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Change of Officers at State Bank

Mr. George T. Meriwether has become interested in the Lockney State Bank, and will take an active part in the administration of its affairs hereafter, succeeding Mr. Garrison as cashier, who will continue his connection with the Bank as assistant cashier.

A meeting of the stockholders and directors was held Monday night, at which time, upon a motion of Secretary Garrison, Mr. Meriwether was elected to the office of Cashier, and himself to that of assistant. At the time Messrs. W. D. Long and Frank H. Ford were elected to the offices of President and Vice-President respectively, to succeed Messrs. J. Garrison and Ed Reeves, who have resigned because of the heavy demands of their other interests on their time. Mr. A. R. Meriwether was continued as assistant cashier.

While Mr. Ford nor Mr. Long will devote of their entire time to the Bank, they will act in an advisory capacity, and will because of their intimate knowledge of the conditions prevailing in this country, and of their own individual success, render invaluable service.

At Monday night's meeting the policy of the Bank for the forthcoming year was resolved upon, which will be, as in the past, for the support of worthy citizens, and legitimate commercial enterprises, consistent with safe and sound banking principles.

The New Liquor Law

One of the most thoroughly discussed questions in Texas at this season of the year is the new Liquor law. Formerly and previous to the holidays the usual greetings among friends is, "have you placed your Christmas order yet." But, alas! the new liquor law, both state and federal, have changed this ancient custom, and the question is, "how are we to get our Christmas liquor."

Public sentiment usually makes and enforces laws, and while it was evidently not the intention of the framers of these new laws to curtail the liberties of any private citizen, and forbid him to order whiskey for his own use, public sentiment against the boot legger is such that some drastic measures had to be adopted. The new law, while it cuts off shipments for private use, is a check on the one that violates the law by selling whiskey. The lack of respects for the prohibition laws has forced the country, to these drastic measures.

For a similar reason prohibition sentiment in the United States has increased from time to time until county after county and State after State have adopted prohibition. The cause of this increased sentiment can be laid largely to the doors of the saloon keeper himself. Had he respected the law governing his business, his profession would have been less unpopular. With his dram shop he connected the gambling table, the pool table and many other things that law

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Standing of Beacon's Piano Contestants.

Following are the standing of the contestants in Beacon's Piano contest up to 6 o'clock p. m., Thursday:

Walter Campbell, Lockney,.....	62980
Ella Ratjen, Providence,.....	56699
Josephine Nichols, Lockney,.....	49430
Wynette Britton, Lockney,.....	47940
Vera Smith, Lone Star,.....	44620
Mamie Alford, Hello Girl, Lockney,.....	42605
Girlie Hewitt, Curlew,.....	21815
Glenna Dillard, Lockney,.....	12180
Mattie Lee Kell, Quitaque,.....	1070
Ollie Miller, Quitaque,.....	1000
Pleasant Valley Sunday School.....	705
Eula Mickey, Sandhill,.....	500
Minnie Turner, Lockney,.....	500
Miss Ford, Petersburg,.....	500
Mrs. Virgil Teaver, Flomot,.....	500
Lena Juarrett, Curlew,.....	1250
Maggie Bryant, Muncey,.....	255

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Beacon's \$350 Piano Contest 10 Free Notes

For

DECEMBER 5th. This Coupon must be voted within
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B. F. SMITH, Publisher.

abiding people didn't approve of.

The breweries have added to this public sentiment also, against the saloon, in the custom of their management in licensing beer joints in resident sections, and in hell's half acres. Any man with enough money to buy license could go into business. These tough joints brought reproach on the more orderly saloon man.

Hence, the whiskey traffickers themselves are responsible for this great wave of condemnation of the saloon business that is sweeping over Texas. The Beacon believes that this tide will gather force as the time passes until in another decade whiskey will be as scarce as opium and sold with as much restriction,

The foundation of this government is in the enforcement of its laws, and when any business refuses to respect the law then that business must fall, or else the government itself will lose its sure and steadfast foundation.

O, Children, Dear old Santa Clause will entertain at the Lockney Drug Store Saturday afternoon. Write your letters now and be on time to get an ice cream cone free.

Every vote you turn in from now until close of contest will help you in the final wind up of our piano contest.

Grape Fruit at Baker's.

Box Supper at Meteor

There will be a box supper at Meteor School House Friday night, December 12th. An organ will be sold on the occasion. Everybody invited.

Recital Again Postponed

The recital of Miss Inez Hendrix, expression teacher, which was to have taken place at the College Chapel Monday night, was again postponed on account of the weather. The weather permitting the recital will take place Monday night, December 8th. Everybody invited.

Children-be sure to take Santa clause your letters Saturday evening. He will give you something sure. At Lockney Drug Store.

Locates in Lockney

J. S. Barrett of Madison County came in this week with his household effects has located in Lockney, occupying the Abrams place.

Mr. Barrett is a substantial citizen, and the Lockney Country is fortunate in having him locate here. We welcome himself and family to this community.

Good work, fair prices, prompt services. I fix watches, clocks, jewelry and engrave. If you have never tried me, do so now. I guarantee my work.—W. M. Martin at Lockney Drug Co.

To those of our subscribers who have not renewed for the Beacon or paid your back dues, do so now, and give one of the worthy girls your votes. They will appreciate the votes, and it will cost you no more to pay your dues to the paper now than later on.

Xmas aint Xmas unless you put in a Holly box. Get them at Lockney Drug Store.

Best Seasons on the Plains in Years

Floyd County and the entire Plains Country has been the recipients of the finest rains and the best seasons it has had in a number of years. This past week has been one of continuous rain fall, filling the lakes, and incidently putting public roads in worse shape than they have been for a half dozen years past.

The rain has put down a bottom season, and has been a great help to wheat and other small grain. The wheat is said to be looking fine; with prospects for a bumper yield next summer.

There is a general feeling of optimism prevailing among all classes of our citizens as to the future for the Plains Country in general and Floyd County in particular. It is believed that we are entering upon a period of years of prosperity.

The west has gone through several exceedingly lean years, and now we are entering upon the fat ones.

Call For County Union.

By the authority visited in me I hereby make a call for all Farmer's Union members of Floyd county to meet in mass meeting at the W. O. W. hall, at 1 o'clock p. m., Saturday, Dec. 13, 1913, inst., to discuss the Public Ware House, and Marketing of Farm Products, and to elect delegates to the State Call Meeting at Fort Worth, Texas, January 14, 1914.

Fraternally,

W. D. Zion,

J. S. Dickey, Pres. Co. Union Secretary.

Santa Clause will sure enough be at the Lockey Drug Store Saturday afternoon. Take your letters to him and get an ice cream cone free. Good music furnished.

Notice.

To the shareholders of the First Notional Bank, Lockney, Texas.

You are hereby notified that the annual shareholders meeting will be held in its Banking house the second Tuesday in January, 1914, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be necessary.

D. C. Lowe,
Cashier.

Conklin's Self Filling Fountain Pens make splendid Xmas presents for both men and women. They are at the Lockney Drug Store. The Santa Clause House.

Hotel Changes Hands.

Mr. C. A. Marsh of Amarillo has leased the Day Hotel, and he and his wife came in Tuesday and took charge. The house will be known in the future as the Lockney Hotel, and will be open for both day boarders and transient trade.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Marsh to our city, and wish them success in their undertaking.

Fountain Penn in Holly Boxes at Sam Henry's Drug Store.

The Lockney Beacon

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The Plains Country is certainly blessed with seasons this fall. For the past week the rain has been almost continuous. The wheat crop is in splendid shape and if conditions remain favorable the biggest crop in the history of the country will be marketed next summer.

The business men of Spur have inaugurated a Farmers Matinee for Saturday afternoons. It is said that all work and no play is not good for the farmer, and these men propose to divert their minds from their daily toil with a hour's entertainment.

The Texas Spur gives an account of a successful treatment for a rattle snake bite. Uncle Pink Higgins of Dickens County recently treated a hand on his ranch who had been bitten by a rattler by binding gun powder to the wound. Paste this in your hat and remember the remedy.

Hardly a mail fails to bring to this office a batch of copy from some individual, politician or association, asking space for such a and such matter. Invariably checks are left out of such communications. It is impossible for

the average paper to respond to even a small per cent of the requests for space. But they are willing to do all in their power to promote charitable enterprises but promoters of such enterprises should not ride a free horse to death.

At the annual convention of the Texas Industrial Congress in Dallas, on December 17, besides awarding 160 cash prizes aggregating \$10,000 in gold to those Texas farmers who have made the best showing of net profits in the year's competitive crop production, there will be given to the winners the honor badges of the Congress.

Governor Colquitt has set apart Sunday, December 7th, as County Hospital Day, and pastors of churches throughout the State have been asked to preach a sermon on the care of our sick and afflicted. This is a laudable work, and should appeal to the best that's in all of us. Those enjoying the inestimable value of good health should be ready to respond to the needs of those less fortunate.

A salary of \$1,000 a month indicates that the day of the farm foreman has arrived. The farmer if he operates extensively, is coming to realize that he needs a scientist and practical man as his foreman. And as agricultural schools are turning out students learned in matters of soil and who have had practical experience, they are able to increase the farmer's profits when employed by him. The best paid farm foreman is Vernon C. Cook. He gets a salary of \$1,000 a month and all expenses. His farm, in Brazil, covers 500 square miles. That farm experts are now being employed at fancy salaries became known at the International Dry Farming Congress held at Tulsa, Okla., last month.

Lockney citizens have organized a commercial club. The organization is the most unique in the state. Only unmarried men are eligible to membership and the name of the association is the Bachelor Boys Commercial Club. Johnie Broyles is president. —Roaring Springs Echo.

It is usually the young men of our towns that do real things of a helpful nature. A few days ago, when our streets were flooded, the boys went out and opened the gutters and drained the streets. That's the kind of work that tells. Hurrah, for the Bachelor Boys' Commercial Club.

Coryell county is to have a prohibition election in December. The county voted dry by 200 majority in the statewide election of 1911 and the leaders of the drys are confident that they will more than hold their own. Both factions are said to be well organized. An anti paper asserts that this will give the professional spellbinder an opportunity to let off a big lot of oratorical thunder and adds that "that is not building." The antis are, in the majority of cases, responsible for the bringing on of these elections, and therefore responsible for the hindered growth of their community, if such be the case, in the event of a local option election.

I shall continue to do my duty as I see it and let those disgruntled howlers howl on my trail to their heart's content. —Congressman John H. Stevens in an interview.

The Brand does not believe that attitude of Mr. Stephens is justified. Who are these disgruntled howlers? They are the very men who have voted for him every two years since he has been in Congress; they are men who live in the lower end of the district and are better acquainted with his Congressional record than others; and now, because they see fit to call upon him and his supporters to give an account of his stewardship, he calls them dogs and wolves. This unkind fling reminds the Brand of what became of a certain young lawyer and politician, who hurled his fiery darts at his political enemies and would have eaten them alive, figuratively speaking, and the people retired him. Mr. Stephens should not allow himself to get "worked up" so soon for it will produce a very undesirable mental state before the campaign is half over. The readers of the Brand know that the only criticism offered has been that of indifference to the interests of his district and his inactivity in Congress and the Brand with many other papers have asked the question: "What has Mr. Stephens done during the sixteen years in Congress? and many are still waiting for the answer. But instead, we are told to "let those disgruntled howlers howl on my trail to their heart's content." —Hereford Brand.

The News has received a synopsis of the platform of Hon. W. E. Prescott of Paducah, who is a candidate for congress and to our thinking it is a good one; in fact, Mr. Prescott stands for almost the same principles that the News is contending for. Mr. Prescott says he is for currency system owned and controlled by the government; is for the initiative, referendum and recall; a six year term of office for the president and vice-president and congressmen, one term

limit for the former two and two terms for the later; the congressmen elected in November should take their seats in December following, and not a year later as is now the rule is opposed to private monopoly and would penalize trusts; is for the suppression of the liquor traffic, and would closely regulate the cotton and other such exchanges; would encourage all agricultural interests, besides is sound on a number of minor issues. The first plank in his platform is the only one of importance we can't agree with him on; he favors a tariff for revenue only, "with every particle of protection squeezed out." Any kind of a tariff is indefensible, to have any tariff law, no matter how low the schedule may be, without it being protective to some special interest, and a burden to the consumer. —Plainview News.

The Texas press is throwing bouquets at our old friend Col. Lee J. Roundtree for his successful efforts in landing the national editorial association for Texas in 1914. Lee J. deserves all the nice things said about him for there is no one more loyal to the interest of the press and the state than he. The advertising Texas will receive will be inestimable. We take off our hat to Editor Roundtree as a tireless worker and one of the best Newspaper men, not only in Texas, but the entire Nation.

TRUMBULL TALKS DEVELOPMENT.

Pending Litigation Against the Katy Prevents Improvements and Extensions.

Mr. Frank Trumbull, the executive head of the M. K. & T. Railway in a recent communication discussed the litigation instigated by the Attorney General against that line. Mr. Trumbull has brought many millions of dollars to Texas and it is so seldom that we have an opportunity of hearing men who are capable of influencing investments, that his utterances are here reproduced in part: "I have been particularly interested in the development of Texas, as it was formerly my home, and I have been for a number of years connected with properties which are important factors in the industrial life of the state. More than that, I have been instrumental in getting a good many millions of dollars invested in Texas.

"We want to improve our Texas lines. We want to give better service. On the other hand we want to look everybody in the face, including our creditors and shareholders, as well as our Texas friends. We cannot ignore our responsibility to investors. No conscientious man can do that.

"I regret that what seems to me an unwarranted and superfluous impairment of our credit has made some of the things I had hoped to do even less possible than they were before. If the state of Texas had endeavored to find a way to prevent our making extensions, it could have hardly chosen a more effective method than to bring suit for penalties aggregating \$105,000,000. We will do the best we can, all things considered, but ought we to ask our friends to put more money into Texas except for maintenance of existing lines?

"If the suit brought by the state of Texas is successful, I and all my friends here and abroad will lose every dollar we put into that state. What would you do in my place? This is a broad, far-reaching question, but it is a broad and far-reaching condition and not a theory that confronts us. And I am sure you will agree with me that it is a very sobering question to ask ones self."

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We also carry a full line of
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They carry the best grades of lumber and will treat you right. See them when you get ready to figure your bill. They also handle the best oak lumber.

Lockney, Phone 7 Texas

STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr.
Hughes Would Die, But
One Helped Him to
Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting ad-
vices from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes
writes as follows: "I was down with
stomach trouble for five (5) years, and
would have sick headache so bad, at
times, that I thought surely I would die.

I tried different treatments, but they
did not seem to do me any good.

I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep,
and all my friends, except one, thought I
would die. He advised me to try
Theford's Black-Draught, and quit

taking other medicines. I decided to
take his advice, although I did not have
any confidence in it.

I have now been taking Black-Draught
for three months, and it has cured me—
haven't had those awful sick headaches
since I began using it.

I am so thankful for what Black-
Draught has done for me."

Theford's Black-Draught has been
found a very valuable medicine for dis-
arrangements of the stomach and liver. It
is composed of pure, vegetable herbs,
contains no dangerous ingredients, and
acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely
used by young and old, and should be
kept in every family chest.

Get a package today.

Only a quarter.

Nix Harp Killed In Automobile Accident

WAS UNDER MACHINE THREE HOURS BEFORE BEING RESCUED

Nix Harp, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harp of this city, was fatally injured in an auto accident eight miles west of Kress Wednesday afternoon, and died at 11:20 that night.

Harp was driving the big Case car of his father, and was alone in the machine. The accident happened soon after the noon hour and he was pinned under the car until about 4:30 when Robt. Houser and others came along the road, and took him from under the car. He was taken to the Rouser home, and his mother and wife and physicians were summoned. He was unconscious until the end, and told those about him about the accident. He said he started to slow down the car and go around a wet place in the road, when one of the wheels must have gone to pieces, throwing the car over, he falling under it. He was caught about the lower part of his back, just above the kidneys, and this part of his body was mashed flat. There were no bruises elsewhere on his body. He was conscious all the time he was under the car, but undoubtedly suffered great agony. He was able to kick off the power and stop the engine. Knowing

that he would likely die before help came, it is said he got out a pencil and note book and tried to write a note telling of the accident.

The deceased was twenty-three years of age June 16. He was married to a Miss Wright several years ago and she and two small children survive. They made their home on the Callahan ranch ten miles east of town which is owned by his father and the Wilkins.—Plainview News.

Plainview Has Business Failure

Certain creditors of Shelton Bros., incorporated, doing a dry goods business in Plainview, filed a petition in involving bankruptcy against the firm Saturday Nov. 22 and the business was closed. The assets were given at \$7,500, and the liabilities at \$5,500.

W. A. Morter, who has been made receiver, has taken charge of the stock and will return an inventory.

The Sheltons have been in business several years, and their many friends regret their financial troubles.

The Railroad Commission of the state last week ordered the Crosbyton South Plains Railway to establish a depot and sufficient side track to accommodate the needs of the little city of Rails.

Bread, pies and cakes of all kinds at the Home Bakery. Phone 94.

Newspaper Safe

Speaking of the Underwood robbery, the Crosbyton Review remarks:

Mr. Underwood will no doubt remember the fair, and there was but two ways for his money to have been in perfect safety. First he should have invited the editor of the Beacon to accompany him and entrusted him with the amount, as we never heard of but one newspaper man being robbed—out his only pair of pants while asleep. Second; he should have made a good strong deposit with his local bank before leaving. It has been said that the thieves were numerous during the fair, and one man was arrested for trying to steal the Mayors breath.—Crosbyton Review.

The party that endeavored to touch the mayor was undoubtedly from one of our Western pro towns.

Set for Trial

The case of Mrs. Birdie Muncy and Horace Peters charged with the murder of J. M. Muncy has been set for trial in the district court at Plainview January 26th.

To the Motoring Public.

For the benefit of our customers and friends we have a man to sleep at the garage at night, so when you come in late just whistle and he will let you in. Lockney Rubber Co. & Garage

White Star Bread at Lockney Gro. Co.

Marketing Keynote Indus'l Congress

Will Award Prizes on "Largest Net Profit Per Acre." December 13th.

The program of the fifth annual convention of the Texas Industrial Congress to be held at Dallas, December 13, will include a discussion of the marketing of farm products as one of its principal features. Professor Charles B. Austin of the Extension Department of the State University, a well known authority on the subject, will address the convention on "The Marketing of Agricultural Products," and the Hon. Clarence Ousley, of Fort Worth, will discuss "The Elimination of Waste in Marketing." Mr. Ousley handled this subject before the Southern Commercial Congress at Mobile this fall, and is so well known as a student of affairs as to require no introduction to the thinking men of the State. These addresses upon the subject of marketing, which is important to the business of Texas, are sufficient in themselves to make the convention a notable one.

The prizes offered by the Congress, to be distributed at this convention, are not for the largest production per acre, as is generally supposed, but for the largest net profit per acre. Inasmuch as the Congress is really a school in farm profits, marketing, wherein the farmer capitalizes on his work, is a question of greatest concern.

A rate of one and one-third fares for the round trip has been made from all points in the State to Dallas and tickets will be on sale December 12 and also for trains arriving before noon on Dec. 13. Tickets are valid for return leaving Dallas December 14th.

For Custody of Children

The recent suit filed by Mrs. Susan A. Muncy, of Lockney, against John B. Baker et al for the custody of the minor children of Jim Muncy, deceased, Elbert and Myrtle, has been set at Tulia in Judge Kinder's court, for December the 10th.

The children have been adopted by their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Baker.—Hesperian.

Boy Accidentally Killed.

Last Saturday afternoon while Dan Wooley, Herman Havis and Harve Brannon were out hunting at the of the Plains, Dan Wooley, aged 15, was accidentally shot and killed.—Roaring Springs Echo.

J. B. Sneed has been here for the past several days looking after his farm South of town. We understand that he will open up some new farms in King County.—Raducah Post.

FOR SALE—Bundle Maze, Caffin and Sheaf Oats. 1 good work mule. On R. C. Bennetts place 2 miles South of Lockney. 1-3t E. W. Shelton.

For Sale.

I have 8,000 bundles of kaffir for sale, after which, stalk pasture will be for lease. 14-tf. Dr. Mart Thomas.

Have you tried that chilli at e Home Bakery. Phone 94.

DIRECTORY

Courts.

District court convenes on first Mondays in February and August.

L. S. Kinder, Judge.
G. L. Mayfield, Dist. Atty.
W. B. Clark, Clerk.
A. C. Goen, Sheriff.
County Court convenes third Monday in January, April, July, and October.

A. B. Duncan, Judge.
W. B. Clark, Clerk.
A. C. Goen, Sheriff.
J. B. Bartley, County Attorney
B. C. Willis, Tax Assessor
Commissioners' Court meets in regular session 2nd, Monday in February, May August, and November

A. E. Duncan, Presiding Judge
John Howard, Com. Prec. no. 1
Wm. McGehee " " " 2
R. L. Orman, " " " 3
Chas. Trowbridge, " " " 4
Justice Court of Prec. no. 2 convenes the 4th, Friday and Saturday in each month.
H. L. Moore, J. P.

Lodges.

Lockney Lodges, A. F. & A. M. meet Saturday night on or after the full moon of each month.

T. Z. Reed, W. M.
C. L. Cowart, Secy.

The Lockney Lodge M. W. A. meets every second and fourth Saturday in each month.

J. H. Byington, C. C.
Homer Howard, Clerk.

Lockney Camp No. 1280, W. O. W. meet 1st and 3rd Saturday nights in each month.

Lloyd Nichols, C. C.
T. S. McGehee Clerk.

Lockney Rebeckah Lodge No. 131 meets every Monday night in each week.

Mrs. Anna Crum, N. G.
W. R. Wofford, Secy.

Lockney Local Lodge No. 311, socialists meet 1st Saturday in each month at 2: P. M.

J. T. HILL Sec. II

I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday night in each week.

Henry Thagard, N. G.
J. H. Byington, Secy.

Churches

Church of Christ: Services begin every Sunday morning at 10:30. They consist of singing prayer, reading and preaching, or Bible talks; Breaking of Bread and contribution follow. Sunday 3:30 p. m. is the Bible study in classes. Wednesday night is the prayer meeting. All are invited to these services

Methodist Episcopal Church, South, services every Sunday as follows:

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
E. P. Thompson, Supt.
Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.

Junior League at 4 P. M. III

Prayer service and Teachers' meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:30.

A cordial invitation is extended to all people to attend these services. Come, a hearty welcome awaits you.

S. J. Upton, P. IC.

Services every Sunday morning and evening at Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. E. J. C. Nix, Superintendent. Ladies' Aid Society meets at 4 p. m. 1st and 2nd Sunday in each month. Everybody is cordially invited to attend our services.
Rev. H. G. Finley, Pastor.

Farmers Union meets Saturday before 2nd and 4th Sunday in each month in W. O. W. hall
J. S. Dickey President,
T. F. Casey, Secretary;

J. B. DOWNS,

Buyers Coming.

I have buyers coming for small tracts of land, and I also have some good clear brick property bringing good revenue to exchange for land in Floyd County. I have merchandise stock, dry goods, groceries, hardware, etc. to trade for Floyd county land, and also have some good clear tracts of land to trade for unincumbered property in Lockney. My bulletin is now out for November, call at my office in the First National Bank and let us talk the exchange business over. If you have anything to exchange, I want a straight understanding so I may get it in the bulletin by the first of next month. I belong to the C. R. E. D. A. of Topeka, Kans. which puts me in touch with buyers and traders from all parts of the United States. Call around at my office and make yourself at home.

J. B. Downs, the Land Man.
Upstairs in First National Bank building.

J. B. DOWNS

Announcement Colum.

We are authorized to announce the following, subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1914:

For District and County Clerk:

R. C. SCOTT.
T. W. DEEN
W. B. Clark

For Sheriff and Tax Collector

A. C. GOEN

For Treasurer

MRS. ADA THAGARD

For Tax Assessor.

ROBT. E. JONES
B. C. WILLIS
T. F. CASEY

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3.

R. L. ORMON

Personal Mention

We are selling extra \$2 and \$3 values in men's pants at prices from \$1 to \$2.25. See them.

J. A. Baker.

D. T. Ewing has returned from Garey, Okla. where he was called to the death bed of his father.

Promptly at 6 o'clock December 24th, the Piano contest will close. Judges will take charge of the ballot box, count the votes and award the piano.

Mrs. E. C. Nix returned Monday from Ft. Worth, where she went with Prof. Nix to be with him in his operation. Prof. Nix is reported getting along nicely and will soon be able to return home.

Fresh bread pies and cakes at Home Bakery and Restaurant.

Leave your orders Early for Christmas Cakes.

Home Bakery and Restaurant. All kinds of short orders at the Home Bakery and Restaurant across the street from new post office.

Johndie Sams, the Tailor.

Judge Randolph of Plainview was in the City Monday night and was a guest at the Brewster house.

Holly boxes big enough to send the whole family presents in at the Lockney Drug Co.

Johnnie Sams, the Tailor.

If there is anything you can't find anywhere else come to the Racket Store.

When you want candy you can get the newest, the best and a good bit more for less money at the Racket Store.

Discovered at J. A. Bakers. Bread, cakes and pies. White Star Bakery.

Amusement is as necessary to the mind as food is to the body. Visit the Happy hour for a change.

For Rent.—A good place, 160 acres in Cultivation, want as much as 60 acres planted in cotton. See T. M. Moore. 15-1t

J. B. Downs spent Monday in Plainview on business.

The girl that leads in the last published count in the Beacon's piano contest, Dec. 19, will have a decided advantage.

Now is the time to do telling work in the Beacon's Piano contest. Turn in every dollar you can and get your votes. The votes can be voted any time.

H. P. Henson of Wise County is here on a visit to his grand parents. Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Turner.

Turn in every dollar you can from now until close of contest. You can hold your votes.

Save money by buying early at the Lockney Drug.

Of course there was not much doing in our piano contest the past week on account of the bad weather, but rest assured business will pick up from now on.

On Friday evening we will have Oysters on the Half Shell and also plain oysters any style. Home Bakery and Restaurant.

Fancy dress Cat fish Friday afternoon, December 5th.

Home Bakery and Restaurant.

The next two weeks' work in our piano contest will decide the issue. The girl that works hard will get the piano.

If you buy \$10.00 worth of mdse. at the Lockney Drug Co. you get a dollar bill, go make that dollar before it is too late.

Dr. J. L. Guest has received and installed in his new offices over the First National Bank, a complete set of sanitary furniture for his operating room. The fixtures are white enamel, and are strictly of the very latest designs, and embraces all the conveniences of a modern operating room.

Good music will be furnished at the Santa Clause reception Saturday afternoon for the children at the Lockney Drug Store.

Why Not

Why not buy home grown trees from a home man and thus keep the money at home. Tom Moore represents The Plainview Nursery and will gladly take your order. He replaces trees that die at half price.

TO TRADE—for good horses and mares, 5 acres well located, good orchard, 5 room house. Must have some cash.

200 acre farm close to Jacksboro in Jack county to trade for land close to Lockney. 200 acres well improved good black land.

J. B. Downs.

For Sale.

All my household goods at a bargain.

14 2 wks. P. D. Coulson.

Watches fixed by Martin keeps time.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Babe Carthel Tuesday, December 2nd, a fifteen pound boy.

Write Santa Clause a letter and take it to The Lockney Drug Store. He will give you an ice cream cone Free.

A. C. Goen and T. W. Deen are here this week on their annual tax collecting tour.

The newest and best candies and a good bit more for less money at the Racket Store.

The close of the Piano Contest draws nigh. Just two more weeks and some girl will get a handsome Christmas present.

The piano coupon in next week's paper will count 20. This will be the last coupon.

Hear the good music at the Big Santa Claus reception Sat. afternoon at Lockney Drug.

BAKER'S PRODUCE Market

Subject to Market Changes.

Eggs, per doz.....	30c
Hens, No 1 per pound.....	7c
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Fryers, over 2 pounds.....	6c
Fryers, over 3 ".....	5c
Old Roosters, each.....	10c
Ducks.....	9c
Geese.....	7c
Guineas, each.....	15c
Turkeys, over 10 pound.....	11c
Old Toms, per pound.....	8c
Butter, bulk, per pound.....	17c
CREAM, per pound.....	27c
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This is the Penslar Store

HERE your Sylvodoro Toilette Petite (as advertised in the Saturday's Evening Post) is waiting for you—the famous dollar package now sold for 50 cents.

Sylvodoro Toilette Petite contains a fifty-cent cake of Sylvadora Toilet Soap (made in France) and utility sizes Lilafior Perfume, Violet Water and Rosatale Powder—all for 50 cents.

Besides the above, we shall be pleased to show you Penslar toilet preparations—particularly Buttermilk Cerate which is excellent for the complexion, and Almond and Cucumber Cream, a delightful lotion for keeping the skin soft and smooth.

Our stock of Sylvodoro Petites is limited and cannot supply more than one to a customer.

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Five Hundred Dollars is the new price of the Ford runabout; the touring car is five fifty; the town car seven fifty—f. o. b. Detroit, complete with equipment. \$45 freight to Plainview. Get catalog and particulars from Barker & Winn, Plainview, Texas.

C. R. Caldwell, staff Correspondent of the Amarillo News, and incidently a plains booster, blew in with the rain from Floydada Wednesday. He is making his usual rounds, soliciting subscribers and gathering data for a write up for this section.

Remember we handle all kinds of fresh fruits and candies and can fill your Xmas wants. Lockney Grocery Co.

The Bachelor Boy's Commercial Club have proven the effectiveness of their organization in the way the boys took care of our streets during the recent rainy season. They kept the cutters open, cindered bad crossings and bettered the conditions of streets in general. This is the kind of work that gets the grapes.

We have just received a car of Seal Flour. We have a fine trade on it. Try a sack and be pleased like other customers are. Lockney Grocery Co.

Santa Claus has made his appearance at the Racket Store.

We have many pretty and useful Christmas Gifts. See them before you buy.

You will save money by buying your Christmas presents at the Racket Store.

C. A. Wafford came in Tuesday from Ralls where he has been buying cotton.

Miss Verna McNeil, student of Wayland College, is visiting Miss Ruby Brittan.

R. M. Broyles went to Floydada Tuesday.

Born—To Mr. and Lee Wafford Monday, Dec. 1st, a girl.

Johnnie Sams, the Tailor.

If you have that tired feeling a visit to the Happy Hour will cure you.

J. C. Finley and family visited with Pastor Finley and family last Sunday.

Rev. Leon Henderson is moving to Memphis.

The children's stocking will have to be filled Christmas. Come to the Racket Store where your money will go the farthest.

10 per cent of your money refunded when you trade at the Lockney Drug Store.

Kings Candies for American Queens at Lockney Drug Store for Christmas presents.

Holly Boxes to send Christmas presents in, can be bought at the Lockney Drug Store.

Boys, Buy your girl one of those swell Chafing Dish Sets at the Lockney Drug Store.

Santa Clause reception for the children at Lockney Drug Store, Saturday Dec. 6th.

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Both Kid bodies, Dressed and Undressed Dolls, just the thing for the little girls

Come earl and see the many pretty Christmas gifts that we have to offer.

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From 15 Cents per pound up. A full line of nuts and fruits. Also Cigars in Christmas Packages.

Toys For Boys and Girls

All kinds of toys for the boys and girls, all the very newest and will please the little fellows

J. R. FOX

Come earl and see the many pretty Christmas gifts that we have to offer.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

You are hereby notified that the undrsigned jury of free holders acting under and by an order of the County Commissioners Court Floyd County will on the sixth day of December, A. D. 1913 proceed to lay out and survey a road commencing at the N. E. cor. Sec. 8, B. C. 9, Abst. 1943 Cert. 1-121 G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Thence West 3 miles, thence South 1 mile, thence west 4 miles thence south 2 miles, thence East 4 miles, to the South East corner of survey 103 in said County and which may run through certain lands owned by you, and will at the same time assess the damages incidental to the opening of said road, when you may present to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you.

The proposed road runs thru following tracts, the owner's residence being unknown, to-wit:

South line of S. W. one-fourth Abst. 359, Survey 121, block D 2, Cer. 429, H. E. & W. T. Ry. Co. Chas. J. Johnson, owners.

North line of N. E. one-fourth Abst. 1797, Survey 106, Blk. D. 2, Cer. 428, H. E. & W. T. Ry. Co. C. T. Taylor, owner.

South line of S. E. one-fourth, Abst. 1399, Survey 120, Blk. D. 2, Cer. 565, E. L. & R. R. Co., Chris Winch owner.

South line of S. W. one-fourth, Abst. 1399, Survey 120 Blk., D. 2, Cer. 565, E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co., B. E. Phascal, owner.

North line of Abst. 357, Cer. 426, Survey 107, Blk. D. 2, H. E. & W. T. Ry., 640 acres, John W. Phillips, owners.

East line northeast one-quarter Abst. 376, Survey 99, Cer. 632, T. T. Ry Co., Blk. D 2, W. F. Willsie, owner.

South line of S. E. one-fourth, Abst. 385, Survey 101, Cer. 650, Blk. D. 2, T. T. Ry. Co., A. J. Holmquist, owner.

South line S. W. one-fourth, Abst. 385, Survey 101, Cer. 650, Blk. D. 2, T. T. Ry Co., Richards Crews owner

North line of N. E. one-fourth Abst. 379, Survey 89, Cer. 630, Blk. D. 2, T. T. Ry Co., Louisa M. Fornham, owner.

Jim Dines.

T. J. Livesay.

W. S. Cope.

J. H. McGehee.

Jury of View.

Meet me tonight at the Happy Hour.

Special Adjustment and Special Treatment

(By Alva A. Gregory, M. D., graduate of Sam Houston Normal Institute, and State University of Medicine, of Texas.)

The writer practiced medicine and surgery for several years, and at the present time we have practiced rational and drugless methods of treatment about an equal length of time, and we have tried to profit by both experiences and observation.

We were associated with, and witnessed for years, the results of the practice of our fellow physicians, who used medicine and surgery in the treatment of all forms of disease.

For nearly an equal length of time we have been associated with the practitioners of drugless methods and have carefully observed the results observed by them in the treatment of both acute and chronic disease.

Now after years of experience and observation and with an unprejudiced mind, and with an earnest desire to state the truth of the matter I wish to go on record as believing from evidence which admits no rebutal, that the results obtained in both acute and chronic disease, from the use of rational and drugless methods are far superior to the results obtained from the use of drugs and surgery.

It is needless to add that I have witnessed and experienced no unfavorable results, following the administration of rational drugless methods of treatment, while on the other hand, we have

met many diseased and physically wrecked constitutions, from use of poisonous drugs and from surgery.

For further information see J. R. VANDERGRUFF. (Advertisement)

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Subject—Jesus the one foundation.

Leader—Nannie Maye Lewis. Scripture reading, 1 Cor. 3:10-14.

The need of a foundation—Mrs. Wilson.

Crucified on the cross and saved from sin—Dena Mnncey. The failure of civilization—Vera Fry.

Morality unequal to the test,—Harry Jones.

The foundation tested—Earnest Fry.

Jesus the only foundation—Flossie Muncy.

Lockney has a christmas store, ask Santa Claus about it Saturday. He will be at Sam Henry's Drug Store.

Holly Boxes all sizes and prices at Lockney Drug Store.

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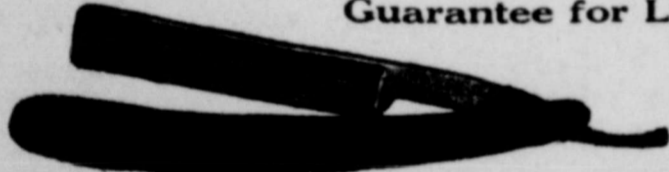


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30 Days

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As it is impossible for us to carry over an account this time, beginning Nov. 1st, we will sell only for cash, or 30 days. It will depend to a great extent about us extending a line of credit after Jan. 1st, 1914, as to how you settle your present account. We would like to be able to extend to you fall dating again this time, but cannot do so now. So if you cannot pay in thirty days please do not ask for credit. Your business has been highly appreciated by us, and we have nothing but the kindest regards for you and hope to have a continuation of your business, but circumstances force us to adopt this plan. We will make our cash prices very attractive, and can save you money on nearly everything you buy from us. On our implements, wagons and buggies we will make no change but will sell you on fall dating as before. Come in and let us show you what the CASH will do

:-: E. P. THOMPSON & SON :-:

Only a Short Time

UNTIL THE

PIANO

Will be Awarded to Some Contestant

On December 24th, at 6 o'clock, the judges will take charge of the ballot box, count the votes and award the Beacon's fine \$350 Leyhe Piano of some one of the worthy girls. Every Dollar turned in from now until December 24th will count in the final contest. Put fourth extra efforts from now until the end of the contest and you will be rewarded for your trouble. The girl that works will be the girl that will win. The contest


Closes Promptly at 6 O'clock December 24th

Final Announcement

On December 13th the last free vote will appear in Beacon, which will count 20. This doubling of the vote on that day will take place of the coupon that would have appeared on the 20th and will give plenty time to get votes in besore contest closes. On December 20th, the ballot box will be moved to J. R. Fox's store, and nntil six o'clock on 24th, you can put money or check in an envelope, with name or names of subscribers and girl's name to whom you are voting and the judges will count 500 votes for every dollar so deposited. This makes the voting a secret, and not even the editor will know what has been voted. This will be as fair and as secret as an election. We do not want to know what's being voted, so that there will be no room for suspicion that we gave any girl any information. The last published count will appaar December 20th. The judges we have selected are:

Prot. W. L. Vaughn, J. Kendrick, Carl McAdams, France Baker and J. C. Garison. The vote will be counted by these judges behind closed doors.

The Lockney Beacon




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Every thing to eat at the Home Bakery.

Notice.

All those knowing themselves indebted to me are requested to come in and settle. My expenses being heavy in school, I need the money as early as possible. 7tf
 Dr. J. L. Guest.

Incidental Panhandle And Plains Mention

By G. R. Caldwell, News Staff Correspondent.

A Parmer County farmer has a bumper rainfall crop of oats by a new departure in plowing, viz: the throwing up of double furrow at intervals of 250 or 300 yards and then cross plowing the entire field with a double furrow at about the same interval distance, the result being a checker boarding of the field with interlacing embankments which prevented the running off of all rain water—or in other words; converted rainfall into something very near akin to irrigation itself. This farmer worked his brain as well as his land and the two workers secured 60 bushels of oats per acre.

Geo. W. Brewster, of Lockney, Floyd County, will personally cultivate next year half a dozen hills of Indian corn under irrigation. Mr. Brewster's well won record for untiring industry is leading Lockney people to expect a beholding next fall of corn stalks as large as trees, and ears of corn that will have to be shouldered—all the same as a yearling's hind leg.

Editor Frank White, of the Crosbyton Review, lately cleaned up \$1,000 in a local land deal. However, Frank is always doing valuable editorial work.

A Clever Swindler

Clovis, like other towns, will sometimes fall to the "catching" ways of the professional crook. One blew in here this week, fresh from Roswell, where he had pulled off a stunt and got away with a part of the cash, and worked a local bank cashier for \$350 on a bogus draft. The said bank became suspicious and wired to the bank drawing the draft before the party had been out of the building more than twenty minutes, and found it was bogus. The officers were notified and like a "magic drop" the fellow had disappeared. He was pretending to want some real estate and Mr. Mansfield was showing him about. Mr. Skarda says he is the cleverest one he ever ran up against.—Clovis Journal.

Matador Northern Ready to Build

The dirt has all been moved for the construction of nine mile stretch of road from the Quannah Acme & Pacific to Matador and ties and steel for the track-laying are bought.

The question which is now before the builders of the road seems to be the point of connection. It was hoped that connection could be made, at Roaring Springs, though plans had been made, according to our information to build from a point three miles east of that place.

In the event that the latter junction point is used a suit to force the Q. A. and P. to give them connections, will have to go through the courts.—Hesperian.

Reward—\$2.50 for cow strayed Sept. 18; red, white-faced, long-horned, branded H. O. T. on side and Y-B connected. Bought from C. M. Munson, near Lockney. W. M. Bryson, Plainview, Texas, tf

A car of Kansas meat salt just received at
 J. A. Baker.

No Right of Way for Toll Line

The Santa Fe railway company is still holding out on the right-of-way for the Southwestern Telephone copper circuit toll line that was to have been run out of Floyd to Plainview in the summer, when operations were stopped by the refusal of the railway company to grant the right-of-way.

To all appearances the companies are further from agreeing at present than ever. A force has been busy the past week removing the southwestern's big posts from the right-of-way where they had been placed in anticipation of the extension. The whys of the disagreement are not known here.—Hesperian.

To Lease Co. Farm

The Commissioners' Court has had notices posted advertising the County Farm, four miles east of Floydada, for lease, for the year, 1914, from January 1st to December 30th.

The bids was received up to the 29th, Friday of last week. The successful bidder will be required to pay cash or give secured notes for the lease of the tract.

Will Leave for Brazil

Ray Vivin, who has been acting in capacity of ranch foreman for the Matador Cattle Co. for a number of years, John Hahburton and Dave Leslie, two cowmen also well known in the Panhandle, are leaving today for Brazil where they will be in the employ of the cattle syndicate for whom Murdo McKenzie, also a former Panhandle cattleman, is the manager. They will sail from New York on the 29th of this month.

I am practicing medicine for my health. Food and raiment are necessary to good health. I will gladly serve you if you will pay me so I can pay those I owe. See me at once.
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Santa Claus Reception

FOR THE CHILDREN

A real live Santa Claus will be at the Lockney Drug Co's Store Saturday December 6th from One to Five o'clock and will give every Boy and girl an Ice Cream Cone free that brings a letter from their parents stating that they have been good during the year. The children should also write a letter stating what they want Santa Claus to bring them Christmas,

TO THE PARENTS

As a special inducement to encourage early buying from Dec. 6th to 13th inclusive we will refund 10 PER CENT of all purchases in cash. So it will pay you to come to the Santa Clause reception with with your children. 10 PER CENT saved on your purchases is that much made so if you want to make money trade with us.

Yours For a Merry Xmas

LOCKNEY DRUG COMPANY

Headquarters for Santa Clause

Don't miss the big Santa Claus reception Saturday afternoon at Sam Henry's Drug Store. Ice cream cones free. Good music and old Santa himself.

The Lockney Drug Store is the place to buy sensible Christmas presents.

Grape Fruit at Bakers's.

Cut Glass, Hand Painted China Silver Ware and Holly Boxes at The Lockney Drug.

For Sale—Six head of choice Jersey cows by January 1. Will sell at a bargain. See W. E. Lovelass, at Stalcup's gin. 15-3

Try that fresh White-Star bread at Farmers Exchange.

If you have been good, give your letters to Santa Claus at the Lockney Drug Store Saturday afternoon. He will do the rest.

Jehnnie Sams, the Tailor.

VITAL POINT.

"The hall was so quiet when the speaker appeared you could hear a pin drop."

"Well, who dropped it?"

THE CAUSE.

"They had some quick words."

"What about?"

"I think it was over her hasty pudding."

HIS CONCEIT.

"Are Jinks' misfortunes due to misplaced confidence, as he claims?"

"Yes; he rated his own ability too high."

ONE ON EACH CORNER.

Bix—I have a dog that's nearly thirty inches high.

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Read Lockney Beacon

Don't Ask for Credit

If you have not paid last months account don't ask us for any more credit. This means you.

We are needing what is due us on accounts and will appreciate your coming in and paying up if you are indebted to us.

Remember we are still headquarters for bargains, and that "White Lilac" flour is leading.

Your child can come and buy goods as cheap as you can, in fact if we made any difference it would be in favor of the child.

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A new and up-to-date private institution, equipped especially for patients requiring surgical attention.

Wanted—Intelligent young women to enter the training school for nurses.—Mrs. J. V. Guyton R. N. in charge.

Notice to Patrons

The First National Bank has gotten moved into its new home. We are now in better shape to serve our patrons than ever. Our new home is conveniently arranged and modern in every particular. We wish you to feel that this bank is your bank, and we want you to enjoy our nice new home with us. When in town come in to see us and make yourselves at home. If you have letters to write you will find stationery, and convenient place to write. Just make yourself at home, and if we can help you in any way we will be glad to do so.

To our lady friends: We are fitting up a room for your convenience. When in town call and make use of same. You will find everything arranged for your comfort. Resp't.

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Holiday Excursion

Special round trip rates to the Old States, Dates of sale Dec. 20-21 and 22. Limit January 18th.

To Texas points, also to points in New Mexico Texico to Pecos Inclusive Fare and one third for round trip, dates of sale December 20-21-22-23-24-25-26-31 and January 1st. return limited Jan. 6th.

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C. C. MILLER, Agt.