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10th Annual Banquet A Great Success

H. M. MASON HEADS ORGANIZA-TION FOR COMING YEAR-MANY NOTABLE VISI-TORS PRESENT

The Tenth Annual Banquet of the length of the building, and which had next annual banquet was held. tion, after which the next half hour two years. was spent and determining just how

by Elder Early Arceneaux, pastor of Matador, Canyon, Amarillo, Fort the Church of Christ, and in his nat- Worth, and possibly others. quet, but every day in the year.

Judge W. D. McCoy, Right of Way Commissioner of the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad, was the first man to be called on by the toastmaster, and in responding he pointed out that two years ago the Chamber of Commerce of Lockney looked forward to the procurance of the Denver line through Sucks Stem of Balloon Down Throat the city; that last year at the ban- and Death Results Almost Instantly the Motley County grand jury which man a real good plumbing, especially tatoes, green peas, pickles, clives, ney folks. quet, they celebrated the granting of the Denver permit to build, at the present time the people are rejoicing! Lorenzo, Dec. 5 .- A toy balloon, ever the fact that actual construction ordinarily one of the most harmless by attorneys for both the state and In the second quarter the Field month or two the tracks will be laid caused the death last Thursday of 8into the town of Lockney, and he year-old Iva May Williams, daughter prophesied that the real jubilee will of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Williams of the take place when the railroad makes Robertson community, near Lorenzo. its formal entry into the city. The The child was returning from the Denver railroad and had them instantly.

pledges were made to support the Lorenzo cemetery. Chamber of Commerce for next year was held at this time, and those present were assessed certain amounts, The City Shoe Shop has moved its which they were asked to publicly o. shop and machinery from the rear of k. and sign notes for. About half Morris' Grocery, to the McCollum the budget was raised at the banquet, building on North Main street, forand a committee is now busy getting merly occupied by the Willys-Overthe o. k's. of those who were not pres- land Co. ent at the banquet.

Burton Thornton and D. E. Cox, was and asks that you call on him at his appointed by President Brown, as a new stand for shoe, harness and top nomination committee, and submitted work. the following names as officers for the coming year, which were elected "WOMANLESS WEDDING" TO BE unanimously: Herbert M. Mason, Manager of the Lockney Cotton Oil Mill, president; S. G. Miller, manager Fun, and plenty of it will be had of the Lockney Drug Co., 1st vice at the McCoy school house on the president; A. P. Barker, owner of the Saturday night, December 10, 1927. Lockney Auto Co., 2nd vice president; On this date a "Womanless Wed-Carl McAdams, W. C. Watson, M. L. ding" is to be held at that place. Williams, Jno. T. O'Hearn and A. B. Everyone is invited to attend and en-Brown, Directors. The secretary will joy the fun that will be had. An brother of the slain officer,

Manager of the West Texas Chamber sent as we want a full house. Reof Commerce, and his talk dwelt on member the date, Saturday night, the work of the Chamber of Com- December 10th. Western part of the state. He favor- MOVING TO DALLAS COUNTY merce, locally and over the entire ney Ukelele Club, and said he would the first of the week for Irving, Dal- The proceeds of these plays will expect them to be present at the An- las county, Texas to make their home go to the benefit of the stage scenery nual Convention of the West Texas in the future, or until they find out The Seniors have this project on their Chamber of Commerce in Fort Worth that there is no place like the Plains hands and must make a payment benext year. He implored the people country. W. A. Hamilton has been fore Christmas so the Expression Deof the community to join hands with identified in the business and farming partment has consented to turn the the local Chmaber of Commerce in circles of Lockney and the Lockney proceeds over to the Seniors. their work, and stated that the com- country for several years and has munity benefitted just in accordance many fiends here who will welcome come out and help the Seniors! with the number of people who were him and his family back next year or

willing to help build it up. Horn, President of the Texas Tech- remain down state in the sticks. It nological College, of Lubbock; Dr. J. "just ain't what it used to be" Bill, The gin owned by Gregory Bros, at A. Hill, President of the West Texas the spirit is not there that prevails Petersburg was destroyed by fire State Teacher's College, at Canyon; in the western part of the state and Wednesday night of early Thursday Senator W. H. Bledsoe of Lubbock; H. the men and women who once taste m rning of last week. A night watch-H. Haines, secretary of the Board of the atmosphere of the Plains country man discovered the fire to late for City Development of Amarillo; Henry just can't stay where there is had been chosen captian for the commany other musical activities of the land of the City Development of Amarillo; Henry just can't stay where there is little anything to be done. This was a Ansley, reporter for the Globe News, development. We await your early re- An insurance was carried, but it will in which he thanked his team mates prices in next weke's issue of this not cover one half of the loss. pendent of the Fort Worth Star- turn.

Telegram, Fort Worth; R. A. Under-Telegram, Fort Worth; R. A. Underwood and Col. R. P. Smyth of Plain- Buy Show Tickets view; and W. D. Biggers, superintendent of the Lockney schools. A violin solo was rendered by Miss Martha; Cox, accompanied at the piano by Miss Lauream Christian, and a read- BUY TICKETS TO THE THEATRE W. D. Biggers, Dr. Colvern Henry. ing was given by Mrs. O. E. Stevenson, accompanied on the violin by Miss Cox, and on the piano by Miss Christian

The welcome address was delivered Tulia, Olton, Quitaque, Floydada, sweaters.

ural humorous way, he stressed the The banquet was a grand success point that the town was at all times in every sense of the word. There glad to have visitors in our midst and were more than 315 plates served by that they were not just welcome on the ladies of the Church of Christ, the such an occasion as the anual ban- tables were filled to their capacity, and many were fed later that could Maury Hopkins, secretary of the not be seated around the banque Plainview Chamber of Commerce, tables. The best line up of speakers gave the response to the welcome ad- that has ever attended a banquet in dress, and made a short talk on co- Lockney was present and took part operation of the Plains towns, in in the program, and the largest numbringing industries to this section of ber of people that has ever attended a banquet was present.

Girl Chokes From Piece Toy Balloon

for Cihld Near Lorenzo

, and that within the next articles that a child might play with,

judge took occasion to call out many school and was toying with the balof the notables that have been identi- loon. A piece of the rubber stem was fied in securing and helping to put sucked down the little girl's throat over various phases in the securing of and death by choking, resulted almost

stand so he could introduce them to Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Robertson Fri-A business meeting, at which day afternoon, burial being in the

City Shoe Shop Moved

Mr. Hodel, the owner, announces At the election of officers, a commit that he is better prepared to take tee composed of Messrs. E. Guthrie, care of the trade in his new location,

HELD AT McCOY DECEMBER 10

be hired by the board of directors. | admission of 15 and 30 cents will be The principal address of the even- charged the proceeds of which will FUN-TWO HOURS OF IT AT ing was delivered by Homer D. Wade, go to the church. Don't fail to be pre

W. A. Hamilton and family left Goslings." the year after, as that will be just GREGORY BROS. GIN Short talks were made by Dr. Paul about a long as they will care to

From Fire Boys

FROM THE FIRE DEPART-MENT

During the rest of December up Homer D. Wade raised the question to and including December 31st the Lockney Chamber of Commerce was of the need of a hotel in Lockney, and Lockney Fire Department will sell senson was played at the high school held in the Watson building Tuesday told the citizenship the worth it would tickets to the Isis Theatre, they will building last Friday night, when the evening, when more than three hun- be to the town, and asked all that be good for any show to be shown Longhorns appeared on the gridiron dred local citizens and visitors par- would pledge financial support to the during the month of December. These against Old Man Grubb for their fiticipated in the biggest and best ban- building of a good hotel to stand, tickets are being placed on sale at nel scrimmage. The Longhorns and Field Judge, Mr. H. B. Adams, Time- a year and 3 days, the three farrows quet ever held in our little city. The about fifty Lockney men, chiefly busi- the Lockney Drug Co., Stewart Drug the Pep Squad have been working keepers, Ukelele Girls; Water Boy bringing 24 pigs. On December 1st doors were opened at 8 o'clock sharp, ness pleople pledged their support, Company and Roy Griffith's Confectout for this final game the entire Mr. Cecil Cope and the people of the town and the and informed the visitors that a nice tionery. The Fire department is buy- seaton, and the entire squad were in visitors were seated around the three hotel, sufficient for the needs of Lock- ing sweaters and are taking this perfect trim for the occasion, and tables that were arranged the entire sey would be ready by the time the means to pay for them. You will ac- were very certain of the fact that comodate them by buying your tickets this game would be won with honors been laden with "good eats" for the A. B. Brown, retiring president, was at either of the three places when and in the very best of style. The occasion by the ladies of the Church complimented by the visiting speak- going to the show of a night. The assault started at about eight o'clock of Christ. Mr. A. B. Brown, retiring ers, as well as those of Lockney, for ticket you buy from them is good with a full team on the field and apresident of the Chamber of Com- the good work he had done during the at any time you many wish to use bout sixty or seventy Pep Squad liniment. merce, acted as toastmaster, and Rev. eight years he has been president of it during the month, and is sold at members and rooters on the side J. B. McReynolds, pastor of the Meth- the organization, and especially for the price of 35c. When starting to lines, with Mrs. Fay Guthrie and her edist church, pronounced the invoca- the work he has done during the last the show remember to buy them from "squad of dining room queens" comthe Fire Boys. Help them, for there posing the defense. The battle start-Delegations were introduced from may be a day when you will need cd when the referee, W. D. Biggers, good the chefs that belonged to the the surrounding towns, and it was them and they are here for your called time in for the kick-off, and the Church of Christ had provided for the found that the following towns were protection. When you call them they game in full swing with Dr. Colvern represented: Lubbock, Plainview, always come. Help them get their Henry as umpire, performing his duty

> old books and many other things to the time the first quarter was at an the department to put in their new end Fay Guthrie had exploded and fire station. Have you checked over was trying to sell the foot ball team your old books. Just call a fire boy publicity on the American Boy. At and he will call for your books.

FIVE MOTLEY COUNTY MEN

Bond Agreed on by Attorneys for State and Defense Without Formal Hearing

the slaying of Constable Lee Stegall tions with a shower bath, after the at Flomot last Monday night, were scramble in the dark, and once more will be convened at Matador on May the more modest players who were

Preliminary hearing was waived game in the light. ion for writ of habens corpus which ing at 10 o'clock was not held, when man, and the Water Boy who had

ry, filling station operator, Harmon losley, ginner, Dolph Mosley his broser, and Calvin Barnes, a farmer, all f Flomot. Dolph Mosley was the Water Boy was big around. fifth man to be arrested, he having been taken into custody Tuesday following the killing. Allen's bond was set at \$5,000. Landry's at \$4,000. Harmon and Dolph Mosley's bond at \$2,500 each. All bonds were readily made and the men released at Lub-

A court of inquiry into the events and matters immediately surrounding the killing of Constable Stegall was held Friday at Flomot, at which thirty-three witnesses are said to have been examined. The proceedings of the court of inquiry were not given to the public.

Attorneys who have been retained by the defendants are Farris Fish of Matador, and T. T. Bouldin of Mineral Wells. District Attorney Bill Combest of Paducah, heads the counsel for the state, with G. E. Hamilton of Matador and Mathews & Folley of Floydada assisting as private prosecutors who have been employed by P. G. Stegall, sheriff of this county, and

HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY NIGHT

Don't forget to come to the High school auditorium Friday evening, December 9th to see the "Florist Shop "Do men Gossip" and "Sauce for the

The admission is 20 and 35 cent

BURNED AT PETERSBURG

Longhorn Banquet

Fay Guthrie, Gene Dyer and Tom Stewart Prove to Be Stars of Worthy Note

The final game of the foot ball pupils to the fullest extent, by nosing into Several people have donated their everything within his reach, and by this juncture old man fate took a hand and blew out the lights of the indoor court, so that arrangements for bers of the Longhorn Football team of GIVEN BAIL AT LUBBOCK the second quarter had to be made n the dark, and the game until an emergency was attended to by the Impire and Hedalinesman, and while The five Motley county men, held on 2" tried to get even with this writer eek following an agreement between was found that several of the contorneys representing the state and tenders with Old Man Grubb had a ger. rhich they should be bound over to the Carkness and had gave the old

was to have been heard Monday morn- the referee, Umpire and Head Lines ond was agreed upon for all five de- absented himself from the game purposely, and probably because he knew The men who were released on bond the game would be a hard fought re W. F. Allen, druggist, Paul Lan-cy, filling station operator, Harmon God" in his heart, however the Water Worty to Judge Boy was ably substituted by Mr. H. H Nicholas, " who was as tall as the

> oot ball team and the pep squad had Many Entries Are Expected at Between halves the line up of the he time out, Songs were sang and bort talks made of the year's work and what they expected to do the com-

the good clean and hard fighting products. past season.

Coach Grady Burson, Assistant Coach rillo.

during the second quarter. The Lockney Longhorns started the be offered to the exhibitors. ast season with a complete reorganication of the team, only two mem- ANNUAL MUSIC MEMORY bers having been members of the ceam heretofore. In the number of first year's team work, they will give pear in full costume.

An account of themselves in the next Many unique and colorful costumes

own to sit up and take notice.

him, and hoped to lead them to victory in all their games of next season. Sow Farrows Three There were more than eighty mem-A Huge Success bers of the foot ball team, pep squad teachers, and visitors present, and an enjoyable occasion was experienced by

The following is a copy of the printed program, which was arranged under the supervision of Mrs. Fay Guthrie and her corps of teachers and

Period of Play

Officials-Referee, Supt. W. D. Biggers, Umpire, Dr. Colvern Henry; Lockney country with the proper care. Head Linesman, Mr. Fay Guthrie; This sow has farrowed three times in

First Quarter Kick-off. Time out for D. V. Biggers.

Second Quarter Parley-Umpire and Headlinesman Final decision-Field Judge. Substitue for Turkey, Bandages and

Hard Tackle for rooters. Enemy gore. Knock-out. Between Halves

Pep talks. Pep demonstration. Third Quarter Longhorn touchdown.

Time out for Longhorns. Fourth Quarter Official conference. Coach Burson and new captian call-

ed on field. Report from referee End run and cream of victory.

Nine for team. The following is a list of the mem

The Line-up

Grady Burson, Coach; Gordon Den-

pie with whipped cream, with a minanot just certain of the ethics of the ture head of a Longhorn as the des. BASKET BALL GIRLS GO

All present pledged their hearty

Floyd Chick Show

Floydada Exhibition. Which Will Start December 15

ng year, and the "Blushing Coach R. H. Mowery, head of the poultry lots of excitement for those on the No 2" told a very interesting bear department of the Texas Technologi- side-lines. Throughout the last half, cal College of Lubbock, will judge the Lockney kept in the lead, and the During the third quarter the "Chief Floyd County Poultry show, which final score was 37 to 26. losses" of the Campus got in for a will be held here Dec. 15, 16 and 17. ng end run and attempted to make Although having been in this section excellent basket ball team. The girls a touch down. The personal of these only a short time Mr. Mowery is well are doing good work, and all they ask aking talks, was Mr. E. E. Dyer and known among the poultry raisers of of the public is their support. Come . H. Stewart, who extended their the South Plains and is considered a on fans, be a sport! Come out to see sympathies to the Foot Ball squad capable judge of all poultry stock. our girls play their next game. Show nd assured them of their hearty co- The officials of the poultry associa- them that you are interested and are peration in all their work. Rev. T. tion consider themselves fortunate in far them against all other teams in Rea, former pastor of the Metho- securing the services of Mr. Mowery the country. ist church in Lockney and one of the and are especially anxious that the gost enthusiastic rooters for the exhibitors take advantage of his visit BOX SUPPER TO BE HELD AT cam the past year, made a very en- to Floydada in securing information husiastic talk to the team and Pep regarding the raising, marketing and

In the fourth quarter each member ested parties in this section as well attend. f the Football Squad, the sponsor as Floyd county, and judging from or the past year, Miss Hazel Gruver, the inquiries the exhibit will include were introduced and made short talks birds from the entire South Plains. oncerning their past year's work, Invitations have been carried to ex- Barlow Hill, Tuesday arrested A. H. and what they expected to do next hibitors of the Slaton South Plains Kimberly, a Dallas man, for the shereason. Also talks were made by show and the Tri-State show at Ama- iff's department of Dallas County, on

fordon Denman, Misses Trapp, Arrangements are being made this Thomas, Cleere, Fry, and Chambers, week to heat and light the Geo, Fink- age, is being held pending the arrival reading was given by Miss Fry ner buliding on West California street of an officer from Dallas. and every convenience possible will

PROGRAM DECEMBER, 16

games won by the Longhorns the The annual Music Memory program ercentage is not high, but the clean will be given at the high school audilear-cut work of the team is one torium December 16th, 1927. There hundred percent, and with the exper- are fifty grammar and primary grade ence they have received in this, their pupils in the program whom will ap-

eason's work that will cause the will be seen, and you will indeed enjoy the occasion. Proceeds will be At the close of the affair the an- used to buy records to be used in the nouncement was made that Louis Lee annual music memory contest and

Times in Year

E. Mayes Reports Big Profits of Increase of One Sow For Past Year

T. E. Mayes made a report this week on the increase from one sow on his farm which proves what ean be done in the hog business in the of last year the sow farrowed seven pigs, on June 10th of this year, 10 pigs and again December 3rd this year farrowed seven pigs, making a total of 24 pigs in one year and three days. Mr. Mayes sold \$82.50 worth of pigs off the sow this year, has two meat hogs that weigh over two hundred pounds and seven pigs left, besides the sow. This is just an example of how prolific the hog business in this country is, as here the hogs grow, multiply and mature as good, if not better than in any part of the state. There is no hog dis-

ease in this section of the country Like the cow tick and boll weevil cholera has no place on the Plains, and no cholera has ever developed in this section among home grown hogs.

Mr. Mayes also looks to poultry raising on his farm as one of his chief farm crops and is using a diversified program in his farming operations.

"THE EYES OF LOVE" TO BE

PRESENTED AT AIKEN SCHOOL On Friday night, December 16th, a play entitled "The Eyes of Love" will an, Assistant coach; Louis Lee, he presented at the Aiken school. Itthis was happening "we believe that Lindsay Walls, Marvin Shurbet, Adol- is a comedy-drama full of life, action these fellows or Blushing Coach No. phus Grubbs, Reno Livingston, Leon and comedy. Not a dull moment thru Wofford, Leo Cooper, Jack Spence, the entire play of something over two charges of murder in connection with by attempting to cool off his aspira- Winfred Fowler, Bert Shelton, Orvis hours. Two hours of fun, tears, and Seal, Kellie Teaff, Cullen Riley, Carl- educational amusement. A play you on Cook, Jack Lomax, Buchanan will wish you had seen if you do not. pleased at Lubbock Monday of this the lights were on, upon inspection it Prickett. Warren Rives, Virgil Webb, Come, enjoy yourself, and help your T. J. Rea, Jr., Roy Jarnagin, Mana- school at the same time. Don't forget the date of this two hours of efense on the amount of bond under vailed themselves of the advantage of The menu served consisted of cock- laughter and pathos, Friday, Decemtail, turkey and dressing, cream po- ber 16. You are cordially invited Lock-

TO HALE CENTER Ten of the hi-school basket ball cam for the next season and expres. Turner, Miss Ermalec Rea, Miss Alice ions of a big year forthcoming by Bridges, coach, and Coach Burson, members of the Longborns, Pep squad went to Hale Center Dec. 2, to play the first match game of the season. The Lockney line-up was:

Forwards: White and Nicholas. Centers: Wilson and Collins. Guards: Shurbet and Gruver.

The first quarter was-fast and held o tight score. Hadley went in as running center at beginning of the second quarter. At the end of the first half, the score was 19-15 in Lockney's favor

The second half was played by the original line-up, the players affording

Lockney has fine material for an

PROVIDENCE NEXT FRIDAY

A box supper will be held at the Squad and told of his appreciation of exhibiting of poultry and poultry Providence school house next Friday night, December 9th. The proceeds team that Lockney has boosted the Catalogues of the show have been of the supper will go for school equip mailed out by the secretary to inter- ment. You are especially invited to

> Wife Desertion Charged Deputy Sheriff's J. M. Wright and a warrant charging wife desertion.

The man, who is about 36 years of

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Santa Claus Letters Next Week

All children who desire their Santa Claus letters to appear in next week's issue of the Beacon must have their letters in this office by Tuesday afternoon, December 13th. We urge every child to write a letter to the Beacon telling Santa who he or she wants. Do not forget that your letters must be in this office by next Tuesday afternoon.

The Linking Bracon ed and their salaries or fees come out of the pockets of the people. The Entered April 14th, 1902, as second people make the courts what they are class mail matter at the Post Office at If the Temple of Justice hang it head

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comes into your home is the one that means the saving of no right to search a suspicious charlabor to the wife and mother. dence, and if he searches a law viola-

living room grate, the furn ace, the kitchen range, with NATURAL GAS connection a good case against a violator of the patient in the sanitarium as the reis something every home far too many cases give the offender tis. should have.

you can do it better and case against some violator of the



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the criminal class of the country the cople are wholly to blame.

No officer can do his duty as set at in his oath without the support the people. A lone man trying to nforce the law has an up-hill job, and can only fail and falter if he is excted to stand alone. If the commun y favors law enforcement and are willing to lend their aid, the law will be enforced. Most of the laws have gone on the rocks because of the people refusing to do their duty when the pinch came. The criminally inclined lawyer, officer and citizen has caused the laws to be broken and the offenders go scott free because the people are not in favor of enforcing the law. Most every man you meet will tell you that he is in favor of strict enforcement of the law, but is he? Put him in the jury box, and what he does. Ask him to assist an officer of the law in suppressing crime and see what he says. When he sees a man violating the law, who is a friend of his, does he go tell the sheriff about it, or swear out a warrant for the arrest of the offender. He will tell you that it is not his business to enforce the law. The average man is very slack in offering to uphold the law. In his talk he is very much in favor of law and order. In his action he opposes law and order at every turn. Are you to be-

Today we have laws on the statute books that tie the hands of every officer in the enforcement of the laws. The very best gift that The crooked lawyers have had them' sced there because the would be law biding citizens have not attempted o stop them. Today an officer has acter or his belongings to secure evitor, finds the goods as he expected, and was not armed with a search PLAINVIEW SANITARIUM NEWS warrant the offender is turned scott The hot water heater, the free because the law has tied the hands of every officer so that he has no rights in the enforcement of the law, which he has been elected to enforce. Then if the officer builds up a good case against a violator of the convicted, the judge or the jury in a suspended sentence, hence the peoples money is wasted, the man is not punished and the community is worse pendicitis. If you do it with HEAT, the officer has no heart to go out and work hard building up another

> We have come to the conclusion ights and are willing to deal out



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a jury box and give a man justice, if lieve that he is sincere when he does that justice sends him to the electric not do his duty as a citizen in helping chair; when we demand of our court preserve the civilization and good be- cers the convictions of all guilty persons who break the law, and let the shyster lawyer, who is really a Il not tolerate delays and trickery, then we can have law and order, and there will be no clamor for the ancullment of a constitutional amendment, and our rights, our property and our homes will be safer and the civilization of our country on a firmer

The condition of L. W. Gainer of this city is very much improved after being under care of physicians for some time for blood poisoning.

Miss Oleta Gibson of Lockney is

Little Elsie Evans of this city is recovering after an operation for ap-

A. C. Carthel, ten year old son of off financially and otherwise, and W. A. Carthel has been discharged from the sanitarium after undergoing a successful operation for appendi-

Veloy Carthel of Kress is improv-Cheaper with NATURAL we have come to the conclusion ing rapidly after having undergone that practically all the trouble with in rapidly after having undergone our laws in Texas lays at the door- a surgical operation a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wayland of this

Mr. J. D. Buchanan of Hereford peal any law that is worthless, streng who underwent an operation on the hen any law that is weak, and can 19th is improving rapidly and will be few days.

Carl Neff of Lockney has been disinless we are willing to exercise our charged from the sanitarium after having been a patient for several

Miss Cora De Stokes has been dis-

ment has been discharged.

Mr. E. E. Wells of Lockney is reovering from a tonsil operation which was performed on last Monday. Mrs. G. W. Whitehead of Silverton is in the sanitarium under care of

Mrs. E. G. Snapka of Silverton a patient in the sanitarium. Mr. W. J. Thompson of Lockney i



JEWELRY

CHRISTMAS

Lots of folks like to think of Jewelry as expensive. Of course there is expensive jewelry and inexpensive jewelry. We try to give you a complete offering of both-in other words this store is jewelry headuarters on the Plains. We meet your needs and your desires in quality, in assortment, in price.

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PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

tarium this week

B. D. Mitchell who sustained an no injury when he fell from the scaf- Mr. R. L. Casey, school trustee, visfold of a building on last Tuesday is iter our school and helped repair the resting nicely, and attending physi- windmill. cians state that his injuries are not

Little Margaret Wilkerson of Lock- gone to Ralls. ney entered the sanitarium on last Tuesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. L. B. Lloyd of Tulia submitted to an eye operation on last Wed. Knox City visited the La Franc home

ROSELAND

unday on account of the small at- family last Sunday. tendance. Don't stay at home on ac-School needs you, and you need the it? Sunday School.

lucky number 363692, and won the Singer Sewing machine which

Lake Watson who has been visiting R. W. Watson of this community has

Miss Wanda Theast visited Jewel Montague at school this week. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Blackman of

Garnet Hilbern, one of our primary

week-end at her home in Briscoe.

Mrs. Jimmie Stevenson held the school before the Christmas holidays. McCarty.

IRICK Several are out of school helping

with the crops. Oleta Gibson is slowly improving. Rev. Webb preached Sunday eve-

Homer Blanton spent the week end at Plainview

Mr. and Mrs. June Simpson spe. unday in this community.

A CORRECTION

last young people had ever lived under better surroundings than those of to-Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Eddins of day. The thing I meant to say was There was no Sunday School last Quitaque visited Delbert Bybee and that no generation of young people We have a change of scenery about their surroundings were considered ount of cold weather, the Sunday our school grounds. Have you noticed than the young people of today. think there are more temptations than? We have three more weeks of there were fifteen years ago .- C. J

Buy Firemen's Show Tickets

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THE PURCHASE OF BLOXOM GROCERY WE WILL OPEN

Saturday, Dec. 10th

We have several reasons for opening a store in Lockney, we mention only two: 1st The Progressive class of Farmers and Stockmen living in this trade territory, and, 2nd, Lockney, owing to location can now develop into the biggest and most important city in Floyd County

We invite you to come to our store and look whether you care to buy or not, and thank our many friends in this territory for past courtesies.

Northcutt Grocery LOCKNEY, TEXAS

Improved Uniform International

Sunday School

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.) (C. 1927, by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for December 11

LISAIAH COUNSELS THE RULERS

LESSON TEXT-Isa. 37:5-11; 14-20. GOLDEN TEXT-Thou wilt keep nim in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee: because he trusteth in Thee. PRIMARY TOPIC-God's Care for Je-

JUNIOR TOPIC-God's Care of a Nation.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-

GOOD THE Ruler of Nations. The Recognition of God in Na-

The committee has given as the scripture units chapters 7, 31, 36 and 87. It will materially help in the grasp of the lesson if brief attention be given to these chapters; therefore in the outline brief reference will be made to chapters 7 and 31 while confining the main exposition to chapters 36 and 37.

I. Isaiah's Message to Ahaz.

1. Prophecy concerning Immanuel

The occasion of this prophecy was an invasion from the north by Israel and Syria. This invasion greatly alarmed Ahaz. To calm his fearful heart Isaiah assured him that God's purpose concerning the nation would not fail. He urged the exercise of faith in God, offering to confirm his faith by working any miracle desired. While with false humility he refused a sign the prophet announced the giving of a sign which would be the birth of Immanuel.

2. A promise of divine protection (ch. 31). Ahaz foolishly called for the help

of Assyria and Egypt against Israel and Syria. Isaiah rebuked him for this, showing him clearly that his only help was in God.

II. Judah Invaded by the Assyr lans (Isa. 36).

1. Rabshakeh meets a deputation from Judah (vv. 1-21). He represented Sennacherib, the

king of Assyria, whose mission was to induce Judah to surrender. His method to accomplish this was: (1) Intimidation (vv. 4-9).

He tried to bully them into submission.

(2) Misrepresentation (v. 10).

them to put their trust in God and well cleaned out and the sile is cut even declared that the Lord had sent him to destroy Egypt. (3) He tried to create a panic

ing such a panic the deputation of the silage was about 10 per cent less val-Jews urged Rabshakeh not to speak | uable for milk production than was in the Jews' language.

(4) He promised them plenty in another land (vv. 16, 17).

2. The report to Hezekiah by the deputation (v. 22). They rent their garments in fear and dismay over their perilous condition, for the crisis long before predicted by Isaiah had now come upon them.

III. Hezekiah's Behavior (Isa. 37). 1. Resorted to the House of the Lord (v. 1).

This is a sure retreat for God's people in time of distress (Ps. 73:16, 17; by faith, for God had promised that

(II Chron. 7:15, 16). 2. Sent to Isalah (vv. 2-7).

The natural and logical thing for the king to do under such circumstances was to send for God's prophet.

3. Hezekiah's prayer (vv. 14-20). Rabshakeh, who seems to have withdrawn from Jerusalem for a little while, now returned from Sennacherib with a letter warning Hezekiah against trusting God for deliverance, for no God was able to stand against the Assyrian army. He spread the letter before the Lord and prayed.

(1) He recognized God's throne. making it the ground of his plea (v. 16).

He reposed his faith in the lordship of Jehovah, knowing that all power and authority resided in Him. (2) He recognized the peril which threatened the people (vv. 17-19).

(3) He asked for deliverance (v. 20). 4. Isalah's message to Hezekiah (vv. 21-35).

(1) That Sennacherib's sin was blasphemy against the Holy One of Israel (vv. 21-23).

(2) That Sennacherib had forgotten that he was an instrument in God's hand (vv. 24-28).

(3) That judgment upon Sennacherib was imminent (vv. 29-35). IV. The Assyrian Army Destroyed

(vv. 36-38). The angel of the Lord went forth and slew in the camp of the Assyrians 185,000 men, so Sennacherib was

turned back by the way he came.

The Bible as a Foundation

studies that when I could get the by crops. Bible to say anything upon a subject it afforded me a firm platform to Lieutenant Maury.

God's Giants

All God's glants have been weak because they reckoned on His being with them.-Hudson Taylor.



COWS TESTED FOR MILK PRODUCTION

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A dairy herd improvement association is an organization of d iry farmers who co-operatively employ a man to test their cows for economical production of milk and butterfat. The tester visits each farm one day each month, weighs the feed and milk of each cow, tests the milk for butterfat, and figures the results.

The dairy herd improvement association furnishes the dairyman definite information regarding the milk and butterfat production of each cow, thus enabling him to cull out the low producers, to feed the remainder according to known production, and to breed up a herd in which the daughters excel their dams. That all this is adding to the profits of members of dairy herd improvement associations is indicated by the increase in the number of these associations.

It is estimated that the average dairy cow in this country produces annually about 4,500 pounds of milk containing about 180 pounds of butterfat. The records of thousands of cows tested regularly show average yields of more than 7,200 pounds of milk and 282 pounds of butterfat. Several associations have average yearly records of more than 300 pounds of butterfat.

In the Ottertail (Minn.) association in 1924-25 the cow produced an average of 200 pounds of butterfat and returned a little more than \$3 for every dollar's worth of feed consumed. Moreover, each cow returned \$101 income above feed cost. Commenting on this record J. C. McDowell of the United States Department of Agriculture remarks that any cow that returns \$3 for every dollar spent for feed is a good market for feed, and that a cow that each year returns \$100 above feed cost is a good labor

Rye Will Make Fair to

Good Grade of Silage

Rye when cut in the flower or early dough stage will make a fair to good grade of silage. The silage is liable to be rather strong smelling and is liable to taint the milk, although this can be largely overcome by feeding the silage directly after milking rather than before. Care will also have He asserted that it was useless for to be exercised that the mangers are off from the barn as otherwise the odor in the barn itself may be taken up by the milk during milking time. among the people (vv. 13-21). Fear- One Investigation indicated that rye corn silage. It is, perhaps, not quite as palatable as corn silage and bas not been largely used for silage.

Centrifugal Force Will Drive Out Skim Milk

Centrifugal force drives the skim milk out of the separator bowl. An increase in speed, therefore, forces more skim milk through the skim milk outlet, consequently richer cream. A decrease in the speed forces less skim milk through the skim milk outlet and the 73:13). This action was prompted cream, therefore, is thinner. Where different persons operate the separator whoever in time of distress resorted there can be but little uniformity of to His house would be heard by Him speed unless each person makes an effort frequently to count the crank revolutions by their watch. The use of a gasoline engine or some constant power will tend to give a more uniform cream test than when the machine is operated by hand.

MO+O+O+O+O+O+O+O+O+O Dairy Squibs

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Avoid overfeeding the poor-producing dairy cow.

Underfeeding good cows is extravagant waste.

Records of five years show that It costs \$43 a year to care for a cow.

A good dairy cow probably consumes more water than any other domestic animal. The more feed consumed, the more water the cow requires.

The man who thinks he is economizing by buying cheap milk pails is fooling himself. A good pail costs a little more but it lasts far longer and is cheaper in the long run.

Tests at the Minnesota experiment station show that a cow producing 27 pounds of milk daily consumed 9.6 gallons of water while one of the same provides suitable living and working only five gallons of water.

Dairymen who feed high protein

Cooling cream and milk immedistand upon, and a round in the ladder Ately after separating takes out the by which I could safely ascend.- animal heat and removes the smoth ered flavor so often objected to,

In caring for milk and cream it is necessary to have a clean place free men, who did great things for God from dirt and files and a place which precludes the possibility of milk taking up odors.

POULTRY FAIR

PUSH LAYING HEN FOR FIVE MONTHS OFTEN A LETTER

Five months per year is enough in which to push hens into extra laying by extending the feeding hours through the use of lights. The North Carolina experiment station has just completed its second three-year test with laying bens and finds that the period between November 1 and April 1 is the period to use lights. For the remainder of the year, the birds should be allowed to feed dur ing the normal daylight.

"Beginning with the pullet year, we have subjected hens to 36 consecutive months of 14 feeding hours per day, securing the extra hours by using electric lights," says Dr. B. F. Kaupp, head of the poultry department at state college. "This past year marked the completion of the second such test. Our results show conclugively that a hen must have a rest period between each year of exposure to the extra hours. This is needed that she might replenish her depleted stores of vitamines, minerals and vitality. It is not wise to subject a hen to the extra feeding hours for more than five months of the year, and the time between November 1

and April 1 is recommended." Doctor Kaupp and his associates have found that a sudden reduction of the feeding hours will be accompanied by premature molting and that regular lighting will always give poor results in securing extra eggs.

Cod Liver Oil May Be

Detrimental to Fowls

Prof. Eric Agudhr of Stockholm, Sweden, has issued a report which liver oil may be continued in the poul- costly mistakes. try ration with desirable results. In his experiments with white mice he cod fiver oil may belt temporarily, it given. is possible that it may be positively harmful if used continuously. Apparently it has had no detrimental effects in experiments in feeding it to poul try on this continent, but before it is made a regular article of diet for poul try, it should be given the most care ful and prolonged investigation.

Sodium Fluoride Useful

to Destroy Parasites

be done only on a warm day One for a few seconds.

If the weather is too cold to dip this can be put on dry. Place a good pinch of the powder on the neck, the back, one under each wing, and a good My one under the vent.

XO+O+O+O+O+O+O+O+O Poultry Squibs

NO+O+O+O+O+O+O+O+O

Poultry parasites are hardy and can tive from four to five months after chickens have been removed from the hen houses unless a strong destroyer is applied.

It takes vigorous pullets with long. broad and deep body developed to shell out eggs in the dead of winter when the thermometer is hovering around the zero mark.

Without some form of animal food. to replace the summer bogs and worms, hens can't lay well, however free-handed you are with grain. This need is supplied by tankage, meat scraps, ground green bone, or skim milk or buttermilk.

. . . Pullets of the heavy breeds can be too fat for laying while it is difficult to get Leghorn pullets overly fat.

The poultry breeder should not be influenced by trifling incidents that irritate the market. He should select and grade his poultry.

The poultry house is both the home of the hen and the factory where winter eggs are produced, and unless it breed giving 13 pounds of milk drank | conditions the hen cannot be expected to lay well.

Soy bean and clover hay, if brightfeeds may add more fertility to the is cured, may be used to take the I have always found in my scientific soil through manure than is taken out place of alfalfa in the poultry ration. feed trough and hay rac's.

It is much easier to prevent lice and mites getting a start than it is two or three times per day. Drinking to get rid of them once they get a water should be kept before the hogs ne hold.

The Missouri station showed how profitable it is to add animal food to a grain ration. Each pound of tankage or meat scraps, or the equivalent 'n skim mlik (one gallon) brought an extra dozen eggs.

HELPS A FARMER

Sometimes a letter to one of the re search or extension authorities prevents a farmer from making some serious mistake in his operation.

For instance one man who has five brood sows that he is using in building up a swine herd wants to know how to feed his pigs. In a letter to Earl H. Hostetler of the North Carolina State college he says: "I am now feeding my own ration of 25 parts of soy-bean meal, 25 parts of corn meal, and 50 parts of wheat bran. Please advise me if this is practical?"

"This ration would possibly be good for brood sows at certain periods,' replied Professor Hostetler, "but is an absolute failure for growing or fattening pigs. The 50 per cent bran is largely filler and has practically no food value for hogs. Also the ration as suggested, is too high in protein and would be improved by substituting the corn meal for the wheat bran and by using some fish meal to replace part of the soy-bean meal."

In other words, this hog grower was going ahead with a ration of his own choosing without knowing about the food value of the ingredients used and would probably soon despair because he did not make the gains with his hogs that he had expected to make. Thinking possibly that the agricultural workers of state college had tested out certain rations and food mixtures, he decided to drop a line to get such suggestions as were available. Information was sent to this grower that will help him to make a success with his hog feeding venture confirms doubt, as to how far cod and will prevent him from making

According to Dean I. O. Schaub of the school of agriculture, this is one found that the continued use of this of the services that the agricultural oil made the animals too fat at the workers are expected to render. Those end of the feeding period, that there who write letters, however, should was a swelling of the bodies, and that be sure to sign them correctly and various organs had been adversely af to give their post office addresses in fected. Other experiments with larger full. Many letters fail to get proper nimals gave similar results. While attention because there is no address

Comfortable Hog Must Be

Fed Right Kind of Feed A hog that isn't fed a balanced ration will be restless and nervous because of the craving for these elements lacking in its ration. This is what causes a hog to root the pasture, and catch chickens. A hog couldn't be called comfortable in this kind of a condition. Neither will the rate of pure breds. is sodium fluoride. The best way to factory with an unbalanced ration. apply is to dip each hen, but this can The usual farm hog ration is kitchen slop and corn or grain sorg ounce of sodium fluoride to each gal tals kind of ration a pig will gain lon of lukewarm water. Grasp the from one-half to three-quarters pound hen by the wings in your left hand per day, and it takes from 800 to and immerse her in the water and 1,200 pounds of corn to make 100 ruffle up the feathers with your right pounds of gain, whereas a balanced hand so that the water will go to the ration will make 100 pounds gain with skin. Then hold your band over her 300 pounds of core and 40 to 50 nostrils and mouth and duck her head pounds of protein and mineral feeds

Linseed Meal Reduces

to balance the ration.

Cost of Feeding Pigs

The addition of linseed meal to a ration of corn, tankage, salt and limestone increased the rate of gain of Good Illustration of pigs from .75 pound daily to 1.02 pounds daily, and reduced the cost per hundred pounds gain from \$6,45 to \$6.22 in an Obio feeding trial reported at the Ohio Live Stock day, June 4.

The pigs that did not have linseed meal consumed 421.1 pounds, feed per hundred pounds gain, whereas the pigs having iinseed meal consumed only 406.4 pounds. Fourteen and six-tenths pounds of linseed meal replaced 10.5 pounds of tankage for each hundred

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live stock.

cause less dicturbance in the feed lot. acre per year for the 33 years. It is safe to say that \$1 in the pro-

duction of 100 pounds of beef can be

saved by using silage. Horses cannot stand up to hard forces them to eat too much hay,

Sheep will do an efficient job of get ting the most out of soy beans if they are given free access to them.

Cattle with horns require more shed room as well as more space at the should be housed. It isn't enough to water the hogs

all the time. Feed crops in abundance are available this year as a feed for live stock. Provision should be made to keep the feed in good condition. A sile is the best means of storing green feed for future use.

Pure Breds in Craig County

Virginia Community Succeeds in Eradicating Grades and Scrubs.

Prepared by the United States Department

of Agriculture.) Cattle-breeding operations in Craig county, Virginia, are now on a 100 per cent pure-bred bull basis following a systematic and aggressive campaign to eradicate the scrubs and grades. A cattle survey made 11 years ago revealed that the county had no purebred bulls whatever. The subsequent rise from 0 to 100 per cent is largely the result of systematic extension work and a progressive sentiment for better live stock by farmers of the

All Registered Pure Breds.

An official count on October 26 showed the county to contain 41 purebred bulls, all of which are registered. The final check-up was conducted by W. O. Martin, county agent; L. I. Case, animal husbandman of the state extension division, and D. S. Burch of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture.

Beef cattle predominate in the county. Of the 41 pure-bred bulls 27 are Herefords, 12 Shorthorns, 1 an Aberdeen-Angus, and 1 a Guernsey. The cattle population of the county is approximately 5,000 head, and, though for a long period the region has produced good market live stock, improvement in the quality of cattle has been especially marked during the last few

Craig county is the second in the United States and the first in Virginia to eradicate all scrub and grade bulls, The first county to reach that goal was Union county, Kentucky, which disposed of its last inferior bulls early

Industry Diversified.

Although Craig county is scarcely half the size of the average county in the state, its activities in live-stock production cover all the principal classes of animals, including sheep, swine, horses, goats and poultry in addition to cattle. The production of lambs is an important industry, rivaling cattle raising. Turkey production is likewise a prominent feature of the county's agriculture.

Other counties in the state have been striving for the same pure-bred sire goal under systematic agricultural programs developed by county agents in consultation with county advisory boards composed of leading farmers. This activity is sponsored by the state extension service, of which J. R. Hutcheson is director. Under this plan several counties are gradually eradicating scrub and grade sires of all kinds and replacing them with

Much of the success of Craig county The best thing to treat hens for lice gain nor economy of gain be satisin eradicating scrub and grade buils and pebbles used are moist, add only for young stock sired by pure-bred bulls used in recent years. One breeder stated that his pure-bred bull, costing less than \$150, had already sired more than 75 calves. These calves brought, on the average, \$10 per head more than calves sired by a former grade bull. He estimated that the pure-bred bull, which is still in service, had already earned more than five times its original cost. Other instances likewise have impressed cattle owners of the county with the value of enrefully selected, pure bred, berd sires.

Returns From Forestry

As an illustration of the returns from farm forestry and the possibilities of profit from the wise management of a relatively small wood lot, the forestry service of the United States Department of Agriculture reports the experience of two generations of farmers near Hollis, N. H. The father had a 17-acre wood lot cut over in 1894 and paid the choppers a beaus of \$20 to use care and leave the small growth. For lumber sawed from logs delivered at a nearby mill he received from \$9 to \$11 a thousand feet at the mill. The son has cut 50,-000 feet of lumber which sold for \$18 a thousand feet, or \$900, piled at the It's a live farmer that believes in roadside. Two years ago be refused an offer of \$2,000 for the privilege of cutting all trees over 8 inches in diam-Polled or dehorned cattle are usu- eter, or more than \$117 an acre. In ally preferred for market production. cluding the lumber sold, the income, and increase in timber value, the land Dehorned cattle are more quiet and has been earning at the rate of \$5 an

Shed for Machinery

The prospective builder should talk the matter over with his lumber dealer and see how little cash it takes to work on a light grain ration, which put up a shed in which to house machinery. There is a depreciation of about 15 per cent each winter in that machinery allowed to stand uncovered and exposed to the weather. Sometimes, this amount of depreciation on high-priced machinery will pay for constructing the building in which it

Make Smooth Surfaces

Smooth, even surfaces can be sesured on walks, drives and other pavements by the use of an old canvas or rubber belt, four or six inches wide and about twelve feet long. After the concrete has been placed in the forms and has been leveled off, the belt is drawn back and forth across it, and is worked slowly forward as the concrete surface is brought to the desired | \$400,000,000 worth of live stock for smoothness.

Various Uses for Skim Milk Powder

Adds Greatly to Nutritive Value of Bread.

(Prepared by the United States Department

of Agriculture.) Comparatively small quantities of skim milk are being manufactured into skim-milk powder. As yet the market for dry skim milk takes little more than 2 per cent of the dried powder that might be made from the milk resulting from butter making. Ten pounds of milk make nearly one pound of powder, which is an excellent food material composed of 38 per cent of proteins, 50 per cent of lactose or milk sugar, and 8 per cent of salts which are a valuable addition to the mineral part of the diet.

Recent experiments conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture have demonstrated an improved method of drying the milk. This results in a product highly superior for bread-baking purposes. In baking, the dried milk is a particularty desirable addition to the loaf. When used with good flour it is possible to get a loaf 10 per cent larger and about 4 per cent heavier than without it, Ap even more desirable advantage is the fact that the milk adds greatly to the nutritive value of the bread as well as to its flavor and physical characteristies. For bakers the added cost of the milk is balanced by the increased number of loaves which can be made from a barrel of flour.

Several other advantages of dried milk and a brief outline of the improved process of manufacture are outlined in Separate 904-Y from the 1926 Yearbook of Agriculture. This separate has just been published in pamphlet form and may be obtained by application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washing-

Barnyard Pavements Add to the Value of a Farm

Permanent barnyard pavements not only add to the appearance of a farm, they also help prevent disease in the cattle and keep the milk clean. These pavements can be easily constructed by the farmer himself.

The ground must first of all be leveled off. Forms for the concrete are then built of two-inch lumber five inches wide (which will be the thickness of the floor). The top of the forms are set to such a grade that a lope of one-fourth inch a foot across the Goor will be secured or proper

drainage. The forms are built to provide for slabs not more than ten feet square. A good plan is to lay the alternate slabs.

first and the intermediate ones later ... The concrete for pavements contains five and one-half gallons of water to the sack of cement. If the sand is attributed by County Agent Martin | four and one-half gallons, as the extra to the good market prices received gallon will be contained in these materials. Wet sand and pebbles require only three and three-fourths gallons of

Use enough sand and pebbles to secure a concrete that is workable, but not sloppy. Ordinarily two cubic feet of sand and three of pebbles to each sack of cement will give the right mixture. If this mixture is too dry or too "sloppy," vary it to meet the exact

After the concrete has been placed, it is finished with a wood float. This finishing gives the pavement a gritty surface on which the cattle will not

A bottomless box holding one cubic foot, two cubic feet, or any given amount, is frequently used in measuring the sand and stone used in making concrete. The box is set on the mixing floor, filled to the top, and then lifted, the materials remaining on

20+0+0+0+0M0+0+0+0+08 Agricultural Facts

×0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 The easiest way to feed hens milk is to put the dry powder in their

New York state, excluding Long Island, grows more than 60 per cent of all the Danish cabbage produced in the United States.

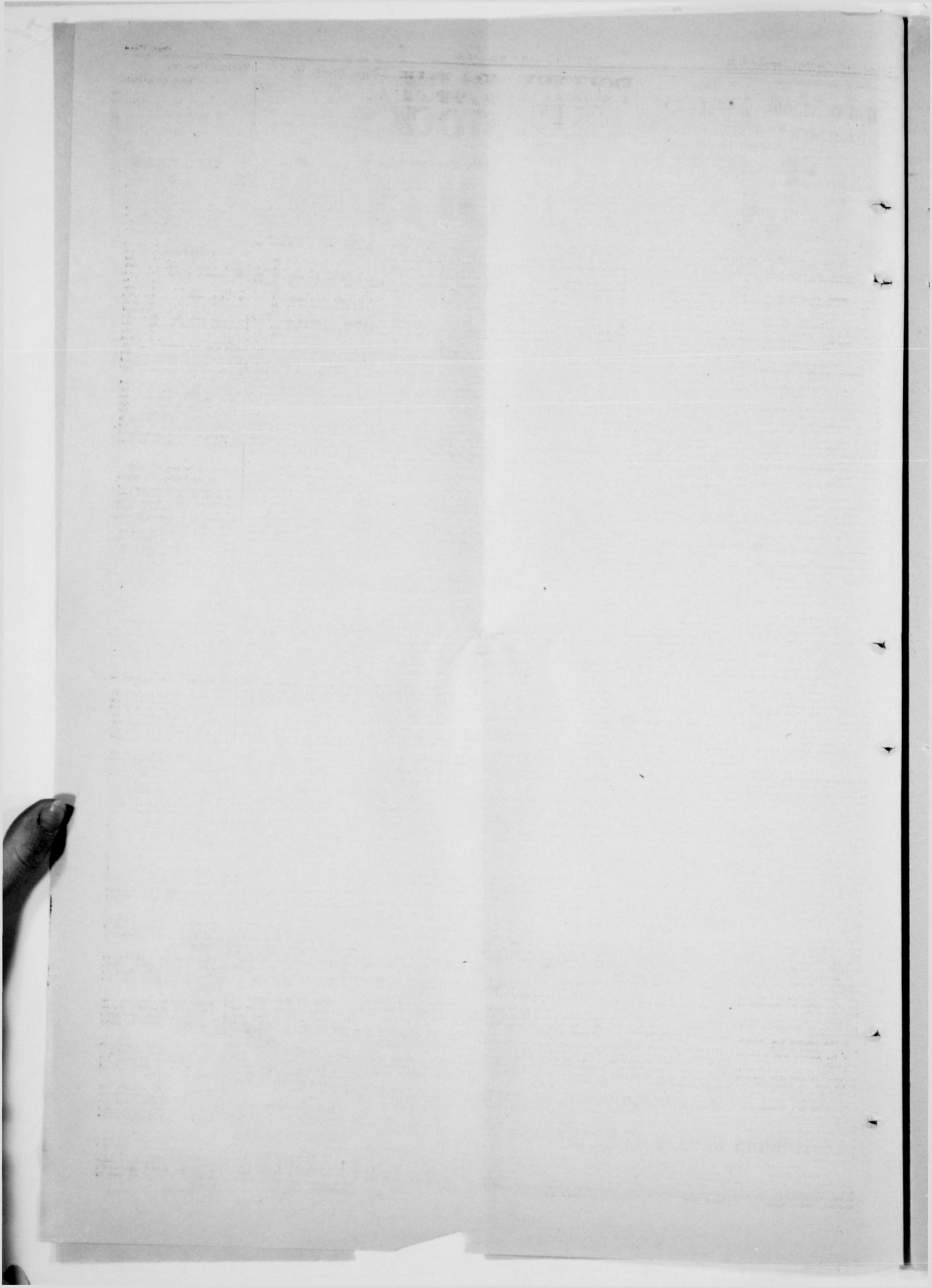
Silage is not only a substitute for hay and forage, but also for pasture. Many stock keepers have found the silo quite as valuable for summer use as winter. Feeding calves on home-grown feeds

and selling them as fat calves at wean-

ing, or as fat yearlings, constitutes a system which increases the income from the form. Almost any chicken will lay in March, April and May. But ability to lay from November till March has

been developed by many years of breeding and selection. If one weighs the milk and feed of a cow it can be determined to the day when the cow is being kept at a loss. And if she has not made a good profit for the year she should be soid

at once. About 5,000 co-operative live stock shipping associations and other local associations shipping live stock are doing business in the United States, In 1926 they handled approximately



THE BIG CLOSING OUT SAI

Starts Saturday, Dec. 10th, Continues until Dec. 24th

T THE BARGAIN STOR

MAYVIEW

Mayview, Dec. 5 .- Killing hogs and picking cotton seems to be the order of the day.

Sunday school was not very well attended Sunday on account of the and Mrs. Jonah McPeak.

Quite a crowd attended B. Y. P. U. Sunday night. Mrs. Carlton of Newlin attended and Mrs. Jim Gamblin. the League here Sunday.

A party was enjoyed at Mr. Holiday's Saturday.

to Crowell last Monday. Catherine Davis spent the night and family. with Robbie Lotspeich Saturday night | Elgah and Katheryn Alexander

of Matador Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith and daughter took supper with Tom Em- nicely at this writing.

mert and family Wednesday night. Tom Emert has been suffering with with flu this week. appendicitis lately.

ial was gathered for the Christmas Alexander Sunday faternoon.

program and plans were made for the

Christmas celebration. Mrs. Eldon Gray visited Mrs. Smith family. Thursday afternoon.

Remember Sunday school at eleven o'clock, League at 3 o'clock and B. Y. dada. P. U. at six-thirty. Come.

BLANCO

Blanco, Dec. 5 .- Mr. and Mrs. Horace Simpson spent Sunday with Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith and famiily were the Sunday guests of Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Beaner and family

Sand Hill.

Mr. Holiday made a business trip their guests Sunday Bro. Jess Dalton

C. A. Smith went hunting north spent Sunday with Noma McPeak. Mr. Bud Toon has been very sick with the flu. He is getting along Cleo Smith is also sick very sick

Preston Badgett spent Sunday af-

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tinnin spent ternoon Sunday with Mr. George Smith and Mr. Campbell and family visited ed by a large crowd. Every one re-

Mr. and Mrs. Cloe Cates spent Sun-

hear Rev. Lollar preach, at McCoy school.

AIKEN

Aiken, Dec. 5 .- The people of Aiken have decided that winter may come ed again last Monday after a two spent Sunday with Mr. Corder's at yet since Sunday was such a cold day. The Aiken boys and girls will play basket ball at Prairie Chapel Friday.

We are hoping that we win in both games as our girls were defeated in night with Adell Evers. the game here Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Wells visited

relatives in Lockney Sunday. Mr .and Mrs. Golightly who are living in Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Monday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Mc-Reynolds has been quite ill the past with her mother Mrs. S. S. West.

at the Methodist church Sunday af-

relatives in Olton Sunday.

On Friday night, December 16th day with Mrs. Josie Heard near Floy- there will be a play given at the Ai- basket ball at Allmon last Friday. We are planning a Christmas Tree of Love. If you want to have lots of fun and enjoy yourself be sure and program to be given Dec. 24th., come to see this play. Admission The McCoy boys and girls will visitors in the Nixon home Sunday of the McCoy boys and girls will visitors in the Nixon home Sunday.

PLEASANT HILL

Pleasant Hill, Dec, 5 .- School openweeks vacation.

Miss Corine Clark of Friona is visiting in the Woolsey home. Miss Myrtle Day spent Saturday

Miss Elizabeth Woolsey spent Saturday night with Miss Juanita Hart. Mrs. S. S. West and family spent Sunday in the Woolsey home.

The young people of this community enjoyed a party at the Shelton home last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Claud Fawver spent Monday Quite a few young people met at ternoon with Billy Snell.

C. A. Smith's Monday night. Mater—Buster Simpson visited John Henry! A large crowd attended the singing house Saturday night. Everyone is

invited. Miss Mayes returned from her home unday to take up her school duties

Adell Eavers spent Saturday with fyrtle Day. Bill Towry and Foy Mara visited ralie Clark at Matador last Satur-

Sidney West and family visited in

ALCINO

Mr. Dozier Dillard and wife visiti in Childress Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Brown and Frank Caylor spent Saturday in Lockney

The Baptist meeting closed last unday at Alcino.

Florine and Geraldine Brown visitf Grandma Brown Saturday. Mrs. Addie Smith was in town Sat-

about.

Mrs. Monroe Smith, Milledge Tayor and son, George, Mrs. Dora Brown nd children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith isited Sunday afternoon in the home D. B. Brown and family.

Levi Fortenberry and wife of Burkurnett visited Grandma Brown Sat-

Mrs. Goldie Cypert spent Saturday fternoon at the store Johnnie Johnson and Bessie Yeary arried Friday night

Fay Fortenberry and Zella Yeary Burkburnett who have been visitg Mr. George Yeary have retuned

Syd Brown and family visited in home of Grandma Brown Sun-Mr. Ben Dillard has been very

usy hualing grain to town the past ew days. Joe Cypert is visiting Buster

Freeman Love and Mr. Gilly made trip to Childress last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McDaniel were

n Lockney Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Wiggington and daughter Jennie Lee were at church Saturday night.

B. E. Cypert had a bale of cotton ulled Saturday. Frank Dillard visited Homer Ray ypert Saturday.

Brown Saturday John Fortenberry was in Alcino aturday afternoon. Miss Ruth Guinn spent Sunday with

Milledge Taylor called on Syd

McCOY

Mrs. Goldie Cypert.

McCoy, Dec. 5 .- Rev. V. M. Lollar filled his regular appointment here last Saturday and Sunday. Sunday school is proressing nicely.

"The Womanless Wedding" will be given at the Methodist church Satrday night, December 10.

The party given by the Literary

ciety at the school house was attend- end.

There was a large crowd from Blanco at church Sunday night to school Blanco at church Sunday night at the school Blanco at church Sunday night to school Blanco at church Sunday night at the school Blanco at church Sund

ported an enjoyable time.

Miss Mildred Raley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. The McCoy boys and girls played A. Curry. Misses Minnie and Verna Nixon

ken School house entitled "The Eyes The scores were: 3 to 20 in favor of were visitors in the Dudley home Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Goode from John S. Rankin was a visitor in Fairview were guests of Mr. and Mrs. the home of his parents last week Robert Smith Sunday.

SOMETHING

To Crow About!



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ORVIS SEAL OF LOCKNEY CONVICTED OF BIGAMY

Before a jury of seven and the honorable Judge Leo Cooper, Mr. Orvis Special Attention to Diseases of Chil- Seal of Lockney, Texas was brought to face a trial for bigamy last Tuesday and Wednesday. Charges were ide by Mrs. Seal No. 2, formerly Miss Martha Wofford. Mr. Carl Meriwether acted as prosecuting attorney; Miss Ruth Stapleton, attorney for the defense. During Tuesday's session, Mr. Seal seemed to stand a fair chance of clearing himself, but n Wednesday, evidence was procurd that went against him badly.

Tuesday morning the first witness called to the stand was Miss Thelma Arterburn of New York City, old chool chum of both Mr. and Mrs. Seal No. 1. After taking oath, Miss Arterburn was questioned by Lawyer Stapleton. She testified that she knew the Seals intimately, having lived with them in New York. Miss Arterburn gave evidence that Mr. Seal was married to Miss Mamie Lou Jarnagin, June 13, 1924 and was later divorced from her on February 10, 1925, charging desertion and alienation of affection, naming Mr. Carl Meriwether, attorney for the Plaintiff as co-respondent. The witness was present on both occasions, testifying in the divorce case against Mrs. Seal. She stated that the divorce was granted by Judge Louis Lee in Reno, Nevada. When asked if she knew that Mr. cial or professional, the specialist is Seal intended marrying the second producing a letter written by Mr. Seal to her to uphold the statement. She told the court that Orvis Seal was married to Miss Martha Wofford of was present at the trial. The witness Huggins took the stand.

Mr. Huggin; testified that he was a detective in the employ of Mr. Orvis Seal for the purpose of securing eviwas present at the divorce trial in Reno, Nevada, and that a divorce was granted Mr. Seal from Mrs. by Judge Louis Lee.

The second wife of Mr. Seal was tated that Mr. Seal kept her in ig-

Carthel was called to the stand.

age ceremony between Mr. Orvis Seal perfectly legal. The witness was ed for the day.

At the opening of the second day Miss Guinn was recalled to the stand for a brief review of her testimon; the previous day after which Judge Gid Waller of the Supreme Court was called to give testimony, Judge Waller swore that on February 11, 1925 he granted an official appointmen Judge Lee, of Reno, Nevada to ac is Judge. This was one day after e had granted the divorce to Mr. Orvis Seal, February 10, 1925, Judge

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He testified that he later wrote gathering was attended by a high | Abilene-Simmons University, the dence against Miss Mamie Lou Seal a letter to Judge Gid Waller concern- class of West Texas citizenship who university in West Texas has been in a divorce suit. He testified that he ing Lee's granting a divorce to Mr. convened to give due honor to Gov. unanimously elected to membership in Orvis Seal from Mrs. Mamie Lou Seal Dan Moody who was honor guest and the Southern Association of Colleges before he was officially appointed as principal speaker, L. R. Thompson, and Secondary schools, which gives judge. When asked if whether or not Merkel secretary, was presiding offi- the college recognition as to standards Mamie Lou Seal on February 10, 1925 Lee expected to be appointed soon; cer. Harris replied he did not. The witness was then dismissed and Kellie of perhaps a weeks' duration was ini- of West Texas boys and girls who he second to take the stand. She Teaff followed by Miss Hazel Jo Antiated here by Manager Homer D. testified that she and Mr. Seal were derson, both of whom are residents Wade when he was feature speaker

married Januray 6, 1926 afterwards of Reno, Nevada, were placed on the going to Long Beach, California. She stand where they swore that on Feb-

was legally married to Seal, June 13, history of the institution. Rev. Carthel testified that on Jan- 1924 and divorced February 10, 1925

ceremony at the time he believed was legal in every respect. Mrs. Mamie sas to accept a similiar position. Lou Seal was subjected to an exthen dismissed and the court adjourn- less state usemand Australia and the court adjourn- less state usemand Australia and the court adjourn- less state and courageous statement. Judge Louis Lee took the stand and modern hostelry.

westioned.

Seal declared that he had been maried twice and divorced once. He then Miss Martha Woford, After Mr |Seal made this statement the quesified that at one time he was a tioning of witnesses was declared at judge, but because of his unpopular- an end by the lawyers and each made ty with the people, he resigned, re- a plea to the jury. Both pleas were commending Louis Lee for the posi- excellent and well delivered. After the lawyers had finished and the case placed in the hands of the jury which body returned a verdict of guilty. Seal was sentenced by Judge Leo Cooper to make at least one ouchdown in the Lockney-Hereford football game that was to be played Friday at Hereford. The members of the jury were Miss Helen Upton, Mr. Robin Byars, Mr. Marvin Shurbert. ndMr. Reno Livington. Order was kept in the school room by Sheriff

This trial was held by the A sec tion of the eleventh grade English class for the purpose of acquainting the students with court procedure. The drill was really a success as the students were more enthused over the two days of recitation than those of any other.

In the Lockney-Hereford game Seal said his penalty. He made the touchlown that was demanded by Judge Lea Cooper.

WHATS DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Merkel-Five years on the part of Merkel to serve as host of the Central West Texas District convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce was rewarded at the Sweetwater meeting November 30th when that city was unanimously named the 1928 convention town. The Sweetwater

Lubbock-A Panhandle-Plains tour

amination in regards to her divorce ing Day, is enjoying active business. suit, after which she was dismissed. Universal commendation is given the

ganization.

of credits and courses of study. Simmons is rapidly becoming the Mecca are seeking economical, first class edu

livered the principal address at the new Drug Company, Stewart Drug annual banquet of the Lockney Cham- Company and Roy Griffith's Confec-

STANDS FOR PROHIBITION

would have a tendency to muddy the crous enforcement of our prohibition Seal and Mrs. Martha Seal tickets to Long Beach California. The witness Seal took the stand, testifying in the Long Beach California. The witness Seal took the stand, testifying in the the Senior Class is the largest in the. Long Beach California. The witness seal took the stand, testing in the the Senior Class is the largest in the they are going to be able to get their given prohibition and its enforcement little game of camafloug over. So a fair chance and the Democratic Electra-Robert P. Hall is new se- far as Gov. Moody is concerned we party ought to declare for prohibi-Rev. Carthel testified that on Jan-uary 6, 1926 h eperformed a marri-uary 6, 1926 h eperformed a marri-at Reno, Nevada by Judge Louis Lee cretary of the Electra Chamber of are pretty certain there is not going tion and pledge the people that if stified that both she and Seal Comerce, succeeding Byron T. John to be anything doing. The anti-pro- its candidates are elected that pro-Specializing in Farm, Live- and Miss Martha Wofford, which believed that the divorce decree was son who has gone to Hutchinson, Kan- hibition elements put out a lot of dope hibition laws will be rigidly enforced. a few weeks ago about Gov. Moody This is a fine word and the Gover-

gandists who are behind the efforts . Lubbook Avalanche

to nominate Al Smith and especially to capture the Texas delegation for Smith and had given out a statement had expressed a willingness to go on the ticket as Al Smith's running mate Governor Moody came out in a statement denying the whole thing and saying that he had neither been approached on the subject nor had he given out any such declaration. He goes further to say:

"The one declaration which I have made on national politics is that thought the Democratic party should by all means incorporate in its platorm a ringing declaration in favor onists harnessed up with Al Smith tempt to modify prohibition and that the anti-prohibition crowd. This it should declare in favor of the vig-

Big Spring-The new Crawford Ho- going to team with Al Smith, but the nor of Texas is to be commended for

with an emphatic statement that there | The gentlemen who are leading the was nothing to it and stated his posi- movement to deliver the Texas delega tion on the prohibition question in tion to Al Smith will get small comtestified that on February 10, 1925 he wyandotte breeder and fancier, has a way that left no doubt in the minds fort from Gov. Moody's statement. positively granted a divorce to Seal Haskell-W. Applegate, local buff of the people, what the Governor had In our opinion they are going to get from his first wife. After a series been elected Southern vice-president in mind in this matter. The Texas even less comfort than that from the of minor questions were asked. Lee of the Buff Wyandotte Breeders Club Christian Advocate in commenting on Democracy of this state when the was excused and the defendant was of America, which is a national or- the question says that the subtle prop- time comes to instruct the delegation.



Program Week Commencing

Monday, Dec. 12th

Monday and Tuesday-

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The Woman on Trial'

COMEDY-"SHORT SOCKS"

Friday-A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

Title Not Confirmed MACK SENNETT COMEDY NEWS

Saturday-

HARRY CAREY

"Silent Sanderson"

THE REWARD FOR BANDITS

There is a great deal being said admit. No man has a right to enter man to meet his death in Texas and early and missed the good eats. a banking institution and take the we want to sound the warning that Our next meeting will be held at their minds. They finally hit upon rewards than there will be bank rob- be present. the plan of posting a reward for bers. Every officer will try to prebank robbers dead or alive, in an ef- vent a bank robbery, and have been Pleasant Valley Home fort to stop the practice. But will running down robbers in the past. Demonstration Club it do it? That is the question. Men They will do more toward catching The Pleasant Valley Home Demonalways will. But since the reward point, and they generally have pulled afternoon was "Cake Baking." has been offered for their scalp, and their robbery and attempted to make Miss Bass met with us and demonthe price of five thousand per head their getaway before the officers strated cake making. There was no offered for them, they are not going know it, and in every case the offi- business meeting as there were so to take as many chances of being cers have trailed them down if possi- many absent.

One writer suggests that while the plan may be all right as a gesture of notoriety.

shooting taking place.

nere are officers who would not hes- but Texas has never had a law worth

plied inference—that they are taking his bloodsplattered deeds he bandit question into their own

with all the Big Stars, one of the heaper than the prosecution method. of a bank, in the actual performance The average person will not grant of the robbery, or where a bank robthe bandit any right, although the ber is killed after he has committed state and federal constitution nomin- the crime and is attempting to make Wednesday and Thursday- ally guarantee a fair trial. It is a his getaway, is alright, but the poor compliment to American order chances are far too many, under the in a Heart Stirring Story of Mother that while some states have abolish- present offer, as published to the ed capital punishment, Texas Bank- world, for the bankers or the law ers Association must encourage death abiding people to get the best results at the hands of whomsoever may from the offer. meet a . robber in order to curb repeated looting-Lubbock Avalanche. The principal involved in making murderers out of officers by offering lrick Home a large reward for dead robbers is Demonstration Club. absolutely wrong; then the tempta-

tion that is put before officers who are not capable of being officers, but met at the home of Mrs. S. T. Cooper have mustered enough votes to be on their last meeting date, with Mrs. elected, or have been appointed to of- Cooper as hostess. quick on the trigger and want an ex- for the club room and we found it cuse for shooting someone, making to be the best place in the communthe offering of such reward by such ity because everything needed was in a strong association foolhardy and the room, and it was large enough lives in their own hands every time monstration. they enter a bank to rob it, and they | Miss Bass gave a demonstration on well know this fact, and are ready to meat canning in which everyone was shoot it out with any person who at- interested in at this time of the year. these days about the bank robbers, alive, but the trouble with broadside was late when we finished with our mit Hartley.

aught as they probably once would ble, or at least done their best to catch evening over to Miss Bass and enjoy

much difference to robbers or the of- came how any set of men can sit up deli- own bands, and many a hair-brained be present. Miss Bass will be with berately and cold bloodedly offer a officer or citizen will be ready to us, and this is the only reward for taking a humans like. shoot down a good citizen in an effort will have this month. to collect a big reward, and get a lot

for the safety of banking institutions We think the Bankers Association The Blanco Home Demonstration it is really a big step toward illegal has made a mistake and the sooner club met with Mrs. J. B. Finnin or they withdraw the offer the better Dec. 1, at 2:30. His point is that the Banker's as- off the country will be. We favor the sociation is encouraging officers and enforcement of the law to the letter, "Painted Novelties and Christmas encourage shooting with deadly in- being the son of a pioneer officer, in was rendered with Mrs. Henderson tent even where the bandits might the days when the quickest and best as leader wish to surrender. He declares that shot settled the argument for good,

itate to take under encouragement, ac- consideration along the murder line. tion beyond the dictates of duty and Not one man out of ten that kills annecessity. A live bandit merely gives other man in cold-blood murder is ouble, but a dead one is worth punished by the courts, and to make murder a premium instead of a crime As long as officers are careful not means that all the blood-thirsty will to short innocent persons suspected have a chance to getaway with a of intent to rob, there may not be hideous crime. No the Bankers assomy rebound to the plan. Theorists, ciation like the Klu Klux robe, is to swever, will see in the banker's ad- good a proposition for the criminal mission that they are dissatisfied with to wreak his vengeance upon the citiprosecution of live bandits the im- zenship of our state and getaway with

A good reward paid to officers who It's another Paramount Super Special Bands. The new method is probably kill men when they are on the inside

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The Irick Home Demonstration club

fice and other men who desire to be The basement had been arranged out of place. Bank robbers take their that everyone might watch the de-

When the canning was completed taking, and it is alirght for rewards Mrs. Cooper served a delicious dish to to be plad for their capture dead or a number of the club members. It Holy Spirit and the Scripture by Her- dered. It was a fine lesson on Mis-There are too many of them, we will rewards will cause many an innocent work and some of the members left

money away from the officers who many a man will be killed in cold- the same place, December 9. We are us Give Him our Lives, Miss Meredith Winning." After the lesson the orare employed there to take care of blood murder by officers and citizens going to have a demonstration on the funds. The Bankers Association of the State of Texas because of the 'Candy Making' at that meeting. It no doubt felt that something should enormous reward offered by the state is so near Christmas everyone will be done, and just what that some- bankers association, and there will be be interested in candy making and thing should be probably puzzled more innocent men murdered for these we expect most of our members to

who are in the bank robbing business them now than before. Bank robbers stration Club met with Mrs. Fry Friare going to take the chance of get- do not advertise the fact that they day evening, Nov. 23rd, with Mrs. ting caught they always have, and are going to strike at some specified Fry as hostess. The subject of the

have. We do not mean that they them, and when they overtake bank ed it to the fullest extent. An Angle are going to attempt to rob as many cobbers they either arrest them or Food and Date Cake were made. Five banks, but they are going to shoot or kill in the attempt, so you see members were present and all had a first if there is any likelihood of any that the large reward will not make hand in helping, but the best time

Blanco Home Demonstration Club

The subject for the meeting was others to kill suspects on sight, and to and we have been through the fire, Suggestions. The following program

> Spirit of Christmas,-Mrs. Snell. Suggestions for Inexpensive Gifts

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The Butler's Dream, Leader The King's Dream and Joseph Made overnor of Egypt, Leona Hartley. Joseph's Brother Come for Co

Joseph Arrests his Brother Ben; Jacob and His Family

Egypt, Wyman Owens. Scripture Reading, Jewel Elam.

Subject, Has God's Spirit a Place

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THE W. M. U.

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now to attend Monday at 2:00 p. m. | Cook. The program was a comparative Power Given to the study of the lives and teachings of Velva Mitchell.

We will meet at the church next Let God's Spirit Fill My Life. Monday and the pastor will teach Avis King. phans Home Box will be packed. If you wish to send anything to the home have it packed by that time.

Bible Study Meeting-Has God's

Scripture-Clay Muncy. Introduction-Leader.

The Holy Spirit, Our Helper.-Elvie J. N. S. Webb.

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LAKEVIEW

Lakeview, Dec. 5 .- There has been winter now

We are pleased to know that several are now back in school that have been pulling bolls. By next mellows and sanwiches were served. week we hope to begin at nine o'clock instead of eight. Some of the rooms are getting up Christmas programs.

Rev. Reed of Crosbyton preached Saturday night and Sunday morning and again Sunday night. There was a large crowd out to hear him.

Sunday afternoon we had some very work. song books recently ordered.

have been on the sick list but are bet-

school after several days of illness. fund. and Mrs. John Conway, Misses Louise iters Sunday in the S. R. Wright home day Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Con- Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bodeker attend- Nela White attended Singing at way and J. A. Rucker, Mr. Newton ed the farm sale near Ferguson switch Whitfield Sunday night and family, accompanied by little last Tuesday. Mary Louise Conway visited Mr. New Miss Frances Damron was the Sun-

ton's father and mother at Ralls. day guest of Miss Glayds Bass.

ice Burkhead of Lakeview spent the week end with Miss Juanita

Shirley. quite a change in the weather since to about thirty young people Sat-Miss Juanita Shirley was hostess urday evening. To her surprise there were many nice birthday gifts.

At at late hour hot chocolate, marsh The guests departed declaring the evening was well spent.

PROVIDENCE

Most of the farmers around Proviidence are about up with their field White Sunday night. Some few are still pulling fine singing here. We used the new bolls. We surely have had some Nadine White and Mr. Herchell atbeautiful weather, which the farmers tended a party at Kress Thursday Mrs. Nelson and little daughter certainly have appreciated.

There will be a box supper given at Little Ruby Harrison is back at for the benefit of the Chritsmas tree night.

Wright and Vera Readheimer took Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sammanns and, Mr. Horald McLaughlin and Miss

Misses Mildred Teeple, Zula Eaves, Several from here attended church Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Foster were the

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good time. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Bennett and Mr. A number of Allmon young people Sunday night.

Mrs. C. Powell was well attended last wonderful time.

Mrs. C. Veigle and daughter Mabel were visitors in this community Sun-

Mr. Herschell Williams left for Ros coe, Texas Sunday night.

Miss Doris Bennett spent Saurday night and Sunday with Mabel Veigle. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Lovvorn attend ed singing at Whitfield Sunday night. Miss Tempest Alexander spent the night with Misses Nela and Nadine

Mr. Roy Bennett, Misses Nela and

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Phillips atthe school house Friday night, Dec. 9, tended church at Whitfield Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hermyer spent Mr. and Mrs. George Gilpin, Mr. Mr. Gilbreath and family were vis- the afternoon in the White home Sun-

ALLMON

Edwina Christian of Floydada and at Whitfield Saturday night, Sunday Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S.

ttended Friday night. All reported itarium early Sunday morning. She is very much better.

and Mrs. Willard Phillips attended were the guests at the home of Mrs. B. Y. P. U. and church at Whitfield M. J. Gregory in Petersburg last Friday night. She entertained the Young People's class of the Baptist The party at the home of Mr. and Sunday school. Everyone reports a

> The Allmon school is planning to have a negro minstrel and box supper the coming Saturday night. We are expecting a large crowd and we feel sure that everybody will have a good time.

The McCoy basketball team played ur boys last Friday afternoon. We regret to say that we were defeated, but we believe that we will do better

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Aikens of Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gamble last Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Dockray, who aas been visiting the McElroy and Chapman families will return to her home in Corbett Tuesday. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell

spent the week-end with them. Miss Blanche Wartes spent the week-end with her parents in Peters-

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Featherston and

little son, spent part of last week with Mrs. J. E. Featherston.

HARMONY

One of the oldest land marks of the ountry was removed from this community last week, when Mr. George Graham bought the old E. C. Fullingin house from G. L. Snodgrass and moved it to Floydada. This house was built by Mr. Fullingim in 1895. It is a three-room structure and is ll in good condition

Mr. Paul Williams left last week for the mountains of Southeastern New Mexico, where he expects to enjoy deer hunting for a few days. He accompanied by his brother-inaw, Mr. Henry Allmon, of Hereford. Mrs. Allmon is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Williams, during

heir absence. sited Mrs. Fuller's brother, Chas. B. mith, of this community Sunday

Mr. O. Z. Gulledge of Fort Worth isited his cousin, Mrs. D. T. Scott, ver the week-end. Mrs. W. H. Taylor of Floydada

pent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. R. B. Gary. League council met in regular sesion last Friday night at the home

L. A. Williams. The Women's Missionary Society eld a business session at the home of Mrs. D. T. Scott Monday. A number of representatives plan to attend

the district meeting of the society at

Plainview, Dec. 6. A short business session was conducted in connection with Sunday School Sunday, in which it was decided to have a Christmas tree at Carr's Chapel on Dec. 24. Various committees were appointed to take

SAND HILL

The box supper that was held at the school house last Friday night was a huge success in ever way. bout seventy dollars were brought This money will go to buy new books for the library. Miss Lois Handcock was elected the most beautful girl, and Riley Holmes won as eing the ugliest man.

Mr. Tompson, who has been in the sanitarium at Plainview with a serous case of blood poison in his hand and arm returned home Monday. He is reported out of danger.

Bro. E. V. Mullins will preach Sunday, the 11th, at the 10:30 o'clock service at the Church of Christ. The members have been slow about coming. Let's see if we can't get there 10:30 next Sunday.

Uncle Tom Knight had another very serious case of sickness last Friday night, but is in a better condi-

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brock spent some of last week in Jones county visiting Mr. Brock's relatives. Mrs. Bob Galliher is on the sick

ist this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jackson attend-

STARKEY

Starkey, Dec. 6 .- Our school start-Monday, November 28 with a good attendance altho a few are still working in the field. We hope they will

be able to start back in a few days. Mrs. Clarence Smith underwent an peration Friday evening at the the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and Smith sanitarium for appendicitis. She was doing fine at the

Mr. Joda and Gambrell Attaway

vent to San Angelo Monday. Mrs. Ed Kelly and Mrs. J. W. Howard visited Mrs. J. L. Elmore Wed- lie Mae Atkinson Sunday. esday afternoon. Rev. Humphries preached at New-

and Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Frank Morney visited Mrs. C. | church at Cone Sunday night.

W. Howard Friday afternoon. Miss Bessie Dewberry of McCov teresting sermon at Cone Sunday visited Miss Edna Marrs Sunday af- night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dee Flowers of Cone, November 26th, a girl.

Miss Pearl Attaway visited Miss Nellie Ruth Elmore Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Atkinson and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elmore visited in

Attaway Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Allmon had as their guests Sunday their daughter of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Blan-

kenship of Antelope. Miss Sallie Rattan visited Miss Wil Miss Wanda Howard spent the day

with Miss Opal Carter Sunday. Quite a few from here atter Rev. Humphries preached a very in



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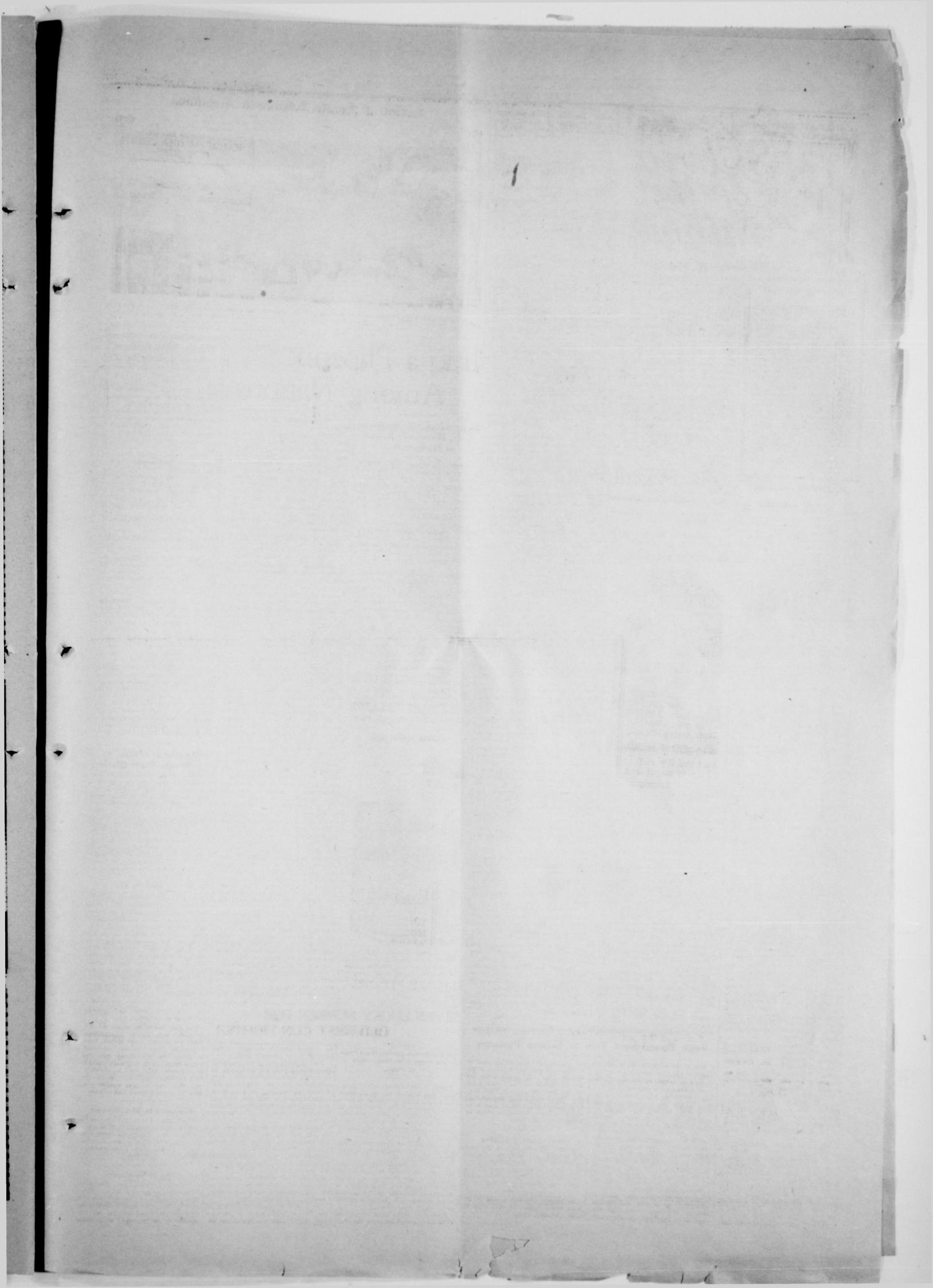
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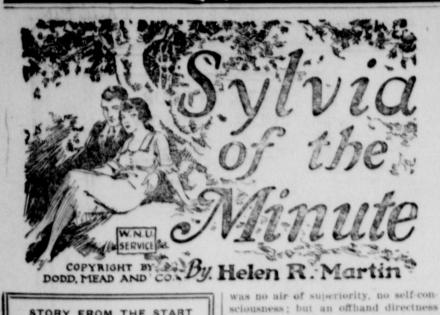
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which took it for granted that he was

on your level, rather than that he ac-

cepted you on his. He impressed her

"I can't teach before you!" she ex-

claimed, as though accusing him of

our famous American "moral turpl-

tude." "I just can't and that's all

there is about it!" (She made an

effort to pronounce her a's as in air

rather than as in art, as her natural

speech, she knew, would seem highly

unnatural for a Kutztown Normal

school graduate and a teacher in this

faced her. Such an unprofessional

mien as this he had not encountered

in any schoolroom of the county, "I

understand, Miss Schwenckton, that

you are a graduate of Kutztown Nor-

mal school. Then you ought to know

a lot more about this business of

teaching than I do! I'm not a Kutz-

She had nothing to answer. She

almost hung her head, furious at her

helpless stupidity; St. Croix had never

"You are a normal school graduate,

She slightly nodded. She had never

in the least minded telling lies to St.

He regarded her doubtfully and if

she could have read his mind, she

would have had another cause for un-

easiness; for his brief experience as

"I Can't Teach Before You!" She Ex

county superintendent had taught

him that what normal-school gradu-

ares did not know about pedagogy was

negligible; their superiority and their

awareness of it, their poise, their con-

descending pity toward the unfortu-

nate tenchers who were not normal

school graduates, he had found a little

oppressive. Meely did not know it.

but she was behaving more like the

frightened, uncertain nongraduates

that were mere certificate holders who

had managed to pass the county su-

perintendent's examination than like

the self-confident Kutztown graduates

who were not required to take that

He sat back again and folded his

arms with an air of determination.

"I'm here to hear you teach," he said

firmly. "Please call a class and

"You teach them something," she

One of the unnamed beroes of the

South in the Civil war staged an un-

usual exploit that is still one of the

most interesting traditions of Mobile

bay. While the federal fleet lay off

Fort Morgan, this Southern sailor, out

in a small sailboat, was chased by

some of the enemy boats. Seeing

them trying to intercept him he used

all his sail power and nautical skill

and headed eastward. For miles the

chase continued and he left his pur-

suers behind. However, he knew they

would be watching for him to return,

so he kept on to the east, sailing to

Appalachicola, Fla., where he loaded

his craft on a river steamer and made

a trip of several days up the Chatta-

boochee to Columbus, Ga. There he

transferred to a train for Opelika,

then to Montgomery, Ala. At that

Turpitude."

examination.

claimed, as Though Accusing Him

of Our Famous American "Moral

town Normal graduate."

put her to such confusion-

"But-" He turned in his chair and

on sight as being genuine.

vicinity.)

aren't you?"

STORY FROM THE START

Handsome, fastidious and wealthy-young St. Croix Creighawaits his sweetheart at their trysting place. She is late, this ordinary little Pennsylvania Dutch girl, Meely Schwenckton. Despite her seeming innocence and ignorance, she succeeds in keeping him at a distance, to his chagrin. Meely, in the Schwenckton home, where she is boarding, is altogether unlike the girl who meets St. Croix clandestinely. She is the teacher the neighborhood school, Marvin Creighton Meely learns that Marvin was to have married his cousin, a titled English lady, but, believing she was attracted by the Creighton wealth, had refused the alliance. It is the rumor that St. Croix is to take Marvin's place and marry the English girl. St. Croix' jeal-ousy is aroused by Meely's reporan aged suitor for her hand. admitting he has no intention of marrying her.

CHAPTER IV-Continued

Ever since Mr. Schwenckton had warned her that the superintendent would be visiting her school, she had gone cautiously; had been ready, at an instant's warning, to have the children suddenly busy at the blackboard "doing tables" or something like that. But as ill luck would have it, it was on the very afternoon of his visit that she had become so entrancingly engrossed in her wide departure from "prescribed branches" that she never heard his knock on the schoolroom door, never saw him enter !- and God only knew how long he had been standing there watching her wild performance, when suddenly the faces of the children warned her. Her back was toward the door at the moment. but she did not have to turn to know he was standing there! Horror of horrors! That he should have caught her at such a moment as this, after all her precautions! She was so stunned with embarrassment she could not have turned around if her life had been the forfelt for not doing

Pretending to be unaware of his presence, she moved stiffly to the edge of the platform and spoke faintly, directing the several grades to the orthodox blackboard or tablet work with which she had planned to propitiate him on his visit-though she knew she was just several minutes too late, now, to deceive him. She'd been caught red-handed-oh, oh!

Seating herself at her desk, her back still toward him, she awaited his approach. But he did not come. A hope leapt up in her heart that she had been mistaken. But she was still too terrified to look around.

A step on the platform just back of her chair-and she barely suppressed a shrick.

He stood before her, hat and gloves in one hand, the other held out to her. Blindly she rose and gave him her own, not daring to look up and meet

As she did not invite him to be sented, he had to take care of himself. "With your permission?" he said as he drew a chair forward and, motioning her to be resented, sat down at her side-and she realized with fresh embarrassment her remissness in schoolroom hospitality.

Laying his hat and gloves on the desk, he leaned back comfortably, as though settling himself to stay a while, folded his arms and-waited.

Heavens !-- what was she expected to do? Perform pedagogically for his inspection, no doubt, Well, she couldn't; she wouldn't try! But just to sit here- Ought she converse with him, entertain him? She stole a swift side glance at him. His eyes were thoughtfully contemplating the schoolroom. She might pretend ignorance of who he was; take him for a parent visiting the school.

But her pretracted silence seemed to give him an idea. "Perhaps I must introduce myself? Mr. Creighton,

your superintendent." "Well, I cannot tell a lie and say I'm glad to see you!" she hysterically brought out, "for I'm not!"

He grinned. They all hated his visits, the county teachers, but they did not, as a general thing, frankly shriek at him! On the contrary Palavered over him, flattered him, pretended to be pleased to death to see

"Why?" he asked. "Got a guilty

conscience?" She repressed a start. A guilty conscience she certainly did have and with good reason, but he could not know that reason. What a cultivated voice he had-like St. Croix'-but with a grave thoughtfulness in his tone that interested her. She took a bit of comfort from the twinkle in his eyes. His difference from St. Croix was conspicuous enough-here | point he changed cars for Hurricane, | their Christian names

claimed hopefully, "don't you want to make a speech to them?" (She knew how men loved making speeches; loved the sound of their own voices before an audience.)

"That's not what I'm here for," be returned. "I don't want to interrupt your program-what were yo when I came in? Proceed with that." "I-I can't!"

"But I only want to see you h your usual routine-"I-I was breaking the usual rou-

"From what I observed as I entered, I must say I'm glad it was only a breaking of the usual routine! Now, will you call a class in-er-geography, we'll say?"

"You'd laugh at me." "But look here! Will you tell me what you do here all day if you don't

teach?" "Oh. I do teach-of kaws-courrse I teach! But you see"-she suddenly picked up courage and launched forth -"I have my own original way of teaching-and if you're the conventional school man, originality would be highly offensive to you."

"Now you make me very curious! Let's have a sample of this originality!"

"You see, I hold that children should be taught," she discoursed airily, adopting somewhat the tone of a platform lecturer, "what is for their immediate use and pleasure, rather than for the future, for only so will they grow. You don't grow by what you store up, but by what you use and assimilate. So I-'

"Walt! Is this your own, or recited from some textbook of modern pedagogy?"

"Entirely my own that I've forged out for myself-though others may also have forged it out-that I can't say. The goal which I set before my pupils is not marks and grades, but knowledge."

"Excellent! Knowledge of what, for instance?"

"Of whatever interests them, They're not much interested in arithmetic and grammar and spelling. You can interest them in science, history, geography (geography only when taught entertainingly, as I teach it). poetry, stories, plays-

"Sounds so good. I think I'll come to school to you! Do call up a geography class."

"I don't know so much about geography, really-do you know." she smiled, "until quite recently I thought the North and South of the Civil war here in the United States were divided by the Mississippi river! I-"

She stopped short in dismay-now she had given herself away! No American on earth had ever supposed such a thing as that!

"My sense of direction," she murmured with a nervous laugh, "was always weak! I-" No use-you couldn't explain away

such lunacy. Might as well keep quiet and let him draw what conclusions He made no comment. He had given

her one swift, penetrating glance; but at her obviously painful embarrassment had mercifully looked away. "Kindly call up a geography class,"

he urged after a moment, in a tone which, though courteous, was a command.

"I'd rather not, if you'll kindly excuse me. The one thing these children seem to need," she said, reverting to her lecture-platform tone in her effort to divert him from his yearning to hear her teach geography, "is to have their imaginations roused. Before I came they didn't know the commonest, most familiar stories-Cinderella, Jack, the Giant Killer, Arabian Nights. Imagine American children so benighted! Those children knew all the multiplication tables and all the capitals of the 37 states-

"Forty-seven." "I mean forty-seven, of kawscourrse-though strict accuracy in unimportant details always did strike me as rather a fault than a virtue in a teacher, for a good teacher should have a mind above insignificant

facts-' "Ten of these United States is not an insignificant fact,' exactly. I'm afraid I must insist, Miss Schweuckton, upon your calling a geography class. Everything you say makes me more and more eager every minute to hear you teach a class in the geography of the United States."

"I'm sorry not to oblige you, Mr. Creighton. I'll be very glad to allow you to examine the blackboard work -you'll find it quite creditable-

"But this, Miss Schwenckton, is insubordination! Remember I'm your superior officer !"

Ala., taking his boat along, and at

Hurricane he launched his craft in the

Tensaw river. He sailed down the

river to Mobile bay and then down

the bay some 30 miles to Fort Mor-

gan. His comrades were dumbfounded

when they saw him arrive from a di-

rection opposite to that in which be

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had left.-Detroit News.

brightly suggested. "Oh!" she ex- i (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Took Roundabout Trip to Escape Pursuers

Arrival of French Aviators in Argentina



Arrival in Argentina of Costes and Le Brix, the French avlators who were the first to make the flight from France to South America. The photograph was taken at El Palomar air field, twenty miles from Buenos Aires.

Iraq a Phoenix Among Nations

Modern Name for Garden of Eden, Historically Known as Mesopotamia.

Washington.-Should Iraq become a member of the League of Nations, as discussed by King Faisal in London, 'the oldest country in the world will become the newest member of the league," says a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic society.

"Iraq is a modern name for the traditional Garden of Eden, historically known as Mesopotamia. Many historians hold that somewhere in the valley of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers is to be found the cradle of civiliza

"Upon the breaking up of the Turkish empire following the World war, Mesopotamia became a British mandate, which was erected into the Arab kingdom of Iraq with a Mohammedan prince from Mecca upon the throne. Such is the latest form assumed by the phoenix among nations. In the last six thousand years Babylonian, Assyrian, Chaldean, Persian, Greek. Roman and Saracen civilizations have dourished in Mesopotamia, each rising from the ashes of its predecessors.

Becomes Treeless District. "The great irrigation works which, out the centuries, had kept the Tigris-Euphrates valley green, rich and flourishing were destroyed by invading Mongols and allowed to decay by heedless Turks. The Garden of Eden became a treeless desert, except

WORM SUPPLIER

for a few date palms along the river

"Then followed a rebirth during the throes of the World war. Once more boats crowded the swift and treacherous reaches of the Tigris. Once more the buznars of Bagdad and Basra and Mosul hummed with world traffic. Marauding desert robber tribes were kept in perpetual peace by airplanes humming over their remote villages. Sanitary regulations and electric lighting made town and country both more safe and more healthful. Ice factories and soda water establishments helped allevlate summer days of 120 degrees in the shade. Levees were built to keep the flooding rivers within their banks and slowly, bit by bit, work was begun on repairing irrigation works and building railroads. Thus was modern Iraq

"The new kingdom under British mandate embraces the valley of the Tigris-Euphrates between the Arabian desert on one side and the Persian uplands on the other. To the northwest lies the French mandate of Syria and to the north the Kurdish highlands of Turkey. Southward stretches the Persi: gulf, the country's salt water outlet to the wide world. Within this strip of territory are barely three milllon people where once flourished a population denser than that of modern Belglum

"There are three principal cities: Mosul, of oil fame, is in the north; Bagdad, the capital, in the central part, and the important port of Basra in the south. The latter is situated on the Shatt-el-Arab, a river formed by the union of the Tigris and Euphrates. Smaller centers of importance, such as Kut and Amara, follow each other at intervals the entire length of the valley. Most of the inhabitants are Mohammedan Arabs. though in the cities are many Jews. while in the mountainous north are settlements of Nestorian Christians

dating from very early times. "City Arabs have taken readily to the ways of civilization and seem glad for the chance to work in ice and cotton cloth factories and upon engineering and public works. Much agricultural land has been reclaimed, the date palm, of which more than sixty varieties are known, being the chief product. Wheat, barley and rice are also grown, and experiments with cotton are being made. Flowers, pump kins and vegetables are planted in the date orchards, where the palms pro tect tonder leaves below from the scorching summer sun.

"At some distance from the settled districts roving bands of Arabs herd camels and sheep wherever they can find a little grass for grazing. When forage gives out in one spot they fold their brown tents and depart quickly and silently for fresher regions.

Land of Noah and Nebuchadnezzar.

"In the spring months when snows are melting on near-by mountain ranges, the Tigris and Euphrates become swollen torrents and often over-

Wonder What Pa Gave Son on Judge's '\$200'

Los Angeles.-Because of the honesty of his small son, Lawrence Weinacht was forced to pay a fine of \$200 imposed by Municipal Judge Turney for possession of a gallon of liquor.

Policeman Brown was snooping around Weinacht's back yard when the defendant's small child came over to him inquiringly. "Watcha hunting for, mister?"

he asked. "Why, I just lost \$1 around here somewhere," explained the law guardian.

"Oh, I thought you was hunting for dad's liquor; it's over there," beamed Weinacht, Jr. "Fine, son, now, where's dad? I have an appointment with

Then dad kept an appointment with Judge Turney.

flow their banks and inundate the surrounding country, just as they did in the days of Noah. The new regime is taking active steps in flood prevention by strengthening river banks in low places and damming up the flow at headwaters. There has been no serious flood since 1919, when the Tigris rose to within a foot of the level of Bagdad and the lower valley became one vast lake wherein man and beast vainly sought for safety.

"Mesopotamia teems with other reminders of Bible stories. From the city of Ur Abraham set forth for the land of Canaan. Near Babylon are he traditional ruins of the town Babel and the great palace of Nebuchadnezzar. Beside the Tigris is the domed tomb of the prophet Ezra. Up country is pointed out the fiery furnace into which the Hebrew children were cast. Whether authentic or traditional, these spots carry the traveler's imagination into a remote past."

Earthquake in Alaska Wrecks Giant Glaciers

Juneau, Alaska.-For the first time in decades Alaska's seaboard glaciers show new, clean faces. The severe earthquake recently shook tremendous chunks from all glaciers emptying into the Pacific. Icy straits are filled with floating ice, many of the pieces of strange shapes, indicating great forces had splintered them off the ice river. Trappers living far inland telephoned that immense avalanches slipped from the sides of Mount St. Elias the day of the earthquake, cutting broad paths down the slopes.

Ice Cream Makers Do Big Business in Orient

Seattle, Wash .- Twenty-five truckloads of ice cream packed in refrigerator chests went to the Orient from here on the President Grant. The frozen sweet in various forms is aiding to the development of a large industry in the coast cities of Tokyo, Shanghai, Manila and Hongkong. The boys and girls of the Orient prefer the frozen bars to bulk ice cream, but for hotel and cafe service the bricks packed in oiled paper are the piece de resistance.

SEVEN LUCKY NUMBER FOR **OLD-WEST GUN FIGHTER**

Vas Saved From Gallows Seven Times and Freed After Seven Years in Prison.

The queerest position held by a

Columbia university undergraduate is

that held by Richard Rowden, known

as Cotumbia's official worm supplier,

On contract he delivers worms to

zoological students for 20 cents a

Fresno, Calif.-"Diamondfield Jack" Davis, who lives on his Spring Mountain mining claim in Nevada, is not a gold stampedes and opera bouffe revolutions in Central America has taken | career, away his falth in rabbits' feet and his

awe of black cats. days of the West does believe in seven as his tucky number.

Seven times Diamondfield Jack, who had been convicted of murder, escaped back to his cell and there listened to the ring of bammers on his gallows while, outside the barred door, the death watch stood guard.

he stepped into the sunshine a free man, by act of Governor Hunt. Now, near the end of the long trail,

Diamondfield Jack has no regrets, he says, over fortunes which might have been his or glory lost. His one lament is over the wearing of false teeth. Those nature gave him were shot out superstitious man. A front seat at | in a labor war in Butte, Mont., in 1911 -merely an incident in a perilous

Davis was born in Lynchburg, Va., in 1862, the son of George Davis of But this survivor of old gun-fighting the Confederate army's black horse cavalry. When a youth he went to Abilene, Kan, with a herd of Texas cattle. He was in Deadwood, S. D., in the gold boom days. Gold and land hanging. Seven times he was taken stampedes that claimed his interest included the Cherokee strip opening in Oklahoma, the Montana basin boom,

Tonapah and Goldfield, Nev. As a dash of pepper to the salt of Then after seven years of fall life, his life he participated in Mexican while his attorneys fought to save him, | and Central American revolutions un-

der Fellx Diaz, Castro of Venezueia, and Reyes of Colombia.

The legal battle he waged for life in Idaho was almost unparalleled. After his seventh court defeat, hope failed him. Then two men confessed to killing the two sheep men for whose death Davis had been convicted. Governor Hunt sent an eleventhhour reprieve. Davis still retains the rope that was to have hanged him, with its seven bitches and a knot.

Memorial to Mrs. Burnett

New York .- A children's garden is to be erected in Central park as a memorial to Mrs. Frances Hodgsen Burnett, author of "Little Lord Fauutieroy." It will have a story-teller's

Needs Treatment

New York.-If a cynic displeases, advise him to go to a doctor. Cynicism is listed as a symptom of a disease by the social service department of the Presbyterian hospital and recognized in the treatment of patients.





Specials



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Babbit's Lye (limit 5 cans) each 10c
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Dry Salt Meat (Saturday only) lb. 15 1-2c
Texas Seedless Grape Fruit, each 7 1-2c
Fresh Red Emperor Grapes, lb 10c
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COUNTY BRIEFS

FAIRVIEW

The negro minstrel which was prewell received.

children of Mount Blanco visited Sun- Howard Welborn of Floydada spent the Baptist Worker's Conference at day with Mr. Hartsell's sister, Mrs. Sunday in the home here of his uncle, Whitflat tomorrow. S. A. Guffee, and his niece, Mrs. R. R. L. Carter.

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DELIVERY MORNING AND NIGHT

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Lewisville, Texas, spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. C. H. Clark of this place.

Rev. Patterson filled his regular appointment here Sunday for the Methodist congregation.

ter, Mrs. Judge Butcher, and her hus-Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hartsell and band and children, all of Silverton.

Miss Iris Crawford spent the week-Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Crawford of end with her home folk in Silverton. Mr. G. A. Stewart and son, Shertrip to Wise county.

granddaughter, Pauline Trammell, Sunday in Lubbock. visitors last week in the homes Clark is the mother of C. H. Clark ing. and Mrs. Hodge.

The party at the home of J. A. Bas end at home. kin last Saturday night was enjoyed

by all who were present.

Floyd Ruddick and children of Hale Center were visitors in the home of her father, E. C. Austin, last

School is doing exceptionally well now since the fourth teacher has come to assist us.

CENTER

We seem to be having the cold spell of the season to date and the high wind has added to the disagreeableness of it.

We didn't have many out to Sunday school Sunday, some sick, some gone visiting and a number just too cold shouldered to get ready to come through the cold.

A party at Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tubbs Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd of people, both old and young. Had some good singing

Mrs. Montgomery and children visited at the King home Sunday after-

W. B. Jordon, wife and daughters took Sunday dinner at the J. E. Tivis

A number of our Center folk attended singing at Lakeview Sunday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lightfoot and family took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. L King and took the girls

back to Plainview Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Earl Branson spent Saturday night with Mrs. Tom Branson, while the men folk have gone to Childress to help Mrs. Yeary get her business

affairs arranged. Some of our Center crowd went to Fairview Friday night to hear the Negro Minstrel. It was very good,

at least plenty of fun. Mrs. N. R. Austin had an attack of heart trouble at church Sunday night and was not able to come home until this morning. She is doing very well today.

Mr. Miller led our prayer services Sunday night as neither the leader or alternate were present.

Mr. Cook has a brother here from Arizona.

Center church has a new piano. W. B. Jordan is building a house for Mr. J. L. King at Floydada. Our school will have a debate in the near future, had intended it for Friday night, but as some of those to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown had as take part were in a musical recital at night, December 9, 1927. Admission Floydada.

postponed until a later date. Several from here expect to attend Antelope school.

LONE STAR

Lone Star, Dec. 5-Mr. and Mrs. man, and Mr. R. M. Cannon left Fri- Roy Perry visited Mrs. Perry's parday morning for a week's business ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Foster last week.

Mrs. R. L. Clark of Dallas, her dau- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perry, Mrs. Fosghter, Mrs. Pearl Trammel, and her ter, and Mrs T. S. McGehee spent

Rev. Clarence Williams preof W. R. Hodge and C. H. Clark. Mrs. the Christian church Sunday morn-

Albert Stevenson spent the week

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Percy who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jarbee, left Sunday for their home near

Lone Star and Providence schools played basket ball at Lone Star Friday afternoon. The score was 8 to 1 in favor of the Providence boys. A return game will be played at Providence on next Friday.

Mr. Edgar Bragg and famliy of Folly visited Mr. E. J. Bragg and family last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. O. W. S. Schrieber nad family moved into this community and three of the children have entered school. Little Miss Sallie Myrtle Bobbitt visited this week with grandmother,

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberson of Roseland visited Mr. Walter Griffith and family on Sunday.

LIBERTY

We have some what a better attendance at school now as most of the farmers of this community are almost through harvesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dug Watson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. C. T. Wright and family.

Mr. E. W. Thornton and family visited relatives at Plainview Sunday. Miss Willa Mae Wright visited the Misses Erma and Berma Bean Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Quisenberry spent Saturday night and Sunday at the Wright home.

Miss Altha Strickland attended Sunday school at Cedar Hill Sunday. Mr. Clarence Strickland and Bailey Bean were Lockney visitors Saturday.

Miss Bessie Yeary and Mr. Johnnie Johnson of this community were married in Amarillo last Friday. We wish them much happiness and that their future life shall be one of much joy.

ANTELOPE

Miss Gladys Stribblin spent the week end with Zelma and J. M. Aston Monday morning when all the pupils had settled in their seats and had started studying the school house door was opened and in walked a strange girl, then to our suprise, it was not a stranger but Miss Bernice Holt who had been absent almost from the first

The Smith school of Crosby county will give a delightful program at the Antelope school auditorium Friday

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Mrs. Charlie Nichols, who has been Mr. Newing has been visiting in visiting in Mart, Texas, has returned the Antelope community and seeing Brown of Floydada, spent Sunday to her home here.

with Miss Marguerita Aston. Mr. J. M. Aston spent Saturday in Smith.

pupils are very proud of.

to business affairs here.

A little fairy queen, which weighs sented here last Friday night was their guests Sunday, Mr. Brown's sistown for that night, the debate was of 2 0 and 30 cents will be charged with New scenery has been bought for home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Strb-20 percent of the proceeds going to the the Antelope stage, which all the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Strblein, Monday, Dec. 5.

Mr. George Suddith and Mr. Bill here.

Miss Bertie Jones spent Sunday Mr. Joe Smith spent the week-end Mr. Homer Parmer and Mr. H. B. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett spent the week-end with their

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HELLO FOLKS!

I'm back at my old business of fixin' watches at my old stand at the Lockney Drug Co., again and hope to build up as good a little business as I had when I left nearly eight years ago. Gee, how times do fly! Yes, I've been away and am sure glad to be back again but I'll bet there are some who haven't missed me, like a man once said to my dad:

"Hello, Pete, I haven't seen you around lately, have you been sick?"

"No," he said, "I've been away from Fulton for seven years."

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they are packed. If necessary to wait

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and pipe work, and also gas pipe fitting. See D. A. Percephone at Higgin

meats to keep meals interesting and round and shoulder, and should not or No. 3 cans. No. 2 cans should be FOR SALE-My household goods, different has been one of the big pro- be less than 3 in thick, preferably processed 40 minutes at 15 pounds blems of the housewife. Often in 1 in. Cut in large pieces, so that pressure and No. 5 cans 50 minutes cabinet, oil stove, rugs, dresser, bed rural homes they have depended en- after preparing for the can they may 15 pounds pressure. tirely on pork, cured with salt or be rolled compactly and put in the can After cans are removed from cooksmoke or on poultry on which the The tougher parts of the beef and or place them one at a time in a tub

ning in tin it has become possible to bash can the meat from a whole animal After all meat is cut it is time to the meat is not keeping. These cans heals worst caseswill agree. Leto's thus saving a large amount which prepare it for the cans. If there are cannot be used fresh until it is needed everal cookers, use one for the bones the slightest questionable order should be removed. Meat which has Pyorrhea Remedy is highly recommended by leading dentists and never it is possible to can an entire beef latin.

should be about the same as hog follow knife when tested. the ribs, or round or shoulder steak.

thoroughly chilled.

Steak, 4. Chilli; 5, Soups; 6. Stews; steak one should have a large kettle 7. meat loaf; 8. Hash; 9. Mince containing not less than 2 gallons of Cut into pieces about 1 in. thick, Method of Procedure

der and a plentiful supply of water roasts are ready to be packed the heated, the meat should be cut.

For the benefit of Club Women of First the plain roasts these should if possible put in a cold place and CAREON PAPER—Sizes 8 1-2 x 11,

the scrappy pieces are cut in cubes 115 of cold water. After two weeks in-Since the invention of modern can- or 2 in. and used for stew, chili, or spect the cans, and if they are bulging

and at the same time providing a from which the meat has been cut, not be eaten. large variety of dishes which can be and partly cover with water and cook easily and quickly prepared. The for forty-five minutes at 15 pounds work is completed in a much shorter pressure. This makes the clearest. Cut roast into pieces just large time. If work is carefully planned soup with the largest amount of ge- enough to go into caus. Roll in flour,

While soup is cooking, the sealer place in oven. Let cook until when should be set up, and cans washed tested there is no blood. Do not and stacked ready to fill. See that pierce with fork when turning meat

back of stove and allowed to cook spoons hot fat on top of meat to be while the other meat is being pre- used as gravy. Seal pared to can.

Time: Meat should be canned only Sear roast quickly and put in oven. Use the flank and the sheet of meat in the colder months. The weather Allow to cook until blood does not which can be stripped from the top of

Preparation: The animal should be may also be placed in the oven and Place piece of meat on table, spread dressed and quartered at least a day allowed to cook at a moderate tem- with ground meat, cracker crumbs, a len a sack of chickens were running before canning. Meat should be perature, while the steak is being bit of onion salt and pepper. Sage down the road. "See here, Harry, fried. Steaks should be seasoned with is often used and also a bit of sugar. The person who cuts the meats salt pepper and flour, and seared in Roll as for jelly roll, tie with good should definitely understand just how hot fat until brown enough for table, stout cord, and sear over as for roast. it is prepared. The usual ways are: Flour holds juices in meats and makes Pack in tin can and add 2 tablespoons Phili ast; 2. Il led roast . t brown more quickly. For frying hot fat. Seal.

fat heated just under the smoking flour as for roast. Sear in pan of deep point. While the kitchen is being put in or- Usualy by the time the steaks and spoons hot fat. Seal.

and steak are being processed. Now, right candy case, 4x 6 plate glass the stew, meat loaf, hash and mince mirror shelving and counters-Floyd meat are prepared. Strain soup stock Huff. through cloth to remove sediment, and

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at the ends this is an indication that gums are disgusting to behold, all

Pain Roast

pepper and sait. . . . quickly and Chilli is placed in a large kettle on Pack hot into cans and place 2 table-

Next prepare the rolled roast. It Cut into strips wide enough to fit can

fat. Roll and pack. Add two table-

Stew

be added to gravy.

Cook 45 minutes at 15 pounds pres- ergy. sure. Remove from cooker, strain and let cool. Remove fat. Vegetable soup may be made by adding vegetables

15 lbs. meat (1-3 pork).

5 medium sized onions. 5 cloves garlie.

3% c fat. bottle chili powder.

Cominos.

hour. Add equal amount of water and cook thirty minutes.

Liver Paste

1 medium sized liver, 3 lbs.

136 pounds fresh pork. 2 tablespoons salt.

1 teaspoon pepper. I teaspoon cloves,

6 crackers 3 eggs.

b cup milk or water.

chopper twice. Add eggs and milk. industry in this territory. Pack in cans.

Meat Loaf

Use meat scraps, boil, let cool, run with the following ingredients:

5lbs. Chopped meat. 5 tablespoons bread crumbs

4 to 5 taespoons salt. teaspoons pepper.

teaspoon thyme. bay leaves-powdered.

teaspoons celery seed.

2 eggs beaten. 2 c soup stock

Fill cans within one-half inch of

Cook the tongue until the skin can be removed pack into cans without fat or water.

Mince Meat

5 c cooked beef. 21% c suet.

6 lemons

6 oranges

5 c Sugar.

c raisins. c currants

2 thsp. cloves

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dis ?

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Stagnant water is repellant to the eye, ear and nose and catches only soup stock is cooked. Cooker may | Cut meat in cubes 11/6 in. or 2 in. criticism in regard to it.

Brown like steak. Make thick brown Pure, live, running water is progravy and fill cans. Onions, tomatoes claimed to the end of the globe and and celery will flavor meat and may when seen, is inviting and many are the partakers thereof.

Originally the only difference was Saw large bones into small pieces. that one stood still while the other Salt lightly and cover with cold water was producing and displaying its en-

Lockney and other West Texas towns may be likened to the original water and as the years pass will become either stagnant or make live, wide-awake cities.

The energy displayed is throughly dependent upon the citizenship, stagnanation will rest on the same basis.

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As far as the buck shot are concerned, Lockney Nimrods report a lar- sume that the government is only one ge usage of this commodity especially scandal after another; and thinks that hrough meat chopper twice and mix on the Gooseduck ranch, apparently the Chamber of Commerce is the seat the only stagnant region in West of all evil, and other attending ail-Texas, unless some of the citizenship ments. can be termed a stagnant region.

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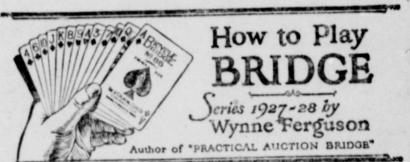
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Prescription-Visit Lockney Cotton Oil plant and try to visualize new Symptoms-Banker refuses usual inspiration from that masterpiece of

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ARTICLE No. 7

It is an interesting angle of the game | bid two spades. If Z bid two no-trump of Auction Bridge that although the informatory double is now an old story in this country, it is just being recognized and played in England. For many years the English players refused even to consider its adoption and all sorts of objections were raised to it, but now these others are to have become considering seem to have become considering the state of the state objectors seem to have become converted and the informatory double has obtained an enthusiastic and widespread popularity. Naturally, many questions have arisen as to its applications have arisen as to its applications of these are very much Spades - none

for the consideration of our readers. An analysis of each hand will be given in the next article. Problem No. 7 Hearts - 9 Clubs — K, J, 8, 2 Diamonds — K, Q, 3 Spades — J, 9, 8, 5, 4 Y AZB

tion and as some of these are very much to the point, the following are submitted

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one spade. If A doubled one spade (informatory), and Y passed, what should B bid? He has a choice of two clubs or one no-trump. What would you do? B bid? He has a choice of two clubs or one no-trump. What would you do?

Problem No. 8 Hearts — K, 7, 6, 2 Clubs — A, Q, 10 Diamonds — K, Q, 4, 3 : X Spades — K, 6 : Z

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one no-trump. A doubled, Y passed and B bid two spades. If Z passed, what should A bid? Should he pass or bid two no-trump? Think it over.

Problem No. 9

Hearts — 10, 9, 8 Clubs — A, K, Q, 4 Diamonds — 7, 3 Spades - K, 10, 4, 2

Hearts — A, J Clubs — 8, 7, 6, 3 Diamonds — A, K, 10, 9, 8, 7, 2

AZB

Hearts - K, Q, 10, 9, 8, 4 Clubs - 10 Clubs — 10
Diamo ds — Q
Spades — 10, 8, 4, 3, 2
No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid
one heart, (a questionable bid). A bid
one spade, Y two diamonds and B two
spades. Z and A passed and A bid three

the hand? Solution in the next article. Answer to Problem No. 6 Hearts — A, K, Q, j Clubs — A, 4 Diamonds - 9, 2 Spades - 10, 9, 8, 7, 6

A Y B :

Clubs — 1, 7, 6, 2
Diamonds — Q, J, 5, 4, 3
Spades — A, Q,
No score, first game, Z dealt and passed.
A passed, Y bid one heart and B passed.
Z pow hid are no trump, all passed. A passed, Y bid one neart and B passed, Z now bid one no-trump, all passed and A opened the trey of hearts. How should Z play the hand so that he can score game against any defense? The lead of the trey of hearts shows that A has five bearing at most. Z should therefore No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one club, A bid one spade, Y doubled and B passed. What should Z bid? Should he regard the double of one spade as informatory or as a business double? In either case, what should he do? Think this over carefully for it is a situation where there are conflicting view rounts.

Problem No. 10

Hearts — K, 7, 3
Clubs — Q, J, 10, 9, 7
Diamonds — 9, 7
Spades — 8, 5, 2

No score, first game. Z dealt and bid one no-trump. A and Y passed and B

entry.

Played in this way, Y-Z cannot lose more than one spade, one heart and two diamond tricks, and, therefore must score game. It is an instructive little problem so note carefully. It is spades in Z's hand are not discarded. Play it out for practice, placing the king of spades in A's hand and have him lead a club when he wins the spade trick.

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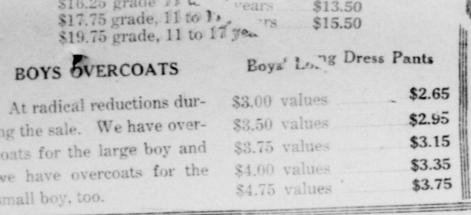
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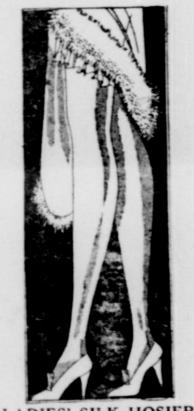


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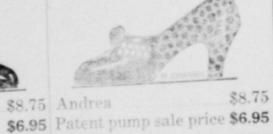
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Ladies & Misses Dress Shoes

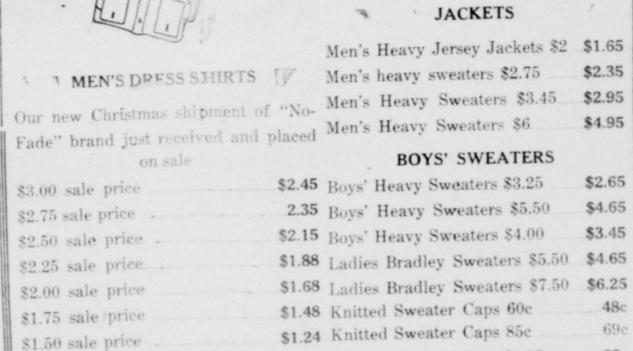
We are now showing the very latest in Dress Shoes for Ladies. We have asked Johansen Shoe Co., the makers of these famous shoes to furnish this special showing for this 34th Anniversary Sale.











\$1.25 sale price

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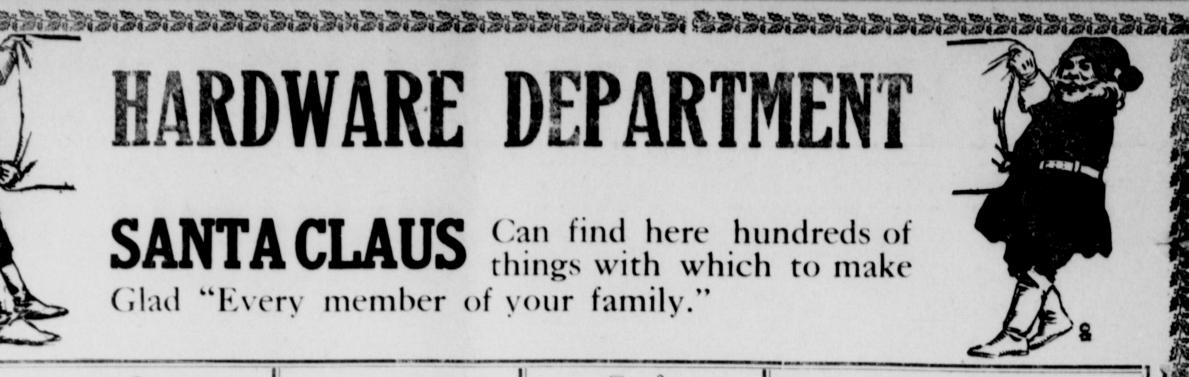
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HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

SANTACLAUS Can find here hundreds of things with which to make Glad "Every member of your family."



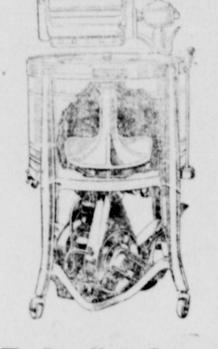


Hunters will be interested in guns here they

MARLIN PUMP GUN MARLIN 22 RIFLES STEVENS 22 RIFLES A complete line of Ammunition TRICYCLES

COASTER WAGONS

BOYS WAGONS



The Best Xmas Present



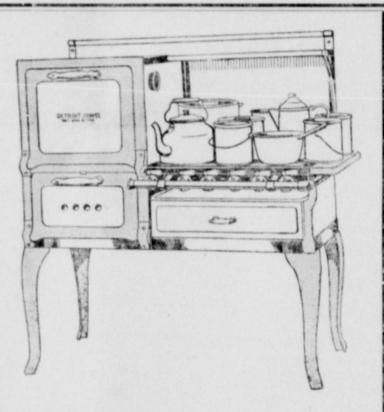
Congoleum Rugs. Eureka Vacuum Cleaners Silverware (Community & Rogers brand). **Pocket Cutlery**

Alluminum Ware Waffle Irons Thermos Jars Coffee Percolators Tea Kettles Roasters

Shears Glassware Chinaware Dinner Sets Calmers Lamps Calmers Lanterns THE RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY OF T

Remember these useful things when you buy for father, mother, brother or sister. Do your Christmas shopping early and in sure better selection and avoid the rush





Stoves of every variety and kind- we have exchanged gas stoves for stoves of every kind and we are able to offer them at greatly reduced prices. This is your opportunity to secure a good stove at a great saving in price.

Atwater-Kent Radio



Enjoy the Winter Evenings

We are not permitted by the manufacturers to cut the prices on these standard and well known articles but we are giving Silverware Coupons redeemable Wm. Rogers Silverware free to all who pay cash now for the well known necessities.

Model	35	\$49.00
Model	30	\$65.00
Model	33	\$75.00
Model	32	\$90.00
Model	L Speakers	\$12.50
Model	H Speakers	\$15.00
Model	E Speakers	\$24.00

Those unable to pay cash in full can secure reasonable monthly terms.

GROCERIES

Here as elsewhere in the store we have the things you will need for Christmas.

Everything needed for your Christmas cooking, Extracts, Spices and many other things.

SPECIAL FOR THE 34th ANNIVERSARY SALE 1 Sack Lyles' Best Flour

3 pound basket Golden Light Coffee \$1.45 8 Ears Sunny Monday Soap 6 Packages Linnet: Starch

CHOICE APPLES CHOICE ORANGES CHOICE BANANAS **GRAPE FRUIT** LEMONS GRAPES

Silverware Coupons With Every Cash Purchase During the Sale-Save Them

Concentrate your purchases in our Dry Goods-Hardware and Grocery Departments and secure free some of this famous silverware and save in the price of your merchandise as well.

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