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OPEN WEATHER THIS WEEK FINE FOR FARMING

This week we have enjoyed delightful weather, and as a result the farmers and the citizenship of this section have been busy. Wheat sowing has been resumed, maize and cotton gathering going on, and in fact no one is idle, unless it be of his own free will.

With a few weeks of open weather farmers will make splendid headway in wheat sowing and crop gathering. A large acreage will be sown to wheat if weather conditions will permit.

Future outlook for this section of the Plains could not be better than at present. With large crops made and partly harvested, and a splendid season for wheat planting and other crop preparation everybody is happy.

Mrs. George Cox and children returned the latter part of last week from an extended visit to relatives at Pampa and Oklahoma.

and the goose hangs high. As to the financial situation, this country is in most excellent shape. Our banks have more money on deposit than they have ever had, with more to come into the banks as the maize and cotton crops are marketed. Under such flattering conditions, where is the man that cannot be an optimist?

Come to Lockney.

GROVER FAIREY BEGINS THE SCHOOL WALKS

Grover Fairey, the concrete contractor, has begun the construction of a string of concrete sidewalks to the school building. These walks are being financed by the Mothers' Club of Lockney, and will become the greatest school convenience than any previous undertaking by this splendid organization.

E. P. THOMPSON & SON HAVE ATTRACTIVE AD SERVICE

With this issue of the Beacon, E. P. Thompson and Son introduces a very attractive and educational advertising service. This service will run one year from date, and will embrace cartoons by George Knott, the Dallas News cartoonist. Each ad will be illustrated with a cartoon, along with other advertising matter, and will furnish some splendid reading. It is educational in the extreme and close to nature. You should not fail to read each ad.

Starting with this week's ad, Mr. Thompson offers \$20. in prizes to the boy or girl that clips and sends to his store the most ads taken from the Beacon. The date of the contest starts November 7th and runs three weeks. So let the boys and girls get busy and earn some spending money in this of all unique contests. Don't fail to read their ad this week for particulars.

LAYMEN'S MEETING AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

There will be no services at the Baptist church here next Sunday on account of the absence of the pastor, Rev. F. C. Dick. Sunday night there will be a laymen's meeting. Several speeches will be made explaining "Why Church Work should be Supported." Everybody invited, especially the members of the Baptist Church.

METHODIST ANNOUNCEMENTS

All services next Sunday and hereafter will be held by the new time. The pastor's subject for Sunday morning will be, "We Turn Again Unfilled to Thee." It is now only a little more than two weeks until annual conference and it is urged that we rally to the services in order to properly bring to a close our good year's work.

H. BASCOM WATTS, Pastor.

INDOOR CHAUTAUQUA HERE NEXT WEEK

Lockney Indoor Chautauqua starts next Tuesday, October 28, at the school auditorium, both evening and night. This Chautauqua is the celebrated Redpath-Horner attraction and it is high class, and embraces some of the best talent on the lecture platform. The program will consist of musical numbers, lectures and readings. The first day, Tuesday, the Althea Players will appear. This is a splendid musical number, both instrumental and voice. The violin is used extensively, along with readings, vocal solos, both violin and voice. At night, in addition to the Althea Players, Dr. Loveland, noted lecturer, on "Perils of Democracy" or "The Church as the War Lift it." Dr. Loveland points out the defects in our church system with the question,

"Is Church Membership Synonymous With Christianity?" He has a message for you, and you should hear him.

The second day will be Frank Ducrot, Magician, in the afternoon, with Granville Jones, lecturer at night. Mr. Ducrot is a wizard in the art of the magician and will please the old and young alike. Granville Jones is a Texan, and noted lecturer and needs no introduction. He comes to us with a strong message, "The Philosophy of Life" and he will so delight his audience that they will not know whether to laugh or weep.

The third day will bring Mae Shumway Enderly, reader. She comes highly recommended and her selections will vary from the humorous to the dramatic, from the ridiculous to the sublime. Don't fail to hear her. At night a comedy-drama, "It Pays to Advertise. It is a strong company that will put this number over, and will furnish you two hours of laughter.

Fourth day, the Premier Concert



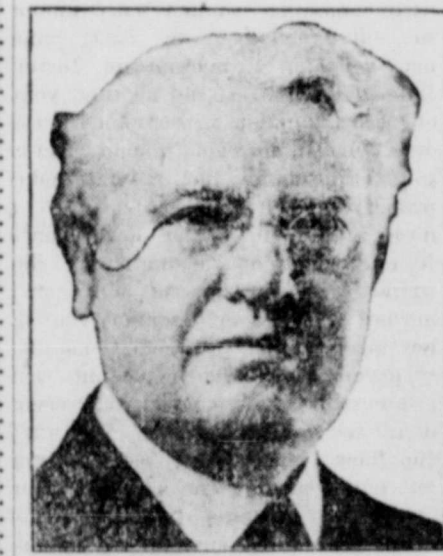
THE ALTHEA PLAYERS

Company in the afternoon, lecture at night by L. E. Durham. Mr. Durham will lecture on "What Lockney Needs." For fifteen years he was head of the Chamber of Commerce in Los Angeles and has a wide experience in commercial activities. This lecture alone will be worth the efforts of those bringing the Chautauqua to town, and every citizen and business man of town who has the welfare of Lockney at heart should hear this lecture.

In addition to the above attraction, the Redpath-Horner Company furnishes free for the four days of the Chau-

taqua a community singer. He comes Sunday and will begin his work of establishing community singing. This is a splendid opportunity to obtain voice training free, along with the pleasure that will come in bringing the people together in song work.

Briefly the Beacon has outlined the many good things in store for the people of Lockney next week. Season tickets are now on sale at \$2.25 for adults, \$1.35 for students and \$1.15 for children, war tax included. If you miss the Chautauqua next week you will miss a rare treat.



FRANK S. LOVELAND



L. E. DURHAM

MRS. C. C. MILLER ENTERTAINS HER LADY FRIENDS

Thursday afternoon between the hours of 3:30 and 6 p. m., Mrs. C. C. Miller entertained her many Lockney lady friends right royally at her home in West Side. That ever-popular game Forty-two furnished the amusement for the afternoon, which partook of the nature of a spirited contest in progressive playing. Tables were arranged to accommodate the entire gathering and the game was lively from start to finish, with the usual high and low scoring.

A two-course lunch was served consisting of the following: bread and butter sandwiches, jellied chicken served on lettuce leaf, potato chips and coffee, ice cream and angel food cake.

Those present were Mesdames Dodson, Sams, Dillard, France Baker, Vance, Zimmermann, Morris, Bob Ramsey, John Broyles, Roy Griffith, Page, Hill, Meriwether, Woodburn, Stewart, Ira Broyles, Fred Griffith, Suits, Barber, Hatcher, Smith and Pennington.

C. A. WOFFORD VISITED THE FLOMOT COMMUNITY

Tuesday of this week. George Garner of Snyder was here this week, taking up cotton from our local buyers.

GREER & HALL SHEEP SALE WAS NOTO MADE

The Greer & Hall Sheep Sale to have been held Saturday afternoon last, when they had planned to sell out their herd of 1500 sheep, was not held because the owners were not able to get cars to move their stuff from Friona where they have had it on pasture.

Messrs. Greer and Hall returned from that place Tuesday. "There were orders for 180 head of stock cars ahead of us when we got to Friona," Mr. Hall said, "and the probabilities are we could have not gotten cars for several weeks. While we may have disappointed some people by not getting the sheep here for the sale, it was impossible for us to do so under the circumstances."—Hesperian.

S. A. Henry and family, E. E. Dyer and family, and family, E. E. Dyer and family, all report a fine fair this year.

C. R. Wilkinson and family returned the latter part of last week from the Dallas Fair. They report a fine trip, but tiresome as all such trips are.

Lee Wofford and children and Mr. A. E. Creighton and family visited in Plainview Sunday.

METEOR ITEMS

Meteor now has for their primary teacher Mrs. Hardy, Miss Page having gone. Our school has a rather small attendance at the present time, as so many of the pupils have to do field work.

The family of A. W. Thompson are rejoicing over the arrival of little Roy Neil Turnbaugh, who is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Madison Turnbaugh, of Quanah, Texas.

May, Fay and E. J. Golden of Weathers community are visiting their sister Mrs. Emmett Tierce.

W. J. Wingo, of Mexico, who has been visiting his parents left Wednesday morning for Clay county.

There will be a get-together meeting this year. The time will be on Halloween, when ghosts and goblins appear. Every one is invited, and nobody will mind when we tell them in a nice way to leave their purse behind. October 31, 1919 at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Pratt and Mr. Conely are getting along fine baching.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard took Miss Page of Idalu las Sunday, so that she might begin her teaching at that place Monday morning.

Miss Gregory, our intermediate teacher, visited at her home at Petersburg Sunday.

Brother Upton preached here Sunday night. A very good sermon was enjoyed by all, though there was a rather small attendance.

Miss Thelma Thompson was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clayton Weathers Tuesday night.

SECOND TOURNAMENT HEALTH CRUSADE

Austin, Texas.—The second tournament of the Modern Health Crusade in Texas will be held between November 1st and February 28, according to an announcement by the State Health Crusade Director, Miss Louise Hunter, Director of Children's Work, of the Texas Public Health Association.

The tourney at the present school year will be for ten weeks, and it is expected that 500,000 children of the Lone Star State will take up the fight for cleanliness and good health. Last year over 310,000 school children between the ages of 6 and 16, in 135 counties of Texas, became paces, squires and knights and knight banners on the field of Health Chivalry.

The second health crusade has been endorsed by Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, in a letter to all superintendents, school officers and teachers of Texas.

Miss Blanton declared that reports from all over the state showed that the crusade aided the children to form the proper health habits, teaching them persistence, self-denial and self-control. She hopes to see the crusade carried into every school in the state, thus to carry on the important work of "Child conservation."

The Junior Red Cross will this year last, sponsor the Modern Health Crusade, which will be directed by Miss Hunter from the State office of the Texas Public Health Association. This Association will have charge of the sale of 20,000,000 Red Cross

BETTER SUPPORT OF SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Prof. J. K. Greer, of the Lockney High School, calls attention to a lack of proper support of the school athletics, and suggests that if this important work is to be carried on to a success, it is necessary that the town people and the patrons in general co-operate more liberally. The games should be liberally supported in a financial way, and the boys encouraged with the presence of our people.

Prof. Greer calls attention to another drawback to football this season, and that is the parents attitude in not letting their boys go away to play ball. If teams come to Lockney, then it is courtesy that the Lockney boys return the courtesy and visit the towns who have favored us with their teams. Prof. Greer is present at each game, and accompanies the boys when they visit other towns, so you can be assured that the boys will have the best of attention. The boys should not be denied these trips, as it is one of the pleasant spots in school life. As many patrons of the school as can conveniently do so should accompany the teams when they visit other towns.

Christmas seals from December 1st to 10, and is thus enabled to carry the message of good health to the children of the state.

As the children faithfully perform their health "chores" during the ten weeks of the tournament they are promoted in the ranks of chivalry. After two weeks of work they may become pages; in three weeks more, squires; and when the ten weeks are up, knights. They will be presented the badges of their rank. The cause of cleanliness and good health is combined with the glamor of romance.

The health chores that each child performs are kept on record: (1) I washed my hands before each meal today. (2) I washed not only my face but my neck and ears and I cleaned my fingernail today. (3) I kept fingers, pencils and everything likely to be clean or injurious out of my mouth and nose today. (4) I brushed my teeth thoroughly after breakfast and after the evening meal today. (5) I took ten or more slow deep breaths of fresh air today. I was careful to protect others if I spit, coughed or sneezed. (6) I played out doors or with windows open more than thirty minutes today. (7) I was in bed ten hours or more last night and kept windows open. (8) I drank four glasses of water, including a drink before each meal, and drank no coffee, tea, or other injurious drinks today. (9) I tried to eat only wholesome food and to eat slowly. I went to toilet at my regular time. (10) I tried hard to sit up and stand straight; to keep neat, cheerful and clean-minded; and to be helpful to others. (11) I took a full bath on each of the days of the week that are checked (x) on my record.

YES

We represent some dandy Old Line Insurance companies, such as the St. Paul, National of Hartford, Fire Association of Philadelphia, and we also represent that well known old North-Western Life Insurance Co. So, if it's Fire, Tornado or Life insurance you want, see us. We will appreciate a share of your business. Office in Lockney State Bank.

BROWN, STEVENSON & BREWSTER

CLARENCE BREWSTER, Manager

LOCKNEY DRUG CO.

THE STORE FOR YOUR—
School Supplies of all kinds.
Alarm Clocks, \$2.00.
Stationery, the latest style.
Fountain Pens, \$2.50 to \$5.00.
Ledgers.
Books.
Confections of all kinds.
Fresh Chocolates.
Delicious Fountain Drinks, served right.
You will find our Toilet Case most complete and of the very best.
You will meet your friends at the—

Lockney Drug Co.

MACK SELLERS, Proprietor

"If its advertised, we have it."

HARDWARE and FURNITURE

A Complete Line. Let us figure with you.

Norton Baker Hardware & Furniture Co.

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

The Lockney Beacon

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith
Editors and Publishers

Entered April 14th, 1902 as second class mail matter at the Post Office Lockney, Texas, by act of Congress March 3rd, 1879.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION

One year\$1.50
Six months75
Three months40

Display advertising rates on application. Classified advertising 10 cents per line. All advertising matter will be run until ordered out, unless otherwise arranged. All advertising charged by the week. All bills payable monthly.

The American Red Cross will start its annual Membership drive November 2nd to 11th. The Red Cross did fine work during the war, and it now proposes to keep up the organization at full strength for peace relief work.

The Court of Criminal Appeals in session has handed down an opinion that State-wide prohibition did not repeal the 10 mile zone law, and that both are now in full force and effect. It is a long time between drinks in Texas for sure.

Sunday, October 26th, is the date set for the return of our old time, when the clocks and watches of the nation will be set back one hour. Therefore getting up time will take place an hour earlier than usual. The daylight saving law has been repealed, which now goes into effect on the 26th.

The Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce, with Frank R. Jamison secretary, is doing some very valuable work in the way of working out better shipping facilities for this section of the state. The efforts of the commercial bodies like the one mentioned above have a great weight with the government and railroad officials and can accomplish a great deal more than through individual effort.

When you hear a man denouncing the millionaires and knocking all wealthy people, do not leave any coin laying around where he can steal it.—Plainview News.

You certainly have stumbled onto some sound logic. It is an evident fact that these fellows who cuss the rich folks have been broke all their lives. Give them a stake and they wouldn't have enough left in a few weeks to flag a bread wagon. There is another peculiarity about these fellows that are always wanting the other fellow to divide up. They, as a rule, are tightwads. If they happen to be the exception to the rule, they would not give you a penny unless they can collect from 25 to 50 per cent interest. This dividing up business is alright as a theory, but it won't work even with the advocates of such doctrines.

We can prove beyond a shadow of a doubt that both ends of the rainbow rest in Hale county.—Plainview News.

Just listen at that, won't you? A

short time ago Jess Adams accused Editor Jones of the Silverton Star of seeing things that were unseemingly, but now he comes forward with the statement that both ends of the rainbow rest in Hale county. It was only a very short time ago that this Plainview scribe discovered the lost Garden of Eden within the precincts of Hale county, and it took State Press and the entire press gang of the Panhandle to convince him that he was mistaken. This we contributed to his over-zeal in extolling the virtues of his section, but when he claims to have chased the rainbow to both ends we know positively that something is wrong with our friend. We would not be surprised to hear him announce that he had found a big bag of gold at each end of this bow. That alfalfa tea of his certainly does make a fellow dream strange dreams.

The Record now offers to our subscribers Ham Sandwiches as a premium to pay up or subscribe for the great moral guide.—Colorado Record.

We have heard of many clubbing propositions but this ham sandwich stunt beats them all. And it's alright, when you come to think of it. A hungry subscriber ought to be willing to sluff off the price of a year's subscription if he is assured of a nice juicy slice of ham between two pieces of bread. Whipkey failed to state whether he intended to butter the bread, or spread the necessary mustard on the ham. He should make the offer complete. Speaking of subscription getting stunt, we are reminded of Tom Marxs who once edited a newspaper at Jacksboro. This man Marxs put in a sheep dip in connection with his paper and every man that paid for his paper was entitled to have one sheep dipped free. It failed to work as Marxs eventually went out of business.

The Plainview News is a strong advocate of a division of Texas along with the Beacon and a majority of the press of West Texas. In a recent issue the News gives the following information why the State should be divided in a discussion of the school tax distribution of the state. "In West and Northwest Texas the amounts are reversed. Hale county, for instance, pays \$28,100 into the state school treasury, and gets back \$18,367 from the school fund. Hockley county pays \$10,388 and gets back only \$150. Briscoe pays \$12,071 and gets back \$6,810; Castro pays \$13,740, gets back \$3,442; Floyd pays \$31,501, gets \$18,514; Crosby pays \$15,293, gets \$10,630; Lamb pays \$21,619, gets \$2,340; Lubbock pays \$31,213, gets \$18,000; Swisher pays \$18,200, gets \$9,180; Cochran pays \$3,363, gets only \$15.

Texas' bonded indebtedness is approximately \$200,333,000. This information leads one to the conclusion that the brakes should be applied, and make sure they are holding. Where is the line to be drawn in this bonding business. These figures do not apply to state bonding indebtedness, but the indebtedness voluntarily voted by the people of Texas for various purposes. Our children's children will not live to see the principal paid on this huge sum left them by their mad and extravagant sires.

A plot has been unearthed in the steel mills district to overthrow government and take charge of things. The Federal arm reached out and struck a heavy blow to agitators. If they can win their point by fair means they then seek to overthrow organized society, and take by force what they have failed to accomplish by peaceful agitation.

The Seventy-five million dollar drive by the Southern Baptists for Church, school and hospital work is a splendid work that should engage every member of that denomination as well as the public at large. Never in the history of nations has there been such church activities, raising large sums for the Master's work. Evidently religious people have concluded that if the American people can give billions for war, they can and should give their millions for peace of the kind that our Savior brought to earth.

Among the strikers in the steel mills, in the eastern states, the high cost of living and the high cost of not working are running a neck and neck race.—Hereford Brand.

The steel strikers are soon to be joined by the miners who say they are bound to strike. They think they ought not to work more than five hours a day, and should have an increase of 60 per cent in wages. Hunger is liable to overtake both classes cent people in their race against the and neck race business. The miners strike is liable to effect many innocent people in their race against the rigors of winter.

The Autrey's have stumbled into Snyder and started a new paper—the Record—and the business men are foolishly falling over each other to get in its columns. We know nothing about the Autreys as newspaper men, but we do know that Snyder, like Colorado, is not now and has never been large enough to support two papers.—Colorado Record.

We are better acquainted with the newspaper situation at Snyder than the Colorado man, having once published a paper at the former place. We have nothing to throw in the way of Autreys, but they have gone up against a losing game to say the least. We are conversant with the many hardships the Signal people have gone through the past few years, and if it had not been for their devotion to the town, along with their adaptability to cold water, corn bread and cheap molasses, they would have probably been gone long ago. News-paper men in Central West Texas existed largely on optimism and beef liver the past few years, and at times did not have enough paid advertising in their columns to flag a bread wagon without cussing the driver. For Snyder business men to fall over each other to patronize this new journalistic adventure, borne in on the wings of prosperity, is an act of disloyalty and base ingratitude. Snyder has never overdone the matter in their support of one newspaper in normal times, much less the support of two.

It is to be hoped that this German propaganda at striking at almost everything for almost nothing will be seen to after a while and then let our people get down to business and make homes and money like they use to, then happiness and contentment will return.—Stamford Leader.

Editor English wrote a jam-up good editorial on the strike spirit, the above being an excerpt, we could not reproduce it all, but we give a paragraph bearing on what he styles German propaganda in this strike business. We have no way of knowing for certain that Germany is back of this striking business, but if that country has a hand in the matter, which is not all improbable, we want to say that she has made a thorough job of it. Strikes are broadcast, from the clergy to the policemen and grave diggers. They all want more money. The high cost of our daily living is one thing that has caused so much of the unrest among the laboring classes. But there has always been strikes in this country, ever since organized labor became strong enough to engineer them. The writer has always claimed that God Almighty never made two nautes for man, one for the rich man and one for the poor man. The more the one gets the more the other wants. We are not of the class that opposes everything capitalistic because we cannot go the gates of those blessed with more money than we. All we would ask of capital or labor is a square deal. The laboring people do not believe they are getting a square deal, and are demanding more and more of capital. Capital, of course, is not inclined to grant many of labor's unreasonable requests. The best solution we have heard for these difficulties is the sharing plan where capital and labor become partners in the various enterprises of the country. This plan has been adopted in many large factories and department stores with signal success. The main reason that this plan is not uni-

The treaty with Germany has not yet been signed. The Senate is still debating the question of amendments. All but two out of the forty-eight amendments have been defeated. The Republican obstructionists continue to fiddle while Rome burns. The country is rife with strikes, and labor troubles; the old world is on the verge of a complete collapse. This does not deter these Republican filibusters in their tactics of making political medicine. The treaty will be signed, and these obstructionists know it better than any one. They are just a bunch of cheap political skates, bent on raising as much hell in the senate as they can.

One of the most hopeful signs of a little remaining common sense among the club women of the East, came last week in a meeting of Boston Club women, when the meeting went on record against professional mothers. One unmarried woman doctor told the assembly that no child could properly develop in the care of a hired mother, no matter how scientific and competent she might be. She further declared that the baby's own mother was the only person who by her innate mother love could constantly develop the child in seeking thru a hundred ways to evoke expression of all the child's faculties. The stuff the "new woman" has been putting out about putting the children under the care of a trained "mother", while the real mother engaged in professions or vocations is inhuman in practice and damnable in its possible effects. It is most refreshing when women naturally bent along those lines are brought to their senses long enough to express again that truth which their inner consciousness has always proclaimed when not stifled. While there is life there is hope.—Clarendon News.

In a long article on farming in general and as a reply to the Beacon's quib Editor Satterwhite, of the Panhandle Herald, has this to say in explanation of his doings in Carson county: Yes, the Herald editor farms in connection with his editorial and newspaper work and loves the game. We are defeating the present high price labor, too, by doing our own work, Ben, and now have a seventy-acre wheat field which is already showing its rich coat of green. We were born and reared on a farm and more or less of our grown up life has been on the farm or closely connected. We farm because we love the game, and not as Editor Jess Adams would have you believe.

The Beacon will watch as it were from afar Editor Satterwhite's farm operations, and trust that by the time the Press Association meets at Amarillo next spring he can give us a good report. We hope we will be able to borrow a couple of dollars off of him as a result of his wheat operations.



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Cigarettes made to meet your taste!

Camels are offered you as a cigarette entirely out of the ordinary—a flavor and smoothness never before attained. To best realize their quality compare Camels with any cigarette in the world at any price!

Camels flavor is so refreshing, so enticing, it will win you at once—it is so new and unusual. That's what Camels expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobacco gives you! You'll prefer this blend to either kind of tobacco smoked straight!

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Take Camels at any angle—they surely supply cigarette contentment beyond anything you ever experienced. *They're a cigarette revelation!* You do not miss coupons, premiums or gifts. *You'll prefer Camels quality!*

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Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.

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He doesn't have to throw away his old shoes.

We make them comfortable—renewed shoes. Ask Dad.

Shoe prices are high—have yours repaired.

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My kingdom for a light LUNCH. Something to eat and some little time to eat it in.

Where will I get it? At the City Cafe. Clean, wholesome food, cooked in a manner which makes your mouth water to even think of those dishes afterwards. Come for breakfast, dinner or supper.

CITY CAFE, Lockney, Texas

Kind of Old Style . . .

But it lasted a long while because it was built of the best lumber obtainable in its time.

Why not build your erections with the same A—No. 1 Lumber?

It does not pay to put up crumbly frame works. Come and look through our display yards where there are piles of the finest woods in the country.

Build your home sure. Build it with our materials.

PAINTS

We handle the B. P. S. Paints, Post, Wire, and Wind Mills.

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

The Ford Sedan is a car with refined appointments, many conveniences, and with all the economy and satisfaction characterized by Ford cars. It is a popular car among women who drive. It meets every social demand, every family want, every day of the year regardless of weather. Equally useful in city or country, price \$775; Coupe, \$850; Runabout, \$500; Touring Car, \$525; Truck Chassis, \$590. These prices f. o. b. Detroit.

Lockney Auto Co.

LANDS

Priced at War Time Prices

We have a number of good places listed with us at drouth and war prices. Real estate is advancing every day. Let us show you some before they are sold.

J. B. Downs Land and Cattle Co.

Lockney, Texas

Save by Pressing

and CLEANING your old clothes when you have grown tired of the color. Cleaning is our forte.

Your apparel is redeemed from the soiled appearance and restored to the cleanly, neat, well pressed garment.

D. F. McDuffee

Some Bargains

In cheap Farm Lands in Floyd and on the North Plains.

Act Quick

D. P. Carter

Lockney, Texas

STYLE SHOP

Just received a new shipment of children's, Juniors' and ladies' Coats, Coat Suits and Dresses.

Always the Latest in Millinery
MRS. D. J. THOMAS

Mrs. D. J. Thomas

Insurance Notice

Mr. Frank Barber, recently of Hereford, Texas, is in charge of my fire insurance business. Mr. Barber is an experienced insurance man, and will be glad to serve you along the lines of Fire Insurance.

I will remain in charge of the Life Insurance and loan end of the business.

We want your business and will serve you with efficiency and accuracy with the best old line Fire and Life Insurance Companies.

S. A. Henry

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN STATE GAME LAW

Austin, Oct. 8.—Attention of hunters is called to important and material changes, as well as differences, in state and federal game laws, in a statement by the game, fish and oyster department. Most important of these is that the Federal law now forbids the shooting of curlew and plover and fixes a daily bag limit of twenty-five on doves. The state law allows a maximum of but fifteen doves.

The new bag limits and open season follow:

Deer, three bucks, from November 1 to December 31.

Turkey, three gobblers, March 1st to April 30.

Doves, fifteen per day, Sept. 1 to Dec. 15.

Quail or Mexican pheasants, fifteen per day, Dec. 1st to Jan. 31st.

Ducks, twenty-five per day, Oct. 16 to Jan. 31.

A maximum of twenty-five is fixed as a day's bag limit, which would include any combination of birds listed above.

Farmers may kill birds destroying growing crops by obtaining a proper permit without regard to limit or season.

Charged With Contempt

Certain shareholders in the Tahoka Oil & Gas Company went to Floydada last night and swore to information alleging that M. M. Herring, secretary, and Howard and Clifford Green, drillers for the oil company had moved a portion of the oil drilling outfit away from the Tahoka well, and taken it Justiceburg or Post, in violation of a recent injunction issued by Judge Joiner.

Judge Joiner issued a warrant or other process against Herring and the Greens, and ordered that they be brought before him to show why they punished for alleged contempt. The papers were sent to the sheriff at Tahoka this morning for service.—Plainview News.

PIANO—VOICE—EXPRESSION

Special class for children.
Dana Thomas Harmon
50-4 Studio at Keeling's residence

Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . . ."

"It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

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THE SOUTHWEST'S BIG WINTER SALE

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ELECTION NOTICE

Pursuant to the election proclamation issued by the Governor of Texas, notice is hereby given that an Election will be held on Tuesday, the Fourth Day of November, 1919, in Election Precinct No. 1 to 15 at the various voting places in the county of Floyd, State of Texas, for the purpose of Highways; for or against the amendment to Section 49, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for an issue of bonds by the State for the purpose of construction of Highways; for or against the amendment to Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to Confederate pensions and increasing tax rate for payment of same; for or against the amendment to Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, permitting prisoners to share in the net proceeds from the State penitentiary system; for or against the amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, permitting Galveston county and City to issue bonds for grade raising purposes; for or against the amendment to Article 8, Section 9, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to special taxes by cities, towns, and counties for public improvements, public roads, etc.; for or against the amendment to Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 of Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the separation of the State University and the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and for bond issues by each, and for or against a Constitutional Convention.

J. W. HOWARD,
County Judge of Floyd County, Texas.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21 day of October, 1919.

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Notary Public.

My commission expires 1921.

H. F. Meadows and son of Plainview were in the city Saturday. They are agents for the Page and Jordan cars. They paid this office a pleasant call while here.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

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New Stock

We have now arranged our new stock of jewelry, Cut Glass, China ware, Stationery and Drug Sundries.

Our stock of confections are complete. Just the place to get your candies, and sweets. Our fountain products are the best.

Smokers and tobacco users will find at our place a splendid line of the best cigars, cigarettes and tobaccos. Come in to see us.

Roy Griffith

OUR 4TH Anniversary Sale

Four years ago we started in business in Lockney. We have customers all over this and adjoining counties. To them we express our thanks for the growth and progress of this store, and we know no better way of showing our real appreciation than at this critical time of high prices than to throw on the market our entire stock, which is now complete in every department, bought while cotton and wool were the cheapest in the last two years. Also a big lot bought on recent trips to market at reduced prices—since the season being half over. Most of us are just now thinking of Jack Frost. Hence some warm clothes are in our minds.

Don't miss this grand opportunity to save money.

Sale Starts Saturday, October 25th
Closes Nov. 8th--Lasts 15 Days

SCHLOSS BROS. SUITS

\$50.00 Suits, all wool	\$42.50
\$47.50 Suits, all wool	\$40.00
\$45.00 Suits, all wool	\$38.50
\$42.50 Suits, all wool	\$35.00
\$40.00 Suits, all wool	\$32.50
\$37.00 Suits, all wool	\$27.50

BOYS' SUITS

\$22.50 all wool serges	\$17.50
22.50 all wool plaids	\$17.50
\$20.00 all wool worsted	\$16.50
\$18.00 all wool worsted	\$15.00
\$15.00 plaids	\$12.50
\$12.50 plaids	\$10.00
\$10.00 plaids	\$ 8.00
\$ 7.50 plaids	\$ 6.00
\$ 6.50 plaids	\$ 4.50
1 lot Suits, choice	\$ 3.50

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

All latest styles and patterns at special value. Don't fail to lay in your supply.

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

\$1.50 value, blue	\$1.39
\$2.00 value, khaki	\$1.79

SPECIAL VALUES

A good value in men's underwear—ribbed, flat-fleeced. Also two-piece.

Special values in men's work pants. Prices much higher wholesale than we ask for them in this sale. Don't miss laying in your wants.

MEN'S WORK HOSE

25c grade	20c
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20c grade	15c
A good lisle for	27 1-2c

MEN'S AND BOYS' CAPS

Latest patterns for winter. Don't fail to see these special bargains we are offering this sale.

BOYS' SWEATERS

All latest patterns and colors at a special bargain. Fit the boys up for the winter.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear—Ladies' Coats.

We have a specially fine selection of Silk Plush, Velour and Silvertone Coats. We can save you from \$5 to \$15 on your coat. We have the latest styles to suit young and old. Come. Don't miss this opportunity of saving money on your coat.

LADIES' COAT SUITS

Just received several dozen this week. Bought at reduced prices. They are in Tricotines, Silvertone, Serge and Poplins. Colors: Black, Navy and Brown. Sizes: 16 to 44.

DRESSES! DRESSES!!

Special prices on all wool and satin dresses. One lot of children's gingham dresses, sizes 4 to 14, moderately priced.

LADIES' BLOUSES

We have a good selection of Georgette Blouses priced to sell.

LADIES' SWEATERS

We have a big assortment of ripple-tail and Coat Sweaters.

LADIES' HOSE

We have a complete stock of Silk, Silk Lisle Hose. One special value 35c seller at

23c

MILLINERY! MILLINERY!

We have still lots of pretty hats. A new lot just arrived! We have had all the season the best hats for the money. They are cheaper now. Come early and get yours while there are plenty to select from.

SHOES—SHOES—SHOES

We can save you from \$2 to \$3.50 a pair on shoes. Prices from \$3.50 to \$10.50. Compare these prices with others. Don't miss this.

GINGHAM

One special lot of gingham. 27 1-2c grade at

19c

COTTON CHECKS

A big lot of cotton checks. Now is the time to lay in your quilt lining. 25c grade

16c

MEN'S COATS

Men's Blanket-Lined Coats. One lot \$5 value to go at \$3.50

BLOOMERS

Girls' Black Satteen Bloomers, 4 to 12

59c

THREAD

6 spools Clark's O. N. T. Thread

25c

LADIES' SKIRTS

6 dozen ladies skirts bought for this sale. If you waited you have saved money.

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You make a bad deal when you don't see us for feed.

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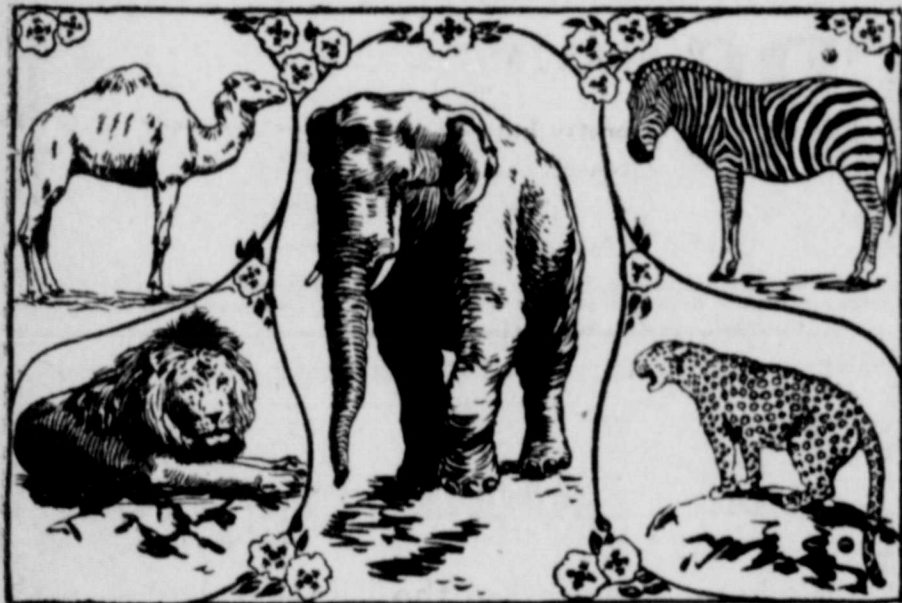
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We have some good teams that we will sell on twelve months time.

We still have some high grade pianos that we are selling at close prices. Be sure and come around when you need a good team or piano.

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LOCKNEY

Saturday,

Oct. 25th

2 P. M.

Col. Geo. W. Hall's Trained Animal Railroad Shows.

See free outside act on show grounds at 1:30 and 7:30 P. M.

versal is that the walking delegates and labor bosses oppose such a course for the reason that they would soon be out of a job should the sharing plan become nation-wide.

West Texas Normal College at Canyon will lay a bronze tablet in the auditorium in commemoration of the boys of that institution who lost their lives in the great world war.

Count von Bernstorff says that Germany made three great mistakes. These were Belgium invasion, submarine warfare and the 1918 offensive. To this it might be added as a fourth mistake, "the Kaiser's statement that American won't fight. Since the German collapse, first one German high-brow and another have tried to shift the burden of the responsibility of the war. Bernstorff was the American ambassador at the outbreak of the war and was active in crying on propaganda of treachery in this country. He now comes forward and tries to shift the responsibility, so far as he is concerned. He, like all the rest of the Germans are liars out of the whole cloth. They were all responsible for the war.

Recently the declaration of the purpose of the I. W. W. have fallen into the hands of the Department of Justice at Washington. Few people really know what these people stand for, nor the length they propose to go in carrying into effect their plans. Since 1904 or the date of the instrument, efforts have been made in this country to carry into force and effect these principles. The article is as follows: "The working class and the employing class have nothing in common. Between these two classes a struggle must go on until all the toilers come together on a political, as well as industrial, field, and take and hold that which they produce by labor. The struggle must go on until the workers take possession of the earth and the machinery of production and abolish the wage system. Instead of the conservative motto, "a fair day's wages for a fair day's work," we must inscribe on our banner the revolutionary watchword, "Abolition of the wage system."

The American Legion will do one thing that carries the hearty endorsement of 90 per cent of the citizens of the entire nation, and that is to find out why the conscientious objectors are being accorded such handsome treatment. Just whose idea it is that a conscientious objector should go to a military prison for the duration of the war and then soon as the war is over be pardoned out with full soldier's pay for all time he was in durance vile, has not been made public.—Canadian Record.

The Beacon was not aware that this had been the course of the government in dealing with the conscientious ob-

jector. If such is the case some one has pulled a bonehead. Why not pardon all our criminals in our state and Federal penitentiaries and pay them for time they have been confined. As for the conscientious objector, he was a yellow slacker, a traitor to his country, and he deserved the punishment he received at the hands of the government. To turn him out of prison with an apology is to cheapen the laws of this nation, and is a deproach on the boys who crossed over and fought the Hun without any conscientious objection.

In New York, a few days ago, we read of the appearance of a French lady by the name of Anne Moutet at a conference of women physicians, who says: "In a country the population of which is decreasing, it is important above all to favor the rate of birth by every means, to do away with all obstacles in the protection of all children, indiscriminately. Motherhood outside of marriages must no longer be held as a disgrace or a burden." It seems rather strange that these French people should be so slow to understand American morals. The standards of the French are so far below that of America that they are incomparable. In the above this noted French woman physician is advocating free love, or in other words the recognition by society of women and men mating like cattle. "Motherhood out of marriage should no longer be held a disgrace." This may be the case in France, and from the report our boys bring back from over there it is doubtless true, but in America we have different standards, so vastly different that all motherhoods out of marriage is the one insurmountable disgrace.

The Beacon is for the Texas University first, last and all the time, and wishes to see it become the greatest university in the United States. This can only be done through the change of the constitution of Texas as indicated above. The A. & M. will not be hurt by this separation in the least, as she is supported by a separate tax placed upon the people like our Normal schools.

PICTURES FOR THE WALLS OF SCHOOL ROOMS

This exhibition of pictures is more than one of ordinary interest. It consists of carbon photographs and engravings, loaned by the Elson Art Publishing Co., Inc., Belmont, Mass. The collection is a large one and contains only the very best reproductions of the masterpieces of art of different countries and periods. Nearly every gallery and country in the world would have to be visited to see the original pictures which are here brought together in one collection.

The collection comprises two hun-

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Jack Frost--

Jack Frost comes like a thief in the night. If you have any growing plants out he will nip them—unless they are covered over—protected. And how about your money? Is it protected against the Burglar—another thief who comes in the night? Protect your money by keeping it here. No thief can get it while you do not need it and when you need it you can get it at any time.

The Lockney State Bank

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dred subjects representing all the principal schools of art and including many reproductions of sculpture, architecture and important views from nature. Few collections have ever been brought together which so completely cover the history of art at all times as this. A catalog will be on sale at the exhibition hall.

No city or town should be indifferent to the culture and refinement of its people. It is part of the school work to inculcate these qualities in the children through whatever means it has at its disposal. The wholesome and refining influence of pictures of the right sort on the school walls is now generally recognized as one of the most valuable means of securing this end. The funds for purchasing such pictures, as well as an opportunity to make a selection from a very large number, is secured by means of the exhibition. The larger the attendance, the greater the number of pictures that can be secured for the schools.

We hope you will not fail to visit helping on the work.

the exhibition, and believe you will be fully repaid for the light trouble and expense in the pleasure and profit you will gain for yourself, besides

"THE PRAIRIE" WILL BE PUBLISHED.

The new semi-monthly newspaper of the West Texas State Normal College has been called "The Prairie." The staff is now at work on the first issue which will be printed during the coming week. The News will print the paper for the school.

The following is the editorial staff: Editor-in-Chief—Gracie Penrod. Assistant Editor—Edna Dyche. Business Manager—Kenneth Burns. Art Editor—Juanita Beal. Exchange Editor—Dan Sanders. Society Editor—Lizzie Kate Smith. Athletic Representatives—Frank John, Alma Guenther. Fine Arts Representative—Annie Beene.

The News wishes the newspaper success.—Randall County News.

What Do You Wish--

for breakfast, dinner or supper?

Perhaps it is a nice juicy steak—creamy potatoes with brown gravy just oozing like a spring in Yellowstone Park all over the plate.

Whatever it is you want for that certain meal, we have it in its best form.

Your groceries are 100 per cent perfect if they come from the City Grocery. The only store that has the interest of an energetic proprietor in the store and at your table.

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is the way some people like their groceries. The credit you THINK is benefitting you—the gash, you KNOW means that you have to pay more for your food stuffs.

Eliminate the gash in your money roll and buy your eatables where they are sold for cash at the very lowest reasonable price. Our stock is of the very finest lines of all table dressings.

Try once and invite the habit into your daily walks.

Theo. Griffith

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You Will Find No Greater Values than we Show You--Of this We are Certain

We own our shoes right—the styles are right and the prices are right. Compare our shoes in quality of leathers, style workmanship and prices with any offered you anywhere and we will accept your verdict.



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IN
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FOR
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A new assortment of snappy Coats—
Just put in stock—
Faultlessly tailored, and beautifully finished—
Many new effects in design make this lot of Coats—
Particularly desirable.

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Stylish models of late designs—
The product of the best style builders.
And the latest things in fashion developments of the season—
Smart materials in popular colors and new effects.
Popular prices.



BLOUSES

of style and beauty, fashioned in accordance with the latest modes and materials most favored for fall and winter wear—you should see these blouses.

"Kuppenheimer" Clothes for Men
"Styleplus" Clothes for Men.
"Perfection" Suits for Boys.
"Oregon City" Mackinaws.

"Mallory" Hats
"Perfecto" Shirts
"Eskimo" Wool Shirts.
"Ides Silver" Collars.

"Sunshine" Coats and Suits.
"Stearne and Kleine" Blouses.
"Loment" Dresses.
"Kobo" Corsets.

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Ross Mickey spent several days in Panhandle City this week, closing up a deal for a drug business.

V. N. Dillard, Z. T. Riley and Dr. J. C. Guest spent several days in the Dalhart community this week.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

C. R. Hatcher and wife were Plainview visitors Tuesday.

W. B. Fox has sold the Olympic Barber Shop, and will go to California.

Mr. Hardeastle, of Silvertown was here Tuesday en route to his home from the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reeves returned Saturday from a week's visit to the Dallas Fair.

Will Sims of the Curlew community was in town Wednesday with a load of oats for market.

Mr. Boyd, insurance agent of Plainview, was here looking after the insurance business.

T. E. Mickey and family left Monday for New Mexico, where they will make their home.

Fred Griffith and cousin, Miss Edna Griffith spent several days the last of the week attending the fair.

Mrs. Linsey Busby, of Running Water, spent this week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wise.

Miss Mathis, of Slaton, came in Wednesday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Mathis, living west of town.

W. N. Brown, president of the Lockney State Bank, has been absent this week, having gone to Big Springs on business and pleasure.

Mr. Reed, A. R. Meriwether, John Broyles, Rayborn Thompson J. C. Guest and C. R. Hatcher attended a meeting of the Elks lodge at Plainview last Friday night.

Mrs. E. L. Pennington of Wallis, Texas, accompanied by her son, B. F. Pennington of San Antonio, arrived in Lockney last Friday, for a visit to their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ben F. Smith. Mrs. Pennington will spend the winter with her daughter. Mr. Pennington returned to his home Tuesday. It was his first visit here, and he was delighted with this section of the Plains.

CONFERENCE OF COUNTY JUDGES AND COMMISSIONERS

To be held at Amarillo, Texas, Thursday, October 30, 1919, under the auspices of Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce.

Program.

Auditorium of City Hall—10:00 a. m. Call to order—W. A. Palmer, Canadian, Texas.

Address of Welcome—Hon. R. C. Johnson, County Judge of Potter Co. Response—Hon. J. K. McKinzie, County Judge of Roberts County. Address—C. S. Fowler, State Highway Commission.

"The \$75,000,000 Bond Amendment." Open Discussion.

Afternoon Session

Call to order at 1:30 p. m.—By Chairman.

Address—Lamar Cobb, Highway Engineer, El Paso, Texas—"The Economic Highway."

Address—Hon. Adrian Poole, Rep. 118 District, El Paso Texas—"The County in Highway Organization."

Address—A. S. Stinnett, Pres. Panhandle-Plains Chamber of Commerce.

"Panhandle Unity." Open Discussion.

Evening Session

Banquet Amarillo Hotel, 7:00 p. m.

Toastmaster—T. E. Durham. Pres. Board of City Development.

Invocation—Rev. H. W. Virgin, Pastor of First Baptist Church.

James D. Hamlin—County Judge Parmer County, Texas—"The Heart of The Situation."

A. S. Stinnett, Amarillo, Texas—"Panhandle Resources."

R. T. Cordell, Ochiltree, Texas—"Echoes From The North Plains."

Senator W. H. Bledsoe, Lubbock, Texas—"Visions of the South Plains."

W. H. Fuqua, Amarillo, Texas—"Opportunities and Closed Doors."

Hon. R. Walker Hall, Amarillo, Texas—"Come Again."

Music—Reading.

Wm. McGehee left Thursday for Canyon where he went to have 100 head of cattle shipped to this community, where he will put them on stalk feed, and afterwards fatten them for the market.

W. B. Fox was a Plainview visitor Tuesday.

Look! Notice! Listen!

I have leased the Deck Wells Barber Fixtures, and moved same in the rear of Roy Griffith's Confectionery. I am now ready for business, and my motto is: "Treat You Right." If not satisfied, whiskers refunded.

B. F. Rigdon
LOCKNEY, TEXAS

SERVICE STATION FOR THE

Willard Batteries

Batteries repaired and re-charged
We do a general auto repair business. Bring us your crippled cars. We guarantee you service with promptness and accuracy.

Come and see us when in need of work

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Car Load Apples

We have a carload of the Winesap and Gano apples. We can sell you apples in any quantity.

These apples are located in the McCollum Building.

Come in and get your fall apples.
75c per bushel.

A. R. Eastwood

Garden Court

Face powder as pictured and described in the October Ladies Home Journal and Cosmopolitan, can be had at the Stewart Drug Company. It is the finest face powder known of. Come and see it.

Stewart Drug Co.

YOU WILL LIKE
OUR GROCERIES



You will like our groceries because they are the good kind, because we keep them fresh and therefore pure.

It is a crime to put poor food into your stomach and the children's. Their very health and happiness depends more than anything else upon the foods they eat.

Then serve our good foods on your table. They won't cost you any more than poor stuff you buy at many places.

BAKER BROTHERS

Gratefully

We are exceedingly gratified with the splendid patronage given us since we've been in Lockney. It shall be our aim to give you the very best merchandise at the lowest possible cost. We buy for cash, taking advantage of all discounts and sell for cash thus eliminating all losses. So we are in position to save you money on every purchase.

We have ordered a well selected stock of shelf hardware and can now take care of your requirements in that line also. We consider ourselves fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Floyd Huff, who will be glad to have his friends call on him here.

G. S. Morris & Co.

Lockney, Texas

The Students Paradise

THE BOOK STORE

Here on our shelves is the accumulated wisdom of the ages. Here you may come when in search of any fact of human history.

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If you are fond of works of travel and exploration, come to us. It matters not in what line your reading falls, we can supply the kind of books you want.

Ralph Ashworth

That Crippled Car

We want you to bring us that crippled car of yours and let us put it in first class shape. We have first-class mechanics and use best of material.

There is poor economy in running a car that is not giving you maximum service. If yours is poorly adjusted or needs worn parts made new, it will pay you to let us give the car attention. A sick man will not endeavor to labor. He first sees a doctor. So it should be with that sick car of yours. Ours is the hospital for the treatment of automobiles of every description.

HUTCHISON BROS.

RED CROSS DRIVE GAINS MOMENTUM

ACTIVITIES OF EACH DAY OF
NOVEMBER CAMPAIGN
OUTLINED.

SCHOOL CHILDREN TO AID

Also Women's Clubs, Municipal Employees, Labor Organizations and Business Men.

That added momentum is being given by the Third Red Cross Roll Call by the approach of the opening day of the campaign, November 2, is indicated by hundreds of preliminary reports reaching Southwestern Division headquarters in St. Louis from Red Cross Chapters in the five States—Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma—composing the division. The drive closes November 11.

An outline, giving in detail the Red Cross activities that will characterize each day of the 10-day campaign, recently has been made public. The opening day has been designated "Red Cross Sunday" and will be the occasion for sermons on the Red Cross that will be preached in churches throughout the United States. Special programs are to be held at morning or evening services.

On Monday, November 3, the Governor's proclamation in each State will be made public, mass meetings will begin and the first check of the progress of the campaign will be made at a workers' dinner in the evening. "Municipal Employees Day" has been set for Tuesday, November 4. On this day a proclamation from the Mayor of each city and town will be arranged for, while on the principal municipal building the Red Cross flag will be raised to be displayed throughout the remainder of the campaign.

Department store speeches will be made by "four-minute men" to be followed by lunch hour enrollment.

Wednesday, November 5, is to be "Women's Day," on which special tribute is to be paid to the work which women are doing in the Red Cross. Meetings of women's clubs, special exercises in Red Cross workrooms and Chapters will characterize the day, which also will mark the peak of the house-to-house canvass that is to be an additional feature of the campaign.

Honors to the support which the laboring man is giving to the Red Cross will be paid Thursday, November 6, which is "Employees' Day." Noon meetings will be held at factories and large industrial plants.

The school children of each city, town and county will be the central figures on Friday, November 7, when special exercises in the schools will be held. The following day is special feature day for business and fraternal clubs. On the second Sunday of the campaign, November 9, patriotic sermons will be preached. November 10 is "Button Day," when all not wearing Red Cross buttons, will be solicited, while on Tuesday, November 11, the first anniversary of the Armistice, final reports will be made, and the campaign will close.

SOLDIERS TO DIRECT DRIVE

SAILORS, TOO, IN SOME CASES
WILL RUN CAMPAIGN.

Willingness of Returned Fighters to
Direct Red Cross Roll Call
Encouraging.

Returned soldiers and sailors in a large number of Red Cross Chapters of the Southwestern Division of the Red Cross—Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma—have accepted the directorship of the Third Red Cross Roll Call, Nov. 2 to 11, according to a recent announcement.

That this willingness not only to become members of the organization but to engage actively in the campaign to perpetuate the American Red Cross for future work indicates the high regard in which service men hold the Red Cross, is the belief of Alfred Fairbank, Division Manager.

"The fact that the young men who have served their country so courageously, and who have seen the Red Cross at work, are willing to assist so actively in its continuance should appeal to every man, woman and child in the country.

TEACHERS WILL CANVASS

Dallas, Texas, Instructors Volunteer
As Red Cross Roll Call
Workers.

School teachers of Dallas, Texas, have volunteered their services as canvassers for the Third Red Cross Roll Call, November 2 to 11. They already have perfected an organization and plan to make a house-to-house canvass on the second Sunday of Roll Call week in an effort to swell the total of Red Cross memberships for 1920.

"As we each intend to canvass in our own district," one teacher writes to Red Cross headquarters, "we expect to accomplish much by this unified action. Many teachers have mentioned that they had been unable to give as much time to war work as they wished and therefore desired now to aid the Red Cross in furthering its peace program.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pennington of Bbiscoe county, accompanied by their brother Robert of California spent last Saturday and Sunday night with their relatives, the Beacon family.

"Quality" is a Nice Word

Everybody uses it because it's what men want in clothes; but it's a lot easier to talk about "quality" than it is to put it in the clothes.

If you want "quality" in your clothes and not just in the conversation about them, you'd better come here.

You'll get it; guaranteed; Hart Schaffner & Marx use fine all-wool fabrics; the best tailoring; good style.

E. L. Ayres & Company

The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx
Clothes

STYLE SHOP

See my ladies', Juniors and children's coats.

Ladies Coat Suits and Dresses

I have the best styles, quality and price in town.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas



WATCH THIS SPACE

each week and we will tell you in a new and interesting way the latest news from our store.

We have just been fortunate enough to secure a series of cartoon ads, by one of the world's famous cartoonists, in which he will portray to you each week the merits of our high grade hardware and the advantages of trading with us. Don't fail to watch this space.

SPECIAL PRIZE OFFER

Here is a chance for you to get some easy spending money. We have just closed a contract for a year's supply of cartoons to be used in connection with our advertising. These cartoons are drawn by a very prominent cartoonist and we feel sure they will be read with interest by our friends and customers, and in order to attract immediate attention to these ads, we are going to offer to the boys and girls of Lockney and community, under 14 years of age, 6 premiums amounting to \$20.00.

We will give to the boy and to the girl securing the greatest number of our ads clipped from the Beacon under dates of November 7th, 14th and 21st, \$5 each, and to the next four boys and girls securing the greatest number of ads, \$1.50 each.

Get busy, phone your neighbors and friends to clip our ads and save them for you. Wrap them in bundles of 100 each, placing your name on the outside. Bring or send these ads to our store any time before 1:30 p. m. Saturday, Nov. 28, and at 3:00 o'clock we will announce the winner of the \$20.00 in prizes. Remember, that any number of boys and girls may enter this contest and it is open to all under 14 years of age, either in the town or country. So Get Busy.

We still have a few grain drills and disc harrows left.

E. P. Thompson & Son

LOCKNEY

Indoor Chautauquau

PRESENTED BY

Redpath-Horner Chautauqua Co.

High School Auditorium

October 28, 29, 30 and 31

PROGRAM

FIRST DAY

Afternoon—Concert—Althea Players
Admission, 25c; plus 3c War Tax—28c.
Night—Prelude—Althea Players
Lecture—Dr. Frank Loveland
Admission, 55c Adults; 23c Children

The Althea Players for several seasons have been scattering sunshine and radiating cheer with their violin and voices, their smiles and cheerful manner. This program includes readings, instrumental and vocal duets, solos and ensemble selections both voice and violin.

Dr. Loveland lectures on "Perils to Democracy" or "The Church as the War Left it."—Pointing out the defects in our present educational system and asking the question—"Is Church Membership Synonymous with Christianity?"

SECOND DAY

Afternoon—Children's Matinee—Frank Ducrot, Magician
Admission, 25c; plus 3c War Tax
Night—Prelude—Frank Ducrot in "Magical Wonders"
Lecture—Granville Jones

Mr. Ducrot will delight the older people as well as the children with his magical feats. He is a wizard of many startling tricks having for many years appeared at the most exclusive homes in New York City and now he is here to entertain you. Granville Jones needs no introduction. He is a Texan and a Nationally known orator. He is unique, original, strong and delightfully interesting. His philosophy of life learned in the great school of experience carries his audience to such height that they know not whether tears or laughter will rightfully express their appreciation.

THIRD DAY

Afternoon—Entertainment—Mae Shumway Enderly
Admission 25c, plus 3c War Tax
Night—"It Pays to Advertise"
Admission, Adults 75c; Children 35c

Miss Enderly comes highly recommended, giving a program of miscellaneous readings and varying from humor to the most dramatic.

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE" a comedy-drama that enjoyed a run of one year in New York and another in Chicago and was credited with being the best production that had appeared in either city in the last decade. It creates more laughs in one minute than an yplay of the time, yet it is not frivolous, but filled with business psychology and that appeals to all alike. Two hours of laughter and a firm belief in "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."

FOURTH DAY

Lecture—L. E. Durham
Night—Grand Closing Concert—Premier Concert Company
Admission 55c. Children 23c

Mr. Durham for fifteen years was head of the Chamber of Commerce at Los Angeles. He comes to help the town in any way the business men see fit. Improving the life of a community improves the individual and you should by no means miss his lecture.

The Premier Concert Company is one of the best attractions ever presented on any Chautauqua circuit. They carry their own stage settings and their program consists of a wide variety of old songs, popular songs and instrumental numbers, some classical, making a brilliant and most enjoyable program.

Music helped the soldier to fight and raised the standard of the American people. The government encourages community singing, and Redpath-Horner is sending a man here to stay the entire four days and get the people together in community singing. That man is coming Sunday, the 26th. Try to meet him and help your community to keep abreast of the times by establishing permanent community singing.

Season Tickets, Adults \$2.35, including War Tax.
Students \$1.35, including War Tax
Children \$1.16, including War Tax

Buy Your Season Ticket Now, Don't Delay

The Largest Exclusive Cash Store on the Plains

Can Save You Money on Your Fall and Winter Shopping



INDIVIDUAL STYLES AT POPULAR PRICES

We have the largest and most exclusive ready-to-wear department in this territory. We spend several months of each year in New York and other eastern markets searching for all that is new.

STUNNING SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES

Developed in the best materials in all the accepted shades of the season.

OUR ONE-PRICE CASH SYSTEM enables us to offer these incomparable garments at prices that are much lower than you could get them elsewhere.

Distinctive Suits at	\$39.50 to \$ 98.50
Exclusive Coats at	\$19.50 to \$128.50
Individual Dresses at	\$13.50 to \$125.00
Dainty Blouses at	\$ 5.95 to \$ 24.50
Attractive Skirts at	\$ 4.50 to \$ 22.50

MAIL ORDERS GIVEN SPECIAL ATTENTION

We refund your railway fare both ways if you buy \$40 or over. Same refund if you come in car.

RIGHT NOW MORE THAN EVER BEFORE—it is up to you to spend your money where it will go the farthest. We have an established reputation over a radius of 100 miles for Better Values and Nobbler Styles.

We sell for cash only at the same price to all and believe in quick sales and smaller profits.

COME TO THE BIG CASH STORE AT PLAINVIEW AND SAVE MONEY ON GUARANTEED MERCHANDISE

SOME OF OUR LOW PRICES ON STAPLES

In nearly every instance our prices are lower than wholesale cost today—no limit on the quantity you buy.

Outing	24c and up	Curtain Scrims only	19c
Ginghams	29c and up	Cotton Suitings	25c
Some as low as 17 1-2c		Oil Cloth, all colors	45c
Percales	25c and up	Bleached Domestic	27c
Prints and Quilts	11c	Black Cat Hosiery	29c up
Cotton Checks	17 1-2c	Based on early booking	

FALL FOOTWEAR AT PRICES THAT ARE LOWER

Our opportune purchase last spring before the rapid increase in prices permits us to offer you the nobbiest styles and guaranteed quality at prices that are from \$1 to \$4 a pair cheaper than others are asking.

We are exclusive agents in this territory for Krippendorff Dittman's Exclusive Footwear for Ladies, Bostonian Shoes for men, and Red Goose, E. C. Scuffer and Waukempshast Shoes for Children.



MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING AT LOW PRICES Notwithstanding the unusual shortage of clothing, we have been fortunate in getting deliveries on our early purchases.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS Michael Stern Value-first clothes, tailored to fit, all-wool Suits

Staple and Fancy Overcoats

Staple and Fancy Overcoats

We can Save you as much as \$10.00 in many instances.

BOYS' CLOTHING

Mothers will find our "Wooly Boy" and "Best Ever" Suits reinforced where they wear the most—at prices that are only slightly advanced over last season.

Sizes 3 to 18 priced

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PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

We guarantee entire satisfaction with every purchase. Your money back if you want it.

Lockney Garage

Tires, accessories, oils and gasoline. We handle the well known Star Brand of Tires and Tubes.

We do your tire repairing—both tubes and casing. We are prepared to do all kinds of welding.

We want your business and guarantee you first class service.

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PROPRIETORS

For Sale

One black mare, 6 years old, weighs 1100.
1 family horse, smooth mouth.
1 yearling filly.
1 two-year-old mule.
1 mule colt.
Some leather and chain harness, etc. This stock is all sound and A1 stuff.

C. R. Hatcher

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

SILVERTON ITEMS

Following an operation for appendicitis, Mrs. W. B. Smith, of this place, died at the Sanitarium at Plainview, yesterday evening, and will be buried in the Silvertown cemetery this afternoon.

Beth Joiner and Miss Eula Thomas were married last Sunday at the home of Judge Richards, the Judge officiating. This is another one of the many quiet little weddings that have been consummated here this summer to the surprise of many of the friends of the contracting parties, the bride being only "sweet sixteen." She is the charming daughter of R. W. Thomas, who lives seven miles south of town.

Matt Skeen and Miss Ethel Cantwell drove to Wayside last Sunday morning and were united in marriage there by Rev. Z. B. Pirtle, who was there to fill his regular appointment. This happy couple are well known here, the bride being the "sweet sixteen" year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cantwell of the Rock Creek community, and the groom being the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ples Skeen who lives three miles southwest of town.—Silvertown Star.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TEXAS UNIVERSITY

Numerous scholarships are offered each year in the University of Texas. This year the Board of Regents offers one of \$200 a year and eight of \$100 each. The holder of the \$200 scholarship is John Herman Snielands of Glen Rose. The \$100 scholarships are held by the following students: Claude Bailey of Gatesville; Miss Ruby A. Black of Thornton; Robert Michael Field, Jr., of San Antonio; Miss Lillian E. Johnson of Weatherford; John Karling of Austin; Miss Birdie Lawrence; Miss Georgia Dill's Savage of Alice; Oscar Robert Strackbein of Rock Springs.

Miss Lola Greer of Cameron holds the scholarship of \$300 offered by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The scholarships of \$140 offered by the Federation of Women's Clubs for the season of 1910-1920 is held by Miss Marie Elizabeth Broughton.

The William L. Prather scholarship which has a stipend of \$250 a year, is held this year by Miss George I. Kincaid of Elgin.

Francis Marion Crawford of Jacksonville, holds the DuPont scholarship of \$350. It is offered by the Chemical Department.

The Hirsch scholarship fund is to be given in equal parts to the following: Frank Weldon Hightower, of Fort Worth; Elmer Burrell Brown, of Sunset; William Lamkin Ray of Austin.

Foreign students who hold scholarships offered by the Board of Regents of the University of Texas are Miss Jeanne Roulier, a French girl who is in the Medical Department at Galveston; and Milorad Draitch, a Serbian, who is expected to arrive in Austin soon to begin his studies in the engineering Department.

HEREFORD SHOCKED BY DEATH OF MRS. J. A. ROBINSON

The entire Hereford community was saddened Thursday afternoon by the news of the death, about 3 p. m., of Mrs. Frankie Britain Robinson, wife of James R. Robinson, after a brief illness.

Mrs. Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Britain of Hereford, was born in Dallas, Texas, July 31, 1887. When three years of age she moved with her parents to Tulsa, Texas, where they resided until she was twelve years of age, when the family moved to Hereford. She began her Christian life as a child in the Methodist Church, later coming into the Christian Church with her husband.—Hereford Brand.

FOOTBALL GAME HERE SEPT. 26th WAS FOR PRACTICE

J. K. Greer, principal for the Lockney Schools and County Athletic Director, has called attention to the fact that the football game in Floydada on the afternoon of Sept. 26th, between the Lockney and Floydada High School Teams, was only a scrimmage or practice game and does not count in the percentages or standing of the teams in the county, district or section.

The first game which will count in the interscholastic record will be that which was played October 3rd on the local grounds.

Mr. Greer fears that some misunderstanding or controversy might arise unless attention is called to the fact that the first game does not count.

Is Your Title Clear?

Lands and town lots in Floyd county becoming valuable. \$100 to \$125 per acre and town lots in proportion. We cannot be too careful about our titles. If you were to sell right now or if you are getting a loan on your property, are you sure of your title? Would it pass as Gilt Edge or would you be bothered with the delay of having an abstract made, thereby taking chances on having your sale or application for loan delayed and perhaps turned down on account of defective title.

There are a great many defective titles in this county, made so in great many instances, in the early days when we did not think much about land titles. Defective acknowledgements, defective notary work, deeds wherein the wife did join, deeds that are worthless and convey no title whatever. It will take time and diligence to cure and correct these things and make some of our titles merchantable, and the longer it is put off, the more difficult it will be to make them good.

We have instances of this kind every day in our office, and some of them take weeks and months to perfect, in fact, some of them are never perfected.

I have a complete modern and up-to-date abstract plant covering lands and lots in this county. Have also had a good many years experience with titles in this county, and feel that I am in position to take care of your abstract work, accurately and promptly and at a reasonable price. Any work intrusted to me will have my personal supervision and will be appreciated.

For the next 60 days I can make special price on abstracts covering lots in Lockney and Floydada.

R. C. Scott, Abstractor
Floydada, Texas



Use Marechal Neil Flour from the first day of your housekeeping experience and avoid the disappointments of those who experiment with unknown brands. Marechal Neil is a proven quality. You can buy no better flour for your home baking.

Ask your grocer for it

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McKINNEY, TEXAS

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ART EXHIBIT HERE NEXT WEEK

Arrangements have been completed for showing the art exhibit of the Elson Art Publication Co. of Belmont, Mass., here in Lockney next week. The exhibit consists of 300 large reproductions of the world's greatest masterpieces in painting and is a really wonderful collection. The exhibit is two-fold educational: it gives all the residents of this part of the country a rare opportunity of enjoying a collection worthy of a great museum; and all the funds that are raised from the small admittance fee charged will be used in purchasing pictures for our schools rural as well as town.

The exhibit was advertised in the Lockney Fair, but arrived at the fair only at that time. The exhibit is now on exhibit in the city of Lockney at Floydada, and will be shown here next Friday and Saturday, October 31, and November 1, in McCollum Hall. The exhibit will be open for inspection from 9 A. M. to 10:30 P. M., on both of those days. The admittance is only 15 cents, but it ought to be much more. An attendant will be on the job at all times to explain the pictures and show them.

It is hoped that the people of Lockney and Floydada will take great interest in this exhibit, because it will benefit everyone, and because the money raised is to go for such a worthy cause. We ought to have an attendance of 500 during the two days it is shown here in order to call the exhibit a financial success. If the attendance is on such a scale it is safe to say that every school in Floyd county will receive a fine picture.

Don't forget the time—next Friday and Saturday.

Don't forget the place—McCollum's Hall.

Remember that the exhibit is open all day and evening.

The admittance is only 15 cents.

And don't forget that the whole family down to the baby, will enjoy

and benefit by this wonderful exhibit. This is the first time the exhibit has ever been sent so far into the Southwest. It is an experiment. Let's show them that West Texas people appreciate real art as well as Easterners.

BRICE GINNER KILLED IN GIN

A bad accident occurred at the Brice gin about 10:00 A. M. Thursday in which W. H. Patton was caught by a set screw in a pulley on the line shaft and was so badly injured that he died about 11 P. M. His arms were broken and he was injured internally.—Memphis Herald.

FLOYDADA ITEMS

Last Thursday G. V. Slaughter suffered a stroke of paralysis, which for a time was quite serious. He is at present regaining the use of his members, however, and is gaining strength, also.

Yesterday good cotton was selling here at 35 cents. W. T. Gray was probably the first to sell on the local market at that price. He had a bale here Tuesday, three or four other bales selling the same day at that price, too. Mr. Gray said that was the highest price he ever received for a bale of cotton on any market, and 35 cents is the highest price that the Floydada market has ever had, at least in recent years.

Some raisers have been consistently building up their flocks for some time, among those being Allen & Trammell. This firm is beginning to realize from their work, and their chickens are recognized as one of the best flocks in the country. Through a recent advertisement they sold a pen of four of their show pullets, headed by a cockerel at \$45. The birds sold were among those they exhibited at the Poultry Show here at the Fair.—Floyd County Hesperian.

RAILWAY LABOR MOVE ASSAILED

New York World, Strong Wilson Supporter, Denounces "Revolution by Ultimatum."

PARALLEL TO RUSSIAN IDEA.

Calls Railroad Brotherhoods' Plan for Government Ownership "Soviet Economics Venture."

New York.—The New York World, in a leading editorial, characterizes the railroad labor plan for Government ownership of railroads as "a straight-out adventure into Soviet economics."

The editorial page of the World has long had a national reputation for unflinching support of Democratic principles, hostility to Wall street, and the most loyal and vigorous assistance to President Wilson. The World says: "Revolution by Ultimatum."

The plan of the railroad brotherhoods for taking over the railroad properties of the country is a straight-out adventure into Soviet economics. It contemplates collective ownership, but class operation and control, which is at the foundation of the Soviet system.

The American people, through their Government, are to buy the railroads from the private owners and turn these properties over to the railroad employees to manage and operate. In consideration of an investment of approximately \$20,000,000,000 the Government is to appoint one-third of the directors, and the public is to share in such savings in the cost of operation as may remain after the employees have paid themselves what they think their services ought to be worth.

The spirit in which the program is put forth may be inferred from a statement made by R. M. Jewell, acting president of the railroad employees' department of the American Federation of Labor, in which he said that if President Wilson's suggestion to Congress was carried out "we will tie up the railroads so tight that they will never run again if that legislation is passed." It might have been Trotsky himself speaking to a bourgeoisie that had offered mild and academic objections to being despoiled.

Who is the Government?

Before any railroad plan can be worked out one highly essential fact must be established—namely, whether the sovereign power of the United States is vested in Government and in the American people or whether it is vested in the railroad brotherhoods.

For three years now the brotherhoods have assumed that the sovereign power was vested in them, and Congress has provided them with excellent reasons for that assumption. When the railroad employees in the critical period of the summer of 1916 demanded an eight-hour day and threatened a general strike, President Wilson sent a message to Congress in which he urged that the eight-hour day be made the basis of work and wages, but he made four other proposals, one of which called for—

"An amendment to the existing Federal statute which provides for the mediation, conciliation and arbitration of such controversies as the present by adding to it a provision that in case the methods of accommodation now provided for should fail, a full public investigation of the merits of every such dispute should be instituted and completed before a strike or lockout may be lawfully attempted."

Try to Intimidate Congress.

Congress refused to enact this legislation because the labor leaders objected to it, and now we have a situation in which a labor leader can threaten to "tie up the railroads so tight that they will never run again" if Congress presumes to pass an act to which the brotherhood autocracy objects as unequal to its imperative demands.

The railroad brotherhoods have embarked upon a policy that even the most conservative of them must admit is economically revolutionary. If their scheme of nationalization under class control is to be carried out in respect to railroads, nobody can draw the line where it shall stop until all industry is under Soviet direction. Yet they are not putting their program out as a matter to be discussed and deliberately considered by the American people. They are trying to force the issue and bring about a revolution by ultimatum.

The Public Pays.

In the last three years the railroad employees have received hundreds of millions of dollars in wage increases for which the general public is paying. As a reward for its generosity the country is to be taken by the throat and choked into submission if the most complicated economic issues that have ever confronted it are not settled forthwith. If there is any difference between that kind of arrogance and the arrogance of the German general staff in July, 1914, we should like to know what it is.

A man's best pal is his smoke



"Meet you after the movies"

—Ches. Field

NOTHING like following up a good show with a good smoke—Chesterfield.

No ordinary cigarette, this. Mellow as an old friend, but rich with flavor—the kind that goes right to the spot.

Our own buyers in the Orient select for us the choicest Turkish leaf. We blend with this several varieties of specially selected Domestic tobacco. This blending—by a secret method—brings out new qualities of flavor that other and less expert methods fail to find.

That's what we mean by "satisfy"—an entirely new kind of smoking enjoyment that you get in Chesterfields only—nowhere else; for the blend is a closely guarded secret. *It can't be copied.*

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CIGARETTES

They Satisfy

—and the blend can't be copied



FLOYDADA CAR WILL ENTER ENDURANCE CONTEST

An endurance contest for automobiles to be staged on county roads between El Paso, Texas, and Phoenix, Arizona during the earlier part of October, will be entered by a local car which will leave soon for El Paso.

The car is the remodeled Ford of the Motor Supply Company, which was one of the principal contestants in the races here during the Fair. Big prizes are offered for the car which makes the best time between the two points, which is about a 500-mile run.—Hesperian.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Tom W. Deen from September 19, to October 10:

- John A. Husky and Miss Mary Russell, September 19.
- Ike Wallace and Miss Willie Mae McReynolds, September 6th.
- Ralph Childress and Miss Franklin, September 22nd.
- Ercel Smith Umberson and Miss Alma Reynolds, September 22.
- Keller Page and Miss Annie Nelson, September 22.
- R. L. Casey and Mrs. Lennie King, September 27.
- Ezekiel Lafayette Brotherton and Miss Alice R. Wood, October 4th.
- June Simpson and Miss Hattie Blanton, October 8.

S. M. HENRY, M. D.

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General Practice and Special Attention Given to Diseases of Women.
LOCKNEY, TEXAS

D. J. THOMAS, M. D.
DOES A GENERAL PRACTICE
Physician and Optician
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City Meat Market

Handles Fresh meats of all kinds, also dry meats. We have fresh oysters. Come to us for your meats.

City Meat Market

Land Bargains

640 acres in five miles of Happy, five-room house, well and windmill, three hundred acres in cultivation, two hundred in wheat, a good stand; thirty-two fifty per acre Good terms.

Five hundred acres in three miles of Canyon City, 150 acres in cultivation, balance in grass, all fixed up for Dairy business. Six-room house, good sheds. \$28 per acre. Seven thousand cash, balance easy terms. A snap.

Raw 1-2 section in seventeen miles of Happy, east, on Mail Route, clear of lakes. \$18.50 per acre, good terms.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE W. LASH

REAL ESTATE

HAPPY,

TEXAS



In This Store

You will find the very choice of the market's offering. Belle of Wichita Flour is our leader. The use of a single sack proves its right to that leadership.

City Grocery

The Dodge Car is Ready for Delivery

We are now in position to accept orders for early deliveries on Dodge cars.

Carter-White Motor Co.

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

NOTICE

To those who might want to take the examination for a certificate of the second class or first or permanent certificate there will be a special ex-

amination on Friday and Saturday, November 7-8, 1919, at Floydada, Texas. Please be on hand at 9 o'clock. J. W. HOWARD, County Judge 2t

The Better Place

to buy the better drugs and toilet articles is always the place which endeavors to please in treatment and quality.

Price is a duller matter.

Yet price is important enough for us to give it the consideration which belongs to our patrons and their belief in us.

Our prescription counter is always on the job for quick service and accurate work.

Stewart Drug Co.

COUNTY RECEIVES TWO ARMY TRUCKS

Floyd county has received two army trucks to be used in road work. They are some trucks, large and roomy. Roy Brown, commissioner of Precinct 3 was here Tuesday with one of these trucks.

These trucks are leased to Floyd county for a period of three years, and are to be used exclusively for road work. They represent the first installment this county is to receive. The first allotment of trucks were four, one for each commissioner precinct.

With the trucks, there is a great deal of road building machinery which goes with them. This machinery will be received later and will be used in Floyd county in constructing and maintaining good roads.

Our commissioners are live wires and are taking advantage of every means at their disposal to put our roads up in first class shape and maintain them.

BAPTIST PROPOSE LARGE THINGS IN TEXAS

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 22.—In all the Baptist schools of the South, twenty of which are located in Texas, Friday, Oct. 24, will be observed as the day for "calling out the called." On this day concerted effort will be made to induce a large number of the strongest consecrated young men and women attending these schools to enlist in the ministerial, missionary and other fields to meet the greatly enlarged program at home and abroad provided for in the Southern Baptist 75 Million Campaign. On Sunday, the 26th, similar services will be held in nearly all the 3,000 Baptist churches of Texas.

"To match our five-year program we are asking for a minimum of 5,000 additional workers—competent, consecrated young men and women—and believe this number will be forthcoming if our Baptist educators and pastors will lay the appeal upon the hearts of the young people on the two days that have been set apart for "calling out the called" in the Baptist schools and colleges and in the churches," says Dr. L. R. Scarborough, general director of the 75 Million Campaign.

It has been developed through the intensiveness of the 75 Million Campaign that there are 700 pastorless

Baptist churches in Texas, while the total of these institutions of the South runs between 3,500 and 5,000. The situation in the South has been partially met the past week by enlisting some 400 young ministers who are students in the Theological Seminary at Fort Worth and Baylor University, and assigning them to leadership in pastorless churches. It is the aim of its directors to establish in every Baptist church leadership before the end of the campaign.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Topic—"How to Become a True Citizen."
Leader—Susie Wood, Song.
Scripture—1st Peter 2:11-20.
Prayer.
Song.
True Citizenship Has For Its Foundation, Christianity.—Thyra Teaff.
Live up to What You Know is Right.—Claude Quillan.
A Sense of Justice.—Ethel Wells.
How Much Time For The Public.—John Visor.
Give Your Country the Best.—Bro. Watts.
Business. E. L. B.

PLAN TO REPEAT ATTACK OF 1916

Railway Employees' Chiefs Appear at Washington With New Threat to Congress.

ASK \$1,000,000,000 MORE PAY.

Also Demand Nationalization of Other Industries, Following Example of Russian Soviets.

Washington.—It is just three years since the four leaders of the railway brotherhoods, having refused arbitration of their demands, sat in the gallery of the United States Senate and held their watches on the Senators while the memorable vote was being taken on the Adamson Law that gave them \$90,000,000 additional wages a year. When the vote was counted and announced the four labor chiefs rushed out to the telegraph office and withdrew the order for a nation-wide strike.

That such a scene may be again enacted on a much greater scale is indicated by the startling developments at the nation's capital in the past few days. Now the 350,000 men in the brotherhoods have been joined by more than a million other railroad workers—shopmen, trackmen, telegraphers, clerks, station agents—and the demands are many times what they were three years ago.

A Thousand Million Dollars. On top of a thousand million dollars of added wages granted by the Government in the past year and a half, the allied workers are asking for another increase of a thousand million dollars.

But more than this, this great body of railroad employees has served an ultimatum on the Government that all the railroads of the country must be taken away from their owners and turned over to the employees to be operated by them on a communistic profit-sharing plan.

The plan is as daring as any conceived by the Russian Bolsheviks, and behind it is the threat of a nation-wide strike, with the leaders of the men sitting in the Senate gallery, watches in hand, counting the vote.

To Tie Up All Transportation. "We will tie up the railroads so that they will never run again if we do not get what we want," announced one of the labor spokesmen, standing within a stone's throw of the Capitol, and this amazing announcement, like an ultimatum from a leader of the Russian Soviet, was instantly flashed over the telegraph wires to every part of the country.

Since the first Brotherhood bombshell exploded in Washington at the end of July, the fact has leaked out that the brotherhoods are gathering a propaganda fund of \$10,000,000 for an intensive drive on Congress. Three million dollars, it is announced, has already been collected from the members of the unions. This will be used in campaign work in the Congressional districts, with the purpose of enlisting the votes of the members of Congress, or of defeating them for re-election if they do not vote as the brotherhoods dictate. Money will also be lavishly spent, it is stated, in sending speakers throughout the country to stir up the enthusiasm of organized labor for the brotherhood plan of communistic railroad operation.

"Nationalizing" All Industry. "If we don't get what we want out of this Congress we will put this Congress out and put another one in that will give us what we want," is the matter-of-fact announcement of the central propaganda office of the brotherhoods in Washington.

Back of the immediate purpose to gain control of the railroads is an even deeper scheme to gain control of all great industries, taking them from their owners and putting them under the direct management of the organized workers, as has been done in Russia, and as they are attempting to do in Germany and Austria.

Look! Listen!!

If its Grain you have to sell or Coal & Feed you want to buy call 60 for prompt and efficient service. A square deal to all.

LOCKNEY COAL & GRAIN COMPANY

PHONE NO. 60.

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

All Done Up

And ready to take home:

A nice, juicy, pallet tempting steak,
A donez sweet whole tender loins,
A group of well fed lean pork chops,
A firm little-boned medium-fatted Stew—

Sound pretty nice but they will taste a whole lot better, especially if they are bought at

Having received and installed our ice box we are again in a position to serve you with the choicest meats.

MEAT ORDERS DELIVERED BY THE CITY GROCERY.

Respectfully,
A. L. THOMPSON

SPINNERS URGED TO BUY COTTON DIRECT FROM FARMERS

New Orleans, Oct. 15.—British cotton spinners were urged today by growers to send representatives to the fields of the South, buy cotton from the farmer direct, bale the staple as they see fit, eliminate all middlemen and thereby reducing the cost of the raw material to the spinner and at the same time increasing the price paid the producer. This proposal, along the lines of the systems used by British tobacco manufacturing interests in Kentucky, was made at a meeting late today of a special committee of world cotton conference delegates, composed of ten foreign spinners, ten American spinners and twenty American cotton growers.

It was the first time in fifty years, it was stated, that American cotton producers and British spinners had met in special conference.

The farmer who raises twenty bales of cotton for the first time in this generation talked over his problems with the British spinners who buys a thousand times his yearly output. The British spinner also told of his problems, delayed machinery shipments, strikes, a fluctuating market and labor scarcity.

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Joe McCollum, Proprietor

Now in our new building, permanently located on North Main.

We carry a complete stock of undertaking goods. When we can serve you call on us.

OUR TERMS ARE LOWEST, OUR ABILITY HIGHEST

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DON'T PUT OFF

Hearing about our sanitary way of pressing clothes. This method prolongs the life of your wardrobe and gives you better looking clothes to wear.

Cleaning, Repairing—Investigate us. You will now find us located at our new stand on the East Side of Main Street, in building formerly occupied by the Palace Barber Shop.

— JOHN W. SAMS

Jewelry Watch Repairing

When in need of either remember me

W. M. MARTIN
JEWELER

To the Consumers of COAL

The Mines have not been running much over a basis of two days per week. All the dealers through the country, and especially the consumers, have not been buying their coal, and the consequence will be that along in October and November, and especially in December, we will probably see the greatest coal shortage that we have ever experienced. Of course everybody will want coal and

The Mines Will Not be Able to Supply The Demand

Advertising costs us money, whether you buy from us or some other person, BUY IT. We will be glad to spend this amount, if it will be an inducement to you to lay in your supply of coal, you will buy it later if you can get it, why not now? We urge you.

Floyd County Elevator Company

LOCKNEY and AIKEN

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—Single Comb Brown Leghorn cockrels, \$1.50 each, phone 170-F4.—W. B. Hatchett. 1t

FOR SALE—Registered Poland China sow pigs. See H. P. Coleman or Bill Muncy at Baker's Store. 2-1f

FOR SALE—Boars, registered Durac-Jersey.—John Knight, Canyon, Texas. 3-3wk

FOR SALE—Good survey. See G. B. Harris. 2-4wk

FOR SALE—One 20-40 Case engine, one 28-inch Case Separator, one

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Some nice residence lots in the Walling addition to the town of Lockney.—A. C. Goen, Floydada, Texas. 2-4w

LOST—An automobile casing between Lockney and Lone Star school, west road. Goodyear cord rim. Please leave at Lockney Garage and receive reward. Casing size 34x4. 5-1f

FOR SALE—A two room house with porch, located five miles east of town. See A. R. Meriwether. 5-2w

WANTED—To sell home-made sorghum, now being made at my place 8 miles west of Lockney, near Geo. Scheck's place. If you want good sorghum molasses you will have to hurry.—J. E. Courtney. 5-2w

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One Studebaker Six Touring Car, 7 passenger. Worth the money I ask. See me at once at the blacksmith shop.—Frank Mudgett. 5-2w

LOST—A rim and light to Studebaker car between my place and Hi-Way Garage.—H. W. Visor. 5-2-t

FOR RENT—Place with 320 acres 3 1-2 miles of town, nicely improved. want to rent for cash. If interested see me at the gin.—Frank Whitfill. 2p

FOR SALE—Riding pony, \$50. A bargain, gentle, children can handle.—C. C. Miller. 5-2p

If it's good business to insure, it's better business to insure before it's too late. Better be safe than sorry.—S. A. Henry and Company, insurance in all its branches.

Your neighbor has his property insured. Have you? Don't delay, yours may be the next loss.—S. A. Henry

Your neighbor has his property insured. Have you? Don't delay, yours may be the next loss.—S. A. Henry & Company, all kinds of insurance.

LOST—A silver bar pin, with the word "Marksman" engraved on the outside in capital letters, and Tom Wise on the inside. Please return to Thelma Wise and receive reward. It Miss Mina Dingler of Amarillo is here visiting Miss Thelma Wise this week.

It may be that a test for oil will be made near Plainview at an early date.

A local citizen and his associates are trying to line up about seven or eight thousand acres of leases, for the purpose of sinking a test well at an early date. They wish to lease three-fourths of each property owner's land in the desired territory, so as to get the leases as close together as possible. They are having a hard time securing more than half of each tract.—Plainview News. 5-2w

TULIA WINS OVER LOCKNEY

Lockney went down in defeat before Tulia in the third game of the season, Friday afternoon on the local field, to the tune of 12 to 0. The game was marred by frequent disputes between officials as to various rules, some of the arbiters endeavoring to guide the game's progress under obsolete regulations.

During the first quarter Tulia's right half scored a touchdown from a forward pass. The attempt at goal failed.

The second quarter was a repetition of the first, as Tulia again scored via the aerial route. Lockney came back with some spirit in the second half and clearly outplayed Tulia the remainder of the game, though she was unable to score. Captain Burns and Meador, left half, did especially brilliant work.

Taking into consideration the facts that Lockney's back field men had worked on their field, to make it presentable all morning and that visible support was lacking, the rather ragged game should have gone to the local team. Tulia failed to show team spirit. One man, Tucker, proved the undoing of the locals.

Officials: Referee, Muncy. Umpire, Head, Linesman, Griffith.

Mrs. Dexter Wells is back from the Plainview Sanitarium, where she was operated on a few weeks ago for appendicitis. Her many Lockney friends will be glad to learn of her speedy recovery.

If it's good business to insure it's better business to insure before it's too late. Better be safe than sorry.—S. A. Henry and Company, insurance in all its branches. 5-2w

1905

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Carter - Houston Dry Goods Co., Plainview, Enlarged Store

The firm was organized in the early part of 1905, covering a floor space of 1200 square feet, during the year 1908 the business had grown until it became necessary to enlarge the floor space to 4,800 square feet, from that time until this the firm has enjoyed a most wonderful business, and the time has come when it is quite necessary for us to spread our wings again, and the store is now enlarging and remodeling throughout which will give us a floor space of 8,300 square feet, this making the Carter-Houston Store one of the most modern Department Stores in the Panhandle country.

The modern methods of which we now handle merchandise will enable us to give you quicker and better store service, our motto is, thorough confidence between customer and store.

It is our purpose to maintain the highest standard of nationally advertised merchandise, service that cannot be excelled, because it will attain perfection and be backed at all times by an honest, conscientious desire to serve. Today, as always, it is our policy to offer reliable merchandise in a range of prices that will meet every need.

Although this has been a most difficult year in the purchasing of merchandise, we have been fortunate in securing one of the most diversified and complete stocks in the history of this store.

We invite you to pay us a visit when in Plainview.

Men, Women, Boys and Girls

Carter-Houston's

"A Pleasant Place to Shop."



SHIRTS

SHIRTS ARE A BIG THING WITH US—
That's Why We Carry a Big Assortment.

All sorts of patterns, from narrow stripes to broad cluster stripes of plain and contrasting colors.

Shirts of fine silks just received are lovely to look at and the quality is unquestionable, others of fine silk finished madras and percales in beautiful patterns. All sizes and sleeve lengths.

Shirts that fit the body smoothly and comfortably, with full necks and sleeves, matched cuffs and fast colors.

NECKWEAR IN NEW PATTERNS AND COLORINGS OF FINE RICH SUITS

HATS



The finishing touch, the last word to a well dressed man's appearance is his hat.

You will find men's hats here worth buying and looking at. Hats that are correct in every detail of style, quality and finish. Hats that will hold their shape and shade. STETSON'S, NO-NAMES, CHAMOIS.

The Martin Dry Goods Co.

"The Store With the Goods."

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

FILLED PULPIT AT PLAINVIEW LAST SUNDAY NIGHT

Elder Liff Sanders, minister in charge of the Christian church, of Lockney was called to Plainview last Sunday night, where he filled the pulpit for the Christian people of that city and administered baptism to several at the close of the services.

Fred Griffith made a trip to Dallas and Fort Worth last week, returning with a new automobile, for which he is the agent.

NOTICE OF BIDS

The City Council will receive bids at the Council rooms the second Monday night in November, the same being the 10th of the month, for contract to do scavenger work for city for one year, including hauling of rubbish and to furnish lime on the work. By order of the City Council.

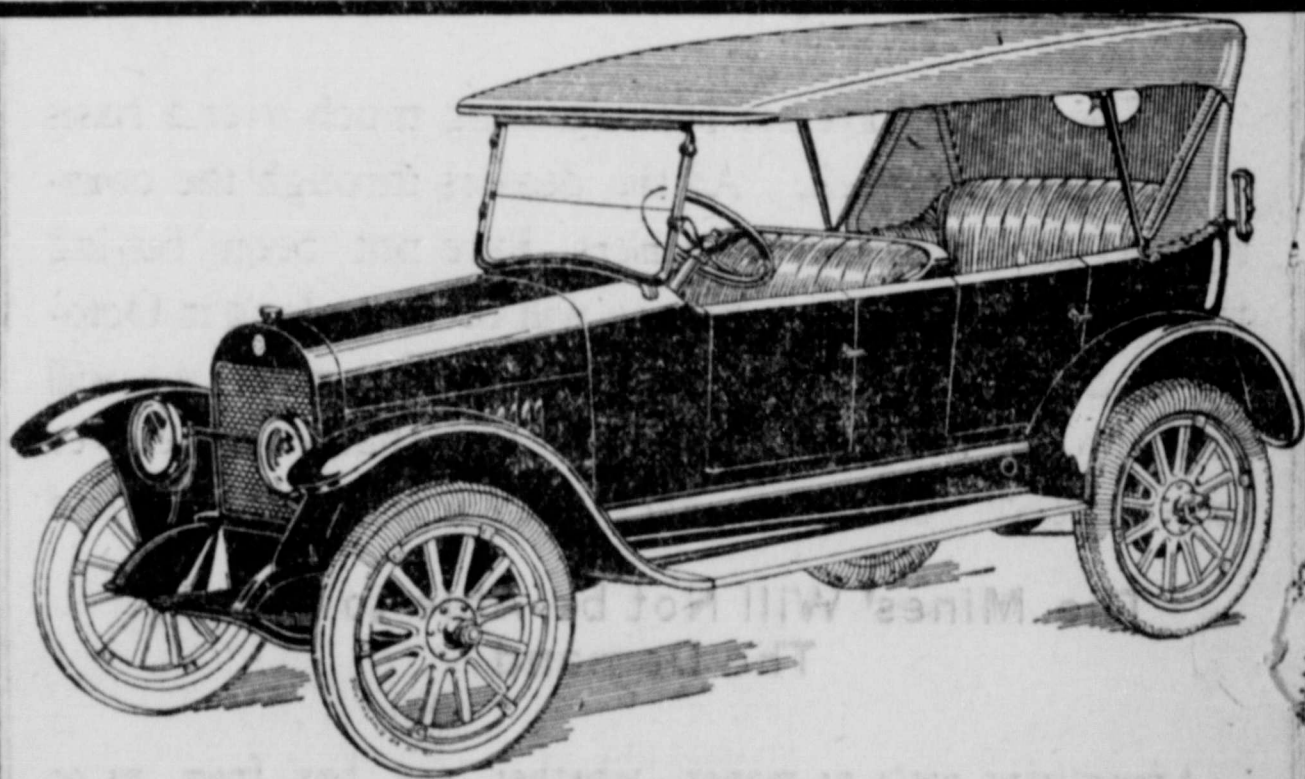
T. Z. REED, Mayor.

NOTICE OF MASS MEETING

Notice of mass meeting of Lockney citizens by order of City Council is hereby given to take place at the First National Bank Monday night, October 27, at 7 o'clock to consider the matter of getting the water system on better basis or closing down.

T. Z. REED, Mayor.

FOR SALE—A new McCormick row binder. See me for further particulars at Red Cross Drug Store.—Dr. H. Z. Pennington.



TEXAN TOURING CAR

This car is an ideal family car with extra large compartments in front and rear, and extra wide seats providing real comfort.

It is a car easily controlled with the starter button ignition switch and control levers accessible to driver. Even in winter it is cosy and comfortable, with the snug-fitting curtains up. The top is substantial with a large beveled glass in the rear.

Furnished in three standard colors: Carmine, Maroon and Brewster Green. Call and let us demonstrate the Texan

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