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Chamber of Commerce Discusses Market

M. D. Arterburn Tells Local Organization They Need Place to Sell Farm Products

Two subjects were discussed by the Chamber of Commerce at the luncheon Monday at noon. They were: The dedication of the new city auditorium by holding a community banquet, and the providing of a place where farmers of the community could sell their products to the consumers of the community.

M. D. Arterburn, Karl Sammann, and Will Sims were visitors at the luncheon, and Mr. Arterburn brought up the question of providing a market place for the farmers of this community, or allowing the farmers to sell their products by house to house methods in the town. The question was discussed at length, there being an ordinance upon the minutes of the city council forbidding the professional peddling of products over the city without a city license.

A committee, composed of Robin Baker, chairman, M. D. Arterburn, H. M. Mason, and H. B. Adams, with Mayor Walter Childress and Alderman Gene Dyer, present, discussed the proposition, and will propose to the city council that a market place for the sale of all farm products brought to Lockney be provided either at the new city park, or some other convenient place for the farmers in the city, being a place where the farmers can bring anything they have for sale and where the people of the town can go and buy the products off the wagons that have been brought in. It will be necessary for the city council to give their approval of such a venture, and provide a place for same.

On the question of holding a community banquet at the dedication of the new city auditorium, it was passed over to another meeting, when it will finally be discussed, and arrangement will be made, provided that it is decided to hold such a banquet.

Proud of The Job That is Being Done

New Auditorium is Going Forward at Rapid Rate—Will Be Ready in Few Days

There is only one thing in Lockney the population is more proud of than the new auditorium, and that is the new high school building. We are proud of the school building first because of the wonderful advantages that it will offer to the rising generations in this part of Floyd county, but next to it we are proud of the new auditorium and play ground that have been built by the city on the old college grounds in the eastern part of town. The baseball park and grand stand are completed and are now in use, by the close of the week the auditorium will be ready for temporary use, as soon as the seats can be arranged for and placed in the building, it will be ready for permanent use. Also with the completion of the auditorium goes the big club room, where the various organizations of the town and country will have access at all times, which is provided with a kitchen, which will have all modern conveniences. This feature will take care of many of the social meetings of the community, and is something that has been needed in the city for a long time. After the building is completed, if the city council has the money to spare, they will erect the swimming pool, which is to be located on the north side of the building, and from time to time other needed improvements will be made on the park, until it is equipped with everything to make it a first class city park and recreation ground for the community.

TURKEY WINS OVER LOCKNEY IN LAST INNING

In the ball game on the local diamond, at the new city park, Sunday afternoon the Turkey base ball team won over the Lockney team by a score of 8 to 4.

Up to the last half of the seventh inning, which was the number played, the Lockney team had the Turkey team defeated by a score of 4 to 3, but in the seventh inning the Turkey team, on a batting rampage and won the scores.

Fire at J. E. Lee's Place Tuesday Lockney's fire company answered an alarm to the J. E. Lee home in the southwest part of Lockney, Tuesday at noon, where a feed stack was found to be on fire. The feed stack was torn apart, and only a small part of the feed damaged before the fire was put out.

UNCLE BEN THOMAS TO VISIT "OLD STAMPING GROUNDS"

B. F. (Uncle Ben) Thomas, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas and family, left yesterday for Hamilton county, where they will visit a nephew and cousin, A. J. Wilkinson, they will then go to Moody, Texas, to visit relatives, and Fort Worth, where they will visit a son and brother, Lance Thomas. They will be away about ten days or two weeks.

While in Hamilton and McLennan counties Uncle Ben will visit where he formerly lived before moving to the Plains country, and an enjoyable visit is anticipated.

Harley Sadler Showing To Good Crowds

Motto: "Bigger and Better Every Year" Being Lived Up to by Famous Show Company

Mr. Harley Sadler and his own company have been in Lockney this week and will continue here until Saturday night. They are showing to good crowds every night, and the plays they are presenting are pleasing the people who see them. They are living up to their motto: "Bigger and Better Every Year," and the plays they are offering this year are so good that we don't see how they will present better plays on their return trip to the city, next year.

Monday night they offered "New Brooms" as their introductory play for the week stand in this city, and it was all that was claimed for it in the way of a good play, played by a cast that made the bill all that the author could have expected. Tuesday night "The Sap" was the title of the play, and some said the Tuesday night play was even better than the opening bill. Wednesday night the company presented the "It Girl" featuring Miss Billie Sadler, and the play made a "Big Hit" with those present.

Tonight (Thursday) the bill entitled "Back Seat Drivers" will be presented, and it bids to be the best play of the week, as this is feature night for the company, and if the play is what the title signifies, we are sure that all automobile drivers will get a big kick out of it. Friday night the company will present a play entitled, "Hardboiled," Saturday matinee, "Be Yourself," Saturday night, first show, "Sundown on Honeymoon Ranch," second play "Ten Nights in the Bar Room."

This year Mr. Sadler is carrying 9 acts of vaudeville with his troupe, and the vaudeville actors have proven beyond a question of doubt that they are the best and most talented that the company has ever been able to present in this city. The company is offering a rare entertainment from the time the curtain is raised each night, until the finale of each play, and the people of Lockney and surrounding country are very high in their praise of the entertainments that are being offered.

To those who have not been attending the show this week, we would suggest, if you like good wholesome entertainment, that you make it a point to see some of the bills offered for the rest of the week.

COLORED MEETING BEGINS SUNDAY IN LOCKNEY

Parson A. B. Hanks, pastor of the colored Baptist church in Lockney, announces that Rev. T. C. Mickelberry of Memphis, Texas, will arrive in Lockney Saturday of this week, and will begin a revival meeting at the colored church, in south Lockney, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and that the meeting will continue until Tuesday after the second Sunday in August.

The colored church has just been completed in the south part of Lockney, near the Santa Fe stock pens.

Farm Home Burned Monday Morning The farm home of Mr. W. E. Henderson, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Floyd county, seven miles south of Lockney, was completely burned up Monday morning, about 10 o'clock, when a fire of unknown origin started in a small house where a Delco lighting plant was in operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Craft lived on the Henderson place, and there was no one at home at the time of the fire, except Mrs. Craft and her small child. The house was a total loss, but with the help of the neighbors all the furniture was saved.

Cullen Riley Sick With Hand Cullen Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Riley, has been confined to his home for several days on account of a bruise on one of his hands, that became infected.

Mrs. Lizzie Schmitt is spending this week in Petersburg, Texas, on a visit with relatives and friends.

Plainview 'Poured It On' Methodist Revival Will Begin Sunday Morning

Swift Six Inning Game Played Friday Afternoon, Both Teams Exceptional

In the game of baseball between the Plainview and Lockney Rotary teams, played at Plainview Friday afternoon of last week, the Plainview Rotarians won by a score of 4 to 2 in a six inning game.

Plainview got off to a good start, scoring two men in the first half of the first inning, and secured one more score in the second inning. Lockney scored one score in each the fourth and fifth inning, but as Lockney was not satisfied they asked for an extra inning, and the result was Plainview got another score.

The game was a good one from the beginning to end, and both clubs played far better ball than anyone expected, as all players were "raw" at the game, and we expect a good many bottles of liniment and boxes of arnica were used after the game to bring their muscles back to normal.

Plainview rung in a no hit "Ex-league" pitcher, in the person of one Jack Woodward, local pen pusher on the Evening Herald, and he strutted his stuff in strike-outs and placed hits, all the time telling the "ump" that he knew nothing of the game, as he moved the Lockney batters down in the one, two, three fashion. Floyd Huff, who never knew what a ball looked like, until the game with Floydada a few days ago, pitched the first two innings for Lockney, and other than a little "wild" showed that he had in his system the making of a "tweener" that would make Jack Woodward fade into insignificance when he was practiced up a little bit. At the beginning of the third inning Colvern Henry, noted "pill roller" of Lockney went into the box, and played the same game he did on Floydada a few days previous, the game of one up and three down, convincing Plainview that they didn't have a walk-away, but that they would do well to hold what they already had.

Neither umpire, E. E. Winn of Plainview, or Harry Adams of Lockney, knew the difference between a ball and a strike, but merely called what the pitchers signified they had thrown at the batter, and the batters proved to be good dodgers, only one or two failed to get out of the way of the balls, and once was enough for these unfortunate ones, as they done good jobs of dodging after making connections with the ball one time. All decisions of the umpires stood unquestioned except one, and the squabble then was between the two umpires and no player had the nerve to venture his thoughts in the premises, however, we would not listen to the Plainview "ump" and got the decision in favor of Lockney.

Fred Lowe and Arch Cramer, catchers for the two teams, were air tight behind the bats, however, Fred was unable to get out of the way of one of the Lockney runners and got run over, causing him to lose the ball that caused the "squabble" between the umpires.

Frank Day, Plainview's first baseman played so well on first that he thought he might become a pitcher, and was allowed to try out for one inning, he didn't do much on this job, but the back up he had in the field saved him from being disgraced.

Roscoe Snyder, Lockney first baseman, and Fay Guthrie, short stop, thought they would win the game by playing tricks on the Plainview team, but they found the boys to be "juberous" of this Lockney gang, and their tricks were nipped in the bud, and did not avail them anything except a wicked look from the Plainview "ump." Burton Thornton exhibited his old time form as a player on second base for Lockney, and believe me, if Lockney had nine players of his calibre, what would happen to that Plainview bunch would be a shame. Lloyd Roberts, got all mixed up, playing with Plainview, and must have thought he was drilling Boy Scouts, as he undoubtedly didn't think he was playing ball when he was in the field or batting, as he didn't do a thing that signified that he understood the game. Bill Gouldy won't be able to clean any clothes at his place of business this week in Plainview, as he was so prolific in his work that he will undoubtedly spend this week recuperating from the ordeal. C. B. Harder could neither play ball or bat, but he sure was proficient on that "slashing at the air" whether the ball came any where near the bases or not. Dr. Wofford was ruled out of the game by the Plainview team in the beginning, and was not allowed to play, but he would not stay put, and howled like a loosed bull on the lines from the beginning to the end of the game. Fatty Cope, who could never be a member of Rotary, because of being an imperfect man, having lost nearly all his

Two Weeks Revival Meeting Under the Direction of Revs. J. E. Stephens and C. G. Spindler

A revival meeting will begin at the Lockney Methodist church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and will continue for two weeks. The night services and possibly the day services will be held in the city auditorium, after the first service, which will be held in the church Sunday morning.

Rev. J. E. Stephens, pastor of the local church, will do the preaching, and he will be assisted by Rev. C. G. Spindler, of Tulsa, Okla., who will have charge of the music for the meeting.

Services will be held daily, except Sunday, at 10 to 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., and on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

All the singers in the community are urged to attend and take part in the choir work, and everyone is invited to attend any and all of the services.

W. O. W. Have Cream Supper

The members of the Lockney W. O. W. Lodge met on the vacant lots near the O. T. Prickett home, in Lockney, Tuesday night and had an ice cream supper. The refreshments were cake and cream and an enjoyable occasion was reported.

FLOYDADA FILLING STATION MAN ROBBED BY TWO MEN

Floydada, July 27.—After purchasing a can of tire patch, two young men dressed in overalls held up the proprietor of a garage here last night about 11 o'clock and rifled the cash register of \$50.

Elesa Guillion, owner of the garage was the victim and stated that both young men calmly ordered him to back into the center of the office after sticking a six-shooter in his back. While the larger one of the pair kept the owner covered the younger man rifled the cash register and both made their getaway through the rear of the garage.

A description of both men were given to Sheriff P. G. Stegall and from the information gathered it is believed that they were out of the harvest fields of the North Plains and that their home is in Tahoka. A reward of \$50 cash for the arrest and conviction of the hold up men was offered by Guillion & Son, the firm which was robbed.

EVERYBODY—ATTENTION

The Rebekah and I. O. O. F. Lodges will sponsor a show at the Isis Theatre the nights of August 28 and 29. The feature of this occasion will be the awarding of a beautiful cedar chest filled with linens and household necessities to some one that is present at the show on the night of August 29. The chest can be seen on display in Cramer's Furniture Co.'s show window.

teeth while trying to bite a hole out of Bill Hodel's Tin Lizzie, made himself conspicuous on the side line rooting for Plainview, and trying to get back at his old boss—but although he never had much sense while working for us in the Beacon office, he had sense enough to make his disappearance before the game was closed and we were free to com off the base ball field.

Lucian Halbert, could not live up to his former record as a base ball player or runner, either, Lucian used to be a good ball player when he was allowed to live in Coleman City, and as a runner he was perfect, one time out running a "wild" Mexican with a long knife, which was a safe and sane run in every respect, however, as a base runner he has lost a lot of his former speed.

Paul Shick, of the Lockney team, was the star player of the entire game, Paul, unaided and unmolested, without assistance and no one close enough to pat him on the head, caught a high fly, after which he patted himself on the head five minutes, before anyone could relieve him of the ball. We think the Lockney Club will plan a banquet for this brilliant and efficient act upon his part.

John Staicup says that the balls fall too slow for him, as he got tired of waiting for a high fly to fall and closed up his hands before the ball fell into his sack.

"Custard" Blank, Lockney's efficient third baseman, played an airtight game, and drew the line on letting any of the Plainview gang pass that mile post, when he could in any way interfere with their progress.

Lockney is itching for the day to arrive when the Plainview team returns the game on the Lockney ball grounds, and we advise that team to be in good form and ready for business when the appointed day arrives, this week.

R. E. (BOB) BURCH KILLED IN ACCIDENT

R. E. (Bob) Burch, chief of police of Abilene, Texas, was killed in a car accident near Abilene Saturday of last week. He was attempting to overtake another car to search it for a stolen pocketbook, when the accident occurred, his car turning over and fatally injuring him.

Mr. Burch was formerly sheriff of Hale county, and is well known to many people of this section, who knew him before his removal to Abilene about fifteen years ago.

Miss Ruby Cox Died In Lockney, Saturday

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cox Dies After Illness of Twenty-eight Days

Miss Ruby Ann Cox, age 16 years, 4 months, and 16 days, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cox, in Lockney, Saturday morning at 9:55 o'clock, after an illness of twenty-eight days with typhoid fever and other complications.

Ruby Cox was born in the Roseland community, northeast of Lockney, on March 11th, 1913, where she lived with her parents, the family moving to Lockney about four years ago, where they have lived since. Ruby was converted and became a member of the Methodist church in the Roseland community when about eight years of age, transferring her membership to the Lockney church when she moved to town. She was an active Christian girl, taking a leading part in the Sunday school and Junior Epworth League work, and was one of the supervisors of the Junior League at the time of her death. She was also very active in her school work, and was a member of the basketball team of the Lockney High School the last term, and won recognition with the team and the school at large as one of their best players.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church, Sunday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, Rev. J. E. Stephens, pastor, assisted by Rev. E. D. Morgan, pastor of the Baptist church, conducting the service. Several songs that were her favorite religious songs were sung by the choir and as special solos and quartettes at the church and cemetery.

The flower girls were Leona Crocker, Ethel Wofford, Mattie Bell Wofford, Ina Myrtle Cooper, Flossie Reasonover, Ruby Still, Mrs. Earl Reeves, Brussels Robinson, Evelyn Fields, Lawana Ramsey, Mildred Goldiday, Misses Collis, Florence Brown, Virginia Thomas, Ermine Ida Thomas, Mauretta Brotherton, Ruby Norris, Mrs. N. E. Greer, and Mrs. A. B. Brown.

The pallbearers were Clifford Reasonover, Elwood Reasonover, T. H. Stewart, Randall Cox, Charles Collis, Willie Bobbitt, Eugene Harris, and Winston Wofford.

Burial was the Lockney cemetery under the direction of Cramer Undertaking Co.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cox, two brothers, T. B. Cox, of Happy, Texas; Johns Cox, Lockney; three sisters, Mrs. Alvin Nichols, Plainview; Miss Lovella Cox and Mrs. Tom Davis, Lockney, and a host of relatives in and near Lockney.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nichols and son, Mrs. Joiner, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Casey and daughters, J. H. Byington, of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Ewell McLain, Miles Cox, Miss Dauskola Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cox, of Hart, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown, of Lubbock; G. C. Fairry and family, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Audine Fairry, of Amarillo; Mrs. L. B. Hooten, Berry Hooten, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Hooten, of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox, of Happy; Miss Mollie Newman, of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols, of Plainview.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses have been applied for the past week from the office of the county clerk at Floydada:

Carroll Davis of Cone, and Miss Ruby Boyd of Crosbyton, July 30.

William Hise of Dumas, Texas, and Miss Leota Griffith, of Lockney, July 24th.

O. L. Williams and Miss Maude Littlejohn, of Roaring Springs, Texas, July 27th.

Burton Thornton and sons, Owen and Herman, left this morning for Dallas, where they will be joined by Mrs. Thornton, and the family will go to Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they will spend some time for the benefit of Mrs. Thornton's health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown and family are visiting friends in Lockney this week.

Lockney School Has High Affiliation

Receives Another Credit of Affiliation, Bringing Total for School Up to Twenty-two

Prof. Biggers, Superintendent of the Lockney schools, has received notice from the State Board of Education that the Lockney school has been awarded a 1-2 unit on solid geometry, which brings the total affiliation up to twenty-two units.

The Lockney High School has led Floyd county for some time on the credits allowed by the state in high school work, and they received their fourth credit in English in the Lockney schools three years ago, placing Lockney schools in the class of the Lubbock, Plainview, Amarillo, and such city schools, at the time the fourth credit in English was allowed three years ago. Credits in English are allowed for the first two years upon condition, before they are permanent, and the fact that Lockney has had all four credits in this work makes these credits permanent in our school, unless our affiliation was lowered by something out of the ordinary.

With the completion of the new high school building and the adding of the vocational, commercial, and a more complete home economics department, the affiliation of this school will probably reach 30 units the coming year, which will make the affiliation of the school as high and as good as any in this section of Texas. The Lockney school has stood in the forefront in the sight of the State Board of Education for the past several years, and their appreciation of our efforts was manifested this year, when the state authorities said that it was useless to send an inspector to the Lockney High School to check up on the school before allowing them the additional credit asked for, as they were perfectly satisfied with the work being done.

The reason for adding solid geometry to our list of studies the past year, was that a number of the students have in the past, and will in the future desire to enter civil engineering schools, and it is necessary for them to have this credit, or else an examination would be demanded of them on entering such a school.

With the completion of the new high school building, now under construction, which will be ready for occupation soon after the beginning of the school term this year, Lockney will have probably the best and highest affiliated school in West Texas for a town of the population that Lockney is at present. The contract for the seating and equipment of the school will be awarded in Lockney on August 9.

Lockney has adopted a system of building all public enterprises in a way that they are the best to be had, therefore, insuring those who wish to become members of our community and live among us that they can at all times have at their very door the best that can be offered in the way of churches, schools, and places for recreation, etc. We may not be able to do everything that it takes to make a good town and community, but the things we do will measure up to the best in their line at all times. We are glad to have the co-operation of the entire community and those of outlying communities that desire to come in with us, and we are seeking to offer to the children of our section a school system that is second to none in this part of the country, and a course of instruction that will stand the test in any college in the state, and the nation, as a matter of fact.

TEXAS CONTRIBUTED TWO-THIRDS OF GAIN IN U. S. 1928 EXPORTS

Merchandising exports from the United States in 1928 showed gain of \$285,252,064, of which Texas contributed \$169,975,941 or 63 per cent.

New York with exports valued at \$861,578,924 stood first among the States, but Texas was second with \$717,062,082.

How far New York and Texas were ahead of all the other States in the list is shown by the figures for the other eight of the first ten States:

Michigan	\$567,253,146
California	345,436,658
Pennsylvania	292,087,241
Louisiana	235,467,286
New Jersey	221,530,869
Illinois	206,355,671
Ohio	196,518,388
Virginia	142,504,115

REVIVAL AT WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

A revival meeting will begin at the West Side Church of Christ tonight (Thursday) and will continue until Sunday night week, preaching by J. W. Kelly of Abilene, Texas. Services will be held at 8:30 each evening. Everyone welcome.

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LET'S GO TO THE ROOT OF THE EVIL

The taxpaying contingency of the population may or may not have earned the right of appeal against tax oppression but certain it is that the latest outburst of legislative generosity toward the tax spending group is of sufficient importance to demand attention both at the hands of the Chief Executive, in whose wisdom and courage the power of veto is by Constitutional grant reposed, and upon the part of those of us who are engaged

in private industry. All this modern tendency toward excessive public expenditures, piling up taxes on the principle of "all it will stand" is but a new chapter to an old story; a story that runs back to feudal days when caste was privileged, though not justified, in a policy of conscription of property and earnings for the use and enjoyment of the overlords.

There is no room in this state for preferential classes and this is equally true both as to the distribution of the tax burden and the use of the public revenues arising therefrom. Nevertheless, it would appear that into the fabric of human ambition there has been woven a thread of caste which, given the opportunity, will color the whole cloth. Grant an unusual privilege, even though in a spirit of utmost generosity, and soon it will be demanded as a matter of established right. That such tendencies, wherever they have intruded themselves, should with a rigid regard for principles of right be ripped out, should appeal to all thinking minds.

The just rights of the people taxed are in nowise subordinate to those of tax supported governmental institutions. And yet it calls for a mighty shifty figure-acrobat now-a-days to count the cost of building a factory or a home and, after contemplating an already excessive and steadily mounting tax burden inevitably to take its toll, picture a ray of twilight either for successful industry upon the one hand or independent homelife upon the other. In the final analysis all taxation is derived from property or the uses to which property is put. The income arising from an occupation may be credited to personal service but the money which goes to make up the income relates backward to the soil.

Property is worth whatever human effort can make it worth. Net earnings usually determine its intrinsic value. Taxes wisely imposed and economically expended may enhance its market value but nevertheless detract from its intrinsic worth. A tax charge of one hundred dollars reduces net income to that extent. Capitalized at 8% it absorbs twelve hundred and fifty dollars of capital or productive value. Taxation is in fact a serious problem. Right now in Texas it is an outstanding one—a grim and vital issue between those who would expend, or profit by the expenditure of the public revenues, upon the one hand, and, upon the other, those out of whose private industry must be wrung the public tax. The group first referred to are wide awake—have been all along. As for the last group,—those who must pay the taxes,—some have recently awakened—but not until they saw looming across the horizon a tax measure not to their liking.

We cannot, while using the mind of a child, cope with the power of a giant. Groups most interested in spending the public revenue are for the most part thoroughly organized. Taxpayers are not. The average taxpayer has about as much voice in determining, and about as little chance of knowing, the purposes for which his hard earned tax money is being expended as has a boarding house "gink" about what goes into his corned-beef hash. Nor will he ever know until he and his kind awaken to the need of organization and co-ordinated effort. This they cannot have with absent or indifferent minds.

Whether fools or wise men, idiots or seers, we at least understand that ignorance with respect to the public service should be swept aside and the light of truth let in. This thing of being urged by a vision of freedom and hounded by a dread of bondage is not much calculated to promote the general welfare, nor to prepare us to meet the real issues in the economic and political life of the State, not the least vital among the one of taxation. We have yet to learn, it seems, that in volume taxation must of necessity respond to cost of governmental administration and that whatever of an emergency confronts us we should, in meeting it, go direct to the root of the evil.

So long as the public consciousness chooses to remain inert to governmental expenditures, the underlying cause of all taxation, no taxing system, just alike to the taxing authority and to the people taxed, can be devised.

KNOW TEXAS

Texas shipped 27,000,000 pounds of dressed poultry to major markets in 1928—a record for the State.
The Texas honey crop of 1928 was 6,000,000 pounds with honey valued at \$480,000 from an investment of \$1,247,430 in the 249,027 colonies of bees.
With 589 different species, Texas has a greater variety of bird life than any State in the Union.
The 1929 commercial tomato crop of Texas brought an estimated return of \$3,500,000, more than twice the value of the 1928 crop.

HELPING TO BUILD TEXAS

The West Texas Utilities Co. is building 31 miles of 66KV lines from Cross Plains thru Burkett to Santa Anna to provide two-way service to Cross Plains, Burkett, Rising Star, Pioneer, and the adjacent oil fields.

Matagorda, one of the oldest towns in Texas, recently celebrated the introduction of electric lights after existing as a town 101 years without that convenience. The Central Power & Light Co., is supplying the town.

PLEASANT HILL

July 29.—Most of the farmers of this community have finished working their crops, until it rains again.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Towry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hart, of the Baker community.

Mr. Ira Linch's sister from Oklahoma, visited him last week.

Miss Ovie West was a visitor in the Towry home, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fox and children visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. L. Ballinger, of Falls, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Turner and children of Odell, Texas, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Towry this week.

Mrs. S. D. Scott gave a party last Wednesday night, in honor of her cousin, Miss Ollie Mae Liston, of Lubbock, who has been visiting with her and other relatives of the community, for some time.

Orby Wilkes and Randle Blankenship left last Wednesday morning for Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Linch and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Floydada.

Orvus Shearer of South Plains visited Bill Towry, Saturday night.

LONE STAR

July 30.—Sunday school was held at the Methodist and Baptist churches at Sterley. Bro. Blair filled his regular appointment Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock hour. The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. rendered a fine program. Bro. Estes of Fort Worth preached a splendid sermon after the program.

Bill and Louis Buth are in New Mexico on a vacation.

Mrs. Hooten, of Tulia, an old resident of this community, and her son, Berry, attended the funeral of Ruby Cox Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. T. Reeves and son, Joe Reeves, left Sunday for a few days visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. B. A. Howell, of Quanah.

Miss Moss and Fannie Wingo of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, are here visiting their brother, W. H. Wingo, and family. Mr. Wingo also has a sister and her two daughters from Arizona, visiting him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snyder of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hatchett, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Reeves left Saturday night for College Station to attend a short course study. She will probably go on to Galveston, before returning.

Several people from this community attended the funeral of Miss Ruby Cox, Sunday afternoon. She was well known here, having lived in this



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PRAIRIEVIEW

July 29.—Health is very good in this community at this writing. Mrs. W. H. Sammann is getting along nicely, after being in the sanitarium a few days, with a badly bruised foot. Mr. and Mrs. Rambo were shopping

in Plainview Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Davis motored to Hereford Tuesday, on business. Mrs. Hudgin visited Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. York, who lives in Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hoyle were in Plainview on business, Monday. Many from here attended the Har-

ley Sadler show, that was held in Plainview last week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hurt and children and Lucile and Novie Wood left Tuesday for Winters, Texas, where they will visit friends and relatives for a few days. Mr. J. W. Gamble and family left Wednesday for Stamford, Texas, to visit relatives. They will probably return this week.

FAIRVIEW

July 30.—Crops are looking fine, but they need a good rain. Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday. Bro. Bernam filled his regular appointment. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton, Sunday.

Misses Mabel Culpepper, Reba McPeak, Anna Austin, Cora and Bessie Maye Brown were the guests of Miss Essie Baskin, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. McPeak of Floydada spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Baskin.

Fred and John Reeves went to Wichita Falls last Wednesday. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Vern Austin and Miss Inez Casey were married last Thursday, at the home of the bride at Whiteflat. Bro. H. L. Burnam performed the ceremony. Those present at the wedding from this community were Mr. E. C. Austin, father of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bullard, Miss Anna Austin, Walton Wilson, Louis and Truitt Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves of South Plains, and a number of relatives of Whiteflat. The couple are visiting in Abilene, Sweetwater, and other points before they return home. They plan to teach school near Plainview the following term.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Reeves of South Plains visited last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Austin.

Miss Pearl Golightly is spending a week with Misses Bessie Maye and Hazel Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Austin spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bullard.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sarginer, of Floydada.

Randolph and Buster Wilson have returned from a fishing trip in Oklahoma and other points.

Miss Jessie Sisson, went Sunday with Miss Hazel Brown.

Miss Goldie Sisson spent Saturday night with Miss Faye Russell.

Mr. Walter Houston left Monday for his home in Knox City.

The Epworth League will entertain the young people of this community with a social Friday night at the new church building.

CENTER

July 30.—This part of the county is still dry. A good rain would certainly be a great help.

We had good services over Sunday, good attendance too. A hundred present for Sunday school.

Mr. W. C. Spence is visiting his sons and families, here now.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodman had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Hobby of Sand Hill, also a lot of young people.

Mr. and Mrs. David Caruthers are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spence, Rev. and Mrs. Weathers, and several boys and girls, took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harbor.

Misses Adide Lou, Ida Mae, and Bonnie Ruth Hughts of Oklahoma, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. T. M. Noland, and family.

F. S. Henderson and family spent Wednesday night with his sister, Mrs. W. B. Jordan, and family. They also visited Mrs. G. C. Tubbs, another sister at Floydada.

Mmes. Felix Fred and Arthur Caldwell and children, visited their sister, Mrs. C. O. Spence, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers took their oldest boy to Tulsa Saturday, to have his tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Goodman. Messrs. D. M. Fields and Earl Sawyer left today for Arkansas on a prospecting trip.

We understand Mr. Frank Cook has bought the N. E. Austin place, also that Mr. Goodman has traded out.

Miss Vero Smith spent the week-end at the Veach home.

Mr. and Mrs. Veach and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan and daughters, and Miss Vero Smith took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross.

Rev. and Mrs. Merle Weathers spent last week at Plainview, caring for his father's things, while they were at the bedside of a daughter, at Vinson, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gill and daughter and uncle, spent Sunday until singing time, with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bryant of Sand Hill. All of them came to singing together, with a visiting son and wife of Bro. Bryant's.

The patrons of line 918 had a phone meeting tonight to make final adjustments on the new line.

Mrs. Conner attended church here Sunday and visited with Mrs. Montgomery.

Mr. Miller and family, Mr. T. L. King and family, and Mrs. Montgomery and children attended services at the new Methodist church at Fairview, last Saturday.

Mr. Russell Smith and wife and children, are visiting his sister, Mrs. Claud Carpenter.

LIBERTY

July 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Edd McCormick and children left Monday for their home in Abilene, following a short visit with his father of this community. They were accompanied home by his sister, Miss Nina.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunlay and sons are visiting relatives in Bell county.

Mr. Jim Middleton and sons returned to their home in Wichita Falls Tuesday, following a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Box and children spent Sunday with Mr. Sam Box and family.

Miss Mary Box spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Erma and Berna Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Strickland and children are visiting his parents in Hamilton county.

ANTELOPE

July 30.—Mrs. B. F. Crump and Miss Frances Crump are visiting in the Aston home, this week.

Mrs. Bail, of Pilot Point, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hinsley.

The play entitled, "The Old Maid's Conventor," was enjoyed by all who attended it. The play was put on by the Pleasant Hill Home Demonstration Club, and the proceeds will go to send a representative of that club to A. & M.

Friends and relatives from Oklahoma are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Combs, this week.

Miss Lora Belle White spent Sunday with Miss Edna Edwards.

Mrs. P. H. Thomas spent Thursday

with Mrs. Roy Cappingler. dren, left Tuesday of this week for Mr. and Mrs. John Aston and child-New Mexico.

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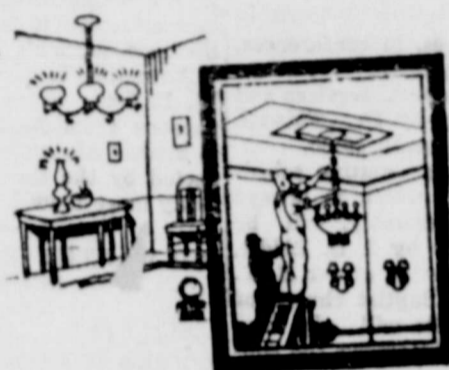
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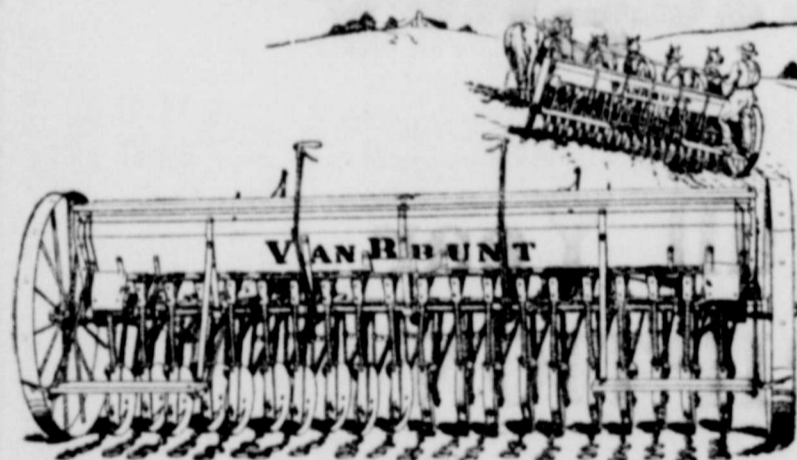
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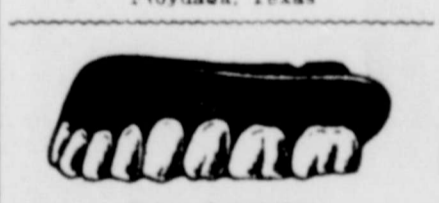
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T. E. Williams of Hopkins County, Texas, has been here the past week, visiting his son, V. E. Williams.

The little Crosswhite boy, who is sick with typhoid fever, is reported as getting along very well, at this time.

Donald Threet of Amarillo, came in Sunday night for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Threet.

G. J. Sutton, who has spent the last two months in Nebraska visiting, has returned to his home in the Irick community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown of Lubbock, were in Lockney Sunday afternoon, attending the funeral of Miss Ruby Cox.

Glen Huls and Roy Nance of Girard, Texas, were here Sunday visiting Mr. Hul's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Huls.

Mrs. Ollie B. Webster of Plainview was in Lockney Sunday, visiting with friends and attending the funeral of Miss Ruby Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Lass of Plainview spent Saturday night and Sunday in Lockney, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodburn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hohaus and children returned Saturday night from a visit of several days with relatives in Coleman county.

Gilbert Huls, and nephew, Earl Wise, of Paola, Kansas, spent Sunday in Girard, visiting Mr. Hul's son, Glen Huls, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hess and children of Amarillo, are here this week, visiting Mrs. Hess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Whit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Morris arrived home Tuesday night, from a vacation trip of several days, spent at Roswell and Ruidosa, N. M.

J. L. Riley, who is attending summer school at Canyon, spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Riley.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. McCollum left Wednesday for the mountain regions of California, where they will spend a three weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Watt Griffith have gone to the Colorado mountains to spend some time on an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. W. Killer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson and children returned last week from a vacation trip spent in the mountains of Colorado.

Miss Alice Honea left Tuesday for a month's tour of the Northern states. Miss Olga Honea left Wednesday for points in Colorado for some ten days vacation.

Mr. G. P. Hudson returned Monday of this week from Mountainview, Okla., where she had been for several days on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dad Ussery.

J. C. Woolley, formerly of Lockney, but who now lives in the McAdoo

community, in Dickens county, was here Tuesday, visiting and en route to the Muleshoe country on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Baker and children returned home Wednesday afternoon, from a stay of several days in the mountains of Colorado, and visiting points in New Mexico, on an outing.

Miss Aileen Tate, of Aiken, who has been living in California for more than a year, is here on a visit to her parents, and spent the first of the week in Lockney, the guest of Miss Roy Riley.

Mrs. Nellie Wise, son, Earl, and daughter, Mrs. Hunt, of Paola, Kansas, left Monday for their home, after a visit of several days here with Mrs. Wise's kinspeople, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Huls.

Tom Tuck, R. C. Kennedy, G. T. Miles, and Weldon Henderson of Collinsville, Texas, were here Monday visiting with friends, while they are looking out a location in this part of the state to enter in business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barker and children of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Pitzer Barker, of Winert, Texas, and Mrs. E. C. Henry of Floydada, returned Wednesday morning from a few days outing in the mountains of Colorado.

Mrs. Z. T. Riley and daughter, Miss Roy, went to Canyon Monday for a visit with Mrs. Walling. On their return home they were accompanied by Miss Willie Wanda Walling, who is visiting with them for a few days.

Mrs. A. J. Russell of Beaumont, Texas, who has been here on a ten days visit to Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Marble, of the Roseland community, left Tuesday for her home, via Farmersville, Texas, where she will visit for a few days.

Miss Mamie Lou Jarnagin of South Plains, spent Sunday with Miss Pearl Harper of Lockney.

BAPTISTS ARE TO ENCAMP IN CETA CANYON

Tenth Annual Assembly to Be Held August 5 to 11; Program Complete

Amarillo, July 28.—Plans for the tenth annual program of the Panhandle Baptist Assembly to be held August 5 to 11 in the Ceta Canyon have been completed by members of the assembly board.

This assembly is held for the benefit of all members of the Baptist church who wish to avail themselves of information and methods of church work and creeds and also for a pleasant vacation in one of the most beautiful canyons in the Panhandle.

The schedule for each day's activities have been arranged, beginning at 6:30 in the morning, class work in the mornings and services just before luncheon time by Dr. J. W. Tidwell, one of the outstanding preachers and

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. S. Pace, of Vaughn, N. M., came in Saturday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Morg. Hamilton. Wynn and Cullen Riley spent Sunday in Perico, Texas, visiting their sister, Mrs. Grady Brewster. Sam Hardwick of Lubbock was visiting and looking after business matters in Lockney, Monday.

teachers of this convention and for more than twenty years head of the Bible department of Baylor University. The afternoons will be spent in recreational activities, in conferences, and special meetings. In the evenings, following devotional services and special sermonettes by Dr. Tidwell, the time will be free until 10:30.

Besides this regular routine schedule, a large chorus which is always conducted at the Assembly, will be organized this year by J. D. Riddle, song leader and director of the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church of Amarillo. Mr. Riddle will also lead all song services held during the convention. Other faculty and board members from Amarillo are: J. M. Cook, vice-president of the organization; T. W. Cotten and A. O. Osgood, trustees; W. C. Garret, board member; Rev. G. L. Yates, executive committee, and W. L. Day, faculty member.

At the present time, improvements of the grounds of the Assembly are now being made including the building of new cottages, repairing of the swimming pool, beautifying the grounds and putting additions on various class buildings. This tract of ground is owned by the Assembly and is located 33 miles from Amarillo. Financing of this convention is done en-

tirely by free will contributions and by advertising in a small booklet put out with convention information. Part of the money taken in from convention offerings is turned over to the Buckner Orphan's Home.

According to a statement made by W. L. Day, more than seventy-five persons from Amarillo are planning to attend this convention and it is expected by the time of the opening, many more from here will go.

BID WANTED ON WARD SCHOOL AT STERLEY

Bids will be received on the construction of a two-room frame school building to be built at Sterley, up to Friday, August 9, 1929. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Security State Bank, Lockney, Texas. The right to accept or reject all bids is reserved.

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Crops Holding Up Better In This Community

Cotton and Feed Crops Have Good Prospects if Rain Comes Within Next Few Days

Due to the fact that crop conditions in West Texas are not very flattering at this time, and reports come to us that in some sections of the country the chance for a good crop of cotton and feed this year has reached the point where it is doubtful whether rain at this time would save the situation or not, we feel it necessary to make a report on the crop condition in this immediate section, so that people living here, and who take the Beacon over the various states, that are interested in the Lockney country, concerning our present condition.

In this immediate section, which embraces Floyd, Hale, and Lamb counties, crop conditions are good, and

with few exceptions, the crops are in the best of condition at this time, and if we have a good rain within the next week or two, there will be no question about harvesting a good crop of cotton and feed. It is dry here, however, in places showers have fallen in the last two weeks that have helped wonderfully, but the moisture in the ground at this time in most all of this immediate section is sufficient to keep the crops a dark green color. The cotton is still growing and looks to be in fine condition; the feed is showing very little need of moisture, and the biggest thing that is the matter with us, is that we are in fear of the rain not coming in time, due to the fact that we hear reports of sections of the country, not far away where they have not had rain and their crops are suffering, and we fear it will stay dry longer than we want it to. The weather here at the present is the best that can be had on cotton, according to cotton farmers we have talked to, and is just what they want, provided they are assured of rain at the proper time. You know, that is human nature, to get afraid when they hear that some other section is suffering, and that is the case here at present, but we believe that rain will reach us before any of our crops begin suffering, as nearly every day it rains somewhere in this section of the country. We are told that two good showers fell in the Providence neighborhood last week, and that good rains have fallen between here and Amarillo the past week, and we are expecting a good rain here before this paper reaches its readers, and such a rain will mean a dandy good cotton and row crop, on top of a good wheat crop that has just been harvested and sold this year.

Portales Valley Farmer Kills Wife, Daughter

Slayer Arrested Trying to Buy Additional Bullets—Apparently Deported from Ill Health

Portales, N. M., July 29.—Apparently demented as a result of ill health for the last few weeks, B. F. Bouldin, 67 years old, prosperous farmer of the Portales Valley is in jail here tonight denied bond following the fatal shooting of his wife, 60 years old, and his daughter, Mrs. Ed Barker, 25 years old, this forenoon in the hotel room where the mother had gone to visit her daughter.

Due to feeling against the aged man bond will not be granted in the case, it was reported today following an inquest in which the verdict was "premeditated murder."

Bouldin had intended to kill himself after slaying the other two but had exhausted the shells in the .41 calibre Colt's automatic which he purchased shortly before at Wheeler's hardware store and had returned to the store to buy more shells when police caught him, it was indicated.

Leaving his farm home this morning where another daughter, Mrs. Knoles, from Texas, was visiting, he told her he would be back in time for dinner. He went to the hardware store and in a very deliberate manner explained that he never had had a gun at his home and wanted to buy one. He debated and haggled over the price, trying to get it cheaper, thereby giving no hint to attendants

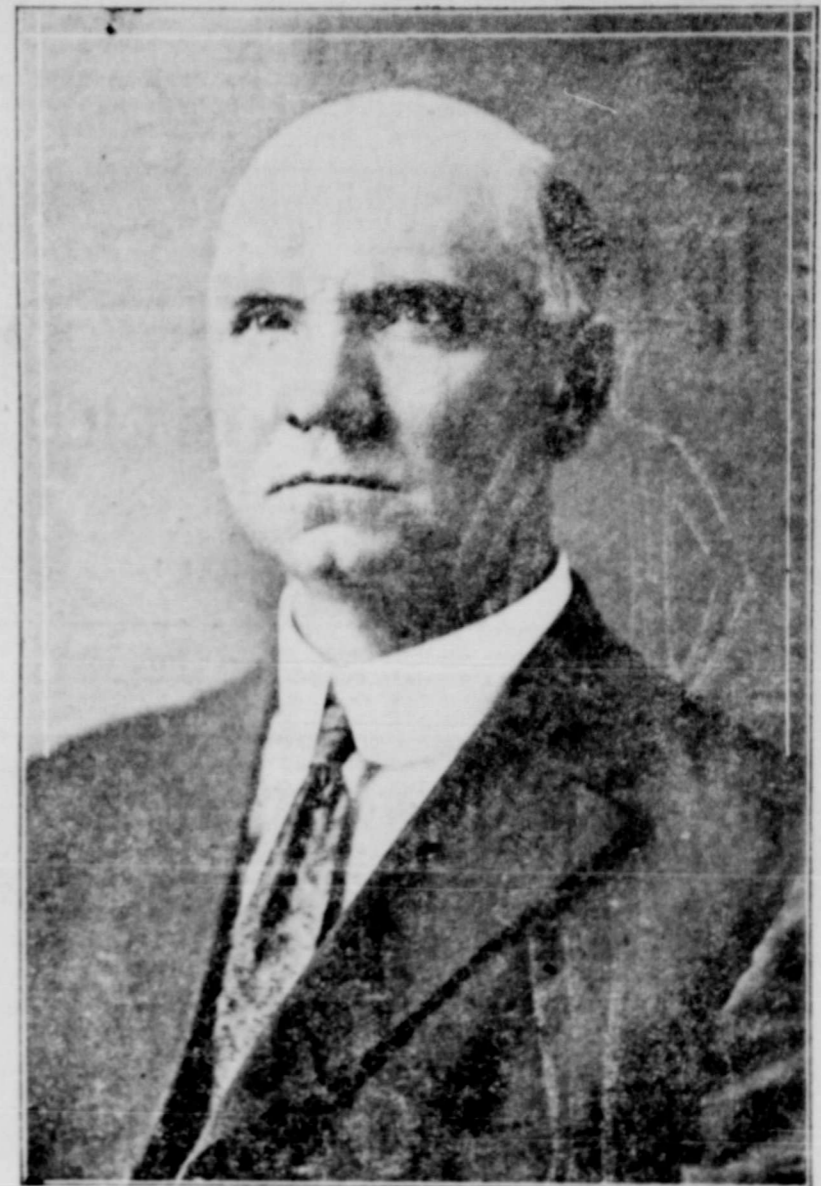
METHODIST REVIVAL WILL START IN LOCKNEY SUNDAY MORNING, AUGUST 4TH



REV. C. G. SPINDLER, of Tulsa, Okla., Choir Director and Young People Worker.

Revival services of the Methodist church will be Aug. 4th to 18th. Day services will be at the church and evening services at the city auditorium. Day services 10 to 11 a. m., evening service 8:30 p. m. A cordial welcome is extended to all to help us in the campaign for souls.

We invite the singers of the community to join the choir. We will



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have a great choir director. Let's pray for a great revival, one that shall quicken the inmost souls of men and women, boys and girls. The gospel of salvation through

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of his later action. Finally he agreed to take it and when the clerk asked him if he wanted a box of cartridges he replied that he would just take six and loaded the gun in the store.

He fired all six shots into the bodies of the two women apparently without realizing it and then turned the gun on himself, but it was empty. He went out the back door of the hotel and to the hardware store reporting that he had changed his mind about getting more shells, when officers arrived.

In his jail cell where he is in a state of collapse he pleads with everyone to kill him, "to finish the deal" as he calls it, declaring that he was frustrated in doing it himself.

Father of Banker Mr. Bouldin was the father of Maurice Bouldin, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Portales. Mr. Barker is employed in a cafe here.

A child 21 months old belonging to Mrs. Barker was lying on the bed in the room but the aged man made no effort to shoot it.

Suspect in Rodeo Murder Retains Silence in Jail

Permission to Make Bail Rests With District Attorney—Second Man Seized

Amarillo, July 30.—While Clarence S. Williams, 28, charged with murder in the death from knife wounds of O. C. Hill, Jr., 33, Donley county farmer, retained his silence in the Potter county jail yesterday, E. T. Miller, his attorney, stated last night that bond would be asked at 9 o'clock this morning.

An examining trial will be held unless Edw. W. Thomerson, district attorney, will agree that the case is bailable, it was said. Thomerson could not be reached for a statement last night.

Williams' arrest came exactly one week after Hill died in a local hospital from critical wounds in the abdomen and side. The wounds were received in an affray at Texas park following the rodeo performance on the night of July 4. Trouble between the two men is said to have started when Williams stepped on Hill's toe while they were watching the performance.

T. B. Rutledge, who is held with Williams, had not been charged in connection with the slaying last night. Rutledge, who was working on the Santa Fe building, has been served with a misdemeanor warrant from Floyd county. Officers said last night that Rutledge had made a statement, although the nature of it was not disclosed.

Williams, who was formerly a brakeman for the Fort Worth & Denver, has been operating a truck line. It is said that he quit the railroad about two months ago after sustaining injuries in a fall from a box car. Williams has a wife and one child two years old. Hill is survived by his wife and one child besides his parents and four brothers and three sisters.

Hill's wife, who was with him at the time of the affray, was here yesterday and identified Williams as her husband's antagonist. She denied that Hill had a knife at the time of the fight.

Williams was arrested at his home

at 1801 Buchanan street about 11 o'clock Sunday night. Sheriff's deputies made the arrest, and police officials identified Williams as the slayer. Sheriff Bill Thompson praised J. R. Bain, Donley county commissioner and nephew of Hill, for his work in the case.

\$1 FEE WILL DETERMINE MANY FROM FILING GAS TAX EXEMPTION CLAIM

Austin, July 27.—The tedium of red tape probably will place thousands of dollars in the state highway and school funds from gasoline taxes that do not belong there.

The multitude of forms, which must be filled out and the remittance of a \$1 filing fee each time a claim is made for exempted taxes will likely deter many users of exempted fuel from obtaining a refund.

The Comptroller's Department now is prepared to receive reports of exemptions from the new 4-cent tax, Comptroller S. H. Terrell said today.

Gasoline used for any purpose other than that of propelling vehicles on public roads, streets and highways of Texas is exempt from taxation. Fuel used in farm tractors, stationary engines, aircraft and motorboats is not taxable.

However, the tax must be paid on all gasoline, with refunds to be made through issuance of State warrants for fuel that is exempted. The tax is levied directly on wholesale distributors but the consumer is presumed to eventually bear the burden of the tax.

The law does not make it easy for the consumer to secure refunds on exemptions. Comptroller Terrell has outlined the necessary procedure for the exempted consumer as follows:

The purchaser must fill out an invoice at the time of the purchase giving the amount, price and purpose for which the gasoline is to be used. Before the 25th of the month following purchase, the buyer is required to report to the comptroller the number of gallons bought and the amount of refund expected. Claims reported later than the 25th of the following month will not be honored.

On receipt of the report the Comptroller will mail the claimant an affidavit-account form, which must be filled in and sworn to before a notary public, and filed with the Comptroller not later than two months from the date of purchase. It must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$1. The fees will be used to enforce the law.

BOTH CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS DEFEATED AT POLLS, LATE REPORT SHOWS

Austin, July 29.—The proposed constitutional amendments to enlarge the supreme court to nine members and raise the governor's salary from \$4,000 to \$10,000 annually were virtually given up today as defeated in the special election of July 16.

Returns received by former Attorney General W. A. Keeling from 69 counties showed the amendments far behind. Keeling was chairman of the Texas Bar association's committee to campaign for the court amendments. Keeling's figures showed:

Enlarged court: for, 28,517; against, 39,635. Governor's salary: for, 26,320; against, 37,301.

Former Governor James E. Ferguson had collected returns from 82

counties. His figures were: Enlarged court: for, 31,890; against, 46,726. Governor's salary: for, 31,897; against, 46,789.

In each instance returns were furnished by the county clerks, after the commissioners' court had canvassed the vote.

Keeling Depressed Keeling would not concede defeat of the amendment, but he was depressed. "The returns speak for themselves," he commented.

Governor Moody and Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the supreme court, who had been apprehensive of the results for several days, were on the verge of giving up all hope.

Judge Cureton had spent several days arranging chairs on the bench of his court with a view to letting a contract for rearrangement of the room to accommodate a nine member court instead of three as at present. Today he had the chairs moved out, re-grouped the three chairs on the bench and shut the court room up. The court is now on its constitutional vacation, extending from June 1 to October 1. Had the amendment carried, the court would have continued in session the year around without a vacation.

Many Wants Jobs

Governor Moody had been swamped by friends of applicants for places on the supreme court and every mail was heavy with correspondence regarding the appointments. He said he had decided who to appoint in the event the amendment carried.

Another amendment which will be submitted to the voters in November 1930, on the general election ballot, proposes a continuous session of the court, the legislature having provided for its submission in the event the one just voted on failed.

At the same time there will be submitted an amendment proposing a 120 day legislative session biennially, instead of 60 days as at present. The legislators would receive \$10 daily for the regular session and \$5 for special sessions. The per diem now is \$5 and \$2, respectively.

LONGEST LONG DISTANCE CALL ON RECORD OVER 8,000 MILES

The longest long distance call on record covered, by a circuitous route, 8,000 miles and was between San Diego, Calif., and Stockholm, Sweden.

The sound of the voice of the speaker in Dan Diego was carried through a carrier-current channel from Los Angeles to St. Louis at a speed of 110,000 miles per second. From St. Louis to New York it passed through a cable which slowed it down to 20,000 miles per second. On reaching New York it leaped across the Atlantic Ocean on a radio wave at a speed of 186,000 miles per second to Cupar, Scotland. From this point it traveled through cable via London to the North Sea, thence through submarine cable to Holland; passing through Germany via Hamburg, it passed under the Baltic Sea via submarine cable, a distance of 73 miles to Sweden, from which point the message was carried to its destination at Stockholm in land cable.

Very Personal

It is rumored that Harley had a baseball team until he heard about the Rotary Club Team of Lockney and that he dismissed his team before he

arrived here, expecting to reorganize them when he is safely out of the territory dominated by the Lockney Rotarians baseball club. Now if this is merely an idle rumor we would hate to be party to having spread it but confidentially, I think that if it is true Harley is showing rare judgment. It does not help the reputation of a baseball club to go down in inglorious defeat, even a good team.—Contributed.

DR. C. D. HENRY LEAVES FOR SAN ANTONIO TODAY

Dr. C. D. Henry left for San Antonio today to be gone for a month. He will take charge of the Prospect Hill Clinic and Hospital in the absence of Dr. J. W. McMahan, who has had charge of it for the past six years. Dr. McMahan is taking post graduate work in the University of Mexico School of Medicine.

Dr. Henry and wife, Dr. Mary Henry will resume their practice in Lockney about the first of September. Plans are under way to construct a hospital that will be modern in every respect. Dr. Henry has made mention of this matter in these columns before and informs us at this writing that more information will be available within the next sixty days.

Dr. S. M. Henry has been in Lubbock during the past few days consulting doctors there concerning the condition which has kept him indisposed during the past week. His condition is improving rapidly and he will be in his office again in a very short time.

Muriel McGonigull is recovering rapidly from the effects of having his tonsils removed last week.

J. S. Harris underwent a tonsil operation last week.

Richard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mann, had his arm broken this week when he fell from a tree in which he was climbing. Richard's chief concern was whether or not he would have to miss this week's entertainment at the tent theatre. So far he has not missed a performance. Time enough next week to worry about his arm, Dickie says.

Jim Sheperd and wife came in from New Mexico Monday, to visit Mrs. Sheperd's mother, Mrs. C. M. Alford.

The first day's operation of the Bowdoin canning plant at Comanche saw 4,188 pounds of berries received from producers at prices that were satisfactory.

For years Grand Saline has been a center of salt operations in Texas, the saline solution being drawn from deep wells and the salt secured by evaporation. Now the Morton company has found south of the town what its engineers say is the thickest structure of rock salt ever discovered, and 12 1/2 miles they are now sinking will be one of the great salt mines of the world. Borings indicated a solid salt structure 1,000 feet in thickness at a depth of about 200 feet from the surface of the ground. A shaft will be sunk to the salt stratum and by the time the mine is in full operation about 600 workers will be employed.

The new high line of the Panhandle Power & Light Co. has been completed from Stinnett to Gruver, the new agricultural town in Hansford county, a distance of 33 miles.

Advertisement for HOKUS POKUS GROCERIES. Includes a list of products and prices: Macaroni, Skinners 7 oz. pkg. 7c; Extracts, Sun Set Brand, 4 oz. bottle All Flavors Each 18c; Oranges, sweet and juicy, dozen 13c; Lye, Rex Brand 3 for 25c; Bananas, Golden yellow dozen 24c; Potato Chips, full 2 oz. pkg., each 6c; Fruit Pictin Per package 10c; Shortening 8 lb. pail \$1.11; Fresh Tomatoes lb. 10c. G. S. MORRIS.

TEXAS WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local

papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct. El Paso—\$103,800 Firestone building at Texas and Octavia streets formally opened. Tyler—\$325,000 bond issue approved to provide funds for erection of several school buildings and renovation

tions and additions to present structures. Rosenberg — Cotton platform being erected on Southern Pacific right-of-way. Yoakum—Plans under consideration for establishment of second National Bank in this place. Carrizo Springs—Construction work started on stucco filling station for Humble Oil & Refinery Co. to cost approximately \$4,000.

San Marcos to receive direct mail connection as result of daylight schedule of air mail lines of National Air Transport Company. Lamesa — Rapid progress being made on erection of Farm Bureau Cotton Association Gin plant, which will cost \$45,000 when completed. Crawford—Erection of building for Borden cooling station nearing completion. Morgan—\$4,000 bond issue approved to provide funds for erecting addition to present school building.

Carrizo Springs—Erection of Stone Filling Station practically completed. Sabinal—Peters Bros.' building re-painted. Karnes City—New office and ice station will be erected for Central Power & Light Company in near future.

Corpus Christi—Storage and garage building to be erected soon for Central Power & Light Company. Lamesa—\$3,000 bond issue voted upon to provide funds for erecting addition to brick school building for Joe Stokes Independent School District. Waco—Borden Milk Plant opened in this place recently.

State Highway Department will award contracts for construction of about 23 miles of gravel base with asphalt topping on Highway No. 94 between Groveton and Neches River. Donna—Construction work started on new telephone exchange. Midland—\$100,000 tourist camp established here and opened to travelers.

Canadian—Progress Laundry opened for business in old bank building on First Street. New mining town will be established 14 miles southwest of Van Horn and 25 miles east of Sierra Blanca and will be known as Hot Wells. Fabens—Road paved from Fabens Compress to Hansen Corner on Island. Sierra Blanca — Southern Pacific Railroad Company to build footman's bridge across tracks at first crossing west of depot.

Fredericksburg — Airport will be established here in near future. Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club. The Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. C. F. Harris, July 24th, at 3 p. m. The subject for this meeting being "Meat Cookery and Frozen Desserts."

We had an interesting business meeting followed by a demonstration on Cooking Swiss Steak, also a demonstration on frozen desserts. The hostess served delicious cake with the meat and milk sherbet made by Miss Strange.

We will have only one meeting in August. We extend a welcome to all that wish to join us in our "Home Making Program." Our next meeting will be with Mrs. D. P. Childress on August 28. The subject for this meeting will be "Luncheon. At this meeting we will have a lesson on table service and table etiquette and will serve a balanced meal, prepared by the club.—Reporter.

In Memory of Ruby Ann Cox She has crossed the mystic river, And beyond the golden shore Is rejoicing with the angels, And her loved ones gone before. And though her voice is hushed and still, 'Tis joy for us to know, That she was right with Christ her Lord And was prepared to go.

So, friends and loved ones do not weep, But bravely stand the test For we all know 'twas God's own will, That she was called to rest. Just be prepared to meet thy God, When you cross death's cold tide, And, with her you will share the joys Upon the other side.

And if you're not prepared to go, Just hear this statement true, God holds your life in His own hands, And soon he'll call for you. So let's be ready for the call We know not when 'twill be, That we'll be called out by our Lord To meet eternity. —Written by a friend.

Persian dates may be added to the other commercial products of the Rio Grande Valley. Nearly 1,000 shoots of the Mesopotamian date palm have been planted under supervision of Texas A. & M. College and the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The palms are of a "rain-resistant" type coming from Mesopotamia where the rain and climatic conditions approximately parallel those in the Valley.

Eighty-five thousand acres of ranch land near Turkey have been cut into farms preparatory to placing them on the market. The impetus to growth in that section has been accentuated by the new railroad construction, opening up large areas theretofore distant from railroad connections.

contest every community in the county was represented. Three hundred persons attended the event, and a total of 50 dresses were entered in the contest. First place in the state class was awarded a trip to the short course to be held at A. & M. College in August.

Sonora offers evidence of activity among West Texas sheepmen in the announcement that within one week recently more than 30,000 yearling lambs were sold to Kansas and Colorado buyers for approximately \$230,000.

Abilene is making plans to improve Kingsolving Field, the municipal airport, so as to make it one of the best equipped air depots in the Southwest. Erection of a steel and concrete hangar covering ground space of 97 feet and a two-story, fire proof terminal building, will be the first work started on the field.

Allen Rutherford Hubert Rutherford and Miss Avis Allen were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen, 7 miles northwest of Lockney, Sunday, July 21, at noon. After the ceremony all present partook of one of the noon meals for which Mrs. Allen is noted.

Mrs. Rutherford is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen and was a member of the graduation class on 1929 at W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon. She is a talented and popular girl and is a favorite in the community in which she lives.

Hubert is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rutherford of the same community. He has been a resident of Tulia for the past five years, coming here from Canyon where he spent two years at the college after graduating from the Lockney High School. He has been in the employ of the La-Velle Dry Goods store since its organization a few years ago, and probably has more friends in the trade territory than any other young man in Tulia. He is honest, efficient, capable, and jovial with all and has prospects for a bright future in the business world.

This young couple will make their home in Tulia, and will soon start building a new home here. They have the best wishes of a wide circle of friends here in Tulia as well as in the Lockney community.

Hubert is a grandson of the late Mr. Shearer, where he has made his home since coming to Tulia, and has been a comfort to Mrs. Shearer since the death of her husband.—Tulia Herald.

What's Doing in West Texas July 26.—Electra recently held a "law enforcement party" under the direction of Robert P. Hall, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Charles I. Frances of Wichita Falls made one of the addresses, which was heard by citizens from all over the county.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce with the U. S. Chamber of Commerce is urging the co-operation of doctors in filing birth certificates, and parents in seeing that birth certificates have been filed for their children in order that the census next year will be correct, and will give the state the proper status.

The All Texas Tour being sponsored by the Dal-Paso Cavern Highway association under the direction of Wm. A. Wilson, secretary of the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce will start at Marshall, August 1, and disband at El Paso August 5, Carlsbad Caverns being the high point of the tour. Cars will be added to the motorcade at every stopping place and entertainment will be given at stops.

Vernon's Chamber of Commerce head, Grady Shipp, is acting as right hand man for Pres. Mgr. Boodland of the WTCC in guiding the work of the regional organization until the annual convention in October. They called a meeting of the advisory board for Monday, July 29, in Fort Worth.

Tulia's ton litter work in Swisher County is showing up some good results. J. K. Adams weighed his litter of seven pigs at the age of 110 days and found 1040 pounds of live weight. The total cost of this gain is \$28.45 or \$2.73 per hundred pounds. The pigs have had access to alfalfa pasture and were fed a protein supplement.

Hartley county sent a large representation to the annual Farmers Short Course held at College Station July 29 to August 3. Many of them were farmers and their wives who took advantage of the special railroad round trip fares.

Turkey is putting the finishing touches on the new 200,000 gallon water reservoir and pump houses which completes one of the most modern, up-to-the-minute water supply plants in West Texas. Large quantities of all purpose water is available at all times for all demands now.

Sweetwater's new auto building will cost \$22,000 according to the contract which was let recently. It will be started immediately, and will be occupied by the Rutledge Brothers Motor Company. It will occupy the west 90 foot of lots Nos. 1, 2, and 3, of the original town plat.

Childress's State Fair in September will feature races among other things, and the track is being reconditioned at this time. All turns on the track will be resurfaced, and the straight-aways will be graded down to a hard pan.

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SAND HILL

July 29.—Sunday school was well attended Sunday and we had lots of visitors, which we are always glad to have.

A good many from this community attended the singing at Center, Sunday evening.

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from Montebello, Calif., Thursday night. A large crowd enjoyed the sermon by Rev. J. E. Kerbie, Sunday evening.

Miss Ted Standifer spent Saturday night with Miss Buena Weems.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson and family of Friona, visited in this community this week-end.

A crowd of small girls and boys met and had a yo yo contest Sunday evening. The winner being Delzie Bradford, who yo yod 630 times before the yo yo was stopped.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hobby attended preaching at Carrs Chapel Sunday night, where Rev. J. E. Kerbie is holding a revival.

Mr. J. W. Morton and wife left Saturday for Waxahachie. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Tate Jones of Dougherty.

Tom Bradford and family of Atlanta, Ga., visited with his nephew, C. L. Bradford, this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Scott left Monday morning for Throckman, where they will spend a few days with relatives and friends.

There is singing at the high school auditorium every Saturday night and everybody is invited to come.

There will be an all day singing and sandwich dinner here Sunday. Good singers will be here from everywhere. Everybody come.

PROVIDENCE

July 29.—Everyone was glad to see the light rain that fell Wednesday night.

Miss Noma McPeak is visiting at Lubbock now.

Several from this community attended the ball game at Whitfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Phillips is visiting relatives near Hereford, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster James visited Miss Ola Mae Gamble, Sunday.

Mr. Curtis Hibdon returned Sunday from Oklahoma, where he had been working in the harvest.

Mr. Joe McPeak from Dimmitt, was down visiting homefolks, Sunday.

Deris Bennett returned home last Tuesday from Ina Dale, where she had been visiting for some time.

Mrs. Clyde Phillips' sister from Weinert, has been visiting with her the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Powell of Plainview spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Bennett spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Nelson.

CEDAR

July 29.—We are still having plenty of hot dry weather. A shower would be greatly appreciated at present.

Mrs. Hugh Fortenberry and children of Adrain, spent the week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Massengale, and other relatives of this community.

Mr. Jim Dunlap and family visited Sunday in the Roy Woods home, of Lockney.

Mr. Ben Dillard and children spent the week-end in Childress, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dillard, and brothers, Marion and Bud Dillard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dillard of Childress, are visiting in our community, this week.

Mr. J. C. Fortenberry began work today wrecking his old house, which he expects to remodel into a four room stucco house.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fortenberry and family were the Sunday guests in the E. C. Durham home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dozier Dillard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Love, near Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Ople Cypert visited in the Rev. DeVault home, Sunday.

PLEASANT VALLEY

July 29.—Mrs. J. C. Rushing of Olney spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Orr and family left last Thursday for Young county, their old home for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Childress and daughters, Miss Lola Lee and Mozelle, left Saturday for Venus for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowrance spent last Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craft and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Craft and family and Mrs. Josephus Craft of Bowie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris.

Mrs. W. C. Hubbard left Saturday from Pleasant Valley Club for A. & M. Short Course.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mitchell and family came in Friday from a short visit at Winters, their old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Watson of Canyon spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reeves spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Shurbet. Grandpa Bloxon is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Willis and mother, Mrs. Cowart, and Mrs. Rushing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Simpkins, of Ralls.

J. D. Orr returned Thursday from a trip to Carlsbad.

Herchel Blankenship spent Sunday with J. C. Harris.

Mrs. Rhodes of Plainview is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. H. O. Shurbet.

Mr. Henderson's house burned down Monday of this week. Mr. Theodore Craft was living in the house, having the place rented. The cause of the fire is unknown, having started in a little house away from the main building, where the electric plant was located.

Neighbors came and all the furniture was saved, but the flames were so hot, they could not work to save the house. Floydada fire department came out, but were unable to check the flames. Mr. Henderson was away at the time. He had one of the most beautiful homes in Floyd county, and we all regret to see such a loss to the community.

Mr. Jess Willis and J. D. Orr went to Dimmitt last Friday on business.

Mrs. T. B. Mitchell spent Monday with Mrs. F. U. Payne.

Mrs. Lee Reeves, Mrs. Alf Watson, Mrs. H. O. Shurbet, and Mrs. Rhodes spent Monday with Mrs. La France of Muncy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Pratt and daughter, Gladys, spent Sunday in Slaton, with Mrs. Pratt's brother, Mr. A. R. Keys.

Mr. W. C. Hubbard and children spent Sunday in Lockney with his mother, Mrs. W. V. Hubbard.

Mrs. Alf Watson spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Lee Reeves.

LUTHERAN NEWS

July 29.—Mr. Edd Haas left Saturday for his home in Hartley, Iowa, for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren and son, Tommy, of Plainview, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmerman.

Mr. Lavelle Abbott of Lubbock, spent a few days at the Pullen home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dameron were in Plainview Saturday, in their new car.

Mr. Gene McCullough and family were in Plainview, Saturday shopping.

W. A. Boedeker and wife are riding around in a new Dodge car, purchased last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele were in Plainview shopping the first of the week.

Mr. Eddie Haas and J. A. Zimmerman made a trip to Snyder Friday afternoon on business.

A light shower fell here Tuesday night. Cooler weather has prevailed since the shower.

IRICK

July 29.—The revival meeting will begin August 3. Everyone are urged to attend.

Miss Geneva Taper of Oklahoma is visiting friends in this community.

Mr. Harold Dollar visited Mr. C. W. Murphy, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins visited in Lorenza Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Gladys Murphy of Plainview, visited her homefolks, this week-end.

Miss Helen White of Sudan, is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Mildred Bowman called on Raphine McElroy, Sunday.

Misses Opal Ashby and Lucile Hampton called on Miss Donna Nell Murphy, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Eunice Byers left Saturday evening for College State, where she will attend the A. & M. Short Course.

Miss Ruth Murphy, Leonard Dollar, Mr. W. T. Glass, Melvin and Dorothy Glass returned Friday night from Leonard, Texas.

The young people enjoyed the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Poage, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey called on Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carter, Friday night.

Miss Lily Mae Taack has relatives visiting her this week from New Castle.

McCOY

July 29.—Rev. Owens of near Floydada, preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Miss Louise Thacker spent Sunday with Miss Lorene Williamson of Floydada.

Little Misses Virginia Sue and Martha Lou Smith of Lubbock, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Smith Saturday night.

Misses Kathryn, Elgah, and Jennie Lou Alexander and Messrs. Bob Thornsorth and Ed Hammonds, of Lockney, visited in this community Sunday morning.

Mr. Hal Ferguson of Dimmitt was the Sunday afternoon guest in the home of Mr. S. F. Smith.

Mrs. Dwight Jackson of Lockney, visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Jackson, Sunday.

A few from this community attended the party in the home of Miss Merle Lovorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Smith and little daughters of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith of Stamford, Mrs. Harold Hamilton and daughter, Mary Jane, of Plainview, Mrs. Frank Hendrix of Munday, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Smith spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith.

HILLCREST

July 29.—The crops in this community are suffering from the lack of rain.

Mr. L. H. Lewis was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Jessie Bartlett visited her mother, Mrs. Meek, of Fairview, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lewis, Misses Virginia Lewis and Mary Anne Swenson made a business trip to Plainview, Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Jessie Bartlett is suffering from having something in one of his eyes.

Mr. Fred Wimberly and Mr. Walter Baxter visited Mr. A. T. Sweepston, Sunday morning.

SOUTH PLAINS

July 29.—The ice cream supper that was given by the W. M. S. Friday night was well attended and was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Davenport and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lanham and little daughter, Mary John, returned last Tuesday from Colorado, where they spent their vacation.

Mrs. Phegley entertained the Junior Sunday school class Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calahan. There were about thirty members present. All report a most enjoyable time. Delicious ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Norton is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Simpson.

Misses Helen Upton and Neva Ormon took dinner Sunday with Miss Oleta Ormon.

Trula May and Muriel Fay Phegley took dinner Sunday, with Lillian Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. West and children, and Miss Jewel Montague returned Sunday from a visit to the Carlsbad Cavern, in New Mexico.

Arnold Harper got his leg broke last week, when a tourist ran into him. He was doing nicely at last report.

Linnie Milton took dinner Sunday, with Allie Myers.

Gene Leach has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Krier made a business trip to Plainview and Dimmitt last Friday.



W. C. ROUNTREE, M. D.

If you have any of the following symptoms, I have the remedy no matter what your trouble has been diagnosed. Nervousness, stomach trouble, loss of weight, loss of sleep, sore mouth, pains in the back and shoulders, peculiar swimming in the head, frothy like phlegm in throat, passing mucous from the bowels, especially after taking purgative, burning feet, brown, rough or yellow skin, burning or itching skin, rash on the hands, face and arms resembling sunburn, habitual constipation, (sometimes alternating with diarrhea) copper or metallic taste, skin sensitive to sunburn, forgetfulness, dependency and thoughts that you might lose your mind, gums a fiery red and falling away from the teeth, general weakness and loss of energy.

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Mrs. J. B. Massey of Odessa, Texas, Box 112, whose picture appears here writes: I wish to thank you very much for restoring my health from one of the most dreadful, miserable diseases that anyone can have. I was in bad health for several years, under care of Doctors for three years. I do not think I could have lived much longer. I am in better health today than for several years, weigh more than I ever did in my life. I believe I am rid of an awful disease that the other Doctors failed to cure. FOR FREE DIAGNOSIS AND LITERATURE WRITE: W. C. ROUNTREE, M. D. AUSTIN, TEXAS



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FOR SALE—New Ford coupe, save \$125.00.—See Monroe-Speagle Agency. 45-tf-c

FOR SALE—A 28 model Chevrolet truck, in A1 condition. If interested, can see the truck at Lockney Ice Co.—A. E. Blakeway. 45-tf-c

SMALL stock of groceries for sale. See C. W. Smith at Barwise, halfway between Lockney and Petersburg, Texas. 46-2t-c

FOR SALE—Eclipse windmill, tower and piping, all for \$50.—Clyde Cummings at postoffice. 46-tf-c

FOR RENT—Nice five room house, 5 miles southeast of Lockney, also have team of horses, and bundle cane for sale.—Edd Muncy. 46-tf-c

LOST—Black leather suit case, with initials H. S. H. on same, between Lockney and Floydada, Saturday morning. Return to Beacon office for reward.

Scientists say that flies carry germs of typhoid fever, infantile paralysis, summer disorders, and over thirty other diseases. Flies should be killed. FLY-TOX is harmless to people but sure death to mosquitoes, roaches,

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BIGGEST ON PLAINS Although only two months old, Draughn's College is by far the largest school of its kind on the Plains. It costs no more to get the nationally-known Draughn Training than to attend some small, unknown school. Clip and mail this ad for Special Opportunity today.—Draughn's College, Lubbock, Texas. 46-2t-pd

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to extend my thanks and appreciations to the Lockney Fire Department and the neighbors and friends, who assisted in extinguishing the fire that broke out in my feed stack Tuesday at noon.—J. E. Lee.

CARD OF THANKS—We take this method of expressing our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors of the family who assisted and offered us their sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved daughter, Ruby Ann. Also for the beautiful floral offerings and special music numbers.—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cox, and children; Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Casey, and children.

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Dr. J. H. Crenshaw, M. D. of St. Louis, says, "Seventy-five per cent of the school children are afflicted with some form of spinal curvature or spinal defect and these are the cause, later in life, of many grave and dangerous diseases."

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WEST TEXAS OLD SETTLERS PLAN REUNION

Old Rock House in Blanco Canyon to Be Scene of Gathering On August 15 and 16

Preparations to entertain 20,000 people at the annual West Texas Old Settlers Reunion at the old Rock house in Blanco Canyon, are being made by

a committee of four Crosbyton citizens and practically every detail of the program for the two days, August 15 and 16, have been completed, according to W. T. Dunn, secretary of the Crosbyton Chamber of Commerce as well as secretary of the old settlers organization.

"The crowd which attended the reunion last year was estimated at 15,000 and we expect to have a larger attendance this year than ever before," Mr. Dunn stated, "I have carried the invitation to several distant towns and find that a number of the pioneers of this section of Texas are planning on bringing their camping equipment and attending the re-union both days. Every effort to entertain the visitors in the manner in which they like best is being made and the committee is especially anxious that the invitation be broadcasted to every person who has resided in West Texas 25 or more years."

A rodeo, two ball games, and an old fiddlers contest form a part of the entertainment. Several prominent speakers have announced their intention of attending the celebration. A cash prize of \$25 will be awarded the winner of the ball games and three cash prizes are offered as inducements to the old fiddlers. John McDonald, of Lockney, has charge of this event and he has already been receiving inquiries from fiddlers in this section of Texas.

Those who have resided in West Texas as long as 25 years will be entitled to special privileges at the reunion as a portion of the celebration. Grounds have been set aside for their exclusive use. R. B. Smith, owner of the old Rock House and president of the Old Settlers Reunion, will have charge of this feature of the event.

Marvin Jones, congressman, Clint Small, state senator, Pink L. Parrish, state senator, and Barry Miller, lieutenant governor, have accepted places on the two days' program. R. B. Smith, N. Y. Bicknell, John B. McDermitt, and W. T. Dunn of Crosbyton, have charge of the celebration.

YIELD BREAKS OLD RECORD OF ENTIRE STATE

Average Carload This Year Bound to Contain Over 1,450 Bushels

The Panhandle's 1929 wheat crop will go over the 45,000,000 bushel mark.

Complete check of the amount of wheat shipped by the various railroads this season and a careful estimate of the crop still in the hands of the farmers resulted in the estimate being raised from 42,000,000 to 45,000,000.

For the past several years in making estimates as to the number of bushels shipped, statisticians have

used 1350 bushels as an average carload but a careful check of several hundred cars of this season show that the average is slightly over 1450 bushels.

This means that up to last Saturday night, the railroads of Panhandle had handled 35,368,350 bushels or 24,323 carloads of 1450 bushels each.

The increase in the amount of wheat in the average car is attributed to the fact that all cars are loaded ten per cent above the posted capacity and the preponderance of large capacity cars in this territory.

An exact estimate of the amount of wheat that remains to be shipped is impossible, but it is a recognized fact that farmers are holding more grain than ever before and it is believed that not more than eighty per cent of the crop has been marketed at this time.

The 1929 crop is more than twice as large as the previous Panhandle record yield of 22,000,000 in 1926 and exceeds the previous state record by more than 10,000,000 bushels.

FUNERAL FOR FLOYDADA STUDENT KILLED IN CRASH

The remains of W. Grady Paschall, son of W. N. Paschall of Floydada were buried in the Floydada cemetery Sunday evening following the removal of the body from Hollywood, Calif., where the twenty-six-year old aviator student was killed in an airplane crash last Thursday. Funeral services were conducted at the first Methodist church by Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church there.

Reports received in Floydada state that Paschall's first air trip resulted in his death. Indications were that the young man froze to the stick and both he and his army reserve officer-instructor were instantly killed in a 3500 foot fall. The nose of the plane was said to have been buried six feet in the ground.

The deceased had lived in Floydada for nearly eight years and in California for the past two and one-half years. He is survived by a wife, both parents, two brothers, and one sister.

W. T. S. T. C. News

July 30.—Joe B. Lancaster has been studying chemical engineering at Texas A. & M. College for the past two years. He expects to receive his degree from that institution next spring. Joe will be remembered as a one-time

student of Irick school. He took his Bachelor of Science degree from W. T. in '24.

Grady Burson, who was coach in Lockney for some time, is now putting Clayton, N. M., high school on the map athletically.

Miss Lena Pennington and Miss Ray of Floydada drove to Amarillo Saturday night and attended the show.

The ex-students are putting on a campaign for better support of the summer school. The plans are on foot at present to make it possible to do graduate work at W. T. That means students can do work for their Master's degree, close home.

President Hill spoke Tuesday morning on what W. T. could do to help its ex-students and what ex-students could do to help W. T. The substance of his talk was that W. T. could help place its students in desirable positions, and that ex-students, by their influence, could gain better support in a financial way for the college.

Many students, who teach in the winter, joined the Ex-Students Association after his talk.

ROSELAND

July 30.—On account of dry weather most everyone is well up with their work and seems like real vacation time.

Miss Lucile Nix of Clovis, N. M., is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitlock, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sams, Doris and Jimmie, are on a trip to Carlsbad and other points in New Mexico, this week.

Mr. Alvin Wilson, who has been in Marlin for some time, returned home Saturday. He seems very much improved.

Mr. S. M. Lester and Marble Bros. are driving new Chevrolet sedans. Messrs. Ernest Smitherman and J. W. Lester purchased new Chevrolet coupes last week, and Paul Sims is driving a new Ford Coupe, this week.

Some of our folks attended the ice cream supper at South Plains Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Parsley and little son, of Plainview, spent Sunday in the Sims home.

Mr. C. V. Ford and son, Richard, are touring in New Mexico this week.

Mrs. Martin and daughter of near Lakeview are visiting Mrs. Geo. Beedy this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smitherman visited friends in Floydada, Sunday.

Most everybody is attending the Harley Sadler show at Lockney, this week.

Mrs. C. V. Ford and son, Raymond, and Miss Velma Marble spent Friday and Saturday in Canyon and Amarillo, visiting friends.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL

July 31.—A fair sized crowd attended the ice cream social, at the Prairie Chapel school grounds, the evening of July 13. Tables and chairs were conveniently placed outside for the comfort of the guests and the ladies sold ice cream, cake, candy, soda pop, and chewing gum. The proceeds were used to help defray the expenses of sending a club member to A. & M. Mrs. Walter Lovell was sent by the club. Mrs. Joe Reeves and Mrs. Douglas Watson also went to the A. & M. short course.

Miss Strange met with the club, Monday, July 15, at the home of Mrs. Joe Reeves, and gave a demonstration on canning chicken.

Our next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. M. Whorton, Monday, August 5. Club members and visitors are urgently requested to attend this meeting, as our three club members will be there from A. & M. short course and we expect some interesting talks.

Senior Epworth League Program for Sunday, August 4

Topic: "Where Does Christ Come In the Several Forms of Social Recreation in Which Young People Engage?"

Leader—Eugene Harris.

Song. Scripture—Exodus 20:4. Sentence prayers closed by the Lord's Prayer.

"Do You Think That Christ Was Interested in Social Recreation of His Day?"—Irene Williams.

"Is Pleasure Your God?"—Ethelene Wofford.

"Where Does Christ Come In?"—Sterling Golliday.

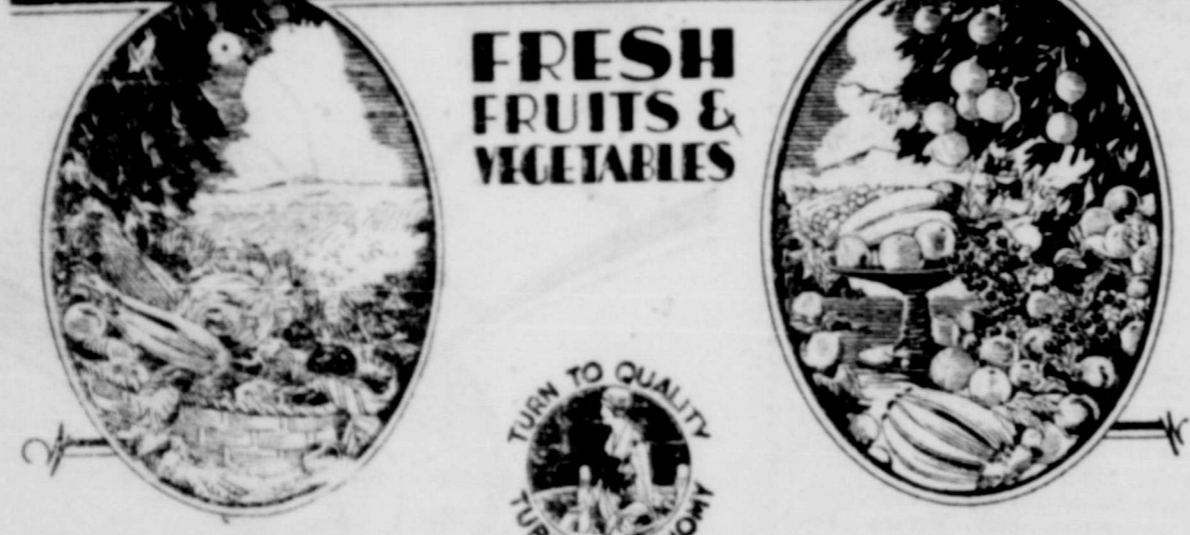
"What Forms of Social Recreation are Popular with Young People?"—Flossie Reasonover.

Song.

Benediction. We invite all young people who do not attend some other young people's organizations, to come to the Senior Epworth League, which meets each Sunday evening, at 7:45.

Leaguers, remember our rally meeting that is to be held at Silverton this Saturday and Sunday, August 3 and 4.

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