

Lockney Beacon

FLOYD COUNTY LEADS ALL WEST TEXAS IN VALUE OF CROPS PRODUCED. LOCKNEY IS IN THE HEART OF THE BEST FARMING SECTION OF THE PLAINS, AND IN THE GREAT SHALLOW WATER BELT

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LOCKNEY MERCHANTS IN TRADE DRIVE

\$1,000 WILL BE GIVEN AWAY BY MERCHANTS OF TOWN IN EFFORT TO INCREASE TERRITORY.

At a meeting of the business men last Friday it was decided to give away \$1,000 in cash premiums to the people of the Lockney country in a drive to extend the trade territory of the town and to stimulate trading in trades day will be held the third immediate territory.

A trades day will be held the third Monday in each month, and on these days there will be a free auctioneer that will auction off to the highest bidder anything the farmers bring to town on that day to sell, also there will be free band concerts, free picture shows, and various other free entertainments, as special programs will be arranged for each third Monday.

It is the intention of the merchants of the town to make a big drive to bring the trade to the town, and nothing will be left undone in order to bring the business here.

The Beacon has just printed 6,000 double-page circulars for the business men announcing the plan for the distribution of the premiums, and the local business men are busy this week distributing these circulars, and expect to personally place one of the circulars in the hands of every farmer in the county and the counties that border on Floyd county.

JOHN CARTHOL WON RADIO

John Carthol won the radio given away by A. J. White & Company, he having the key that unlocked the lock.

CHILDREN COMING ON VISIT

Mrs. W. D. Long has just received a letter from her daughter in New York and Souix City, Iowa, that they will be here for a visit in a short while Miss Mabel Long, who has been in a hospital in New York, is able to be out now, and as soon as she is able to travel, will start for home accompanied by her sister, Mrs. H. L. Boyle and son. They will be joined on their arrival here by Mrs. Sam Webb of Souix City, Iowa, and all will visit with their mother for some time.

STICKS NAIL IN HEEL.

Gid Waller, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Waller, stuck an eight penny nail in one of his heels Wednesday morning, it penetrating the heel about 2 inches, and it was necessary for his mother to use a pair of pliers in order to pull the nail out.

Miss Ethel Cochran left Saturday for Denver, Colo., to spend some time on a vacation.

56 GALLONS OF FLIES CAUGHT

FLY CAMPAIGN GROWS IN INTEREST AND LOCKNEY IS BEING RID OF PEST.

The fly campaign is growing in interest every day now in Lockney, and many new boys are bringing in flies to Mr. Truett at the City Drug Store. Up to this morning 56 gallons and 4 pint of flies had been brought in.

The boys are receiving 5c per pint for the flies, and the three boys bringing in the three largest numbers of flies by the 15th of September will receive prizes for same. The first prize will be \$15, second prize \$10, and third prize \$5.

Below is the standing of the contestants to date:

	Gal.	Pints
Roy Jarnigan	17	2
Ruel Cook	7	4
Virgil Bennett	7	4
Geo. Snappa	6	7
Alton Green	5	1
Buster Broyles	3	1
Allen Duncan	3	1
Hal Kester	1	6
Gerald Sams	1	
Wayne Greer	1	
Chas. Cowart	7	
Warren Rivers	3	
Aubrey McCarty	2	
Edwin Rook Tucker	2	
Oliver Folkner	1	
Total	56	1

"THE CHOCOLATE BOYS FROLIC"

BIG MINSTREL SHOW FOR BENEFIT OF BAND MONDAY AND TUESDAY NIGHTS

Miss Elizabeth Howell, of Greenville, Texas, manager of the Lone Star Producing Co., is in the city, arranging a home talent minstrel show, "The Chocolate Boys Frolic," to be presented at the high school auditorium next Monday and Tuesday nights, June 29th and 30th.

Miss Howell comes highly recommended from other towns over the country, where she has put on home talent plays lately, and we think the play she is to put on here will be worth the time and money expended.

The minstrel will be put on under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce, and the proceeds will go to the fund to sustain the band in Lockney. There are twenty-one men and fifteen girls in the minstrel, and the program calls for lots of fun, singing, dancing, etc., and the prices of admission will be 50c for adults and 25c for children.

The proceeds of the show will go to a worthy cause, the band in Lockney needs more funds and the Chamber of Commerce employed Miss Howell as they thought this would be a good way to raise funds for the band. Every man, woman and child should turn out to this minstrel and help boost for the band.

In this issue of the Beacon we are printing a booster sheet for "The Chocolate Boys Frolic," be sure to read it and be on hand at the show.

PLAINVIEW LEGION PLANS CELEBRATION

PLAINVIEW, June 20.—The Ray Blakemore Post of the American Legion at Plainview will sponsor a Fourth of July celebration at Plainview this year.

Committees on general arrangements have been named and the work of preparing for a mammoth celebration with suitable entertainment features will begin at once.

On the same date, Plainview will be host to the district meeting of the Association of Rural Mail Carriers of the Eighteenth Congressional District. Special entertainment for these visitors will be furnished.

TENT MEETING BEGUN IN LOCKNEY.

A tent has been erected on the vacant lots just east of Woodridge Lumber Co., in Lockney, and Messrs. O. J. Taylor and J. C. Noteboom are conducting a series of meetings. They state they preach "Jesus Only in Sincerity, as Saviour, Lord and Example, for all."

Everyone is invited to attend the services which are held each evening at 8:30 o'clock.

FLOYDADA BOOSTERS TO BE HERE TOMORROW

Advertising Legion Picnic and Barbecue to be Held in Floydada on July 3rd and 4th.

The excursion of Floydada Boosters who are making a two days' trip, advertising the American Legion picnic and barbecue to be held in Floydada on Friday and Saturday, July 3rd and 4th, will arrive in Lockney about six o'clock tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, for about a thirty minute stay.

There will be about 100 in the party, including a band. There will be some souvenirs for the children given away by the boosters.

COMMISSIONERS TO SIT AS BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

The Commissioners' Court of Floyd County will sit as a Board of Equalization on Monday, June 29th, when who have been notified to appear and they will meet citizens of the County give reason why their property renditions should not be raised.

A total of some 25 property owners in the entire county have been notified of intention to raise the valuation.

A. P. Barker has gone to Sweetwater for a few days, which he will spend at the Grogan Wells, for his health. Mrs. Barker and son, Arthur, Jr., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Henry in Floydada, while Mr. Barker is away.

LIGHTNING KILLS CHESTER WILSON

14 YEAR OLD SON OF MR. AND MRS. O. V. WILSON KILLED BY BOLT.

Chester, the 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Wilson, who live on the Jack Meyer place, six miles east of Lockney, was instantly killed about 7 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, by a bolt of lightning.

The little boy had went to the toilet, and the family was sitting on the porch at their home, when the lightning struck, Mrs. Wilson said to Mr. Wilson "You reckon that got Chester," to which Mr. Wilson replied: "I guess not," but Mrs. Wilson in a moment went out to see, and found the body of the boy crumpled down in the toilet, dead and his clothing on fire, she extinguished the fire badly burning her hands in doing so. The boy's clothing was burned off to his waist, his hair was singed, and the cap which he wore was tore to pieces and burned. The boy's body was badly burned, the lightning striking him on the left side of the head and going down his left side and left leg.

Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist Church in Lockney Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. C. J. McCarty, and interment was in the Lockney cemetery following.

The deceased leaves his mother and father and two sisters, ages 16 and 5 years old. He is a nephew of J. C. Wilson, who lives east of Lockney.

O. V. Wilson and family came here last fall from Johnson county.

DAGLEY & COUNTS BUY COZY CAFE

Avy Dagey and Hugh Counts have purchased the Cozy Cafe from E. L. Marshall, and have taken charge of the business. Mr. Counts is an experienced restaurant man and has been connected with the Cozy Cafe in time past as cook.

Mr. Marshall and family will leave this week for Louisville, Ky., for a visit of some time.

TWO CONTRACTS FOR SCHOOLS LET IN FLOYD COUNTY

Contracts were let recently to local contractors for two new rural school buildings in Floyd County, one to be at McCoy district, the other at Blanco, both in the southwest part of the county. In line with the substantial development of the county, these buildings will be of brick, and of attractive design, and are needed badly, to take care of the increased scholastics.

School elections for four other districts also have been called, to vote bonds for the erection of more and better buildings, which will make Floyd county practically 100 per cent brick buildings for their rural schools.

DON'T WANT HARVEST HANDS IN KANSAS AND NEBRASKA

May we ask that you discourage prospective harvest laborers seeking information through you as to employment opportunities in the Big Wheat Belt, from starting to the harvest in these states, this year was fully ten days earlier than normal, and is now full blast. This was caused by the intense heat and the dry weather which ripened the grain prematurely.

This condition made it necessary for us to recruit additional labor for immediate use, and we believe that there are sufficient men at work in the fields of Kansas and Oklahoma today, or on the way to the fields, to meet all labor demands of these states.

Moreover, the releases from Kansas will take care of Nebraska. A surplus of men in these states would work a hardship on the men already there and those coming at this late date.

It is not impossible that when the harvest starts in the Dakotas and Montana more men may be needed. We will keep you informed as to the progress of the harvest by frequent bulletins which will be mailed you.

Geo. E. Tucker, Director Farm Labor Division.

Mrs. W. W. McDuffee and Mr. and Mrs. Eucl McDuffee of near Lorenzo, spent Sunday in the Erick community visiting Howard Elliott and family and W. H. McDuffee and family.

FIRST LOAD 1925 WHEAT SATURDAY

LOCKNEY COAL & GRAIN CO. RECEIVES LOAD OF WHEAT FROM JIM WHITELY.

The first load of 1925 wheat was received in Lockney Saturday by the Lockney Coal & Grain Co., and brought in by Jim Whitely, who lives twenty miles north of Lockney. Mr. Whitely will harvest about 6,000 bushels of wheat this year, and his crop will average about 15 bushels to the acre.

The price paid for the wheat was \$1.20 per bushel, and a premium of \$20 was given by the Lockney Coal & Grain Co., for the first load. The wheat tested 67 pounds to the bushel.

The harvest in the Lockney country is just now beginning, and although the harvest as a whole will be about one third of an acre crop, there will be some good yields in the country, and it is thought the crop will be far more than most of the people believe it to be.

FIRST CAR OF WHEAT MOVED.

The first car of wheat to go over the Santa Fe branch line this year, was shipped Wednesday by the Lockney Coal & Grain Co., from Lockney. Burton Thornton states he believes it to be the first car to move from this section of the country and possibly the first car shipped from south of Amarillo.

JOINT RAIL PERMIT HEARING SUGGESTED

Texas Board to Join Hearings at Plainview on July 20 Suggested.

AUSTIN, June 17.—The Texas Railroad Commission will join the hearing applications for permits to Interstate Commerce Commission to build three railroads in the Texas Panhandle, it was announced Wednesday by C. V. Terrell, acting chairman.

The Texas body has suggested the hearings be held at Plainview, July 20, on application of the Fort Worth and Denver City, South Plains, Carey to Dimmitt, and from Silverton to Lubbock; the Pecos and Santa Fe to build from Plainview to Dimmitt, and from Luder to Silverton. The cases will be heard together.

FORT WORTH, June 17.—The Fort Worth and Denver City railway is agreeable to the suggestion of C. V. Terrell, member of the Texas Railroad Commission, that the Santa Fe the Texas Panhandle and Gulf, and the Denver lines take their arguments before the Interstate Commerce Commission in regard to the construction of new railroads or extensions to West Texas.

All three of the lines are asking for permission to make extensions and it seems unlikely that all of their petitions can be allowed by the commission. The competition that would be thus created would have a good effect, it is believed.

Garland Glenn Holland Dead.

Garland Glenn, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Holland, age 1 year, 5 months and 24 days, died at the family home, in the northern part of Lockney, early Wednesday morning of pneumonia.

Funeral services were conducted at the Lockney cemetery this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, by Rev. C. J. McCarty, pastor of the Baptist church, and interment followed in the Lockney cemetery.

WEBSTER—DAVIS.

Miss Ollie B. Davis, stenographer at the First National Bank, and Mr. Robert Webster of this city, were married in Crosbyton, Texas, Sunday afternoon, June 14, at 8:30 o'clock.

They will make Lockney their home. The many friends of the young people wish them much happiness in their married life.

J. B. Downs has gone to Denver, Colo., to spend several days visiting Mrs. Downs, and his daughter, and most especially to see his little granddaughter. Mr. Downs says he has been on the job in Lockney for 17 years without a vacation or fishing trip, and that he decided to take a few days off and go to Colorado.

ONE INCH RAIN TUESDAY NIGHT

GOOD RAIN FELL OVER LOCKNEY COUNTRY THAT WILL BENEFIT GROWING CROPS

A good rain of one inch fell over the Lockney country Tuesday night, and light showers fell during the day Wednesday. The rain only extended about 7 or 8 miles to the southeast of town, there being no rain fall at Floydada, according to person who came in from that direction, but the rainfall to the north, east and west was general over a good large strip of country, and in some places as much as two inches of rain was reported.

The rain coming at this time was worth lots of money to the Lockney country, as while we were not needing rain in some places, and could have gotten along very well without it for a week longer in most places, the rain at this time puts the crops in the very best of shape, and gives us a very bright prospect for a real bumper crop of cotton and feed.

The cotton crop is all up at this time and is growing very rapidly, the acreage is large this year, and in most instances the stand of cotton is good, and the cotton crop of Floyd county this year bids fair to reach the 40,000 bale mark, or maybe better. The feed crop will also be large and as there will be a shortage of feed in the state, the price of feed is going to be high, and the feed crop of this country is going to be an extra big money crop this year.

The timely rains that have fallen over the Lockney country this year have put everything in the very best shape for a banner crop year. We have a good under season in the ground and the light showers make the moisture meet, which keeps the crop growing by leaps and bounds.

WOMAN KILLED AT CAERENDON WHEN TRAIN HITS CAR

Husband is Injured in Fatal Crash Monday Afternoon.

CLARENDON, June 22.—Mrs. Whit Calcote, 20, was instantly killed, and her husband was seriously injured this afternoon, when Fort Worth and Denver passenger train No. 9, due here at 7:30 o'clock, crashed into their automobile at a grade crossing, one half mile west of the passenger station. Mrs. Calcote's head was crushed and death was instantaneous, while Mr. Calcote suffered several fractured ribs, a broken arm and other injuries. It is not believed Mr. Calcote's injuries will prove fatal.

The Calcotes are farmers residing at Brice, sixteen miles south of Clarendon. They had been to Plainview and were returning home, when the tragedy occurred.

Mrs. Calcote's body is being prepared for burial, but arrangements for the funeral are awaiting advice from relatives.

The victims of the accident were traveling in the same direction of the train when they approached the railroad crossing and apparently did not hear the warning whistling, according to witnesses who were following the car into Clarendon. Mr. and Mrs. Calcote were rushed to the city in an ambulance.

The passenger train stopped when the crash came, and the train crew and passengers rendered whatever aid they could. Conductor B. G. Tiffany of Amarillo, had charge of the train, with Engineer Ed Hartsell of Fort Worth, and Fireman J. D. Yokley on the engine.

C. L. Anderson and family returned Sunday for a vacation trip of several days spent down in the coast country. C. L. states that the Mosquitoes are not bad down in that section this year as it has been so long since it rained that they starved to death for water and there is not enough water for breeding places. C. L. says the Plains country is the garden spot of all Texas this year, and that crops are not good anywhere he went down in the state.

Clyde Bennett was brought home Friday from the Plainview Sanitarium, where he underwent an operation several days ago for rupture. Clyde seems to be getting along very well and is able to come to town in a car.

GRASSHOPPERS COMING ON PLAINS

COUNTY AGENT GIVES FORMULA FOR KILLING HOPPERS IF THEY BOTHER CROPS

County Agent, T. Scott Wilson, informs us that grasshoppers are reported in the southeastern part of the county along the caprock and canyon, and that the farmers should be ready to combat this nuisance should they fear the spread of the grasshoppers, as in some sections of the state grasshoppers have been reported in such quantities that they totally destroy the cotton and feed crops.

Below we give the formula given us by Mr. Wilson for the poisoning of 25 lbs. wheat bran.

1-2 gallon cane syrup.
4 oranges or lemons.
Mix well.
If more than the above amount is needed, increase the formula in proportion.
If you desire to kill black bugs you can do so by using the above formula and adding to it 1-2 ounce of anise oil.

RUBY LEE BAKER INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

Rear End Collision Throws Little Girl Against Windshield Cutting Her Face.

What came near being a serious accident happened near the Beacon office today, just after noon, when the cars belonging to Mrs. R. W. Long and Mrs. Frank Busby collided. Both cars had started to Plainview, and had started west on Locust street, the electric lineman was at work on the wires leading from the corner opposite the Beacon office to the Beacon office, stringing new wires, and had dropped the old wire across the street. Mrs. Long was in front of the Busby car with her car, when she saw the wire laying across the road and stopped, the occupants of the Busby car failed to stop or turn and ran into the rear of the Long car, throwing Ruby Lee Baker against the windshield and cutting her face, the windshield was shattered into many pieces. The cuts on the little girl are considered minor, and it is thought no bad results will come of them. The Busby car radiator and lights were smashed, but no damage was done to Mrs. Long's car. None of the other occupants of the car were hurt.

Jim Shepard and wife of Clayton, N. M., were here the past week visiting Mrs. Shepard's mother, Mrs. A. Ford, and other relatives.

SENATOR LADD DIES IN BALTIMORE

NORTH DAKOTA SOLON PASSES AWAY FROM COMPLICATION OF ILLNESS.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 22.—Sen. Edwin Fremont Ladd of North Dakota, died here at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

Senator Ladd passed away quietly, retaining consciousness almost to the last. Mrs. Ladd arrived from Washington one hour before the end came and was at the bedside with Milton, one of the sons, and his daughter, Virginia.

Senator Ladd, while apparently realizing the end was near, aroused to greet them when they entered his room. The end came rapidly after their arrival. Douglas H. MacArthur, the senator's secretary who entered the room a few minutes after Mrs. Ladd was not recognized by the senator.

The senator went to the hospital about ten days ago for neuritis and rheumatism and kidney trouble developed recently. It was not generally known here that he was ill until his condition began to grow serious.

Senator Ladd, past his 66th year had been one of the most active members of the senate and members of his family had feared for some time that the strain upon him would break his strength.

Edwin Fremont Ladd was a native of Maine and a citizen of North Dakota.

LADY WINDEMERE'S FAN

A PLAY IN FOUR ACTS BY OSCAR WILDE

PRESENTED BY PAULINE STEVENSON

Cast of Characters.

Lady Windemere	A "Good" Woman
Mrs. Erylne	A Woman of the World
Duchess of Berwick	Who Never Talks Scandal
Lady Agatha Carlyle	A Clever Girl
Lady Plymdale	A Society Woman
Lord Windemere	Lady Windemere's husband
Lord Darlington	who can resist everything but temptation.
Lord Augustus Lorton	Who Believes Everybody
Cecil Graham, Mr. Dumby	Friends of Darlington

SYNOPSIS

Place: Act I and II—Lord Windemere's Home in London.
 Act III—Lord Darlington's Apartments.
 Act IV.—Same as Act I.

Time—The Present

LONE STAR SCHOOL HOUSE SATURDAY NIGHT, JUNE 27TH

Given for Benefit of Home Economics.

PRICES 15c and 25c

The Lockney Beacon

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

H. B. ADAMS, Editor and Owner

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION

One year	\$1.50
Six months	.75
Three months	.40
Cash in advance	

All advertising matter will be run until ordered out, unless otherwise arranged. All advertising charged by the week. All bills payable first of each month.

WILL INAUGURATE A REAL TRADES DAY

Lockney is to have a real monthly trade day. A certain day in each month will be set aside for trades day, and on this day arrangements should be made for the farmers to bring to town everything that they have for sale, such as farm implements, stock, hogs, furniture, and all other articles about the place that they desired to dispose of, and sell such stuff to the highest bidder at public auction. The local Chamber of Commerce have secured the services of an auctioneer for this one day each month. The merchants of the town will put on special inducements for the purpose of getting the people to come to Lockney on this special day, and will give premiums.

We will have a regular monthly trades day in Lockney, and we should make an effort to get the people here and make the trades day and every other day a big day for Lockney. More than that we should have an annual picnic, we should have entertainment here on trades day for the people and free ice water and resting places, where the people could go, sit down and rest when they become tired and are through with their days business. All these things will help solve the trade proposition in Lockney, and will cause a friendlier and closer relation between the business men and the farmers of this section of the country. The sooner you come to realize the above facts the sooner you will see your business expand and your volume grow so that you can sell for a smaller profit and yet make more money.

There is not a business man in Lockney that is not worked out of \$5 to \$100 a month on some kind of a fake advertising scheme, such as school curtains, hotel registers, restaurant menus, wall boards, church directories, etc., and they are merely throwing this money to the wind, for the class of people this advertising appeals to are not looking for the things that is generally advertised on them. How much is a meat market or grocery advertisement worth on a hotel register or restaurant menu? How much is any kind

of advertisement worth on a church directory? People never think about a church directory except on Sunday morning, nor never go to a restaurant or hotel except when they want to eat and sleep, and they are not studying about buying groceries, meats, dry goods, etc., when they are filling up their stomachs or taking a snooze. If merchants would cut out the graft schemes—turn them flat down—and look to the more legitimate and proved lines of advertising such as newspapers, circulars and personal advertising, they would save themselves many dollars in money and get far better and more results from the money they spend and charge to their advertising accounts. Newspaper advertising has proved that it is the best way to reach the people—men who has spent millions of dollars in advertising and have made a perfect success of their business agree that newspaper advertising gets the best and most profitable results, and many of the large national advertisers are today cutting out all other forms of advertising. If men who have studied the advertising proposition from every angle and have found that in advertising the newspaper has no competitor worthy of consideration, then why not the man who has little money to advertise with, and cannot afford to waste it on scheme advertising, should give full consideration to the kind of advertising medium that will get the best results. The newspaper goes into the home, the subscriber puts the paper in his pocket when he receives it at the postoffice and carries it home, every member of the family old enough to read it looks the paper over and reads the news and advertising in it, and some member in each family will notice every item printed in the newspaper, and various conversations are held in the family circle concerning the things that they have read in the paper, therefore the merchant who advertises in the local newspapers gets the attention of every member of the family and practically every family of the community, as there are few families in any community that do not read their local newspaper, and if they are not subscribers to the paper they borrow the paper from their neighbor and read it just the same. Circulars are the next best advertising medium and if well got up and the appeal to the person who receives them, they are of some value, but in distributing circulars there is not more than a third on an average that ever reach their destination. The man who receives a circular or circular letter out of the post office, if it does not appeal to him, generally throws it into the waste can, and his wife and family never has an opportunity to see it. The circular that is delivered in the home, and if it does not appeal to the housewife, it is stuck in the stove and burned up and the balance of the family fails to see it. The newspaper is the only advertising medium that appeals to the entire family, and the

reason is that nearly every newspaper has something in it that is of interest to every member of the family. To properly draw the trade of the Lockney country to Lockney and to keep them here you will sooner of later find that the best way to do it is to sell them through the Lockney Beacon of what you have to offer them in well defined and arranged advertisements run in our local columns each week. It is the man that gives his advertising some thought and attention that gets the best results and makes the greatest success.

There should be a move started by the City Council for a clean-up day in Lockney. We don't mean by Clean-up day just to ask the citizens to chop the weeds and clean-up about their homes, the city should head the possession by cutting all the weeds out of the streets and bar-pits of the town and then when the people get all the weeds and trash already away around their premises we would have a clean town. Cleanliness in a town makes a favorable impression on tourist, homeseekers and immigrants, and causes a town to build up. A little paint on a good many houses in the town would also be a paying investment. There isn't anything that will add to the value and beauty of a home more than to be well painted and well kept. Let every home owner do their best to make his home prettier than the home of his neighbor. Friendly rivalry does more to build good towns than most anything else.

AMUNDSON RETURNS SAFELY TO KING'S BAY Landed 120 Miles From Pole and Turned Back With Damaged Plane

COPENHAGEN, June 18.—Captain Roald Amundson, his American associate, Lincoln Ellsworth, and their party of polar explorers have returned safely to King's Bay, Spitzbergen.

The wildest sort of enthusiasm swept over Scandinavia Thursday night as the people of the North celebrated the safe return of the Amundson party. Restaurants in Copenhagen and Oslo were crowded with persons gathered to observe the great occasion.

A hint of the welcome that is to be Amundson's when he returns to Oslo was contained in the greeting he received when he arrived in King's Bay. All the inhabitants of that community were there to meet him.

Amundson descended to the ice at a point 180 kilometers (120 miles) from the North Pole, according to information reaching Director Tommessen, of the Norwegian Aircraft association. Amundson descended at that point to make observation and one plane was damaged there.

Apparently floating ice prevented Amundson from walking to the pole. Daugard Jensen, royal chief administrator of Greenland, told the United News Thursday night.

"That left him with two choices; to fly the last 180 kilometers, leaving part of his crew behind him, or to preserve his crew and give up the pole. Amundson chose the latter, esteeming life more than fame.

"I understand that Amundson will fly toward the pole again shortly." Another Arctic expert, Laugé Kock, told the United News that Amundson failed to reach the pole because his planes were too heavy. Kock is the man who mapped Greenland. He is planning an Arctic expedition in company with Professor Hobbs of the University of Michigan.

"Amundson landed too far from the pole," Kock said, "but he re-established himself as an explorer and should be able to finance a fresh attempt at the pole. His planes were too heavy. His pilots should have been mechanics competent to make repairs."

Twenty-eight anxious days have elapsed since Roald Amundson, Lincoln Ellsworth and their four companions soared toward the pole in two American planes—the N-25, and the N-24—bound for as great an adventure as can come to mortal man. They are back now, their story will be told. As Amundson returned to his base an American, Donald MacMillan, was moving northward.

Amundson spent nearly a month of patient waiting at King's Bay, Spitzbergen, on the edge of the Arctic circle, waiting for auspicious weather conditions before he gave the word that put his third air attempt against the pole in motion. Before that had been a year of careful preparation and tedious endeavors to raise money, the latter finally was accompanied by Lincoln Ellsworth.

ECZEMA

Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTY SKIN DISEASE REMEDY (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fail in the treatment of Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk. For sale by Stewart Drug Co. Lockney, Texas.

THE PASSING DAY

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Accepting Outside Business.

A small town newspaper publisher writes to ask if he should accept an annual advertising contract of considerable size from a large mail order house. Why not? Is there a merchant in the town who would refuse to accept business from a neighboring town or city? Hardly. The newspaper is a business enterprise, and while it works for the interests of its community, it is under no obligation to refuse business solely for the reason that to accept it may cause some people in the community to trade elsewhere. Business of every kind must stand on its own merits and must meet whatever competition comes. If it can not do that, it has no right to exist. The mail order houses would not be able to make large inroads on local trade if the local business concerns were just as energetic and would put forth the effort to get and hold trade.

Business Cannot Be Subordinated to Public.

Why is it that so many people do not think of a newspaper as a business dependent for its existence on its earnings? There is no other business in the community that can live on sentiment or that allows sentiment to enter largely into its affairs. All business must be run on business methods consistent with the public good, but no business should be expected to subordinate its affairs entirely to the public. You say, "The newspaper is a public institution and should work for its town." That is true within certain limitations; so is the hotel business a public business that should be conducted in the interest of its town. Conventions have come to be regarded as great factors in building up towns, but who expects the hotels to entertain convention guests free through sentiment for their communities? Why expect so much free service from the press?

Texas Loses Great Educator.

Dr. W. B. Bizzell, who has for a number of years been the successful president of the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, has accepted the presidency of the University of Oklahoma. He is of the type of men that Texas can poorly afford to lose even to a sister state like Oklahoma. It would be interesting to know just the motive that prompted Dr. Bizzell to leave Texas, for it is well known that he loves the state devotedly. Perhaps it would be learned that his personal feelings and his own interests waged a hard conflict before the decision was finally made, and that he left to get free of an incessant effort to secure sufficient funds from legislatures and executives to conduct the kind of a school that he knows Texas needs. It is humiliating for educators to be always in the attitude of supplicants for support, and no educator can do his best work with a mind so humiliated.

Not So Bad in Texas.

When we feel like complaining of the heat we should compare conditions here with those in Illinois, New York and other Northern and Eastern states, where hundreds have been dying from the heat, where business has almost been stopped, and where the suffering is intense. There have been few days in this section when a person could not be reasonably comfortable in the shade and no nights when there has not been a cooling south breeze. Death and illness from heat are almost unknown here. There is no need to leave Texas in search of a better climate. If you feel the need of rest by the seaside, Texas has several hundred miles of as fine beach as the world affords; if you yearn for mountain resorts, Texas affords all the mountain climate one could desire. Stay in Texas and keep comfortable.

Fitting Themselves for Life.

All over Texas, despite the summer weather, students are registering as never before for summer school studies. The writer has seen a few thousand of these as they have patiently waited in line at the University of Texas to be given official authority to make the sacrifices necessary to better fit themselves for life work. An earnest, ambitious line of men and women they were, many of the number themselves teachers, anxious to become more efficient instructors. Most of the students of the long session are sent to school by their parents, most of the summer school body go to school at their own expense, many of them spending hard-earned money. Take your hat off to the summer school students; they deserve your respect and admiration.

Give Cotton Your Care.

The cotton crop in Texas is in poor condition, and in some parts of the state farmers are despairing of making any cotton. If you are a farmer and have a growing crop, work it in a way to get the largest returns from it, for the prospects are that cotton will be valuable at harvest. Remember that those who last year made the best returns were those who plowed their crops now. They did not stop when the weather became dry, but kept plowing. Keep plowing and count your increased gain at harvest.

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Personal Mention

Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Reed went to Seminole on business Monday.
Prof. W. D. Biggers and family were down from McLean, Texas, over Sunday.
Darwin Brewster spent last week in Lubbock visiting with Verne Dillard and family.
Bill Shearer has gone to Raton, N. M., where he has accepted a position in a barber shop.
Verne Dillard and family of Lubbock have been here this week visiting the Brewster families.
Mrs. W. D. Long spent a few days this week in Floydada visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bert Barker.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sanders of Portales, N. M., were here last week visit-

ing Gilbert Bean and family.
Mrs. Dewey Floyd was carried to the Plainview Sanitarium for an examination Saturday of last week.
Mrs. Z. T. Riley and Mrs. Lois Sanford were down from Canyon Sunday visiting with Mr. Riley and other relatives.
Mrs. J. R. Fox and son of Dalhart, spent Sunday in Lockney visiting Artie Baker and family, and other friends.
Mrs. E. C. Cox has been quite ill at her home in Lockney for more than a week. She is reported some better at this time.
Frank Graham, who has been here visiting from McGregor, likes the country so well that he will probably locate in Lockney.
Mrs. J. H. Brooks and daughters, Vendell and Lyndell and Arch Dobbins left Sunday for Winters to visit relatives for several days.
Roscoe Braswell and family of the oil fields north of Wichita Falls, are here this week, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Braswell.
Miss Roberta Barber, accompanied by Miss Mitchell of Plainview, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barber. Miss Roberta is attending summer school at Wayland College.
Otho Lowe and wife, of San Jon, N. M., were here several days the past week visiting Mr. Lowe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lowe, Sr. Mr. Lowe is cashier of the First National Bank at San Jon.
Z. T. Riley and Otis Harris and wife went to Canyon Saturday to visit with Mr. Riley's family, who are living in Canyon during the summer term of school at the West Texas Teachers College.
Miss Verna Walters and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham and son, Frank, Jr., of McGregor, Texas, have been here the past week visiting their uncle, Z. T. Riley, and family. They went from here to Canyon to visit

with Mrs. Riley and other relatives at that place.
Mr. Shortle, vice-president of the Delta and Pine Land Development Co. of Memphis, Tennessee, was here Monday on business with Baker Mercantile Co. Mr. Shortle represents a firm who has the largest cotton plantation in the world, and sell a large amount of cotton seed over the country. Baker Mercantile Co. have been handling some of their seed.
Mr. and Mrs. Jake Griffith, Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Patterson and son, Joe, Lee Griffith, Weldon Logan, Joe Neeley, Irene Ritchey, Elva Johnson, Wanda Steinbough, Clifford Kester and possibly others went to Amarillo Tuesday to attend the Annual Assembly of the Northwest Texas Conference of Epworth League, which is in session at that place all this week.
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PROGRAM

"THE CHOCOLAT BOYS FROLIC"

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The Chamber of Commerce of Lockney are making splendid progress on their Minstrel Attraction, THE CHOCOLATE BOYS FROLIC, and rehearsals each afternoon and evening reveals, very conspicuously that the production will be the most finished and polished entertainment ever staged by local aspirants of the "Burnt Cork."

The Production is directed by Miss Elizabeth Howell, manager of the Lone Star Producing Co., of Greenville, Texas, and the entire proceeds will go to the Lockney Band. Miss Howell furnishes all scenery and costumes and you may expect the most professional like show Monday and Tuesday evenings at the High School Auditorium, eight thirty, p. m.

Such a mammoth fun-manufacturing production of the minstrel variety has never before been witnessed in this city, and the cast of The Chocolate Boys Frolic is composed of Lockney people exclusively and contains a host of celebrities who have "Made" the minstrel behind the amateur foot-lights before. The Minstrel first part auspiciously opens with a lively chorus entitled "The Chocolate Boys Frolic," which consist of 21 locale male voices, six end men and 15 white face characters including the interlocutor, and the last part comes to a climax with a fitting and picturesque oriental scene, which furnishes variety a plenty with a monologue and a special curtain skit between the first and second parts.

In the course of the first part there will be rendered inspiring and beautiful ballads by local singers and also a quartet; new and funny jokes by the end men, sizzling cross-fire gab and a goodly portion of novel and laughable comedy songs, which combined furnishes fun and frolic for all. While in the oriental scene the participants will be attired in the customary regalia of the orient, such a gorgeous setting is extremely charming and relishing, being unprecedented in artistic arrangements of this variety in Lockney.

The second part will be a real negro crap game grave-yard ghost and skeletons. This part always gives you a thrill and when the skeleton bones fly about you'll have that sneaky and creepy feeling up and down your spine but you will go away humming "De' Ghostly Blues."

Miss Howell, the director says that the talent of Lockney is very unusual and that the show here next Monday and Tuesday nights would be a credit to a much larger town. Every member of the cast is cooperating with Miss Howell in every way and the cast is in shape and the balance of this week will be spent in polishing all the rough edges.

The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the band, and the price will be fifty cents for adults and twenty-five cents for children.

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PROGRAM

Part I.

- Interlocutor _____ Harrie Meek
1. Opening Chorus "The Chocolate Boys."
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2. Comedy Song "Barrell House Blues."
Mr. Clyde Bennett
3. Ballad "Garden of Tomorrow"
Mr. Ralph Dunbar
4. Comedy Song "How Come You Do Me Like
You Do."
Leonard Brewster
5. Quartet "Lily Lotus."
Dr. H. H. Ball, Mr. Ralph Dunbar, R. F. Truett
6. Comedy Song "Go Long Mule."
Mr. Bill Angel
7. Ballad "Swanee River Rose."
Mr. K. F. Truett
8. Comedy Song "Lots of Mamma."
Mr. Cecil Cope
9. Ballad "Waiting For The Rainbow."
10. Comedy Song "There'll Be Changes Made."
11. Quartet "Sweet Dreams."
12. Closing Chorus "I'm on My Way."
Entire Company

Part II.

Monologue Speaker.

Part III

"Black Man Be On Your Way."

Part IV

Ghostland And The Six Skeletons Dancers.
"De Ghostly Blues."

Part V

ORIENTAL CARABERETS

- Opening Entie Cast
- Oriental Dancers Salome Girls
- Duet "Admiration Waltz."
- Hollande "Dutch Girls."
- Solo "Orange Blossom."
- "Oh My Yes." "Jazz Girls."
- La Paloma Spanish Dancers
- Learn to Strut The Steppers
- Solo "The Glow Worm."
- Pajama Land "Entire Cast."

Complete list of cast of characters will be published in Saturday Booster Sheet. Following is a partial list:

END MEN:

Bill Angel, Morris Collins, Leonard Brewster, Cecil Cope, Arthur Barker, Earl Hicks, Otis Harris, Clyde Bennett.

WHITE FACE

Mr. Ralph Dunbar, Dr. H. H. Ball, Roscoe Snyder, R. F. Truett, Faye Guthrie, Dewey Floyd.

CIRCLE MEN LIST:

Incomplete at time they go to press—will be in the Saturday Booster Sheet.

ORIENTAL DANCERS.

Olga Honea _____ Esma Peninger
Lucile Simpson _____ Ina Collins
Ruby Threet _____ Lucile Carter
Marget Jarnigan.

SPANISH DANCERS

- Emma Sue Buchanan. _____ Zelma Fowler
- Jewell Shelton _____ Nova White
- Eunice Coleman _____ Dorothy Ford
- Hazel Shelton. _____

Solo Dancer _____

DUTCH DANCERS.

Emma Sue Buchanan _____ Marie Carter

JAZZ GIRLS.

Olga Honea _____ Margaret Jarnigan
Lucile Simpson _____ Esma Peninger
Ruby Threet _____ Ina Collins
Lucile Carter.

THE STEPPERS.

Emma Sue Buchanan. _____ Zelma Fowler
Jewell Shelton _____ Nova White
Eunice Coleman _____ Dorothy Ford
Hazel Shelton _____

ORANGE BLOSSOM

This list is incomplete—will be announced in Saturday Booster Sheet. Miss Lou Emma Henry has charge of the music for the entire show.

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Lesson for June 23

REVIEW

GOLDEN TEXT—Ye shall be witnesses unto me, both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.—Acts 1:8.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Boy Jesus at the Temple School.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Asking and Answering Questions.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Growth of the Early Church.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—How the Gospel Spread.

As usual, the methods employed in the review largely depend upon the teacher and the class. Two methods are suggested:

First: The biographical. This is a method which can nearly always be used to advantage, since pupils of all ages are interested in the study of persons. Peter, Paul, Stephen, Phillip and Barnabas are very prominent characters in the quarter's lessons. These may be assigned to members of the class the week before with a view of a brief biographical sketch being prepared and read to the class.

Second: The summary method. This method calls for the review of the principal facts of each lesson with statement of the leading teachings thereof. The following is suggested:

Lesson I.—On the Day of Pentecost, the risen and ascended Christ sent the promise of the Father causing the Holy Ghost to descend upon the disciples to qualify them to be witnesses of His death and resurrection to all the world.

Lesson II.—The healing of the lame man shows that the risen Christ is able to make strong a man who was born a cripple. The man who was healed thoroughly advertised the miracle. Those who have experienced the life of God cannot help but make it known.

Lesson III.—The church is God's dwelling place. Since it is His dwelling place it is as holy as the holy place in the sanctuary. The judgment which befell Ananias and Sapphira proves that God will not allow the hypocrite to escape His judgment.

Lesson IV.—The behavior of Stephen proves that the risen Christ is able to sustain His witnesses, even while they are sealing their testimony with their blood. His standing shows His active interest in His disciples, and that He welcomes home to heaven those who are faithful.

Lesson V.—The experiences of Daniel and his companions show that total abstinence pays.

Lesson VI.—Phillip, the only man in the New Testament called evangelist, is in the energy of the Spirit preaching the Word and winning men to Christ.

Lesson VII.—The conversion of Saul, the bitter enemy of Christ, is an illustrious example of what the revelation of Christ in His glory can do, and also illustrates the method of the conversion of Israel.

Lesson VIII.—After Saul's conversion, he straightway preached Christ as the Son of God. Those who are really saved know whom they have believed.

Lesson IX.—The stupendous miracle wrought by the risen Christ at the hands of Peter proved that the gospel lost none of its power by being preached abroad.

Lesson X.—When Christ would break down the middle wall of partition between the Jews and Gentiles, He gave to Cornelias and Peter each a vision. When the gospel was offered to the Gentiles, the Holy Ghost came upon them as at Pentecost.

Lesson XI.—Before the foreign missionary enterprise was launched, a new center of operation was established at Antioch. The Holy Spirit established this strategic center and sent out the missionaries.

Lesson XII.—The risen Christ hears the prayers of the church and sends His angels to deliver His faithful servants.

The Best Judges Us

Our attitude concerning the great value, the great reality, the great personality, is not to put pressure upon our own minds or upon the minds of others to believe in them; and not primarily either with ourselves or others to defend them or to argue for them, but simply to give them opportunity with us, and to do what we may to help others, too, to give that opportunity. The best, thus judges us rather than we it.—Henry Churchill King.

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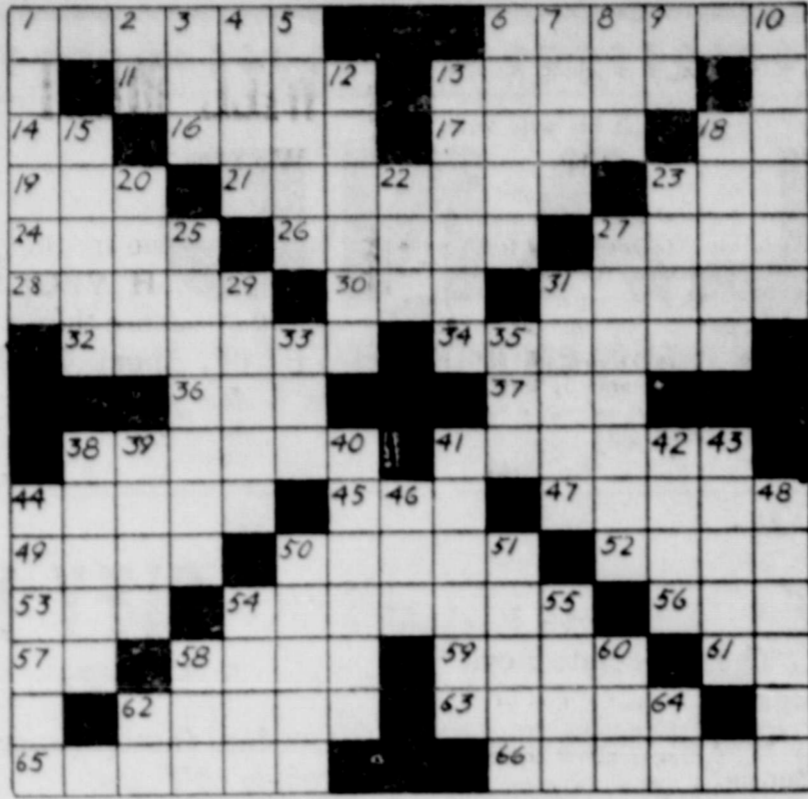
Better it were, that all the miseries which nature owns were ours at once, than guilt.—Shakespeare.

Let Us Not Lose Faith

Karl Haffour said not long ago: "Let us not fear that the future is going to be less glorious than the past. Problems of which we never dreamed multiply upon us until we are almost overwhelmed. But let us not lose faith or courage."

For Truth's Sake

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| 4—Otherwise | 4—Noise | 6—Fifteenth day of certain months in old Roman calendar |
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| 20—Terminate | 20—Papier mache stereotype matrix (printing term) | |
| 21—Elevates | 21—Of sound mind | |
| 22—One who remains | 22—Prest of Apollo at Troy, who was destroyed, with his two sons, by two serpents which the Goddess Athena caused to come out of the sea (myth.) | |
| 23—Ratios or bulids | 23—Two thousand pounds | |
| 24—Prefix meaning "before" | 24—Note of musical scale | |
| 25—Colored fluid | 25—Concoited | |
| 26—Rat | 26—Greek letter | |
| 27—Heavenly bodies | 27—Roman historian | |
| 28—Precipitous | 28—To press into a pulp | |
| 29—Thighs of hogs prepared for food | 29—Color again | |
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| 39—Color again | | |

Solution will appear in next issue.

Answers to Last Weeks Puzzles.



PLAINVIEW SANITARIUM NEWS.

Mrs. W. E. Norris of Lockney is leaving the sanitarium after a successful operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Clyde Bennett of Lockney is now able to leave the sanitarium after an operation for Hernia several days ago.

Kenneth Hall, the thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hall of Tulla, Texas, who underwent an operation for pus-appendix is doing nicely. Dr. Crawford of Tulla came down and assisted with the operation.

Little Glenn Northcutt of this city was operated on a few days ago.

Mrs. L. Hope of this city had an operation recently, and at last reports was doing very well.

Miss Dora Lenderman of Kress had her tonsils removed at the sanitarium last week.

Mrs. Earnest Spencer who was operated on a few days ago is doing nicely, and will be able to leave the hospital soon.

The three year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McMurty of Tulla had a tonsil operation some few days ago.

Howard Stovall, worker at the Plainview Cotton Oil Mill Co., had his finger badly mashed recently, and came to the Sanitarium where it was removed.

Mr. L. L. Rosser of this city is recovering rapidly after an operation for appendicitis.

Little Ruth Shelton of Kress had her tonsils removed last Thursday.

Mrs. E. B. Beach of Silvertown is in the sanitarium, having recently had an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. E. M. Mosher of this city is doing quite well since undergoing an operation at the sanitarium.

The eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McDonald of this city was brought to the sanitarium where he had an amputation of the finger.

Miss Gladys Hasting of Dimmitt had her tonsils removed last Saturday.

Mrs. R. L. Wright of Tulla underwent an operation for tumor on last Saturday at the sanitarium and is doing nicely.

Webster Boone of Dimmitt had his tonsils removed on last Saturday at the sanitarium.

Mr. J. Key of this city was again in

the sanitarium last week under medical treatment of physicians.

Miss Annie Maude Goffey of Hale Center is recovering rapidly after an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. W. R. Sams and daughter, Miss Dora, of Lockney, had their tonsils removed last Monday at the sanitarium.

Miss Grace Hughes of Lockney had a tonsil operation last Monday.

Mrs. Will Burnam of Dimmitt who underwent an operation on last Monday is doing quite well.

Mrs. Ed Morehead had a successful tonsil operation on last Monday.

W. E. Moore of Kress was in the sanitarium last Tuesday with his little boy, and had his tonsils removed.

Ralph Hale of Tulla, Texas, had a bone operation on last Tuesday.

Roy Dyer of Lockney had his tonsils removed on the 17th.

The ten year old son of G. W. Fryer of Tulla, Texas, who was operated on is doing well.

* Mrs. Ocie Stewart of Turkey underwent an operation for appendicitis on last Thursday.

Mr. N. A. Henry of Lockney had his tonsils removed at the sanitarium on last Saturday.

Mr. J. Clements of Floydada was over Saturday and had his tonsils removed.

Mrs. E. G. Hemphill of Hale Center is in the sanitarium for medical treatment.

Mrs. M. J. King of Silvertown had a minor operation on last Sunday, leaving the sanitarium a few hours later.

Miss Ruth Harper of Lockney underwent an operation for appendicitis Sunday afternoon. Her condition is very good.

Mrs. M. R. Pilphery of near this city had a tumor operation this week, and is resting well since.

Mr. J. J. Norris is in the sanitarium where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Eugene, child of F. D. Barnes of this city had a tonsil operation this week.

Margaret, the 7 year old child of E. E. Trussell of this city is doing nicely since having her tonsils removed last Monday.

BOONE BROS. BUY CHRISTOVOAL WELLS

Fifteen New Cottages to Be Built at Christoval; Investment Represents \$45,000.

San Angelo Daily Standard, June 17: Doctors O. C. Boone of Amarillo and P. W. Boone of Ranger have purchased the Highway Mineral Wells at Christoval and the Christoval Mineral Wells, both on the South Concho river, 21 miles south of San Angelo, according to announcement by them Wednesday. The investment represents around \$45,000, it was said.

The Highway Mineral Wells, in the town of Christoval, just off the paved Del Rio-Canadian State Highway, consisting of a modern bath house, a mineral well and twenty lots, was purchased from Dr. T. J. Ferchiffull.

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chased from Dr. T. J. Ferchiffull. The Christoval Mineral Wells, across the river one mile west of the highway and about two miles downstream from Christoval, was acquired from J. N. Maddox of San Angelo and H. H. Butz of Fort Stockton. This property consists of fifty-five acres of land, a hotel of twenty-five rooms, a commodious bath houses, seven cottages and two mineral wells.

Dr. O. C. Boone will be in charge of the Highway Mineral Wells. Fifteen new cottages will be built there immediately to provide year-round accommodations for health seekers. Both properties will be renovated and improved and later will be expanded considerably. The curative powers of Christoval's mineral water, the healthful climate and the advantages of location near San Angelo, with which the two institutions are connected by pipe, induced Doctors Boone to invest here.

The Boone brothers are pioneer practitioners in Texas, having been engaged in drugless therapeutics for more than twenty years. During this time they have made careful investigation of the many methods of drugless therapy, being graduates from four different schools of this kind. In choosing what they consider the most effective methods, they claim to have perfected a system now known as the Boone system. Although they state that their efforts have been fruitful, they have realized for years the wonderful benefits of mineral waters, and selected Christoval in the belief that its mineral waters is without a peer in the state.

Each of the Christoval institutions will be known as Boone Brothers' Healthatorium. The two now have a total of about seventy-five patients.

SLAYER OF OFFICER HANGED TO TREE BY UTAH MOB

BRICE, Utah, June 22.—Western justice—the way it was meted out in the days of the horse thief and cattle rustler—was revived here Thursday of last week, when Robert Marshall, a fugitive slayer of City Marshal James M. Burns, was hanged to the limb of a tree.

Arrested as he entered his cabin at Castle Gate, where he fled after his altercation with the officer last Friday night, Marshall was taken to the court house for incarceration when a mob formed.

The plans of the infuriated townsfolk evidently had been well laid. Capturing the prisoner from the officers they placed him between two sturdy leaders and the march to Price Creek,

two miles away, was begun.

Marshall remained silent. He paid no attention to the jeers and taunts of the angry citizens who followed close on his heels. Occasionally one of the "neck tie party" prodded him with a stick, but Marshall kept his face straight ahead.

At intervals the mocking voice of a woman broke through the cries of the men. The mob stalked angrily on, finally reaching the creek where a halt was ordered. The marchers then formed a circle about the slayer who was standing a few feet away from a tree.

A noose was placed around his neck and at a signal from the leader, Marshall's body swung into the air. The crowd waited to see that all life had left his body and then departed.

The victim's body was cut down later by officers and brought to the local undertaking establishment.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until 2 p. m., o'clock,

the 6th day July, A. D., 1925, at Sunset School House, District No. 8, Floyd County, for the furnishing of all labor and materials, in the construction of a six room and auditorium, one story brick and tile school house for District No. 8, Floyd County, Texas.

Plans and specifications may be obtained for purpose of building from Kerr and Walsh, architects, room 5 Smyth Building, Plainview, Texas, or at the Main Office, Rooms 29-30, Fuqua Building, Amarillo, Texas, by depositing \$15.00 cash or certified check to this amount. A certified check of \$250.00 (two hundred fifty dollars) payable to R. M. Haverly, chairman of the Board, shall accompany each bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
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SENATOR LA FOLLETTE DIED LAST THURSDAY

Aged Wisconsin Senator Loses Valiant Fight Against Death.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Weakened by a long series of bronchial attacks, Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin died of angina pectoris Thursday. He had been afflicted by the heart attacks for ten years. An attack of influenza in Europe two years ago, pneumonia and recurrences of bronchitis several times since, with the added strain of a two months speaking trip during his presidential campaign last fall, finally wore him out.

In a bitter political career that began when President Coolidge was eight years old, "Fighting Bob" LaFollette had never admitted final defeat. But two weeks ago he knew that a foe who never loses was attacking him. He was lying in bed with a bronchial attack and heard several children playing under his window. "Life is a wonderful thing," he said to his younger daughter, Mary "I'd like to begin it all over again. But I think I have earned a long needed vacation."

Tuesday night he knew this rest was near.

"I am at peace with all the world, but there is a lot of work I could still do," he said to his son, Robert Jr., who has been his senate secretary and political manager for several years.

Then he let fall a wonderful remark that showed the scars left by the abuse he had borne all through his 45 years in public life.

"I don't know how the people will feel toward me but I shall take to the grave my love for those who sustained me through life," he said. These were his last words.

Sunday Was 70th Birthday

Last Sunday was the Senator's seventieth birthday and he seemed somewhat better, but his family was worried and sent for his son, Phillip, at Madison, Wisconsin. Tuesday there were disturbing signs. Wednesday night he turned worse. Thursday morning his doctors said his condition was grave. At 11 o'clock they announced his circulation was gradually failing. He was sinking an hour later. Shortly afterward he became unconscious. About 1 o'clock he tried to rouse himself and seemed, to his family at the bedside, to be trying to speak. But the words would not come and a few minutes later he died.

His fighting spirit was disclosed in the statement issued by Dr. Charles C. Marberry, revealing that LaFollette, although affected by angina pectoris for ten years, had to the end pressed his body into battle. "Although fully informed of the possible consequences to himself, Senator LaFollette determined to enter the campaign last summer notwithstanding medical advice and during and immediately after the campaign his great energy appeared unabated," Dr. Marberry said.

"His great vitality and undaunted fighting spirit told in his favor for several days but he was unable to rally from the angina pectoris attack he received at 8 a. m. today and at 1:21 he passed away peacefully."

MARS HAS HEAT TO UPHOLD LIFE

Planet Warmer Than Supposed, Scientist Discovers.

Prescott, Ariz.—Dr. W. M. Sillpher director of the Lowell observatory at Flagstaff, Ariz., when he recently predicted that planetary astronomy was on the threshold of finally accurate determinations in connection with the study of Mars.

The astronomer expressed this opinion after months of research based on observations which he and other scientists obtained last summer when Mars made its closest approach to the earth. Among the discoveries, said Doctor Sillpher, was that the planet was much warmer than had been supposed and had a much denser atmosphere than it had been credited with. These determinations, he explained, were tendencies in support of the theory that the planet had life.

The temperature of the planet was approximated by the Coblenz radiometer, one of the latest astronomical instruments, so delicate that it measures the heat of distant stars. Doctor Sillpher considers this device as important in addition to the knowledge of the temperature of planets as the Michelson interferometer is in determining the angular diameter of celestial bodies.

Doctor Sillpher offered no final opinions on the guessed-at and often controverted matters affecting Mars. But he emphasized, as other astronomers have, the strange regularity of the radiating lines popularly characterized as canals.

The fading of the polar caps with the advance of the warm seasons and subsequent darkening of the areas presumed by some to be tilted regions, afforded the greatest argument for those contending the planet was inhabited, he explained. The regularity of the "canals," he added, was evidence in favor of their artificial origin.

POULTRY FACTS

CURE BROODINESS IN OPEN YARD IS BEST

As the hatching season is ended the problem of broody hens will be confronting most poultry raisers for the following months.

Numerous methods have been advocated from time to time for handling broody hens. Almost every one in any neighborhood has a pet plan for breaking the hens of this condition, which is guaranteed to work. Many of these are founded on sense and will give results, while a good many are founded on abuse of the hens, which should not be practiced.

One favorite method we used to have on the farm was to dip the hens in a tub filled with water, says a writer in the Michigan Farmer. We kept them under the water just as long as we dared without drowning them. This was supposed to scare the hen so badly that she forgot about wanting to set. Sometimes it worked and sometimes it didn't. When it didn't, something else had to be tried. The broody trait of hens is not a "motion" but a natural condition in response to natural laws. The longer the hens are tolerated in this condition, the longer it will be before they return to laying and the less the profit realized from the investment.

It is foolish to think that mistreatment and abuse which breaks up the tendency is a wise one. One idea sometimes used was to starve the hens when they became broody in order to break them up and get them back to laying. We now know that this was the exact opposite to what we should have done in order to encourage early laying. What is advisable is to feed the hens liberally on a good egg ration which would within a few days have induced the hens to lay. Once laying is resumed the broody trait will disappear.

The open yard method of breaking up broody hens is one of the most humane treatments we can give the fowls and is also most productive of results. The method is simple. A small area is fenced off in a grassy and shady corner in which a box is placed for protection in bad weather. The hens are turned loose in this yard and plenty of fresh water and feed is given, and as a rule the broodiness ceases in a short time.

Slatted and wire mesh coops indoors or out work fairly well when the bird is caught in time, but in warm weather do not give satisfaction. According to my judgment, the best method for curing broodiness is the open yard. There is less expense, work and trouble involved in this plan than in any other tried. It breaks up the birds more quickly and thus gets them back into the laying class with a minimum loss of time.

Prevent Limberneck by Removal of Carcasses

If poultrymen would spend a little time in looking over their range during the summer months to keep it free from dead carcasses they would undoubtedly prevent a great many outbreaks of so-called "limberneck" or botulism, in poultry.

This is the advice of Dr. F. R. Beaudette, poultry pathologist of the New Jersey agricultural experiment station, who says:

"At this time of the year decomposition takes place quite rapidly. Flies are attracted to carcasses and there lay the eggs which later hatch forth maggots. If these maggots are eaten by a fowl an outbreak of botulism is very apt to occur. The outstanding symptom is the limberneck, and generally the affected bird shows a bright red comb. The temperature of such a bird is usually always subnormal. This is of considerable importance in making a diagnosis. The disease is not spread from one fowl to another, and therefore can easily be controlled by eliminating the source of poisoning. It is still a question whether the maggots themselves are responsible or whether the poisoning is due to the botulinus toxin which the maggot mechanically carries.

"Ranges which are overrun with weeds or with anything that would obscure a dead carcass are more dangerous than a range relatively free from tall vegetation; hence, it is a good practice to keep weeds mowed during the summer months. Of course there is no danger of botulism in flocks that are confined to runs.

"The disease cannot be cured after marked symptoms here inside their appearance, though mild cases will often make a spontaneous recovery. Epsom salts in the usual dose aids in early cases. Confinement in a cool dark place seems to give good results."

Green Feed for Fowls

If possible, rest the poultry yards for a month and grow a green crop to purify the soil. A certain amount of green food is essential to the health of the poultry. When in addition to the food value, we can have the service of purifying the soil, it is thrifty to sow oats, or wheat, or rye in the poultry yard. Even when the yards cannot be spared, and the chickens must have their usual run, by heavy seeding there will be growth enough to benefit the soil.

Many Wedded Students Succeed in University

Denver, Colo.—That wives are an aid and not a drawback on grades is evidenced by the neat appearance of the law students' notebooks, according to an article in the Denver Clarion of the University of Denver.

"A married man," the article reads, "in an English university is rare, one in a high school in America is usually suspended, and men who take brides while attending American universities are few. Accordingly, when a freshman enters the law school at Denver he is somewhat astonished when he learns how many of its students are married."

It has been found that out of 100 students who now attend law school 27 have stood at the matrimonial altar. The seniors have been there most frequently. Out of a class of 35, 14 have wives. The junior class, numbering about 35, boasts of 9 married, while 4 of a freshman class of 30 have become husbands.

Would Link London to New York by Air in 46 Hours

London.—Plans for an air service from London to New York in 46 hours, and from London to San Francisco in four days were described here to Maj. Gen. Sir Sefton Branker, director of civil aviation.

The project, which somewhat resembles the French plan described recently in the Christian Science Monitor for boosting airmen in mid-Atlantic, proposes raftlike ships about 800 feet long by 120 feet wide, which would remain unanchored some 400 miles apart. Seaplanes alighting alongside would refuel through pipes. At first it is intended to use machines carrying ten passengers at \$125 each for a trip to New York.

Buried Bonds Found

Toledo, Ohio.—Twenty-six registered Liberty bonds of the par value of \$14,150 were found recently by a laborer in a glass jar buried several feet in the ground near Sylvania. The bonds range in denomination from \$50 to \$1,000 and are thought to be the loot of bank robbers. The bonds, together with the glass jar and the wrapper, will be turned over to federal authorities here.

AREN'T MEN FUNNY? WRITER LISTS MASCULINE FRAILTIES

'Of Course, Mr. Man You Possess None of These Peculiarities, But—'

BY DOROTHY DIX

AREN'T men the funny things? Especially in the relationships with women. Consider this, for instance:

Just because he happens to have been born of the masculine sex, every man considers himself the superior of all women. The dullest, the most ignorant and loutish man looks down upon the most talented and brilliant woman.

Men never believe that women succeed by honest merit and hard work. They always attribute a woman's achievement to luck or pull.

Men are often lavishly generous to women, but they are seldom just. They love to give women things, but they hate to pay them what is their honest due. Often the man who will load his wife down with diamonds will not give her a five-dollar allowance of pocket money of her own.

Men believe that only a woman who is as pure as the driven snow is good enough for them to marry, but that a man with any sort of a lurid past is good enough for a woman.

In his heart every man believes that he does a woman such a favor by marrying her that she should spend the balance of her life kowtowing before him in gratitude.

All men believe themselves worshippers of beauty, but they oftener pick out chromos than living pictures for wives.

When a man is courting a girl, he tells her how beautiful and wonderful she is in order to ingratiate himself with her; but after he is married, he never thinks its worth while to continue to flatter her; although he knows that by doing so he can keep her eating out of his hand.

An honorable man, who would not play any other scurry trick on earth, will persuade a girl to leave a good home and a devoted family, and give up all other men for him, and then dump her down into his own house, and never do one single thing to try to make her happy and contented.

Before marriage a man will spend from five to seven hours a day telling a girl how much he loves her, and after he is married to her never mentions the word love to her again as long as she lives.

Before marriage a man can remember a woman's birthday, the day they first met, the books and music she likes, the flowers she prefers and the different dishes she relishes. After marriage she has to remind him of every anniversary, and he gives her a check on Christmas because he does not remember any of her tastes.

To have happy, contented wife means peace and happiness in a man's home and money in his pocket, yet not one man in a thousand will take the trouble to "work" his wife, although

every man who isn't an idiot knows how to do so.

Few men ever do any active, thing to make their wives happy. Most of them seem to think that just being married to them is picnic enough for any woman.

A man will trust his wife with his name, his honor and his children, but he will not trust her to handle a few dollars of housekeeping money.

When the wife goes away for a week the house becomes like a pigsty. The sink is piled high with dirty dishes. Soiled clothes and old papers litter the floor. Everything on the place seems to be permanently lost.

Taking care of one small infant on a Sunday afternoon will reduce an able-bodied man to a nervous wreck, yet men persist in believing that their wives lead lives of inglorious ease, and say they wish they didn't have anything to do but stay at home and keep house, and take care of the children.

The older a man is the easier he is to be fooled. The rich, old man of 75 never doubts that the girl of 20 marries him for love alone.

Men sing sagas about the ennobling influence of good women, but too often it is evil women who hold men in the hollows of their hands.

Every man believes theoretically in plain, sensible clothes for women, and that they should not use cosmetics, but that is the painted, dolled-up girls who get all the attention.

No man wishes to be flattered by a woman, but he certainly does like to listen to the truthful Jane who tells him how big and strong and wonderful he is.

Of course, Mr. Man, you possess none of these peculiarities of your sex, but don't you know men who do?

DOROTHY DIX

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Our Sunday school attendance is still growing. We had twenty-five more present last Sunday than we had the Sunday before. If you are a Sunday school we need you. You will always find a welcome with us.

Mrs. Peninger's class of girls will occupy the choir next Sunday morning at the preaching hour. The pastor is teaching a fine class of young men and young women. Every young man and each young woman within reach of Lockney is urged to attend this class. If you are not in Sunday school you can receive a blessing and be a blessing to others by attending. This class will have charge of the music at the morning hour the first Sunday in July.

On next Sunday at 7:30 p. m. we will organize a senior B. Y. P. U. All the young people that are not receiving religious training are urged to attend this union.

The Junior Union under the lead of Bro. Hamilton meets in the basement at 7:30. They are getting a fine start.

All children from three to nine years of age are invited to meet with the Sunbeam Band at four o'clock next Sunday.

"Come thou with us, and we will do thee good."

C. J. McCARTY, Pastor.

Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club.

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, June 17th in the home of Mrs. Frank Probasco. Two thirds of the club members were present and quite a few visitors. The business session was first attended to by president. On account of the secretary not being able to come regular we elected another. Mrs. Alice Knight is now acting as secretary and treasurer. We are glad to report that our club likes only a few dollars having the side walk debt paid out. We feel very proud that we, the club, have accomplished what we set out to do.

Miss Faulkner gave us a very interesting talk and demonstration on making ice cream frozen sherbets and fruit punch.

Those of you who were absent surely missed a treat for the dessert were surely fine. Every time you miss a meeting you miss getting something good and worthwhile.

The next meeting will be July 1st. Hostess—Mrs. H. O. Shurbet. Roll Call—Why Can. Order of Business.

Leader—Mrs. W. E. Miller. Subject—Canning fruit and vegetables.

Demonstration—By club members. Adjournment.

REPORTER.

MARRIAGE RECORD

License to marry issued recently from the office of County Clerk, include the following:

June 13th, Mark Nichols and Miss Virginia Price Joiner.

June 15th, C. F. James and Miss Lottie James.

June 17th, A. R. Hicks and Miss Nellie Avera.

June 17th, Burnie Lee Anderson and Miss Ada Ellison.

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June 21st, Edward W. Wade and Miss Grace Hayden.

The Happy Go Lucky Sewing Club met last Tuesday, June 22nd, at the home of Roberta Brayles at 3:30 o'clock. After all sewing and business was finished, refreshments were

served to the following: Roberta Eroyles, Frances Savags, Bertha Ragle, Mary Lou Hammonds, Thelma Buchanan, Edith Hughes, Elsie Meriwether, Sallie Middleton and Mayme Lou Jarnigan.

The club will meet next Tuesday at 3:30 o'clock in the home of Mayme Lou Jarnigan.

All girls from 13 to 16 are invited to come.—Reporter.

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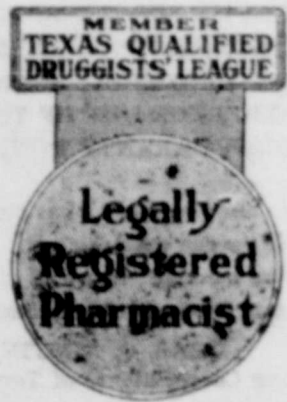
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