

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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\$11,000,000 CROP FOR FLOYD COUNTY 1924

CENSUS FOR CROP YEAR 1924 NOW AVAILABLE SHOWS BIG PRODUCTION

The census of the crop year of 1924 is now available and shows that the total value of farm crops (not including horses, cows, sheep, hogs, chickens, turkeys, poultry products, dairy products or truck farming products) was \$7,500,000. The products given as farm products are wheat, cotton, hay, grain sorghums, oats. From these five crops alone on an acreage of 279,279 was produced an average of nearly \$27.00 per acre, besides the other farm revenue produced such as chickens, turkeys, hogs, sheep cattle, horses, mules, dairy products, and the fruits and garden trucks.

There were 1,485 farms in the county, and they were all cultivated by white farmers. Of this number 668 owners cultivated their own farms, and there were 815 tenant farmers in the county. The total value of the farm lands under cultivation was \$19,526,462.00. Thirty-five per cent of the land in the county was in cultivation, and sixty-five per cent was used as pasture or grazing lands. The average per farm during the year 1924 was \$5,050.

The following table shows the amount of each of the five crops raised:

Wheat, bushels	1,878,988
Cotton, bales	22,415
Grain Sorghums, bushels	700,954
Oats, bushels	168,984
Hay, tons	43,469

There were 6,168 horses, 4,870 mules, 16,986 cattle, 5,476 hogs in the county, and of this amount there were 9,732 beef cattle and 7,254 dairy cattle, and there were 676 brood sows.

The total value of the crop of 1924, including dairy products, poultry and hog products, was \$11,000,000 mark.

There is a little more than one-third of the tillable land in the county under cultivation, and practically all of it is farmed under the dry farming process, only a few irrigation wells being used in the county, and making a \$11,000,000 crop at this time, what will be the production of the county when practically all the land is in cultivation and the land irrigated around Lockney in the shallow water belt?

This sounds like a great deal of production to us for the amount of land in cultivation, especially when we realize that there is no such a thing as intensive farming in this country at this time. Most farmers here farm all the land they can ride over, and a great many just plant the seed and trust to Providence to do the rest, and yet 1,485 families produce \$11,000,000 worth of farm crops.

Most of these farms are very large, some containing as high as two sections, many are whole section farms, and there are very few that are less than a quarter section. The day is not far distant when Floyd county will be cut into 40 to 80 acre farms and farmers will really and truly till the soil, and when that day comes the production of this country will amount to \$75,000,000 to \$100,000,000 per year, because the soil is deep and fertile, and produces abundantly with very little cultivation, and no fertilizer, the water is shallow and plentiful in most parts of the county, and in the Lockney district irrigation water can be had from 40 to 60 feet and the supply is inexhaustible, and when the time comes that good farmers are located on every 40 to 80 acre tract, and will farm intensively, and mix this water with this soil and plant good seed, then we will see the greatest crop production sent out from Floyd county each year of any county in Texas.

All Floyd county needs is men to work her soil, and they are coming, for every day new men come and see, and seeing is sufficient, for when they have once visited this county, saw the land and found out what it will do, they make preparations to stay.

H. E. F. Holland of Wichita Falls, Texas, a representative of Montgomery and Ward, Contractors and Civil Engineers, was here Monday attending the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

GOOD MEETING LAST MONDAY LUNCHEON

HEAR TALK ON SANITARY PROBLEMS AND DISPOSAL OF SEWERAGE

Quite a good crowd of business men were present at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Monday noon, and an interesting session was held. Gid Waller delivered the address "My Home Town," in a most able manner. Young Waller delivered this address at the Littlefield district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and received very much praise by those who heard him.

Mr. H. R. F. Holland of Wichita Falls, Texas, a member of the firm of Montgomery & Ward, civil engineers, who make a specialty of installing sewer systems and mapping town for drainage propositions, was the chief speaker for the occasion, and made quite a lengthy talk on sanitation and sewerage.

Mr. W. C. Watson made a report on the extension of the city limits and said most all of those living in the suburbs west of town were willing to come into the corporation limits of the city.

Mr. A. B. Brown made a report on the opening of the street to the Santa Fe depot, and the proposition was discussed.

A committee composed of T. B. Hill, W. C. Watson, H. B. Adams and E. S. Shoaf was named to go before the city council and see what could be done toward inducing the city to haul off the trash that accumulates on the main streets of the city each week.

T. B. Hill made a talk on winding up the affairs of the band, that has been in controversy for some time.

SCHOLASTIC CENSUS NOW BEING TAKEN

The scholastic census of Floyd County is now under way. The necessary supplies have been sent out from the County Superintendent's office. The scholastic census is taken each year during the month of March. The following interview was recently given out by Price Scott, County Superintendent:

"I would like to insist that a very careful effort be put forth to get every scholastic in the county.

Seven children were overlooked in Floyd County last year. This number was gradually brought to light during the summer months last year, when parents came into the office and made inquiry about their children being enrolled.

Married boys and girls within the scholastic age should be enumerated, as they are still entitled to free money and free school.

The scholastic age is still 7 to 17 inclusive. The child must be seven not later than September 1st to be included. If a child be 18 on or before September 1st it is an over, otherwise it is a scholastic.

Parents must give to the census trustee, the exact month, day and year of the child's birth.

Every child residing within the county up to and including April 1st should be enumerated.

In case a family moves during the month of March to another County after the children have been enrolled the law provides for the first enumeration to be cancelled upon order of the state superintendent, when an affidavit of the parents is submitted certifying to the fact that he has removed his residence to another county after the children have been enrolled. Said removal must not be later than April 1st.

PIONEER OF FLOYD COUNTY PASSES AWAY

Mr. R. F. Fry of Floydada, passed away at her home Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Fry was a pioneer Floyd county resident, and formerly lived in the town of Lockney. She was well known by all the old settlers. Her husband died several months ago.

She leaves several sons and daughters, some of them living in Floyd county.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church in Floydada Tuesday afternoon, and interment followed in the Floydada cemetery.

Mrs. Tyler and son, J. D., and Mrs. Roscoe Gass spent Monday morning visiting in Floydada.

DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS

GRAND JURY RETURNED SIX INDICTMENTS FOR FELONIES AND THREE FOR MISDEMEANORS SATURDAY

District Court is now in its second week for this term. On Tuesday the jury for the week was dismissed as all cases demanding juries were continued on account of illness of parties involved or witnesses.

The Grand Jury returned six bills of indictment for felonies and three for misdemeanor Saturday afternoon, this being the first week's work. Arrests have been made in practically all of these cases.

The following cases have been disposed of:

Hugh Earthman vs. James B. Price, et al, tres pass to try title, judgement for plaintiff.

E. C. McElroy vs. Floyd Lee Montgomery, et al, tres pass to try title, judgement for plaintiff.

Velma Scarborough, suit for divorce, divorce granted.

First National Bank of Floydada vs. B. M. Keagans, et al, tres pass to try title, judgement for plaintiff.

Mrs. Lizzie Whatley vs. J. A. Whatley, suit for divorce, and partition of property, divorce granted and title to property, judgement for plaintiff.

S. H. Bolin vs. F. E. Bolin, suit for divorce, divorce granted.

J. M. Wilson vs. J. E. Eubank, suit for foreclosure of vendors lien, judgement for plaintiff.

State of Texas vs. Roy Spray, charged with theft of property to the value of \$50, tried Monday, and acquitted.

State of Texas vs. Bill Cole, charged with burglary, tried Monday, and entered a plea of guilty and was assessed a four year suspended sentence.

State of Texas vs. Dud Holman, two cases, charged with swindling, defendant failed to appear and bond in the sum of \$1,000 dollars in each case was forfeited.

State of Texas vs. Charles and Tom Smith, charged with burglary and theft, dismissed on account of death of complaining witness.

State of Texas vs. Bill Palland, charged with rape, continued on motion of state.

State of Texas vs. Clinton Hawkins charged with forgery, continued on probation.

The following cases have been set: State of Texas vs. Joe Springer and Oscar Hyman, charged with rape, set for Monday, March 22, and special venire of 144 men summoned from which to select jury. These cases were transferred from Swisher County to Floyd County.

Geo. T. Meriwether vs. E. A. Bowman, suit over contract, set for Monday, March 15th.

John Hodges et al vs. W. L. Bloodworth et al, tres pass to try title, set for Monday, March 29th.

Mrs. Rachel L. Hutchinson vs. W. M. Massie, suit for tres pass to try title over section of land, set for Wednesday March 17th. This suit was filed in 1910. Judge Joiner being disqualified in this case, Judge T. E. Hamilton of Matador will be special judge and try the case.

Martin Dry Goods Company vs. Baker Merchandise Company, suit on breach of contract, and for damages, set for Tuesday, March 30th.

City of Lockney vs. E. A. Logan, et al suit over money deposited in Lockney State Bank at the time the bank was closed, set for Tuesday, March 16th.

State of Texas vs. Tom Triplett, charged with violation of the liquor law in two cases, set for Monday, March 22nd.

State of Texas vs. Ralph Wilson, charged with assisting prisoners to escape jail, continued to next term of court by agreement of attorneys in case.

State of Texas vs. Johnnie Williams charged with assisting prisoners to escape jail, continued to next term of court by agreement of attorneys in case.

The petit jury for next week, to appear Monday, March 15 is as follows:

Mat Nix, N. T. A. Byars, L. B. Reynolds, Albert King, F. C. Harmon, L. E. Williams, T. E. Clark, B. W. Bybee, E. R. Lovorn, W. F. Burch, W. A. Robbins, R. W. Hilton, J. A. Talley, Jess Covington, W. M. Ferguson, D. C. Hamilton, B. C. Permenter, W. M. Snell, H. P. Puckett, J. R. Conway, M. H. Davis, L. A. Holland, J. A. Taylor, Tom Cope, J.

BOLES' REPORT WAS FILED LAST FRIDAY

DECISION IS EXPECTED MOMENTARILY AS REPORT HAS BEEN SUBMITTED

Washington, D. C., March 8.—Extra precautions have been taken by the Interstate Commerce Commission to prevent any leak in the recommendations of Examiner Boles on the South Plains Fort Worth & Denver and Santa Fe extension matter. Criticism of the commission for suspected leaks in the Nickel Plate decision and Commissioner Woodlock's purported recommendations of the Southern Pacific extension to the Rio Grande Valley may have something to do with the case with which Boles' recommendations are being guarded. Boles completed the recommendations several days ago and they are expected to be made public by the Commission at almost any time.

The report of Examiner C. E. Boles of the Interstate Commerce Commission was filed with the Commission last Friday, according to A. L. Reed, Manager of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, who just returned from Washington, where he attended a hearing on the proposed consolidation of the T. & B. V. with other roads in Texas. According to Mr. Reed the report is now in the hands of the checking bureau of the Commission. This is a bureau of attorneys retained to check the reports of the examiners from a legal standpoint to see if they conform to the recognized interpretations and practices of the commission. Just as soon as the check is made, the report will be made public.

That the report may be expected at any time now is the opinion of Mr. Reed.

A plan whereby the Denver might acquire the Q. A. & P. railroad has been given consideration by both the Denver and the Frisco. Mr. Reed reported. The Frisco did not want to sell the Q. A. & P., but prefer to retain it and make their own extension into the South Plains.

HIGH SCHOOL FOLLIES FRIDAY—PRIZES TO BE AWARDED

At the high school auditorium Friday night will be presented the High School Follies, the second of a series of entertainments being fostered by the Senior Class, for the purpose of financing the Library project. The program Friday night will consist of four one-act plays and snappy in-between act numbers. Each of the four grades in high school is presenting a one-act play. After the program a prize of 10 per cent of the proceeds will be awarded to the class presenting the best play. The remaining proceeds will be applied to the Senior Library Fund. Admission of 25c and 35c will be charged.

Floydada Returns Play—Entire Proceeds to Go to Library Fund

Monday night, March 15th, at the Lockney High School auditorium the Floydada High School will present a play under the auspices of the Lockney Senior class. Some time ago the two High Schools arranged to exchange plays. In January the Lockney Seniors presented "The Road to the City" to an appreciative audience in Floydada. Monday night occurs the return play. The entire proceeds will be applied to the Senior Library Fund.

Look for posters and bills, which will be put out soon announcing the title of the play. Let us be sure to give the visitors a big crowd and help the Lockney Seniors finance their library project. Admission will be 25c and 35c.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued since our last issue: James W. Martin and Miss Agnes Lancaster, March 2nd.

Eugene Pretage and Miss Allie Riggs, March 3rd.

N. Wilson, Ford Rutler, E. T. Pratt, Clarence Pope, E. D. Teuton, C. E. Turner, J. W. M. Carr, Floyd Huff, G. S. Morris, T. J. Foster, and J. A. Grigsby.

The grand jury returned bills against Charles Crosby and Rip Snodgrass charging them with assault to murder, and arrests were made Tuesday morning.

MAN YCONTESTANTS IN SCHOOL FAIR

COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR MEETS IN LOCKNEY FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, MARCH 26-27.

The county Interscholastic League meet will be held in Lockney on Friday and Saturday, March 26 and 27. All arrangements are being made for the biggest county meet ever held in Floyd county, and a program is being arranged that will crowd each day full of events.

The following named schools will be represented in the meet: Aiken, Blanco, Baker, Antelope, Center, Hillcrest, Fairview, Starkey, Campbell, McCoy, Lakeview, Floydada high, Floydada South Ward, Harmony, Prairie Chapel, Erick, Pleasant Valley, Roseland, Liberty, Ramsey, Cedar, Sunset, Lockney high, Lone Star, Sand Hill, Allmon, Goodnight.

Other schools of the county who did not register in time to get in the program of the school meet, will now have to make application to the State Department of Education at once in order to be included in the list of contestants.

Silver Loving Cups donated by the merchants of Lockney and Floydada will be given to the different winners of the contests, and all entries in both literary and athletic events are provided for with Silver Loving Cups.

Arrangements are being made in Lockney to take care of the largest crowd that has ever attend an event of this kind in the county, and one of the best county school fairs ever held in West Texas is looked forward to.

ALBERT PUCKETT DIED TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Succumbs to Injuries received in Fall From Windmill Sunday Afternoon—Buried Wednesday

While attempting to replace a spring on the fan of a windmill, at his home north of Lockney, Sunday afternoon, Albert Puckett became over-balanced and fell to the ground, a distance of about thirty feet, breaking his left leg, his left arm and his lower jaw bone at his chin. He was rushed to the Plainview Sanitarium, where he died at 8:10 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, from his injuries.

Albert Puckett was 22 years of age, and leaves a wife and small baby. He was a nephew of Mrs. Walter Denny, who had raised him from the time he was a small child, he being an orphan. Mrs. Puckett is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cox, with whom they were living at the time of her husband's death.

Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church in Lockney Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. R. E. L. Muncy. Mr. Puckett being a member of the Sunset Baptist church. Interment was in the Lockney cemetery.

McDERMOTT POST WILL HAVE ENTERTAINMENT

The McDermott Post, American Legion, of Floydada, assisted by the Ladies' Auxiliary, will hold open house Monday night, March 15th, at which time E. A. Simpson of Amarillo, will be the principal speaker, and a good program will be rendered. There will also be refreshments served.

All ex-service men, with their ladies are requested to attend this entertainment, and Mr. J. H. Reagan, Post Commander, especially invites the ex-service men and ladies from Lockney and this section of the county to be present, and states that the McDermott Post is expecting the visitors from this part of the county, and are making special preparation for their entertainment.

SANTA FE DEPOT NEARING COMPLETION IN LOCKNEY

The new Santa Fe Depot, at the south end of Main Street will soon be finished and ready for occupancy.

All the wood work is practically completed, and the building will soon be ready for the stucco to be applied.

The people of the town are very proud of the fact that the Santa Fe adhered to their wishes in the depot proposition, and gave them a depot that no town in this section of the country the size of Lockney can boast.

Ira Boyles and family visited in Plainview Sunday.

MOODY ANNOUNCES FOR GOVERNOR

GAVE OUT ANNOUNCEMENT ON SATURDAY THAT HE WOULD MAKE RACE

AUSTIN, March 6.—Excoriating James E. Ferguson, former governor and husband of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, Attorney General, Dan Moody today announced for governor of Texas, subject to the democratic primary.

"I assert now that the principal controlling and vital issue shall be honesty in office and economy in the administration of our government, and that all other issues will be secondary to this one," Moody said.

He attacked the administration of the state highway department, Gov. Ferguson's pardon policy, and a book company award of the text book commission.

Exactly at 5 o'clock, Moody entered the capitol press room and laughingly asked the capitol correspondents if they were ready for him to announce for governor. His appearance created something of a sensation, since newspaper men had been searching for him much of the day. He explained he had been closeted several hours writing his announcement.

This announcement removed a big question of the past few weeks revolving about his possible candidacy.

He had only one copy of his announcement part of which was written in long hand. He came in alone and aided in making copies for the correspondents. Even his ten assistants were surprised at his announcement coming at this time.

12 Planks in Platform

His announcement consists of 12 planks. They are briefly: to expose and bring to justice those responsible for inroads into the public treasury; to see that the principal of honesty is recognized in the government; to appoint clean, high class, honest and capable men and women to public office; to see that people get a dollar's value for every dollar expended in every department; to see that the laws are enforced; to oppose wholesale pardoning; to maintain public roads; to maintain higher institutions of learning; that the government will not be run by a political machine; support reforms in election laws and place the penitentiary system on a business basis, and to support judicial reform, affecting both civic and criminal cases.

Moody's announcement brings the fourth candidate into the race. Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson announced for reelection last Sunday. Former Leut. Governor Lynch Davidson of Houston and Mrs. Edith Williams of Dallas, announced some time ago.

METHODIST LADIES WILL SERVE SANDWICHES

At a recent meeting of the Ladies of the Methodist church, it was decided that they would sell sandwiches during the County School Fair. Various committees were appointed and arrangements have been made to sell at the First National Bank, Criger Furniture Store, and possibly at other places, where it will be most convenient.

All ladies of the church are requested to donate two dozen sandwiches each, and to send them to the above named places.

The soliciting committee is composed of the following ladies: Mesdames T. B. Stewart, A. P. Barker, A. J. Keys, Jake Griffith, L. L. Savage, W. O. Shurbet, Frank Dodson, H. E. Adams, E. J. Barker, Still, F. E. Brown. If one of those ladies fails to interview you, don't be offended, for it is difficult to see every one, but just send in your sandwiches. The proceeds derived from the sale is to be used for a good cause and I am sure each of you should consider it a pleasure to help in this good work.

Be on hand with your sandwiches at about 9 o'clock.

ARRESTED FOR VIOLATION OF LIQUOR LAW

Levy Foreman, a negro, who has been working at the Ford garage as car washer, was arrested by Harvey Bolin Sunday and placed in the Floyd county jail, charged with violation of the liquor laws.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webster spent Sunday at Plainview at the bedside of a sick sister of Mrs. Webster's.

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BRAIN LEAKS
Telling people things they don't want to believe, no matter how true it may be, never buys you anything.

If you believe it, it is so. Every man should believe he lives in the best town or best country on earth, if he cannot believe it he should move.

Some people are always trying to clog the wheels of progressiveness. We have a few such men in Lockney.

Some people give of their time and money freely for the betterment of their homes and their community, others try to live and do business on the progressiveness of their competitors. Which class do you belong too?

A north Lockney man don't know whether to plant a spring garden or not, he is afraid if he plants it the Denver will ruin it by laying their tracks across it, and he is afraid if he don't Examiner Boles will have another attack of the gripe.

Some people are so self conceited that they believe they will always get the best of everything. A Plainview man had the nerve to tell us the other day that if the Denver was not permitted to build to his town that they would not build at all. We feel sorry for him.

The Plainview News needs help. The new parking and driving regulations have cut them off from the Post Office, and they are trying to figure out how long it will take and

ISIS THEATRE PROGRAM

For the Week Beginning MARCH 15th, 1926

Monday and Tuesday—

The Wonder Dog RIN TIN TIN

— IN — "THE NIGHT CRY"

Wednesday & Thursday BEN LYON-MARY ASTOR

— IN — "THE PACE THAT THRILLS"

Friday—

CLEVE BROOK AND IRENE RICH

— IN — "PLEASURE BUYERS"

Saturday—

BUFFALO BILL, JR.

— IN — QUICKERN LIGHTNING COMEDY—

"SNOOKY'S TWIN TROUBLES"

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Matinee and Night, Admission 25c and 50c

which way to go in order to get the News in the post office each week. City ordinances are sometimes a nuisance.

A Lockney merchant has made a kick on the parking laws of this town. Under the new law farmers or car owners are forbid to park on his side of the street, therefore, he says he is losing trade. This kind of a situation should be corrected. However, we think that any car has the right to stop for a short time on any street of the city, long enough to load goods out of a store, and we believe that an ordinance that forbids such is unconstitutional and will not stand up. So long as a car does not block traffic there is no law against it stopping in a street or road, and any time it is tested you will find that is the case.

Most all candidates for county offices have announced in this county, and the campaign is just beginning. To bad we do not have offices for them all, but at least they will have a good time trying to win, and the ones that lose will think there is some of the biggest liars on earth in Floyd County.

We need a good man from this county to make the race for representative this year. We have had very little representation at Austin for a number of years, and from the looks of things we may not get relief soon.

Treating people among whom you live; right, is a paying proposition. A case in view is that of Dan Moody of Williamson County. The first people to try to help Dan accomplish higher things are the people who have known him from his childhood. It is a cinch that he has the right kind of material in him for these Williamson County people have found out his short comings and would not be so anxious to push him forward. Moody has proven his ability since he has been attorney general and he has also proven that he is in favor of fair dealings with the tax payers of the state in the disbursements of the state funds, and he does not believe in paying bonuses to contracting companies by state officials, and by his acts he has saved the state several hundred thousand dollars in returned money where the contractors had overcharged the state on the contracts that had been sanctioned by other members of the state's official family. What Texas needs is more men in its public offices that believe in giving the people of the state a fair deal in all matters where their tax money is spent. As we see it Texas needs such a man as governor.

Ma Ferguson may think that she can pardon enough convicts to re-elect her as governor of the state, at any rate she should have a big following of ex-convicts and the criminal inclined. At the rate she has been turning them loose the state penitentiary should be empty by election day.

Garden planting time is about here, and within a few days most everyone will be making preparations for the spring garden.

Dan Moody has "flung his hat in the governor's arena," so to speak, for the coming campaign. Dan is the man to "pore it on" Ma Ferguson, for he has had the job of trying to keep the Fergusons on the straight and narrow path during the administration they are now serving. Of course, Jim will be out in a day or so with some kind of a "smoke screen" to try to lead the people off from the fact that Ma has been one of the most miserable failures that has ever been in the governor's chair, according to what we think. Dan has been a clean man all along, and he has probably saved the state a lot of money this year that Jim and the road contractors would have got had he not intervened. We don't know how much money has been paid various and sundry contractors and commissions of the state that Dan has not been able to bring suit for recovery, but our guess is that the road commission and contractors are not the only ones that have had their "fingers in the pie." But Dan proposes to take a general clean-up of affairs down Austin way if he is elected governor, and from the happenings of the past year we are of the belief that he will clean-up a whole out of the graft if he is elected. We are for Moody in preference to the other three in the race, because we believe he will do more toward cleaning house than any of them, and it is our belief that they sure need a house cleaning campaign down at Austin.

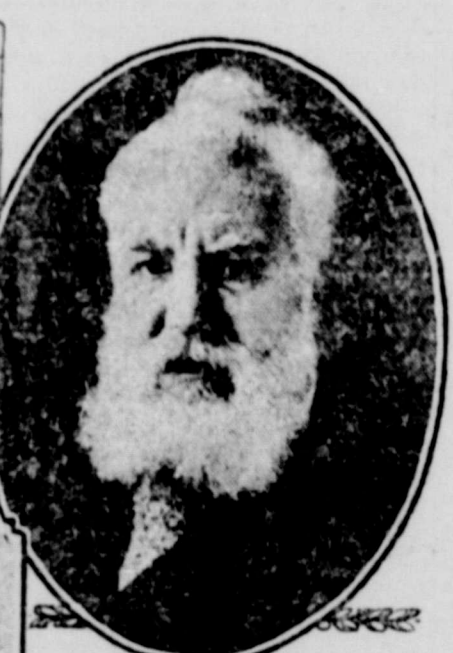
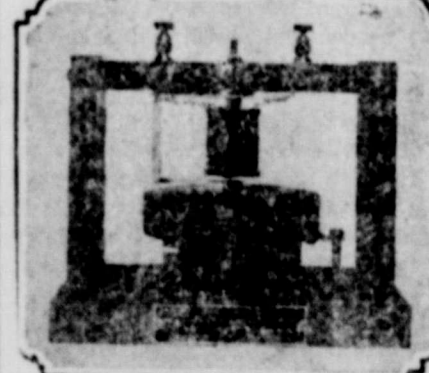
Looks like another bitter campaign in Texas this year. The political sphere was reasonably clear until the Ferguson announcement last Sunday. We will never have a dignified campaign of principles in this state until

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The Fergusons are eliminated. We hope the "liminator" is in fine working order by July.—Clarendon News.

How did you like the chicken page in the last issue of the Beacon? Take a look at the page in this issue. Floyd County has more pure bred chickens and larger flocks of them, than any other county in West Texas and what we want to do is to have a large flock of pure bred chickens on every farm in Floyd County. There is more money in chickens than any one item that can be produced on the farm. The American hen is an advertiser, she always tells you when she delivers the goods. There is no sweeter music than the cackling of the hens to the people who are making the major part of their living from them, and the chicken route is one of the easiest and best routes to go. Raise more and better poultry

Telephone's 50th Birthday Celebrated March 10th



Left: The first telephone. Above: Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone.

March 10th, 1926, marks the fiftieth anniversary of an important event.

On March 10th, 1876, in a small garret workshop in Boston, Alexander Graham Bell uttered the first words ever transmitted over telephone wires. "King a small crude transmitter and a wire but a few yards in length, he said, "Mr. Watson, come here, I want you." His assistant, Thomas A. Watson, sitting at a receiver in another room, heard these words distinctly and hurried into the room to tell Bell that their tireless research had been rewarded.

Now the telephone is a national necessity, but at first it was considered a mere scientific toy and most people were inclined to scoff at it.

It remained for Dom Pedro, Emperor of Brazil, to place the first stamp of public approval upon the telephone a June of 1876. Bell had taken his rude little invention to the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia and had set up his exhibit in one of the booths. Late afternoon of the day when the judges were making a tour of inspection of the booths Dom Pedro entered the booth containing the telephone, just as the judges were about to pass it by with a glance of incredulity. Dom Pedro recognized Bell, whom he had previously met in Boston, and agreed to test the telephone.

As the incredulous judges looked on, their interest now aroused, Dom Pedro took his place at the receiver while Bell went to the transmitter. Suddenly Dom Pedro threw back his head, and with an amazed look on his face exclaimed, "My God, it talks!" The judges then took their turns at the re-

and watch Floyd County prosper.

The rains of the past week have put a new lease on life among the wheat men, and prospects now are that Floyd County will market a two million bushel crop of wheat. There is probably 110,000 acres of wheat in the county this year, and there will be that much more planted to cotton and feed crops. This is the best farming section of state, for we can raise six good crops each year—cotton, wheat, sorghums, chicks, hogs and dairy products—and they are all winners.

The city is to be complimented on the new street lighting system. These lights are well distributed all over the town, and they are of wonderful help to the citizens going to and from their homes after night, and besides they make the city look much better of a night, making it look like the live city which it is.

Mrs. Ed Reeves and Mrs. D. P. Carter went to Abilene Tuesday, for a visit of several days with their children, Miss Mabel Reeves, and Otis and Miss Lucile Carter.

M. D. Arterburn and son, M. D. Jr., have been quite sick for several days with attacks of flu pneumonia, but are reported better at this time.

The year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Huggins has been very ill for the past week.

Chas. Ramsey, Jr. of Dallas, and Sam Ramsey of Ranger, have been here this week visiting the bedside of their father, C. F. Ramsey, Sr., who has been quite ill.

Miss Reta Blankenship arrived from Ranger, Texas Sunday to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams and be connected with the Beacon force.

Mrs. Eldon Morgan and little son of Hale Center were here visiting relatives Sunday.

J. H. Blount has been quite ill with an attack of the flu.

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NEWS HAPPENINGS OVER PLAINS

ITEMS OF INTEREST HAPPENING ON THE PLAINS DURING THE PAST WEEK

A test well is to be sunk near Lubbock in an effort to develop an oil field in that section of the country.

The Texas Commercial Secretaries will hold their annual convention at Lubbock July 22, 23 and 24th.

The town of Panhandle is to install a modern water works system at an early date.

O'Donnell voted a \$65,000 bond issue Tuesday of last week, to be used in the improvement of the school in that independent school district.

Sixteen fine dairy cows arrived at the Texas Tech College, Lubbock, last week and the dairying department of the school is now functioning. Cream separators and all other equipment necessary in a dairy has been installed.

W. M. Goudy was elected president; Byron Gist, vice president and W. E. Bennett secretary, of the Hereford Breeders' Association, which was in session at Amarillo last week.

The sixth annual contest for Vocational Agricultural Students will be held at the West Texas Teachers College in Canyon on Saturday, April 3. There was more than 150 students participated in this contest last year. An added feature this year will be the Farm Shop contest.

J. P. Crowley was given three years in the penitentiary last week by a jury at Tahoka for the murder of A. O. Hock, which occurred at Brownfield on July 22, 1922.

Abernathy, Hale county, will hold its second annual community fair on September 24th and 25th this year.

Many Amarillo merchants were victims of forged checks to the amount of about one thousand dollars last week, given by three youths from Oklahoma. The names given the policemen who arrested the boys were George Taylor, Owen Lackey and Bill Reid.

Material is now being placed on the ground at Plainview for the erection of a modern flour mill, to replace the one recently burned. The Harvest Queen Mill & Elevator Co. will build a much better mill than the one they lost by fire.

The district Interscholastic Meet will be held in Lubbock on April 23rd and 24th.

Sam Lazarus, president of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railroad, died in New York City, early Friday morning, March 5th.

STATE AID SCHOOLS MUST NOT MAINTAIN MORE THAN EIGHT MONTHS TERM

There have been some rumors to the effect that more than one of our State Aid schools were planning to use their State Aid money for the purpose of maintaining an extra month of school, instead of providing equipment or supplies for which State Aid funds were allowed.

Surely these rumors are without foundation. At any rate it is a very unwise thing to do, as well as unlawful. Any school that receives state aid and then maintains a nine months term disqualifies itself for receiving state aid next year. The only way by which a State Aid School can legally maintain a term longer than eight months, is to close all records and reports at the end of the eight month term, and maintain the remainder of the term either by tuition or by donation.

I shall not approve any teachers vouchers in any of our State Aid Schools for a longer period than eight months.

In making the above statements do not think that I am opposed to a nine month term of school. I only wish that every school in Floyd County could be maintained for nine months. However, the state aid law

sets the limit at eight months, and in justice to our future progress and welfare we must abide by this law.

The present law providing State Aid money will be in effect one more year. If the State should again be granted by our legislature it is the desire and sincere hope of the County Superintendent that no term limit will be placed upon schools participating in this aid.

Mr. J. S. Rasco, State Aid Inspector from the department, who recently inspected the schools of our County, is also opposed to the present eight month limit.

Tracy Scott, County Superintendent, Floyd County, Texas.

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I wish to announce as a candidate for Sheriff and Tax Collector of Floyd County. You will remember that I withdrew from the race last election.

I have no long promises to make at this time, but will do my best to give honest and efficient service if elected.

Will welcome any investigation you would like to make where I have lived. Have been in Floydada six years.

Respectfully,
P. G. STEGALL

RAILROAD RATE HEARING

Hearing of the application of the railroads to advance freight rates on piling fence posts and telegraph poles was begun in Dallas Monday. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is being represented by U. S. Pawket. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is opposing such a raise on the grounds that they believe the present rates are reasonable enough, and if anything they are too high. Should this case be lost it will mean that every farmer in West Texas using fence posts will have to pay more money for them than the cost is at present.

ON HUNTING TRIP TO OLD MEXICO

Carl McAdams, David Bates, Burton Thornton and Jim Harper, accompanied by H. E. Smith, Land and Colonization Agent for the Mexican Northwestern Railroad Company, and several parties from Matador and Floyada left Saturday morning for El Paso, where they will entrain for a point 150 west Chihuahua City, where they will spend several days in the mountains on a hunting expedition. It is said by Mr. Smith that the mountains in that section are plentiful in black bears, deer, antelopes, cats, wild turkeys, ducks, etc., and we are expecting to hear of some great bags being made by these hunters when they return. Mr. Bates is making a diary while on the trip and promises to turn it over to the editor of the Beacon on his return, from which we will publish a story of the trip, and in case that there is anything happens that Mr. Bates or the other Lockney men do not care to divulge, Mr. Smith has promised to supply us with the necessary data, so that we can tell our readers about that also.

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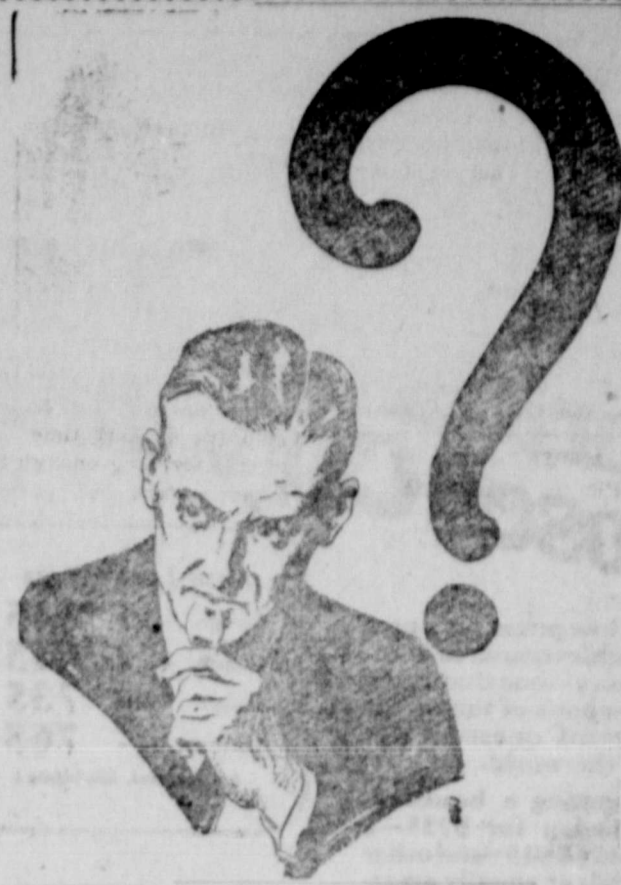
Do away with your mud chains. Supply yourself with a bundle of old newspapers and when your car gets stuck in the mud and the rear wheels get to spinning in stead of calling on some one to pull you out merely slip a few old newspapers under the rear wheels, turn on the juice and see the car come out of the mire. Newspapers are great up-lifters. When your business gets into a rut, the newspapers will help you out if you use the advertising column. Crest is the power of newspapers.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Crager of Lockney, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia, at her home in Plainview. Mrs. Johnson contracted a case of the flu while visiting here with her parents a few days ago, and it developed into pneumonia.

J. S. McLain of Mickey, was in Lockney Wednesday on business. Mr. McLain was one of the first settlers in Floyd county, having come here in 1887, and settled at Old Della Plains, at one time county seat of Floyd county. Mr. McLain says the people had better times in the early days than they do now, as everybody had time to visit and see a good time, and were not in such a rush, as they are nowadays. Mr. McLain now lives just west of Mickey, where he runs his farm.

Mias Rovella Cox went to Plainview Tuesday afternoon to spend several days visiting her sister, Mrs. Alvin Nichols.

A. L. Rains, wife and daughter, spent Sunday at Kress visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Samman.



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PLAINVIEW SANITARIUM NEWS

Roy Hooper of this city, son of R. L. Hooper had a fractured collar bone and was carried to the sanitarium where he receives medical attention.

Little Miss Rena Blankney of Turkey underwent an operation for appendicitis on last Thursday and her condition is very satisfactory. The little girl is a niece of W. O. Perkins of that city.

Mrs. J. M. Baggett, wife of J. M. Baggett of Ozona, Texas underwent an operation on last Wednesday. Mr. Baggett is a prominent rancher of the Ozona country, 70 miles southwest of San Angelo. One year ago Mrs. Baggett's daughter had an operation here.

Miss Beula Phillips submitted to a successful operation for appendicitis last week. Miss Phillips is with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. of this city and has been for several years.

Mrs. Fern Weyle of this city is in the hospital under the care of physicians.

Mrs. C. G. Brock of this city is resting well since undergoing an operation on last Friday.

The five year old son of W. M. Holt of Plainview, sustained a broken arm on last Friday and was brought to the sanitarium for treatment.

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Mrs. A. M. Saul of Hale Center is in the sanitarium in a precarious condition, but hopes are held for her recovery.

Mrs. N. G. Barrett of Olton, who underwent an operation on last Saturday, is recovering rapidly.

Mrs. P. M. Elrod of near Plainview, entered the sanitarium, where she was given an examination and treatment.

Miss Margaret McBryde of Lubbock, is a patient in the sanitarium for medical examination and treatment.

Alcot Kirk is in the sanitarium for treatment. Alcot is the son of Attorney W. W. Kirk of this city.

Mrs. H. R. Crow of Tulla underwent an operation for appendicitis last Sunday. Mrs. Crow's condition is very satisfactory.

Mrs. Arthur Patton of Turkey is resting well since undergoing an operation last Sunday.

Albert Puckett of Lockney, is in the sanitarium suffering from a broken leg and other injuries, sustained by falling from a windmill.

The two year old child of G. J. Perkins, is in the sanitarium under treatment of physicians.

Mrs. T. J. Ward is in the sanitarium for x-ray examination and treatment.

W. T. Gray of Turkey is resting well since undergoing an operation for

appendicitis last Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Sanford of Houston, is a patient in the sanitarium.

Miss Thelma Thompson of Kress, is able to leave the sanitarium after an attack of flu.

J. H. Hale of Hale Center, is recovering, after quite a serious accident, when he fell and broke his hip and sustained other injuries.

Mrs. H. A. Sharp of Olton, will soon be able to return to her home, after a very successful operation in the sanitarium.

Mrs. E. T. Koger is recovering from an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Koger lives in Kress.

Jack Scott of this city, was able to be discharged from the sanitarium where he was a patient for several days.

Mrs. F. E. Gargus of this city had her tonsils removed last week.

G. W. McKee of this city, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Olive Mathis of Lockney is doing nicely since undergoing an operation for appendicitis. Dr. Green of Lockney came over and assisted in the operation.

J. D. Johnston of Lockney recently underwent an operation and is recovering rapidly.

Givens Balderas of Quitaque, was brought to the sanitarium with a broken arm in which blood poison had set up, necessitating amputation of his arm. He is doing nicely at this time.

W. L. Frost of Tulla was admitted to the hospital last Sunday and was operated on for appendicitis. Mr. Frost's condition is favorable.

Mr. E. E. Blakney of Silverton was in the sanitarium last week under treatment of physicians.

Miss Clara Stobb of Quitaque, underwent a bone operation recently at the hospital.

Ralph, the ten year old son of E. B. Hudgins, was brought to the sanitarium last Monday, where he was operated on for appendicitis. We are glad to report the young man doing nicely.

Miss Mary Bell Crosshwait of this city, underwent a blood transfusion on last Monday and since that time the young lady is doing very nicely.

The daughter of C. L. Washington of Quitaque, is improving since an operation of the bone last Monday.

Grady Garrett of Lockney was able to leave the sanitarium after an x-ray examination and treatment of physicians.

Van H. Foster of Wayland College had a minor operation recently.

Miss Bonnie Davis of this city, is in the hospital under medical treatment. Miss Davis is doing very nicely.

M. S. Writes this Week about growing Trees and Vines on the Plains.

The Beacon says, "plant trees," now that is good advice, and I am writing this especially to the new comer on the Plains, and I don't know it all, and am not a professional horticulturist, and am not trying to get my name in the paper, because no one but the editor knows who is writing, and he won't tell tales out of school.

But if I can be helpful to you in getting an orchard started right I will be more than repaid for the time spent in writing to the Beacon, the paper that covers its trade territory like the water covers the sea. Do you know there are lots of people living in Floyd County that have assets worth more than a million dollars each, and some of them do not pay fifty dollars per year in taxes, and my next letter will tell more about them. And if you do not see this letter in print you may know it is reposing sweetly in the Beacon waste basket. You will see that growing several varieties of shade trees that do well here, but there is an objection to growing the Black Locust as it suckers sometimes and the thorny bushes around are a nuisance, and too there is a borer working on the trees on the north plains that has killed hundreds of large trees in Amarillo and Canyon, and if they are headed this way just kiss the locust trees goodbye. Peaches do well and if you can get some genuine Plains seedlings you will be most fortunate. Cherries are a pronounced success, but only the sour class of trees will be profitable such as Richmond and Montmorency. Plums such as Pools pride and American are fine. Pools at first is a little twisted tree and does not look like it would amount to anything but in a few years it grows to be a very large tree and is loaded with fruit. The fruits are red and juicy and not large but are splendid for cooking. Apple trees grow well, and a few months ago the county agent mentioned some trees planted around a surface earth tank that were doing well. But right in the suburbs of town Mr. W. C. Watson has about two dozen trees growing around a surface tank and they have a circumference of thirty inches two feet above the ground. It makes a person wish that it were possible to be one of the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Watson in this fall of the year when the apples are

ripening, climbing up into the tree and securing the very reddest apple in sight, then sitting on limb of the tree up among the birds eating that apple.

A little boy is responsible for one of the best apples we have today. His father was setting out some fine grafted apple trees in his orchard near Rome New York, and he found a tree where a graft had died and the seedling tree had grown up in place of the graft, of course he threw it away. His little boy asked if he could have the tree, and his father said yes but it is no account. The boy set the tree out near the river bank and cared for it. In a few years it had a crop of apples and they were more beautiful and larger than any his father had raised from his fine grafted trees. Buds and grafts were taken from the tree just before the river got on a rampage and washed the ground away where the tree was the tree being washed away too, the boy named it after his home town and added the word; "beauty" making it the Roman Beauty. Almost any evening about seven o'clock over K. O. A. the announcer in giving market quotations mentions this apple first on the list but he puts a handle to the same and says, "Roman Beauty."

Yes, grapes do extra well. Concord and Niagara are the two varieties most grown. But I want to tell you about what I think is the best of all trees to plant and that is the Compass Cherry. It originated in Minnesota and is thought to be a cross between the wild sand cherry and Minor plum. They are perfectly hardy here and will most times have a crop of fruit the next year after setting out, and they have wonderful crops of fruit almost every year. It would really pay to thin the fruit when about half grown, but in spite of the heavy crops of fruit the tree makes a good growth. The fruit when fully ripe is purple and is very much larger than a cherry and has the small cherry seed. Experts claim that the fruit is not first class a fresh fruit, but folks around here say that it is splendid. But for every purpose for cooking and canning it is like cherries. Now if you make use of this suggestion and plant several Compass trees in a few years you will say that this single issue of the Beacon was worth to you many times what it costs for a whole year's subscription. The only disappointment you will get in a few years is because you didn't plant twice as many.

Dewberries, Austin Mays and Lucetta are both a success, but the Austin Mays thornless is no good as the vines winterkill. About five or six years ago when the thornless was first advertised an old bachelor friend of mine, planted several hundred of them, he said he thought that he could not think of a prettier picture than a pair of twin babies in that berry patch with their tummies well rounded out with berries and their fingers and mouths well smeared over with juice and not a sticker. He says some of the girls in town sure look as though they love dewberry or cranberry jam as he has seen some on the streets with their lips well covered with it. He says of course its none of his business, but believes that every girl has a right to look her prettiest and think their mothers would see to it that they wouldn't go out on the streets with their lips covered with jam, they would look much prettier if they washed it off before leaving home. Yes, the strange thing to me is why don't old bachelors do like most of the married men, marry the very first woman they get, and be mighty glad to get her, but, on second thought maybe they do. This same old bachelor is having a terrible time just now, his potato ground is soaking wet with irrigation water and he can't plant it now, and a neighbor told him that last Tuesday was the last day to plant in the moon, so now he says he will have to plant in some of the planets, or doggonet in Sirius, the dog star.

Tra, la, la,—M. S.

PROVIDENCE NEWS

Mrs. Max Brandis is able to be up again after being ill with the flu. She has been ill for two weeks.

The Providence girls basket ball team went to Prairieview Friday and played basket ball with the Prairieview girls, and won by a score of 25 to 5. Our boys played the Prairieview boys also, and won.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmermann and Mr. and Mrs. Dee visited at the Kennedy home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Woodward and Mr. C. Hill of Plainview were also guests at the Kennedy home Sunday evening.

Miss Ola Mae Gamble is back in school after a week's illness with the flu.

Clifford and Frances Dameron were absent from school last week on account of being ill.

Emma and Ewald Sammann returned last week from a four months' visit at Marlin.

Mrs. Powell and daughter was in Plainview Saturday shopping.

Sunday was a most beautiful day in our community.

TEXAS NEWS

Building permits in Wichita Falls in February aggregated \$816,476.

A total of 2,268,740 barrels of crude oil was produced in the Texas Gulf coast during February, as compared with 2,394,770 barrels during January.

A proposed \$40,000 bond issue to construct a new high school building at Floresville was defeated by the close vote of 271 to 268 at an election Saturday.

Land owners are receiving large sums of money from sales of leases on land located in the vicinity of Colliton tests in Cherokee County, 15 miles south of Troup.

The state prison system was operated at a net loss of \$58,233 during the calendar year of 1925, according to the annual report of the state prison commission submitted to the governor this week.

In the backyard of F. D. Kimzey in Huntington, eight miles south of Lockney, his water well from which he has secured his domestic supply for the last several years has within the past two weeks converted itself into an oil well.

Admitting that there is strong agitation for a reduction in cotton acreage throughout East Texas this year, a general crop report issued by the Cotton Belt Railway states that there is a growing impression that the reduction, if any, will be small.

Gift tax, which has been repealed for 1926, will have to be paid for 1925. J. W. Bass, internal revenue collector, said this week. The tax will have to be paid by March 15, as the law is not retroactive for 1925, but few people are paying their tax, he said.

The council of mouth hygiene and public instruction of the Texas State Dental Society has arranged with the state department of health and the state department of education to set the date for dental health week in Texas this year on March 15 to 20.

More than 200 quail have been brought in to the Bassett Blakely game preserve in South Texas, near Houston, it was announced Friday. More quail and deer soon are to be added, and it is planned to make this preserve one of the best stocked in the state.

Brownville's downtown street topping campaign is more than half completed. Twenty-three blocks of wood block paving are being topped with asphalt to provide a smooth and noiseless surface and to prevent the blocks buckling when they are wet during rains.

The new road between Texas City and San Leon, which is the last link in a bay shore drive between Galveston and Houston, will be opened for traffic by June 1, according to information received from county officials by the road and street committee of the Texas City Board of Trade.

There has been a decided increase in planting of peach trees in East Texas this winter, according to P. T. Cole, agricultural commissioner of the Cotton Belt Railway. In extent of peach tree planting, Henderson County, with more than 75,000 trees set this winter, claims to lead all other East Texas counties.

The attorney general's department has approved six City of Fort Worth bond issues aggregating \$2,289,000. The issues are: Water and sanitary sewer \$1,500,000, bearing 4 3/4 per cent interest; street improvement \$500,000; parks \$100,000; recreation \$100,000; incinerator \$71,000; city and county hospital \$18,000, bearing 4 1/2 per cent interest all maturing serially.

The railroad commission has authorized a rate of 16 1/2 cents per 100 pounds on carload shipments of crude oil, in tank cars from Mirando City, Nolela and Bruni, Texas, to Galveston, Houston, Texas City, Baytown, Beaumont, Orange, Sabine Pass, Port Arthur, West Port Arthur, Atreco, Magpetco, Nederland, Port Neches, Smith's Bluff, and Sun, Texas.

During the month of February there were 557 fires in Texas as reported to the state fire insurance commission entailing a loss of \$763,642. It was announced Friday by the commission. Twenty-eight of the fires were caused in exposure, causing a loss of \$134,711. Electricity caused 35 fires, loss \$46,957; incendiaries caused a loss of \$21,026, with 12 fires. Sixty-five fires were caused by sparks on roof, loss \$3,825; 52 fires were caused by defective flue or chimneys, loss \$66,534.

January tax collections in Harris County reached \$1,209,909.41, which broke the record for the largest amount of any county in the state for one month.

Representative business men of 15 East Texas counties, meeting at Longview Friday, urged the necessity of organizing an East Texas chamber of commerce and called a meeting to be held in Longview March 24. Those meeting in Longview said that with the delegations which would come from their counties and the other counties interested, probably more than 1000 representatives of the agricultural and business interests of East Texas would attend this meeting.

The BULL'S EYE

Editor and General Manager WILL ROGERS



News Taken from the Daily Papers

A headline in the paper says "In their war China won't fight on rainy days." They don't mind getting shot, but they won't get wet.

Imagine a sign as you start to enter China: "RAIN. NO WAR TODAY." If that was the custom in this country, we could prevent all wars by announcing that all the fighting must be done in Portland, Oregon.

Another paper asks, "Where does a Florida Real Estate man go in the summer?" He goes to California to his all-the-year-round home.

A newspaper asks "Why does a President of a concern always talk at the Company's banquets?" It's an incentive to the workers, who say, "If that's all he knows I may be President some day."

Another paper suggests, "The cheapest way to enforce Prohibition is to have everyone that drinks watched." Who is going to do the watching?

An article in a Business Man's magazine inquires, "What business in this country has the largest turnover?" Cucumbers for supper have the largest turnover, with Fords a close second.

The Congressional Record, in an editorial, says, "The Durham is the best Tobacco that ever entered these Statesly Halls."

Will Rogers
P.S. There will be another piece in this paper soon. Watch for it.

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PLEASANT VALLEY NEWS

Mrs. A. L. Watson and three sons were Floydada visitors Tuesday.

Mr. Payne was called to the bedside of his mother at Greenville last week. She was reported very low, but is some better now, it is thought.

There is to be a program given at Pleasant Valley school house Friday night by the school children. Everybody is invited to attend.

The flu epidemic seems to have slackened up in this community and it is hoped that it will soon stop.

S. M. Brown and daughter, Miss May, returned Monday from a four months trip spent near Hallinger, Texas. Mr. Brown stated they went down there to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Davis and son, Terrell, of Weatherford, have been here this week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Robert Webster.

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County offices \$10.00
Commissioner, Precinct offices \$7.50
Notices Precinct offices \$5.00
City offices \$5.00

We are authorized to announce the following names for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on July, 1926;

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE
CHARLES CLEMENTS
R. C. JOINER
(Re-election)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
W. E. HUFFINES
MEADE F. GRIFFIN
C. D. WRIGHT

FOR DISTRICT CLERK
T. P. GUIMARIN
EDD MUNCY

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
T. R. WEBB
WILL SIMPSON
J. W. HOWARD
Wm. McGREEN

FOR COUNTY CLERK
MISS ANNA SEMS
TOM W. DEEN

FOR SHERIFF AND
AX COLLECTOR
J. R. MADDOX
(Re-election)
ED GRIFFIN
R. L. (Bob) KROPP
P. G. STEGALL

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
MRS. ELDER MORRIS
(Re-election)
MRS. DORA CRAIN
MRS. MAUD MERRICK

FOR COUNTY SUPT. OF PUBLIC
INSTRUCTION
PRICE SCOTT

FOR TAX ASSESSOR
C. M. MEREDITH

FOR COMMISSIONER, Prec. NO. 2
E. H. RANKIN
W. H. (Bill) JOHNSTON
T. Z. REED
W. O. SHURBET
(Re-election)

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRE. No. 3
J. L. LAP
WALTER WOOD
(Re-election)
M. H. TAYLOR

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER
PRECINCTS, NO. 2 AND 3
C. K. BENNETT

CEDAR NEWS

The play entitled, "The Little Clodhopper," was presented at the school auditorium March 5 by the Cedar high school students.

The cast was as follows:
Clarence Strickland, Quincy Sikes,

Homer Starkey, Eva Kimberley, Daisy Biard and Odessa Clendenon. The special feature for the occasion was an orchestra composed of Cedar musicians.

The cast have been asked to present the play again for the benefit of those who did not get to attend on the night the play was presented, and there is also quite a few people that desire to see the play again.

Mrs. J. C. Fortenberry who has been quite ill for the past several days with the asthma and flu is recovering.

Mr. H. C. Randolph who has been in Mexico for several days returned home Friday.

Church services will be held at the Baptist Church next Sunday at 10:00 o'clock.—Reporter.

MUSIC FESTIVAL TO BE HELD AT LUBBOCK

The third annual South Plains Music Festival which will be held at Lubbock, March 24, 25, 26, and 27 will be the biggest success the festival has ever been, according to the belief of Miss Lauream Christian, local music teacher, member of the South Plains Music Teachers Association who is sponsoring the festival.

Four of America's leading artists will appear in recital during the first three evenings of the festival while 340 South Plains musicians will compete for honors in various contests in the morning and afternoon of the four days to be capped with a recital the last night of the festival by all the winners of the contests.

Season tickets went on sale Monday morning for the festival and a large number will be purchased in the next few days. The tickets are being offered until March 18 at the very low price of \$2 in order to attract every music lover on the South Plains to attend the festival and receive the benefits of the artists. Last year the Association sold the tickets for \$4 but this year in order to get the largest number to attend possible they have cut the price half in two, down to the very minimum providing they are purchased before March 18. After that date only single tickets will be sold and they will go at a dollar each.

The following artists will appear during the festival: James Stanley, Basso Baritone; Madame Dorothy Wellin, Dramatic Soprano; Edwin Hughes, pianist; and Max Pollikoff, violinist.

In bringing these artists to the South Plains, the South Plains Music Teacher's Association is attempting the biggest musical program which has yet been offered in this section and at the very lowest price. Any evening of the four day festival will easily be worth the price of a season ticket. The association deserves the congratulations and the hearty support of the entire South Plains in their efforts for the advancement of the musical life of this section.

Miss Lauream Christian's music class consisting of fourteen piano pupils, a chorus of twenty coral girls of the high school and a music memory team, will take part in the musical festival at Lubbock, and contest for the premiums to be offered.

WHATS DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Cross Plains—The Oil Belt Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held here March 23. Unusually heavy attendance is expected. A feature will be the high school speaking contest on "My Town" in which high school students from the towns of the district will contest for a prize of \$10 in gold.

Stamford—R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has completed his fourth major campaign in behalf of a program of diversified and intensive farming. This campaign was over the South Plains and Cap Rock counties and eleven speaking appointments were filled. He plans two more campaigns one through the Brady-Del Rio country and one in the Fort Worth district.

Abilene—This city has purchased space in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce exhibit at the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia. The Abilene special exhibit will go into a ten foot front space for which the city pays one thousand dollars.

Cisco—The viaduct over Williamson Dam at Lake Cisco and a state highway over the dam and on the connect with the Shackelford County highway system is assured. The State Highway Commission has ordered the bridge and highway and highway and passed an order to advertise for bids.

Eastland—The Texas-Pacific dining car service will serve fresh eggs of the Bankhead Poultry Association Contract for eggs has been signed by the Association with the railway and a neat premium will be received by the producers for their eggs.

Vernon—A five story modern hotel of 100 rooms will be constructed here by Col. E. O. Thompson of Amarillo. The Vernon Chamber of Commerce supplied a building site as a bonus for the hotel. Cost of the structure will be \$200,000.

Breckenridge—E. O. Goodwin for the past two years secretary of the local chamber of commerce has accepted the secretaryship of the Board of City Development at a salary of \$5,000 per year.

Silverton—Few Texans are aware of the scenic wonders of Scott's cap near here. At this point the Cap-Rock crops out in a manner as seen nowhere else. Canyons seven hundred feet deep, mountain peaks and mountain scenery unsurpassed anywhere form a wonderful vista. Plans to give publicity to this wonderful Texas scenery and to improve highways leading to the natural wonders are no being worked out.

Amarillo—Steering committees for the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held here in June have been appointed. Manager Porter A. Whaley and Assistant Homer D. Wade were here recently and held conferences with the local committees. Attendance of not less than forty thousand was predicted by the officials.

Littlefield—Announcement of the candidacy of Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield for the post of president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been made by his friends. Mr. Duggan has accepted their nomination of him for the place and has formally announced.

Whiehita Falls—A pipe line from this city to the oils fields of the Texas Panhandle is assured. This line will greatly increase operations in northern fields.

Jacksboro—Construction of the beautiful highway system of Jack County is going forward rapidly. The county will have paved highways crossing it in both directions and the highways will be of high type and perfect engineering. The Jacksboro Chamber of Commerce under the direction of J. Allen Loftin new secretary has taken on new life and a constructive program of city development has been mapped.

CHIEF JUSTICE APPEALS COURT RAPS FERGUSONS

"There isn't an ant bed in the state that isn't better governed than the State of Texas," declared R. Walker Hall, chief justice of the Seventh Court of Civil Appeals in addressing Rotary Club.

Judge Hall talked on the wave of crime now sweeping America, which he characterized as a deluge, and took occasion to rap the law enforcement policies of Governor Ferguson.

Application of the golden rule, nothing else, will halt crime, declared the justice.

"Respect for the rights of others," is what is needed, he declared.

America's crime wave is now a deluge, said the speaker. It extends from the highest to the lowest.

Juvenile crime has increased 630 per cent since the war. Burglary has increased 500 per cent in five years in New York. Here it has increased 500 per cent in five weeks.

The average age of prisoners before the war was 41, now it is under 20. There are 30,000 professional criminals in New York. 18,000 in

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While this program of price reduction has been carried on, important refinements and improvements have been made in Ford cars. The latest improvements include new and attractive body lines—a lower center of gravity, closed cars in color, all-steel bodies, new brakes and new style fenders. However, the basic features of Ford design have not been changed. Three point motor suspension, planetary transmission, dual ignition system, torque tube drive, multiple disc-in-oil clutch, splash lubrication, thermo-syphon cooling system—outstanding features of automobile design—have all been retained, regardless of cost.
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One out of every twenty-two cars in Chicago is stolen.

A bank is robbed every nineteen hours in the United States.

A murder is committed every hour. These are some of the sensational statements made by Judge Hall. They were taken from a survey recently

made by the National Bar Ass'n. Amarillo News

NEW FEDERAL COURT PROPOSED BY JONES

WASHINGTON, March 6.—A bill to create a new division of the federal district court the northern Texas district was introduced today by Representative Jones, Democrat, of that state. The measure would create in addition to existing districts, a new division which, after next July, would embrace the following counties: Bailey Lamb, Floyd, Motley, Dickens, Crosby Lubbock, Scurry, Haskell, Cochran, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Dawson, and Gaines.

The proposed district would be known as the Lubbock division.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. Killer spent Sunday in Panhandle visiting and looking at the new oil boom town.

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**TEACHER'S EXAMINATION
APRIL 2nd AND 3rd, 1926**

The next teacher's examination will be offered in Floydada, April 2 and 3, 1926.

Only two certificates may now be obtained by State examinations. These are as follows: (1) Elementary Certificate of Second Class, which is practically the same as the old Second Grade; (2) High School Certificate of the Second Class, which is practically the same as the old First Grade.

Those wishing to take any examinations must register with the County Superintendent not later than the 20th of the month preceding the examination. One may register in person, by phone or by letter. It costs nothing to register for an examination, and the mere form of registering does not obligate one in any way to take the examinations when it is given. Examination fee is \$4 and all papers are sent to the State Department at Austin to be graded.

Other examination dates for the year are as follows: June 4 and 5, July 2 and 3, August 13 14, September 3 and 4 and December 8 and 4. Further information of this nature may be obtained from the County Superintendent.

Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club

On account of the rainy weather our club did not meet last Wednesday. A few women came but neither of the presidents came so we did not have the program. We discussed the Menu and some expressed their opinions on the requirements of a good menu. Probably we will have the demonstration on a well balanced menu in connection with our next program which will be held Wednesday, March 11th.

Subject: food value of cheese. Hostess, Mrs. W. F. Glenn.

Roll Call: My favorite way of serving cheese.

Order.
Business.
Leader, Miss Bass.

Program:

1. Value of Cottage cheese in the diet. Mrs. G. C. Collins.
2. Demonstration on making cottage cheese. Mrs. Frank Probasco.
3. Preparation of attractive cheese salads, sandwiches, etc. Mrs. W. E. Miller.—Reporter.

Come to the Meeting

The Church of Christ will begin a meeting at Lone Star on Saturday night, March 13th.

Evangelist Jno. M. Rice will do the preaching, and Prof. R. M. Morgan will have charge of the singing.

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**Senior League Program
For March 14th**

Topic: "The Value and the Victories of Perseverance." Heb. 12:1-4; Gal. 6:9-10; Heb. 2:1-4.

Leader—Wanda Stinebaugh.
Song, Scripture Reading. Song, Bible Light on the Topic.

1. "Stand Fast."—Annetta Johnson.
2. "Stand Fast in the Old Way."—Leota Shurbet.
3. "Reward for Being Constant."—Irene Williams.
4. "Watching with Perseverance."—Alice Bridges.
5. "Partakes of Christ."—Nell Kester.
6. "A Youth who Preserved in the Right Purpose."—Hazel Gruyer.

Piano Solo—Viviera Norris.
Special Music—Jake Griffith, Weldon Logan, Edward Newman, Clifford Kester.

Values of Perseverance:
"Steadfastness."—Joe Neely.
"Aim."—Edna McMinn.
"Nerve."—Vera Griffin.
"Determination."—Mrs. Jake Griffith.

Reading: "Keep on Keepin' On."—Ermalee Rea.
Business. Benediction.

Everyone is invited to meet with us at the League, Sunday evening, at 6:30 o'clock in the auditorium of the Methodist church.

Program for Intermediate League for Sunday, March 14th

Topic: "The Importance of Good Comrades."
Song: "In the Garden."
Scripture: Psalms 1:1-6.
Prayer: By Mrs. Jake Griffith.

Talks:
"Birds of a Feather Flock Together."—Ermin Ida Thomas.
"Standing True."—Roy Anderson.
"The Unfailing Comrade."—Warren Rives.

Business.
Junior League Program:
Topic: Preparing the way for Jesus.
Leader: Mary Gaynelle Thomas.
Song.
Scripture: Matt. 3: 1-6.
Song.
Reading: Lorraine Shico.
Prayer.
John, the Baptist Preparing the way: By Rexine Sams.
Preparing the way in our own hearts: Alice Stewart.
Telling orders of Jesus: Annis Stewart.
Song. Roll Call. Benediction.

**STATE HAS \$18,783,677
ON DEPOSITS IN BANKS**

AUSTIN, March 6.—W. Gragory Hatcher, state treasurer, Saturday announced that state funds in reserve depository banks in the State aggregated \$15,783,677 and \$3,000,000 with state depository banks. Three million dollars are to be withdrawn immediately for the per capita assessed for the from the general revenue fund public schools.

Four millions of the depository funds belong to the highway fund, Hatcher said. He anticipated heavy withdrawals from the funds for next week.

Z. T. Riley and Dewey Floyd went to Canyon Saturday to visit with their daughter of Matador were here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Day and little day afternoon.

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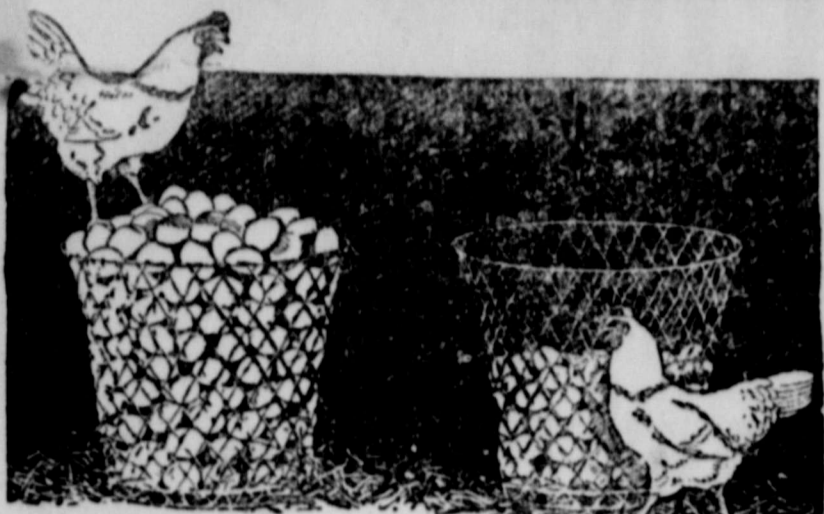
To-day, 290,000 Bell System employees all over the United States are wearing the emblem pictured above in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the telephone. Over 6,500 men and women telephone employees are displaying this pin in Texas

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rest, this few that you keep will furnish plenty of eggs for your incubator and for cooking purposes, the money that you receive from surplus hens that you sell will be much more than what you would receive from eggs if the culls are kept.

Bear in mind that in culling only keep bright eyed, red combed, good healthy stock, if possible free from all standard disqualifications. The male bird is half the flock, if your male birds are not what they should be, sell them and buy good sires, it always pays. One thing that should not be neglected is: stick to pure bred stock it does not take any more money to feed a pure bred chicken than it does a scrub, besides a flock of good chickens of any breed are a source of pleasure to the owner, and are good for the eyesight of the visitor. Choose your breed, the one you like best, give them good care, stick to that breed and they will pay you dividends. Now is the time to cull, reduce to the minimum, and keep only the best.

Crosbyton, has converted his dairy farm into a poultry ranch. Crosbyton has the largest white leghorn farm in Texas. Mr. Guy has over three thousand single comb English White Leghorn hens and it is quite a scene to the poultry fancier to visit this farm and see this great bunch of egg makers spring the trap nests at every hour in the day. Mr. Guy has not spared expense in securing the best stock to be had in the land, and has just recently installed a mammoth incubator, which is turning out thousands of baby chicks weekly for the buyers of baby chicks. The Guy White Leghorns and bred to produce eggs and every breeder on the farm is trap nested.

It will do you good to visit this farm if you have never had the opportunity to visit a real chicken farm and Mr. Guy takes pleasure in showing visitors over his plant.

Lockney has the name over West Texas of having the livest and most progressive Chamber of Commerce in this section of the country. The real reason for this is that about a dozen of the progressive business men of Lockney have kept plugging away for the past three years, meeting regular each week, and trying to do something for the community at large. There has been many things discussed by them, and everything Lockney has that is worth while can be traced to its beginning in these weekly meetings of the Chamber of Commerce. We are very sorry to say that the Chamber of Commerce has not had the support and counsel of all the business men of the town, for we feel sure that every business had been represented in these meetings each week we would have accomplished far more than we have at this time. The Chamber of Commerce is for the people of the community, and its worth and activity is limited by the number of citizens that take part in the welfare of the community. If every citizen of the community had given the Chamber of Commerce his or her support, today Lockney would be three times as large as it is and every business institution in the city would be more prosperous. The main project of a chamber of commerce is to build up the town and communities surrounding it, to keep the money that is made in the town and country surrounding, to encourage home industry, to locate new enterprises and new industries in the community, and to bring about better living conditions and a high moral standard. Some people seem to take pleasure in trying to tear down the chamber of commerce, and you will find this specimen of a human being in every locality in the country, and you will find the real and true reason that the average man who opposes the chamber of commerce is against it because he is

FLOYD COUNTY POULTRY ASSOCIATION

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 1926 WILL BE HELD—FALL SHOW WILL BE DISCUSSED

A meeting of the Floyd County Poultry Association has been called by the president, H. P. Coleman, for Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock, March 30th, at the First National Bank in Lockney. At this time officers for 1926 will be elected, and it is very important that every member and every one interested in poultry be present. Poultry in Floyd county is coming into its own, and every breeder of poultry should belong to this association.

One of the important projects of the association this year is to furnish eggs to the junior members free, the chicks hatched to be raised under the supervision of the county home demonstration agent and the county agent.

Professor Gurley, of the Agricultural Department of the Silvertown school, will be present and make a short address on poultry.

E. S. SHOAF, Secretary, Floyd County Poultry Association.

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CULLING POULTRY

By Eggleston S. Shoaf, Secretary of Floyd County Poultry Association.

The question of culling flocks of farm chickens is often a bit of worry to the average poultry farmer. No flock of chickens can be cull to close, especially at this time of the year. Spring is here, and no one should keep any fowl on the place that is not a good breeder. The idea that a large flock of chickens should be kept the year around is not good, as eggs from this time on bring a very small price. Hens can be sold at this time for a higher price than they will bring later on, and it costs real money to keep these hens and feed them through the summer. Cull to about twenty to forty of your very best hens and pullets, sell the

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LOST—A lot of sheets gowns, etc., between Lockney and Aiken, Monday, March 1st.—Return to Frank Floyd at Aiken Store for reward. 1tp

FOR SALE—Some real good young work mules, will consider terms.—Robert Smith, Jr., 8 miles north, 2 miles east of Lockney. 1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Chevrolet Roadster, run about 3,000 miles.—H. Williams, a City Meat Market. 1tp

FOR SALE—One shoot, weight about one hundred pounds.—Chas. Cook, 1-2 mile east of Aiken School house, Route 2. 1-4-p

FOR SALE—Two choice Poland China Bows, ready for service.—H. A. Brotherton, 2 1-2 miles north of Lockney. 25-11-p

NOTICE—Three year old Percheron Horse and Black Mammoth Jack will make season at my place, 2 1-2 miles north of Lockney. Terms \$10 to guarantee foal.—H. A. Brotherton. 25-41-p

NOTICE OF ELECTION

In the trustee's election to be held Saturday, April 3d, the trustees must be nominated at least 10 days before the election, and the nominations must be sent to the County Judge. A person can nominate himself, or by request signed by five voters of the school district. This is different from heretofore, and the nomination must be by written request to the County Judge before names can go on ticket.

L. H. Gruver, secretary of Lockney School Board.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The State of Texas County of Floyd.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Sunset Consolidated School District No. 8, in Floyd County, Texas, will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, on Saturday, March 20, 1926, at 2:00 p. m., the old school building of the former Sunset School District No. 8, together with six acres of land on which said building stands. The building is a three room frame building. The building and land will be sold either together or separately. Said building and land are one mile south of the new brick school building of the Sunset Consolidated Common School District No. 8, and sixteen miles northeast of Lockney, Texas.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

The Board of Trustees of Sunset Consolidated Common School District No. 8, Floyd County, Texas.

By R. L. Orman, president of Board of Trustees.

PER CAPITA IS ALMOST MILLION AND HALF

AUSTIN, March 6.—An Apportionment of \$5 per capita based on 1,345,000 scholastics in the state, will be made to the counties and independent school districts on March 10, it was announced by Professor S. M. N. Marrs superintendent of public instruction.

This means an apportionment of \$6,725,000, and is the largest of any single apportionment.

This was made possible through the courtesy of State Comptroller S. H. Terrell and State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher, Supt. Marrs said, "who at my request made a special transfer of \$3,000,000 from the general revenue to the available school fund."

Large amounts which included money which should be credited to the available school fund have been removed and placed to the credit of the general revenue since March 1

Transfers are regularly made on the last of each calendar month, and by anticipating the transfer this early in March, this large apportionment was made possible.

With this \$5 per capita apportionment, there will be left only \$4 per capita to be paid of the \$14 per capita apportionment made for the current scholastic year. It is probable, however, that the last \$1 of this remainder may not be paid prior to August 1.

GRIT & SAND by JAKE

Main street is just like it was four weeks ago, still dirty.

Clean up week is coming, may be main street will get clean once more.

Somebody is still asleep.

We think it may be hard work for some folks to be cheerful, but it certainly pays to be.

It is reported by good authority that the surest way to loose a friend is to loan him money and then try to collect it from him.

Did you see the Lockney Edition in the Lubbock Avalanche. Watch Lockney. Are you doing your part?

We think that the drinking of bootleg whiskey is a life long habit, but there is this about it: One does not live long!

What is the difference between looking and going up stairs? One stares up steps, and the other steps up stairs.

Buy it in Lockney: It's here.

Don't miss the follies at the High School Friday night. Boy this home talent in Lockney, is better than Broadway, and you don't have to go to Broadway to see it. Be there.

We are glad that Providence has a Miss Paderewski. Bring the lady to town, and let her strut her stuff.

Newspaper headline says: "Mistletoe Creamery will build in Lockney." Come on Mistletoe Lockney welcomes you.

Have you noticed the difference in the office holders who have opponents this year, and those who don't have. The former is shaking hands and the latter won't know you until next election time. Yes, we have some of that kind in Floyd county.

Did you ever see a chronic kicker get any where? No and you never will, all of his time is taken up criticizing the other fellow.

A man who used a Beacon want ad last week, said that he had forty-seven calls in less than an hour after the paper was on the street and sold the article to the first caller. That's Beacon all over.

Forward Lockney, Forward.

Don't forget the School Fair March 20th and 27th. Yes, it's in Lockney.

There is a lot of people saying two can live as cheap as one. Try it and see.

Mrs. Penniger sang for the Rotary Club at Plainview last week. Big hit as all Lockney folk make nowadays.

New depot is coming along fine. Watch Lockney.

Come on you sleepers: Wake up before it's too late, get in line and say I helped do that the Lockney way.

Plan now to have some fine birds to show at the poultry show in Lockney, December 11th, 12th and 13th. Help make this the banner show of Texas.

LOCKNEY BASE BALL CLUB ELECTS MANAGER

At a meeting of the Lockney Base Ball Club held at the City Tailor Shop last Monday night, T. E. Rigdon was elected manager for the coming season. Mr. Rigdon has had several years experience in the management of base ball clubs and will probably make the Lockney club one of the best managers they have had.

Lockney has one of the brightest prospective base ball seasons before her that she has ever had. This club will be heard of in the base ball world this season for the club has some of the best material that the country has, and they are all Lockney and Lockney territory boys.

They have ordered new uniforms of light grey and green to start the new season with.

Look out Floydada. Back them Lockney. Lockney is just as good in base ball as she is in other ways.

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