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Lockney Sheep Top Kansas City Market Monday

Mr. S. T. Cooper and sons, Tom and John, of four miles west of Lockney, topped the market at Kansas City Monday with a load of lambs, receiving \$6.50 per hundred. These lambs netted the shippers approximately \$5 per head.

Mr. Cooper's wool clip this spring amounted to \$2.00 per ewe, and added to this the price he received for the lambs that he shipped makes a total of \$7.00 per head. That is a nice profit on sheep, and still some farmers say they do not want to fool with sheep, they are too much trouble. There is no money in doing anything that is not some trouble and work. If every farmer in the Lockney country had anywhere from 20 to 200 head of sheep he would see a vast difference in his income on the farm. There is the Easter lamb market, spring wool clip and the fall market on lambs and ewes. Sheep in the Lockney country produce practically twice as much wool per head as sheep in the famous San Angelo sheep country.

VISITING AT CLOVIS, N. M.

Ben Whitfill is visiting at Clovis, N. M., this week as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. George Barrows.

ROE BRYANT RECEIVES TWO CAR LOADS SHEEP

Roe Bryant, successful stockformer of the Lockney country, received a couple car loads of sheep last week, consisting of about 500 head. These sheep were placed on his farm. Mr. Bryant is running a well balanced farm and stock-raising program.

HAS TONSILS REMOVED

Miss Vivian Chambers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Chambers who live west of town, had her tonsils removed Tuesday morning by Dr. Anders. She is doing nicely following the operation.

Mrs. A. J. Crager had her tonsils removed Thursday morning by Dr. P. C. Anders. She is getting along splendidly.

Guy Sams underwent an operation for removal of his tonsils Wednesday morning in the office of Dr. P. C. Anders. He is at the home of his father W. R. Sams.

New Service Station Proprietor

Hall Ferguson is now proprietor of the Sinclair Service Station formerly operated by Mr. Paul Schick. Mr. Hall was formerly in the employ of Mr. Schick before he moved to Plainview as wholesale agent in that city. Mr. Ferguson is no stranger to the automobile public of Lockney.

Today's Market

Poultry	
Hens, 4 lbs. and up	5c
Leghorn hens and hens under 4 lbs.	3c
Fryers per lb.	7 and 5c
Old Roosters.	2c
Stags, per lb.	2c
Turkeys	
No. 1 Turkeys.	5c
No. 2 Turkeys.	3c
Eggs	
Eggs, per dozen.	8c
Cream	
Butterfat, per lb. Station.	15c
Grain	
Wheat per bu.	69c
Maize threshed per 100	\$1.00
Maize Heads, ton.	\$12.00
Feed	
Cotton Seed Meal per 100	\$1.20
Loose Huls, per 100	25c
Sacked Huls, per 100	40c
80-20 Mixed Feed per 100	60c
Cotton	
Cotton yer 100 lb.	\$8.00
Cotton Seed, per cash ton	\$11.00
Cotton Seed, ton in trade	\$12.00
Hogs	
Tops per 100	\$3.00

Fire Dept. Elects New Officers

Members of the Lockney Fire Department met Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the city hall for the purpose of electing new officers for the coming year.

The new officers are: president, Buck Sullivan; vice-president, Marvin Cox; secretary and treasure, Old Walter; fire chief, Conley Davis; and assistant fire chief, Arch Crager, retained.

The retiring officers were: Lee Ayres, president; Robert Ayers, secretary and treasury; and Rud Parson, fire chief.

High School Has Enrollment of 165

Bill Bobbitt, principal of High School, reports the enrollment at Lockney High School, up to Wednesday night, as being 165 and several had not finished registering at that time.

There are 40 seniors, 62 juniors, 39 sophomores, and 24 freshmen, registered. This is the lowest number of freshmen Lockney has ever had. There are usually twice as many freshmen as seniors but such is not the case this year.

Regular classes began Thursday morning and everything seemed to have gone off with a "bang!"

ATTENDS FUNERAL AT FLOYDADA WEDNESDAY

Mrs. E. E. Dyer and daughter, Miss Gene Dyer, attended the funeral of their cousin, Bennett Oxford Howell, three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howell, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Methodist Church at Floydada. Interment was in the Floydada Cemetery.

School Opening Well Attended Monday Morning

The grammar school auditorium was over crowded Monday morning for the public school opening, and much interest was shown in the school by the parents.

Bro. Osborn, pastor of the Methodist Church gave a short talk on the appreciation of our schools, and Bro. Ray, pastor of the Baptist Church, and Bro. Carver of White Deer, who is holding a meeting here, also said a few words of encouragement to the patrons and pupils. Miss Hettie Hofstetter, head of the music department, played a piano selection.

Floyd Co. citizens interested in the completion of the roads in this part of West Texas as soon as possible, and in the largest possible relief of unemployment through the state and Federal governments program of public works are urged to attend a good roads meeting to be held Friday evening, September 8th, at 8 o'clock at the county court room in Floydada. The meeting has been called by County Judge J. W. Howard and Mayor W. C. Hanna, of Floydada.

J. C. Watson, manager of the West Texas Division of the Texas Good Roads Association, will be present to explain the program.

SMALL PAPER THIS WEEK

The Beacon is shy a couple of pages this week from our regular number. Our paper shipment failed to make connection, therefore we had to cut out the other two pages on account of not having sufficient time to print them after our paper arrived.

VISITS AT LUBBOCK AND AMARILLO

Mrs. T. B. Brooks and her two sisters, Mrs. Ola Baucum and Mrs. Ernest Steel, and her niece, Miss Joe Baucum, and Floyd Allen all of Altus, Okla., were in Lubbock Thursday visiting Mr. Coleman McSpadden, who is Mrs. Brooks' brother. They were also at Amarillo Friday shopping. Mrs. Baucum, Mrs. Steel, Miss Joe Baucum, and Floyd Allen returned to their home at Altus Sunday morning.

Hurricane Strikes South Texas Cities And Towns Tues.

At least 100 persons met their death in a devastating hurricane that swept the lower Rio Grande Valley Tuesday, according to a careful survey completed Tuesday.

Estimates apparently accurate were that at least twenty persons were killed at Matamoros. There was ten known dead at Brownsville, three at San Benito, and others in widely scattered areas.

Harlingen was totally wrecked by the hurricane which whipped through the Rio Grande Valley Monday night, reports trickling into San Antonio Tuesday afternoon.

Harlingen authorities have requested military aid in preserving order and rescuing those believed injured in the storm. Whether any were killed was unknown until reports said it would have been impossible for some of the Harlingen population to escape. Unofficial reports from the same source said that Brownsville and San Benito also lay in complete wreckage from the ravages of the storm.

Brownsville, battered by the coastal hurricane and virtually wrecked is lying in the center of a fifty-square-mile area inundated by approximately three feet of water.

This news was learned by the San Antonio Light at 4:10 p. m. Tuesday when a Pan-American airplane from Mexico City, told a gripping story of what the first news from the stricken city.

A crew of five men in a giant Pan-American ship landed at San Antonio after bucking a gale over Brownsville and the lower valley.

The crew reported that the Brownsville downtown section had been wrecked in spots. Only a few persons were seen on the streets.

D. O. Richardson, operations manager of the Pan-American office at Mexico City, told a gripping story of the condition in the valley metropolis. Flying at an altitude of 500 feet over the Brownsville sector, Richardson and the crew reported water standing at least waist deep throughout the city.

At 2 p. m. Tuesday, when they were in that vicinity, the wind had abated to approximately fifty miles an hour, Richardson estimated.

The entire country side for an estimated fifty-square mile area was under water. Only the higher spots showed tree life above the rushing torrent.

Most of the large steel structures in Brownsville were standing, the party said. Frame buildings were flat on the ground.

Foliage had been whipped to the ground by the hurricane. Large trees were stripped.

Harlingen in Horrible Condition

The town bore an isolated look and only a handful appeared on the streets. Houses were boarded up and residents were inside.

The crew flew over Harlingen and reported that town in horrible condition. However, they were of the belief that Brownsville had suffered greater damage.

The residential sections of both Brownsville and Harlingen are wrecked. Some residences withstood the terrific lashing of the wind, however.

Several packing houses were without roofs. They had been ripped off by the wild wind.

KINGSVILLE, TEXAS, Sept. 5.—A physician at Harlingen told the Missouri Pacific train dispatcher's office here that many had been killed and injured by the tropical hurricane and requested that immediate aid be sent to that city.

A relief train composed of four baggage cars and four water tanks was assembled here hurriedly and began the ninety-four mile journey to Harlingen at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The crew hoped to reach the city at 5:30, do whatever they could and return here.

The physician, whose name was not learned, said many men, women and children, huddled in the remnants of the remaining buildings, were badly in need of food and water, and also needed bread and milk. They had assembled here Monday night just before the tremendous blasts from the Gulf Coast struck.

Boys Work Out For Football This Week

Coach Leo Cooper started working out about 30 football boys Monday afternoon. Most of the material this year is new but this promises to be a successful season for Lockney High School in spite of the light weight.

The season will open Saturday, Sept. 23, with Tulla High School at Tulla. The schedule is not quite completed but will be able to print it next week. Every reader is asked to clip this schedule out and be present at every game and yell for your team one hundred per cent. A team can't do anything without your support and loyalty.

Coach Cooper is a new man here this year in the school and a graduate of W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon. He is one of the best football players Canyon has ever produced, and was named on the T. I. A. A. team for two years. He is a home town boy, having graduated from Lockney High School several years ago, and has returned to show us what a ripping team we can have with the proper training. On with the team, we're for you!

Plainview Rotary Defeats Lockney Aggregation Tues.

Plainview Rotary club soft ball club invaded Lockney Tuesday and crossed bats with the soft ball club of the Lockney Rotary club and came out with the longest of the score which was 9-11. This was a good game from start to finish. The Lockney club could not connect with the offerings of the mound man from Plainview, however, their hitting was good with a few exceptions. Plainview played good ball all the way through, connecting for clean hits just at the critical time.

EQUALIZATION BOARD OF CITY MEETS

The City Equalization Board as appointed by the City Council recently is in session this week and are going over the tax assessors rolls equalizing taxes. The board is composed of T. Z. Reed, C. L. Anderson, and C. A. Wofford. The board is taking the rolls of 1929 and cutting valuations about 50 per cent.

Bride of Plainview Honored With Shower Wed.

Mrs. Arthur Tubb of Plainview, who was Miss Bonnie Cooks before her recent marriage, was named honoree at a bridge shower Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock with Mrs. Ulma Dagley as hostess at her home.

Little Misses Betty Thomas and Venita Dagley dressed in pink and blue crepe frocks presented the bride with the gifts by drawing a chariot loaded with cargo before her.

Following the shower, games of bridge were played on tables which were beautifully appointed.

Out-of-town guests were Misses Dorothy Duncan, Mayme Daniel, Margaret and Elizabeth Stovell, Shelby Mitchell, Blanche Cook and Mrs. Calvin Cook and the honoree, Mrs. Tubb, all of Plainview. Mrs. T. J. Hones, Mrs. Joe Golden, Mrs. Valca Thomas, and the hostess, Mrs. Dagley of Lockney.

MOVING TO ALTUS, OKLA.

Ray Lile and Grady Crager were here last week end to move their things to Altus, Okla., where they plan to make their future home. Mrs. Lile remained here to be with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Crager, who has been ill. Charlotte Catherine Lile returned with her father so she might enter school at Altus.

HERE FROM TAHOKA, TEXAS THIS WEEK END

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Suits and son, Gordon, spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. Suits' mother, Mrs. Henson, and Mr. Suits' brother, J. L. Suits and family, and friends.

Reduced Freight Rate On Cotton Seed Proposed

The daily press has been carrying articles here of late relative to a reduction in freight rates on cotton seed. A hearing is to come before the Texas Railroad Commission next Tuesday. As this reduction in freight rates on cotton seed vitally interests Lockney and Floyd county, we have been doing a little investigation as to what it is all about. The editor of the Beacon has come to the conclusion that this is a move on the part of the terminal cotton seed mills located at Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston and perhaps others, in an effort to try to "hoodwink" the Railroad Commission into believing that a reduction is necessary in order for the railroads to meet truck competition. That is not the idea at all. The terminal mills want to get the country mills at a disadvantage and eventually force them out of business. The Railroad Commission should be put right on this proposition and it should be made clear to them that a small country mill located as the mill here at Lockney is located, would be at a serious disadvantage and might ultimately be driven out of business by permitting lower rates on seed, without a corresponding schedule of lower rates on cake, meal and other cotton seed products. If we are going to have a reduction on our seed rates on seed going to the mill at these terminals, we must necessarily have a reduction in rates on the finished product back to our farmers and ranchmen in the interior.

But bringing the proposition down to where it effects us locally here in Lockney, if this reduction is granted and it should eventually close our local mill by putting them to such a disadvantage, it would mean a great loss financially. The mill here in Lockney last year paid to truckers alone \$30,000.00 for hauling products away from the mill to other points. That means quite a bit of employment and money expended in this community. Then there is the payroll of the mill that amounts to about \$47,000.00 in round figures per year. That added to the above amounts to \$77,000.00 that Lockney would lose, gone forever. Therefore we say that Lockney is vitally interested in this cotton seed freight reduction that is to come up for hearing next Tuesday, and it seems to us that if you are interested in the welfare of this town and community from a financial standpoint and employment standpoint it might be well to wire the Railroad Commission of Texas your objections to this proposition of reducing freight rates on seed and not the finished products coming back to us. Your protest should refer to Docket No. 3208.

Just thought we would call your attention to this very important matter as you might overlook it or not stop to think about how it would affect Lockney.

LEAVES TO TEACH SCHOOL

Miss Lula Coleman left Friday morning for Tulla where she began her school work Monday. Miss Coleman has been teaching in the grammar school there for the past three years.

Wedding Of Local Couple Saturday

Wedding bells rang for Miss Lota Opal Thornton and Mr. Robert Lee Smith last Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thornton, with the Rev. Willis J. Ray, pastor of the First Baptist Church, reading the marriage vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thornton of Lockney, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith.

Mrs. Smith's wedding dress was of brown crepe with brown accessories. The couple left Monday for Plainview where they entered school at Wayland. Robert Lee surrendered for special work and is preparing for this calling. The bride graduated from Lockney High School in 1932 and the groom graduated in 1931.

Lockney Hi Has Two New Teachers

Following the resignation of Miss Boedeker, former English teacher, and Miss Beall, former home economic teacher, Delmar Ashworth was elected head of the English department and Mrs. Carver Moore of Denton was elected to fill the vacancy in home economics.

Mrs. Moore is a graduate of C. I. A. at Denton and Mr. Ashworth holds a degree from W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon and the Missouri University at Columbia. Both are well qualified for their positions and have had experience in their special work. Mr. Ashworth taught English here several years ago, and was principal of the High School at Quitaque last year.

Miss Vera Harris And David Hamilton Marry Sunday

Miss Vera Harris of Olney and Mr. David Hamilton were married Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morg. Hamilton. The Rev. Willis J. Ray, pastor of the First Baptist church, said the wedding vows.

The groom is a 1931 graduate of Lockney High School and has lived practically all of his life in Lockney. The couple will make their home at Plainview where David is employed in the shoe department of the J. C. Penny Dry Goods store.

ERNEST FOWLER MOVES TO RALLS

Ernest Fowler, City Secretary resigned at the City Council Monday night, stating as his reasons for resigning that he had accepted a position with the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., at Ralls and would move to that city immediately. His resignation was accepted and the Council appointed Clyde Cummings as City Secretary to serve until the next regular election which will be in April of next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler are moving this week to Ralls and Mr. Fowler will assume his new duties Monday as bookkeeper for the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co.

Mr. Fowler requests that we express to the public his thanks for the splendid cooperation he has received during the last four and one-half months that he has served as city secretary, but that he regrets leaving Lockney, as a promotion and has decided to accept.

New Proprietors At Texaco Station

E. O. Larkin and Luther Watson are the new proprietors of the Texaco Service Station here. These two gentlemen were checked in last Saturday, and are now conducting the business. They are not strangers in this community, having formerly made their home here, but the last few years have been engaged in business at other points in the state.

Mr. Henry Hodel, former proprietor of this station, is making other connections, so we understand, which will be announced later.

MORRIS EWING OF PENN. VISITED HERE

Morris Ewing of Bethlehem, Penn., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Ewing. He left Tuesday morning for Dallas where he will join his wife, who has been visiting her relatives there. Morris is a Professor in the College at Bethlehem.

BEAUTY SHOP HAS NEW OPERATOR

Mrs. Oulien Riley is to be the new operator at the Hotel Beauty Shop during the absence of Miss Virginia Collier who left Sunday for Memphis where she will spend a month keeping house for her brother-in-law, V. L. Matney and children.

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Harvey Bailey escaped from the Dallas County Jail. All know who Bailey is, the bird that kidnapped the rich Oklahoma all man and held him for ransom near Paradise, Texas, collected but was captured and lodged in the Dallas jail. This is supposed to be one of the best jails in the country. He was supposed to have been guarded in his cell day and night. Some way or somehow he got hold of a gun and forced the jailer into a cell and locked him up and escaped, only to be recaptured four hours later at Ardmore, Oklahoma. Now the big question is "Who Helped Bailey Escape, Who gave him that gun?" It looks kinder funny. Looks as if some inside work must have been going on around the jail house. Things are coming to a pretty pass when you can't put an out law in jail and keep him there. If you can't keep a man in jail what are you going to do with him. It has begun to look as if there are as many as a dozen deputies, jailers, etc. around a jail some notorious prisoner is going to get away. Looks darn funny to us. It want be long until we will find out just

where Bailey got that gun and there might be some surprises in store for us.

All of your boys in this part of the woods that bought German Dollar Bonds. We have some news for your. You are not going to receive your interest on the bonds. The powers that be in Germany has decreed that there will be no transfer of funds out of Germany for the purpose of paying interest or sinking fund. However, they do propose to pay part of it in "Scrip." But what are you going to do with the scrip? They say sell it if you can, but they don't know who will buy it and if it is sold in Germany you cannot take the money out of the country. In other words they are "air tight" with their money, although they were rather free in distributing those Dollar Bonds.

Of all the doggone contests we ever heard of was pulled off at Coney Island the other day. They called it a "Kiss be long until we will find out just

a kiss for three hours and... Some kiss and we don't... The average man only runs... es his wife goodbye before... for the office or his daily work... only a second and is all over... Better put these long time... under the NRA and cut down... for bestowing affection upon... another.

Just as quick as Congress... committee will be appointed to... "Socked" Huey Long. This will be... political jobs for Democrats. We... believed all along that Hoole... would do something for the suffering Democratic job seekers.

WOMAN'S COLUMN

By Jeane Suits

Say, I heard about a funny... the other day it was really quite... and a case of biting off more than... one could masticate. As you probably... ready know by this time a big... test is now in progress at the Baptist... Church between the young people who... have a meeting each evening. The... group is divided into two sides... a captain for each side, and the... will have to do the cooking... sunrise breakfast Saturday morning.

Well, the first evening Bro. Carver said that at the next meeting each girl would be required to bring a boy, and one girl volunteered to bring... Now, that was an undertaking without the aid of an old fashioned lasso... seemed as if the two boys this girl had in mind were asked by the opposition before she even had a chance... them. So another net was cast into... sea for bigger and better... young men, but to no avail. Either they had something else to do or were already invited—Now, whether they refused because of the girl or because they didn't like the idea of a young peoples meeting I don't know, but probably if you can find out just who this girl was, you will be more capable of judging for yourself. I am rather inclined to believe it was the girl though.

Well, anyway I had a good laugh over it all, just thought I'd pass it on to you, because so many people are always bargaining for more than they can handle!

Well, well, so Henry Ford says he just believes he will "knock" along by himself without the protecting wings of the blue eagle. Maybe he will and maybe he won't—my opinion of the matter is that he'll either get right or else wish he had got right before this little tiff is over, for the path is going to be plenty tough for those on the outside and you won't see any roses stream along the track either. I guess Henry figures he can "ford" anything and perhaps has heretofore, but you know even Napoleon met his Waterloo and what befalls one man may befall another!

Whata terrible Gulf hurricane that struck in the Rio Grande Valley killing over one hundred people Tuesday, to say nothing of the number injured. We don't really appreciate our own beloved West Texas and the Plains country until something of this sort happens. Of course we have those infernal sandstorms that are nationally known, but listen readers, even though they might cause us to lose our patience and ruffle our feelings they don't destroy lives and wreck homes, and what is a fellow's feelings compared with the safety of his life and home?

Gestures! Did you ever stop to think just how much they mean in one's daily life? There numerous uses and cause are quite amusing. Why, many people could not talk without the aid of their hands and arms, which play an important role when they are trying to put over an idea to their listeners.

The index finger is used in pointing out any particular object or thing to which you wish to refer. Then, how in the world could you ever tell your friends how long that fish was you caught this summer if you didn't use your arm by which to measure it! Then the lover always has a use for his arm, for how could he possibly sit on a park bench on a moonlight night without the aid of his arm? Then preachers have to make many gestures in bringing their messages to you, in if anything arouses your anger, you also order to make their points impressive. Gesticulate with those light tapping gestures either landing in the enemy's eye or under the chin.

part in one's life and if we were to be suddenly deprived of these actions, I doubt if anybody could ever understand just what we were trying to get over.

I've got the solution right here—the way to make prosperity come on around that corner—start making the paper money with rounding corners, and it can't help but roll around, eh? What?

I just wonder what I can put in this space. I am about to exhause my supply of knowledge and I would like to have a few suggestions from your readers. Oh, yes, I guess I might as well tell you about the soft ball game between the Lockney Rotary Club and the Plainview Rotary Club. In the first six innings Plainview just run in scores faster than they could be recorded, but along toward the last they began to slow up and boy oh boy how the Lockney ironides did sit up and take notice for the very first time. The fielders and catchers began to unfold their baskets, preparing to receive the ball, and the pitcher tried a little league technique, and the batters really slung a wicked bat. All in all they scored plenty but they let Plainview come in with two more scores and that fairly beat them. A lot of first class juggling took place on the diamond and I am sure if some performer had been present he would have had all of the Lockney Rotary members signed on the dotted line for special vaudeville work in the art of "juggling" and etc.

Enough said says I. Goodbye until this time next week and be careful how you button your shoes.

DID YOU KNOW

The forest army boys believe in reciprocity? They're eating 9,000,000 eggs a month, thereby giving employment to 9,000,000 hens. This NRA is doing some good isn't it?

It is reported that Mr. Morgan has his business so well organized that even the worrying is done by people especially employed for that purpose? Well, that is organization!

In the matrimonial market an old bachelor is a shopworn remnant; a divorced man is a second-hand article; but a widower is a treasured heirloom, inherited only through death?

Since love is the most exciting and absorbing game of a woman's life it's amazing how little she ever learns about when to play her winning cards and when to keep a poker face and sit tight!

The advantage about spending your money as you make it is that you don't have to worry about bad investments?

No one can be really happy unless he is at least moderately successful!

California and Florida produce more than 90 per cent of the oranges grown in the United States?

A liner being built in Scotland has 13 decks? I am afraid many of the passengers will never reach the top deck owing to that infernal sea sickness!

At the south pole all winds blow from the north and at the north pole all winds blow from the South?

Scientifically the sweet potato does not belong to the potato family, but is a member of the morning glory family.

Cutting the hair is the principal cause of baldness, says Dr. Bruno Oettinger of Columbia University?

The earth is said to be shrinking at the rate of five inches every 1,000 years. That process is almost as slow as our return of property.

Science now wants to tell us that all matter is merely light in another form? That is really making light of the subject.

A Chicago man is living after having 10 stitches taken in his heart? Must have been a case of "busted-heart" over some love affair.

MISS AGNES COOPER HAS SLUMBER PARTY SATURDAY

Miss Agnes Cooper was hostess to her friends Saturday night with a slumber party at her home one mile east of town. The guests attended the meeting at the Baptist church and then lunched out to the hostess' home where they roasted wieners and ate watermelon.

Guests for the occasion were: Misses Hazel Ford, Frankie Dodson, Virginia Hohlaus, Wilma Cooper, Estelle Hodel, Leona and Leota Shelton, Patricia Patterson, Glenna Whitfill, Ruth

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Lockney Beacon Dear Editor: Will you please take this report of the Revival meeting of Spur, Texas in which Brother Willis J. Ray did the preaching: We have had many men to help us in meetings but never have we had

one who had a greater spirit, more lovable, or surrendered in the hands of the Lord, faithful to preaching his word, helpful to the pastor and the church, or a greater lover of souls than Brother Ray. This was truly a wonderful meeting; there were 84 who took their stand for the Lord; it was one of the greatest church revivals that our church has ever had. There were more people who were brought back into the services of the Lord, rededicating their lives to His services. Of this group were more than 200. The cause of the Lord was set forward in a glorious way and all of our hearts were made to rejoice. Some of the most outstanding sinners of

our town were saved. Brother Ray is one of the greatest money-raisers we have ever seen. We had several hundred dollars as obligations—he started this in such a commendable way that it was all raised and before leaving the field, he saw to it that the church dressed up the pastor and his wife. I hope the church of Lockney will take note to this fact and remember that it makes a great preacher greater, and more lovable, and better equipped to do his work in spirit and life. Any church will be wonderfully blessed and brought closer to the Lord in every way by having this good man and preacher to help them in a meeting. The secret of his power is at the throne of grace. He knows where the power comes from, and the church at Lockney is blessed beyond measure in having this dear man who knows the bible and is straight on its doctrines, hates sin, and exposes it. We want to thank you for letting us have him for a few days and may you be blessed manifold. We are expecting great things from your church because of this godly man be your leader. P. G. RODGERS Pastor of First Baptist Church Spur, Texas.

address to the children and patrons. Mrs. E. G. ... Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Pittman and ... from ... Sunday where they visited last week. Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Parker last week were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Neal of Ricardo, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parrish of Sweetwater, Okla. Mr. W. A. Slaughter of Aiken, brother-in-law of W. S. Rexroad, died August 25, 1933 at 3 o'clock at his home. The Rev. Fitzgerald, Lloyd and Saffell conducted the funeral. He was buried in the Plainview Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. E. Hayes and family have returned home from east Texas after visiting with relatives. The Rev. S. A. Ashburn of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rexroad Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tinsley and daughter Juanita, left Saturday morning for Ft. Worth for a two weeks visit with their parents. Mr. Frank Paschal and son, Mason, and Alvie Davis made a business trip to Plainview last week. Mr. Leon Horn of South Plains attended church here Sunday night. Mr. Maye of Vigo Park attended church here Sunday. Mr. A. S. Martin and Albert Sidney returned home Sunday after a visit at Aikens with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and family moved to Lockney last week for the children to enter school. Juanita Reeves visited her grandmother, Mrs. Reeves of Lockney Saturday night.

STYLES

NEW TRICKS IN SWEATERS

PARIS.—Sweaters have taken on new angles. Necks are higher, lines are looser and waists are often belted. New fabrics are seen, since linen and cotton have joined the sweater mode; and new loose stitches have made their debut. Plain colors are the rule, although strips often appear as trimmings.

The high necklines on this year's models show a variety of designs. Some of them follow the line of men's "turtle neck" sweaters, rolling closely about the throat; others tie about the neck with a narrow little scarf, while a third group is finished with two little knitted reefs right over the collarbones.

The newest models are knitted to hang straight, without curving to the lines of the figure, and often come no lower than the top of the hipbones, leaving the effect of a trim little sack-coat.

The belted designs often are knitted to end just below the hipbones and are finished with a belt never more than an inch wide.

White and natural colored linen and cotton sweaters often appear in the new loose knits, their trim little collars and short sleeves recalling men's polo shirts.

Colors are also new. A hue called "string," the shade its name implies, is the last word in sweater smartness, while oyster white, sunlight yellow, pearl blue and gentian have been added to the regulation navy blues, beiges, browns and greens.

BUTTERED COMPLEXION

She of the buttered complexion never ceases to complain. She hates an oily skin, most of all the beaming nose. Powder is but a makeshift, it works only for the time being. It doesn't stop oil wells from gushing; it makes them madder.

Get down to first principles, pretty one; stop eating those foods that excite sebaceous glands—fats and starches. Drink fruit juices, eat vegetables, green salads, drink buttermilk.

Take plenty of water.

By sticking faithfully to the daily bath and vigorous friction with a coarse flesh brush, the skin all over the body will function actively; there will be less strain on the sensitive glands of the face. Try a dry cleaning of the complexion now and then, wiping it with a soft cloth that has been dipped in alcohol and water equal parts. Rub with ice afterwards, then apply cold cream.

The best way of combating the nail biting habit is to have the finger shells manicured once a week. Nibbling is done because there are hang-nails that bother one.

Every night use cuticle cream and massage the finger tips. There are nerve centers there that will quite down under soothing manipulations. When nail edges are uneven, use the beveling file; otherwise the biting impulse will flare up.

When you brush your hair or cream your face, beauty aspirants, sit down before your dressing table. Make a fiesta of beautifying. Don't regard it as a tiresome chore; if you do that you won't bother, but will pile into bed with tangled hair and a cream hungry complexion.

The beautifying half hour at night is a pleasant form of relaxation. Lotion the hands, of the elbow, lubricate finger nails. Do a few head turns to keep neck tissues firm, and give them their quota of the cosmetic least. In the morning there will be sparkle in the eye and freshness in the complexion.

Mrs. Hippo should avoid cross lines in skirts. Long pointed effects are her beauty dish. Too much flare at the hem isn't good. And the belt should be placed as low as fashion laws allow.

The tight bodice reveals bulk. Round ed neck lines shorten the neck. Short sleeves are better than no sleeves at all if arms are thick from elbow to shoulder. If a woman won't bother to diet or exercise, she can trap the effect of slenderness by careful dressing.



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STERLEY NEWS

Rev. Hill filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.

Bro. Marcus Rexroad, who was called to the ministry recently, preached at the Baptist church Sunday night. He was licensed to preach Sunday morning and entered Wayland college Monday.

Rev. Aaron Shaw and family returned to their home at Brownwood last week after closing a successful two weeks meeting.

Sterley school opened Monday morning with a good attendance. Price Scott county superintendent, made an

MUNCY NEWS

Muncy school opened Monday. We are glad to have Mr. Blackford and sister Mrs. Leroy Blackford and mother with us another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muncy are attending the World's Fair at Chicago. Mrs. Alvin Wilson has been very ill, but we are glad to report her better.

Mr. and Mrs. Mires have moved into our community and will make their home on Mrs. Bates' farm south east of the Muncy school house. We welcome them into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Cook and child, returned Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Biggs and children have returned home after a visit in New Mexico and Oklahoma. They were the guests of Mrs. Biggs' sister, Mrs. Leonard West and family near Ringland.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherbert of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Dud Wofford and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Vick Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Fred of Pleasant Valley, and Mr. Will Sherbert from the Rio Grand Valley visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harris Sunday afternoon.

Little Betty Gene Muncy is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Muncy.

Mr. and Mrs. McHelyea of the Aiken Community visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunlap Sunday.

Everyone appreciated the rains that fell here last week.

Mrs. Alvie Wilson visited Mrs. J. F. Biggs Monday afternoon.

Classified Ads

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FOR SALE—I Bedroom suit in good condition. Must sell at once. See H. S. McGonigull. 51-11p

FOR SALE—Black hull seed wheat clear of smut and weed seed. 90c per bu. at J. S. Miller, 4 miles, N. W. of Lockney, 2 miles East of Aiken. 51-11p

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 Young Women's Missionary Circle Monday 4 P. M.
 Prayermeeting, Wednesday 8:30 P. M.
 Last Sunday there was a fair attendance at the morning service. More men than usual. We appreciate this. It helped the preacher to do his best. May we not expect a larger attendance next Sunday? We invite you. We urge you. We beg you to come to church, Sundays.

There will be no evening service at the Methodist church. We shall go over to the Revival at the Baptist church. Be present at the Morning Service. We hope to have a Message for you.

B. J. OSBORN, Pastor.

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Sept. 10th, 1933

Topic: Sharing With our Neighbors
 Leader—Mary Gaynelle Thomas
 This program is to be in a form of conversation

President—Ermine Ida Thomas

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 Secretary—Mary Ilene Harris

BAPTISMAL SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT

Baptismal services will be held at the First Baptist Church Sunday night which will close the two weeks meeting held by the Rev. Douglas Carver of White Deer.

The meeting has been quite a success and many blessings have been received from the messages of Bro. Carver during the church hour and during the young peoples service. Bro. Carver is a wonderful leader for the young people and they are striving to have 100 boys and girls present by Friday night. The group is divided into two sides and they plan to go on a sunrise breakfast Saturday morning.

ng, the side losing having to do the cooking and dirty work.
 All of you young people come out and help attain this goal and you will not regret it!

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Sept. 10, 1933

Topic: A traveling University
 Introduction—Wauline Rains
 The Student Body—Bill Bobbitt
 The Curriculum—Brice Allen
 The Teaching Method—Gene Dyer
 The Teacher—Paye Cook
 The Examination—Thelma Smith

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Sept. 10th, 1933

Topic: A Christian at School
 A Christian's School Code—Francis Humphries
 A Christian Will Work—Estelle Wood
 A Christian Keeps the Rules of School—(original talk) Esie Mae Hamilton
 A Christian is Cheerful—Betty Smith
 A Christian is Honest—Hazel Fox
 A Christian is Unselfish—Bob Miller
 A Christian Minds His Own Business—Raymond Whitley
 A Christian Lets His Light Shine—(original talk) Ursula Curb

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 Take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning—a jar last 4 weeks—get it at any drugist in the world—costs but a trifle.

Miss Winsella Grantham visited with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hines of Plainview the first of this week.

Miss Mildred Reeves returned home Wednesday after a visit of several days with friends in Plainview.

Mrs. R. E. Patterson and daughters were at Silverton Tuesday afternoon visiting relatives.

WEEK END VISITOR HERE

Miss Ruby Threet of Amarillo spent the week end here visiting her mother, Mrs. T. P. Threet.

Mr. and Mrs. Herchel Clawson of Van Horn left last Thursday after spending several days with Mrs. Clawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Ewing.

Miss Melba Simpson of Happy is here attending high school.

VISITS AT OLTON MONDAY

O. J. Huggins, J. D. Huggins, and son, Harold, spent Monday at Olton visiting their brother, J. E. Huggins and family. Their brother has been quite ill but is some better at the present time.

VISITORS FROM DAVIDSON, OKLA.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crisp and family of Davidson, Okla., spend Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huggins. They were enroute to Olton where Mrs. Crisp is to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Huggins.

WORKING NEAR TULIA

Wayne Coleman left last Friday to run a tractor for Mr. W. C. Watson near Tulia, Texas.

TEACHING AT IRICK

Winifred Fowler is teaching at Irick the year. He has been attending school at Canyon the last two or three years.

LEAVES FOR COLLEGE

Jack Spence left Tuesday for Canyon where he plans to enter W. T. S. T. U.

IRICK NEWS

Miss Artie Morland, who had the misfortune of breaking her arm recently is recovering nicely.

Emer Goen of the Providence Community visited Parker Graham Monday.

Mrs. Stegall has had her mother of

Abilene, Texas, visiting her.
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blunt have as their guests, Mr. Bunt's sister and husband of Diffitt, Texas.
 Dell Zimmerman was in Plainview on business Wednesday.
 Allen Dew and Alfred Dew visited in this community Friday.

Regular Meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star No. 437 at 8 P. M. Monday, Sept. 11, 1933.

Annie Lou Phenix Worthy Matron

Liberty School started, Monday with 54 students, this school is a two teacher school, Clarence Guffee principal, Miss Leona Griffith.

RETURNED TO DALHART MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Steel and daughter, Barbara, of Dalhart returned to their home Monday after visiting several days with Mr. Steel's mother Mrs. Steel and his sister, Mrs. Henry Hodel and husband.

SAM MILLER LEAVES SUNDAY

Sam G. Miller left Sunday morning for points in Arkansas on business and will spend a few weeks vacation in the mountains.

WOOLENS TO DOMINATE IN FIELD OF FABRICS

Market style experts say that woollens will dominate the field of fabrics this year. For street wear there are fur combinations, and the softer, looser the rougher types, the cashmeres and types.

Paneled tweeds in the swagler length coat suits are to be seen everywhere.

Satins, in black, beige and other gentle colors are being stocked in quantities. Taffeta, in suits and evening gowns, are to be popular.

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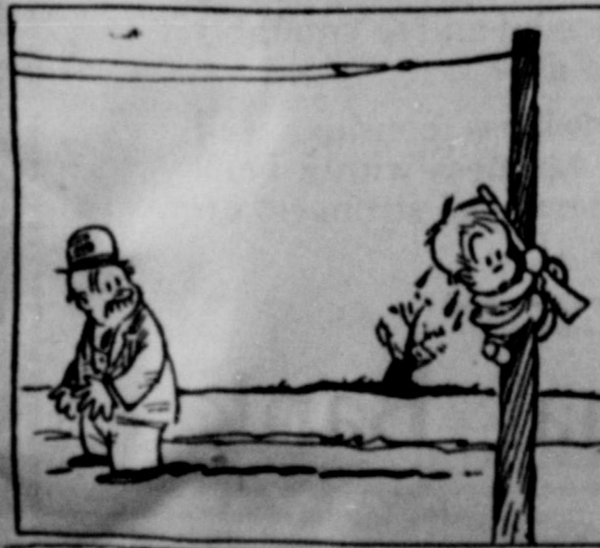
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