Loraine 38, Lone Star 3	
Loraine 37, Westbrook 32	
Loraine 26, Colorado 24	
Loraine 34, Spade 31	
Total 358	250

Players

Bitty Richey, Reuel Phillips, Hilda Ohlenbusch, Christene Riden, Rebecca Britton, Captain, Wilma Lee, Irene Parker, Geneva McGehee, Loreta Phillips, Ida Prescott, Ina Bess Lee and Jessie Scott Thomas.

NORTH CHAMPION NEWS

One more sandstorm swept the western Texas today. No one was proud to see it.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Akins have returned from Knott, where they have been pulling cotton. They are running a mattress factory at W. R. Akins' North of Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Woodell have moved into the vacant house on the W. D. McCarley place where C. W. McAnally lived.

Shanty Gibson, of Roscoe spent last week with his sister Mrs. Beulah Woodell.

Mrs. Johnnie Haggerton accidentally got hurt last week. She was at the home of Mrs. Jesse Haggerton digging up berry vines and was going to get on the fence and jump over. She had one foot on the pick and one on the post when the pick broke and threw her on the fence. It cut her leg pretty badly but is getting along as well as could be expected.

Jesse McAnally returned home some few days ago. He has been working at Barstow.

—Reporter

Telephone 65 when you have visitors or know of any news whatever. We will appreciate the favor and our subscribers will enjoy reading the news.

Thank You.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER DIES AT COLORADO

Funeral rites for W. D. Ham, member of the Colorado high school faculty, were held from the First Methodist church Monday afternoon, with Rev. L. A. Webb, pastor, officiating. Mr. Ham, 24 years of age, died early Monday morning.

The body was placed on a Texas and Pacific train Monday night, bound for Mt. Vernon, former home of Mr. Ham, where final service will be held and burial made.

Bauman Notes

The P. T. A. met in regular session last Friday night. About sixty persons were present. A program was given by local members. The next meeting time is the first Friday night in March. We want all the parents to be present at that meeting.

The Bauman Junior boys Basketball team was again defeated last Saturday. The boys played the Fairview boys on the Colorado court and were defeated 16 to 5. The Junior girls will play Valley View junior girls at Colorado next Saturday at three o'clock.

On last Thursday afternoon fifty children in this community were given the second dose of the diphtheria serum by Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Hester. Some of the children had fever and sore arms as the result of this dose. We are glad that this work has been done. We feel like we have done our duty to the children in protecting them from this awful disease.

Brownlee Notes

The weather has been fairly good for the last few days and farmers are busy plowing.

Health in our community is very good at present.

Little Bill Malone is able to be back in school, after being absent several weeks. He was painfully hurt in a car accident some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goebel and children and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watzel of Hermleigh spent Sunday with Mr. John Zetzman and family.

Earl Anderson of Morton Texas is visiting his sister Mrs. C. L. Harrison.

The tacky party given by Mr. Mrs. J. P. Jobb was well attended Saturday night. Every one present had an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bruns and children and Misses Marie Harrison and Mary Brown spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zinke.

Mrs. W. O. Hicks of Roscoe visited Mrs. C. L. Harrison and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. K. J. Althof and daughter Miss Laura visited Mrs. C. H. Hackfeld Monday afternoon.

Quite a few people from this community attended the funeral of Mr. John Hrbacek at Roscoe last week.

Misses Marie Harrison and Selma Zinke spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Mildred and Edna Myrtle Lewis.

Miss Macola Malone is very ill with pneumonia. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

The 4H club girls met last Wednesday morning. Officers were elected for the year 1932 as follows: President Marie Harrison, Vice President Thresa Rannefeld, Secre-

"WHO'S WHO" TEST IN LORAIN HIGH SCHOOL

A rather lengthy "Who's Who" test was conducted in Loraine High School recently. The primary purpose of the test was to create among the students a desire to acquaint themselves with the outstanding men of the day.

One hundred names were given and many students were able to recognize more than half of them. Some of those making high grades were Leon Crutcher, 95, Lella June Harrell, 68, Butsie Hall, 79, Fay Johnson, 63, Milton Hallmark, 52, Sarah Hamm, 55, Ruth Reeder, 64, Rebecca Britton, 69, Joyce Furlow, 79, Helen Bennett, 61, Travis Hallmark, 59, Josephine Palmer, 60, Glen Thomas, 62, Bud Furlow, 90, J. C. Bayless, 62, Edna Pearl Nelson, 51, Rowena Richburg, 60.

A grade of fifty was considered very good in a test like this. Following are some of the names given: Will Rogers, William Curtis, Mussolini, Ghandi, Miss Jane Adams, Jack Garner, Bill Murray, Jimmy Walker, Arthur Brisbane, Huey P. Long, Culver B. Chamberlain, and Andrew Mellon.

Among the answers were some very amusing ones. For example: Will Rogers, a joke-maker; Ghandi, a half-clothed man; John D. Rockefeller, a poet; Post and Ghattay, senators; Andrew Mellon, Producer of Mellon's Food; Hugo Eckner and Luther Burbank, movie actors; Poncho Villa, a cowpuncher; John Bull, Japan's Uncle Sam; Dan Moody, former president; Edgar A. Guest, Senator; Max Schmelling, candidate for president; John Marshall, author and court marshal of England; Edna Wallace Hopper, inventor of Edna Wallace Hopper make-up; Bud Fisher, a manufacturer; Jimmy Walker, a Wall Street banker.

Some good magazines have been put into the hands of the students this year, and the teachers appreciate them and want the children to get the "magazine habit," when the magazines are really worth while, and these are:

Ninety students of a big university recently flunked a current events examination because they could not answer, among other questions, the following: Who are Ghandi and Grandi? Who is the Vice-President of the United States? Who is Prime Minister of England? Where is Manchuria? Who is the outstanding Democratic candidate for President? Who is Pierre Laval?

Some of the men best known to Loraine students were Charles Lindberg, Edgar A. Guest, Will Rogers, Billy Sunday, Ross Sterling, Al Capone, Dorothy Dix, Thomas Edison, Herbert Hoover, Al Smith, Dan Moody.

tary Wilma Althof. We wish the girls a prosperous year.

Tom Brazil left for his home in Louisiana last Thursday.

Ed. Onken and family have moved to the Inadale community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lehmann and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schulze at Hermleigh Sunday.

Miss Emily Lammons County Nurse and Dr. Prothro of the Nolan County Health Unit visited our school last week. The school children were examined and several are entitled to health buttons.

The boys and girls basketball teams went to Champion last Friday afternoon Champion winning, both games. The score for the boys were 6 and 27 girls 8 and 9. The girls will play Roscoe Tuesday afternoon.

—Brown Eyes

MITCHELL COUNTY SCHOOL HOUSE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fire which destroyed the Seven Wells school, five miles southwest of Colorado Saturday night, will result in a loss of only two days of the school term. Classes were to be resumed Wednesday morning in a residence, improvised for school needs.

Origin of the fire was unknown. The school employs two teachers.

METHODIST W. M. S.

The Womans Missionary Society with the Local Circle met in the home of Mrs. W. L. Hester Monday, February 7, at three o'clock with 16 members present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Fannie Jarratt, and opened with the song "Jesus We Come."

Our devotional was led by Mrs. J. E. Harrell who read the 25th chapter of Matthew, 14th to 21st verses.

Prayer was led by Mrs. J. M. Bruce.

The Society took up a study course on the Challenge of Change to be taken in February and March. Mrs. Hester discussing our first lesson.

The Society reported 70 sick visits, 25 trays to sick and 2 bouquets.

The Society will meet next Monday afternoon with Mrs. Dr. Martin.

Reporter.

BAPTIST NOTES

The special service last Sunday morning for the Boy Scouts was well attended. Mr. R. B. Ferguson, Scoutmaster of the Loraine Troop, first gave us a brief history of the Scout work, their vows, etc., then referred to the home Scout boys and what they were doing for the good of themselves and those about them, and the real benefits of being a member of the Boy Scout organization.

Then our pastor, Rev. A. C. Hardin, preached an appealing sermon on the subject of "Being Prepared." Oh, how we need to heed the words of that message Rev. Hardin so earnestly points us to that one who alone has power to save from sin.

There were a number of visitors from other communities who worshiped with us Sunday. We give you a hearty welcome and urge you to come again.

Rev. Hardin announced at the Sunday evening service that our study course would be postponed. It will be announced later just when the course will be given.

Reporter.

THE BENEIT PROGRAM

The P. T. A. program at the school auditorium last Friday evening was put over in a big way, and the large crowd of appreciative listeners were loud with complimentary cheers.

We owe much appreciation to Mrs. W. R. Martin and think it especially nice and commendable of her to help us out in this way. The work showed much skill and patient training on the part of the instructor and the meritorious efforts of the children deserve worthy mention.

We extend a special invitation to the new comers in the town and community to attend our P. T. A. meetings, and also to visit our schools. We want you to feel perfectly at home. You will have a hearty welcome.

Mrs. C. H. Thomas.

Miss Birdie Lee Robertson was the guest of Miss Edna Edmondson at Valley View last week.

Average Attendance In Loraine School Higher

RULES IN ATHLETIC CONTESTS CHANGED

Austin —The overwhelming majority of votes cast in favor of the two new eligibility rules in Interscholastic League athletic contests leaves no doubt as to the determination of responsible public school authorities of Texas to reclaim high school sports from the disastrous ways into which they were drifting, it is pointed out in an editorial in the current issue of the Interscholastic League, issued by the University of Texas League Bureau. One of those rules affects the status of basketball and football players who change schools, while the other limits participation in League sports to eight semesters.

Mrs. Charles Coffee, of Lynn, Texas, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Honea, of Lynn, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yarbrough.

Mrs. A. H. Williford spent last Tuesday in Roscoe.

A. H. Williford was on the sick list last week, but is much improved and able to be at work again.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. O. P. Clark, presiding elder of the Sweetwater district preached at the Methodist Church last Sunday morning. His subject was, The Apostle's Creed. A good sized audience heard him preach a wonderful sermon on this subject. The pastor, Rev. J. E. Harrell, preached at night.

Our revival begins Friday night. The pastor will do the preaching and Philip Smith will have charge of the singing. This series of evangelistic services will run for 10 days or more. Services will be each morning and evening, except Saturday morning. We are making a special effort during this period to reach the lost of our community and to rebuild the church spiritually. We are counting on every christian to do their part. Let us do our best to have a great revival in Loraine. Most people are not very busy just now and can attend these services, so let's do our best to attend these services and have a great revival in our community at this season of the year. Everybody is invited to these services.

NOTES FROM SILVER

Health continues very good so far as we can ascertain, although J. F. Rutledge has been on crutches for several days, with Rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Alexander and son Jesse, of Sweetwater, were visitors at the home of L. W. Banta Saturday night, and Sunday.

Edward Massey and wife, of Sweetwater, were also visiting in Mr. Banta's home Sunday afternoon.

Everybody seems busy preparing land for another crop. We have a fine season in the ground and prospects are good at this time and everything looks very encouraging, and we are hoping that the people of this community, as well as elsewhere, will not be despondent over last years prices and will take new courage. These same things have been experienced before and have always had an ending, and perhaps we shall all be better prepared to stem the tide of adversity by having this experience.

A. Q. Rosity.

The average attendance in the Loraine schools this year is 10 more than the average for last year, although the total enrollment for this year is less than last year, according to Superintendent Clyde Bennett. The average attendance this year is 147 boys and 158 girls, a total of 305. The average attendance last year was only 295. The total enrollment for this year is 166 boys and 177 girls, a total of 343. The total enrollment for last year was 377.

There are 21 members of the graduating class this year and 40 per cent of them are from out of town districts.

R. L. MAY ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER

R. L. May, a resident of this community for many years, has authorized The Mitchell County News to place his name in our announcement column as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 4. His formal statement will appear in a later issue.

SCHOOL NOTES

The Public Speaking class is starting out on a very profitable term of work.

The students are now looking forward to the one-act play tournament in the near future. A clean spirit of rivalry is being shown and, of course each of us wants our class to win.

Latin Club Meeting

On Thursday afternoon, Feb. 4, the Liberi Romae club met in their regular monthly meeting. After the minutes of the last meeting were read the roll call was answered by adsum and then the following program about Roman children was given.

1. Ceremony and naming of a child—Wyona Hardin.
2. The right of a father over children—Geneva McGehee.
3. Educating children of the upper class—Travis Hallmark.
4. Educating poor children—Ruthie Britton.
5. Children's games—Nelle Johnson.

After the program, Rowena Richburg was elected reporter to fill the place of Helen Bennett who resigned some time ago.

Reporter.

Monday morning, February 8, the entire student body met in the auditorium to pay due honor to our basketball girls, the winners of the county championship.

After a speech from the coach, Inez Hayes, Mr. Bennett called upon each of the players for a speech, and although some of them did not respond, we feel that they are justly proud of the honor.

We want to assure the girls that we are highly appreciative to have them bring this honor to Loraine High and we are going to keep on rootin' for you.

Tuesday morning Rev. A. C. Hardin talked to the student body on the good work that is being done by the Boy Scouts of America. We all know that this year is the Bicentennial of the great George Washington's birth and this program is to pay tribute and honor to the father of our country.

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* We want to publish all the news about the people in and around Loraine. We can't do so without YOUR help. Won't you please call 65 if you have had visitors from out of town or have visited out of town yourself? *

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Loraine has no civic club of any kind to guide its destinies and sponsor its undertakings. It is like many small towns, we understand, it has a hard time keeping such an organization alive.

We believe, however, that a Lions Club here would live and grow. We had an experience with the Lions Club in Roscoe that has convinced us that it is more than a mere civic organization. Chambers of commerce and luncheon clubs were organized there, one right after the other, and they all died soon after being born, but the Lions Club since its organization some three or four years ago has lived and grown and today is one of the liveliest clubs in this section. It has done lots of good for Roscoe and her trade territory. We believe the same thing would happen in Loraine, for who is it among us that would agree that Roscoe is any better town than Loraine.

Let's get together folks and see what can be done about organizing a club of some kind. We, personally, prefer a Lions Club. There are many things that an organized club can do for a town. Loraine needs many things so why not get together and do something about it.

Pay The Bonus Now

Efforts of World War Veterans and other interested parties to secure passage in Congress of the Patman bill for full payment of adjusted compensation certificates merits the support of every loyal and patriotic citizen of this country.

Back in those hectic days of 1917 and 1918 when these veterans left the shores of America to risk their lives for the sake of democracy many of them were in the flower of youth, and carried with them a great responsibility. That they accepted and discharged that responsibility to complete satisfaction is generally recognized. They were promised the world and undying gratitude from all the American people; but when these boys returned home, some of them physical wrecks, they found their jobs filled by others and were made to look elsewhere for work. This problem has become more perplexing each year until today millions of ex-soldiers are without work and without money with which to provide food and shelter for themselves and their families.

Shortly after the World War 7,000 war contractors succeeded in having Congress adjust their payment on all war contracts. They were paid hundreds of millions in cash.

The railroads, which were under government control during the World War and were paid the largest returns they ever received, were also awarded adjusted compensation involving millions of dollars in cash and other benefits. Adjustments in other World War activities were made and paid off promptly, but every effort of the ex-service men to induce the government to discharge its obligations to the veterans has met with stong opposition.

The adjusted compensation is for service rendered during the World War. Congress has accepted and acknowledged the debt. The adjusted compensation certificates are based on \$1.00 per day for service in this country and \$1.25 for service overseas. It is not a bonus, and is not a "raid upon the public treasury" as opponents claim—it is pay for a great service rendered this country during a time of great stress.

The veterans feel that they have been discriminated against. They point out that while other World War agencies have received compensation adjustments, they have been made to wait for the money which rightfully belongs to them.

If the money can be paid without the necessity of floating a bond

issue, and without raising taxes—and the veterans say it can be done—there should be little objections to their plea for a square deal. Banks can take government bonds and deposit them with the government and have currency issued for face value of the bonds without interest charges. The veterans are asking the same privilege, pointing to the fact that these compensation certificates are as good as government bonds.

We loan billions to foreign nations; we give billions to foreign nations. We should at least make an effort to pay our debts at home, especially when so many are suffering and in destitute circumstances. Congressman Wright Patman of Texas is leading the fight for payment in full of the adjusted service certificates held by World War veterans. If he is successful in his efforts to have the certificates paid in full it will mean that \$95,000,000 will be released to flow into Texas business channels. He deserves the encouragement and support of every Texas citizen.

Proof Of Citizenship

The State Highway Department has established a minimum wage scale for laborers working on Texas highway construction work. It also requires that only Texans be given road work. Recently it was announced that employees in the highway department would be called upon to show poll tax receipts as evidence of Texas citizenship, and ordered all division foremen to accept poll tax receipts as final proof of citizenship.

Much criticism has been heaped upon the highway commissioners for some of their actions in the past and not all of it is undeserved. Like most commissions and boards, the commissioners have formed an oligarchy that is oppressive to free thinking and liberty-loving men and women. But the highway commissioners are due a great deal of commendation for their decision to use only Texas citizens, in building Texas highways. At a time when so many Texas citizens, many of whom are home owners and taxpayers, are in reduced circumstances, we should exert every effort to see that they are given preference over transient and out of state workers. Especially is this true on public works.

Requiring a poll tax receipt as proof of citizenship is one way to prevent floaters from taking jobs that rightfully belong to the citizens of Texas. It also serves to build a strong citizenship.

LET'S SMOOTH THE WAY

It is generally agreed that the depression has touched bottom; that from now on out things will improve—or at least they should.

Much has been said and written about present-day conditions. The President of the United States has called upon the people to cease hoarding money and put some of it into circulation as an aid to recovery.

People who have money have been afraid to turn it loose, there is no doubt about that. They have put off buying the things they really need because of a feeling of uncertainty. Fear and lack of confidence have been the forces which have delayed the return of normalcy more than anything else.

Right now the need is for a return of confidence. No other agency can do so much to allay fear and restore this confidence as a well planned advertising campaign. After almost two and a half years of reluctant and fearful buying wardrobes have depleted and property is deteriorated to an unprecedented extent. Advertising can, and advertising should, strike a note of confidence—confidence that this is the time to buy, confidence that more has never been offered for so little, confidence in the wisdom and the economy of buying now.

Fill the papers of Texas with advertising of a constructive, confidence-building character, and the way will be smoothed for economic recovery. There is money to be spent in Texas; there is merchandise to be sold. Advertising must prepare the grounds where the two may meet.

HOW WE "TOOK" TEXAS

Abilene Morning News

In his Texas Weekly, Peter Molyneux excoriates the lordly Arthur Brisbane for having said recently that "Japan is only doing in Manchuria what the United States did when it took Texas from Mexico. We decided that we wanted Texas and that we could make better use of it than the Mexicans."

Mr. Molyneux calls this "that ancient lie." Texas, he reminds Mr. Brisbane, was a republic for ten years before it came into the Union. Very pertinently Mr. Molyneux reminds Mr. Brisbane that such comparison might have been made with some justification, in the case of California, and the other states which we wrested from Mexico in the war which followed the annexation of Texas. Certainly no reputable historian would aver that the United States took Texas from Mexico

—direct.

However, there is no denying the footprints of history. The United States—except a small anti-slavery element—desired Texas. Polk was elected president on a platform that demanded annexation. Long before that—in the 1820s—the United States made repeated efforts to buy Texas from the Mexicans. Andrew Jackson brought the issue to a head by

heading his protege, Sam Houston, Texas-ward. It is inaccurate to say that we took Texas from Mexico by force. We took it by a policy or process of infiltration.

Mr. Brisbane and Mr. Molyneux differ in degree, but not in kind. Mr. Brisbane speaks from the larger strategic view; Mr. Molyneux is a stickler for tactical details. And, after all is said and done, what's the difference?

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ACTIVITIES

The Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co. of San Antonio, which for twenty years has devoted its activities to paving, has established a branch plant in Houston where it will develop a new angle in its business—that of flooring and roofing. "Azrock" has been selected as a trade name with plastic plank and a paving tile the first products to bear the name. It is planned ultimately to make the tile in various colors for use in buildings desiring a durable, resilient fireproof and waterproof floor. Roofing shingles are to be added later. Uvalde rock asphalt, asphalt from Texas refineries and cotton fibre, principally hinders, will be used in the products of the new plant.

While final details are still being withheld, it is reported from Jefferson that those interested in the projected paper mill have secured about 12,000 acres of cut-over and second-growth pine lands in Marion and Cass Counties as a source of supply for the raw materials to be used in making paper.

North Carolina, by taking over its county roads and incorporating them into its State highway system, supplants Texas as leader in highway mileage. The 45,000 miles of local roads now brought into the State system brings the total mileage of the system to 55,000 miles. Texas has more than 18,000 miles of State-designated highways, and probably 180,000 miles of local and county roads.

The second solid trainload of Texas flour for North Atlantic seaboard cities in three months was shipped from Sherman recently by the Smith Flour Mill. The high protein content of Texas flour makes it much in demand for both bakery and retail trade of the North and East. Four Sherman mills produced nearly 500,000 barrels of flour in the last six months of 1931.

Jacksonville is figuring with Arkansas capitalists on the establishment of a new packing plant.

Results of the breeder-feeder movement in Texas are shown by the fact that on Jan 1 of this

year there were 260,000 lambs on feed in Texas as compared with 83,000 on the same date in 1930—an increase of 300 per cent. The increase in the United States as a whole was only 14 per cent.

The Cumber-Graham crate plant at Paris, after a shut-down of several weeks, has resumed operations with enough orders on hand to keep its 118 workers busy for at least four months, besides the others employed in furnishing the materials.

The State Board of Control has promulgated an order that cotton must be the material for sacks in which cement and all other similar commodities purchased by the State are shipped. Paper sacks have been used on much of the cement previously used.

Stockholders of the Baker Products Co., with a new plant at Lindale, recently elected officers. The company manufactures a most palatable breakfast food from sweet potatoes, and the popularity of the product among the relative few who

have tried it indicates that a new factor in the distribution of the big potato crop Texas annually produces has been brought into being.

Texas Angora Goat Raisers Association is taking an active interest in the establishment of a mohair mill in Texas and has named a committee to investigate the possibilities. Texas, raising the bulk of the mohair produced in the United States, has not a single mill for its manufacture into finished products.

TODAY and TOMORROW

By Frank Parker Stockbridge

SHIRTS

The latest scheme to symbolize the anti-war movement is for everybody who is opposed to war to wear a green shirt. Mussolini and his followers wear a black shirt, the symbol of an organized dictatorship. Garibaldi, the Italian liberator, and his followers, wore red shirts, now the symbol of the Russian Communists. I have had an invitation from an organization called the "New

History Society" to buy a green shirt and become an Internationalist.

Personally, I don't think I shall put on a green shirt. The implication is that the wearer is not only opposed to war on general principles, but opposed to any kind of preparation for war and is, therefore, willing to hand his country over to anybody else who wants to take it. I think I will order a red-white-and-blue shirt with a star-spangled collar.

HOUSING

I look for another big building boom very soon after the loosening up of bank credits and frozen assets makes money available for housing purposes.

I think we are going to see some innovations in home construction methods in the next few years, which will make it possible for a larger percentage of people to become home owners. I know of several groups of home planners who think they are going to be able to build houses to sell for \$5,000 which will be better in every way than houses which now sell for from \$10,000 to \$15,000.

That is only one of the big

changes that are coming, and coming soon.

GOLD

The head of a big New York bank told me this story the other night:

"One of our large depositors came into the bank this morning and asked if we had a safe deposit box big enough to hold a million dollars in gold. I told him we had plenty of boxes of that size, which surprised him. We sat down and figured out how much space a million dollarsworth of pure gold would occupy. It worked out to a box seventeen and one-half inches square and thirteen and one-half inches high. That would hold four thousand and thirty-two pounds of gold, which is a little more than a million dollars.

"I asked him what he wanted to know for, and he said that he was going to put a million dollars into gold coin and take it out of circulation. I told him he was crazy, because if everybody did that his gold wouldn't be worth anything, but he insisted, so we got him the gold for him million-dollar check, and there it is down in our safe deposit vault, doing nobody any good, not even the owner, because he has to pay rent for the box and is getting no interest."

Which proves, if it proves anything, that all the fools aren't dead yet.

Kongential Kard Klub

To late for last week.

Saturday afternoon at 3:00 clock a group of girls met at the home of Miss Oza Gunn and organized the Kongential Kard Klub.

There will be twelve members with every second and fourth Saturday as regular meeting days. Miss Berdie Robertson was elected Social manager and Miss Ethry Dean reporter. After the business meeting, bridge was the diversion of the afternoon.

Attractive refreshments were served by the hostess at tea time.

Miss Birdie Lee Robertson was the guest of Miss Edna Edmondson at Valley View last week.

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The Company operates in a wide territory serving many different activities and, since electricity is such a necessity, the Company's service is always in demand.

No Inventories to Depreciate.
Electricity cannot be stored, it must be generated as used. No supply accumulates which may depreciate in value.

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Dividends are paid to stockholders by check mailed to the address of stockholders any place reached by the mails. The stockholder does not have to collect the earnings on his money.

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LOCALS

Loery Rebertson, of Midland, visited his father J. T. Robertson last week end.

Miss Edith Mae Woodard, of Roscoe, is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. J. W. King and family.

Moody Holden of A. C. C. at Abilene was in Loraine Sunday and preached an interesting sermon at the Church of Christ.

Mrs. J. T. Hock and daughter, Miss Dorothy, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Hayer of Sweetwater, spent the week end in Eastland and Putnam visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Willis and Miss Ethry Dean were Colorado visitors Saturday. Walter Hock of Abilene was visiting his parents in Loraine Monday.

R. H. Bennett and family and Miss Aleda McCune of the Barnett Community, attended services at the Baptist Church last Sunday and spent the remainder of the day in the R. E. Bennett home. Miss McCune is a member of the teaching corp of the Barnett school.

Free Soap only a few days—Hutchins and Hall

J. F. Rosborough of A. & M. College, W. S. Foster, county agent and Miss Sevier, county demonstration agent, were dinner guests in the R. E. Bennett home last Friday.

A demonstration in pruning peach trees and grape vines was given on the R. E. Bennett farm one and a half miles North of Loraine last Friday morning by J. F. Rosborough, horticulturist of A. & M. College. He also gave instructions on how to make and set out grape cuttings.

Mrs. L. P. Henderson and daughter, Mrs. E. M. Richardson of Big Spring, visited with relatives and friends in Loraine Friday.

Pat Roberts, of Coahoma, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

W. A. Honea, of Clyde, is visiting his children in Loraine this week and while in town paid the New office a visit. He states that everything near Clyde is fine.

Messrs W. R. and C. H. Martin left Tuesday for Hubbard, where they will probably locate.

G. B. Tarrt was in Big Spring on business Tuesday morning.

Free Soap, did you get yours?—Hutchins and Hall

Earl Montgomery, of Sylvester, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Montgomery.

Messrs H. K. Sadler, W. E. Honea and F. M. Richey spent last Friday evening in the E. M. Smiley home in the Landers Community.

L. J. Tillison and family moved to their farm North of Loraine last Wednesday.

I. D. Baird is reported to be real sick this week.

F. J. Piguet and family visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Green and family at Snyder Sunday.

Roy Holloway, of Midland, visited G. W. Hendrick Saturday.

Miss Bessie Hendrick spent the week end with Miss Ollie Manly at Abilene.

Mrs. J. B. Derryberry and son Homer left Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of her mother in Comanche County.

Walden Smith is serving the Rural Route in Derryberry absence.

W. S. Wimberly was in Midland on business last Thursday and Friday.

Ideal Face Soap two Bars for the price of one Hutchins and Hall

Miss Arpie Lee Ballard, of Snyder, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. W. W. Martin is on the sick list this week.

Leonard Lankford, of Roscoe, visited his brother F. C. Lankford Thursday.

S. A. Martin is here from Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Neeley, former Loraine residents, have moved back here from Stephens, Arkansas.

E. D. Hagar and son Wayne, of Sweetwater, visited relatives here Saturday.

Kenneth Amocker, of San Angelo was here Sunday visiting in the home of Mrs. S. E. Brown.

Mrs. S. D. Donnahoo is quite ill at her home near Loraine.

Mrs. L. J. Taylor and baby, of Colorado, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Smith Tuesday.

C. M. Thompson, C. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Griffith of Colorado and Mrs. T. R. Bennett visited relatives in Dublin Sunday.

Miss Ruthell Marshall is visiting friends and relatives in Cisco this week.

G. B. Tarrt and family visited relatives at Snyder Sunday.

Two cakes of soap for the price of one. Hutchins and Hall

BRUCE BIBLE CLASS

Twenty-six members were present in the Bruce Bible Class at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. 1 visitor, W. C. Walker, was also present.

The class is doing some excellent work under the direction of J. M. Bruce, who is the teacher.

All men in the community who are not attending Sunday School are given an urgent invitation to enroll as members of this live class.

Reporter

Gleaners S. S. Class

The Gleaners Sunday School met in its regular monthly meeting, Feb. 9 at 3 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. H. K. Sadler with Mrs. Clara Duke and Mrs. John Marshall as joint hostesses. The Devotional was led by Mrs. J. J. Land. She read the 121 Psalm subject was looking to God for strength. Closed by the Lords Prayer in concert.

Our President Mrs. William Martin being sick the Vice President Mrs. George Hutchins presided.

Minutes were read by our secretary Mrs. Roy Edwards. The class report 46 trays to sick and 83 sick visits.

After all business was transacted the meeting was turned over to the hostess who played one interesting game. Refreshments of a salad course was served to 17 members.

—Reporter.

Doss Enters Race For Tax Collector

Henry C. Doss, pioneer Colorado merchant, Tuesday afternoon announced that he had entered his candidacy for nomination to the office of county tax collector. He is seeking election subject to action of the Democratic primaries in July.

Doss is well known to a majority of the voters. He has been a resident citizen of Colorado over forty years. During twenty-five years of the time he was engaged in the mercantile business here. He served as county treasure for two terms, leaving records as a public official that was cited by auditors as commendable.

The candidate received his education in the Colorado public schools and at A. & M. College. His experience as manager of the business concern operated by him and as county treasurer have ably equipped him for duties going with the office.

"I am asking election to this office after mature consideration, realizing the responsibilities invol-

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For good Pigs see J. D. Yarbrough.

For Sale—I have some good bright maize for sale see A. Callahan at The News office.

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ved," Doss stated. "I shall deeply appreciate any favors accorded my candidacy by the people of Mitchell county. It is my hope to see every voter in person during the campaign. In the event I should fail to do so, it will not be because I was not interested in discussing my candidacy with you and personally soliciting your support."

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

B. Wilkerson was given a surprise Sunday when his wife invited in a number of friends for a birthday dinner in his honor. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Compton and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomas, and when all were assembled at the tempting table Mr. Wilkerson was informed that Old Father Time had brought around another seemingly forgotten birthday.

All enjoyed the splendid hospitality of that good home, the good feast and the pleasant conversation of the day, as the good neighbors swelled the crowd during the afternoon. One Present.

Mayme Taylor Announces For Re-election As Treasurer

Mrs. Mayme Taylor authorized the News this week to announce her candidacy for re-election to the office of County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary next July.

Her statement: "I wish to state to the people of Loraine and vicinity

that I deeply appreciate the many favors which have been conferred upon me by the voters of Mitchell County in the past. I am again a candidate for the office of County Treasurer.

I have enjoyed serving you in this capacity and have striven to serve you to the best of my ability, and if I am re-elected I will continue to give you the best I have. I sincerely solicit your vote and influence."

Announcements

The following candidates have authorized us to announce their candidacy for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

Frank D. Crownover

J. T. Draper

W. D. McCarley

R. L. May.

For Public Weigher, Precinct 5:

Ottis Muns

(Re-election)

For Tax Collector:

J. B. Holt

(Re-election)

Henry C. Doss

For County Clerk:

B. L. Templeton

(Re-election)

For District Judge, 32nd Dist.:

Fritz R. Smith

For District Clerk:

J. H. Ballard (Re-election)

For County Treasurer,

Mayme Taylor

Quality Chicks

Hatching Wednesday and Saturday
Reds, Rocks, Wyandottes 8c & 10c
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Eggs from Special Pen Mating
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See Them

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West on SW Quarter Section 26, Block 3, H&GN RY. Co. Warranty Deed, J. S. Martin et ux to Mrs. Martha A. Crawford S. half of SE Quarter Sec. 31, Block 24, T&P.

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Peaches, No. 2 1-2 can 18c

Apricots, No. 2 1-2 can 18c

Plums, No. 2 1-2 can Green Gage 18c

Oats, Mothers crystalware, aluminum, or china 30c

Oats, Crystal Wedding, same size as Mothers 25c

Corn, 2 cans Primrose 25c

Crackers, 2lb box Brown Graham, best kind 25c

Crackers, 2 lb box Brown 25c

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