

Building in All Lines Progressing

WORK GOING ON UNABATED IN ALL LINES OF BUILDING IN LOCKNEY AT PRESENT

The work on the Lockney Cotton Oil Mill plant is progressing rapidly and the main building is being rushed to completion. The brick work on the main building is well underway and the foundation is laid on the seed house, which is the third building to be put under construction. Work will begin on the hull and lint houses within the next few days, making a total of five buildings to be erected by the oil mill company for the plant at Lockney.

The gas company workers have about completed the welding of the pipe between Lockney and Floydada and also much of the work between Lockney and Plainview, and within a short time the ditches will be dug and the pipe put into them. Work is expected to start within the city at most any time, as the men have been here for the past week who will take part in the laying of the mains and connecting the residences of the town.

Work on the water extensions is well underway. The reservoir is practically complete, pipes for the new mains have been laid along their routes, and a large ditching machine has arrived to carry on the work.

Work on the Denver railroad in the city limits is at a standstill at this time, but matters causing the delay will probably be cleared up within the next three weeks, when the gangs will resume their grading and finish the job they were on, which will connect the grade from the Santa Fe crossing in Lockney, and also connect the grade that has been completed for a long distance toward Lubbock.

The foundation for the new two-story brick business buildings, being constructed by J. H. Byrington on Main street, is practically complete, and brick laying will begin by the first of next week at the latest.

Dirt has been broken on the foundation for the Filling Station being erected for Artie Baker, at the corner of Main and Bryant Streets. The foundations will probably be completed next week and the brick work begun.

There are several new residences under construction in the city at the present time, and many more under contemplation.

The superintendent's home at the Boone place, 10 miles southwest of Lockney has been completed, and the drilling machinery is now being put in position. The well will be spudded in within the next few days. The well is being put down by the Southern Exploration company, with Cope & Fox, as drilling contractors.

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GUTHRIE PUTTING IN LARGE SHOW WINDOW

E. Guthrie, of E. Guthrie & Co., Dry Goods, has had the door of his store moved to the southeast corner of the building, and will put in a large show window across the front of the store. Alev Morris is busy at present constructing same, which will give appearance of the store, a fine ample display room.

HELD WITHOUT BAIL IN SLAYING

WALLACE McGEHEE, Okla., July 6.—Mama, Oklahoma's famous 24-year-old, was bound over to the court without bail Wednesday on a charge of murdering W. J. McGehee of police at Beggs, who was slain by fleeing bandits, had looted two Beggs stores.

ARAB GOLD

Continued story being published week in the Beacon ended out on account of this week. The next part will appear in the issue of the Beacon.

Methodist Meeting to Begin Next Sunday

REV. R. B. FREEMAN OF MUNDAY, TEXAS WILL CONDUCT 2 WEEKS REVIVAL HERE



REV. R. B. FREEMAN

Protracted meeting will begin next Sunday morning at the First Methodist church, under the direction of Rev. T. J. Rea, assisted by Rev. R. B. Freeman, of Munday, Texas, and a singer.

The meeting will continue two weeks at least, with Rev. Freeman doing the preaching. Rev. Freeman comes recommended as an able preacher and a good series of revival meetings are expected during his stay in Lockney.

Everybody is invited to attend and the membership of the church are expected to be at their places during each service. Services will be held each morning and evening during the meeting.

LOCKNEY NINE DEFEATS FLOYDADA IN FAST GAME

The Lockney baseball nine defeated the Floydada nine in a fast, hard-fought game at the Floydada Baseball park July 4, the score being 3-2 in favor of Lockney. It is said the game was one of the cleanest, fairest and most hardfought games ever played between the two rival towns. This is the third game Lockney has won over the Floydada nine within the past three weeks. Much of the credit for the winning of these three games goes to Ed and Lefty Holmes who are two of the most formidable ball players in this section. Lefty Holmes is fast gaining a reputation in this section of the country as a base ball pitcher and in all probability will within the next year be playing league ball.

Next Saturday afternoon a team composed of Floydada and Lockney will play a combination composed of Quitaque and Turkey players at the Floydada park.

DEPUTY RAY SMITH GETS MAN WITH THE GOODS

Last Sunday afternoon Deputy Sheriff E. Ray Smith unearthed a brewery in the breaks below the cap and got the man that was operating same. Mr. Smith and family had gone down in the breaks to see how the work was progressing on the Denver's new line of railroad, and while roaming about the breaks encountered a man who acted very suspicious. He shadowed the man and caught him in the act of selling about twenty five bottles of beer, which he had in a sack to five men who were in an automobile. Mr. Smith arrested the man, and upon further investigation found the place where he was making the beer, and a total of more than 100 pints. The man gave his name as Blackie Conley and he is now resting well in the county jail at Floydada, if he has not been able to furnish bond since Tuesday.

WALLACE McGEHEE UNDERGOES OPERATION

Word has been received by Judge and Mrs. Wm. McGehee, that their son, Wallace who lives in Kansas City, Mo., underwent an operation last week for appendicitis, and that he was at this time resting well, and would be up again soon.

THINGS ABOUT THE BOND ISSUE PEOPLE SHOULD KNOW

There has been many questions asked about the bonds that are to be voted on in Floyd County on August 1st, for the paving of the Lee Highway across the county. The facts below have been prepared by County Judge Wm. McGehee, and deal with how the bonds if voted, will be handled and the conditions of the county at the present. The statement of Judge McGehee follows:

How The Bonds Will Be Issued and Sold
475 bonds of the denomination of \$1,000.00 each. To be dated March, 1928. To be well advertised and sold to the highest bidder at Public Sale. Interest rate to be determined by bids, not to exceed 5 1-2 per cent (may be under 4 3-4 per cent, if bond market continues as at present). Bonds mature serially from 1 to 30 years (will be arranged that interest and principal payments will be nearly as possible equal throughout the time the bonds run).
Not less than \$10,000.00 deposit will be required before bids are considered.

How The Issue Will Be Met
Will be met by an ad valorem tax on all taxable property subject to taxation within Floyd County for the year 1928 and thereafter as long as any of the bonds are outstanding.
The estimated taxable value for the year 1928 is \$11,000,000.00, the approved taxable values for 1927 are \$10,764,640.00.
The tax rate to take care of the proposed bond issue for 1928 would not exceed 35c on the \$100.00 valuation according to the above.

PRESENT FINANCIAL CONDITION OF FLOYD COUNTY
Which Applied on January 1st, 1928

Outstanding interest bearing warrants, general fund	\$36,000.00
Jail Building Warrants (principal outstanding)	\$46,000.00
Refunding Warrants, Road and Bridge fund	\$52,000.00
Other outstanding warrants, mostly road and bridge	\$22,599.50
Total Indebtedness of Floyd County	\$156,599.50

You will note by the above statement that the total indebtedness of Floyd County is only \$156,599.50, possibly the least indebtedness that is held against any county in the state with anything near the population or property valuation of this county.

The county has at this time about 11,000,000.00 valuation; next year the valuation will be more than \$12,000,000.00 just to figure the industries and railroads that are under construction in the county at this time. This will mean, with a tax rate of thirty-five cents for the bond issue the first year, the county will be able to lower to about thirty cents the next year, and every time a million dollars is added to the valuation of the county the tax rate will be lowered accordingly on the bond issue. Floyd county is growing very rapidly, and Lee Highway paving program is one of the most essential projects that we can have, and which will add hundreds of new farmers and business men to the county.

The counties both east and west of Floyd County have already voted bonds to pave Lee Highway, and Floyd County should fill in the gap. It means dollars and cents to every inhabitant of the county to have Lee Highway paved across the county.

Hail Does Damage West of Lockney

FIVE INCH RAIN ACCOMPANIED BY DESTRUCTIVE HAIL FELL WEST OF LOCKNEY FRIDAY

A good rain fell Friday afternoon over a part of Floyd county, more than an inch being reported in Lockney and to the south and west of the town. The rain was very light north of town and covered only a short distance northeast. Two miles west an extra heavy rain fell accompanied by hail, that did considerable damage wiping out the cotton and wheat in a path about a mile wide and several miles in length. Bill Langfeldt who had a very pretty cotton crop, being probably the best in this section, reports a total loss, the cotton patch being completely cleaned by the hail. At the George Meriwether place, on which Mr. W. L. McMinn lives, the hail destroyed a 40 acre wheat crop which had not been cut, and also destroyed a few acres of cotton. B. F. Thomas who lives two miles northwest of town reported a heavy hail at his place. Those reporting from the district where the hail fell say that about five inches of rain fell in about 45 minutes.

A heavy hail also fell in the town of Floydada Friday afternoon doing considerable damage breaking the windows out of buildings, knocking foliage off trees and ruining the gardens of the town.

The rain in Lockney was more than one and one-fourth inches Friday afternoon, but no hail damage was reported in the town.

Mrs. Ed Smith and sons, L. R. and Rudie Smith of San Antonio are here visiting, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Husky, George Kinyon, formerly of Ranger, Texas has accepted a position with the Lockney Electric as electrician. Mrs. Kinyon is a sister of Mrs. H. B. Adams of this place.

Donley County Ranch Family Murdered

ALL IN STATE OF DECOMPOSITION HAD BEEN MISSING FOR 11 DAYS; NEGROES SUSPECTED

Alanreed, Texas, July 4.—The bodies of Frank Weatherby, his wife and two young children were found today in their ranch home, 3 1-2 miles south of here in Donley county, by neighbors who had become uneasy at not seeing any members of the family.

The bodies were badly decomposed. Weatherby had been shot through the head, in a bed room. In another were the bodies of Mrs. Weatherby, scantily clad, and her two children, fully dressed. The little girl was six years old and the boy four.

A mattress had been thrown over the bodies of these three. Underneath the bodies of Mrs. Weatherby and the two children a crowbar and hammer were found. The room gave evidence of a struggle.

Officers from Clarendon, county seat of Donley county, went to the scene at once and are investigating.

None of the neighbors recall seeing any of the family since Friday, June 24, 11 days ago. On that day Mrs. Enloe Crisp, a neighbor went to the Weatherby home to get Mrs. Weatherby to go with her to visit another neighbor who had just become a mother. At the Weatherby house she met some negroes who had worked on the place, and these told her that Mrs. Weatherby had become very sick and that Mr. Weatherby had accompanied her to a hospital at Wellington. The negroes story was accepted without question at the time.

The negroes have disappeared. A Chevrolet car, purchased by Mr. Weatherby a few weeks ago, is missing from the place.

The bodies were found about 3 o'clock this afternoon, went neighbors went to the home. The condition of the bodies was such that recognition was difficult, and the exact cause of the death of the mother and the two children has not been ascertained. Blood was found on the hammer and crowbar beneath their bodies.

Weatherby's body was found lying face downward. The weapon with which he was shot was not in evidence. An inquest was held by a Donley county justice of the peace this afternoon, the verdict being that the four came to their deaths at the hands of person or persons unknown.

CLARENDON, July 5.—Four negroes and a new coupe are the objects of a search well underway Tuesday as a means of solving the murder of Frank Weatherby, his wife and two small children in their farm home 40 miles north of here and close to the Gray county line.

The Weatherby's, none of whom had been seen since June 24, were found Monday afternoon when neighbors alarmed by continued absence of life on the farm for a period of 10 days, entered the home.

Believe Woman Fought
Reconstruction of the crime after an examination of the bodies showed that Weatherby had been shot thru the head and his body left lying face downward in one room.

That Mrs. Weatherby aroused by the shot, must have given battle to the intruder or intruders and was beaten to death with the crowbar; That the children, a girl 6 and a boy four, may have been killed in their sleep.

A crowbar and a hammer were found beneath the huddled forms of Mrs. Weatherby and the children. A mattress covered the bodies.

CLYDE APPLEWHITE INJURED BY COMBINE SATURDAY

Clyde Applewhite happened to a very serious and painful accident Saturday night, while cutting wheat with a combine on E. H. Rankin's place north of town. While greasing the machine, in some way his foot slipped into the gears, cutting off the second toe on one of his feet and badly mashing and lacerating the foot. He was carried to the Plainview sanitarium for surgical attention, but owing to the fact that the foot was so badly mashed he is not doing so well.

Oil Development On The Plains

TWO TESTS STARTING IN FLOYD COUNTY—ALL PLAINS COUNTIES WILL HAVE TESTS MADE

The oil developments of West Texas and the Panhandle country have at last turned to the Plains country and the counties just under the cap rock in the Central Plains section.

Tests are now starting at two points in Floyd county. One well is to be sunk near Sand Hill, eight miles from Lockney on an air line. The test is to go 4,000 feet, provided oil is not reached in paying quantities before that depth is reached. The derrick for this well is complete, drilling machinery is now being put in place and the well will be spudded in within the next few days. Another drilling crew is getting ready to spud in a well about 20 miles east of Lockney on the Matador land, and this well will probably be spudded in within the next few days. There are prospects for at least two other oil wells to be started in the county within the next few weeks. These wells will be located in the county north of the center of the county.

Below we give a synopsis of the locations, counties, etc., that are making tests in this section of the state:

Lubbock County
Center Oil Company (Sam Arnett et al) Boles No. 1, located NW cor. SE 1-4 Sec 21, block S. G. C. & S. F. Survey, shut down at 1000' water sand.

Hale County
Engleking-Keagans et al number 1 Mullican, located center sec. block 21, block R. R. M. Thompson survey, oil sand 407-412, 3 bbls., 37.8 gravity shut down.

Exploration company number 1 located center of SE 1-4 of Sec. 1 Block O. D. S. & S. R. R. survey building derrick.

Exploration company Fee No. 1 located center of SE 1-4 sec 19, block S-4, D. & S. E. R. R. survey, moving in material.

Exploration company No. 1 Crawford, located center of NE 1-4 Sec. 17 block C-3, T. T. R. R. survey building derrick.

A. S. Mims number 1 Richter, located 700' from the E. line and 1200' from S. line of sec 17, block X John Glynn survey, spudded.

Floyd County
Exploration company number 1 Matador ranch, located center of W 1-2 of sec. 119, block D-3, D. & P. R. R. survey, building rig.

Exploration company number 1 Broom, located center of the C. H. Johnson homestead tract, building derrick.

Hockley County
World Oil company number 1 Elwood, located 300' from north and W lines of labor 5 league 7, Willbarger county school land, building derrick.

Ricker-Dodson (El Capitan) number 1 Elwood-Myrick, located 300' from SW corner Sec 55, block A. R. M. Thompson survey, 10 inch pipe at 1585'.

Castro County
Colorado Oil and Development company number 1 Clements, located 660' from S. line and 1520' from W. line Sec. 78, block M-7, B. S. & F. survey, derrick.

Gulf Production company number 1 Clements, located 300' from SW cor. sec. 27, block M-10A, drilling 4185', gyp and anhydrite.

Mystery Oil company (House et al) number 1 Crum, located SW cor. sec. 33, block M-6, K. & K. Survey, shut down 550', red rock.

Motley County
Exploration company number 1 Matador ranch, located 1320' from W. line.

Exploration company number 1 Marline of sec 27, John H. Gibson survey derrick.

Exploration company, number 1 Burleson, located 1300' from N. line and 300' from E. line, sec 3, L. E. Martin survey spudded and shut down at 150'.

Exploration number 1 Tillson located 1300' from S. line and 1300' feet from E. line, sec. 35, block T. B. S. & F. survey, shut down at 410'.

Chechako Oil company number 1 Jim Owens, located NW center of NW sec 26, block 4, T. & F. R. R. survey

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PAVING LEE HIGHWAY

Wednesday of last week the taxpayers of Hale County voted a million dollar bond issue to pave Lee Highway and Highway No. 9 in that county. Previously the counties of Wilbarger, Foard, Cottle and Motley voted bonds to take care of the paving of Lee Highway; Floyd is the only county between Hale and the Oklahoma line that has not voted to pave. An election has been ordered in Floyd county for the first day of August to vote \$475,000 in road bonds, to be supplemented by two-thirds of the cost of paving by the State and National Highway Commissions, or \$2 for every \$1 we spend for the purpose of paving Lee Highway across this county. To vote for the paving of Lee Highway across Floyd county will mean that we will have direct transcontinental connections with New York and points in the east and San Francisco on the west and also with Fort Worth, Dallas, and other East and Central Texas points over a paved highway. By the time that the paving is completed the counties of Lamb, Bailey and Farmer on the west will have voted to pave Lee Highway, thus putting the county on the longest and most traveled military highway in the United States. This will mean more to Floyd county and the Plains than would a transcontinental line of railway, and will develop the country faster than any other one thing we could hope to secure. Every man that votes for the paving of Lee Highway will be voting for his own interests; voting to make his property more valuable; voting to make his products sell for more and to put more and better markets within his reach—to cut the expense of traveling—to save himself money in delivering his produce to better markets. It is to the interest of every citizen farmer and merchant, professional man and laborer to vote for the bond issue. Floyd county is paying out thousands of dollars annually for highway taxes. These taxes are being used to pave roads in other sections of the State where the counties have voted for payment. We can never hope to get any of this money back, unless we also pave our highways. We are paying for paved highways so why not have some of our own—paying for them and riding

in the mud everytime it rains.

Lee Highway is the greatest transcontinental military highway in the world, and Floyd county is lucky enough to be on the route of the greatest of all National Arteries. If we pave this road it will forever be designated through Floyd county, and if we do not pave it will only be a short time before it is designated to some other route. The National Government expects to have a connection between the Atlantic and the Pacific coasts over a paved road, and they will get such a highway if we fail to give them this highway from coast to coast they will find another route and we will lose the designation, thereby losing the biggest thing in the way of transportation facilities that has ever been offered this county.

Every person in Floyd county realizes that when they start to take a trip in any direction, the first thing to consider is where they can reach the pavement. They fully realize that there is time saved, money saved, and more pleasure to be had in riding over the paved roads than there is to make a trip over muddy roads, and roads that are not properly cared for. They will drive extra miles in order to get to paved roads, and at the same time they save money by doing so. With Lee highway paved across Floyd county it will mean that we can reach all the important cities and states in the Union over paved roads. In the East and West the more developed States have paved roads. They have taken advantage of the opportunities offered them by the Government for good roads; we have been helping pay the bill for their good roads, so why not have them help pay for the paving of Lee Highway. We are due their help in this matter, and we cannot get it in any other way than by voting for the bond issue on August 1 for the paving of Lee Highway across Texas.

Paving the Lee Highway is like getting a great line of transcontinental line of railway. There is not a county in Texas that would not fight to the last straw to get a great transportation line. Other counties in Texas and West Texas, that are not on the line of the designated highway would jump at the chance and vote bonds to pave their pro rata if they were designated on the route. The counties to the South have already made an effort to have the designation changed on the Lee Highway, so that it will intersect the Lubbock-Spur Highway at Dickens City, and go over that route to the New Mexico line, and if we are not successful in getting this road paved across the county they will in all probability succeed in getting the route changed. More than 1,500 cars a day were routed over the other line last year, on account of the Lee Highway not being paved across Texas. We lost this traffic, and will continue to lose it until we pave. This traffic means thousands of dollars a day to the counties along the route. This traffic means development, increase in value of lands, better markets to sell the products

of the country along the line, and many other great advantages. To vote for the paving means you are voting for your own interests, and to the best interests of your community. VOTE FOR PROGRESS, DEVELOPMENT AND PROSPERITY ON MONDAY, AUGUST 1.

LOCKNEY NEEDS A SEWER SYSTEM

The crying need in Lockney today is a sewer system that is sufficiently large to take care of the needs of the town. No town can amount to much unless it has the conveniences demanded by the people. Lockney has been successful in securing electric power and lights, telephone and telegraph facilities, water works systems and the gas lines are being laid to take care of our fuel problems, and now with a sewer system to take care of the health of the citizenship and make the town more sanitary, we will be able to offer all the conveniences that can be offered in any town in West Texas. People of today demand conveniences, and they consider the conveniences offered by a town before they locate and become citizens. Lockney has lost hundreds of good families to other towns of this section of the state because we could not offer the conveniences they demanded. With the installation of sewer system we will be enabled to offer the people who are hunting a home everything that can be offered them in this part of the state. We need a sewer system, our home people need one to protect their health, and make the town more sanitary. The citizenship of Lockney, the people who pay the taxes, the expenses of maintaining the town should have the things that would be to their advantage and their benefit, and at present there is nothing that would mean more to the citizenship than a sanitary system. We prefer to see the people of Lockney vote bonds and build a sewer system, if they can arrange to do so; if they cannot, then let some reliable company put in a sewer system which will be controlled by a franchise which will protect the residents of the town from graft and force the owners to supply the demand of the resident districts at a nominal amount per month, and with a provision in the franchise that will allow the city to take over the proposition at a fair price at any time they may deem it advisable. What we need is the sewer system and there are many ways we can obtain it if we will only do so. Let the entire citizenship work toward this end.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Austin—Manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce representing "the voice of the West" took the stand here this week that the transcontinental line proposed to any ruling which takes from West Texas the right to use its water. The occasion for the fight was before the State Board of Water Engineers to

get it to vacate its decision denying San Saba the right to impound waters of the San Saba River on the grounds that a power syndicate has already filed on the entire run of the water shed of the Colorado River. Wade said the West favored use of flood waters for agricultural and municipal needs first, and was opposed to power concerns taking long time filings on water courses needed for irrigation. He declared the West Texas Chamber of Commerce would fight this matter out to the last, as a matter of principle for all West Texas, and would not stop with one defeat.

Santa Anna—Business men of this town have raised a \$10,000 cash bonus and have donated a site in the heart of the business section here for a new hotel. Plans are under consideration for the structure at this time.

Newlin—This town has recently been added to the ranks of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, having come in for the first time with four memberships. It is a progressive point of Hall County.

Hamilton—Work on the North and South highway between Hamilton and the Leon River is underway, practically all matters concerning its location and right of way having been closed. About a month or six weeks will be required to complete the construction.

Alanreed—A substantial development program is in progress here. Natural gas through a four inch welded line, is assured the town within the next 50 days. A new two-story brick and tile hotel will be started in a few days, and two bridges are to be built leading into the town within the near future.

Sherman—"The undeveloped resources of West Texas" was the subject of a paper read at the 1927 conference school of the Texas Commercial executives Association by Manager Homer D. Wade of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The meet was held June 23, 24 and 25. Wade touched on unlimited resources of the West in many fields, mentioning particularly possibilities in agriculture, oil, livestock and minerals.

Marfa—Elaborate plans for social functions and for all types of diversions are being made in every town along the West Texas Chamber of Commerce motorcade route for entertainment of the motorcade party when it starts its tour of the resort section of the Davis Mountains and Eastern New Mexico the first twelve days of July. B. M. Whiteker, exhibit agricultural manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was here this week in preliminary tour of the points to be covered by the motorcade, helping local towns in plans for entertainment features. Unbounded enthusiasm is being evinced all along the way, he said.

BASSELL CYPERT GETS LEG CAUGHT IN COMBINE Mr. Bassell Cypert, who has been working with a combine cutting wheat northeast of Lockney, got one of his feet caught in the machine several days ago, and his leg and foot were badly lacerated.

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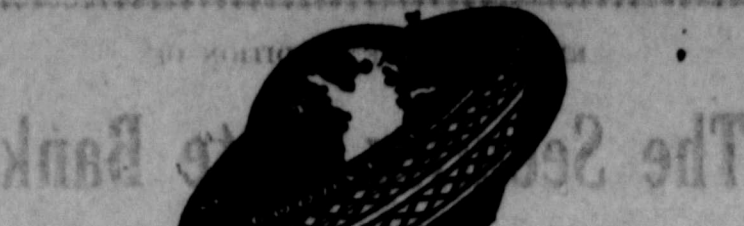
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PERSONAL MENTION

Lee Wofford of Amarilla spent Sunday in Lockney visiting his family.

John Stevenson, and daughter, Miss Pauline, were Plainview visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Mollie Rook of California was here last week visiting the Cramer family.

Mrs. J. A. W. Killer and Mrs. A. J. White spent Tuesday afternoon in

Plainview.

Mesdames R. E. Patterson and Ralph Ashworth were Plainview visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Shaw of Tulsa have been here this week visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cris Seaman were here the past week visiting Mrs. J. A. Baker and other relatives.

Misses Carabel Biffle and Josephine Wayland of Plainview spent the fourth in Lockney visiting friends.

Mrs. A. J. Cramer and Mrs. John Tucker visited friends and relatives in Plainview last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Broyles of Fort Worth are here this week visiting the Broyles and McAdams families.

Jim Hammon and wife of Plainview spent last week in Lockney visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theo Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Drake of Dublin, Texas have been here this week visiting R. P. Shelton and family.

Larry Baker of Altus, Oklahoma has been here the past week visiting his mother and other relatives.

J. W. McCarley and wife have been here the past week visiting Mrs. McCarley's father, Jno. T. O'Hearn.

Miss Leona Hacker, of Plainview is spending the week in Lockney visiting her friend, Miss Iris Mae Fox.

Mrs. John Tucker of Mexia, Texas arrived last week for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cramer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Rhine of Plainview spent the Fourth of July in Lockney visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Bernice Miller of Plainview and Lillian Cash of Canyon were the

week end guests of E. L. Woodburn. Sam Ramsey of Borger spent the fourth in Lockney visiting his father and brother, C. L. and R. C. Ramsey. Mrs. Louie McMurray of Amarillo has been in Lockney the past week visiting her mother Mrs. C. D. Fowler.

Mrs. T. H. Moore has been in Altus, Okla., at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Dent, who has been very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Morris are in Santa Fe, New Mexico where they are spending a two weeks vacation sight seeing.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hess of Clovis N. M., has been here the past week visiting Mrs. Hess's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Whit.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison Ayres are in Lockney for a few days assisting Mr. Ayres' father in the putting on of a dry goods sale.

Mrs. O. E. Stevenson and two sons have returned from two weeks visit at Mertzon, Sherwood and other points in that section of the State.

Mrs. B. B. Lee of White Deer, Texas has been here the past week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wofford and other relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dowlen of Hastings, Oklahoma are here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gass.

Mrs. Cleo Montgomery of White Deer, Texas has been here the past few days visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ayres.

Claude Tatum and wife of Lubbock have been in Lockney the past several days, visiting while Mr. Tatum is looking after his farming interests.

J. M. Shafer, pioneer newspaper man of the Plains, whose home is in Plainview has been here the past week visiting Geo. W. Brewster and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Coleman and Misses Hula and Eunice returned last week from a visit of several days in Grayson county, with relatives and friends.

Misses Edna Earle and Aline Patterson and brothers, T. L. and Paul spent the week end in Lockney the guests of Dr. and Mrs. N. E. Greer and family.

Frank Barber and family of Hereford are spending this week in Lockney the guests of Mr. Barber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Barber and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Harris and son, of Memphis, Texas spent the week end in Lockney visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Riley and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis are at Idalou, Texas, where Mr. Davis is acting as relief section foreman on the Santa Fe railroad, while the regular foreman is on a vacation.

Mrs. Ryan Speegle returned Sunday from Dallas, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis two weeks ago. Mr. Speegle met her in Plainview and accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Teaver and children arrived from Pampa, Texas Sunday. Mr. Teaver left for his home Monday, but Mrs. Teaver and children will visit in Lockney for the next several days.

Mrs. Grady Brewster and children of Perico, Texas, and Miss Roy Riley, Mrs. E. M. Walling and daughter Miss Willie Wanda of Canyon, arrived Sunday for a few days visit with Z. T. Riley and family.

Miss Ethel Cochran, kindergarten teacher for several years in the Lockney schools, writes from Chicago, where she is visiting at this time, that she will be located at Winona Lake, Indiana, for some time during the vacation months.

Mrs. Hoshul Sharp of Roswell, N. M., has been here the past week visiting the Broyles families, will leave tomorrow for Wisconsin to visit her mother, Mrs. Kelly. Her grand mother, Mrs. E. J. Broyles will accompany Mrs. Sharp to Wisconsin, for a visit with her daughter.

C. L. Anderson and two sons left Wednesday for Dumas, Texas where they will visit for several days, while Mr. Anderson is looking after property interests in that section. An oil well has been brought in in Moore county near some of Mr. Anderson's property, and he will also look after his interests at that place while there.

Dr. Colvern Henry left Saturday for Oklahoma to meet his wife after which they will spend two weeks hunting and fishing in the mountains of Colorado before returning to Lockney where they will open an office for the practice of medicine. Both Mr. and Mrs. Henry are physicians and surgeons. Dr. Henry having spent the past year as House Surgeon at Parkland Hospital of Dallas, and Mrs. Henry as House Surgeon of the Children's Hospital of Denver, Colorado.

SLATON MAN FOUND DEAD IN A COAL BIN

SLATON, Texas, July 4.—H. M. Sherratt, about 35, was found dead

here early today. An empty bottle bearing a label showing it to have contained carbolic acid lay nearby. The body was found by Rucy Reynolds, employee of a local coal and grain company. The discovery was made in a room used by the company as a coal bin. Death apparently took place several hours before the body was found. J. H. Phillips, justice of the peace, held an inquest, pronouncing death to have resulted from carbolic acid poisoning, apparently self-administered. Serratt was formerly employed by the Santa Fe railroad. He leaves a wife and several children. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Snyder, Texas.

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ORDINANCE
An Ordinance regulating traffic entering Main Street on College and Locust streets.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lockney, Texas:

SECTION 1. That after passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person to drive car, truck or any motor vehicle, into Main Street on College and Locust streets, without first stopping, before entering Main Street, at "Stop" signals which have been placed on College and Locust Streets.

SECTION 2. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall be adjudged guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$25.00.

SECTION 3. Due to necessary traffic regulations on the above named Streets, the second and third readings of this Ordinance are waived, and it shall become of full force and effect after its passage.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of June A. D. 1927.

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City Secretary.

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Quitaque—A grain elevator, coal yard and feed store is to be erected here at an early date. Glenn Wise, prominent citizen of Briscoe County, has purchased a acre of ground in the western part of Quitaque as a site.

Aspermont—The West Texas Utilities Company is putting in improvements here to the extent of six or seven thousand dollars in connection with the high line being built through here. New poles and other equipment are included in the program.

Providence Home Demonstration Club

The Providence Club met at their club room on June 28. There were nine members and five visitors present.

Miss Bass met with us and gave an interesting discourse on "Emergency Dishes." Several of the members also contributed an "emergency dish" recipe.

Mrs. McCollough and Mrs. Cowart gave a report on the meeting of the County Council which they attended in Floydada June 25.

Three members of our club are in-

tending to go the A & M Short Course as representatives of this club the last week in July.

Each member answered roll call by telling of the item which she intended to put on exhibit at the county fair.

We voted to pay \$2 more into the county treasury to be used as the secretary thought best. Each member was urged to keep their monthly home report to be turned in to the secretary once each month.

Date of the next meeting will be July 12, of which the subject will be "Pies and Pastry." Roll call will be answered by a hint on the making of Pies and Pastry. Miss Bass will give a demonstration on this subject. All members are urged to be present at the next meeting.

FAMILY REUNION AT Z. T. RILEY HOME SUNDAY

An unexpected family reunion was held at the Riley home in Lockney Sunday, when all of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Riley came in for a visit with their parents on the same day. Mrs. Grady Brewster and children of Perico, Texas started to Lockney Saturday for a visit with her parents, coming by Canyon, where she was joined by Miss Roy Riley and Mrs. E. M. Walling, and daughter Miss Willie Wanda, who came to Lockney with her. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Harris of Memphis, Texas also came over Saturday night. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Floyd joined the party and all of the children were at home.

The day was spent in a regular family reunion and a big time was had. All the daughters, sons and sons-in-law were present, except Grady Brewster of Perico, Texas. J. H. Riley, of Waco, brother of Z. T. Riley was also present.

Baptist Church

9:45—Sunday school. Let's do our best to be on time.
11:00—Preaching.
7:45—All B. Y. P. U. members meet.

We expect to call off the preaching service Sunday night on account of the meeting which will be going at the Methodist church. We will not have Wednesday night prayer meeting during the meeting. The

W. M. U. meets Monday at 4 p. m.

Scripture thought for today: John 15:7. "If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what you will, and it shall be done unto you." How would you like to be able to ask anything you wished and God would give it to you? Here is the secret. There are two conditions laid down. First we must abide in Christ. To abide in Jesus is to dwell in him; to be satisfied with him. The second condition is that his word must abide in us. That does not mean some of his teaching, but all of it. Not just that part that suits us, but that it all must be received in our hearts and lives. When we abide in Christ we are filled with his great truth, then we will not ask anything contrary to the will of God. We will only ask those things that are for his glory. May God give to each of us enough grace to follow all the teachings of Jesus and to delight in his love and service! Don't forget to pray. Pray for the worker! Pray for the shirker. Pray for all those who have never given Jesus or his word a place in their lives.—Rev. C. J. McCarty.

Junior B. Y. P. U. Program.

The Story of two Brothers.
Scripture Reading, 1 Cor. 13:4-8.
Roy Dyer.
Introduction—Aubrey McCarty.
The two brothers grow up—Madell Brown.
Offerings to God—Fay Cook.
How God received the offering—Sycgale Wofford.
Cain kills his brother—Ursula Curb.
Cain Lies to God.—Annadell Whorton.
Cain's punishment—Virginia Collier.
Poem—Anne Curb.

Methodist Church

LOCKNEY CIRCUIT
—J. N. S. Webb, Pastor
Miss Edith Webb, accompanied by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Phillips, with whom she has been boarding while attending Texas Woman's college at Fort Worth, returned by way of Chillicothe and were accompanied from there to Lockney by Mrs. W. H. Lance, her grand-

mother, Lance Webb who has been attending McMurry College at Abilene also came in last week. Her father and mother, and brother and sister, John Wesley and Jewell finished up the number of those seeking parsonage home in Lockney and the recreation when they left Rev. Webb's party spent the following two weeks in Ochiltree and Hardeman counties and have just landed back at Lockney. Bro. Webb says he is all the more ready to hold his five meetings on his charge, having had such a splendid trip.

Preaching will be held next Sunday and Sunday night at Lone Star. He will begin his first Revival Meeting at Alton the third Sunday on July at 11:00 a. m.

Unless changes are necessary the other four meetings will be held as follows:

Trick—Fifth Sunday in July.
Lone Star—First Sunday in August.
Roseland—Third Sunday in August.
If any of these meetings should continue over the time set for the beginning of the next some provision will be made for help to carry on both meetings at the same time.

Pray nightly for these meetings and be sure to attend and help in them if possible.

FIVE PLAINVIEW BOYS AND GIRLS SERIOUSLY HURT

Plainview, July 4.—Five people were injured when a large touring car belonging to W. B. Rogers of Plainview, overturned on the Olton road one mile out from Plainview, late Monday afternoon. The car was loaded with band boys from Plainview, who had been to Olton to play for the Fourth of July celebration at that place.

The injured were Curdie Mae Rogers, daughter of W. B. Rogers, who had a finger cut off and who was driving the car when it went off the embankment at a fast speed and overturned three times; M. L. Rogers, son of the owner of the car, who had his back painfully hurt; W. T. Richardson chest injured internally; Glenn Leatherwood, leg cut; Beverly Warren hand cut and face hurt, W. B. Rogers owner of the car was uninjured as was Bill Turner the other occupant.

All the passengers except Rogers and his daughter were members of the Plainview boys' band and were around the ages of fourteen to sixteen. They were rushed to a local hospital where they were given attention immediately. The car was a complete wreck.

MARTIN APPOINTED TO APPELLATE COURT

Local Attorney Unable to State Today Whether he Will Accept Appointment

PLAINVIEW, Texas July 5.—A. B. Martin of Plainview, one of the outstanding criminal lawyers of Texas has been tendered a place on the Commissions of Appeals at Austin by Governor Dan Moody. Mr. Martin stated that he was unable to state yet whether he would accept the appointment.

EASTERN STAR MEETS NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

The Order of the Eastern Star will hold their next regular meeting Friday night July 8th. There will be installation work, and all members are urged to be present.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Security State Bank

LOCKNEY, TEXAS

At The Close of Business June 30th, 1927

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$120,225.92
School Warrants	\$225.00
Banking House and Fixtures	\$18,500.00
CASH AND EXCHANGE	\$419,359.40
TOTAL	\$447,304.32

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	\$7,075.00
DEPOSITS	\$515,229.32
TOTAL	\$447,304.32

The Above Statement is Correct

Carl McAdams, president; J. C. Broyles, Cashier

DIRECTORS:—Geo. T. Meriwether, Mrs. W. D. Long, A. C. Wimberly, Carl McAdams, J. C. Broyles.

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A real good Shirting per yard—

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32 inch Gingham per yard—

10c

Very fine fast colored Gingham per yard—

19c

Fancy Dress prints, 36 inch goods, guaranteed fast colors, yard—

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Fine Rayon Teds, per suit—

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Large size fancy Krinkled bed spreads each—

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PLAINVIEW SANITARIUM NEWS

Mrs. Robin Baker of Lockney who was operated on recently has been discharged.

Miss Johnnie Kelly of Earth has recovered sufficiently after undergoing a mastoid operation to be discharged.

Mrs. C. B. Ashford of Amarillo is recovering rapidly since undergoing an operation last week.

Mrs. L. C. Odom of Slaton underwent a tonsilectomy at the sanitarium last week.

Mrs. Dewey Walker of Amhurst is doing quite well after submitting to a serious operation a few days ago.

Mrs. Bob Timmons of Tulia has been a patient in the sanitarium.

Little Nina Christel Nance of this city underwent a minor operation last week.

Mrs. Dan M. Cook of this city who was injured in an automobile collision some few days ago was taken to the sanitarium, where she was

given medical attention, and at this time is doing nicely.

John W. Henderson of Floydada had his finger amputated here recently.

Little Virgil Elliott of Quitaque underwent an operation for tonsillitis last Monday.

The condition of Caughey Crawford who sustained a broken thigh when he fell last week later developing pneumonia is resting well at this time.

Little Ruth Alice Meyers three years old who was run over by an automobile recently, was taken to the sanitarium for treatment.

Ralph, 9 year old son of Claude Barker of Kress is recovering after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. B. A. Stroppe of Tulia has been discharged after undergoing an operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Powell of Lockney are the happy parents of a baby girl born to them at the sanitarium on June 26th.

S. J. Wilson of Lockney is recovering after an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. H. L. Holland of Happy had her tonsils removed last Tuesday.

J. L. Crow of Odessa underwent an operation last week for appendicitis and is doing nicely.

Jessie William, colored, is recovering since undergoing an operation which was performed on last Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Watson of Runningwater brought his 12 year old son to the sanitarium last Thursday and had his tonsils removed.

Judge Mead Griffin of this city had his tonsils removed last Sunday.

C. F. Appiewhite of Lockney is recovering rapidly after a recent operation.

Miss Curtie Mae Rogers and brother of this city who were injured on July 4 when their car turned over are in the sanitarium and resting well at this time. Their condition is not thought to be serious.

The condition of Mrs. Jim Beall of

Lockney is very favorable since an operation which was performed on last Sunday.

Little Frank Meadows Jr., is in the sanitarium recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL NEWS

Harvest is over, and even the worst spring pessimist will admit that the Panhandle is hard to beat, but not one of them can understand how the wheat made such good yields in the face of all his gloomy productions. The farmers are now busy planting row crops and breaking wheat stubble.

A strip of territory several miles wide between Lockney and Prairie Chapel was badly damaged by the hail storm last Friday afternoon. Cotton was stripped clean, gardens ruined and lots of young chickens and turkeys killed by the hail.

Mrs. E. G. Foster has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Perry, at Amarillo. Misses Maye and

Ada Foster are visiting with Mrs. Perry this week.

Mrs. W. E. Smith is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Francis Carthel. Prof. Frank Cunyus, wife and children of New Braunfels, Texas are visiting Mrs. Cunyus mother, Mrs. J. M. Carthel.

Virgil Thomas and sisters, Misses Dorothy and Velma spent the week end with the Cowart family. They returned to their home at Canyon, Monday, Mrs. Juanita Gowart accompanying them home for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartman of Spur, stopped for a short visit with their cousin, Mrs. Turner Cowart, Tuesday morning. They were on their way home after visiting relatives at Post City and Kress.

Tuesday morning, July 12 at ten o'clock, Miss Bass has promised to meet with us and help us get our home demonstration club going. All those interested are urgently requested to be present. The club was

organized more than a month ago, but our home demonstration agent is overworked and could not give us a date it was dropped. Once we are given a start we can keep the club going if we are willing to work. Club officers are Mrs. Gene Tannahill, president; Mrs. Jim Hamilton, vice-president; Mrs. Frances Carthel, treasurer; Mrs. William Wood, reporter; Miss Roberta Teaff, assistant reporter.—Reporter

WILL MAKE PRINCIPAL ADDRESS AT TULIA CELEBRATION

Mayor T. Z. Reed, of Lockney has been invited to deliver the principal address at a celebration to be held at Tulia on Saturday, July 16, at which time the people of Tulia will celebrate the anniversary establishment of that city.

Mrs. R. W. Long left Sunday for Fort Worth where she will undergo examination at a medical clinic for her health.

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"THE CLOTHIER"

OIL DEVELOPMENT ON PLAINS

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drilling 3330" show of oil 3065".
Wheeler et al number 1 Byrd, located center of NE1-4 sec. 4, J. H. Stephens survey, partly rigged up and shut down.

Terry County
W. L. Kingsland et al number 1 Brownfield, located SW cor. sec. 1 7 block A-1, E. L. R. R. survey, drilling 1800".
Lynn County
Hart Oil company number 1 Edwards located SE cor. sec 5, block 2, L. S. & W. survey, junked hole 1300", pulling pipe and to skid rig.

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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Pure Home Made Sorghum gal 90c

Kellogg Brand Flakes Each 10c

South Texas Cabbage Pound 5c

Spaghetti 4 for 25c

Large Premier Salad 40c

Extra Good Pea-berry Coffe 3 lb \$1

Family Size Crackers 30c

10 lb. Choice Dried Peaches \$1.50

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CASH Grocery

Chamber of Commerce of the Pecos Inter-Mountain district to be held in this mile-high-town on July 9. The interest of the meet will be heightened by the attendance by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Motorcade party which is made up of a distinguished personell.

Abernathy—Foundation for the south wing addition of the new school building has been completed here and work on laying of brick is underway.

Claude—Natural gas for Claude has been contracted for and assured by September first. The line will be laid with two or three inch pipe, and will be tapped from the one serving Panhandle at a point one mile from that city.

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PARTY—Who borrowed car jack at Floyd County lumber yard please return same.—Return it at once as we need it.—Ira Broyles 1tc

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ORDINANCE

"An ordinance, ordering an election to be held in the City of Lockney on the 28th day of July A. D. 1927, to determine whether or not that part of Main Street in the City of Lockney from south line of rail road right of way to north line of rail road right of way should be closed for the exclusive use by the Fort Worth and Denver South Plains Railway Company for its railway tracks and depot and station grounds, and declaring an emergency."

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lockney:

SECTION 1. That an election be held throughout the City of Lockney on the 28th day of July A. D. 1927, to determine whether or not Main Street from South line of the rail road right of way to the north line of rail road right of way shall be closed for the exclusive and perpetual use by the Railway Company for its railway tracks, depot and station grounds.

SECTION 2. That at said election those voting for the closing of said streets shall have written or printed upon their ballots "For the Closing of the Street" and those opposing the closing of the said street shall have written or printed upon their ballots "Against the Closing of the Street."

SECTION 3. The said Election shall be held at the CITY HALL in the City of Lockney and all legally qualified voters in the City of Lockney shall be permitted to vote at said election and S. J. Baldwin, Presiding Judge, D. C. Lowe, Judge, Z. T. Riley, Clerk; and C. L. Cowart, Clerk are appointed as managers of said election.

SECTION 4. That said Election shall be held as nearly as possible in accordance with the provisions of law governing elections generally within the City of Lockney, and the returns of said election shall be made to the City Council of the City of Lockney as provided by law for elections in such City.

SECTION 5. Copy of this ordinance signed by the Mayor and published in a newspaper within said City once each week for four consecutive weeks and three other copies of this ordinance signed by the Mayor posted in three public places within the City of Lockney for at least 28 days prior to the time of holding said election shall be sufficient notice of said election.

SECTION 6. The fact that the building of said railroad and establishing by it of depot and station grounds is being delayed pending closing of said street, and the citizens of the city of Lockney are being deprived of the services of said railroad, creates an emergency and public necessity requiring that all rules be suspended and that this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after its passage and it is so ordained.

T. Z. Reed, Mayor E. O. Baker, City Secretary.

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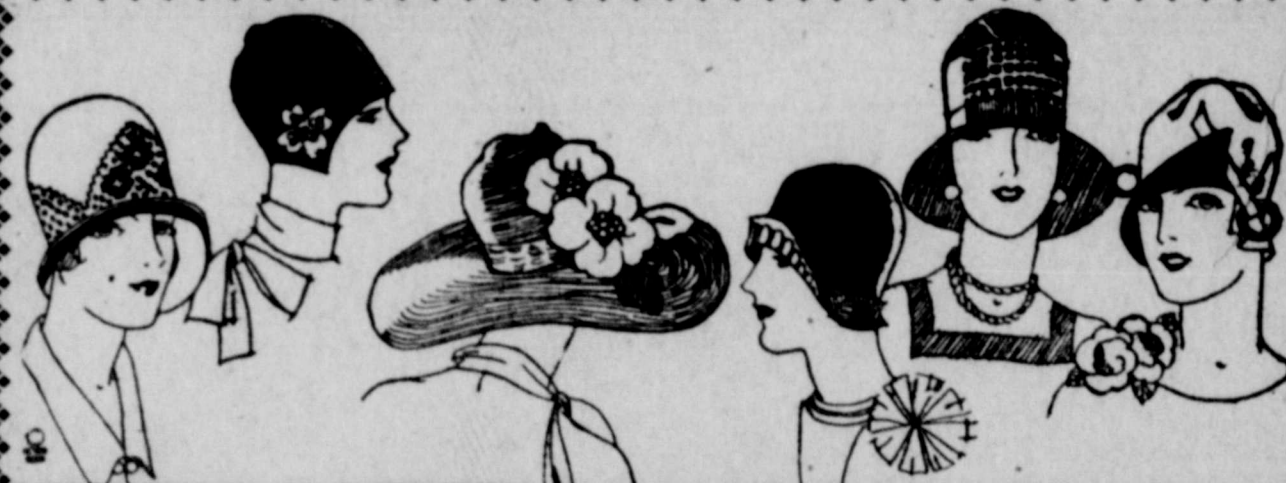
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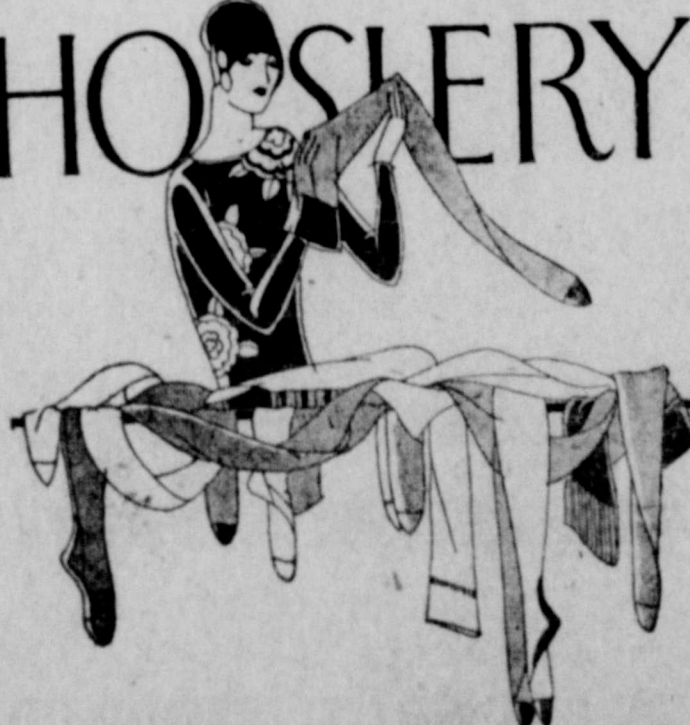
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