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## SCHOOL BOARD INCREASE SALARIES

### Teachers for 1920-21 School Term to Receive 25 Per Cent Increase.

The Lockney School Board has voted a salary increase for teachers for the term of 1920-21 of 25 per cent. This increase is to take care of the increase cost of living, and will enable us to secure a full and capable corps of teachers. No election of teachers has yet taken place. We understand that the Board contemplates securing an able educator to head the school as superintendent, and will also pick the best teachers that can be had to make up the faculty of the Lockney Public School. Our Board has the school interest at heart, and will do every thing in their power to give Lockney the very best educational advantages.

## BACKMAN-TINCH WILD ANIMAL SHOW WILL EXHIBIT HERE

Amusement goes will have an opportunity on Tuesday, April 27th of seeing the newest style of tented exhibition when the Backman-Tinch Wild Animal show comes to Lockney for one day only, afternoon and night.

The startling program offered by this organization has been received in all the larger cities with the highest praise and the greatest commendation. For highly skilled men and women trainers give a long praiseworthy program in the two forty-foot steel cages as a protective measure, principally to insure safety to the timid observers; offering and producing all the wild and tame animals in the most dangerous and thrilling acts, such as an extreme novelty, that no one should miss this opportunity of attending. This exhibition particularly interests and pleases the ladies and children, and for whose care and attention the management is particularly noted.

No exhibition of a like nature or style has even been seen in this vicinity for the reason the late world war entirely excluded the importation of wild animals, and this enterprise has ways had a large supply on hand.

A special pleasing feature will be the daily rides on the ponies and little horses given to all the children attending this well conducted enterprise.

## SOUTHWESTERN TELEPHONE DISTRICT MANAGERS HERE

Mr. George H. Hill, district manager for the Southwestern Telephone Co., with headquarters at Amarillo, and E. L. Doland, district traffic chief, with same headquarters, were here Monday afternoon, going over the telephone situation at this place and interviewing their patrons. They paid the Beacon an appreciative visit in the late afternoon, and among other matters discussed was the betterment of the service at this place. They told us that some beneficial changes for Lockney were contemplated, and that their company would doubtless have something to give out by next week in reference to the situation here.

There is now sweeping over Texas a fad in the matter of reduction of the H. C. L. in the way of overalls clubs. Cities and colleges are adopting the overalls as a means to reduce their cost of living. While this perhaps may save a few dollars in dry goods expenditure, yet it will not prove a drop in the bucket in bringing the situation to normal. We all might adopt the overalls but this will not reduce the price of grain, nor cheapen gasoline and automobiles. There are as many solutions for the high cost of living as there are individuals, and one different from the other. The Beacon has given its definition from time to time as to the causes of the advance price of our living, which again stated is the working of the law of supply and demand. Europe is still at war, and are not producing. This fact creates an abnormal demand for our products. When the demand for an article is greater than its production then it is sure to advance in price. The reduction of living must remain an individual matter. One can practice economy, and thereby reduce his part of living. But as to markets, wholesale and retail, they must keep pace with labor, and labor must keep pace with them. If it cost a man more to live this year than last he must get more for his products or his labor this year than last. With all the government's experiment in reduction of living prices continue to go upward as the demand for our products increases. They will finally adjust themselves. The adjustment will come automatically. When Europe begins to produce instead of lighting then our prices will decline. The quicker this country can bring Europe to her senses the better off we will be in this country in the matter of returning to normal conditions.

## MOTHERS CLUB SOCIAL ENTERTAINMENT

Mesdames Roy Griffith, Bob Ramsey, Sellers, Dodson, Hatcher and Morris entertained the Mothers-Teacher Club Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Griffith. As each guest arrived she was presented with a cut out paper posy which was later used in a lively contest. Then ushered into the dining room and served with refreshing fruit punch. The readings by the children were very interesting and creditable both to children and teachers. Each member had previously been requested to send in their earliest photo and they were there and guessing "Who's Who" was in some cases impossible. There was much fun and laughter as the baby pictures were passed around and compared with the life size editions of the originals. The hostess then rapped for order and announced that the next number on the program was an impromptu rendering by each of the first recitation or song that they had ever given in public. This also called forth much merriment as each responded some too timid for more than a blush and a bow. The next contest was to "dismantle my lady's workbasket" and all showed great skill in that art. The refreshment course consisted of pressed chicken sandwiches, Saratoga Chips, Cherry salad and pickles with French feed Tea.

## GUEST METEOR

The Farmers League of Meteor District met in regular session last Friday night at the school house, which was crowded to hear a debate on "Whether diversified farming or specializing on one crop pays the best." Messrs Young and J. Maloney took the diversified end and Messrs O. L. Allen and C. H. Day took the specializing view. Ten minutes were allowed each member on the floor, and when they finished it looked very much like I and I in the ninth inning, but the judges, Messrs B. D. Wingo and W. O. Christopher decided in favor of diversification. Among the visitors present were W. H. Darrow, county agent, Mr. Holland of Amarillo, who is with the Nissley Creamery Co., also County Commissioner Trowbridge, all of whom made some very interesting and instructive talks. Mesdames, E. D. Lewis, A. W. Pratt and S. B. Ewing were appointed a committee to draft the debates for the next meeting.

We had dinner on the grounds last Sunday, the B. Y. P. U. from Wayland College at Plainview rendered the program. Among Lockney visitors present were Zeb Red and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McGehee.

## BLUE EYES

## CONTRACT FOR NEW ELEVATOR

### Farmers Co-Operative Association Will Erect Large Elevator Here.

The Farmers Co-Operative Association placed a contract the latter part of last week with a Fort Worth firm for the erection of their grain elevator. The elevator is to be a large one, and possibly the largest elevator on the Plains. The elevator proper will have a grain storage capacity of 50,000 bushels, and ware house storage capacity of 30,000 additional. The elevator will be modern in building, and equipment. Their location has not been learned by the Beacon, but will be in the present manufacturing district of Lockney.

The parties to erect this new elevator are erecting other elevators on the Plains, and is placing one at Floydada at the present. The Beacon is not in possession of the information as to the time the work on the building is to start, when it is to be completed, etc., but suffice to say it will be completed and in operation by the time this summer wheat crop begins to roll in.

This elevator will give Lockney four grain elevators, with sufficient storage to take care of a large grain crop in this section. There is no question but Lockney is to rank first in the future as to market and facilities to take care of grain.

Besides the elevator business the Farmers Co-Operative Association will handle coal and farm supplies.

Later—we learn that the site of the Farmers Exchange Warehouse has been purchased for the new elevator.

## PRESENTS BEACON WITH NICE BOX OF CANDY

Mr. Frank Grigg, who travels for the Douglas Candy Co., sent the Beacon a nice box of candy this week, with the compliments of the Douglas people. The Douglas candies are handled in Lockney by Roy Griffith as exclusive agent. The candy presented us was much appreciated, and we can testify as to the splendid quality of same. Mr. Grigg and Douglas people have our thanks for their kindly remembrance.

## COTTON CLASSIFIER FOR FLOYD COUNTY HAS BEEN SECURED

### Cotton Association Formed at Floydada Last Saturday Classifier Will Operate at Both Lockney and Floydada.

It is expected that plans for a cotton classifying station for Floyd county this fall will be perfected within a few days.

Farmers interested met with County Agent Darrow last Saturday at Floydada, when a Cotton Association was formed. Sufficient funds have been subscribed to assure the success of the undertaking. The classifier will divide his time between Floydada and Lockney, the exact amount of time to be spent in each town to be decided on by the Association.

The classification of cotton as provided for in the plans worked out by Mr. Darrow will be under the supervision of the Federal Agricultural Department. The classifier will be a government man. His work will prove of an inestimable benefit to the people of this county. The cotton grown or brought to the two towns for shipment will be graded and classified by this

government expert, or the government will find buyers on these grades. It will thus guarantee the farmers that they will get a square deal at all times and will get all their cotton is worth according to grades.

This piece of splendid work in securing a cotton classifier is the work of Mr. Darrow, the county agent, and is only another demonstration of what he is accomplishing in this county for the farmers and stock raisers. His office is a valuable one, and as time passes and his work progresses the wisdom of the Commissioners Court in providing the people with the county agent work is manifest. It is easily the most forward movement that this county has ever taken in the interest of agricultural, stock raising, hay industry, etc. Be another year the people will begin to wonder how they got along without a county agent as long as they did.

## THE RAINS DECENDETH NOT

### Optimism Still an Active Force With Floyd County People.

Up to this writing, Wednesday A. M. there has been no rain yet in this section or over the Plains and Panhandle country. The high winds continue, with cool spells every few days. However, notwithstanding these facts, the wheat and oat crop is holding up remarkably well, and people are still optimistic as to future crops. The Plains people are the most optimistic people on earth. Temporary drouths and winds does not disturb them. They go right along in crop preparation and look to the future with confidence. In the past rains have always come when we had to have them. At times it looked like we could not go another day without moisture, but crops always pulls through. The situation this year is that we have a fine bottom season, which is holding the grain up, together with cool nights have proven beneficial to the grain. The Plains country people can stand more adversity and more prosperity without grumbling than any other section in Texas. We have few timber-foot people in this country. They are all stayers.

## DECLARES WILSON INVALID OVER FAILURE OF LEAGUE

Omaha, Neb., April 17.—President Wilson is an invalid and broken in health over the failure of the United States to enter the league of nations, United States Senator G. M. Hitchcock said in an address here tonight. I want to say a few words about President Wilson, he said. "I think there is too little said nowadays in defense of his administration and in praise of his record."

"Let me say first of all that I am under no personal obligations to the president. My standing in the senate was not due to his influence. It is no great secret in Washington that I became chairman of the committee on foreign relations when the democrats controlled the senate at a time when the president preferred another senator for that honor. Before he left the United States to go to Paris, he did not call me into consultation any more than he did any one senator, although I was still chairman of the committee and had not been superseded by Senator Lodge. I mention this to show that I have no personal reason for championing the cause of Woodrow Wilson. I have received no favors from him and I can speak of him as frankly and judge him as dispassionately and justly as any disinterested person.

## METHODIST ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Evening subject "The Man in the Moon."

Intermediate League 2 p. m.  
Junior League 3 p. m.  
Senior League 6:30 p. m.  
Morning services in school auditorium, evening services in Olympic Theatre.

H. BASCOM WATTS, Pastor.

## SUNBEAM PROGRAM

Subject—What the Victory will Bring to the Children.  
Song—'I'll be a Sunbeam.'  
Bible lesson—2 Kings 5:1-17.  
Prayer—That we may live to tell others of Jesus.  
Song—Bringing in the Sheaves.  
Exercise by children.  
Song—Jesus Loves Me.

## CHRISTIAN MEETING BEGINS SUN.

### Elder Foy E. Wallace to do The Preaching—Meeting to be Short.

The protracted meeting of the Church of Christ worshipping at the College will begin their protracted meeting Sunday at the College. Elder Foy E. Wallace, an able evangelist, will do the preaching. The meeting will be a short one, and it is the intention of the church to follow up the work with another protracted meeting this fall. Brother Wallace is a gifted speaker and a young man of thorough training in evangelical work. The members of the church have made every preparation to make this meeting a success. New song books have been purchased, and training has been in progress for some time. Elmer Rebble of Lubbock will lead the singing for the meeting.

Services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. during the week.  
The public at large is invited to attend these services.  
LIFE SANDERS, Minister

## WALLACE DIES FROM INJURIES

### Both he and Wife Buried at Canyon—Train Accident Cause of Death.

## WALLACE DIES FROM HURTS IN CAR CRASH

John A. Wallace, who was injured in a collision of his automobile and a Santa Fe passenger train near Tulla Saturday morning, died at St. Anthony's sanitarium last night at 10:20 o'clock.

The body was prepared for burial by N. S. Griggs and will be taken with the body of Mrs. Wallace to Canyon tonight. A double funeral will be conducted from the family home at Canyon Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Wallace was instantly killed when the accident occurred and Mr. Wallace was brought to Amarillo fatally injured.

J. A. Wallace was 56 years old, was a Methodist minister for 33 years, having served in that capacity as a supply preacher. He has been a resident of Canyon for twenty years and was engaged in farming, cattle and other livestock interests. He was well known in Amarillo and the Panhandle country. Mrs. Wallace was 56 years old.

According to Ed R. Wallace of Ransdell, Texas, a brother, Mr. Wallace was perfectly rational and at himself at all times when out from under the influence of anaesthetics administered following the accident. He talked freely and when told of the seriousness of his condition, he gave instructions as to his financial condition and his wishes concerning the funeral.

It is said that J. A. Wallace was a very cautious man, and had often discussed accidents of a similar nature, and was at a complete loss to know how it could have happened to him. He said before he died that he had no intention to beat the train across the track and he didn't understand how he could have been caught.

## TRAIN HITS CAR; WOMAN IS KILLED; MAN INJURED

Mrs. John A. Wallace was instantly killed, her husband, John A. Wallace, probably fatally wounded when the car in which they were riding was struck by northbound Santa Fe passenger train No. 902 yesterday morning at a crossing about 8 miles south of Tulla and 4 miles north of Kress. Mr. Wallace was brought to Amarillo on the train and taken to the sanitarium, where it was determined that he was injured principally in the hips and about the face. The body of Mrs. Wallace was taken to Tulla, and the horse of the Griggs Undertaking Company went there yesterday afternoon to bring the remains to Amarillo.

According to reports from the scene of the accident, the Ford touring car in which the couple were traveling was struck from the rear by the locomotive and was completely demolished. The crossing at which the accident occurred is on an open prairie country. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace had been on a two-weeks visit with relatives in Erath county and were returning to their home at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed R. Wallace of Ransdell, Okla., arrived in Amarillo yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock over the Rock Island and visited the injured man at the sanitarium. Mr. Wallace is a brother of the injured man.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wallace had been married 36 years and had resided at Canyon about 20 years. They were married in Erath county. Mrs. Wallace formerly was Miss Alice Wells, a native of Tennessee. She was 56 years of age. Mr. Wallace is a retired Methodist minister, and has been engaged for some time past in buying and selling cattle. Mrs. Bertha Thomas, 1051 Buchanan street, Amarillo and Mrs. John Guthrie of Canyon, are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, and Jefferson Wallace of Canyon is a son.

It was stated last night that the body of Mrs. Wallace probably would be buried at Canyon.—Amarillo Daily News.

## WHITE MULE MADE WITH LYE POISON

Dallas, April 17.—Whiskey seized by local police officers found its way to the city chemist who announced that an analysis of the fluid showed that it contained concentrated lye. The liquor, described as "white mule" would have meant almost certain death to a person if he drank it, the chemist declared.

"Bootleggers living in the country have evidently not been content with the slow process of distillation but have added concentrated lye to their mash in order to hurry it up. A doctor declared in warning the people against the poisoned liquor by using the lye. Liquor can be turned out overnight since it eats up the corn mash and dissolves it far more quicker than by natural process.

## OVERALL CLUB MOVEMENT SPREADS FAST OVER STATE

Dallas, April 16.—The movement to wear overalls to combat the high price of clothing has swept over Texas like the wind, and reports received here to tonight show the idea to have gained a foothold in practically every section of the state.

In numerous towns, both large and small, overall clubs have been formed by various groups, including employees in offices of the larger cities, high school students, and in several instances women have expressed a determination to substitute the blue denim for their usual garb while at work.

The Dallas city commission has under consideration a proposal to declare overalls to be the official uniform for firemen, policemen and other city employees.

Temple, April 16.—Employees in the general offices of the Santa Fe railroad company, together with officials of the road and the entire male membership of the Temple high school organized "overall" clubs today with a total initial membership of several hundred in an effort to reduce the cost of clothing.

Railroad officials report similar movements at towns extending over the entire Santa Fe system in Texas.

Waco, April 16.—With the organization here today of an overall club at Baylor University, headed by Professor H. Newton, membership in the two score overall organizations totalled 2,000. Employees of the composing room of the Waco News Tribune will be the denim next week.

## JOHN BYINGTON OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS

Mr. John Byington was taken to Plainview one day this week and was operated on at the Sanitarium at that place for appendicitis. He stood the operation fine, and if no complications sets in he will soon be able to return to his home in Lockney. His many friends will be interested to see him up and about.

## EXTENSION OF SPUR ROAD

### Howard Bros. of New Orleans Interested in Road From Spur.

A letter was received a few days ago by J. G. Fort, one of our representative business men, from a representative of Howard Bros., who are the largest holders of Briscoe county lands, stating that one of the Howards would be here some time next month, and wanted a committee appointed at Silverton to confer with him regarding the extension of the railroad from Spur to Silverton. This should be taken up at once and a committee appointed as suggested. The Howards need this road and are able to put it through. Silverton should do her part.—Silverton Star.

## SENATE DEBATES MEXICAN REQUEST TO MOVE TROOPS

San Antonio, April 17.—One thousand rifles have been shipped from Japan to Mexico City and distributed to Mexican federal troops in Chihuahua and Coahuila, according to authoritative advices received here today.

Two Japanese agents of a Japanese arms and munitions concern, who are said to have arranged the sale of the equipment are now said to be in Nogales, Sonora, according to the same advice.

Washington, April 17.—Application of the Mexican federal army officials for permission to move forces through American territory to attack Sonora on the north created sharp discussion today on the senate floor and before the committee investigating Mexican affairs.

Meanwhile the request had been referred by the state department to the war department as it was not an official diplomatic combination.

No action had been taken tonight by the war department.

In the senate, Senators Ashurst and Smith, of Arizona, opposed vigorously any suggestion that the request be granted. Senator Ashurst, who said that Arizona should oppose any such movement by force if necessary, should the federal government not grant the state protection.

The senate discussion was halted when Senator Gnox republican, Pennsylvania, announced that he had information that the request had been referred although later he said his information was not official, but based on a statement in the New York Sun, which had stated only that the permission sought would not be granted.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 17.—Governor Campbell, of Arizona, today protested to the state department against extending the troops movement privilege to the Carranza government and the "consequent violation of the rights of sovereign state of Arizona, to the end that the lives and property of our own people and those friendly to us may not be jeopardized."

## STATE PRISON COMMISSION HAS \$359,918 ON HAND

Austin, Texas, April 17.—The financial statement of the State Prison Commission, covering March has been filed with the Governor, showing receipts 30,977 and disbursements \$81,656. The receipts included an item of \$23,125 received from L. P. Featherstone of the Texas Steel Corporation as the first installment on the purchase of the Rust Iron Foundry.

Balance on hand March 31 was \$359,918, distributed as follows:

Huntsville State Bank, Huntsville, \$64,180; Union National Bank, Houston, \$27,961; Campbell State Bank, Palestine, \$5,000; Houston National Exchange Bank, Houston, \$25,000; First National Bank, Houston, \$25,000; and State Treasurer, Austin, \$412,677.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45, Jno. S. Barnett, Supt.  
Present last Sunday 179. Make it 200 next Sunday.  
Preaching 11 and 7:30 by the pastor.

Morning theme "Better Schools."  
Evening theme "The Best Thing and the Worst Thing in the World."  
Public cordially invited to worship with us.

JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

## NORTH FLOYD COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION

The First Sunday in May is the date of the North Floyd County Singing Convention. The convention meets at sunset school house and all singers of the county and adjoining counties, as well as the public at large, are invited to be present. Don't forget those baskets of dillars. Let's all come together and make it a good day.

Carlos E. Reynolds, Secretary,  
North Floyd County Singing Conv.



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Mexico demands that she be allowed to transport troops through the United States in order to reach the Sonora rebels has been passed up to the war department for a solution. Governors of several border states are protesting, as are Senators and Representatives in the Senate and House. It is forecasted that the request will be denied. If Mexico wants to carry on her revolution she should be made to confine her operations to Mexican soil.

Since the overall fad has taken shape New York manufacturers of overalls have advanced the price on this article of wearing apparel. As soon as the demand for an article increases the price goes up. Thus is the law of supply and demand operating in the overall market as well as all other markets. The overall wearing fad will have no other effect on the high cost of living than to raise the price on the daily laborer who of necessity have to wear overalls.

Characterizing modern evening or society weddings as evil Rev. John M. Shaw, archbishop of New Orleans says that they are approaching to the abomination of desolation. He says he is at a loss to understand the brazen dress with which the modern bridal party stand before Him in whose presence the angels are not pure. The archbishop wants the ladies disregard the H. C. I. at the matrimonial altar and wear more clothes.

If a man dies in Amarillo he is buried in Randall county. Amarillo is situated in Potter county. Amarillo's cemetery is located in Randall county. If we wanted to knock Amarillo we would say there wasn't enough soil around that town to bury her dead.

Eight in the corner of two counties—Potter and Randall. Potter collects the taxes; and Randall takes care of the dead. Randall takes care of the departed of two counties, its own and that of her neighbor.

The Editor and Mrs. Smith will leave this morning for Amarillo to attend a two day's session of the Panhandle Press Association, renewing professional acquaintances, and discussing problems that are confronting the printing business of this section of Texas. We are anticipating a royal time, splendid entertainment, and the most pleasant feature is the opportunity to again meeting our newspaper friends throughout the Panhandle and Plains country. These people are close to us professionally and in a personal way and we will be more than glad to see them again.

Suit has been instituted in Nevada to set aside the divorce decree of Mary Pickford, recently granted her in order that she might wed Douglas Fairbanks. If the suit is successful this movie star will have to face a charge of bigamy. It has become fashionable these days for a wife to put away one husband in order to marry another, and visa versa. Nevada has been the popular resort of divorcees, and heretofore when a divorce could not be obtained elsewhere one could go to the State of Nevada and have one's union what God had joined together. If Nevada is to back-up on her loose divorce laws then indeed is the world getting better.

The switchman and yardman strike has collapsed, and railroading and traffic moving will soon be normal. The strike was inaugurated by the radical element in the labor unions, and as an outcome of which organized labor will be greatly restored in the esteem of the general public. Organized labor heads refused to recognize the striking radicals, and aided in breaking the strike and bringing it to an end. The government received conclusive evidence that the strike was brought about by the influence of the Bolsheviks. They have played a losing hand when they undertake to overthrow the American republic and its society.

The Railroad Labor Board provided for in the transportation act returning the roads to their private owners was organized last Saturday and all questions affecting wages and working conditions of railroad employees will be thrashed out and handled through this board. We consider this as a decided forward movement in finding a solution for labor unrest and requests as affecting railroad men. It is a pity that Congress can not provide a general law, combating and covering all branches of labor. Arbitration is the true Christian spirit in all matters industrial and otherwise. To accomplish one's aims and desires through brute-force leads one back to barbarism.

The Beacon would consider it a favor if all Bureaus of political parties, government departments, benevolent societies, churches, etc. would take our name off their mailing list and cease to send us their grafting requests for free space. We consign the whole batch to the waste basket every week. We shall join other editors at the Press Meeting today and tomorrow at Amarillo in an effort to put the Association on record as declaring the publication of this free grafting dope unethical and cheapens the newspaper that carries it continually in its columns. As for the Beacon's course now and in the future no free space is given any body and we are capable of selecting our own matter that goes in to our columns. We find plenty subject matter to fill our columns, without using bureau contributed stuff as fillers and feature articles.

Men returned to their places in the yards when the time limit set by the owners expire. Thus has the strike inaugurated by the Bolsheviks and radicals collapsed, and organized labor has come out of the struggle with clean hands. The Beacon has offered some bitter criticism against organized labor at times, but it was mainly aimed at the radical element within the ranks of unionism, and not against that large body of American citizens who, although banded together for industrial advantages, respect our laws and institutions and are just as much opposed to radicalism as we are. In the switchman and yardman strike the heads of organized labor condemned

same and refused to recognize the strike. By their action the strike soon collapsed. There were no moral or financial support back of this bunch of radicals and it was impossible for them to succeed. The Labor Board created by the transportation act will now proceed to adjust the grievances of the yardmen, and give them justice if justice is to be found in their demands. Give all men a square deal is the doctrine long advocated by the Beacon. In the mean time make all men respect our laws and institutions.

Henry Lane Wilson, former ambassador to Mexico, testifying before a Senate Investigating Committee says that the revolution in Mexico has cost the people of the United States upwards of a half billion dollars, with 665 American lives sacrificed. Accord in to Mr. Wilson it has left in the Mexican treasury a deficit of \$300,000,000 to replace a surplus of \$100,000,000 left by Diaz. It has required the presence of 80,000 American soldiers on the border as a constant watch to safeguard American lives and property on this side of the border. Mr. Wilson criticizes the present administration, and characterizes it as mischievous and unfortunate. The Mexican situation is one that has cost this country more concerned than all the foreign policies and complications combined. There are those of us who criticize both the Wilson and the Taft administrations, yet we doubtless have not understood the grave situation and the reasons underlying our present policy towards Mexico. There is one point on which we are all agreed and that is the situation can not go on and on, and some day there must be a new policy adopted towards the greaser people and their government.

One Bailey man said to another Bailey man on the corner of the square yesterday "walk over to the house with me and we will have a drink." "Walk!" said the other. "Let's run." —Plainview News.

They do neither here in Lockney. When the matter of liquid refreshments are mentioned they immediately take an airplane. Walking, running and racing automobiles are entirely too slow in matters of this kind. The central thought when liquor is mentioned and its whereabouts are located is that the other fellow may beat to it. Let's hurry. Where is that airplane.

We are informed by persons living in the outskirts of the city that a fund is being raised to employ lawyers and attack the constitutionality of the new city charter, which was adopted at the election last week. The attack will be made on the point that Plainview does not have a population of five thousand and people, hence cannot incorporate under the "five thousand or more law." —Plainview News.

Why don't you wait till the 1920 census report is received, and then your population will no longer be a matter of speculation. It seems that there are even people in Plainview who doubt that city has 5000 people. We are satisfied to wait Uncle Sam's report on these matters, and be contented with the surprises that is said to be in store for us all in the matter of smaller populations than we have heretofore announced.

The State of Sonora will appeal to the United States for recognition as a belligerent State. Sonora has rebelled against the Carranza government. The United States has recognized Carranza and his bunch. To recognize Sonora would be to repudiate Carranza. The wisdom of the Carranza recognition has been questioned more than once. The American government has been back of Carranza morally and financially for a number of years, and Mexico is as far from pacification today as it were 10 years ago. Evidently Carranza is not the man to pacify Mexico. Then why not withdraw this recognition and let some body else try their hand? Evidently Carranza has had ample opportunity to restore law and order in Mexico. If he could not accomplish these things in the past five or six years he evidently will not be able to do so in the next half a dozen years. The truth of the matter Carranza is a despot, and he does not have the respect of the Mexican people as a whole.

Bailey announces that he will be in the race to the end. Well, the end will see his ending as a political leader in Texas at least for a while. The trouble with Bailey he never knows when he is beaten. He has been effectively retired from public life in Texas for a number of years, and notwithstanding these facts he returns every now and then and tries to start something.

May 1st there will be an important precinct convention held here and throughout Texas. At this convention we will select delegates to the county convention which meets a week later. From the county convention we send delegates to the state convention, from the state convention to the national convention. There is a fight on in Texas lead by Joe Bailey on the one hand and the administration forces on the other. Judge Poindexter of Cleburne, the man that has ran for office more times and been defeated more times in Texas than any other citizen in the State, will contest with Governor W. P. Hobby for delegate at large to the national democratic convention. If Poindexter wins he will repudiate President Wilson and the National democratic party. If Hobby is sent to the national convention he will vote to endorse Wilson's administration and all the beneficial we have had for the past 8 years under democratic regime. Poindexter represents Bailey. Bailey is all

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## Mitchell Bros.

Headquarters For John Deere Implements  
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

## It's dollars to doughnuts—

no man ever smoked a better cigarette at any price!

CAMELS quality, and their expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos hand you a cigarette that will satisfy every smoke desire you ever expressed. You will prefer this Camel blend to either kind smoked straight!

Camels mellow-mildness will certainly appeal to you. The "body" is all there, and that smoothness! It's a delight!

Go the limit with Camels! They will not tire your taste. And, they leave no unpleasant cigarette aftertaste nor unpleasant cigarette odor!

Just compare Camels with any cigarette in the world at any price!

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes for 20 cents, 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.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.



The Wilson administration passed the national prohibition laws. Therefore, the fight Bailey will make through Poindexter is a fight against national prohibition. Again, the Wilson administration passed the Federal Woman's suffrage amendment, which likes but one state of being ratified. Bailey seeks through Poindexter to put Texas on record as against Equal Suffrage. If Hobby is sent to San Francisco as a delegate to the national democratic convention he will endorse and vote for prohibition and equal suffrage. Which man do you want, Poindexter or Hobby. Are you for prohibition and equal suffrage or are you against them? Both women and men will compose these precinct and county conventions. Be sure to attend and throw your influence on the side of right.

### NOTICE

Let us decorate your home with the Beautiful Eureka Wall Paper. A card will bring samples to you.

M. H. PAULEY  
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.

A. G. McAdams  
Lumber Co.



# Separator and Engine For Sale

One Case Separator, 32 inch, in excellent shape for sale. Also one Steam Engine. Will make terms on this machinery.

## CROP LEASE FOR SALE

One hundred acres of sod land, about 7 miles of town. Land was broken out for this year's crop. Will sell the right of crop and use of the land for the year.

PRICE \$4.00 PER ACRE

## RUMLEY TRACTORS TO ARRIVE

Will have two car loads of Rumley Tractors to arrive the latter part of this month. Place your order early for one of these Tractors.

**John M. Livesay**  
LOCKNEY TEXAS

the news to Joe Bailey, Jim Ferguson and their friends. Doubtless this course is unnecessary. These fellows have their ears to the ground, and are watching the course of equal suffrage with that intense interest that only a drowning man can show when he lays hand to the floating straw. The liquor crowd are in their death struggle, and they know that if the women are given the ballot they won't have an opportunity to put across their program in Texas and other states.

### MARVIN JONES SAYS THE NATIONAL ADMINISTRATION SHOULD BE ENDORSED

The following letter is self-explanatory to folks keeping up with the political trend of the times:  
Hon. Clyde E. Sweeton, Chairman, Democratic Executive Committee, Dallas, Texas.  
My dear sir:  
I am in receipt of your letter of recent date making inquiry as to whether, in my opinion, the delegates to the San Francisco Convention should endorse or repudiate the achievements of the National Administration.  
Replying will say in my judgement such delegates should support a resolution endorsing the achievements of the National Administration.  
MARVIN JONES.

### THE UNDERTAKER

The midnight hour, the darkest hour  
That human grief may know,  
Sends forth its hurried summons  
Asks me to come—I go!

I know not when the bell may toll,  
I know not when the blow may fall,  
I only know that I must go  
In answer to the call.

Perhaps a friend—perhaps unknown—  
'Tis fate that turns the wheel—  
The tangled skein of human life  
Winds slowly on the reel.

And I?—I'm the undertaker,  
"Cold-blooded," you'll hear them say,  
"Trained to the shock and chill of death,  
With a heart that's cold and grey."

Trained—that's what they call it  
How little they know the rest—  
I'm human and know the sorrow  
That throbs in the aching breast

LOCKNEY UNDERTAKERS PARLOR

## How Good?

That's the big consideration in having prescriptions filled or in purchasing drugs. Here you are certain of absolute quality, accuracy and speedy service. You will find the best of everything in standard remedies, toilet articles, stationery and other drug specialties.

## Stewart Drug Co.

LOCKNEY,

TEXAS

## Notice to the Public

We are receiving and distributing 3 to 4 cars coal per week.

Remember we bid on all farm grain, especially oats, wheat and maize and cotton seed.

You mke a bad deal when you don't trade with us.

Phone 74, we are always on the job.

**Farmers Exchange**  
E. M. RANDOLPH, Manager

DR. J. C. GURST  
Dentist  
Office Over First National Bank Building.

D. J. THOMAS, M. D.  
DOES A GENERAL PRACTICE  
Physician and Optician and Fits Glasses

## SAM LIVINGSTON VULCANIZING

Located in frame building one door from Page Drg Goods Co. Buy all kinds of old casings and tubes. Your vulcanizing done promptly.

Sam Livingston

## FINE BRISCOE COUNTY HOME FOR SALE

S. L. Cantwell, who lives 7 miles west of town is offering his entire holdings for sale, including two excellent sections of land, each well improved; one with four room house, plenty good sheds, fine well good mill, granary, etc., 240 acres in cultivation. The other, his home place, one of the best improved places in the county—nice, seven-room house with two large porches and several closets, good well, mill and elevated tank, water piped into house and to lots; garage, new barn 50x50 feet, lots of sheds, granary room for 3,000 bushels, 200 acres in cultivation, considerable fenced hog proof on main Silvertown and Tullia road soon to be Ozark Trail and Bankhead Highway. Everything goes in this deal, including about \$9,000 worth of implements including nearly new Avery threshing outfit with engine and plows, about \$2,000 worth work stock, \$3,500 worth cattle and \$100 or more worth hogs. All goes at

**\$57.00 PER ACRE**

One-half cash. Or will sell the last named section alone for \$50 per acre, or the other one at \$40 per acre. See

**S. L. CANTWELL, Owner**  
**Or R. W. JONES, Agent**

Write for other Listings  
SILVERTON, TEXAS

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

We have purchased the Lockney Garage and Less Hutchinson's repair shop together with filling station, all accessories, and will continue the business under the old firm name of Lockney Garage.

...We have two experienced mechanics to start with and will add more as necessity requires. We will do first-class work, and with these facts in mind we invite the auto public to give us a share of their business. We are here to please, and to give you prompt and efficient service.

Yours truly,

## THE LOCKNEY GARAGE

F. M. Taylor, Manager

George McBurton, John Easley, Mechanics.

They say that Alf-alfa Tea is the stuff that is the only thing ever discovered that will reduce for the moment the high-cost of living.—Beacon.  
That's the time! A person full to the gills of Alf-alfa Tea don't care whether there is high cost of living or low cost of living for he is happy, satisfied, at peace with mankind and loves everybody. A beverage that puts a person in such an exalted frame of mind, with no bad aftermath is a boon to the world; you'll have to agree. Every editor at the Panhandle Press meeting in Amarillo next week will be convinced that all we have claimed for Alf-alfa is true, and then some.—Jess Adams in his News.

Well, we have heard so much talk about this Alf-alfa that we are anxious for the time to roll around when we can see what the critter looks like, and tastes like. The only question left worthy of thought is how much of this tea will Jess take to Amarillo. You know there will be a crowd of thirty editors at Amarillo, and it is going to take a power chance of this tea to go round. We wouldn't give a cent for just a little of this stuff. We want enough to get soused. We want enough to make us think that the tea has turned back in its flight, and

that we have the low cost of living just for the night. Bring on your Alf-alfa. Our thirst is keyed up, and we hereby serve notice on you that we want an opportunity to test this stuff out thoroughly. If its got the propensities in it that you claim it has we want to turn these Bailey men loose on our alfalfa patches around Lockney.

"It's all over but the shouting." The democratic convention in North Carolina last week endorsed woman's suffrage, and the legislature will be called into special session and ratify the amendment, thus a Southern democratic state will be the thirty-sixth and necessary state to put the amendment into operation. Carry the news to Joe Bob, and the liquor bunch.—Plainview News.

We have been a little shaky about the 29th State showing up for we were so close to equal suffrage, and then so far. When you get the margin down to one state's action in ratification, they is presented a fertile field for the successful use of money and other means to influence the vote. No doubt liquor interest would pay a good man to have woman's suffrage defeated. By all means take

## NO MORE FUMES

With our New Cleaner and dryer we now guarantee that there will be no gas odor on the suit we clean for you. This enables us to give prompt and better service.

## GENTS FURNISHINGS

We have an advance shipment of Gent's Furnishings and a full and complete line to arrive.

**JOHN W. SAMS**

## LOCKNEY TRANSFER CO.

Is now owned and managed by C. R. Gallegly, who will be glad to do your hauling. Meets all trains with bus. Phone us your hauling necessities.

**C. R. GALLEGLY**

Residence Phone 35

Barn Phone 37

Seeds, Plants, Incubators, Brooders, Spraying Materials, Sprays, Bradley Yam seed Sweet Potatoes. Everything for the Garden, Fields, Farm, Orchard, Poultry Supply.

**C. E. White Seed Co.**

PLAINVIEW, TEXAS



# READY-TO-WEAR

We have it for Men, Women and Boys. Prices are the very best to be had on this class of merchandise. Come to us for your Ready-to-Wear. Our stocks have many patterns to select from.



PERFECTION SUITS FOR BOYS  
STYLEPLUS AND KUPPEN-  
HEIMER SUITS FOR MEN,  
FRAT CLOTHES FOR YOUNG  
MEN, SUNSHINE AND PRIN-  
TZESS SUITS FOR WOMEN.  
THIS MAKES A FULL HOUSE.  
"CAN YOU BEAT IT?"

Quality is the key note in any of these lines. Consider the quality of the Merchandise you are buying



THE PRICE IS WITHIN REACH OF ALL. GIVE US THE ONCE OVER AND WE WILL CONVINCING YOU.

# Baker Bros.

Lockney, Texas

## RELIEF MEASURE FOR SERVICE MEN BEING PREPARED

Washington, D. C., April 19.—(Repub-  
lican house leaders today tentatively  
agreed to present soldier relief meas-  
ure to the house about May 1.

Besides carrying cash compensation,  
the bill will include alternative offers  
of priority in land settlement, some  
building and extension of vocational  
training. Two plans for adjusted  
cash compensation have been submit-  
ted one granting \$1 for each days ser-  
vice and the other authorizing pay-  
ment at the rate of \$1.25 for each day,  
with no payments for the first two  
months of service. Under the latter  
plan, members said, those exempted be-  
cause their services was less than 90  
days and those serving for a longer  
period would be treated impartially, no  
payments being authorized to anyone  
for the first two months service.

It is proposed to begin cash payment  
on January 1, 1921, continuing in quar-  
terly installments.

A tax on gross sales, it is stated  
probably would be the plan to be adopt-  
ed by the committee to raise necessary  
revenues.

By unanimous vote the senate adopt-  
ed as an amendment to the army bill  
Senator Chamberlain's measure mod-  
ifying the court martial system in the  
army. The Chamberlain bill had been  
changed and approved unanimously by  
the military committee.

## WEDDING BELLS

Mr. Wells Henry and Miss Alene  
Hopkins, two prominent young people  
of Floydada, were united in marriage  
at Lockney on last Sunday morning,  
April 18th, at 10 o'clock.

The happy event occurred at the  
home of S. A. Henry, a brother to the  
groom.

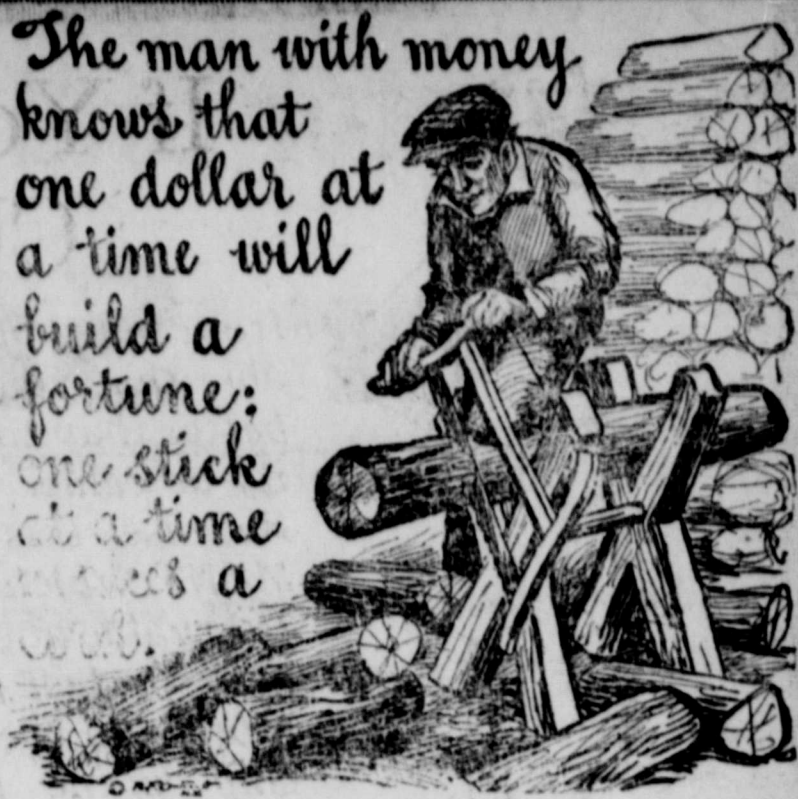
The nuptial knot was tied by Rev.  
Jno. P. Hardesty, Pastor Lockney Bap-  
tist church, being witnessed by only a  
few near relatives and intimate  
friends of the contracting parties, all  
of whom wish the happy pair bon voy-  
age on life's sea.

## BELLE OF WICHITA MILLS REMEMBERS THE BEACON

In a car shipment of the Belle of  
Wichita Flour received a few days ago  
by the City Grocery was a 50 pound  
sack of this splendid flour marked  
complimentary to the Lockney Beacon.  
The Belle of Wichita is a popular flour  
in this section, and is handled exclus-  
ively by the City Grocery. There is  
no flour on the market to compare  
with the Belle of Wichita in matter of  
baking and all round purposes. There  
is fewer flours that have as few bad  
sacks as the Belle of Wichita, or in  
other words, you seldom get hold of a  
bad sack, and when you do all you  
have to do is to return same to the  
City Grocery.

The Beacon is truly thankful to the  
Belle of Wichita Mill people for their  
splendid remembrance, as it will help  
keep down the H. C. L. for a few  
weeks.

The man with money  
knows that  
one dollar at  
a time will  
build a  
fortune:  
one stick  
at a time  
makes a  
cord.



You've often heard about the man who "sawed nothing and sawed wood." He didn't expect to saw a whole cord at once. He didn't expect to make a whole fortune at once. But he began with a little deposit in the bank and piled up a fortune almost before he knew it. Look at the men today who said nothing and "sawed wood" a few years ago.

## The First National Bank

RESOURCES OVER \$600,000.00

A. B. Brown, President Carl McAdams, V-Pres  
John C. Broyles, Cashier  
James B. Reed, Asst. Cashier

## POULTRY WANTED

Bring us your poultry and eggs, we guarantee you highest market prices either cash or trade. If you are no one of our customers give us a trial, we want your business and will give you a square deal. If you are not one of our many satisfied customers we want you to become one. We want to make Lockney the largest and best produce market on the Plains, will you help us? Have you tried some of our Full-O-Pep Little Chick feed, if not try it out, we guarantee satisfaction.

## OUR PRICES

HENS	27c
ROOSTERS	12c
EGGS	30c

WE WANT YOUR PRODUCE BUSINESS BE IT  
LARGE OR SMALL

# Baker Bros.

## BUGGIES

Carload Emerson Buggies just received. These were bought before the **ADVANCE** and will be sold **ACCORDINGLY**.

They will go quickly. If interested call on us at once.

Emerson one and two row Go-Devils, Listers and Cultivators.

SEE US BEFORE BUYING

# Cowart & Miller

C. L. Cowart  
C. C. Miller

# Coal

April and May are the lowest months for **STORAGE COAL**. All producers predict coal shortage again this year. Better buy your **WINTER SUPPLY** of coal while we have plenty on hands.

Still have plenty of feed of most all kinds on hand.

## LOCKNEY COAL & GRAIN COMPANY

Composed of  
Ira Broyles, Manager.  
Robin Baker  
Artie Baker  
L. M. Honea  
Jno. Stalcup

PHONE 60  
Lockney, Texas

## LEGISLATION TO AID SCHOOLS AS OUTLINED BY BOARD

Austin, April 19.—After an all day discussion the general educational advisory committee, which effected permanent organization here today, adopted resolutions outlining emergency legislation to be required of the special session of the legislature, scheduled for May 24. Bills prepared, included recommendations for an increase of appropriation for higher educational institutions; increases for county superintendents, salaries, through establishing minimum salaries and permitting county boards to fix maximum salaries; direct appropriation from the general fund of the public schools to make up the deficiency necessary for their support and operation repeal of maximum salary law now applying to rural and the small town schools and revision of laws as to certification of teachers, providing for reciprocity with other states and for some choice of subjects.

## B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM (Group 2)

Leader—Mrs. C. C. Livingston.  
Daily Bible quiz—Miss Cooper.  
Scripture reading—Otis Carter.  
Sunday school Board's main business—Thelma Gallegly.  
Some other lines of service:  
Paragraph 1—Henry Hodel.  
Paragraph 2—Jack Corder.  
Paragraph 3—Mabel Reeves.  
Paragraph 4—Bill Hodel.  
5. How the Sunday school Board is housed—Mr. Vernon.  
6. Present volume and future prospects for the Board's business—Reba Barnett.

J. R. Bryant of Tarrant county was here several days the past week visiting with relatives and friends.  
Mrs. G. S. Morris visited with friends in Silverton a few days the past week.

Sweet Potato Slips, Nancy Hall & Bradley Yam 50c 100 postpaid; Tomato Plants, Early Dwarf, Champion, Stone & McGee 40c 100 postpaid; Cabbage Plants, Early varieties 40c 100 postpaid; Sweet & Hot Pepper plants 20c Doz. post paid; Gian Ruhubarb Roots 80c Doz. postpaid; Horse Radish & Asparagus Roots 40c Doz. postpaid; Seeds and Poultry Supplies, Sprays, Insecticides, Fungicides.

C. E. WHITE SEED CO., Plainview, Texas.





## If You Could Choose

from ten thousand suits it is probable that you would select nothing better than this model in style, quality or value. Why do we say that? Because this is a **PALMER GARMENT**, which represents the ultimate in value at the price asked, and the most perfect in style. The grade of fabric and the amount of workmanship fix the price but the service proves the value. We shall show you what we have to offer from our wide range of values.

**20 PER CENT REDUCTION ON ALL SUITS**

We give *Z.N.* Green Trading Stamps

## Barrier Bros. Dry Goods Co.

"DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE"

Plainview, Texas

Stores also at Lubbock, Brownfield and Floydada.

## Special Program

All Next Week at Olympic

**MONDAY**—"THE IMP" by Elsie Jennins, 6 Reels.

**TUESDAY**—(Return) "THE HOODLUM" Mary Pickford, 7 Reels.

**WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY**—"ERST WHILE SUSAN, CONSTANCE BINNEY," 6 Reels. Adm. 15, 25c.

**FRIDAY and SATURDAY**—The Biggest ever screened, Mabel Norman in "MICKEY" and two reels comedy. You have heard about the big picture "MICKEY" now is the time to see it. Admission, Matinee 2:30 p. m. 30 & 55c. Night 7 p. m. 35 and 75c.



### "THE MAN IN THE MOON"

Who is He?

Olympic Theatre, Sunday 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Ben F. Smith and son, Albert, returned Monday from a couple of weeks visit with their son and brother, Lester, at Austin and with other relatives at San Antonio.

Miss Vertis Lowe visited with friends at Floydada Saturday afternoon.

J. E. Jackson left Saturday for Missouri in response to a message saying his mother had died the day before. Mr. Jackson and family have the sincere sympathy of their many friends and neighbors in the loss of his mother.

C. R. Pennington, and daughter, Little Miss Esta Neva, and brother, Robert of the Rock Creek community in Briscoe county, were here Monday the guest of the Beacon family.

Mrs. L. C. Odum and little daughter of Slaton, came in Monday on a visit to their father, I. N. Dillard.

### STYLE SHOP

New King Bee Pattern and Graduation Hats next week. 25 per cent reduction on Suits and Silk Dresses.

**MRS. D. J. THOMAS**

### Personal Mentions

Grady Brewster of Perico, spent Saturday here with relatives returning to his home Sunday.

Miss Ollie Robbs left Wednesday for Lubbock on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Ross.

Mrs. J. T. Robbs returned Sunday from Lubbock where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ross.

Miss Loree Sanders, a student of Canyon Normal, was here the first of the week visiting with her parents, Elder and Mrs. Sanders.

Jack Cox returned to Vernon Tuesday after a few days visit here with his friends.

Mrs. U. S. Braswell is spending this week in Grandfield, Oklahoma, visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Virgil Brazell of Slaton, is here this week visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Griffith.

Mrs. Lois Sanford left Friday for Rockdale on a visit to relatives.

Miss Maurine Riley left Friday for Waco on a visit to relatives.

J. H. Riley has sold his meat market located in the City Grocery to B. A. Queen and left last Friday for his old home at McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reeves were Amarillo visitors this week going up Tuesday and returning Thursday.

Mrs. J. B. Burleson of Bangs, Texas, came in Tuesday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mooney in the trick community.

A. N. Askey, wife and daughter, Mrs. Demmick, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Askey, of Silverton, were here Wednesday doing some shopping with our merchants.

Will Anthony and wife of Plainview were here Tuesday afternoon on business and pleasure.

Wells Henry and Miss Allene Hopkins, both of Floydada, were married in Lockney Sunday. They were here Tuesday enroute home from Amarillo where they spent several days.

Judge Stillbird left Wednesday for California on several weeks vacation and pleasure trip.

Glen Hamilton returned Monday from Hereford where he was visiting with his sister, Mrs. Sam Fansworth. He was accompanied home by his nephew, George Fansworth.

Blanton Livingston of Canyon spent several days here this week the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Alvin Eastwood and other relatives.

Mr. Daff Griffith returned last Friday from Plainview where he has been for treatment for the past several weeks, we are sorry to report Mr. Griffith's condition not improved, and he is now confined to his home the greater part of his time.

C. A. Wofford went to Amarillo Tuesday and brought back two new Model Oakland cars, one a touring car and the other a Sedan, they are dandies.

E. L. Hogis of Floydada was here Monday looking after business.

NO DEPOSITOR EVER LOST A DOLLAR IN A STATE BANK IN TEXAS

### PROBLEMS AND PERPLEXITIES

The man who is willing to give you his time is the one who gets your business—doesn't he? Every day matters crop up; questions as to investments—financial problems—how to start a household account—a hundred and one things that can be solved by a Banker, because a Banker has solved hundreds of other problems just like yours. Whenever such questions come to you, remember that you are welcome to call on us. We make our time your time. It does not make a bit of difference in what line of business you may be. Come and see us.

### THE LOCKNEY STATE BANK

Member Federal Reserve Bank

Lockney, Texas

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### F. M. KESTER

Jeweler and Optometrist

Fine Watch Repairing and Glasses Fitted. Astigmatism corrected.

### LOCKNEY DRUG COMPANY

Miss Earl Blanton returned Thursday from Plainview Sanitarium where she underwent an operation last week for appendicitis and is reported to be recovering nicely, which her many friends will indeed be glad to hear.

Mr. Seaman was a week end guest of his parents at Silverton.

**DR. J. M. FLOYD**  
Veterinary

Office at Lockney Drug Company. Will do a general Veterinary Practice



USE OUR GOOD GROCERIES

FLOUR

SUGAR

### FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

You are giving us a very nice business and we certainly do thank you. And in return for your courtesy we promise you that we are going to keep the quality of the store up and the prices as low as is consistent with good business methods. We still have a little more sugar. Please give us your orders for groceries and we will do our best to please.

OUR PRICES CANNOT BE DUPLICATED

## BAKER BROTHERS



# Do Not Neglect Your Garden

*We have a nice variety of Garden Seed, plenty of Water Hose, and Gardening Implements. We have a few of those Nice Ball Bearing, easy running Lawn Mowers. Come in and get one and keep your lawn looking neat.*

**E. P. Thompson & Son**  
Lockney, Texas

## WE WANT YOUR HEADS—

*We want your heads on which your hair is located that we may trim same nicely, also we want to do your shaving. Our shop is sanitary, we have expert workmen and service is our chief aim. When in need of barber work don't fail to look up the PALACE BARBER SHOP.*

**V. E. PRUITT, Proprietor**

## Fadeless Dyes

*Save time, save money with Putnam's Fadeless Dyes. Just received a large assortment of Putnam's Dyes, all colors.*

**Lockney Drug Co.**  
*The Nyal Quality Store*  
MACK SELLERS, Proprietor

### ONE OF 15 WIVES BEING SOUGHT BY CALIFORNIA POLICE

Los Angeles, Cal., April 16.—Deputy sheriffs began today a search for a woman identified as Nina Lee Deloney, who, they believe was one of the twenty-five or more women married during the last fifteen years by Richard Hurit who is in the county hospital here for treatment for self-inflicted wounds.

Miss Deloney is one of at least five of the women officers have been unable to locate.

Hurit, using the name of Charles N. Harvey, according to the officers, and Miss Deloney were married Dec. 5, 1905, at San Francisco, and left Santa Monica, near here, Jan. 26, last, by automobile, presumably for Tia Juana, Lower California, with the announced intention of eventually going to Honolulu.

Some days later, the investigators declared Hurit, under the name of Harry Lewis, joined another "wife" in Sacramento, Cal. The automobile in which the trip to Tia Juana has been found in a Santa Monica garage, officers said.

The investigators said Miss Deloney originally lived in Hodgenville, Ky. A telegram received by Sheriff Cline from Hodgenville said the last word received there was from Tia Juana, Feb. 26, when she and the man known as Harvey were supposed to be on the way to South America.

The officers have found among the man's possessions five trunks containing valuable furs and other feminine apparel.

### TEXAS UNIVERSITY STUDENTS PUNISHED FOR CLASS FIGHT

Austin, April 16.—Four hundred and sixty-four men students of the University of Texas who participated in the freshman-sophomore class fight on March 1 received sentences varying from being placed on disciplinary probation to suspension for two weeks without the privilege of taking spring term examinations, according to an announcement by President H. E. Vinson.

Neither of the classes will be allowed to give receptions for two years. Damage to the Knights of Columbus hall, where the fight occurred this year must be paid within ten days or all men involved will be suspended.

Six hundred pages of evidence taken at the discipline committee were

viewed by President Vinson.

The class fight began when sophomores stormed and took the hall, in which the freshmen planned to have their annual class reception. Sophomores used ammonia in forcing the hall and in repulsing attempts by freshmen to regain it. Clubs and stones also were used in the fight, and a number of minor injuries were inflicted, while several combatants were overcome by ammonia fumes. The struggles continued intermittently for several hours.

### MODERN CHURCH WEDDINGS SEVERELY CONDEMNED

New Orleans, April 16.—Characterized "modern evening or society weddings" as approaching "to the abomination of desolation" and confessing that he "is at a loss to describe the brazen modesty of dress with which the modern bridal party and their friends offered the majesty of Him in whose presence the very angels are not pure," Rev. John W. Shaw, archbishop of New Orleans, tonight made public the text of a pastoral letter which will be read Sunday in all churches in this archdiocese.

Discussing society weddings, which he asserted have supplanted the nuptial mass to a great degree the archbishop said:

"To offset extravagant church decorations, which serves merely to flatter the vanity of the bridal party and their relatives, the choir must be lowered to the level of an ordinary theatre orchestra to discourse suggestive operatic airs and a medley of trivial, sensuous music."

He concluded with a severe denunciation of church marriage rehearsals.

Forty-seven are in the graduating class of Plainview high school this year—twenty-nine girls and eighteen boys. This the largest class of graduates in the history of the public schools of this city.—Plainview News.

### A PICTURE

THAT LOOKS LIKE YOU

That is the kind we make. No freakishness, no harshness, no inaccuracies of expression. Just a clear, soft tone that is a faithful likeness of yourself.

OUR MOUNTS ARE NIFTY

GRIGGS STUDIO

### HEMSTITCHING

*We are now prepared to do your hem stitching, Pecoing, Dress Making, and all kinds of alterations.*

**OLYMPIC TAILOR SHOP**

## Roy Griffith

Confections of all kinds, fountain drinks and a complete line of smokers articles. Our line of cigars are complete.

A complete line of Jewelry, every piece guaranteed.

Make our place your headquarters while in the city.

## Roy Griffith

THE CONFECTIONER

### MARKET CHANGE

I have purchased the market at City Grocery Store and will continue to serve the people with first-class meats at all times. Would appreciate a share of your business. Prompt service of the best meats that can be had, will be our aim.

B. A. QUEEN

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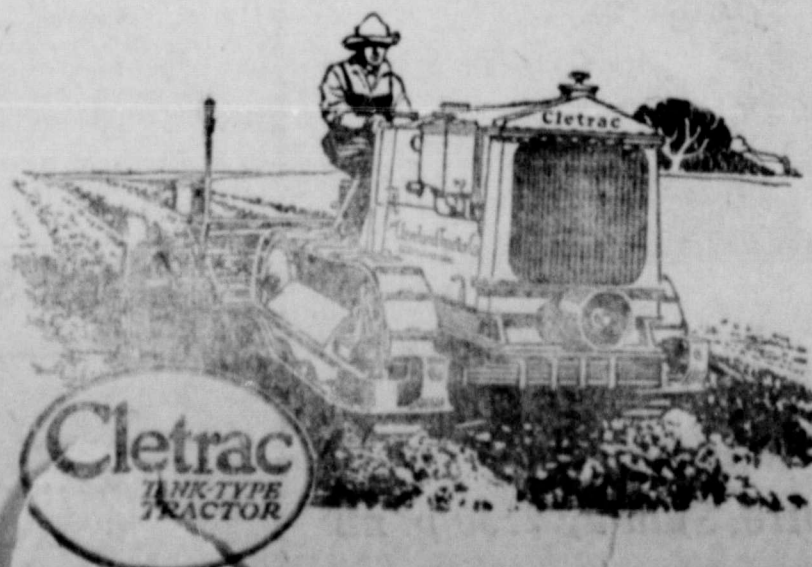
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By Sire Long Orange No. 255519, Sire Orange Boy No. 230167, Dame Sensation Maude No. 410986, Dam Orange Mollie No. 594420, Sire Big Orange Equal No. 196997, Dam Long Mollie A No. 461934.

This male, Denny's Long Orange, was sired by Long Orange of Iowa, 1st Prize Winner at Iowa State Fair, and National Swine Show 1916. Also twice Grand Champion of Texas 1917 and 1918. His dam, Orange Mollie of Illinois, was 1st Prize Winner at Illinois State Fair and National Swine Show 1916. Also Grand Champion Waco Cotton Palace Show 1918. Denny's Long Orange has the individuality as well as one of the best pedigrees in the United States.

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Bradley Yam seed sweet potatoes, per lb 9c. Irish Candler and Triumph Irish potatoes, per lb 7 1/2c. Frost proof cabbage and Bermuda onion plants, 40c per hundred post paid. Giant Rhubarb \$1 per dozen. Horse radish and Asparagus roots, 50c per dozen. Seeds for the garden, field and lawn. Poultry supplies in quantities to a car load 10c. Incubators, brooders, and every fixture for them in stock. Price list free. Progressive Ever bearing Strawberry plants \$1.50 per 100 post paid.

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Those Hamilton Brown Work and Dress Shoes for men and boys You know he Hamilton Brown shoes. You know what service they will give. When we marked the price on these shoes we had this in mind: "To save you from \$2 to \$6 on a pair."

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On your GROCERY BILL. We have bought right on syrups and we are selling right too.

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PHONE NO. 12

chased the lands the minerals were not reserved by the state and they are now refusing to permit holders of permits from the state to prospect on these lands. The state has issued permits covering several hundred thousands of acres of land in Reeves and other counties in that part of Texas.

### HAIL CAUSES \$50,000 DAMAGE AT BRIDGEPORT

Bridgeport, Texas, April 9.—Damage to the amount of \$50,000 was done by a hail storm in Bridgeport and immediate vicinity between 7 and 8 o'clock Thursday night. Scarcely a roof or window in town escaped. In the school buildings, 450 panes were smashed. Merchants lost heavily in water-soaked stocks, glass and roofs. Roofing and glass stocks were speedily exhausted Friday morning. Dealers have wired for additional supplies. Vegetation was blotted out. The hail storm extended over a small territory, principally south.

### SPECIAL FIFTEEN-CENT ROAD TAX CARRIES

Very little interest was taken in the election held in Plainview precinct Saturday to vote a special road tax of 15c. The proposition carried by 99 majority, the total vote being 100 to 61. At the court house box the vote was 64 for, 15 against; at the city hall 93 for, 46 against.

The special tax will raise about \$7,500 a year and will be used to buy and maintain a road grading outfit on the roads in this commissioners precinct. Plainview News.

**FOR SALE**—Two Second-hand Ford Hi-Way Garage. 27-41

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrah Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surface of the system. Hall's Catarrah 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 Catarrah Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrah conditions. Send for testimonials free.  
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Lockney -- -- -- Texas

### NOTICE

To the Republicans of Floyd county: You are hereby called to meet in the court house at Floydada, Texas, Tuesday, May 4th, at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of selecting delegates to the district and state conventions and transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.  
Respectfully,  
E. E. WELLS, Secretary.

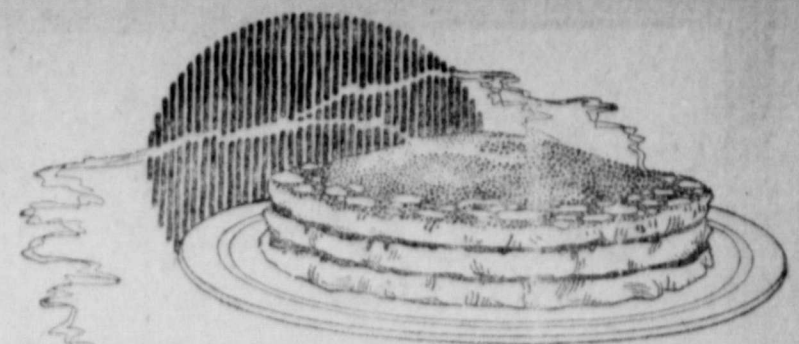
### FRIENDLY SUIT FOR INJUNCTION STARTED FOR TITLES

Austin, April 16.—In order to determine the question as to whether the owners of state lands in West Texas are entitled to the minerals beneath the soil, a friendly suit for an injunction is to be instituted in the district court of Travis county, announced Assistant Attorney General E. F. today. The owners of the state lands are insisting that

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Hot cakes made with BELLE OF WICHITA Flour are "there." They are deliciously good from the first bite to the last.

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LOCKNEY AUTO COMPANY

#### UNCLE JOHN HARRIS PASSES AWAY

Uncle John Harris passed away at the home of T. B. Hardcastle in the east part of town last Sunday evening after a severe illness of several weeks. He was 72 years old and had lived in this county over twenty years. He leaves a wife and one child, Mrs. J. C. Welch, and a number of grandchildren and other relatives and friends to mourn his departure.

Uncle John was a typical western man, having lived on the frontier much of his life, being a big-hearted man and one who believed in treating everyone right, and having faith in his fellow man. He had a host of friends in this section of the country and in other portions of the state who will be greatly grieved to learn of his death.

The remains were laid away in the Silverton burying ground Monday evening in the presence of a large assembly who went to pay the last tribute to this man. Several songs were sung and by request W. L. Jewett, who was a close friend of the deceased, made a short talk.

We extend to the bereaved family our deepest sympathies in this hour of grief.—Silverton Star.

#### CHILD BURNED TO DEATH NEAR ELLEN MONDAY

Ha, age 3 1/2 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Clark, who live on the Callahan lands near Ellen, was seriously burned early Monday morning and she died several hours later.

She was one of the Clark triplets, and she and the other two children were popping some corn in the kitchen. Mrs. Clark stepped out in the yard to feed the chickens and in four or five minutes the three children ran out on the gallery. Ha's dress being a solid blaze, Mrs. Clark tried to put out the blaze, but she was too late, as every part of the clothing except the shoes and stockings were burned off of her, and she was terribly burned from her lower limbs to her face.

The children, it seems, had taken the popcorn into another room and had tried to pop it on the heating stove, and in some way the child's dress caught.

The funeral and interment took place at Lockney cemetery Wednesday.—Plainview News.

#### "MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE HERE BELOW

The Washington lobby of the returned soldiers wants the government to give them a \$3,000,000,000 bonus. The Republicans will probably vote it. They want the soldiers vote.

The wheat growing farmers want the government to give them about a dollar for every bushel of wheat they

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Annual Savings Deposit — \$134.76  
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#### THE COMPANY PAYS YOU

\$4,000.00—Paid-up Thrift Policy bearing Dividends as long as you live and \$1,000 Cash, which you can consider as Interest on your Deposits.

#### SOME OTHER IMPORTANT VALUES OF THIS \$4000 THRIFT POLICY

(These values are also all guaranteed and written in plain figures in the Policy Contract.)

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1. In 13 years \$4,000.00 Paid-up Life Policy.
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No more deposits are required of you. Company pays you an in-

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You deposit a total of \$2,695.20 cash (the actual deposit of \$134.76—20 times). You receive interest of \$1,000 cash (the equivalent of \$50.00—20 times).

Is this not good interest on your money? You also own what you started out to buy, a \$4,000 Paid-up Thrift Policy, bearing Dividends for life. Does it look good to you? Yes, it certainly does.

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come of \$40 a month as long as you live, and your beneficiary receives \$4,000.00 cash at your death, or \$39.32 per month (plus dividends) for ten years.

#### IN CASE YOU NEED HELP

The loan value is available.

#### AT YOUR DEATH

By natural causes \$4,000 cash to your beneficiary, or \$39.30 a month (plus dividends) for ten years. By accidental causes \$8,000 cash to your beneficiary or \$78.64 a month (plus dividends) for ten years.

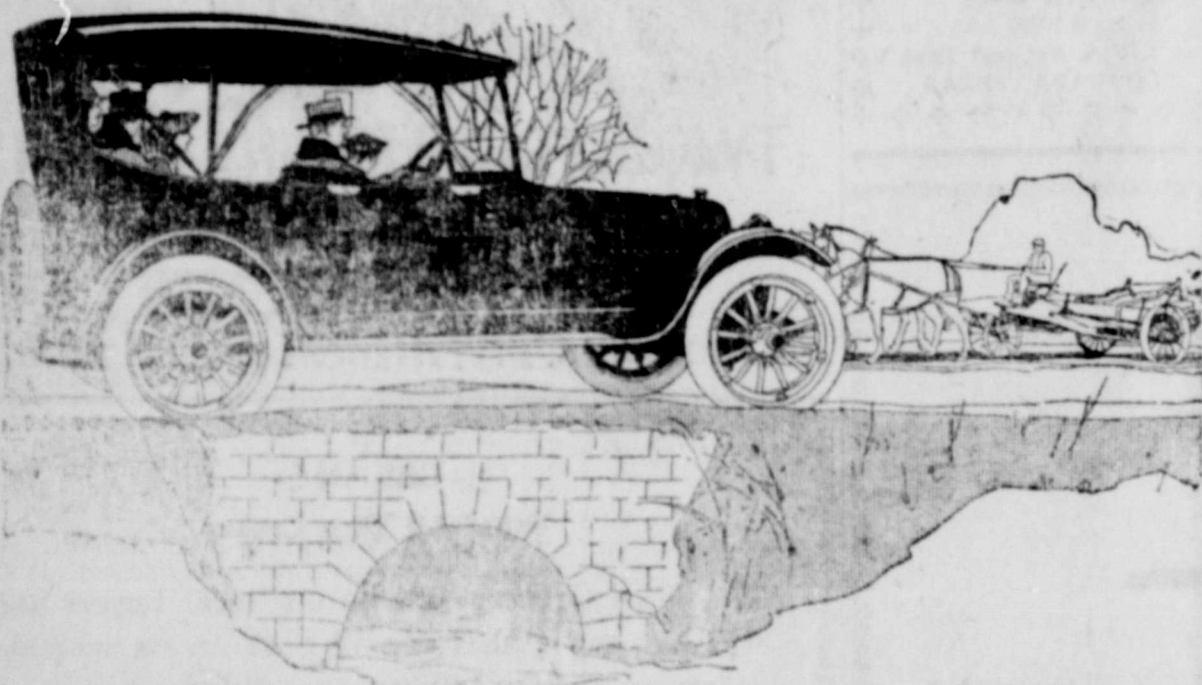
#### YOU WIN WHETHER YOU

Continue in good health, get disabled, need help or die.

Is there anything else you can do?—Yes, you can fail to start—and be sorry. Why not be glad today and make others happy in the future? Osk the Lifeman how to start. He is your friend.

## C. R. HATCHER, The Life Man

LOCKNEY TEXAS



## Sensible-Six Oaklands

We have new Sensible Six Oaklands on the floor, also one Oakland Sedan. These Oaklands are new Models and just out. See them and get yours while the getting is good.

## Car 490 Chevrolets

We have on the floor a car of 490 Chevrolets. Come and get yours. They are the car for service.

Only one Chevrolet Truck left out of our first car shipment. Get yours in the next shipment, or you can get the one now on the floor if you hurry.

## C. A. WAFFORD

grow and sold at \$2. They said if the government had kept out they might have got \$3 a bushel for their wheat.

The castor bean growers want the government to pay them for beans they did not grow through a crop failure.

Big organizations want the government to build national highways all over the country. Other organizations want the government to pay the greater part of the expense of public education.

The surviving soldiers and dependents of the dead of all wars other than the last one make a pension roll of over \$200,000,000 annually and they want more.

Everybody wants more from the government. The government wants more from the people. Everybody wants more wages, everybody wants more for clothes and household necessities.

Everybody wants the high cost of living to go down, but everybody wants all he can squeeze out of the other fellow.

That person who wrote Man wants but little here below, surely did not have the year 1920 in mind.

If there is anything lying around loose that man does not want it is because he has not seen it.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

#### LOCAL OIL COMPANY LIQUIDATE

The Plainview Oil and Gas Co., organized in Plainview more than two years ago, and which drilled two wells on its leases at Burkburnett, last week liquidated, having sold its holding to another company. The stockholders have been paid \$14.31 on the \$100 worth of stock held, thus losing \$85.69 per share on their investment. Just before the first well came in the stock was sold as high as \$150.—Plainview News.

#### TO HOLD COUNTY FAIR IN PLAINVIEW NEXT FALL

The Board of City Development at a meeting held Friday afternoon appointed a committee composed of H. S. Hilburn, W. Holbrook, and W. E. Risser, to take up the matter of holding a county fair in Plainview next fall, and to report back to another meeting of the Board.

In years before the war each fall a very creditable county fair was held. The News trusts that these annual fairs can be resumed.—Plainview News.

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### GRAPELADE

Take home with you a jar of Welch's Grapelade, the national spread, and try this for your breakfast.

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the young miss of 16 to 20 will find just the particular apparel in our ready-to-wear department she has been looking for.

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Coats, Suits and Dresses at Unusual Savings.

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groceries are better. We sell the better kind, but we **DON'T CHARGE ANY MORE.** Steady customers at small profits are the best in the long run.

#### TRY SOME OF THESE

Our Flour Our Syrup  
Our Breakfast Serials Our Coffee  
Our Breakfast Bacon  
Our Canned Goods

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### CONTRACT LET FOR THE NEW COURT HOUSE

The Commissioners' Court and Mann & Gerow, the Architects for the new Court House, have been busy this week receiving bids for contracts and material. Some of the contracts have been closed and it is thought that all of the contracts will be let by Saturday. The cost of the building will come within the estimate made by the architect. The buildings are being removed from the site and it is expected that the building will begin in about a month or six weeks. There were about fifty men here representing and submitting bids for firms from Waco and Dallas to Chicago.—Dalhart Texan.

### FEED SHORTAGE HAS NO HORROR FOR MAN WITH STORAGE

Ludwig Irbeck of Happy, Texas is a believer in more and better livestock for the Plains. While here yesterday on business Mr. Irbeck stated to a representative of The Herald that he is going to improve the livestock on his farm near Happy. He has a good herd of registered Hereford cattle, registered Percheron horses and is making rapid improvement in his herd of big bone type Poland China hogs. It will be remembered that he recently bought a fine young boar from Clark & McFarling of Hedley, Texas, for a stated consideration of 5,000. He also bought the top in the Lon Alexander sale at Childress last February an eleven-month old Poland China gilt, purchased at \$3,000 and resold to Clark & McFarling.

"I cannot worry about feed," he said yesterday, "for I have enough feed stored to last me two years. I am going to build a larger barn to care for my stock and to give me more storage room for feed."—Plainview Herald.

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## CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

You can rely on Cardui.

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All Druggists

### GROUND BROKEN FOR SOLDIERS' HOSPITAL

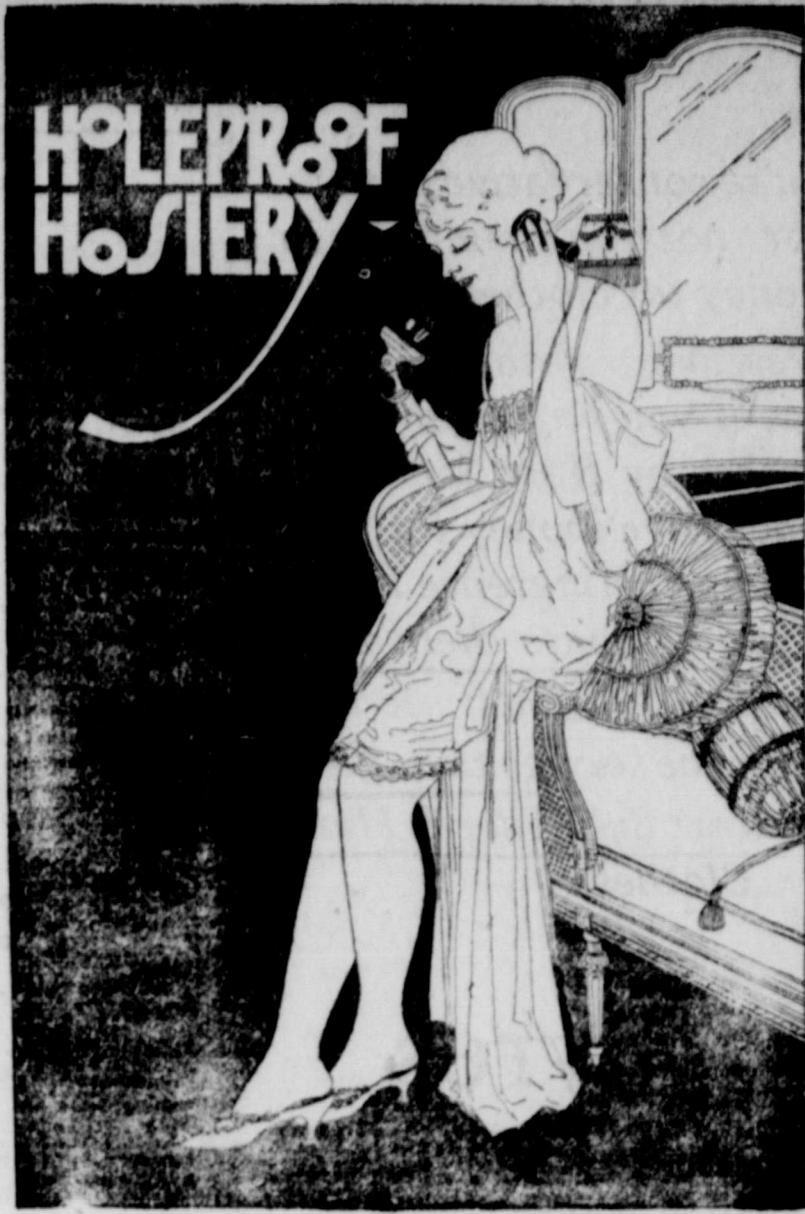
Austin, Texas, April 17.—During the week ground was broken at Kerrville for the Texas World War Memorial Hospital, which is to be built with funds raised by the Benevolent War Risk Society for the care and treatment of Texas tuberculous ex-service men, the chug of the well drill bringing the dawn of new hope for thousands of world war heroes, who for months have been fighting against the ravages of the white plague as best they could, unwilling to accept help from the Federal Government where such help meant treatment in a hospital located in some distant State far from home and loved ones.

After six months of vigorous campaigning on the part of the Benevolent War Risk Society of Texas, a fund of about \$200,000 has been raised by popular subscription, a site of 740 acres secured and a contract let by the McKenzie Construction Company of San Antonio, which concern is rushing its machinery and equipment to Kerrville and the San Antonio and Aransas Pass Railroad has agreed to complete a spur leading up to the hospital site, within the next ten days, so that building material may be placed on the grounds with the least possible delay and expense.

The first unit, which will cost approximately \$150,000 and accommodate 100 patients will consist of two large wards of thirty-two beds each and twenty bungalows of two beds each, besides an administration building, a subsistence plant, a water and sewerage disposal system, a power plant for furnishing heat and electric light to all buildings an ice factory and a laundry, equipped to care for the first quota of patients.

That the people of Texas must not think their work is done, now that the project is well under way, is the plea of Dr. C. W. Gaddard, State Health Officer and vice president of the Benevolent War Risk Society.

Texas must not quit on the home stretch. Less than half of the money needed for the completion of the sanitarium has been raised. We must have the remainder as soon as possible declared Dr. Gaddard.



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Ladies' Lusterized Lisle . . . . . 55c  
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Lockney, Texas

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City Meat Market



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It's an investment rather than a dead expense if you buy them here. All-wool clothes by Hart Schaffner & Marx. They save money for you. You won't see much difference in the price when you compare them with ordinary clothes, but you'll see lots of difference in the service they give. The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes.

### E. L. Ayres

THE HOME OF HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX

Lockney, Texas

#### OIL DEVELOPMENT

We have had no very late reports on oil developments in this section. Although the Crayolla well, near here has again resumed drilling, after getting their 20 inch casing set. The last report we had on this well, they were 300 feet down. A weeks drilling will make quite a change on these figures.—Turkey Gobbler.

#### FARMERS MEETING

There will be a farmers meeting at the McCollum hall, Saturday, May 1st, for the purpose of discussing the gin proposition of Floyd county. All farmers are requested to attend. Time 2 p. m. Come.

E. M. RANDOLPH.

## ATTENTION

Of course we all know that everything is high but some place are higher than others. If you find the H. C. L. too heavy suppose you come to us and get our prices. We can save you money and will be glad to show you hat we can. We buy our goods in sufficient quantities o get the very best prices and hen discount our bills by paying cash. Then we sell for cash eliminating all losses so we can sell for less and still make money.

We are expecting another car of Sweet Potatoes in a few days. These potatoes are fine and much cheaper han Irish potatoes. We are glad to have you come in any time. If you dont want to buy visit with us.

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My confectionery business is for sale. If you want a money making business see Mrs. Ralph Ashworth. 26-1f

**FOR SALE**—One Sunshine Washing Machine and wringer, only used 5 months, good as new.—J. H. Gruver. 27-1f

**FOR SERVICE**—Registered Big Bone Poland China male at my barn in Lockney.—Ira Broyles. 27-1f

**FOR SALE**—60 U. R. Fischal White Rock hens shipped from Hope, Ind.—F. Davenport, 9 miles northeast of Lockney. 27-1f

**FOR SALE**—One span of good work mules. See Ira Broyles. 28-1f

**FOR SALE**—Big German millet seed.—Judson Miller, phone 173-F12. 30-1f

**WANTED**—Plain sewing.—Mrs. J. B. Jarnagin. 30-1f

Don't fail to see the Big 5 in "Timothy Delanos Courtship" at Meteor School house tonight, Friday. Box supper to follow for the benefit of school. 31-1f

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I have plenty Early Jersey Wakefield cabbage plants, Early Dwarf Champion and Early Acme Tomato plants at 50c a hundred. Come down and get them fresh out of pit.—C. E. Wells. 31-1f

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**LINE CAR**—Lockney to Plainview every Sunday morning. Will leave Home Cafe every Sunday morning at 7 o'clock and meet morning trains.—C. E. Turner. 29-1f

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And if you want to take up the old linoleum and put down new linoleum we have jus received a shipment of some very pretty patterns and we will take up the old and put down the new for you and make no charge for this service. We will also hang your window shades for you.

We have added a Truck to our business and can now make prompt deliveries and will render you any service possible as we have extra help for this specific purpose.

When you are in need of Hardware or Furniture gove us a chance to figure your bill. We will try to save you money and we will deliver the goods any distance without any extra charge.

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LOCKNEY,

TEXAS

**FOR SALE**—Two Ford Touring Cars and one Ford Truck. Three 2-row sod planters, 1 large new DeLaval cream separator, and 1 small Sharless separator, 20 head of red shoats weighing about 100 pounds, 30 good work horses. See F. Davenport 9 miles northeast of Lockney. 27-1f

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**FOR SALE**—Bargain price on thoroughbred Duroc Jerseys. Service males \$30, Pigs \$15, shoats \$20. These prices good till May 15th. Pedigree furnished free.—E. T. Pruitt. 31-3f

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**TO OUR CUSTOMERS**—If you cannot pay up the first of every month get your goods from Artie Baker or Zeb Reed.—Theo. Griffith. 31-1f

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following for county, precinct, state and district offices, subject to the action of the democratic primaries:

For District Attorney:

Charles Clements,  
Austin Hatchell.

For District and County Clerk:

Miss Lola Walling.

For Tax Assessor:

D. I. Bolding,  
W. I. Allen.

Floyd Ewing,  
Haden Harris.

For County Judge:

John Howard,  
Tom W. Down.

For County Attorney:

A. P. McKinnon.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

J. A. Grigsby,  
T. B. Hill.

For County Treasurer:

Mrs. Lillie Britton.

For Commissioner Precinct 1:

G. F. Rigdon.

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:

Dewey Floyd,  
Charley Galleghy.

L. A. Cooper.

For County Surveyor:

G. A. Elder.

For Constable Precinct No. 2:

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