

## CONTRACT AWARDED FOR COTTON OIL MILL HERE

### LOCKNEY WINS COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

#### NINE CUPS ARE AWARDED TO LOCKNEY IN COUNTY SCHOOL MEET

The County School Meet was held last Friday and Saturday at Floydada. In the Class A division Lockney won the All-Round County Championship cup. For the two previous years Floydada has held the cup. The beautiful loving cup would have become the permanent property of Floydada had not Lockney won a grand and glorious victory.

Lockney won nine loving cups including the large one. One cup became the permanent property of Lockney. It being won the last three years by the school. Miss Alene Davis has won this cup the past two years as senior declaimer with the same declamation.

The spelling team of this year broke the State record, each of them making 100 on their papers. This team consisted of Miss Lorene Workman and Miss Bonnie Mickey. In Junior spelling Lockney won first and second. The high school junior team consisted of Miss Thelma Good and Miss Roseana Ewing. The Grammar school team consisted of Douglas Adams and Floyd Ewing, Jr.

Winifred Fowler won the tennis singles cup. Supt. Biggers stated that the loving cup won by Winifred entitled him to go to Austin by way of Lubbock.

In track and field events our junior track team won first place, and they certainly had to show their heels.

Our basket ball girls won the cup in the Class A division. After a long discussion and a very hot contest the Lockney III debating team won the beautiful loving cup awarded the debaters. This team consisted of Messrs Edwin Boedecker and Clifford Kester.

The Junior Essay cup was won by Doyle Dobson. The permanent property of Lockney had it not been for a funny little incident of three years ago. The pupil that would have won the cup put his paper in with the Senior Essay papers, and even though he was a Junior he received second place in Senior Essay. This mistake was noticed too late, and we lost the cup that year but have won it the last two.

The district meet will be held in Lubbock on April 22 and 23. We are expecting great victories from the students of Lockney high school, who go to compete in the contests at Lubbock.

Lockney High School was loyal to her contestants at Floydada. A pep squad sponsored by Miss Willie Merle Trapp gave yells and sang songs to urge their contestants to victory. This organization did a wonderful work in helping Lockney win the county championship.

### Harrison Construction Co. Gets Mill Contract

#### GENERAL MANAGER HAS ARRIVED IN LOCKNEY TO ESTABLISH HEADQUARTERS

The contract for the erection of a main building for the Lockney Cotton Oil Co., has been let to the Harrison Construction Company of Waco, and work is to begin within the next few days on the erection of the building. The contract price was approximately \$75,000.00, and is for the main building only. There will be other seed houses, warehouse, etc. to be constructed, outside of the main building. We are informed that between one hundred and one hundred and fifty workmen will be used on this construction job.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mason, have arrived and are now living in the Frank H. Ford home in the West part of Lockney. Mr. Mason is the general superintendent of the Lockney Mill and will establish headquarters here to look after the business and getting in readiness to open the milling season with the 1927 cotton seed crop.

A number of men and families will be locating in Lockney within the next few days, to be connected with the operation department of the mill, and there will be many new people come in to help in the construction of the buildings for the mill.

### THREE BRICK DEPOTS ON DENVER ROAD

#### PLANS UNDER WAY FOR NIGHT TRAIN SERVICE INTO FORT WORTH BY F. W. & D.

LUBBOCK, April 6.—Coming here just to see Lubbock and the possibilities of the Hub city, 10 officials of the Fort Worth and Denver and the Burlington railroad systems paid a hurried visit here Monday afternoon.

Frank E. Clarity, vice-president and general manager of the Fort Worth and Denver, and Executive vice-president Burnham of the Burlington system headed the party, which arrived early in the afternoon from Lockney and Petersburg and departed for Spur where their cars had been sent out for their return to Fort Worth.

Judge W. D. McKoy, tax and right of way commissioner for the Fort Worth and Denver, a member of the party remained over night and attended the meeting of the citizens Wednesday morning who will have charge of securing the right of way in Lubbock county.

Night Trains Planned  
The South Plains will be served with night trains which will enable business men to go to sleep on the Denver Pullman here early each night and wake up in Fort Worth. The train from Fort Worth to the Plains will leave Fort Worth early in the night and arrive on the Plains early in the morning, McKoy said here today.

Pullman and day coaches will serve both the Lubbock and Plainview lines McKoy said it had been decided. Sleepers will be started from each place, joining at the junction of the two lines six miles north of Lockney and continuing on into Fort Worth. Three brick depots will be constructed, McKoy announced, at Lockney, Lubbock and Plainview.

Basket Ball Luncheon  
On Tuesday, April 5th, at Griffith's confectionery luncheon was given by the Basket Ball girls to their mothers, Mr. and Mrs. Biggers, Mr. and Mrs. Nobles, and Miss Trapp. At the close of the luncheon basket ball watch charms were presented to Messrs. Biggers and Noble, and a basket ball pen to Miss Trapp. These favors were presented as tokens of appreciation for the loyalty shown to the basket ball girls during the past season. Basket ball girls present were Misses Velma Marble, Alice White, Chloe Howard, Lydia Mann, Juanita Cowart, Verna Norris, Hazel Gruver, Allie Lee Guinn, Ruth Stapleton, Lucy Ewing, Nell Kester and Thelma Buchanan.

### UKELELE GIRLS WILL GO TO CONVENTION

#### JUDGES SELECTED IN "HOME BEAUTIFUL" CONTEST, 23 ENTRIES

At the regular chamber of commerce luncheon Monday at noon, Mrs. Burton Thornton, chairman of the "Home Beautiful" committee, made a report concerning the contest that has been inaugurated in Lockney. There are twenty-three entrants in the contest—six rented homes, eight small homes and nine large homes have been entered in the contest in the three classes. The committee on the contest are Mrs. Burton Thornton, chairman, Mrs. T. L. Griffith and Mrs. T. B. Hill. The homes are to be judged every month during the contest and per centage scored. The judges for the contest each month are to be Fay Guthrie, W. W. Angel and Ryan Speegle. At the close of the contest in September three judges from outside towns will make the final inspection and award the premiums for the most beautiful and best kept homes in the three classes. The time for entries in the contests has expired and all people in the contest will be subjected to the rules as made by the committee.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Wichita Falls which is to be held on May 18 and 17 was discussed, and it was decided to appoint a sponsor for the convention and the chamber of commerce send the Ukelele club to the convention. It also decided to have Gid Waller, who won the "My Home Town" contest at Crosbyton, in the district meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, last week, represent Lockney at the convention. The Chamber of Commerce asks that the Lockney delegation will go dressed to represent Spain in the League of Nations that is to be the main event at the Wichita convention.

A vote of appreciation was extended by the Chamber of Commerce to Gid Waller for winning the "My Home Town" contest at Crosbyton last Thursday, and also to the Ukelele club for the part they took in the meeting.

A most enjoyable day was spent at the convention, and there were possibly five hundred visitors present. The entertainment in the morning was held at the high school auditorium, where the contests were held and a business session was presided over by Clifford Jones of Spur. A banquet was held in the afternoon at Silver Falls lake, four miles east of Crosbyton, where all the delegates assembled after the meeting at the school house in the morning. A bountiful luncheon was served, after which the meeting was called to order and speeches were many by many of the most prominent men of West Texas. At the business session in the afternoon, Lamesa was selected to be the district convention city for 1928.

In a short talk, Mr. Clifford Jones of Spur, asked that the convention go on record as favoring Fort Worth as the City to hold the annual convention during the year 1928. He stated that Fort Worth had not asked for the convention, and would not oppose the smaller cities for it, but taking in consideration what Fort Worth had done for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, he thought that it would be the right thing to do a favor to Fort Worth and vote for her as the next convention city, and assured the delegates that Fort Worth would receive the convention with open arms. A vote was taken and the district convention went on record as unanimously in favor of Fort Worth for the 1928 convention.

At night a dance was given at Silver Falls lake, and several of the young people of Lockney attended. A vote of appreciation was also extended to the student body of the Lockney high school, the faculty, and the students and faculties in the rural schools of the north and west part of the county for the excellent showing they made at the county school meet which was held at Floydada Friday and Saturday.

Secretary Guthrie announced that the contract was to be let for the construction of the Lockney Oil Co., building at 3 o'clock, April 11, at the Ware Hotel in Plainview, and that Mr. Ros Richardson, of Houston, was in the city Monday morning

Dr. and Mrs. Sam Ball of Amarillo and Bill Hogan of Fort Worth visited Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Ball Sunday.

### Contract For Water Extensions Postponed

#### CITY COUNCIL WILL RECEIVE BIDS UP TO APRIL 27 FROM CONTRACTORS

On account of all bids being rejected by the city council on last Monday night on the city water extensions, bids will be received up to and including April 27, at which time the council will open all bids, and let the contract for the water extensions in the city.

A \$25,000 bond issue was voted upon March 8 for the purpose of extending the water mains to the commercial section of the city, and to the residential section in the north. The bonds have been approved and sold. Work will begin immediately after the letting of the construction contract.

### South Plains Railroad To Be Finished By Fall

#### WORK IS FAR AHEAD OF ORIGINAL SCHEDULE ON DENVER LINES

Work on the Denver South Plains railroad from Estelline to the South Plains is progressing rapidly and ahead of schedule. The line from Estelline to the Cap Rock is expected to be finished this fall and trains will be running into Lubbock, Dimmitt and Silverton by spring.

This information was given out by Charles G. Burnham, executive vice president of the Burlington systems with headquarters in Chicago, after an inspection of the work being done and a trip over the lines of the Fort Worth and Denver and the Wichita Valley. Burnham was in Fort Worth last Wednesday.

"Conditions in the territory served by the Fort Worth and Denver and the Wichita Valley are good," Burnham said. "Traffic and earnings for this year are higher than last, almost at wartime peak. Crop prospects are good. An extraordinary amount of work is being done, rail relay and ballasting principally, and our program for this year is for the largest expenditures ever made on our properties."

"I motored from Estelline over the entire length of our new lines and visited all construction gangs. The work is underway already at about 15 separate locations. So far it is ahead of schedule and we expect to have the line from Estelline to Cap Rock in operation this fall and thru Lubbock, Dimmitt and Silverton by next spring. The job requires some tunneling and heavy construction on the Cap Rock, but nothing beyond what was anticipated and there is no reason to expect the maximum grade to exceed one per cent or that we won't get through on time. I feel stronger than ever that these lines will be an important influence in developing trade with Fort Worth and will have a big tonnage from the start."

"I notice newspaper reports of the organization of the Burlington Land Company and while in the territory found that an impression had been created that the Burlington railroad company is not backing or interested in any manner in this or any other land company. This also applies of course to the Colorado Southern and the Fort Worth and Denver. We do not own any lands and do not intend to and we wish to correct the impression that any of our companies are interested in any land projects. We of course will co-operate in bringing in settlers and developing the territory, but our activities will be confined entirely to transportation."

Fort Worth Star-Telegram.  
en route to Plainview to let the contract. Mr. Richardson stated while here that the employees of the company would be in need of about fifteen houses at once, as the force of the clerical and mechanical departments of the mill would move to Lockney at an early date, to be here transacting the business of the company and looking after the construction work, and asked that the chamber of commerce lend their support in securing of these houses for the employees to live in.

### Gid Waller Wins "Home Town Contest"

#### UKELELE GIRLS WILL RECEIVE AT CROSBYTON DISTRICT CONVENTION

The Lockney Ukelele girls, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams, Miss Lauream Christian, Floyd Huff D. C. Lowe, Sr., Fay Guthrie and Gid Waller attended the convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Crosbyton last Thursday, and enjoyed the concerts, programs during the day. YL6 weyedeed 7ay and banquets that were rendered during the day.

The Ukelele Club was on the program at the convention for several special selections during the day, and played some on the streets of the town and they, as usual, were considered the big hit of the convention in the musical line.

Gid Waller, who represented Lockney in "My Home Town" contest won first and was awarded the fine white gold watch as a prize by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Gid will go to the Annual convention at Wichita Falls as a representative of Lockney in "My Home Town" contest.

### GAS LINE PIPE IS ON THE WAY

#### SERVICE TO SOUTH PLAINS NOW SEEMS A CERTAINTY BY COMING WINTER

With the shipment of pipe line from the factory to Amarillo, Plainview and Lubbock, it begins to appear certain that the McMahan interests, owners of the franchise in several South Plains cities and towns will be furnishing gas here by the time the snow flies again.

The company has been thoroughly organized and is to be known as the "West Texas Public Service Corporation," and is chartered from the state of Delaware.

Sixteen inch pipe will be used from the wells in Potter, Moore, Hutchinson and other counties to Amarillo; 14 inch pipe will be used to Plainview; 12 inch from Plainview to Lubbock; 8 inch from Lubbock to Slaton, and six inch from Plainview to Lockney and Floydada. Roy Erick, of Plainview, will assist in building the new line, and there will be a booster station installed at Plainview.

The corporation is to be a \$5,500,000 concern, the firm to be bonded with Peabody, Houghtelling, bankers of Chicago; Sheritt and Company bankers, Chicago; Day and Zimmerman, Philadelphia; A. J. McMahan, Oklahoma City and National Supply Company underwriting the bonds.

Gas to be used will come from wells to be drilled on lands of Lee Bivins, Mayor of Amarillo, and he will be given 3 1-2c per 1,000 cubic feet at the well. A domestic rate of 67 1-2c for the first 30,000 feet used has been made the towns to be served and an industrial rate of 45c down to 15c proposed.—Plainview News.

LOCKNEY TEACHERS ARE MEMBERS OF STATE ASS'N  
Every Teacher in Lockney Schools Is Now a Member of the State Teachers Association  
Special to Lockney Beacon.  
FORT WORTH, Texas, April 13—The secretary of the State Teachers Association announces that every teacher in the Lockney schools is a paid up member of the association. This fact is indicative of a proper professional attitude. The faculty is as follows:  
Supt. W. D. Biggers, M. E. Noble, Willie Merle Trapp, Alice Bridges, Carma Thomas, Mrs. Fay Guthrie, Ethel Rice, Gordon Denman, Thelma Steele, Mary Chambers, Anna Mae Collins, Carabel Biffle, Audrey Watson, Hula Coleman, Jettie Wells, Mollie Newman, Mrs. Cora Pauley, Olga Hones, Ethel Cochran, Lauream Christian, Mrs. Chas. Simpson and Miss Lucy Cleere.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hamer Orman spent Sunday at Ropesville, near Lubbock visiting Mrs. Orman's sister, Mrs. O'Neal.



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UNEQUAL TAXATION

There has been some agitation in the State of Texas for a tax survey of the state, and this question was discussed pro and con at the last session of the legislature, but nothing was done in regard to the matter. Back in the reconstruction period following the Civil War, Texas tax problems were gone over and our present tax system was formulated, and today were are paying taxes under that system. In those days there were very few people in Texas, and those who were lived in the Eastern part of the state, very few people were to be found in what now constitutes the most prosperous and heaviest tax paying parts of the state. For these many years the people of this old district of East Texas have benefitted from the tax that has been placed on West Central Texas, forming the appropriation given out by the Texas Legislature so that the tax payers of East and Central Texas would receive back more tax money than they paid out each year. This way of receiving taxes from the state has been gradually, but surely arranged so that today there are 99 counties in the older districts of the State of Texas that are receiving from two to three times the amount of money back through the state in for taxes. The government of the state has no way of making money, every cent that goes through the treasury office has to come from the people in some sort of a tax proposition, therefore for these 99

three times as much money back as the amount they pay in the other 153 counties must get less than half the money back that they pay in. This is unfair and unjust, every in the method of tax refunding, and just because some other county has a little better pull in the legislative hall is no reason for the special legislation that will allow them to get back more money than they pay in in taxes. Under a democratic form of government the state government must have the money paid in to the state department before it is able to distribute the money out, and each section of the state, yes each county of the state should receive consideration according to the amount of the taxable values of the county, and there should be no distinction, or no taxation proposition in the state of Texas is the fact that has become very popular with a large number of East and South Texas counties to run to the legislature every time they have a severe storm, etc., and ask that the state exempt them from taxation for a period of years, or make a large appropriation of the state funds to help them rebuild their properties. There are twenty-five counties in this state at this time, so we are informed, that are exempt from taxation on one pretext or another, and this means that the other 227 counties of the state must carry extra burdens in the shape of taxation in order to offset the loss to the state by the exemption of these counties. In West Texas when there is a lean year, crops are bad, and the farmers and the citizens have a hard time, you don't hear of a bunch of people going to the legislature and asking for relief, but on the contrary they go on just as they was, take their medicine, work harder, benefit from the experience and the next year come back in better shape than they were in before the crops were bad and hard times hit them. A government, state or nation is not a place to hunt relief for any such charity. The Red Cross and various other such organizations have been organized for that purpose, and all kinds of relief that is fostered for the farmers and merchants by the government in the way of tax exemptions and appropriations, is robbing Peter to pay Paul, and is generally brought about for the purpose of furthering the political aspirations of some cheap politician. There is no excuse for the legislature of any

state or the national congress for the robbing of the taxpayers of the country, without their consent, in order to render assistance to some one that has suffered reverse, occasioned by a catastrophe of momentary notice. It would be well for a tax payer to realize that there can be no money taken out of the government until such money is placed in the hands of the the government, therefore, if one county, one section or one state, takes out more money from the government than it puts in, some other county, section or state, will be robbed of their rights and will not get fair and just treatment at the hands of the government. We oftines hear a howl go up about high taxation, but there are very few if any, of the howlers that have any kick coming, for they do all their howling at the wrong time and do not use good sense and judgement at the right time. The time to talk about taxation is not at the tax paying time, but the time and place to handle the taxation problems is at the polls, when you are selecting your state and county officials, and your national representatives and senators. In later years it has become a hobby with business men and farmers to seek relief for the ills that they imagine they have through the state and national legislative bodies. In our estimation this is the gravest mistake they can make. If we look to the state and national governments for aid, we will soon become and autocracy, for if they allow aid in the many things we ask they must provide a way of raising funds for the aid they must extend. This would mean a centralized power and that kind of power would mean governmental control of every kind of business in the entire state or nation as the case might be. Our country today, is beginning to suffer from too many departments, bureaus, and fat jobs for politicians. In Texas we need a tax survey of the state. Putting the taxation of the people on a more equal footing over the entire state. Raising tax exemption from every county in the state, and making each county pay its share of the state's expenses. We need constitutional amendments and laws that will abolish about half the departments of the state, or merge them into fewer, cutting their working forces to a minimum, cutting out the political graft, and making laws of the state more rigid on grafters

that are praying on our tax money. There are several state departments that are useless, and their work could be better and more cheaply carried on in the individual counties under the commissioner's courts. The State of Texas does not need a highway depart. Each county can take care of the road proposition more economically. It does not need a department of agriculture. Such Colleges as Texas A & M and Texas Tech, and other agricultural and mechanical college carry on the farm extension work of the state anyway. There are many other departments that are abolished or consolidated. The abolishment or consolidation of departments will cut down over-head expenses of the government. What we need in Texas is equal taxation, all taxable property taxed, no exemptions or special privileges to preferred counties or districts, and all useless bureaus and departments abolished. A tax survey rightfully and fairly compounded will bring to light the fact that we are not getting a square deal in the taxable area of Texas, and hat one area is being discriminated against by another. We need redistricting of the state according to population, which would remove that balance of power from East and Central Texas that has caused more unfair and unjust legislation than any other one thing. Use your influence for a tax survey of the State of Texas. We must have a tax survey in order to show up the sections of the state that have been reaping the benefits from money that we are forced to pay into the treasury, and from which we receive very little returns. WEST TEXAS TODAY Spur—An additional 12,000 egg capacity incubator is to be installed here in the near future. Custom hatching has grown to large proportions in this section, with Dickens and Kent county farmers stocking their farms with chickens furnished by the Spur Poultry Ranch. The ranch was recently sold to C. O. Davis of Rule. Hereford—An additional position has been installed here at the central office of the Southwestern Telephone Company for the purpose of handling the rural and toll lines. Hereford now has five positions on the board which will take ample care of the increased business. Sweetwater—Another important industry has been added to Sweetwater's list with the announcement that A. A. Koch, for the past year manager of the San Angelo Foundry and Machine Company, has purchased land here and will begin immediate erection of a steel company and foundry. The new industry is to be known as the star foundry, Steel and Machine Company. Balmorhea—The name of Madera Valley has superseded the title "Toyah Valley" following a unanimous vote of the local chamber of commerce. The change was due to confusion of the valley with the town of Toyah and Toyahville. Anson—Graveling on all intersections and grading of streets preparatory to putting gravel on is under way here. The city is paying for the street work. Kress—Contract has been let here for three brick business houses, and work will start at once on these. Wichita Falls—The choral contest sponsored annually in connection with the big yearly convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been expanded this year to include four classes of organization. Choral Clubs, College and high school glee clubs and choirs are eligible to compete this year. One hundred dollars as first prize and fifty dollars as second award are to be given in each class of the contest. Childress—The fourth West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention of the year will be held in this city May 5, when our representatives from the Green Belt and lower Panhandle district gather here. More than thirty towns are expected to send delegates. Stanton—Work has begun on a 10-cottage tourist camp on the west edge of Stanton on the Bankhead Highway. The cabins are drive-in type and are equipped with water, heater and conveniences for cooking and other comforts. Megargel—A successful clean-up campaign under the sponsorship of the Current Literature Club of Megargel. Substantial prizes were offered for the largest piles of trash, the cleanest premises, and such. Coleman—Leon Shield, oil man and banker of this city has offered \$100 in gold in prize money in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce "Home Town" speaking contest to be held at Wichita Falls during the ninth annual convention of the organization May 16 and 17. Winner of the first prize in the contest is to be awarded \$100 in gold, the Thomas Etheridge, Jr., silver loving cup, and scholarships to Texas Tech, and to the West

Texas State Teachers college at Canyon. Fifty dollars will be given to the winners of second place and twenty five will go to the winners of fourth and fifth places respectively. The contest is open to high school boys and girls in member towns of the West Texas organization. Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Riley were called to the bedside of their daughter Miss Roy Riley at Amarillo, Friday of last week. Miss Roy had under went a tonsil operation and came near bleeding to death. Mr. Riley returned home Sunday, but Mrs. Riley remained with her daughter. At this time Miss Roy is reported as convalescing from the operation. Marriage Licenses Marriage license was issued to Mr. R. C. Mareau and Miss Ina Johnson, at Floydada, on April 9th. Mrs. J. B. Jarnagin and young daughter left Monday for Killean where she was called at the death of her father. Mrs. R. C. Bennett who lives east of Lockney has been ill at her home for the past several days. Misses Woodine and Jessie McKeever of Amarillo spent Sunday in Lockney visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dagley and family.

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## LOCKNEY SHEET METAL WORKS

J. L. Dagley, Prop.

### Glad Hand Adult Bible Class

The Glad Hand Adult Bible Class has with coming of Spring, budded forth into new life more vigorous than ever before. With the election of new officers it promises to be one of the best Sunday school classes of the city. The new officers are: Teacher—Mr. L. N. Combs. President—Mrs. N. E. Greer. Vice-president—Mrs. Martin. Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. L. H. Gruber. Reporter—Mrs. Jake Griffith. Flower Committee—Mrs. Arch Keys Mrs. Jo Anderson. There are about twenty-four in the class, but there is yet more vacant space which we welcome you to fill. Don't fail to be there next Sunday which is Easter Sunday, for that Quite a crowd attended the ball game you.—Reporter.

### GREAT EASTER SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY

200 in Sunday School last Sunday—hope to have 250 next Sunday. Let every officer, teacher and member be present. Come with a well prepared Easter Lesson. Rev. B. L. Nance, conference superintendent, will have charge of the 11 o'clock services. Easter song service will be rendered.

We urge every officer and teacher and member of the Sunday School from the Primaries up to attend the 11 o'clock services, also all Leaguers Stewards, members of the missionary Society and every Methodist possible praying for a special blessing.—T. J. Rea, Pastor.

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT

Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church at Providence, northwest of Lockney. Easter Sunday, April 17: 9 a. m.—Sunday school. 10 a. m.—Festival services in German with confirmation of three children and celebration of the Holy Communion. Offering for our synodical institution. 8 p. m.—Festival services in English. You are cordially invited.—J. FLIERL, Pastor.

### PROVIDENCE NEWS ITEMS

Amos Ratjen is visiting in Happy this week. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sammann were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gamble Sunday afternoon. Quite a crowd attended the ball game here Sunday afternoon. Robert and Mable Veigel of Plainview were in our midst Sunday afternoon. T. J. and Joe Phillips left Monday for a visit at Dallas and other

East Texas points. They will be gone for some time.

K. Samman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Heyermier were in Plainview and took in the opening of the Woolworth store at that place. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gilbreath were in Plainview last Saturday shopping.

The trustee election was held recently and Mr. W. A. Gilbreath was elected to fill the place of Mr. Chas. Veigel who has moved to the city for awhile.

Robert Veigel of Plainview was in our midst Sunday.

Hail! Hail! The Insurance men are all here. They are as thick as bees in our community. Now wonder what kind of a beetle will be next to show up.

Mr. J. F. Boedecker left last Saturday night for an extended visit to Bren, where he will visit his daughter Mrs. Bootz and family.

Miss Smith spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday visiting her parents in Plainview.

Prof. Brock spent Friday and Saturday in Floydada with his pupils at the county school meet.

Miss Dorothy Pullen and Miss Elizabeth Booher of Plainview spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmerman of the Snyder Community.

The Collins brothers attend the ball game here Sunday afternoon.

Cliff Dameron, Ray Smith and Richard Gilbreath attended the show in Plainview Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lovvorn and children were shopping in Plainview last Saturday.

Providence was well represented in Plainview and what few did not go there was sight-seeing in Floydada.

### Examinations Announced For Dev Forces Under Civil Service Law

Civil Service Commission Starts Active Recruiting Campaign. Character Searches and Finger Prints Important

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 13.—The United States Civil Service Commission to day launched its country wide campaign to recruit eligibles for the 2500 position in the Bureau of Prohibition which were classified under the civil service law by the act of March 3, 1927. The Commission

announced open competitive examinations for the following positions:

1. Chief of Field division, at \$6,000 a year.
5. Prohibition zone supervisors, at \$5,200 a year.
24. Prohibition administrators, at \$4,000 to \$6,000 a year.
24. Assistant prohibition administrators (enforcement work) at \$3,300 to \$5,200 a year.
24. Assistant prohibition administrators (permissive work) at \$3,300 to \$5,200 a year.
50. Deputy prohibition administrators, at \$3,000 to \$4,600 a year.
2. Field office inspectors, at \$3,800 to \$3,900 a year.
4. Associate field office inspectors, at \$3,800 to \$3,900 a year.
18. Senior prohibition investigators, at \$3,800 a year.
109. Prohibition investigators, at \$3,100 a year.
53. Junior prohibition investigators, at \$2,400 a year.
228. Prohibition agents, at \$2,400 a year.
1260. Junior prohibition agents, at \$1,850 a year.
74. Attorneys, at \$1,850 to \$5,200 a year.
102. Warehouse watchmen, at \$1,140 to \$1,800 a year.

The civil service commission states that the examinations will be practical, each kind especially designed to test the qualifications and fitness of the applicants to perform the particular branch of work for which the kind of examination is held.

The examinations for investigators below the senior grade, those for agents of all grades will require examinations rooms for written mental tests. These will be given in approximately 600 cities throughout the United States. The other examinations listed do not include written mental tests in examination rooms.

All of the examinations will include ratings on training and experience, a searching oral test, and a rigid character investigation made by the civil service commission with the assistance of other government agencies.

In order to give oral tests it will be necessary for the commission to send investigators to interview applicants in various parts of the country. The character investigations will be made with the most painstaking care. Because of these two features of the examinations, the testing of applicants for 2500 newly classified positions under the Bureau of Prohibition is one of the largest tasks ever undertaken by the Commission.

Finger prints will be made of all these will be used to check the accuracy of the applicants statements as to arrest, indictment, or conviction for crime or misdemeanor. The Civil Service Commission feels that any person who is worthy of appointment to a position under the bureau of Prohibition will not object to the most searching investigation into his past life.

The act bringing these positions into the competitive classified service provides that those now employed who were not appointed in accordance with the civil service law must compete with others in examinations if they wish to have an opportunity to retain their positions.

Copies of the examination announcements and application blanks may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or from the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the post office in this or any other city. The examination announcements give detail information regarding the scope of the examinations and the requirements for entrance thereto.

### 200 Are Arrested In Drive on Borger Vice

MAYOR GIVES ORDER TO RID OIL TOWN OF ALL UNDESIRABLES

BORGER, Texas, April 6.—With the threat of martial law hanging by but a slender thread over their heads the Borger City Administration to night ordered a sweeping round up of undesirables of the city.

Late tonight the police, following an executive proclamation of Mayor John Miller, had rounded up and placed under arrest more than 200 habitués of the underworld who were given 24 hours to leave the town.

The Ranger force also got into action this afternoon and as a result more than 200 slot machines were confiscated.

The chamber of commerce in a hastily called session tonight passed a resolution, protesting the proposed action of Governor Moody to place the town under the rule of the military.

The following telegram was dispatched to the governor:

"The chamber of commerce of Borger, representing the citizenship of the city, vehemently protest your proposed action of martial law here. The situation is well under control

of local authorities and no military rule is needed."

The patrol wagon was still going at top speed at midnight and for the first time in Borger's hectic history the dance halls were darkened.

### Dixon Creek Deserted

Dixon Creek, the scene of many escapades by the under world denizens, was a deserted village tonight. Habitués of rooming houses and places of shady reputation were hurriedly evacuating. So full was the city jail that officers, as they continued to raid, had no place to take their prisoners and left with stern admonitions to leave town before the sun set another time.

Around the jail were piled slot machines, the result of the intensive drive waged through the city during the afternoon.

The proclamation of Mayor Miller was speeding into scope and he announced that every effort would be made by city authorities to rid the town of undesirables.

Under the proclamation of Mayor Miller all dance halls were closed and tonight all were darkened.

New assortment of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Easter Hats just arrived.

Call And See Them  
New numbers in Stamp Goods

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UNDERTAKER & EMBALMER  
Hearse To All Parts Of The Country  
Day Phones 126 and 121 Night 79  
In Crager Furniture Company  
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### BABY CHICKS

10,000 every Wednesday and Thursday each week. Breeds: Buff Orpington, R. I. Reds, Barred Rocks, White Wyandottes, Black Minorcas, Anconas, 13c. English and American White Leghorns, Brown Leghorns 11c. Place orders quickly.

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Plainview, Texas



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The plan is simple enough. Start today with a dollar bill, then deposit regularly.

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Small enough to know you, large enough to serve you  
The Bank for Everybody

### QUALITY—OUR GUIDE

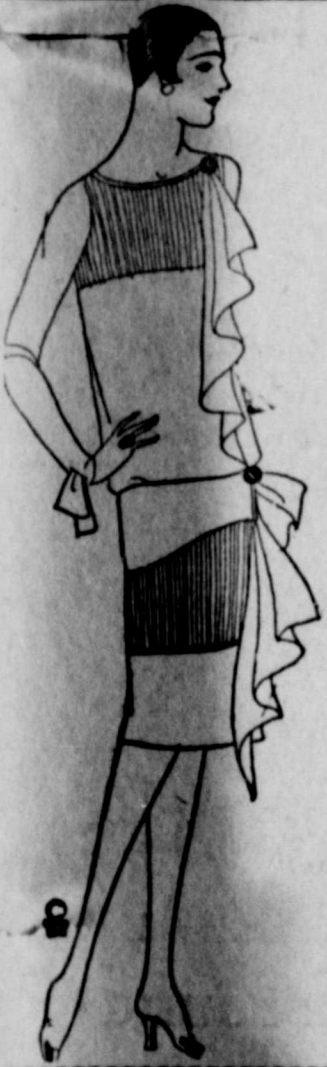
Our first thought is for quality—nothing but this will ever find a place in our stocks. Next we will try to sell for as little as we can the best.

Just phone us your wants and we will do the rest. Everything in fresh vegetables and fruits that the market affords. Prompt and efficient service at all times.

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Abstracts of Title to all Lands and Town Lots in Floyd County  
Deeds and other instruments of writing prepared. Twenty years experience with Floyd County Land Titles.  
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We are offering a large assortment of Georgette Dresses that you will wonder how we do it for Saturday only—

## \$9.95

If you want better dresses we have them, but see these. They are wonderful for the price.

## New Millinery This Week

### EASTER SHOES

are here too, and sure your shoes must be pleasing to complete that dress. We have them this week that's new.



### EASTER HOSIERY

in all the colors most desired priced at \$1.00 up We call your attention to new Chiffon number silk to top at \$1.50

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**Divide your dollars with your neighbors**

**BUY AT HOME!**

The growth of any community is dependent upon the support given its citizens. If you fail in co-operation the town either stands still or retrogrades.

The Lockney Merchants are offering extraordinary values in all lines. This is made possible by low over-head costs plus the determination to make Lockney the real trade center of the surrounding counties.

As a further inducement the Lockney Merchants are giving away a New Ford Touring Car. Trade in Lockney and save your tickets.



# ISS THEATRE

Program Week Commencing  
**MONDAY, APRIL 18**

Monday and Tuesday—  
THOMAS MEIGHAN

## "BLIND ALLEYS"

PATHE NEWS

Wednesday and Thursday—  
**"TAXIE DANCER"**

Featuring  
Owen Moore and Joan Crawford  
COMEDY—  
"LOVE BUG"

Friday—  
TOM MIX  
—IN—  
**"THE K & A  
TRAIN ROBBERY"**

COMEDY—  
"MADAM DYNAMITE"

Saturday—  
BOB CUSTER  
—IN—  
**"Valley of Bravery"**  
MAZIE COMEDY

### Campbell 4-H Girls

Home Demonstration Club  
The Campbell club girls met Tuesday morning, April 5th, with all members present, and Miss Bass gave us an interesting talk on our club work. All of the girls are supposed to have their bungalow aprons finished by next meeting day, which will be the 3rd Tuesday in April.—Reporter.

### THE HOODOOD COON

The play entitled the "Hoodooed Coon" was presented in Lockney Friday, April 1st. This play was excellent and was well rendered. The play consisted of three acts of comedy-drama. All of the characters were

well suited to their parts and did remarkably well, considering their age. Mr. Glenn Hackney played the part of the Hoodooed Coon and was an exceptionally well versed colored minister. This play was presented by the Roseland school under the auspices of the Senior Class of Lockney. Proceeds of the play went to the stage funds.

### PLAINVIEW SANITARIUM NEWS

The thirteen year old daughter of L. B. Edwards of Silverton, is recovering nicely after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. O. D. Cooper of Flomot, who has been a patient in the sanitarium has been discharged.

Mrs. C. H. Dison of Silverton, who is recovering after a successful operation, will be able to return to her home within the next few days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McClen nahana at the sanitarium on April 2nd, a baby girl.

Mrs. O. T. Raglin of Silverton, who has been a patient in the sanitarium has been discharged, her condition being very much improved.

Earl Hicks, son of J. C. Hicks of Olton, has been discharged, after an operation on the 3rd.

H. M. Curtis of this city is recovering from a tonsilectomy, which was performed on the 4th.

John Thompson of this city, has been discharged after undergoing an operation on the 4th.

H. L. Spratt of this city has been a patient in the sanitarium.

Mrs. Cecil Price of Turkey, entered the sanitarium last week for medical examination and treatment.

Mary Nell Coper of this city, had her tonsils removed on the 5th.

Keith, 4 year old son of Mrs. Lottie Wicklife of Plainview, underwent a tonsil operation last week.

Mrs. B. J. Wileman of Tulia, entered the sanitarium on the 6th, where she underwent a successful operation.

Mrs. B. F. Whitfield of Aiken, who has been a patient in the sanitarium has been discharged.

The Five year old son of L. P. Barker, of this city, underwent a mastoidectomy on the 6th.

Joe Inmel of Kress, who is in the sanitarium is doing nicely after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

A. L. Ritchey of Lockney, is in the sanitarium, recovering rapidly from an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Allie Mae Coldwell, student at Wayland College, who underwent an operation on the 8th, is doing nicely.

Miss Alice Gordon, nurse at the sanitarium, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Curry of Plainview, are the happy parents of a baby boy, born last Saturday.

Nettie Mae Abbott of Dimmitt, had her tonsils removed on last Friday.

Mrs. E. E. Fisher is a patient in the sanitarium.

Fred Davis (colored) of Hale Center, who was shot recently in the sanitarium, his condition is not serious.

Mrs. Mary V. Dye of this city, is a patient in the sanitarium.

The condition of Cliff Harris of this city, is very favorable, since undergoing an operation on the 11th.

Mrs. Elliott of Quitaque, is recovering from a successful operation.

C. T. Wallace of Silverton, underwent a minor operation at the sanitarium on the 11th.

Little Paul Skinner of Flomot, underwent a tonsil operation last Monday.

Miss Noma Smith of Flomot, entered the sanitarium on last Monday and had her tonsils removed.

J. W. Welker of Vigo Park, is resting well since undergoing an operation on the 11th.

### Body of Ouitaque Woman Shipped Home for Burial

Mrs. G. D. Walker of Ouitaque, who was brought to Plainview recently to undergo an operation, died here at 11:50 Saturday night.

The body was prepared and carried to Ouitaque for burial Monday.

Mrs. Walker is survived by her husband and two children, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holmes of Newby, Texas, two brother and two sisters.—Plainview Herald.

### Roseland Home Demonstration Club

The Roseland Club met in the club room at 2 o'clock, Friday, April 1st, with twenty-six members present. The roll call was answered by telling of some convenience that each member meant to add to her kitchen this year.

Miss Bass was present and gave a demonstration on canned chicken, both fried and smothered. This was

very much appreciated and we feel sure there will be many chickens canned in our community this year.

The next meeting will be Friday, April 15th. The subject will be Home Improvements, and a discussion on plans to improve and beautify our club room.

Let every member come.—Reporter.

Cecil Cope and Bill Hodel spent Sunday in Amarillo.

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### Proving That Youth Has Special Advantages



When the very-sub-deb begins to find her party frocks absurdly childish for one of her fast advancing years, something especially stylish must be provided for her. This is it. In crepe de Chine, georgette, tulle or even dimity this smart frock assures one's social life of success. An unusual bolero suggestion is achieved by the scallops of the waist, bound with self material. Below these scallops, fine tucks run up and down a short way, and then entrust the frock's fitness to a be-ribboned ribbon belt of harmonizing shade. The sleeves may be long, short or omitted. (Copyright, 1927, by Butterick)

### Cox-Davis

Miss Letha Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cox, and Mr. Thomas

Davis, son of J. W. Davis, were married last Saturday afternoon. The young people will make their home in Lockney.

## BRING US YOUR PRODUCE

Highest market price paid for Cream Poultry, Eggs and Hides.

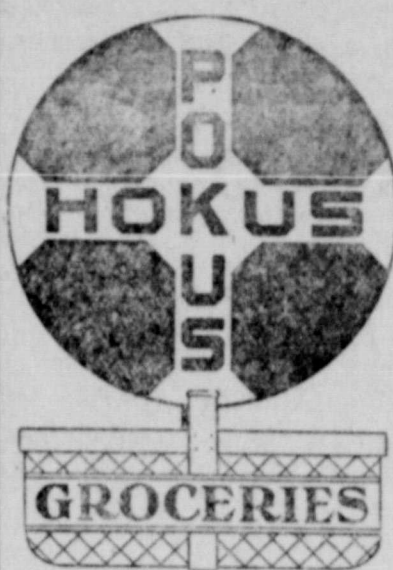
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## SATURDAY SPECIALS

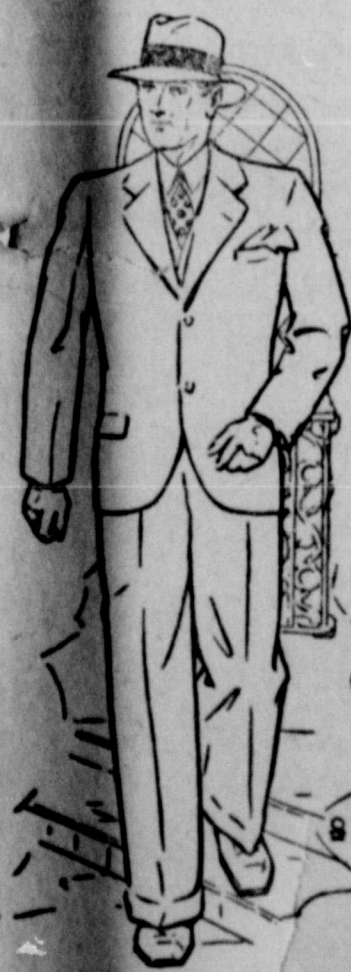


- Armours Veribest Grape Juice
- 4 oz. Bottle ..... 6c
- Pint size ..... 18c
- Quart size ..... 35c
- Nice fresh tomatoes, Quality fine ..... 12 1-2c
- Fresh Black-eyed Peas ..... 13c lb
- Fresh Arkansas Strawberries red ripe, basket ..... 27c
- Sun Kist Tomato Sauce ..... 12c can
- Post Toasties, package ..... 13c
- Fresh Brown's Fig Bars ..... 15c lb

### G. S. MORRIS

# SPRING CLEARANCE OF ALL ODDS AND ENDS

For Ten Days we are going to inaugurate a general Clean-Up Sale of Odds and Ends. This is not a general sale, but covers many items and you can effect a substantial saving.



One lot of Boys' two-pants suits brand new merchandise, your choice ..... **\$9.75**

ALL MEN'S SUITS AT ACTUAL WHOLESALE COST

All Ladies' \$7.50 Novelty shoes a good assortment on hand, your choice ..... **\$4.95**

All \$15.00 Dresses at ..... **\$11.75**

All \$10.00 Dresses at ..... **\$7.85**

All \$5.00 Dresses at ..... **\$3.95**

All \$4.00 dresses at ..... **\$3.25**

One lot of Men's Ties all are \$1.00 values, your choice ..... **75c**

All \$2.00 Silk Hose, except Cadets per pair ..... **\$1.60**

A dandy good sock for Men per pair ..... **10c**

Special values in odds and ends—in Ladies' shoes at radical reductions

One lot of Children's Play Oxfords—New Merchandise, sizes 5 to 8; 8 1-2 to 11; and 11 1-2 to 2, your choice ..... **\$1.00**

A dandy good leather palm glove per pair ..... **\$1.00**



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LOCKNEY, TEXAS



LOCKNEY WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

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R. V. Huskey, defending negative side of question. Places: Lockney 1st; Floydada 2nd.

Oral Spelling Contest

L. G. Mathews oral spelling contest was held at the High School auditorium Thursday night before a large audience. Thirteen schools were represented. A complete library set was presented to the winning school.

Running high jump, junior boys, Class A—entries: Floydada Andrews ward, Green, de Cordova, Stovall Terry and Swain; Floydada East ward, Eastridge, Jordan and Grubb; Lockney, Cook, Cooper, Teaff, Reid and Shelton. Places: Teaff, 1st; Reid, 2nd; Cooper, 3rd.

Running high jump, junior boys, Class B—entries: Providence, Phillips and Deiter; Irick, Pemberton, Polgue and Henry; Pleasant Valley, Harris; McCoy, Gamblin and Johnson Fairview, Wilson and Austin; Sunset, Milton and Shears; Cedar, Starkey, Durham and Fortenberry; Sand Hill, Foster, Tarpley and Hanna. Places:

Javelin Throw. Javelin throw, Class A—entries: Floydada, Marshal, Porterfield and Ashton; Lockney, Cowart and Boedecker. Places: Marshal, 1st; Porterfield, 2nd; Ashton, 3rd. Distance 147 feet.

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Discus Throw. Discus Throw, Class A—entries: Floydada: Edwards, Marshal and Moore; Lockney: Teaff and Cowart; Places: Edwards, 1st; Teaff, 2nd; Moore 3rd. Distance 103 feet, 3 in.

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440 Yard Run. 440 yard run, senior boys, Class A—entries: Floydada, Stiles and Moore; Lockney, Rea, Cook and Reeves. Places: Stiles, 1st; Moore, 2nd; Cook, 3rd. Time, 56 seconds.

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Girls debate, Floydada High school. Junior boys rural declamation—Baker.

Girls volley ball—Sand Hill. Winning track team, senior boys, Class B schools—Sand Hill, permanent.

Tennis, Girl's singles—Floydada, permanent. Tennis, Girl's doubles—Prairie Chapel.

Tennis, Boy's doubles—Floydada. Tennis, Boy's singles—Lockney. Extemporaneous speaking—Floydada.

Junior girls rural declamation—Lone Star. Junior boys Class A track team—Lockney.

Boys basketball—Floydada. Boys basket ball, rural, —Providence.

Arithmetic contest—Floydada, permanent. Essay writing ward schools—Lockney.

Music Memory team—Floydada. Junior boys declamation—Floydada.

Senior Boys declamation, Class A—Floydada. Senior girls declamation, rural—Harmony.

Boys debate—Lockney High. Sub-junior speller—Floydada and Prairie Chapel.

Senior spelling—Lockney. Essay Writing, Class B schools—Prairie Chapel.

High point man in athletics—to be decided.

Sunset Girls 4H Home Demonstration Club. The 4H girls of Sunset met at the Sunset School building, Friday, April 1, Miss Bass was present and helped us to cut our caps. The hot dish holders were also finished.

Each of the girls present received a gold star. The next meeting day will be April 16.

Mile Run. Mile run, senior boys, Class A—entries: Floydada, Swain, Carter and Williams; Lockney, Mullins; Places: Swain, 1st; Mullins, 2nd; Carter, 3rd.

Mile run, senior boys, Class B—entries: Sand Hill, Mickey, Holmes and Love. Won by forfeit. Rural school entries—Irick, Daulton, Fagan and Phillips; Fairview, Brown. Places: Brown, 1st; Fagan, 2nd; Daulton, 3rd.

Mile Relay. Mile relay, Senior boys, Class A—Lockney forfeited to Floydada.

Mile relay, senior boys, Class B—entries: Sand Hill, Mickey, Holmes, Tarpley and Smith. Won by forfeit. Rural school entries: Irick, Pogue, Dollar, Phillips and Fagan; Fairview, Stewart, Fields, Carter and Brown Fairview won first.

Playground Ball. Junior girls playground ball—Sand Hill defeated Andrews ward 20 to 4. In the finals of the junior boys playground ball Providence defeated Prairie Chapel 15 to 16.

Volley Ball—Lockney defeated Floydada and Sand Hill defeated Lockney.

Total Points of Winners. CLASS A SCHOOLS. Literary 84. Athletic 50. Total points 134.

Floydada: Literary 77 1-2. Athletics 45. Total points 122 1-2.

Class B Schools: Sand Hill 209. Prairie Chapel 201 1-2. Rural School: Fairview 100. Irick 60. Cedar Hill 20. Ward Schools: Floydada Andrews ward 67. Lockney ward 40. Floydada east ward 10.

Silver Cups Presented. Below is given a list of the silver cups and their winners, presented at the Highschool auditorium Saturday night. Thirteen cups were presented to the Floydada schools and eight to the Lockney schools. Those that are marked "permanent" became the permanent property of the school winning them this year, making three successive years they have been won by that school.

All-Round county championship, Class A schools—Lockney High School. All-Round county championship, Class B school—Sand Hill—permanent.

All-Round county championship rural schools—Fairview—permanent. All-round county championship, ward schools—Floydada Andrews ward school.

Winning track team, junior boys—Sand Hill. Essay Writing—Class A—Floydada. Essay writing—Rural schools Fairview.

Junior Speller—Lockney ward school. Winning track team, Senior Boys, Class A—permanent. Stock Judging—Floydada, no contest. Senior Girls high school declamation—permanent.

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DISTRICT MEET TO BE HELD AT LUBBOCK 22 AND 23 OF THIS MONTH

The District Meet of the University Interscholastic League will be held at the Texas Technological College in Lubbock, April 22 and 23, as heretofore announced.

Friday, April 22
9 a. m.—Registration in the lobby of the administration building in all literary events, at the college gymnasium for all athletic events.

10 a. m.—Preliminaries in all declamation contests, both high and rural school.

Preliminaries in boys and girls debate.

1:30.—Preliminaries in tennis.

Preliminaries in Volley ball.

Preliminaries in 120 yard high hurdles.

Preliminaries in 100 yards dash.

Preliminaries in 220 yards low hurdles.

Preliminaries in 220 yards dash.

Preliminaries in 440 yards dash.

Preliminaries in running high jump.

Preliminaries in such other field events as may be found necessary from number of entrants.

Extempore speaking contest.

Semi-finals in boys debate.

Semi-finals in girls' debate.

2 p. m.—Typewriting tournament.

3 p. m.—3R contest.

7:45 p. m.—College night at the college gymnasium.

A forty five minute program, followed by finals in high school declamation for senior boys, senior girls, junior boys and junior girls.

Saturday, April 23

9 a. m.—Finals in rural school declamation for senior boys, senior girls, junior boys and junior girls.

Finals in girls' debate (at the college).

Finals in boys' debate at the college gym.

1:30 p. m.—Finals in field and track events.

2 p. m.—Semi-finals and finals of all other events.

A fifty-cent fee will be charged for each contestant. This admits the bearer to each and every contest on the program both days, and to the college night program.

Winners are urged to send in the entries as early as possible, so that of the entries may be compiled and checked, thus avoiding possible errors.

Gold and silver medals, loving cups

and trophies will be awarded the winners in the several events.

The college night program of stunts from the College orchestra, College band, Public speaking department, Textile engineering department, and many other departments will begin at 7:45 p. m., Friday night, and will be followed immediately by the finals in the four divisions of high school declamation.

See the official reports of all winners are properly certified by the county directors. This is very important. Don't fail to send in the list today.

Article 8 of the 1925 constitution and rules of the Interscholastic League Bulletin No. 2622, June 8, 1926 will govern all eligibility requirements.

Free lodging will be provided for contestants will be provided if notification is sent in advance. Write Cecil Horne, chairman of Committee on housing, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Texas, if you are a contestant and wish free lodging.

Meals may be had at the College cafeteria or at convenient boarding houses and restaurants at reasonable prices.

Please extend an invitation to all high school students whether a contestant or not, to attend the Meet. The College offers a cordial invitation, and hopes to entertain hundreds of high school boys and girls thru out the entire twenty counties of the district. Further details will be included in the official program sent you later.

A Challenge To The Citizenship of Lockney

If the Chamber of Commerce worked with as much co-operation as the students of Lockney High School the result would be that Lockney would be a city of 10,000 souls within a year.

If each business of Lockney was as good a loser and winner as Lockney High School students, the result would be that the efficiency of each business in Lockney would be increased 10 times.

If the enthusiasm of the Lockney Community was as great as that of the Lockney High School the town would not only be a better place in which to live but the ambitions of the most aspiring citizen would be obtained with only a mere struggle.

If the town of Lockney was affiliated with the other cities as Lockney High School is affiliated with

the state department of education the town would only have to speak and all of Texas would take notice.

If civic pride was on a plane with the pride of Lockney High School toward their school this town would be the most beautiful town on the Plains.

If all the people of Lockney would work as hard to accomplish the ends they hope to attain for their town as do the students of Lockney High School to gain their end the town of Lockney would be a winner.

Now folks here's something to think about: Do your part and let the other fellow do his part and if we will all do our part then there will be no part left to be done. Let's clean up ourselves, our homes and our businesses. Lets fight for Lockney as hard as hard as Gid Waller fought at Crosbyton for his town.

Let's get that business that is leaving town that is rightfully yours. The only reason you do not get it is because of the fact that you have not worked hard enough for it. Lets make Lockney a place that other people will like to live as well as ourselves. We pay our taxes, so why not get the things that are God has given us and then if they are not sufficient lets all go to work and make Lockney more resourceful.

Lets fight for every worthy cause and when all is said and done lets be able to say that if Lockney did not win it was because she did not fight.

SOUTH PLAINS C. OF C. SECRETARIES ORGANIZE

After the regular session of the convention at Crosbyton on April 7 all of the secretaries of the central South Plains district of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce met and perfected an organization that is hoped to be one of the best things for West Texas since the organization of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The purpose of the organization is two-fold: (1) in regard to the progressiveness and the possibilities of the Central South Plains District (2) to educate the secretaries of the local chambers of commerce in order that they will be better able to serve their local committees of which they represent.

The following officers were elected to hold office for one year:

Pres., Mr. Wm. A. Wilson, of Lamasa; vice president, Ed Bishop of Floydada; Secretary and treasurer, S. W. Cooper, of Crosbyton. The

Board of Directors elected by the nominating committee were: J. E. Shelton, Maury Hopkins, W. E. Smith A. B. Davis and J. W. Richards.

WILL OPEN LEAGUE SEASON AT AMARILLO

AMARILLO, April 11.—Everybody knows that the Panhandle is progressing and making new records every day. On Thursday, April 14, Amarillo and the Panhandle will set another record when Amarillo's Western League Ball Club opens the season in its new \$75,000 ball park with the Lincoln team.

The Amarillo Base Ball Club has been dubbed the Texans and the management is determined to win the pennant the first year in the league. Through the ball club Amarillo and the Panhandle will receive a great deal of publicity throughout the United States.

This is the first time that Class A Baseball has been available to the Citizens of Amarillo and the Panhandle and the opening day will be a big one. The mayor has declared a legal holiday and a big parade will be staged at noon. Amarillo wants to break the opening day attendance and win the Presidents cup.

Amarillo's team is already showing much promise, having been in training in El Paso for the last 30 days. The outstanding event of the training season was the ten inning defeat of the noted Chicago Cubs.

Every town in the Panhandle is expected to have a large delegation in Amarillo on the opening day.

BILL MOSLEY AND HENRY MANN TO ATTEND C. M. T. C.

The applications of two young men, Bill Mosley and Henry Mann, to enter this summer's training camp have already been forwarded to C. T. M. C. headquarters at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.

Boys entering camp from this area will have all expenses paid including traveling expenses to attend camp at Fort Sill, Okla. To attend camp anywhere other than there it will be necessary for the applicant to pay the excess in travel expense above cost to Fort Sill out of his own pocket.

Mr. R. E. Patterson who is assisting in making out applications for enrollment suggests that applications be sent in immediately. This will insure acceptance of the applicant. The medicine used in making the typhoid-paratyphoid inoculations will be sent to the physician who makes the physical examination which will save all the trouble that was anticipated in that respect.

To attend these camps, a boy must be at least 17 years of age and have the consent of his parent or guardian.

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FOR SALE—Turkey eggs, 35c each, 2 1-2 miles west of Aiken, 1 mile south.—Chas. Cook. 1tp

STREET SALE SATURDAY—Auctioneer John McDonald will hold his regular street sale in Lockney next Saturday. If you have anything to sell bring it in on that day. 1te

FOR RENT—At reduced prices for this summer, two room apartment, furnished. Also two unfurnished. Bed room on first floor for man and wife, bath in connection.—Mrs. D. C. Lowe.

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At the present the Hatchery is booked to capacity, but at the rate they are now hatching it will only be a matter of a few days until more eggs can be taken care of, as it is now hatching continuously, or that is 5,700 eggs hatch every three days. Poultry men of this section say that the hatch was an extra good one, the per centage being much higher than can be got with the smaller machines.

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