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COWS AND MEN.
WHAT NAME FOR HOOVER?
THE DUKE BROTHERS.
FARMERS IN JAPAN.

Moosejaw, Saskatchewan, gave a dinner to honor Ben. H. Thomson in honor of his Holstein-Friesian cow, Canary Cordyke. They both deserved. The Saskatchewan government bought the cow for \$10,000.

Canary is world's champion in butter fat and gives enough milk in a day to last the average family a month. In 305 days, this wonder cow produced 1,080 pounds of butter and 26,396 pounds of milk.

Too bad there is no way of improving men's brains, as we improve cows' udders. Only time can do that, and time is slow. The average intelligence in the British House of Commons today, according to Lecky, is lower than the average of all the free men in Athens. Science goes ahead, man stays about where he was, a little less brutal, a little less selfish.

If Americans call President Coolidge "the silent President" what will they call Mr. Hoover? He has been elected President of the United States, will begin his work in less than two months, has been in Washington several days at work. How much has he talked? Not at all.

Eight years more of business without conversation will suit this country very well. We have had, at various times, considerable periods of conversation without business.

Sometimes farmers succeed, but usually they must leave the farm to do it.

Benjamin N. Duke, who died yesterday morning in his Fifth Avenue house in New York, began as a farmer, working with his brother, James Duke, on their father's farm. They grew tobacco, started a small factory, introduced cigarette making machinery, and made hundreds of millions. And, farmers, note this, they bossed the middle man instead of being bossed by him. Ask Mr. Hill of the American Tobacco Company or Mr. Belt of Lorillard's how that is done.

American farmers have their troubles, farmers in Japan have worse ones.

When our farmers complain Government at least MAKES PROMISES.

When thousands of Japanese peasants marched to express dissatisfaction, forty were shot dead and many wounded.

An intoxicated lady told the judge her trouble was due to an alcohol rub. She had swallowed nothing. Doctors said it was just possible, the judge excused her.

A gentleman, very drunk, led in by the policeman, told the judge, "My mistake was eating raisins while drinking ice cream soda." They let him go.

Prohibition develops new excuses.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to our many friends for their kindness shown us in the recent death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Kirkpatrick. The floral offerings beautifully express your sympathy. We wish to thank Judge Davidson and the Commissioners for their financial aid to her. Had she been able to use her own property help would not have been necessary. May Thy richest blessings be upon everyone.

Mrs. M. J. Leverett
Mrs. H. P. Vaughn

FULL PROGRAM OUTLINED FOR SCOUTS' WEEK

Activities For Each Day Of Anniversary Week Planned

WEEK OF FEB. 8-14

Renewal of Oath, Hike, Anti-Puncture Contest Features

Boy Scouts of Ozona will join Scouts all over America in observance of the 19th anniversary of Scouting in America with a full seven days program for Scout Anniversary Week February 8 to 14. The complete program for the week's observance was announced this week by the local Scout committee, headed by A. W. Jones as chairman.

All Scouts will be in uniform throughout the week, in school, at home and during their Scout activities. Since only a few of the local Scouts have their uniforms, Chris Meinecke has been asked by the committee to secure a number of complete uniforms to be here in time for the boys to get their outfits before the beginning of Scout week. The uniforms cost no more than ordinary boy's clothing, it was pointed out, and both parents and the boys will get more satisfaction from the uniforms.

The opening event in observance of Anniversary Week will be Anniversary Day, February 8th, when local Scouts will recommit themselves to the Scout oath simultaneously with Scouts all over America. Local Scouts will meet at the home of Rev. M. M. Fulmer at 8:15 Friday night, February 8th, and will take the Scout oath by radio. It is understood that the Scouts will be led in the oath by a nationwide radio hook-up. Following the re-dedication exercises, the Scouts will be addressed by Rev. Fulmer.

Saturday, February 9, has been designated as Mobilization Day. Local Scouts will observe this day with a hike to Fort Lancaster. Sunday will be Scout Sunday, with special services in all local churches. The principal Scout Sunday exercises will be held at the Methodist church, however, and all Scouts are asked to be present in uniform, and they will be asked to act as ushers before the services open.

Monday is School Day. The Scouts will have special exercises, possibly leading in a fire drill and rescue demonstration, at school. On this day also the Scouts will be in charge of the program at the regular meeting of the Lions Club at noon. A picked group of Scouts will be on hand to present a special program to the club.

Tuesday, February 12, is Patriots Day. This day will be observed locally with a public Court of Honor to be held at the Methodist Church. First and second class badges will be awarded at this service. All parents and the public in general is invited to be present for this program. A. W. Jones, chairman of the Scout Committee, will be in charge of the program, with M. H. McMasters, Scout Executive for the Ranch District, Rex Russell, local Scoutmaster, and H. B. Matthews, Assistant Scoutmaster, assisting.

Wednesday will be Citizens Day or Civic Good Turn Day. "On this day the Scouts will engage in an anti-puncture campaign. They will cover the principal streets and alleys of the town picking up nails, sharp pieces of glass or iron that might cause a puncture. A suitable prize will possibly be awarded to the boy picking up the largest quantity of articles which might cause punctures. The collection picked up by the boys will be displayed in the Joe Oberkamp window a few days after the contest closes.

The last day of Anniversary Week, Thursday, February 14, will be observed as Home Day and Industrial Day locally. On this day the boys will do a good turn for his mother at home and spend the evening at home with his parents.



J. K. Madsen Wins Many Prizes In Ogden, Utah, Show

The following clipping from a Mt. Pleasant, Utah, paper was received this week by J. W. Owens from Jno. K. Madsen of Mt. Pleasant, Utah, prominent Rambouillet Sheep breeder, who has exhibited and sold sheep at the Crockett County Show and Sale the last two years:

Mount Pleasant breeders were successful at the great annual livestock show at Ogden this week and they carried most of the prizes awarded for Rambouillet sheep. W. H. Brettell, livestock superintendent of the University of Wyoming, at Laramie, was judge of the breeding sheep and the individual fat lambs.

"The Rambouillet came first at this show," he said, "and the exhibits of John K. Madsen and W. D. Candland and Sons, both of Mount Pleasant, are strictly first class. Mr. Madsen won the premier honors in nearly all the classes. His animals show great uniformity of type, have fleeces of wonderful character, and are in fine condition. Mr. Candland's exhibit, while strictly high class, lacked the wealth of condition and the character of the fleece found in the Madsen sheep.

"The Madsen flocks had both champion ewe and champion ram, and also took first in aged flock, in the pen of four lambs bred by the exhibitor, and pen of four lambs get of one sire.

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS FEB. 10th.

During the day, all local Scouts will be conducted on a tour of certain business houses of the city where they might receive some instruction in these phases of industry. A tentative list of firms to be visited includes the West Texas Utilities Company, Wilson Motor Company, The Ozona Stockman, Jones Saddlery, Flowers Grocery and Bakery, and Joe Oberkamp. The managers of each of these firms will act as hosts to the boys during their brief visit and will show them through the business and explain some of the details of methods and process used. The boys during these visits will be under Scout rules, attended by the Scoutmaster and will be required to stand at attention during each visit.

The local Scout Committee is composed of A. W. Jones, chairman, Will Baggett, P. T. Robison, Pon Seahorn, and John L. Bishop.

Mrs. Nelson Buys Christoval Resort

To Take Charge Of The Healthatorium On February 1

Mrs. Andy Nelson announced this week that she had purchased the Mineral Wells Healthatorium at Christoval. She left Wednesday to take over management of the resort on February 1.

Mrs. Nelson is a practical nurse with many years experience here and it is predicted that the resort will be a signal success under her management.

The Healthatorium is the original sanitarium established at the mineral wells in Christoval. It is known all over West Texas and has handled patients from all over the state.

Recent Bride Is Honored Guest At Bridge-Forty-Two

Mrs. Joe T. Davidson entertained with bridge and forty-two honoring Mrs. Kay Piner, a recent bride, Tuesday afternoon at the Hotel Ozona. The honoree wore a frock of blue velvet with accessories to match and a corsage of sweet peas, a gift from the groom. The room was decorated in white wedding bells with pink and green streamers. The table decorations were also pink and green with pink and green mints in baskets to resemble roses. The refreshments carried out the color scheme with sweet peas and fern favors.

Those present were: Mesdames L. B. Adams, Joe Oberkamp, James Farr of Big Lake, Charles Coates, Victor Pierce, W. J. Grimmer, Chas. E. Davidson, Jr., Monroe Baggett, S. E. Couch, J. W. North, Clay Adams, Clayton Powell, Ralph Meinecke, Hurst Meinecke, Evert White, Fred Haiffey, T. A. Kincaid, Jr., L. J. Kittle, Morris Dudley, George Montgomery, C. C. Coates, Rusty Smith, Joe Pierce, Jr., Arthur Phillips, Lee Childress, Welton Bunker, Bryan McDonald, N. W. Graham, Tom Smith, Marshall Brown, Albert Kay, A. E. Deland, O. G. Lewis, Bruce Drake, Mary Perner, L. L. Bewley, Max Schneemann, C. C. Montgomery, Ross Brison, Pon Seahorn, Paul Perner, Miss Hester Bunker and Miss Mary Augustine.

Mrs. Mary Childress is recovering from an attack of the flu.

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS FEB. 10th.

Oil Fields "Bad Man" Finds Crockett's 210 Lb. Sheriff Also Bad

A man giving his name as Richard White and his residence as one of the oil field towns to the north found Ozona a little better policed than he had expected last Saturday night. In fact, from all accounts, the "bad man" visitor had imbibed of so much "white mule" that a 210-pound sheriff looked like a pigmy to him, and when this pee-wee sheriff advised him to store his car for the night and sleep off his drunk in the hotel, his dignity was so outraged that he decided to give the offending officer "a good kicking."

But then he was due for a surprise. Instead of giving Sheriff W. S. Willis a "good kicking," the sheriff urged the "bad man" across the park and to the county jail with a few well directed thrusts of the boot toe and furnished him a free bed in which to sleep off the drunk.

White and a companion, a doctor from the oil town, were arrested after they had collided with an automobile belonging to Rob Miller, parked in front of the Miller home. The men were rounded up and after White had been jailed, the doctor was released after he promised to go to bed and to sober up before he attempted to drive the car. A charge of drunkenness has been filed against White.

Not satisfied with the Sheriff's methods in piloting him across the park, White, at the foot of the stairs at the jail told Willis that he would need help to get him up the stairs. Again he misjudged the Crockett Sheriff, however, and in about sixty seconds he was securely locked in a cell in the county jail.

"Well, you did get me up," was his only comment.

New Building Under Construction Will House Tailor Shop

A new building to house the Ozona Tailor Shop is being constructed on the lot between the Ozona Steam Laundry and the postoffice.

The building, which occupied the entire vacancy between these two buildings, is to be of concrete, stuccoed, with concrete floors and plate glass windows. It is expected to be finished in the next few weeks.

A new drug store is reported to have leased the building now occupied by the tailor shop and will open for business in that location as soon as the building is vacated.

WMS Committees Are Appointed

Local Society To Be On Program At Zone Meet In Sonora

During the month of January the Woman's Missionary Society has held meetings in the homes of Mrs. Hugh Childress, Mrs. W. B. Baggett and Mrs. E. B. Ingham. The attendance has been good. Refreshments were served at each meeting.

The following committees were named:

Program Committee: Mrs. V. I. Pierce, Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mrs. Fayette Schwalbe.

Membership Committee: Mrs. R. R. Dudley, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. Early Baggett.

Social Service Committee: Mrs. C. L. Williams, Mrs. M. B. Flowers, Mrs. L. D. Brooks.

Financial Committee: Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. Floyd Henderson.

Local Committee: Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Mrs. Bright Baggett, Mrs. Roy Henderson.

Prayer Committee: Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Harry J. Friend, Mrs. P. L. Childress.

Mrs. J. H. Meredith was appointed Voice Agent; Mrs. J. R. Bailey, Zone Program Committeeman from this Auxilliary; and Mrs. P. L. Childress, to care for the communion service.

The Pledge is to remain at \$100. Rev. Meredith is to teach the Mission Study Course, The Methodist Evangel, beginning the first Wednesday in February.

The Superintendent of Local Work has spent \$14.20 in helping a poor family.

The fifth Wednesday of January will be turned over to the Superintendent of Local Work, Mrs. J. R. Bailey, who is planning a social to be held on the ground floor of the church. All members of the W. M. S. are especially invited and any other women who would like to come will be gladly welcomed.

On Thursday, January 31, the Zone Meeting will be held at Sonora. The following numbers are to be given by the Ozona Auxilliary:

Duty of Superintendent of Children's Work—Mrs. W. C. Brock.

Duty of Voice Agent—Mrs. J. H. Meredith.

Special Music—Mrs. V. I. Pierce. Inspirational Talk on Leadership—Rev. J. H. Meredith.

This meeting is to be called "Officer's Training Day," and it is hoped that Ozona will be well represented. Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr., and Mrs. P. L. Childress are the committeemen to notify the members.

—Mrs. J. A. Fussell, Reporter.

Two Cars Destroyed By Fire Near Here Tuesday Morning

Two automobiles were destroyed by fire near here Tuesday morning of this week, both presumably as a result of short circuits in the wiring.

A Marmon sedan belonging to Milas Hamby, mechanic at the Grimmer Motor Company, was found a charred ruin in the draw on the El Paso road in the western edge of the town.

A Buick coupe belonging to Z. H. Eppler, employed on the Floyd Henderson ranch north of town, was also destroyed by fire Tuesday morning near the Henderson ranch. Mr. Eppler was driving the car when it burst into flames.

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Joe Oberkamp entertained the Friday Bridge Club last week at her home. She served tongue salad in tiny carts made of cakes and candy, sandwiches, olives and chocolate. Those present were: Mesdames Strick Harvick, Roy Henderson, S. E. Couch, L. J. Kittle, Lee Childress, L. B. Adams, Joe Pierce, Jr., George Montgomery, C. C. Coates, Tom Smith, Bryan McDonald, Joe T. Davidson, Victor Pierce, W. J. Grimmer, Early Baggett and Evert White.

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It is not enough to be industrious; so are the ants. What are you industrious about?—Thoreau.

Newspapers circulating in West Texas are carrying news of paving projects underway in many counties and towns throughout the western part of the state. Highways and city streets are being paved, living up to the slogan "get West Texas out of the mud." Hundreds of thousands of dollars in state and federal aid are being secured by West Texas counties to carry out their paving projects. The spirit of progress has taken a firm hand. The modern demand for public improvements to keep pace with the development of the western half of the state is being met without further delay.

But here is the painful fact for the people of Crockett County who read these accounts of progress in other counties—this county is always conspicuously absent from the list. Counties all around Crockett are in the midst of or contemplating early action on paving projects, but this county is still snoozing, content to lag behind, splash through the mud or struggle through the bogs and be the blacksheep of West Texas counties.

The Boy Scouts of America celebrates its nineteenth birthday on February 8. The week of February 8 through 14 will be observed as Boy Scout Anniversary Week. Year by year Scouting has progressed until the Movement now has more than six hundred thousand boys, and more than two hundred thousand men enrolled. The Organization seeks to build character in boys and to train them for the duties of citizenship. Nearly four million American boys

have been Scouts since 1910. Boy Scout Anniversary Week this year will be of special significance because, in addition to marking the nineteenth birthday of the Boy Scouts of America, it also marks the "coming of age" of the Boy Scout Movement internationally. With a record of twenty-one years of world-wide service, under the leadership of Sir Robert Baden Powell, Chief Scout of the world, and with forty-three nations represented in the International Scout Bureau of London, England, the Boy Scout Movement claims to be the greatest united effort in behalf of boys of which history holds record. At present there are more than one million eight hundred thousand Boy Scouts in the world, with the Boy Scouts of America leading in enrollment with more than eight hundred thousand.

During the nineteen years of Scouting's history in America, millions of boys have been benefited. No one can tell just how much they have benefited but there is no doubt that most of them are better men, physically, mentally and morally, than they would have been if they had not been Scouts. Through the Boy Scout Movement the desire for right living is implanted in the boys' heart. Valuable training, mental and physical, is also received, starting a Scout towards manhood with higher ideals and more practical knowledge than he would otherwise possess.

Thousands of sentimental people in San Antonio are now trying to save the life of a man who shot and killed one of the best and most efficient officers in the city. This defendant was given every benefit of a fair trial, found guilty by jury and failed to get a new trial when the case was carried to the higher courts. There is no ques-

tion that he killed the man and should be none about what punishment should be inflicted. He has been sentenced to the electric chair and to reduce the sentence would be a miscarriage of justice.—Del Rio Herald.

The New Country Doctor

The country doctor has always been invested with much romance. His willingness to make any sacrifice for a patient, his general ability and kindness, have been the theme of song and story. Yet it is true that despite all the admirable qualities of the country doctor, he was unable to keep in touch with what medicine had discovered since he left training school, and had to rely upon old remedies. The Albany Medical College seeks an endowment of \$2,000,000, the chief aim being the creation of facilities which will enable practicing physicians, and especially rural doctors, to keep abreast with the progress of medical science through graduate work.

The old-fashioned practitioner is disappearing and the medical authorities hope to supply in his place well-trained physicians who will have the opportunities for continued study, now available only in metropolitan areas, in their county seats. This development will bring to those on isolated farms more effective aid than they ever before have had in reach. The auto from the county seat can answer calls more quickly than the buggy from the neighboring village.

In time country medical practice will be as efficient as city medical practice. The county seats will have their hospitals and specialists serving a wider area than former methods of communication would have made it possible to serve. No longer does it seem impossible for a distant patient to reach a hospital.

Twice as many married women work now as worked in 1890. Or, to put it another way, twice as many avoid the hardest work of all—housework.

The World Congress of Cooks is now meeting in Paris. Evidently selected the city because of the rumor that many things over there were raw.

CRUISE FOR ALL—ALL FOR CRUISE!
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 BIBLE THOUGHT AND PRAYER
 If parents will have their children memorize the daily Bible selections, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in after years.

BEGINNING OF CHRIST'S MINISTRY

Matthew 4:17. From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, Repent: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

Mark 4:26-29. And he said, So is the kingdom of God, as if man should cast seed into the ground; 27. And should sleep, and rise night and day, and the seed should spring and grow up, he knoweth not how. 28. For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear. 29. But when the fruit is brought forth, immediately he putteth in the sickle, because the harvest is come.

Luke 17:21. Neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for, behold, the kingdom of God is within you.

PRAYER: Enable us, O Lord, to turn from all sin to Thee with full purpose of and endeavor after new obedience.

A Cincinnati thief stole 25 pairs of shoes, gnawing the left toe out of ten more pairs. Evidently figured that's how the bootleggers get their stuff.

A German actor, Parlatus, has broken the endurance speaking record, it is said, talking continuously for more than .45 hours. We're proud to say that many obscure American women could probably outdo him in any fair contest.

A prediction has been made that soon dresses will be sold in the 5 and 10 cent stores. Considering the amount of material that goes in them now, it doesn't seem an unlikely development.

9,000 girls in Ireland have joined a modesty crusade and promise not to wear short skirts. We may prepare for a new influx of Irishmen to these shores.



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SYNOPSIS

Buck Duane, quick on the draw, kills Cal Bain in self-defense and finds himself an outlaw. Flying from pursuit, he meets Luke Stevens, another outlaw, and the two become pals. Luke narrowly escapes capture and Duane is shocked to find his brother outlaw severely wounded.

Duane buries Stevens. Then he goes on to Bland's camp, where he gets into a fight with a man called Bosomer and wounds the latter. He makes a friend with an outlaw at Bland's called Euchre, who tells him of Mrs. Bland and the girl Jennie.

Duane meets Jennie, and promises to try his utmost to get her away from Bland's camp. To avert suspicion, it is planned that he pretend to care for Mrs. Bland. Euchre introduces him to the latter and he engages in conversation with her.

Buck plays the game, making Mrs. Bland think he loves her. To avert Bland's suspicion, Mrs. Bland pretends to her husband that Buck has come to visit Jennie. Bland urges Buck to become a regular member of his outlaw gang.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
A quarrel later develops in which Duane kills Bland and rushes off with Jennie after a terrific struggle with Mrs. Bland. He plans to leave Jennie in good hands until a relative or friend is located, and then go on alone on the trail. He keeps careful guard over her.

SIXTH INSTALLMENT

About the middle of the afternoon Jennie awoke. They cooked

a meal, and afterward she sat beside the little fire. She had never been, in his observation of her, anything but a tragic figure, an unhappy girl, the farthest removed from serenity and poise. That characteristic capacity for agitation struck him as stronger in her this day. He attributed it, however, to the long strain, the suspense nearing an end. Yet sometimes, when her eyes were on him, she did not seem to be thinking of her freedom, of her future.

"This time tomorrow you'll be in Shelbyville," he said.

"Where will you be?" she asked quickly.

"Me? Oh, I'll be making tracks for some lonesome place," he replied.

The girl shuddered. "I've been brought up in Texas. I remember what a hard lot the men of my family had. But poor as they were, they had a roof over their heads, a hearth with a fire, a warm bed—somebody to love them."

"And you, Duane, oh, my God! What your life must be! You must ride and hide and watch eternally. No decent food, no pillow, no friendly word, no clean clothes, no woman's hand! Horses, guns, trails, rocks, holes—these must be the important things in your life. You must go on riding, hiding, killing until you meet—"

She ended with a sob and dropped her head on her knees. Duane was amazed, deeply touched.

"My girl, thank you for that thought of me," he said, with a tremor in his voice. "You don't know how much that means to me."

She raised her face and it was tear-stained, eloquent, beautiful.

"I've heard tell—the best of men go to the bad out there. You won't. Promise me you won't. I never knew any man—like you. I—I—we may never see each other again—after today. I'll never forget you. I'll pray for you and I'll never give up trying to—to do something."

"Don't despair. It's never too late. It was my hope that kept me alive—out there at Bland's—before you came. I was only a poor weak girl. But if I could hope—so can you. Stay away from men! Be a lone wolf! Fight for your life! Stick out your exile—and maybe—some day—"

Then she lost her voice. Duane clasped her hand, and with feeling as deep as her promised to remember her words. In her despair for him she had spoken wisdom—pointed out the only course.

Duane's vigilance, momentarily broken by emotion, had no sooner reasserted itself than he discovered the bay horse, the one Jennie rode had broken his halter and gone off. The soft wet earth had deadened the sound of his hoofs. His tracks were plain in the mud. There were clumps of mesquite in sight, among which the horse might have strayed. It turned out however, that he had not done so.

Duane did not want to leave Jennie alone in the cabin, so near the road. So he put her up on his horse and bade her follow. The rain had ceased for the time being, though evidently the storm was not yet over. The tracks led up a wash to a wide flat where mesquite, prickly pear, and thornbush grew so thickly that Jennie could not ride into it.

Duane was thoroughly concern-

ed. He must have her horse. Time was flying. It would soon be night. He could not expect her to scramble through that brake on foot. Therefore he decided to risk leaving her at the edge of the thicket and go in alone.

Suddenly there came an unmistakable thump of horses' hoofs off somewhere to the fore.

Then a scream rent the air. It ended abruptly. Duane leaped forward and tore his way through the thorny brake. He heard Jennie cry again—an appealing call quickly hushed. It seemed more to his right, and he plunged that way.

He burst into a glade where a smoldering fire and ground covered with footprints and tracks showed that campers had lately been. Rushing across this he broke his passage out to the open. But he was too late.

His horse had disappeared. Jennie was gone. There was no rider in sight. There was no sound.

It came to him then like a blow that he loved the girl. For three long and terrible years Buck Duane rode up and down the Texas border.

His fame grew steadily until he was the most noted and most misrepresented outlaw of his day. Hundreds of men in the border towns claimed friendship with him. Every honest rancher between Brownsville and El Paso would have been glad to shake his hand and hide him. Every outlaw along the river feared him; every crooked gambler in the monte dens played fair when Duane happened to drop in; every imitation bad man in the southwest of Texas wanted to kill him, bragged on his name, hunted him when fired by drink.

The better half of that widely scattered populace especially in localities Duane had visited, was loath to believe him perpetrator of the crimes laid to him. The ignorant and outlawed class fastened

on his name all the rustling, hold-ups, robberies, murders, when direct evidence did not point on someone else.

In a sense, the reputation of ev- (Continued on Page 6)

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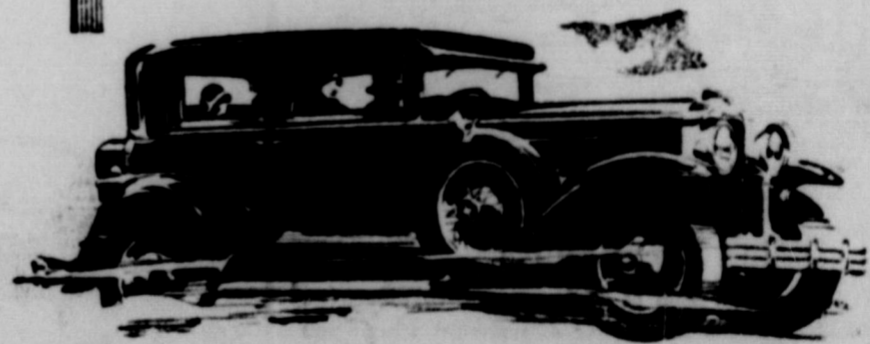
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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brother Horace W. Busby, our evangelist, is now in a fine revival at Del Rio, and will come directly here from there. Brother Busby needs no introduction as he has visited and conducted revivals here for the last eight years. But I just wanted to warn you that our revival will start the 10th of February. Our services next Sunday will essentially be pre-revival in spirit. I will deliver the last two sermons of the series on "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ."

Bible study 10 a.m. Watch us grow.
 Morning discourse 11 a.m.
 Communion service 11:50 a.m.
 Training service 6:30 p.m.
 Mid-week service Wednesday 3 p. m. and 7:30 p.m.
 —W. R. Swinney, Minister.

Both Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Sr., are ill. Mrs. Henderson has been ill for several days and Mr. Henderson was taken sick Monday.

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Miss Ethel Kaderli, English teacher in the Ozona Schools, left last Thursday morning for Stanton in response to a message that her parents there were ill.

Rev. M. M. Fulmer and E. B. Lumpkin attended a Lions Club meeting in Abilene last week at which Benjamin A. Ruffin, president of International Lions Clubs was a speaker.

Miss Mattie D. Word left this morning for Dallas where she will enter college. She was accompanied to San Angelo by her father, H. O. Word.

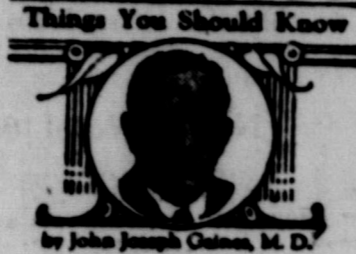
CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS FEB. 10th.

Mrs. E. E. Stricklen and daughter, Miss Carcie Stricklen of Austin, former residents of Ozona, spent several days here last week visiting friends.

Waydelle Hill of San Angelo, former prescription clerk in the Smith drug stores here, was a visitor in Ozona last week-end.

Lee Wilson, proprietor of the Wilson Motor Company, and pilot of his own plane, attended the opening of the municipal airport at San Angelo last week, flying back by way of San Angelo from Dallas where he went on business.

About Your Health
 Things You Should Know



by John Joseph Quinn, M. D.

FEEDING THE AGED

Old age is in reality a second childhood. The infant needs certain food-elements to sustain and produce growth; it will tolerate even more than is needed. But the aged need only sustenance, and cannot comfortably bear more food than that necessary to sustain life. Perhaps it is instinct that leads the old man to insist on the plainest, most nourishing, unstimulating diet.

If grandpa insists on his corn-bread and milk, don't deny him; if he just must have roast potato, you need not call him a back number because he abhors scalloped potatoes. If you cajole him into eating some new-fangled dish with a little of everything in it, yet no real fuel for the waning fire, you may give him an alarming fit of indigestion away into the night. If he refuses shrimp salad, try him on graham mush!

The oldest machine of today, was probably built out of the best material at the outset. It has lasted this long by being properly housed, its joints correctly lubricated, no overloads having been heaped upon it, and, having had the proper fuel for its engine. If you desire your (human) machine to last a long time, do nothing to hinder its normal action. It is easy to indulge appetites, but not so easy to rid ourselves of the effects of over-indulgence.

By giving your aged ancestor the food he likes, you are adding to his comfort and longevity, besides gathering blessing on yourself that are mighty nice to have, freak dieting is harmful at any age.

A member of the faculty in a London medical college was appointed an honorary physician to the king. He proudly wrote a notice on the blackboard in his classroom:

"Professor Jennings informs his students that he has been appointed honorary physician to His Majesty, King George."

When he returned to the classroom in the afternoon he found written below his notice this line: "God save the King!"—EX.

LOST—Bay horse, about 15 hands high. Branded "HF" on left shoulder. Lost between Sonora and Ozona about two months ago. Reward for return to Ralph Jones, or notify Ozona Stockman. 42-3tp.

See the New Spring Dresses at Mrs. Sorrels Beauty Shop.

Visitor—"Are you anxious for your term to expire?"

Convict—"No; I'm in for life."

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS FEB. 10th.

Othro Adams was a business visitor from San Angelo this week.

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL

BEGINS FEB. 10th.

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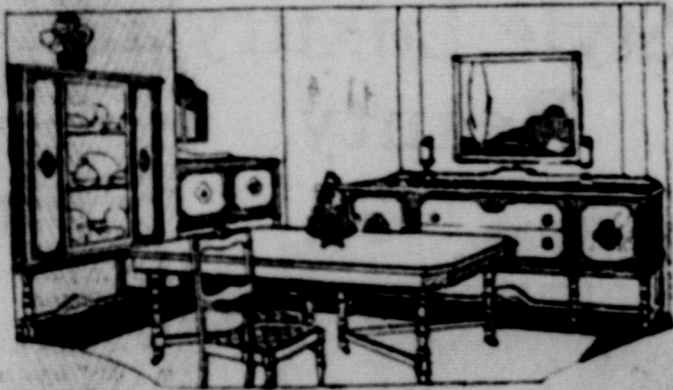
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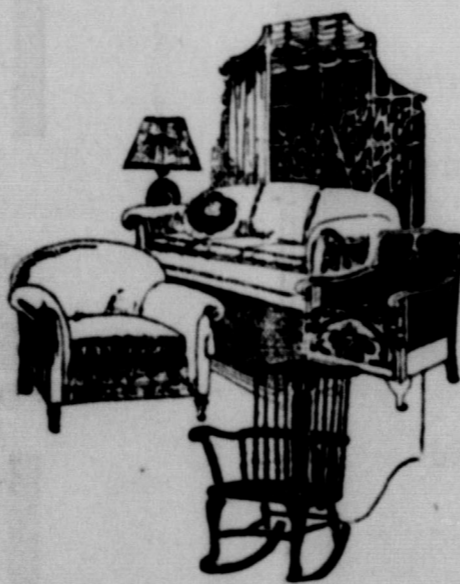
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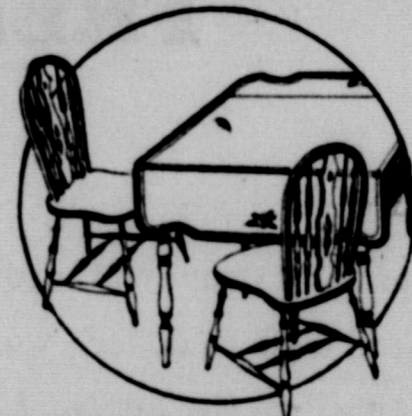
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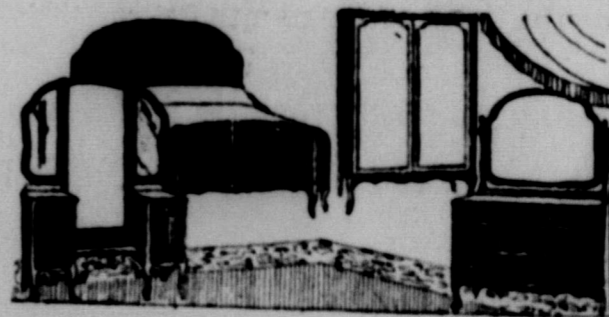
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A nice selection of breakfast room furniture in all colors and designs from **\$24.75 to \$76**



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CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS FEB. 10th.

The regular meeting of the Ozona chapter of the Eastern Star will take place on the 3rd Tuesday night of each month.

STRICTLY Confidential by Love

Are They Old Enough?

Dear Miss Vera, We are girls 14 to 15 years of age and not bad looking. Are we old enough to go with the boys? How old should a girl be when she lets a boy take her home? Is a boy of 21 too old to keep company with a girl of fifteen? Is it all right for a girl of 14 to go car riding with a boy alone? How can I take another girl's fellow? Is it right for a sister to try to take her other sister's fellows? B AND B

Dear B and B, you are old enough to have as many friends as you like, boys and girls. Do not devote yourself to any particular boy friend unless it is with the consent of your parents. It is a nice courtesy for a young man to take home a girl of any age.

A boy of 21 is not necessarily too old for a girl of 15. The difference of only six years is not great. The only way to win a boy's love is to be lovable—there are no "methods". You shouldn't want to take another girl's fellow, especially your sister's.

Deeply in Love

Dear Miss Vera, I love a boy dearly. I have never been very popular. When I talk with a boy I can't think of anything to say and when I leave him I think of all the things I should have said. What is the cause of this?

The boy I love is a fine young man, not in my home town at the present. Would it be all right for me to write him a letter or should I wait for him to write? I love him so much and often wonder if

he ever thinks of me. I just can't think of losing him.

DOUBTING GENE

Dear Doubting Gene, you are simply a bit shy and self-conscious—this will disappear as you get older. Perhaps you only imagine that you are unpopular. It will help a great deal if you get that thought out of your head. Act naturally at all times. Make no special effort to "impress" anyone and you may find yourself doing it.

It would be best for you to wait for him to write to you. If you do write him just make it a brief inquiry as to how he is getting on, etc., and say that you would like to hear from him.

NOTICE

YATES AND WEST TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY hereby give notice that on January 12, 1929, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C. its application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing the construction and operation of a line of railroad from a point on or near the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railroad at or near the town of Rankin in a southerly direction to a point south of the town of Iraan, a distance of approximately 30 miles, all in Upton, Crockett, and Pecos Counties, Texas.

YATES & WEST TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY

By: W. A. Moncrief, President. Toddie L. Wynne, Vice-Pres. 43-3tc.

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS FEB. 10th.

PRAIRIE DOG NOTICE!

The Commissioners Court is again giving notice that Prairie Dogs in Crockett County must be exterminated. The County has on hand quite a quantity of strychnine purchased at wholesale prices and will turn it over to the taxpayers at cost to county. The county clerk has charge of it.

This notice is not meant to require operations at once, but merely as notice to all parties that the court will insist that every prairie dog in Crockett County be killed during the next six months.

Chas. E. Davidson, County Judge. 32-4f

Miss Floy Friend, student in S. M. U., is spending the week-end in Ozona with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Friend.

Silas Izard, owner of a monument works in San Angelo, was here on business the first of the week.

See Mrs. Sorrels for your Spring Permanent Waves. Fredric or Eugene. No scalp burns. Also other beauty work.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the people of Ozona for the many acts of kindness and expression of sympathy and for the many beautiful floral offerings on the occasion of the recent death of Mrs. M. J. Kirkpatrick. The Family.

Mrs. Lee Wilson attended the opening ceremonies of the San Angelo Airport last Friday.

METHODIST NOTES PREACHING SERVICES Sunday morning at 11 a.m. followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Hi-League at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30.

J. H. Meredith.

MONUMENTS

If you are contemplating erecting a monument over the grave of a loved one, see Silas Izard, San Angelo's leading monument works since 1899. For sample of our work see the monument on the grave of the late W. E. Smith. SILAS IZARD, San Angelo, Tex. It. vcharotheLlo.fth 0.

Mrs. Marshall Brown of Midland is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson.

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"Last Of The Duanes"

ery famous outlaw developed by these wild years had suffered more or less from this natural exaggeration and misrepresentation. But no outlaw before him had ever had such a host of admirers and partisans who fiercely gave the lie to any accusation of robbery or crime attributed to him.

It was widely known that he had never earned a dollar in his outlaw career. It was sworn by many and reputable men that he had never stolen one. Few towns or villages on that border had no storekeeper who had not a tale to tell about Duane, the Lone Wolf.

One afternoon, from the top of a long hill, Duane saw the green fields and trees and shining roofs of a town he considered must be Shirley; and at the bottom of the hill he came upon an intersecting road. There was a placard nailed on the cross-road sign-post. Duane drew rein near it and leaned close to read the faded print:

\$1,000 REWARD FOR BUCK DUANE DEAD OR ALIVE

Peering closer to read the finer more faded print, Duane learned that he was wanted for the murder of Mrs. Jeff Aiken at her ranch near Shirley. The month of September was named, but the date was illegible. The reward was offered by the woman's husband, whose name appeared, with that of a sheriff's, at the bottom of the placard.

Duane read the thing twice. When he straightened he was sick with the horror of his fate, wild with passion at those misguided fools who could believe that he had harmed a woman.

When Duane reached the crossing of the roads the name Fairfield on the sign-post seemed to be the thing that tipped the oscillating balance of decision in favor of that direction. He answered here to unfathomable impulse.

In Duane's state of mind clear reasoning, common sense, or keenness were out of the question. He went because he felt that he was compelled.

Dusk had fallen when he rode into a town which inquiry discovered to be Fairfield. Captain MacNelly's camp was stationed just out of the village limits on the other side.

No one except the boy Duane questioned seemed to notice his arrival. Like Shirley, the town of Fairfield was large and prosperous compared to the innumerable hamlets dotting the vast extent of southwest Texas. As Duane rode through, being careful to get off the main street, he heard the tolling of a church bell that was a melancholy reminder of his old home.

There did not appear to be any camp on the outskirts of the town. But as Duane sat his horse, peering around and undecided what further move to make, he caught the glint of flickering lights through the darkness.

Heading toward them, he rode perhaps a quarter of a mile to come upon a grove of mesquites. The brightness of several fires made the surrounding darkness all the blacker. Duane saw the moving forms of men and heard horses. He advanced naturally, expecting any moment to be halted.

"Who goes there?" came the sharp call out of the gloom.

Duane pulled his horse. The gloom was impenetrable.

"One man—alone," replied Duane.

"A stranger?"

"What do you want?"

"I'm trying to find the ranger camp."

"You've struck it. What's your errand?"

"I want to see Captain MacNelly."

"Get down and advance. Slow

Don't move your hands. It's dark, but I can see."

Duane dismounted and, leading his horse, slowly advanced a few paces. He saw a dully bright object, a gun, before he discerned the man who held it. A few more steps showed a dark figure blocking the trail. Here Duane halted.

"Come closer, stranger. Let's have a look at you," the guard ordered curtly.

Duane advanced again until he stood before the man. Here the ray of the light from the fire flickered upon Duane's face fantastically.

"Reckon you're a stranger all right. What's your name and business with the captain?"

Duane hesitated, pondering what best to say.

"Tell Captain MacNelly I'm the man he's been asking to ride into his camp after dark," finally said Duane.

The ranger bent forward to peer harder at this night visitor. His manner had been alert and now it became tense.

"Come here—one of you men—quick," he called without turning in the least toward the camp-fire.

"Hello! What's up, Pickens?" came the swift reply.

It was followed by rapid thud of boots on soft ground. A dark form crossed the gleams from the firelight. Then a ranger loomed up, to reach the side of the guard.

Duane heard whispering, the purport of which he could not catch. The second ranger swore under his breath. Then he turned away and started back.

"Here, ranger, before you go, understand this. My visit is peaceful—friendly, if you'll let it be. Mind, I was asked to come here after dark."

Duane's clear, penetrating voice carried far. The listening rangers at the camp-fire heard what he said.

"Ho, Pickens—tell that fellow to wait," replied an authoritative voice.

Then a slim figure detached itself from the dark, moving group at the camp-fire and hurried out.

"Better be foxy, Cap," shouted a ranger in warning.

"Shut up—all of you," was the reply.

This officer, obviously Captain MacNelly, soon joined the two rangers who were confronting Duane. He had no fear. He strode up to Duane.

"I'm MacNelly," he said. "If you're the man don't mention your name—yet."

All this seemed so strange to Duane, in keeping with much that had happened lately.

"Buck Duane! It's you?" he whispered eagerly.

"Yes."

"If I give my word you'll not be arrested—you'll be treated fairly—will you come into camp and consult with me?"

"Certainly."


"Duane, I'm sure glad to meet you," went on MacNelly and extended his hand.

Amazed and touched, scarcely realizing this actuality, Duane gave his hand and felt no unmistakable grip of warm.

"It doesn't seem natural, Captain MacNelly, but I believe I'm glad to meet you," said Duane soberly. "You will be. Now we'll go back to camp. Keep your identity mum for the present."

He led Duane in the direction of the camp-fire.

(Continued Next Week)




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THE TOWN DOCTOR SAYS

OLD-FASHIONED IDEAS WILL NOT STAND THE GAFF OF MODERN BUSINESS

Before he could dream of discovery Columbus had to cleanse his mind of superstition and prejudice. Only the man willing to free himself from the shackles of "what used to be" is ready to entertain the new ideas which lead to progress.

In every branch of science, of business, of art, and even of sport, this is true.

Community progress is not less in the hands of the discoverers. The great advances have been made by men who explored new fields, unfettered by prejudice or tradition, for a prejudice blinds a

man to the truth and, too, to a prejudiced man no argument appears reasonable.

The advice of scientific business is to investigate yourself, your business and your town.

New business, new towns, are fortunate in not being fettered with old traditions and ideas, fortunate that they have no barnacles on their ships; but many towns date back a long way and too often refuse to accept new ideas and new ways of doing things. For that reason they fail to grow, fail to advance and keep pace with modern times. Existing in a modern day with thoughts, ideas and ways of doing things of the past modern opportunities are not recognized.

Old-fashioned ideas will not stand the gaff of modern business. If you are going to grow and do business with modern people you

have to be modern, for new-fashioned buyers avoid old-fashioned sellers. The old-fashioned people and old-fashioned business will soon be gone and then "What is, will cease to be," for the town that has not kept up to and ahead of date.

Old-fashioned does not necessarily mean older people. It does mean those people who, because their grandfathers before them did a certain thing in a certain way, think that that is the only way it can be done; the fellow who says his way and his idea is always right and the other fellow wrong; the fellow that, because he cannot do it or see how it is done, everything which is beyond his range.

The only old-fashioned people who can be considered assets in the world of today are those that retain the boy mind; that is, those that are still capable of wonder, enthusiasm and experiment. When these three elements fail, the man who is out of his grave is out of place as far as progress is concerned, for a man can appreciate only that which he knows.

Things are changing these days, and changing fast. Good roads, automobiles, trucks, busses and aeroplanes are responsible for much of it. Radio and telephone are rushing us along to a new day, and the town that doesn't start DOING will some day be a village of the past.

Thinking people recognize that there is a new order of things, but the recognition is more evident in business than in the development and conduct of civic affairs. Business science has changed man from a fighting, hunting, furtive biped, traveling on foot or paddling a canoe along winding rivers, painfully and slowly through the solitude of the great spaces, to a ruler of the earth, flying through the air, sailing under the sea, sending messages around the world without messengers or wires. You KNOW this, because you have seen it.

This same science will bring forth even greater strides of development and change in the ways of doing things when applied to cities, towns and communities. It WILL be applied—IS BEING applied. Because you have not SEEN it you may not KNOW it, and not knowing it, fail to appreciate it.

Every town should recognize the advantages of this new order and start NOW to DO that which is necessary to capitalize on the opportunity; but to do it, old superstitions and prejudices, if you have any, must be wiped out and a realization of a new order of things kept uppermost in your mind.

There are many reasons for going "straight," and now a new one is added to the list. Prisons are going to be equipped with radios.

A powerful pugilist has given up the ring to become a dentist. Well, we suppose he will be able to put his patients to sleep without expensive anaesthetics.

Fred Elmenberger of Berlin talked for 120 hours in succession, sleeping only eight hours in between, and wasn't even hoarse at the finish. This seems remarkable to those who have never heard an American Senator.

There was an old toper of Luzon, Who had a most elegant buzon, Seven quarts of champagne So upset his dambragne That he got into bed with his shuzon.

Some women think they are keeping a confidence when they don't tell anyone that they don't know.

There was once a young belle named Nell, Who, when skating one day, fell pell-mell, And those standing near Were astonished to hear Her cry out in anger: "O! my!"

In Italy, it is now a felony to use profanity. But then, they probably haven't our brand of cigarette lighter over there.

Quantities of soap have been discovered in Moscow bearing portraits of the Czar, and the Russians are greatly shocked. What we wonder at is how they came to notice it.

Willy—"I wonder why Mr. Jones says prayers before meals." Nilly—"Have you ever seen his cook?"

IT PAYS TO LOOK WELL

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OZONA GARAGE

Ozona, Texas

Dr. Frank Crane Says

This newspaper will for some weeks continue to publish the work of the late Dr. Frank Crane. Dr. Crane recently passed away at Nice, France. Before leaving for Europe he had prepared a number of articles in advance.

THE ART OF PLEASING

Now that we are learning to do all sorts of things it might be well to devote a little attention to that most important art of all arts, the Art of Pleasing.

It is not a sin or moral something we are talking about, but just common sense and expediency. You want people to please you; then learn how to please them.

Permit, therefore, a few hunches for inquiring minds on this matter.

1. Beware of egotism. In some form or other, that is what we dislike about everybody. Do not praise yourself, nor disparage yourself, nor, in fact, talk of yourself at all. Habitual disparage is a common form of disagreeable egotism.

2. Do not be tragic. Have a sense of humor. Most things do not matter. Nine things out of ten that are threatening disappear when you laugh at them. It is very disheartening to live with one who is perpetually tragic.

3. Cultivate a pleasant voice. Do not talk too loud, nor mumble so one cannot hear you, nor slur your words.

4. Be neat. Clothe yourself as well as you can afford. Do not have dark fingernails, frayed cuffs, towed hair, nor unclean shoes. Keeping clean is not egotism, it is a due regard for other people's feelings. Clean your teeth. Beware of halitosis.

5. Write plainly, one letter at a time with comfortable spaces between.

6. Do not be argumentative. Why argue? Most things do not matter.

7. Observe the little politeness.

es. Say, "I thank you" and "If you please." Get up when a lady enters the room. Take off your hat when you meet a woman.

8. When you are slandered or abused, say nothing, as a rule. People can respond to anything you say, but it's hard to answer silence.

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL BEGINS FEB. 10th.

FRED COX, JR., MARRIED

Louise McClure, 14, and Fred Cox, 17, have been pronounced man and wife, as well as the youngest married couple San Angelo has ever been the home of. Fred says he will have to leave school to make a living, but his youthful bride blushing returned to school Monday. Fred says he wants her to keep up her school work.

They were married at Eldorado, the night of Dec. 31, while their parents thought they had gone to the picture show. The secret was not revealed until this week.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Fred Cox, widow of the late Fred Cox, manager of the Robert Massie Company, while the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClure, 213, East Harris avenue.

The children have received their parental blessing and for the present are living with Mr. and Mrs. McClure.—S. A. Times.

Mrs. Sid Schwalbe was seriously ill the first of the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Friend. She is still confined to the house.

Mrs. W. H. Augustine has been suffering from an attack of tonsillitis.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey left for Temple Monday where they will receive medical attention.

Mrs. Ralph Meinecke and small daughter, Daphne June, returned last week from a week's visit in Comanche.

Mrs. James Farr of Big Lake is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Robison, Miller Robison and Pleas Childress, Jr., were in San Angelo last weekend.

Mrs. N. W. Graham returned from Waco last Friday. Mr. Graham met her in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips went to San Angelo Wednesday. They will return Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams re-near Fort Stockton after several days visit in Ozona.

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Meets first Saturday on or after the new moon each month.

WISDOM

Is simply an accumulation of knowledge.

The wise add to their fund of knowledge by investigation.

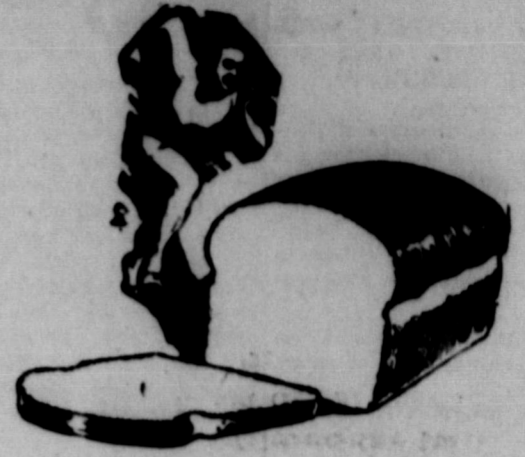
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This, our ninth February Furniture Sale, continues our policy of offering to the people of West Texas at this season of the year high grade Furniture, Floor Coverings and Draperies at

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No "special buys" for this sale have been made—you will find here the same quality of Home Furnishings synonymous with this store's name for the past twenty years.

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JERSEY MILK COWS AND HOGS FOR SALE

We are closing our dairy and due to that fact we have some exceptional bargains in fine Jersey Milk Cows. All of the herd is to be sold, several head having been sold already. We have just a few head left. Also some fine fat hogs, ready for slaughter. There are some bargains in these cows and hogs.

We are discontinuing our dairy business on instructions from a state inspector who ordered that we discontinue either the dairy business or the tourist camp. Our investment being much heavier in the tourist camp, we have decided to close the dairy. The inspector found everything strictly clean and sanitary, but the law forbids operation of a dairy in close proximity to a camp house such as ours and for that reason ordered the two separated. Our grocery and meat market departments were given a CLEAN BILL OF HEALTH.

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