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Lockney, Texas, Thursday, January 3rd, 1929

Floyd County Poultry Show Will Be Held

Seventh Annual Floyd County Poultry Show to Be Held on January 17, 18, and 19, New Features This Year

Floyd County's Seventh Annual Poultry Show will be held in Lockney on January 17th, 18th, and 19th. A feature of the show this year is that all competition will be limited to poultry raisers residing in Floyd County. All prizes will be paid to Floyd County poultry raisers thus eliminating the professional showman who competes for the prizes offered to the detriment of our home people.

A good list of special prizes are now being arranged and the managers are striving to make the show this year the best in the history of the county.

J. T. Hatch, prominent poultry judge of Hale County has been secured to judge the show. Wm. Langfeldt will superintend.

The show will be held in the new hatchery building on East Main street.

Catalogues may be had at the Lockney Chamber of Commerce office, or upon written request to Fay Guthrie, Secretary.

FARM BUREAU OFFICERS ELECTED FOR NEW YEAR

A. J. Beedy Chosen President of County Organization and State Delegate

Floydada, Dec. 26.—A. J. Beedy was elected president of the Floyd County Farm Bureau for the ensuing year and was also selected to represent this association at the annual State Convention at Dallas in January. Mr. Beedy's election was made Wednesday afternoon when the annual election of officers and directors of the Bureau was held at the county court room. Mr. Beedy has served in the capacity of secretary during the past year.

Frank Triplett and M. S. Hudson, of Hale Center, district officials of the State Farm Bureau, were present at the meeting and each gave inspiring talks encouraging the work done in this county. Because of a delayed meeting and weather conditions, the attendance at the meeting was small.

W. B. Jordan, past president, with the assistance of Mr. Triplett and Mr. Hudson, presided at the meeting. Other officers elected were: Clark Holding, vice-president; Tom Gill, secretary and treasurer; and John L. West, officer-at-large. A. A. Beedy was selected as alternate representative to the State Convention. Precinct directors elected for the year were: A. F. Martin, Geo. Meriwether, H. A. Brotherton, and Mr. Crawford.

BAPTIST WORKERS MEETING AT CENTER JANUARY EIGHT

Program for the workers' conference of the Floyd County Baptist Association has been announced. The conference will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 8th, with Center church as the host. The following is the program:

- 9:45—Devotional—Bro. Butler, of Floydada.
- 10:15—Report from each church represented on its proposed 1929 program. (Not over 10 minutes each.)
- 11:15—Sermon—Rev. Cal McGehee, Plainview.
- 12:00—Noon.
- 1:30—Songs—(Quartet from Roaring Springs).
- 1:45—The layman, his church and his pastor—Bro. E. W. Hendricks, Crosbyton.
- 2:10—W. M. S. Hour (each speaking 20 minutes).

- 1. Should every church in the association maintain a W. M. S.—Mrs. E. W. Suggs, Crosbyton.
- 2. How may a W. M. S. help the local church?—Mrs. E. E. Dyer, Lockney.
- 3. How may a W. M. S. help the denomination program?—Mrs. Lon Smith, Floydada.

- 3:10—Address—Dean Z. T. Huff, Plainview.
- 3:30—Board Meeting.
- 4:00—Adjournment.

Let all churches and pastors be reminded of the Associational B. Y. P. U. Federation meeting with the First Baptist Church, Crosbyton, Texas, Sunday, January 13, 1929, 2 o'clock p. m. A record attendance is desired and expected. Be there!

Opening Filling Station

Mr. Wayne Watts has leased the Pennant Service Station, No. 1, from E. P. E. Shick, and will open the same for business Saturday of this week. The station is located on the corner of Main and Bryant Streets.

flu is raging all over the county and Lockney, too.

"Courting Days"



No Time Extension on Car Registrations

Will Take Few Days for all Cars to Register—Tax Collector Has No Extension of Time

Special to the Beacon:

License and Weight Inspector, John Kellar, of the Highway Department, is now in Floyd County, and phoned the Beacon today to give notice to all auto owners, that all cars found without licenses would pay the consequences. Mr. Kellar said, "There will be no extensions allowed. Licenses were due on January 1st, 1929, and all cars must have new License Numbers, or the owners of same will be fined according to law, and that he is here with orders from the State Department to enforce the law to the letter, and that he expects to do so." Mr. Kellar asked that we inform the public of this matter, as he will be forced to detain all cars he sees with old numbers on them.

(Editor's Note—Those who have not registered their cars had better make it a point to get their new numbers before they run their cars out of their garages.)

The percentage of car registrations were very low in Floyd County up to and including January 1st, yet there was, nor has been, no extension of time granted, and every owner of a car, who is using same on the roads, that has not secured this year's license, is subject to fine, but the sheriff's department have not so far arrested anyone for the delinquency in registering. The sheriff has no power to extend the time payment on auto registrations, and he was infatigably apprised of this fact by the state department several weeks ago, and at that time the State Highway Department stated that if any extensions were allowed they would be given out by the state and not by any local officers. Although this is the decision of the State, Sheriff Stegall has made no arrests, and states that it will take his office force about six more days to register all the cars in Floyd County, and that he will have no arrests as long as his car register is kept busy registering cars, but as soon as the work of registering all cars has had ample time to have been completed, he will expect all cars to have been registered. He has no right to give any time extensions, but he will make no move to force registrations until the rush is over, which he figures will take about six days from today.

If you have not registered your car, you had better do so at once, as we understand that State Highway Officers have appeared in Amarillo and Lubbock, and the result is that many have been fined for not having registered their cars, and just as soon as the larger towns are worked out, the Highway Officers will undoubtedly appear in the smaller

towns, and that will mean that those who have failed to register their cars will get to pay a fine as well as pay the registration fees. It is better to be safe than sorry, and the sooner you register the safer you will be.

TEXAS JERSEY CATTLE CLUB TO MEET IN AMARILLO

The 1929 meeting of the Texas Jersey Cattle Club will be held in Amarillo January 9th and 10th and a special effort to secure as large a delegation from Floyd County has been asked of the Chamber of Commerce. The program for the meeting is given below:

8:30 a. m.—Meeting of Board of Directors.

10:00 a. m.—Annual Meeting called to Order.

Welcome—Lee Bivens, Mayor of Amarillo.

Response—Mrs. W. R. Dunn and J. A. Bobbitt.

Addresses: Dr. A. E. Flowers—

"Well! Here We Are."

R. A. Underwood—"The Dairyman and the Banker."

O. B. Martin—"A Word from the Extension."

J. W. Ridgeway—"The Texas Jersey Cattle Club."

Chas. N. Sheppard—"Relation of the A. & M. College to the Dairy Industry of Texas."

Henry Ansley—"Dairy Development of Texas."

M. B. Oats—"Circle Talk."

Announcements.

Appointment of Committees.

7:00 p. m., Banquet—Herring Hotel.

Speakers: Hon. Sam F. Crabbe, President, American Jersey Cattle Club.

Frank Briggs, President Southwest Dairy Association.

January 10th, 1929

9:30 a. m.—Meeting Called to Order.

Addresses: W. L. Stangel—"Go West Young Man."

D. F. Eaton—"The Plains Dairy Show."

A. L. Ward—"Feeding Problem in West Texas."

A. B. Connor—"A Dairy Research Program for Texas' Surplus Butterfat."

Report of Officers.

Election of Officers.

Unfinished Business.

New Business.

Adjournment.

Meeting of New Board of Directors.

SMITH'S HATCHERY IN NEW BUILDING

The new building on the east side of Main street across from the Beacon office will be completed this week, and will be occupied by the Hatchery, which was recently bought by Mr. J. Pollard Smith, of Plainview, who will have active charge of the hatchery and operate the business.

Miss Hazel Graver was here from Lubbock over the week-end.

Lockney Farmer Has Good Record for Year

\$1239.31 In Cash, a Good Living and Improvements Go to Make Up Record

Alva Raper, prominent Floyd county farmer, presents a record sheet for the past year that few business men can equal, much less surpass.

Raper's place, consisting of 100 acres, is located one and one half miles southwest of here. Seventy-five acres is under cultivation and twenty-five acres serves as a permanent pasture for his livestock.

Without the aid of extra help, Raper has produced a net profit of \$1239.31, a good living, two fine heifers, seventy-five chickens and plenty of feed to run him another year, from the farm in spite of a hail damage estimated at \$200.

Twelve hundred and eighty eight pounds of butter, one hundred and fifty-six pounds of cream, eggs, chickens, hogs and veal were sold netting the farmer \$839.11. Raper gathered \$500 worth of feed in spite of the hail damage, making his total receipts equal \$1239.31. His place was stocked with four cows and 100 hens.

NEW CHEVROLET SIX NOW ON DISPLAY

The new Chevrolet Six was placed on display at the Dyer Motor Company in Lockney last Saturday, and crowds of people inspected the new product of the General Motors Company during the day. This is quite a classy car, and retails at the same price range that was prevalent on the four cylinder Chevrolet. Many orders have been booked by Dyer Motor Company for the new cars, and those desiring a car in the near future had better place their orders now as they will be filled in turn as the cars are received.

J. T. Stokes Dead

Mr. J. T. Stokes, age 30 years, 5 months, and 15 days, died here December 29th. Mr. Stokes had come here from Tyler, Texas, and was a cotton picker. He leaves a mother, four brothers, and five sisters, all of whom were present at the funeral.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church in Lockney Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. W. H. Strong, pastor of Lockney Circuit, and entombment was in the Lockney cemetery. Mr. Stokes was a member of the Methodist church at his former home.

The Lockney Circuit parsonage has been repaired, gas installed, and many other improvements made during the last few days, according to Rev. W. H. Strong, pastor of the Lockney Circuit.

Noah Smalley has been detained from being at his place of business all this week on account of having a severe attack of flu.

New Commissioners Sworn in Tuesday

W. M. Henderson and M. H. Taylor Take Seats of Hanna and Wood of Commissioners Court

At the meeting of the Commissioners Court on last Tuesday, Commissioners elect W. M. Henderson of Precinct No. 1 and Millage T. Taylor of Commissioners Precinct No. 3 were sworn in as County Commissioners for the ensuing two years. Messrs. E. H. Rankin and W. W. Payne, of Precincts 2 and 4, respectively, who were re-elected for two more years, were also sworn in.

The commissioners court for the new term is as follows: Judge Wm. McGehee, County Judge, presiding officer, and W. M. Henderson, Precinct No. 1, E. H. Rankin, Precinct No. 2, M. H. Taylor, Precinct No. 3, and W. W. Payne, Precinct No. 4.

All the county officers have either been sworn in or their bonds are now up for approval, and by the next meeting of the court, which will convene on January 14th, all officers will have been seated for the coming two years.

The only changes in the county official roster this year was in the Commissioners Court, the official family of the county being as follows:

- County Judge, Wm. McGehee.
- County Clerk, Tom Deen.
- County Treasurer, Mrs. Maude Marrie.
- Sheriff and Tax Collector, P. G. Stegall.
- District Clerk, T. P. Guimarin.
- Tax Assessor, C. M. Meredith.
- County Surveyor, Geo. Luder.
- County Attorney, Robt. A. Sone.
- County Superintendent, Price Scott.

CARL STINEBOUGH IN CRITICAL SHAPE FROM ROMAN CANDLE

Carl Stinebough, small son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stinebough, is in the sanitarium at Lubbock, in a critical condition, following being shot in the face with a Roman Candle Christmas day. The ball from the candle struck the little fellow in one of his eyes, and very little hopes were entertained for his life early last week. He was carried to the Lubbock Sanitarium this week for treatment, but we have been unable to ascertain his condition at this time. Rumors have it he will possibly be blind for life in both eyes on account of the accident. The people of Lockney sympathize with the boy and family.

SHOTGUN ONLY CLUE IN DEATH OF WATCHMAN

Hedley Officer's Body Was Riddled By Two Men Breaking Safe

Hedley, Dec. 31.—His body riddled with shot, J. H. Richey, veteran night watchman here, died in pursuit of his duty late last night.

Richey was shot when he surprised one or more robbers in the act of breaking open the safe of the M. System store. The knob had been broken off the safe, but an entrance had not yet been effected. A small amount was stolen from the cash drawer.

Shortly after the shooting occurred two men are alleged to have fled to the west in a motor car. The same car was later seen to pass through Clarendon at a high rate of speed.

Mr. R. G. Porter was called to Hale Center Monday on account of the death of the mother of his sister-in-law, who lives in that city.

J. R. Williams and family of Lamesa, visited his brother, M. L. Williams and family, Sunday.



WHERE TERRITORIAL CLAIMS OF BOLIVIA AND PARAGUAY CLASH

A view of the Gran Chaco district to which both Paraguay and Bolivia claim rights and where the fighting will be fought if war is declared.

Total Taxes To January 1, 1929

Tax Paying Now Reaching In County—Collector's Very Busy

Every day is tax paying day for the Collector's Department in Floyd County at this time and the rush will not subside until after the limit date has expired which will be midnight January 31st.

Up to January 1st the total collected up to and including the month of December were as follows: Ad Valorem Tax (State) \$12,171.54 County Tax 10,290.63 Road and Bridge Tax Common School Tax

Total This does not include vehicle tax that has been nor the school tax of Floyd Lockney Independent School District.

KLINE NALL GETS LEG BROKE SATURDAY

Kline Nall, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Nall, of this city, happened to the accident of getting his right leg broke in town Saturday, when a horse falling fell upon him, near the J. Baggett home, in southeast Lockney.

One of the bones was badly crushed, and it will be some time before he will be able to again walk on the leg. He was carried to Plainview Tuesday for x-ray examination.

BOY CRUSHED TO DEATH RUNS IN FRONT OF AUTO

Coroner's Verdict Absolves J. I. Hammonds From Blame In Highway Accident

Christmas day happiness was turned to sadness and regret for one Floydada family this week, when a car driven by John I. Hammonds ran over and crushed to death a nine-year-old boy, the son of a family of traveling cotton pickers on the highway between Plainview and Kress Christmas afternoon about 2 o'clock.

The boy was struck by the bumper and left light of the car on a high, narrow lake crossing seven miles south of Kress, after the driver had taken a detour on the highway. Both wheels passed over the little boy, and he died instantly, while the car loaded with passengers enroute to Floydada to spend Christmas with relatives, as well as the parents' brothers and sisters of the little looked on helplessly.

The boy was taken to a nearby hospital immediately and was prepared for burial at the Fields Undertaking Parlor, where funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon. Burial was made in the Plainview cemetery with J. Pat Horton, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Plainview conducting the rites.

Upon their arrival in Plainview, Mr. Hammonds called Justice J. Siler and told him of the accident. An investigation made by the latter, in which testimony was heard from the ten or twelve witnesses, resulted in a coroner's verdict of accidental death by being run over by a motor vehicle.

The boy who was killed was Lester Eugene De Lozier, second youngest son of a large family, who were traveling in two cars from Shamrock to Littlefield. The first car stopped on the brink of the large lake to wait for the second, when the little boy with a sister a year or more older asked permission to go down to the lake to get a drink, according to the information gleaned at the investigation. They were standing at attention when the car neared, the little boy with a big filled can of water from the barn, and a toy watch in his hands. Suddenly he darted across the road, as his sister screamed and grabbed for him. He was safely across by a narrow squeak, when panic stricken he jumped back to return to his sister. His parents and the rest of the family a hurriedly watched anything that happened.

In the meantime, the driver of the car, Mr. Hammonds, was arrested and taken to the jail.

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Doing in West Texas

Dec. 31.—It is the aim of the Women's Book Club, pioneer study club of Canyon, to develop a county library for Randall County from the subscription library which has been organized. A great number of books will be available from this source.

Ground was recently broken for the new \$30,000 Baptist Church of the city. The church building will include a number of class rooms, a large auditorium. It is being built with the best and most modern of seats and other fixtures.

Main road improvement has been started by the city council. Five city blocks have recently been ordered paved by the city council. This will include paving of the streets on two sides of the Plainview sanitarium, and widening of Seventh street. A strip in Seventh street will be eliminated.

It is expected that will make Rio known throughout the state beyond the border of the state a summer resort is the dream of citizens of that town who are planning to use the water backed up by a power dam for recreational purposes, and are spending a large sum of money for the purpose.

By order of the city council at Crosbyton, elm trees are being planted in the city park to replace the locust trees that have died. The city square has been much improved by bermuda grass that was set out in Crosbyton. Crosbyton people do their part in civic beautification by keeping attractive lawns.

The West Texas Gas Company's main line has reached the city limits of Hereford and has been brought to the city.

Prospect for natural gas in the near future are bright.

The new Palace theatre at Levelland which recently celebrated its opening and capacity crowd. The equipment of the theatre is unusually modern, having an electric amplifier for music. Everything from the electric sign to the electric light is modern.

The chamber of commerce at Dalhart has accomplished much constructive work this year, including purchasing of a suitable site on which to build a \$80,000 hospital, the sponsoring of the exhibit program, marking of the federal highways, and obtaining eight hundred column inches of newspaper publicity.

The new \$75,000 viaduct at Las Cruces, N. M., which takes traffic on U. S. Highway 80 across the Santa Fe tracks was officially opened on Dec. 22. The viaduct was made possible by federal aid, state and county funds, is an imposing structure and gives beauty as well as safety to the tourists.

Native pecan trees, in Sabinal, budded to improved varieties five years ago are now bearing a crop of marketable product. Texas Prolific and Kincaid, pecans. Top-working the trees in the winter and building the resultant shoots in the summer has proved the most profitable way to get a good crop.

Construction work between Olney and Seymour on the grade and drainage structure of Highway 24 will begin soon. The highway leaves Olney on Main street and follows the Gulf, Texas and Western railroad tracks to the Archer County line on the north. The contract has been awarded for the part of the highway passing through Archer County.

In Memory of Clyde Anderson
In memory of Clyde Anderson, who was killed at Duke, Oklahoma, Dec. 14th, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Anderson, of Lockney. Clyde leaves a host of friends back here in Oklahoma, who mourn his death. He was 29 years of age. He was buried to this part of the cemetery nine years ago.

SAND HILL
Dec. 31.—The meeting at the Church of Christ closed Sunday night. Bro. Lony Hayhurst of Lubbock preached assisted by Bro. Jackson. The P. T. C. is to put on the first play of the season Friday night week. "Hold That Line Jimmie" is a very good play and you can't afford to miss it. If you don't have your season tickets be sure to get them by Friday night week or come to the play to get them.

Mrs. Eula Peele was brought home from the Floydada Hospital Sunday. Her condition is much improved.

A number of people of this community are in bed with the flu.

Miss Alice Smith, who was home for the holidays, returned to Canyon Monday where she will attend school.

School started again Monday after a week's vacation.

NEWLAN
Dec. 31.—Most everybody who spent the holidays visiting, have returned home.

School will re-open today.

The last page is hastily being filled out for the year 1928 and it will soon be history. What is our plans and resolutions for the new year?

Mrs. Henry Bloodworth left Thursday for a visit with relatives in East Texas.

Mr. Jim Owens and family have returned from a visit with relatives in East Texas.

Mr. W. W. Cagle and sons visited at the Carden home Sunday.

Mr. D. J. Carden and family will leave this week for their new home near Levelland, Texas.

Mr. McBroom from Oklahoma will move where Mr. Carden lived.

HILLCREST
Dec. 31.—School opened again this morning after ten holidays, all of which the teacher and the students enjoyed very much.

John and Wilson Bourland of Flomot spent Saturday with their cousin, Guy Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bartlett spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meek of Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Armstrong of Guyton, Oklahoma, visited Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Garrison.

Miss Enid Scoggin of Floydada spent Sunday night and Monday with her sister, Miss Ora Scoggin, and her friend, Miss Mary Ann Swepton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Garrison and son, Guy, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wilkinson of Fairview.

Guy Garrison spent Saturday with relatives at Flomot.

Miss Virginia Lewis and her brother, Lawrence, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lewis, on the ranch.

Those on the Honor Roll for December in our schools are as follows:
1st grade—Lottie Bell Swepton, J. L. Jones, David Hopkins.
6th grade—Christine Swepton.
8th grade—Guy Garrison.

FRAIRIEVIEW
Dec. 31.—Rev. L. E. Hart filled his regular appointment Sunday at this place.

A good crowd attended the Christmas service.

RAMSEY
Jan. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murff of the Campbell community spent Sunday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smalley and daughters, Misses Susie and Alvie, visited at Petersburg Saturday.

Mrs. Whitley and son, Raymond, of Lockney visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Louise Landrum, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Clyde Hill purchased a new Ford touring car last Tuesday.

Miss Virginia Miller entertained her friends with a tacky party last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Landrum and children of Friona were here last week visiting at the homes of his mother, Mrs. Landrum, and sister, Mrs. W. J. King. Miss Annie Landrum returned home with them for a visit.

Miss Virginia Miller visited Miss Ermine Ida Thomas Sunday afternoon.

There was a singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. King Sunday night.

Mrs. J. R. Davis visited at Mrs. Landrum's Friday afternoon.

STARKEY
Dec. 31.—As the holidays have passed by, everyone is settling down to work again.

Last Thursday evening Miss Maudie Mallow of Shamrock, Texas, visited the school. Maudie is a former pupil of Starkey.

Mr. J. H. Burgett and family visited in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. F. Fergenson, M. Marrs, and others returned yesterday from an extended hunting trip in Coleman county. They report a fine time with the fortune of killing a deer.

Mr. R. L. Hinkson and family, son of Mr. J. T. Hinkson, moved Friday to make their home in Winters. Mr. Hinkson is manager of a filling station there.

At present there are several cases of sickness, but none of them serious.

Miss Robtra Fergenson leaves Wednesday for Tech, where she will enter the second term of school.

Miss Bartha Barnett of Floydada visited Misses Roberta and Pearl Fergenson from Saturday until Monday evening.

Miss Willie Mae Atkinson returned to Vernon to enter school, where she will graduate in the spring.

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SASANT VALLEY

Dec. 31.—Miss Lucile Marr spent the day night of last week with Miss... Mrs. W. M. Ferguson...

Mr. Lane Ferguson left Tuesday for Stillwater, Okla., where he will again enter school after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ferguson...

Mr. Ben Quebe was in Plainview Saturday on business. Mr. A. A. Brock has been on the sick list for the past week...

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lankin of Dallas, and Mrs. M. L. Coleman, of Waco, have returned to their respective homes...

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Who's Who TODAY

"An opportunist is one who meets the wind at the door and appears the next day in a fur coat."



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SUNSET

Dec. 31.—School re-opened this morning with a good attendance and everyone ready for work after having a week of real holiday fun.

The box supper given Friday night was greatly enjoyed by all who were present. Owing to so much sickness in the community the crowd wasn't so large as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Solomon and family of Memphis, Texas, spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. Upton and family.

Sheriff Stegall of Floydada and John McDonald of Lockney were at the box supper Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bradley and family of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Beck and family, and Miss Mary Hisey of Amarillo spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pearson.

Bro. Strong of Lockney will preach at Sunset Sunday afternoon, Jan. 6, at 3 o'clock.

Miss Mamie Lou Jarnigan spent Christmas in Lockney visiting friends Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thornton spent Christmas with relatives in Quannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bradshaw and family of Artesia, N. M., visited with T. H. Bradshaw and family and other relatives last week.

Miss Vera Wilson, who is attending school in Canyon, spent the holidays at home.

Mr. Ralph Edwards and sister, Miss Mollie Edwards of the Wallace community in Briscoe county, visited Mrs. Phegley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Myers spent the holidays visiting in Snyder and Sylvester, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Cates and family returned home Sunday from a visit in East Texas.

Everyone has been enjoying the pretty weather for the past week.

BLANCO

Jan 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Snell and family returned home from Fort Worth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Smith and daughter returned home from Lubbock, Sunday.

Mr. Hal Ferguson visited relatives in Lubbock during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Cates and family returned home Sunday from a visit in East Texas.

Everyone has been enjoying the pretty weather for the past week.

IRICK

Dec. 31.—We had some pretty weather during Christmas holidays. Miss Gladys Ellis was visiting in our community Monday.

Everyone enjoyed a Christmas tree at the school house Monday night. Miss Pauline and Black Hampton

LUTHERAN NEWS

Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sammons of Prairieview attended the Christmas tree and program given at the Lutheran church Monday night.

Clarence Brandis and wife were shopping in Plainview last Saturday. Roy and Clyde Ooley of Plainview were in our midst Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dameron were in Plainview shopping, Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Pullen has returned home from Lubbock, where she has been attending school, to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Kennedy during the Christmas holidays.

La Velle Abbott arrived Wednesday to spend last of holidays. They are to return Tuesday to resume school.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sammann and family have been very sick the last week with the flu.

Amos and Herman Ratjen of Amarillo are here spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ratjen.

Mrs. Chas. Boone has been sick with the flu the past few days.

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The new four-wheel brakes not only assure positive safety, but are exceedingly quiet in operation. The new two-beam, headlamps with foot control dimming device were never before available in Chevrolet's price class. And so on throughout the entire chassis, you will find feature after feature demanded in the finest automobiles and now offered by the Outstanding Chevrolet.

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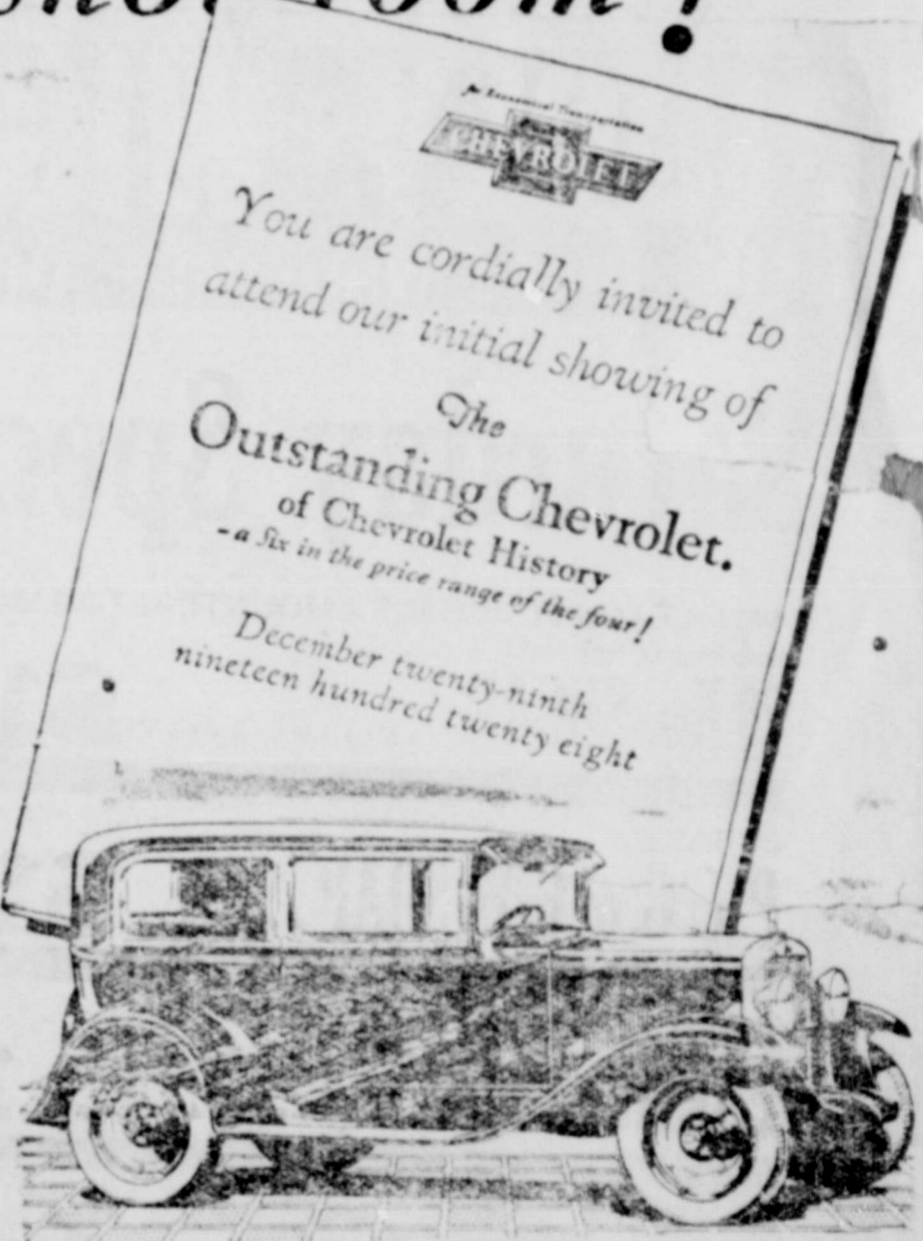


Table listing car models and prices: The Roadster \$525, The Phaeton \$525, The Coach \$595, The Coupe \$595, The Sedan \$675, The Sport Cabriolet \$695, The Convertible \$725, Landau \$595, Sedan Delivery \$400, Light Delivery Chassis \$400, 1 1/2 Ton Chassis \$545.

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At 11 A. M.—"WHAT'S IT TO YOU?"—John 21:1-19
At 7 P. M.—"OUR ATTITUDE TOWARD THE CHURCH"

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—Hollums, Floydada Florist. 25-4f-c

FOR RENT—Old Beacon office on Locust Street.—H. B. Adams.

SAVE fuel bills this winter by having Oriental Stucco put on your house.
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TWO GOOD homes in McKinney, Texas to exchange for a well improved quarter-section of land. Must act quick.—Baker & Carter.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow.—Wayne Watts call Phone 99.

FOR SALE—Two-row lister and cultivator for tractor with hitch, practically new.—Write W. M. McCaleb, Vernon, Texas. 13-4-pd

IF YOU want to make more dollars per acre growing cotton write W. B. McCaleb East Heights Breeding Farm Vernon, Texas for information regarding McCaleb's Genuine selected Half and Half cotton seed. 13-4-pd

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I WANT wheat pasturage for 30 cows and calves, if you have wheat pasturage see me.—Dorsey Baker.

MAKE your home beautiful and comfortable with Oriental Stucco.
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FOR SALE—PARMAK RADIO, in good shape with tubes—Phone 92.

FOR RENT—Nice office space in the new Beacon building.—Phone 92.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Old mobile truck, in good shape, with new tires, will trade for cows or hogs.—Wm. Wood, 7 miles north of Lockney. 15-2f-pd

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STRAYED—Eight head of horses and mules. Will pay reward for information.—Dorsey Baker.

MAKE use of that spare room by making it nice and cozy with sheetrock.
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FOR RENT—5-room house.—Dr. J. M. Floyd.

FOR SALE—Several pure bred Buff Orpington roosters, \$1.50 each.—Mrs. J. E. Hanna, Route 3, Lockney, Cedar Hill. 16-2f-pd

FOR SALE—Three mules, 2 mares, some plow tools and wagon, also some pigs, \$3.00 each.—R. I. Bennett, 7 miles east of Lockney. 16-2f-pd

BETTER THAN WHISKEY for flu and cold. I mean Chiropractic adjustments.—S. T. Cooper, D. C. Ph. C., Chiropractor.

DISSOLVED
The Law Partnership heretofore existing between Jeff D. Ayres and H. D. Payne has been by mutual consent dissolved.

Both parties will continue the practice of law at Floydada independently. Dated December 26, 1928.
JEFF D. AYRES,
H. D. PAYNE.

NOTICE
The city will have a wagon that will visit all the alleys in town next week and haul off all cans, etc. Residents will please take notice and have cans, etc., piled-up in convenient places where the men with the wagons can get them, and they will haul them to the dump grounds.—T. Z. REED, Mayor.

FOR SALE or RENT—A good home in southwest Lockney.—J. H. Henson. 16-4f-c

NOTICE OF HEARING TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS No. 1181

Notice is hereby given, to whom concerned, that the PANHANDLE SAND AND GRAVEL COMPANY the postoffice address of Lockney, Texas, did on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1928, file its application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which it applies for a permit to appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, from the Quitaque Creek, a tributary of Red River, in Floyd County, Texas, not to exceed five hundred (500) additional acre-feet of water for industrial purposes, to be diverted by means of a pumping plant, said pumping plant to be located at a point which bears S. 75° 30' W. 2,900 feet from the Northeast corner of T. & P. Ry. Co. Survey No. 106, Block 4, on the South bank of the Quitaque Creek, in Floyd County, Texas, and is distant in a Southerly direction from Quitaque, Texas, about nine miles.

You are hereby further notified that the said Panhandle Sand and Gravel Company proposes to install a pumping plant to consist of a 6x8 Fairbanks-Morse Centrifugal pump, operated by a 125 H. P. General Electric Motor, having a height of lift of six feet and to divert therewith not to exceed five hundred (500) additional acre-feet of water per annum for industrial purposes.

A hearing on the application of the said Panhandle Sand and Gravel Company, will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on Monday, January 28th, A. D. 1929, beginning at ten o'clock A. M. at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable, and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board, at Austin, Texas, this 17th day of December, A. D. 1928.

JNO. A. NORRIS,
C. S. CLARK,
A. H. DUNLAP,
Board of Water Engineers.

ATTEST:
A. W. McDONALD, Secretary.

AIKEN

Jan. 1.—School opened again Monday, having been closed for the holidays.

The flu seems to be raging in our community, quite a few are absent from school on this account.

Mrs. Guy Ramsey entertained a number of friends to dinner Sunday. Fred Mullings leaves Wednesday for Lubbock to attend Tech.

Mr. McMinn has been real sick the past week, he seems to be some better.

Miss Avis Allen will leave Wednesday for Canyon to enter school.

The play, "The Arrival of Kitty," will be given at the school house Friday night, Jan. 4th. The admission will be 15c and 25c. The proceeds will be used for the school.

Miss Lucille Kitress entertained with a New Year's party Tuesday night.

Miss Addie Shugart gave a party Thursday night for her Sunday School class.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. C. M. Abbott came over from Plainview Wednesday for a visit of a few days with Mrs. H. B. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jackson and child returned Saturday from Wolfe City, Texas, where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Mr. M. F. Barber has been in a very critical condition the past week, and hopes for his recovery have not been very encouraging.

Rev. J. N. S. Webb, former pastor on the Lockney Circuit, but now evangelist in the Vernon district, for the Methodist church, was here this week from Chillicothe, on business.

Prof. W. D. Biggers, who with his family went to McLain, Texas, to spend the Christmas holidays, has not been able to return to his school here, on account to himself and two children being down with an attack of the flu.

DAIRYING PROVES SUCCESSFUL IN THE SOUTH

By M. B. Oates, Agricultural Agent, Fort Worth & Denver City Ry. Co.

Last summer (August 1928) the writer conducted an auto dairy tour to Mississippi and Tennessee to study dairy development in these states. Many of us have accepted the fact that dairy farming is prac-

ticable in the northern states but too many of us have not accepted dairying farming in the cotton states as a practicable thing. But Mississippi has accepted dairying whole heartedly. The cotton farmers are milking cows, the bankers are lending financial assistance both to the farmers and to the milk plants and the merchants and business men are all boosting and co-operating. At first, it was accepted on faith but since dairy farming has proven profitable to all concerned, dairying is now accepted as an essential to profitable farm management.

In Middle Tennessee we found dairying further developed than in Mississippi because this part of Tennessee has been more of a stock farming section than the part of Mississippi which we saw and these stock farmers became dairy farmers long before the Mississippi farmers turned to dairying. Therefore we found that dairy farming in Tennessee had developed further than in Mississippi. Indeed her development has been almost spectacular and I wish to deal particularly with her development in the remainder of this article. It should be stated now that what we saw in Mississippi and Tennessee

convinced us that it was practical in Texas. A consensus of opinion of County Agents, Bankers and Dairymen, and we came to this conclusion after visiting dairymen and milk plants and conferring with bankers and business men in towns which are really fits from these numerous and newly established dairy farms in what was, until recently, an exclusive one crop cotton section of the state.

Volume of Business
Mississippi is now producing \$18,000,000 worth of dairy products. In 1922 the total dairy business was only \$10,000,000 and in 1912 there was no dairy business. There are now twelve cheese factories, four condensereries and twenty seven creameries in the state. Tennessee is doing about \$40,000,000 worth of dairy business per year.

The five towns we visited in Mississippi were paying out nearly \$4,000,000 per annum for dairy products. Most of these towns have 1200 to 1500 dairymen in their territory who are regular patrons of the local milk plants. At Starkville, Miss., the Borden Condensery has 1150 patrons.

The Year Starts

We are going to astonish you to start the New Year—Look over the following and bring a bucket along to take home the money we will save you on merchandise you need today—

- ### MEN'S OVERCOATS
- \$17.50 Overcoats, close out **\$10.75**
 - \$25.00 values, to close out **\$15.95**
 - \$27.50 values, to close out **\$17.75**
 - \$38.75 values, to close out **\$24.75**

- ### BOYS' OVERCOATS
- \$17.50 values, to close out **\$10.75**
 - \$11.00 values, to close out **\$6.95**

- \$9.00 Wool Blankets, close out **\$5.75**
- 70x80 Part wool Blankets **\$4.40**
- 66x80 Part Wool Blankets **\$3.45**
- \$5.00 Fancy Robe Blankets **\$3.95**
- Boys' \$3.50 Moleskin Coats **\$2.60**
- Men's \$5.00 Moleskin Coats **\$3.95**
- Men's \$6.00 Moleskin Coats **\$4.40**
- Men's \$11.00 Leather Coats **\$7.95**
- Men's \$15.00 Leather Coats **\$10.75**
- Men's \$13.50 Leather Coats **\$9.95**

- ### Special Prices on Men's and Boys Clothing
- Boys' \$2.50 Wool Shirts **\$1.45**
 - Men's Wool Shirts **\$1.75**
 - Men's \$6.00 Wool Shirts **\$4.40**

BIG REDUCTION ON MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS

Snap up these bargains if you need these warm goods, as they must leave our stock.

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- WITH EACH PURCHASE AMOUNTING TO \$2.50 (Not including Sugar Special) —
- 20 lbs. SUGAR **\$1.00**
 - 26 BARS P. & G. or C. W. SOAP **\$1.00**
 - 12 oz. CAN FRESH BRAINS **28c**
 - ANY KIND SHORTENING, 8 lb. bucket ... **\$1.12**
 - 10 lb. TABLE SPUDS **15c**
 - MEATS, 6 for **25c**
 - SAUSAGE, 3 for **25c**

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RESOLUTIONS

Did you make any New Year's resolutions? Some people think it better to avoid making resolutions in order to avoid breaking them. Is that a good policy? It seems instead to be a confession on their part that they have a weak will and have lost all control of themselves. To make a resolution and to sincerely attempt keeping it affords strengthening of character—even if in the end the resolution is broken. Think it over! Test your self control! Do you need the exercise of resolving to improve in any way and endeavoring to prove true to the best that is within you?

Fire

A fire at twilight
 With its warmth and glow
 Makes home seem bright
 During midwinter's snow.

The flames just dance
 And make shadows on the wall
 Leaving things in a trance
 Wherever they may fall.

I'm content to sit and dream
 Of lands so far from here.
 Can they be just what they seem
 While I sit by the fire so near?
 —Poem by Mary Nell Meadors.

Benefits of Fire

Fire is a dangerous thing
 As no doubt, you've often been told
 But it also makes one seem happy,
 And is worth much more than gold.

Fire makes the whole world glow
 With warmth and comfort and light
 It shelters us all from the cold
 And drives away the night.

Fire cooks our food in winter,
 And during the summer too.
 To the fire our thanks for comfort,
 And also our tributes are due.

We're all be thankful for fire,
 And all of us seek its good;
 For we'll never regret we have it,
 If we use it as we should.
 —Poem by Margaret Collier.

Fire Is My Name

Fire! fire is my name;
 I have read hair
 And long black mane.
 I am hard hearted
 And do not care,
 With whom my lot I share.

Sometimes I come at night;
 Sometimes I come at day;
 But when I do come
 I don't have long to stay,
 For I lick out my tongue
 Catch your house and dance away.

Cigarettes are my helpers;
 Carelessness is my friend;
 So I have assistance
 In every crook and bend;
 But do not be afraid
 For I'll help you in the end.
 —Poem by L. A. Stowe.

Forest Fires

Pines so straight and tall,
 The forest fires send and burn.
 The cedars with fragrant wood
 From the fires cannot turn.

Dense smoke above the forest,
 The brave rangers see afar,
 Trees and giant pines of the woods
 Must fall before this monarch.

Trees, 'tis better the lumberman's axe
 Should strike you down,
 Than thy merciless foe
 Who strips your bark and branches
 down.

The rangers fight so valiantly
 The most cruel foe man knows;
 The fire's victims are left
 The bare and blackened stumps
 to show.

People, why be so careless?
 The fires you leave to burn
 Destroy the beauty and wealth of
 nature
 While you travel without concern.
 —Lurla Witte.

JOKES

Mr. Guthrie: What do you mean by bringing my daughter in at 6:00 in the morning?
 Long Distance: Well, I've got to go to work at 7:00 o'clock.

Paul Derrick: Will you join me in a bowl of soup?
 Winfred Fowler: Do you think there is room for both of us?

Teacher: Give the principal parts of the verb "swim."
 Bob: Swim, swim, swim.
 Teacher: Very well, now give the principal parts of the verb "dim."
 Bob: I'd rather not, teacher.

Longhorn Editor Suffers from Injuries

Kline Nall Suffers from Injuries of Saturday Morning

Kline Nall, son of Harding Nall of this city, is suffering from injuries received Saturday morning when a horse which he was riding stumbled and fell. Kline was driving some mules and horses from a side road onto the Floydada highway and in an attempt to head off one animal that turned the wrong direction, the horse he was riding stumbled on a concrete culvert and fell on Kline's leg breaking it in three places between the knee and ankle.

It was about thirty minutes before anyone came to his assistance. He was then carried to his home where Doctor N. E. Greer administered the proper attention. It is expected that he will be confined to his bed for several weeks, and his recovery will be a tedious one.

Kline is an associate editor of the Lockney Longhorn and his absence from his work of writing editorials and book reviews will be keenly felt.

SKIDDO! SKIDDO!

Have you heard that mysterious cry, watchword, password, or what-you-may-call-it that the juniors have been uttering for the past two weeks? At most unexpected times—even at parties—you can hear some junior say, "Skidoo!" It seems to be a salutation sign between them and their sponsor.

It is all right for people to have secrets; but when they seem to flaunt a mysterious sign in others' faces, someone's curiosity is sure to become abnormal. The time has come when an explanation must be made. Here is the solution of the method of solution, as it seems to be:

Ask a junior what Skidoo is. When he answers, "The best made," you give him an order for half a half dozen. Then by the time he has talked with the junior sponsor one minute he will make the delivery, you then pay him a paltry sum, and the mystery is solved.

If you are not adventurous enough to risk this method of solving the problem just bide your time, keep your "weather eye" open, refuse no invitation to inform yourself, and you will soon find out.

Are you interested? You can't afford to be indifferent. Remember, Skidoo!

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Freshman and Sophomore Classes were entertained by their sponsors, Miss Simpson and Mrs. Guthrie, respectively, in the Study Hall Friday evening, December 21. A large Christmas tree loaded with funny gifts was the center of attraction. Each one present received a large stick of candy, and also some very attractive gifts, such as: baby rattlers, pacifiers, and negro dolls. All guests reported an enjoyable evening, then departed, wishing their sponsors a very merry Christmas.

PERSONALS

Ruth Lee was ill during the past week.

Valeria Bullman spent a few days of the Christmas season in Lufkinfield.

Martha Meriwether and Mildred Ramsey visited Lolene Angel in Plainview the first of last week.

Anice and Alice Stewart returned recently from a trip to Mineral Wells and Fort Worth.

Juanita Dagley spent Christmas holidays in Plainview and Sweetwater.

EXES AND EXCHANGE

Vernon (Son) Shelton, who has been at Alpine attending Sul Ross College spent the Christmas holidays in Lockney.

Edwin Boedecker, a 1927 graduate of Lockney High School, came from Canyon to spend the Happy Season with his parents in Prairie Chapel community.

John Stapleton, who graduated in Lockney in 1926 and who has been attending Texas U., spent the past week with his mother in Lockney.

Joe Foster, Travis Cowart, Emma Sue Buchanan, Juanita Cowart and Lorraine Still, who are graduates of Lockney High School, were in Lockney during the past few days.

Isham Goins, once a student of Lockney High School and now a county judge at Marietta, Oklahoma, has been visiting relatives and friends near Lockney.

Ruth Anderson, who is now holding a position in a business firm at Turkey, Texas, spent the Christmas season at home.

Mildred Walters, a student in W. T. S. T. C., was at home near Prairie Chapel during the holidays.

Services at Lockney, Sunday, morning and evening, Sunday, day afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, Sunday, Jan. 6th.

W. H. STRONG, Pastor.

Many Teachers Spend Christmas Away

On holidays everyone is always homeward bound, and so it was with most of the teachers of the Lockney Public School during the preceding week. Christmas, more than any other season, finds every one around the cheerful home fires.

Miss Alice Bridges spent the holidays with her parents at Denton, but was back at school again Monday ready for English. Christmas also found Miss Thomson at Ft. Stockton visiting her mother. Miss Rice spent the previous week with her parents in Hereford. Mr. Jones and family spent the holidays in Gilliland visiting Mrs. Jones' parents. Mr. Biggers and family spent the last week in McLean with relatives. Mr. Biggers took sick, however, and has been unable to return as yet. Mr. and Mrs. Reid went to Alpine to spend the Christmas season with Mrs. Reid's parents. Miss Steele was in Goodnight and Dalhart last week visiting her mother and brother. Miss Newman and Miss Simpson were with their parents in Hedley and Plainview respectively, and Miss Stallwin was in Floydada with her parents.

Miss Richardson, the music teacher, went to Fort Worth to be with her relatives, and Mrs. Wall visited relatives in Wellington Christmas week. Miss Chambers enjoyed Christmas with her brothers in Amarillo. The rest of the teachers who are Mrs. Guthrie and Mrs. Haightcock, Misses Thomas, Coleman, Collins, Honea, and Mason have homes in Lockney, so they did not leave; but they were at Home Sweet Home, and naturally they enjoyed their vacation.

One of Life's Little Tragedies
 This little tragedy occurred one day in the latter part of spring. One evening about seven o'clock J. B. and I started to Floydada. About ten miles from Lockney we saw a group of cars which, in a way, resembled a very small town. On reaching the spot, we learned that a man and his wife, daughter, and son had turned their car over. The woman was killed, and the girl was not expected to live until they could get her to Floydada. They put her in our car as it was the only closed one there. We were driving about fifty miles an hour when we heard some one say, "Look out! There is a corner. You will kill everyone of us." We slowed down and learned that the unconscious girl was talking. When we reached the pavement, she said, "This is the last of us." These were her last words. One does not know what each day will bring, but surely this is "One of Life's Tragic Tragedies."

—A Class Theme by Cullen Riley.

Seniors of 1927-28 Have Happy Visit With Miss Thomas

Several members of the Senior Class of Lockney High School of 1927-28 met at the home of Miss Carmo Thomas on Friday evening, December 28. The gathering was not planned as a party but just as a visit. Everyone present expressed their pleasure in re-uniting in the "Senior Home" again. A few games were played but most of the time was given to talking of things which have happened during the past few months. Auctioneer Herman King sold surprise packages which brought from fifty to five hundred dollars each. The packages contained chewing gum, raw potatoes, gloves, mufflers, caps, and other articles which were taken from the wraps of those present, and which were returned to their respective owners. Bookkeeper Marvin Shurbet reported the collection of several thousand dollars which was paid by cranberries, each cranberry representing two dollars. Refreshments of candy, which the girls made, and punch were served to the dozen who were present.

MUSIC REPORT

The piano pupils of Mary Richardson received their reports this week for the work done in the last six weeks. Mary Alice Baker and Kenneth Hohlaus received the highest general average, both making 96. Leona Shelton and Kenneth Hohlaus both made 98 on the examination which were the highest grades made by the class. Mary Alice Baker made the highest on the weekly lessons which was 97. June Guthrie memorized 17 pages of music during the six weeks and Anice Stewart memorized 12. These were the best records in memory work. Virginia Norris received a gold honor seal for memory work.

Father Mae Hodel has her name on the first honor roll for building the scales by tetrachords in 4 minutes time. The following pupils have written twelve perfect sets of major scales and are able to write all fifteen scales in ten minutes time. They are on the scale honor roll, Virginia Hohlaus, Kenneth Hohlaus, June Guthrie, Doris Brown, Anice Stewart, and Frankie Dodson. Virginia Hohlaus and Kenneth Hohlaus are writing

'Ice Bound' Pleases Good Audience

"Icebound," the first full evening play presented by the Seniors of 1929, was enjoyed by a comparatively small audience on December 20 at the high school auditorium. The Symphonic Six and the Lockney Orchestra furnished pleasing between act entertainment.

This play was of one unusual type, having its setting among the farm folk of Maine to whom money and family tradition mean much. The cast was ably chosen; and Miss Carmo Thomas, senior sponsor and director of the play, is to be complimented upon the performance of the players.

Buchanan Prickett, leading character, was excellent in his role of Ben Jordan, the revolting member of the Jordan family. Playing opposite him was Delma Floyd, who won the audience with her poise and characterization of the humble redeemer of Ben and the Jordan name. The parts played by D. V. Biggers, Fay Royal, Gladys Miller, Beatrice Nicholas, Margaret Collier, Frances Savage, J. Edward Parsons, and T. H. Stewart gave the color and atmosphere to the play. Roberta Broyles was true in the interpretation of her role which seemed a bit disconcerting to the inherent, puritanic attitude of the New Englanders toward social life. All of the players are to be commended for their accurate presentation of characters who are icebound "inside and out."

The proceeds of this play will be added to the fund for the purchase of the program clock, the project chosen by the seniors.

Intermediate Department Christmas Program and Tree

On Friday, December 21, the primary and intermediate departments had a Christmas program and tree. The program was rendered by the intermediate department. The opening song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," was given by the seventh grade rooms. Several readings were given by sixth grade expression pupils and the fifth grade gave a little play, "Bole's Christmas Dream." The program was concluded by the song, "Holy Night" sung by the seventh grade pupils.

Following the program, Santa Claus came in to greet all the children especially and to present gifts to everyone.

Many parents and friends were present for the presentation of the program and the gifts.

Senior-Junior Kid Party

The Senior-Junior kid party was even more enjoyable than was promised by the unique invitations, the locked doors to the home economics room and science laboratory, and above all, that tantalizing air of secrecy worn by all the seniors.

Everyone spent a glorious afternoon playing the delightful games planned by the Seniors. The Juniors and seniors were divided into four equal groups; namely, trees, stars, bells, and leaves. Each person was given a tiny souvenir representing his or her group. This division made the party more interesting than ever because trees vied with stars, and leaves vied with bells to win in a series of contests.

Everyone was there! Seniors, juniors, faculty members, class mothers, and even little Willie Merle came over to play a while.

After many interesting games were played, Santa Claus himself led the "kids" to the science laboratory where a beautiful Christmas tree loaded with gifts awaited the guests. With much mirth and gaiety the presents and the bags of candy, fruits, and nuts were distributed. It was a happy group that parted with "Merry Christmas and Happy New Year" about four thirty o'clock.

IN APPRECIATION

We've been a team that was hard to beat;
 We've won o'er many others.
 We've fought together like pals and friends;
 In fact, we seem like brothers.

It will be so hard to leave you now
 We've been so long together;
 We stood it all through thick and thin
 In clear and cloudy weather.

This year we go but our thoughts remain
 With the others so dear and true
 Who fought with us in all our games
 The ones that are true blue.

We thank the coach for what he did
 His work was not in vain.
 We think of him as a pal and friend,
 And may it thus remain.

We thank the town for what they did;
 We thank the pep squad, too,
 For when we needed pep or fight,
 We always turned to you.

We'll ne'er forget the faculty
 They helped us to succeed.
 Their cry was heard above the rest

Tulia and Lockney Basket Ball Games

The Lockney Cagers opened the season with a double header with Tulia December 21, 1928. The first game played in the afternoon went to Tulia with a score of 28-19. The Lockney team staged a rally and won the second game 22-16.

In spite of the fact that the Lockney boys had worked out only three afternoons the team played exceptionally good ball. Coach Reid was well pleased and is expecting the team to have a good chance toward winning the district championship.

Home Economics Teacher Ill

Miss Melba Thomson, teacher of home economics, has been unable to meet her classes this week because of an attack of flu. Several teachers and students have been out of school because of illness; but it is hoped they may soon return and the epidemic of cold can be brought under control.

Whenever we were in need.
 —By Orvis Sal, member of the Longhorn Team, 1928.

Supt. Biggers Ill With Flu

Word was received Saturday that Supt. W. D. Biggers was ill with flu and was unable to return from McLean where he with his family was spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Biggers' parents.

It is understood that the two children Billie Jean and Brac are also tormented by the flu. Mr. Biggers will return to Lockney in a few days to resume his work.

Re-union of Lockney Hi Class of 21

The members of the Senior Class of Lockney High School of 1921, with their sponsor, Mr. Thomas, went to the home of Mrs. Albert King at seven o'clock evening, December 21, class assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. King located eleven miles from Lockney. The re-union was a surprise to Herman King who had been attending T. C. U. party was executed. The evening was spent in playing a few children's games. The absence of Helen Marie Thelma Arterburn, Myrtle Ruth Anderson, Hail Eugene Harris, Johnny Marvin Shurbet was kept. Refreshments consisted of wiches, cocos, and cake while apples, popcorn were supplied during the evening.

Those present were Robin Byars, Leo Cooper, Harold Huggins, Carl Meriwether, Kellie Teaff, Hershel Carthel, Gid Wally Emory Huggins, Hazel Joe Anderson, Martha Wofford, Alice Green, Hazel Gruver, Ruth Stapleton, Lorena Workman, Bess Holland, Geraldine Angel, the Sponsor, Miss Thomas and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Albert King.

Miss Thomas offered her home a place for a second re-union for the day, December 28th, when it is hoped that every Senior of 1921 might be present.

Carl: What's the matter with Doctor Colvern? I haven't seen him sick. If his condition permits, Mr. Biggers will return to Lockney in a few days to resume his work.

When some nerve gets squeezed by slip of the spine
 Vital energy's reduced along that nerve line.
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 Ar. Dallas 8:10 a. m.

**TURNUED, DIES
KISSING HIS CAPTORS**

Jan. 1.—Slow death
pyre after being at the
for seven hours was
of Charley Shep
gro convict, for
D. Duvall, employe
prison farm, and the ab-
on of his 18-year-old daughter,

Shepherd, snuffing his captors al-
with his last breath, was lynched
short distance from a road near
day night, while a crowd
to number 2,500 looked on
was pinioned to a pile
which gasoline was
a torch applied. Reports
life was not extinct for
four after the flames first
at his clothing.

Takes Full Blame

negro took full blame for his
absolving his two bunkmates
had been suspected of compic-

his last act was an attempt to es-
e. When the long line of auto-
bles stopped at the place where
to be put to death, Shepherd
sitting between two men, one
ing a rifle and the other a pistol,
a sudden movement, he seized
ife, but his attempt was cut
a blow over the head with

was carried to the pile of
logs after some of the members of
the mob were said to have slashed
him with knives. First reports were
but several shots were fired into his
body, but these were contradicted.
No coherent statement came from his
lips, but his mutterings were punc-
uated with curses. Before the em-
bers had died out, the mob had dis-
persed.

After eluding hundreds of pur-
suers since he committed the crimes
early Friday, Shepherd surrendered
Monday to a woman planter, Miss
Laura Mae Keeler, his former em-
ployer, near Perthshire, after exact-
ing a promise from her that she
would accompany him when he was
taken back to the farm.

Miss Keeler with Shepherd's broth-
er, and unarmed, had gone to a cabin
on her plantation where the slayer
was in hiding. "Miss, I'm sorry I
done it," he told her.

Way Blocked by Mob

With several men, she started with
him in an automobile for the prison,
but finding their way blocked by a
mob, the party made a dash for the
jail at Cleveland. Within a mile and
a half of their objective about 50
men in cars overtook the prisoner,
asked Miss Keeler to get in another
car in which they would send her
home, and seized the negro. Shep-
herd pleaded with her to "please
don't let them take me," but she was
powerless to intercede.

"It was pitiful," she said. "I have
a heart and I don't believe in mobs.
I thought he should have been pun-
ished" but that the law should have
been allowed to take its course."

From the time the men seized him
at 12:30 o'clock Monday afternoon
until he was killed shortly after 7
o'clock, the negro was driven from
place to place while the crowd grew
to enormous proportions.

Duvall, about 60 years old and the
father of eight children, was found
murdered on the floor of his dining
room. His throat had been slashed
with a butcher knife and he had been
beaten on the head with an ice pick
and hammer. Ruth Duvall, pretty
high school girl, was missing. She
made her way the following day to
one of the camps and told of being

held captive by Shepherd, a trusty
who lived in a cabin in the rear of
the Duvall home. Shepherd was serv-
ing a 20-year sentence for man-
slaughter for killing another negro.

W. M. U. Social

The W. M. U. met with Mrs. J. H.
Henson for social and business meet-
ing Monday, December 31, with Mrs.
Dodson joint hostess. The meeting
was opened with song, "Trust Me,
Try Me, Prove Me," followed by
scripture reading on tithing read by
Vice-President Mrs. Dyer, who pre-
sided over the meeting.

It was reported that over \$200.00
was cleared from the Chamber of
Commerce banquet. The W. M. U.
wishes to thank each one who helped
to make the banquet a success, es-
pecially the business men who con-
tributed so liberally, also Mr. Barker
for the use of the building.

After the business meeting we en-
tered into the social hour. The house
was festive with holiday decorations,
and a Christmas program was car-
ried out. Mrs. Tom Cooper and lit-
tle daughter favored us with read-
ings. Refreshments consisting of
hot chocolate, cheese straws, fruit
cake, and whipped cream, with sprigs
of mistletoe for plate favors were
served by the hostesses.

Double Wedding of Lockney People

A double wedding of two couples
of the Pleasant Valley community,
just south of Lockney, was solemn-
ized at Floydada on Christmas day.
The contracting parties were Mr. R.
C. Yarbrough and Mrs. Essie Blan-
kenship, and Mr. W. D. Colson and
Miss Grace Marie Sutton. The cere-
mony was performed by Elder J. J.
Day, at his home in Floydada Christ-
mas afternoon. Mrs. Yarbrough and
Mr. Colson are brother and sister.
The contracting parties are all prom-

inent people in this community and
have the best wishes of their many
friends in their new relations.

CEDAR

Jan. 2.—School opened again Mon-
day after a week vacation for the
holidays.

Mr. Clarence Gufee and family,
and Miss Lottie Easley spent the hol-
idays visiting relatives in some of
the Eastern counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Brown took
their little daughter, Gerakline, to
Floydada Monday, for an optical ex-
amination. Her eyes proved to be in
a very bad condition.

Mr. Eulam Durham was very sick
last week, but we are glad to report
him improving.

There is lots of sickness in our
community, very few families have
escaped the cold and flu epidemic
that is now raging over the nation.

Mr. Orville Love and mother, and
Mrs. Ola Fortenberry and children
went to Childress Friday to visit
with relatives. They returned Sun-
day evening.

Mr. J. D. Seay spent Sunday and
Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. J.
C. Fortenberry.

Messrs. Syd Brown, Dozier Dil-
lard, and Elliot Higgins made a bus-
ness trip to Silverton Tuesday even-
ing.

We understand that Mr. Ginn is
moving his stock of groceries from
Lockney to Alcinio this week.

Miss Mary Richardson, music
teacher, returned Monday morning,
from a visit of several days in Fort
Worth and Dallas, spending the
Christmas season with friends and
relatives.

Cecil Cope has been detained at
home this week on account of an at-
tack of flu and tonsillitis.

Read The Beacon Wa

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Saturday

- 2 Pkgs. Grape Nuts **25c**
- 15lb. No. 1 White Potatoes 25c
- 2 sacks, 3 lb. Table Salt **15c**
- Brown's Tulip Nan Wafers, large size 29c
- 6 lb. Box Brown's Crackers **75c**
- Oranges, lunch basket size, dozen 19c
- 3 lb. White Swan Coffee **\$1.73**
- Staley's Golden Table Syrup, gallon 63c

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will be better prepared to take care of the business
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- 1 Tandem Disc, 8 foot, McCormick-Deering.
- 1 12-hole Emerson Drill, in good shape.
- 1 Army Wagon, a good one.
- 1 set of Leather Harness, good one.
- 1 P. and O. Lister, a good one.
- 1 6x16 Brooder House.
- 1 6x8 Brooder House.
- 1 Diabol's Separator, No. 2, good shape.
- 1 New Buckeye Incubator, 220 egg capacity.
- 1 Two-tube Radio.
- Lots of Chicken Wire.
- 1 Rubber Hose, a good one.

LIVESTOCK

- 1 pair 4 yrs. old, Black Mare and Horse, wt. 2800 lbs. real good ones.
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- 1 Jersey Cow, 7 years old, a 4 gallon cow.
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- 1 2 year old Jersey Heifer, fresh, 2 1-2 gallon cow.
- 1 Jersey Cow, 6 yrs. old, be fresh Feb. 20th; 5 gallon cow.
- 1 Black Jersey Cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh Jan. 4th, 3 gal-
lon cow.
- 1 Jersey Yearling Bull, from Registered Bull.
- 3 Duroc Jersey Gilts, wt. 175 lbs. Good ones.

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was a pound supper at L. J. at Monday night. All had a yable time.

Edwards and family are using a new Dodge coach since holidays, also Vellie McNeill has used a new Ford coupe.

The young people enjoyed a party at the home of H. A. Edwards Saturday night.

Mr. Pat Bullock of Lela, Texas, and Miss Mary Lou Cardwell of this community were quietly married at Matador Christmas Eve night. They will make their home at Lela where Mr. Bullock is in business. Their many friends of this place wish for them a long, happy, and prosperous life together.

We regret to lose L. J. Davis and family from our community. They are moving near Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith and daughter, Dorothy, spent the holidays with relatives in East Texas.

GOODNIGHT

Jan. 1.—Christmas has gone and I think Santa was real generous with every one. There is also lots of illness here. Almost every family has some sick one. The flu seems to be every where.

School began again Monday, Dec. 31, with about one-third the regular attendance.

Our teachers, Mr. and Mrs. Roye McDaniel, spent the holidays with home folk in Clay County. They report lots of illness there too.

Miss Edna Mae Roberts and Mr. Webber Taylor were married Dec. 18. All their many friends wish them a world of happiness on their journey together.

Mr. John Taylor and family went to Floydada last Monday.

Mr. W. M. Winton made a business trip to the plains last week.

At this writing little Virgil J. Elliott is sick, also his grandmother, Mrs. Henry Kell.

We are glad to say that the R. C. Cogdill family are all up again.

The Jim Taylor family visited in Floydada, Lockney, and Quitaque, during Christmas.

Ben Lindsey of Somerville visited in the home of J. I. Merrell last week.

Little Harold Keisling is still in the doctor's care at Lubbock.

The C. I. Keisling family visited in Lubbock during the holidays.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Purcell is sick with the flu.

Mrs. Cable of Oklahoma spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kent went to Newlan Christmas day.

Geneva Woods has the flu, but is better at this writing.

The J. L. Keisling family spent Christmas with friends at Turkey.

Miss Gladys Keisling, Miss Alta Winton, Mr. Tommie Ramsey, and Mr. Leland Ramsey went to Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Fisher and daughter, Jessie, spent Sunday with Mr. Fisher's parents at Quitaque.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baker is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Purcell and family visited her parents in the Kent community over Christmas.

LONE STAR

Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Bee Phillips of Sand Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dellas of Olton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phillips.

Mr. C. J. Roach and children returned Saturday from Lipan, Texas, where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Rev. Cole of Plainview preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McGhee spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Luna of Plainview.

Mr. F. M. Taylor and sons, Dee and Herman made a business trip to Clovis, N. M., the first of the week.

Mr. Walter Griffith and family visited Mr. Arthur Roberson and family of Lockney on Sunday.

Herman King left Sunday evening for Fort Worth where he is attending T. C. U.

Mrs. M. L. Rexrode got her arm broken while attempting to crank a car on Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarboe and family returned from Oklahoma where they had been visiting relatives during the holidays.

Miss Lorene Workman entertained the Epworth League of Lockney Methodist church on Saturday evening.

"Nora, Wake Up!" the community play is to be taken to Silverton on Friday evening.

Mamie and Kenneth Marsalis and Miss Jessie Scillian of Quanah, and Mr. S. A. L. Morgan of Amarillo, and Mr. J. W. Bragg and family of Spur visited Mr. E. J. Bragg and family during the holidays.

PROVIDENCE

Jan. 2.—School will start again Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Brock's cousin as teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wright have moved near Floydada.

Miss Dorothy Pulen of Lubbock spent the holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Bennett, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wright took Christmas dinner with Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. Nelson, of Plainview.

Misses Mable and Fannie Kimbell spent Tuesday afternoon with Thelma and Doris Bennett.

Mrs. White of Fort Worth is visiting relatives here.

Miss Nela White spent last week with Mrs. Doc Phillips near Curlew.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tompkinson spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Golden.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clements attended a singing convention at Frances Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Powell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Phillips spent Tuesday in the Bennett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Bennett visited Mrs. Bennett's folk near Floydada Sunday.

Mrs. O. L. Bennett and Doris were in Plainview shopping Monday.

The young folk of this community attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Durham Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ratjin spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Taylor, near Whitfield.

Mr. Will Bennett attended a "42" party at the Foster home of the Prairie Chapel community, Friday night.

Mr. Roy Bennett went to Dimmitt Sunday, returning Sunday night.

FAIRVIEW

Dec. 31.—Miss Pauline Rushing of Lubbock Tech is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Rushing.

Mr. Vernon Stewart of our community brought home as his bride, Miss Amy Hancock of Floydada. We wish for them much happiness together.

The people of Fairview community were "scared out of their wits" last Sunday by an explosion in the basement of the Baptist church. The source of the explosion was the carbide tank. Two men, Mr. Culpepper and Mr. Baskin, suffered burns on their hands and face, and some damage was done to the church. Mr. Baskin and Mr. Culpepper are reported as getting along nicely.

Our sick list is rather long to report as in many instances whole families are in bed with the flu.

Messrs. Vern Austin and Randolph Wilson of Wayland College, are spending the holidays with their parents. They will return to take up school work again Wednesday.

Miss Inez Casey and Mrs. R. E. McAfee were hostesses at a 42 party Saturday night.

Miss Tommie Rushing of our community and Mr. Philip Peris of Canyon were married during the holidays. All join in wishing them a lovely and bright future together.

Miss Winnie Wilson, who is teaching in Knox City, has returned to take up her school work again after the holidays.

Fairview basket ball boys play the Center team on Centers court Friday. Let's go over and root for our team.

Louis Austin, one our school boys, was thrown from his horse Sunday afternoon and sustained a fractured shoulder bone and quite a few other bruises. We hate to hear this as Austin is one of our most promising basket ball players.

Miss Mary Grace Amborn of Floydada and Mr. Alva Jackson of our community were married during the holidays. Sure this marriage disease is as contagious as the flu, but we're wishing them happiness and success.

ROSELAND

After a week vacation school opened again Monday morning.

With the exception of a few holes of cotton, most of the farmers have their crops gathered.

Miss Ida Barton returned to Lockney Monday where she is attending school, after spending the holidays at home.

Mr. Smitherman is driving a new Dodge sedan.

Mrs. Ervin Bennett and little daughter, Mary Beth, spent the holidays in Amarillo, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wilson and family spent Christmas at Hermleigh visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitlock had the pleasure of having all their children with them Christmas. Those from elsewhere were Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Nix and family of Clovis, N. M., and Mr. Gilbert Whitlock of Borger, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Thomas and Joyce were among those who attended a big dinner at the home of Mr. B. F. Thomas last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wilson and family are moving to Elida, N. M., this week.

Mr. C. G. Hilburn has moved into the Myers place vacated by the Wilson family.

Miss Lola Barton was on the sick list last week, but reported much better at present.

Next Friday is the regular meeting date of the Home Demonstration Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of the Runningwater community were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Strong New Years Day.

Master Lawrence Hohlaus returned home from a visit of several weeks in Texline the last of the week. He was accompanied home by his uncle, Mr. Talmadge Abney.

SPECIALS for SATURDAY

48 lb. Sack Plainview Flour,
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17 lbs. Sugar \$1.00

10 lbs. can Morton's Meat Salt ... 89c

8 lb. Bucket Mrs. Tucker Compound
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Jan. 2.—Mr. Clarence Strickland is visiting his brother in California.

Mrs. Frank Bean and two children, Pink and Tincy, have returned home.

Miss Odessa Clendennen left Tuesday for Canyon, where she will attend school.

Odessa Clendennen and Earl Cooper spent Sunday afternoon with Karin Bean.

Mrs. A. J. Jetton called on Mrs. B. Yearly Monday.

MAYVIEW

Dec. 31.—School opened again this morning after having been closed a week for the holidays.

Quite a few of the young people went serenading last week.

TO THE PUBLIC

We are glad to extend a credit to those who pay up promptly on the 1st of each month, but if you can not pay us promptly on each 1st do not ask for credit. We will conduct our business along this line during 1929, but we want customers that are good pay, if we extend them the courtesies of a thirty day business. We thank those who have traded with us in the past and paid up their accounts promptly, and we will continue to carry on our business along this line, furnishing our patrons with the very best the market affords, delivering to our customers in the city, and giving prompt and efficient service to those who pay their bills promptly on the first of each month.

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