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Railroad Rumors Rapidly Taking Definite Form

Many are the rail rumors afloat in this section of the Panhandle. A line for the Rock Island system is now being surveyed from a point near Groom to Paducah. If one were to rely on rumors alone one would expect to see the immediate erection of a machine shop, round house and union depot in Clarendon most any day.

On the other hand, officials high in the engineering department of both the Rock Island and Denver were here the past few days looking over the prospects. It would seem that their business was merely to find out if people living near the proposed route really wanted a new road. That would lead one to think that they were merely feeling the pulse of the people as to the amount of bonus that might be raised.

Rumor has it on good authority that the Katy officials have been looking over the ground with a line from Wellington via Hedley to the wheat belt somewhere near Tulla.

So far as can be ascertained at this time, no application for a permit for road building has been made by either of the above mentioned lines. That this section offers a profitable field to railway expansion is beyond question since so many roads have been investigated and we may expect some extensive road building in the near future.

Another big fight for rail control of the vast, productive agricultural regions of the South Plains and lower Panhandle looms with the announcement from Washington Friday that the Frisco system would seek permission to open up a continuous line between Amarillo and Fort Worth, traversing the territory between the Fort Worth & Denver on the east and the Santa Fe on the west.

In order to operate a continuous line, it would be necessary for the Frisco to build 185 miles of new grade between Amarillo and Seymour, south of Vernon, by way of Paducah.

Connects at Seymour

At Seymour the new grade would connect with the Gulf, Texas and Western railway, which the Frisco asks permission to buy for \$2,300,000. And from Jacksboro the Frisco would operate over the Rock Island into Fort Worth, a distance of 71 miles.

In addition to the main line, the Frisco also asked for a permit to extend its present line from Vernon into Seymour, a distance of 42 miles.

If a permit is granted for the Amarillo-Fort Worth line, the 185 miles of new construction will rival the project of the Denver's South Plains branch constructed last year, a distance of 205 miles, and the Panhandle-Plains country again bids fair to lead the nation in railway building.

The exact route of the new line was not made public, but it will run in a northwesterly direction from Paducah, through Cottle, Hall, Briscoe and Armstrong counties. It will probably connect with the Rock Island somewhere immediately east of Amarillo, eliminating the expense of building new yards and shops.

Three petitions were presented to the interstate commerce commission at Washington Friday; one for a permit to build from Amarillo to Paducah; the second to take over the permit of the Gulf, Texas and Western from Paducah to Seymour, and to purchase that company's line between Seymour and Jacksboro; and the third asked trackage rights over the Rock Island from Jacksboro into Fort Worth.

The Clarendon drug store is putting an air by having the back portion of the building opened to connect with front for an ice cream parlor. Private booths have been installed and the furnishings renewed and surfaces brightened up with paint. The front door is to be remodeled and a four section folding door installed. This is no doubt the first door of this kind to be placed at the front entrance of a business house in Clarendon. The firm is wide awake, know what it takes to interest the public and

DAVIS-HALEY

Miss Lucille Haley and Mr. Ernest Davis were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage here at 4:00 p. m., Saturday, March 16th. Rev. S. E. Allison officiating.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haley, is a graduate of the local high school and attended Clarendon college and the state school at Canyon. For the past three years she has been a teacher in the Chamberlain school, numbers her friends by her acquaintance because of her pleasing personality. Her willingness and ability to take a prominent part in community affairs has always been greatly appreciated.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis of the Sunnyside community, is a promising young farmer with plenty of ambition and initiative to make good at his chosen profession. Both of these young people were reared in Donley county and will continue to make their home on a farm some three miles west of town. Their many friends wish for them a long, useful and happy life.

Blind Stop Endangers At Prominent Corner

About the busiest street crossing in town from the standpoint of the pedestrian is that north from the Antrö corner toward the depot. And while this is the busiest, the "stop" sign is ignored by the majority of autoists driving in from the west. The sign is not discernable, or the drivers come around the corner in too much of a hurry to even look. It is generally believed that it cannot be seen when our best law abiding citizens ignore the stop as they did Saturday when traffic was at its highest.

DR. AND MRS. SHERMAN ENTERTAIN

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Sherman entertained the "Dinner 42 Club" Thursday evening with a St. Patrick's party. The rooms were appropriately decorated in green streamers, shamrocks and other emblems suggestive of Ireland.

Covers for dinner were laid at six small tables attractively decorated in green, after which the guests enjoyed "42".

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Braswell, Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kerbow, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mayes, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Noble, Mrs. Eva Rhode and Miss Norma Rhode, Mrs. J. T. Patman, Mrs. Dick Wilkerson, Mrs. B. G. Smith, Miss Mantie Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. McCleskey, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts and the host and hostess.

Marine Test Well Making Progress Despite Sand

The Marine Oil company test on the Sawyer land west of the bridge on the south side of the river north of town on what is known as section 5, Block C-7 is going right on down, they being down now near 400 feet.

A strong water strata was encountered at about one hundred and fifty feet which came up to near the top of the hole. The usual quantity of quick sand also had to be contended with but to experienced drillers of this day, that means nothing. The fifteen inch casing is now being set. A cable tool rig is being used on this test.

This test is being put down about five miles southwest of the A-T test some months past, in which gas was encountered in larger quantities than is generally known. It is the opinion of some experienced men that enough gas was found in the A-T test to supply several towns; the size of Clarendon.

Here Is President Hoover's Cabinet



1—Henry L. Stimson, secretary of state, 2—Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, 3—William D. Mitchell, attorney general, 4—Arthur M. Hyde, secretary of agriculture, 5—James W. Good, secretary of war, 6—Robert P. Lamont, secretary of commerce, 7—Charles Francis Adams, secretary of the navy, 8—James J. Davis, secretary of labor, 9—Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior, 10—Walter F. Brown, postmaster general.

Well Known Firm Enter New Field

The well known firm holding Figgly Wiggly franchises in Clarendon, Pampa, and Shamrock, and composed of P. T. U. J. and Carl Boston, has now decided to enter a larger field from reports given the Leader the first of the week.

The new towns to receive their attention are McLean and Perryton. Both towns are on the build and have good feeder territory.

The present stores, due to good management, have steadily increased in business volume since the beginning. In some instances far exceeding the expectations of the owners. It is predicted by those best acquainted with the brothers composing the firm, that the new locations will prove to be a profitable investment and an asset to the towns where located.

DONLEY COUNTY CITIZENS VISIT MEDINA VALLEY

A recent trip of more than passing interest was taken by W. D. Van Eaton and C. R. Skinner of Clarendon, and Mr. and Mrs. Mose Cottingham and Mrs. Black of Lelia Lake to the Medina Valley south of San Antonio.

The party visited the Alamo and were scheduled to eat breakfast under the palms on the historic plaza, but were forced to eat in the ancient hotel on account of rain.

These Donley county citizens were a part of an excursion party taken to see the new land prepared for the investor, a special train was run provided with sleepers and meals enroute. Mr. Van Eaton in a conversation with the Leader man seemed to think that they had a good country but untried. Being a good business farmer, Mr. Van Eaton did not grab the first thing offered, preferring to return home and think the matter over.

A trip to Laredo was made before returning, even to crossing the river and seeing the sights of Mexico. The good eat and banjo music put on at the same time by colored men who were experts in making old time music, especially appealed to the fancy of these folks who were out to see and hear all that the trip had to offer. The land was priced at from \$275.00 per acre up. The man who related the merits of this land for the company left nothing unsaid if Mr. Van Eaton is any judge but old Donley looks good to a citizen who has been here for

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church enjoyed one of the best meetings of the year when they met in an all day session in the home of O. D. Leisberg, Wednesday, March 13. There were thirty eight present. Each lady brought a full bowl and the table fairly groaned under the weight of good things to eat. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Dubbs, Mrs. E. A. Sloan, Mrs. J. N. Wood, Mrs. D. W. Clampitt, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cooper, Mrs. W. T. Hayter, Mrs. F. B. Arnold and daughter Frankie Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Anderson, Mrs. Ben Campbell, Mrs. R. H. Cline, Mrs. H. S. Hughes, and little son Lewis, Mrs. W. R. Butler, Mrs. J. A. Thompson, Mrs. John Beverly, Mrs. Lonnie Hahn, Mrs. F. C. Johnson, Mrs. C. A. Knight and Jr., Mrs. J. D. Jefferies, Mrs. Owen Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hemminger, Mrs. J. D. Shaw, Mrs. J. D. McAdams, Mrs. Eva Humphrey, Miss Ruby Hahn, Mrs. J. H. Casey, Mrs. Gertrude Baker, and little daughter Blanche. Out of town guests were: Rev. and Mrs. Manuel Dubbs of Borger, Texas, Mrs. Lynch of Claude, Texas, and our host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Leisberg.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lonnie Hahn, Wednesday, March 20. Mrs. Leisberg, leader—the first Chapter of Mark.

The meeting dismissed with the Lord's Prayer. Every one expressed their appreciation for a delightful day of the hostess.

The next all day meeting will be with Mrs. Will Dubbs, April 2.

T. E. L. CLASS MEETING

Mrs. Fred Ballew was hostess to the T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon when they held their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Harry Brumley led the devotional after which Mrs. Moseley led in prayer.

During the business session ways were discussed for making a bigger and better class. Guessing games and conversation occupied the social hour.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Moseley, Brumley, Lindsey, Word, Land, Sanford, Speed, Borron, Harris, Reed, Lane and Ballew.

TARWATER CASE DISMISSED

The case against W. E. Tarwater was dismissed by Judge Henry S. Bishop in the District Court at Amarillo Monday of this week. The motion for dismissal being sustained by the court for the reason that the evidence was insufficient to sustain a conviction.

Mrs. Bill Johnson and Mrs. Ger-

Oakland-Pontiac Changes Hands

A deal was consummated the past week whereby John T. Sims, Jr. becomes owner of the local Oakland-Pontiac agency, having purchased the business and good will from Johnson-Mahaffey Motor Co.

The agency had recently been moved to the Trent building and otherwise expanding for an ever increasing business. From the very start, the old firm had done a good business—in fact so much business that they even surprised their closest friends. Hick Johnson and Slaton Mahaffey made a good record as car salesman winning honors among similar dealers in the Panhandle.

Mr. Sims a partner in the Chevrolet agency here for a number of years and having made a success of that line, his success in his new undertaking is beyond question. The business will be continued at the same corner and facilities added as occasion demands.

GOLD DISCOVERY GETS ATTENTION NEAR ALANREED

Reports some months ago that gold had been found in sand near Alanreed occasioned quite a bit of excitement in that section only to die down and nothing more was heard about it.

It now appears that during this lull in the excitement, assays were being made and the field investigated by experienced mining men. These assays showed a gold content of \$2.64 to \$3.20 per ton according to the statements of a land owner of that section in conversation with parties here Sunday.

The largest land holders in the immediate section explored are W. J. Ball, merchant and F. R. McCracken, banker, of Alanreed. The sand may be seen on the surface in varying quantities over several sections the exact extent is yet unknown until a careful survey is made by experienced mining men.

Our informant stated that the mining would be done by a modern steam shovel method at small cost and could be done profitably if the assays would run as much as \$1.94 per ton. Since the tests made have run considerably above that amount, it now looks like Alanreed will have both mining and oil industries at her door.

Rev. Henry Taylor returned from Paducah, Texas Saturday

GORDON-HALL

On the 10th there occurred a wedding at Albuquerque, N. M., a wedding of interest to home people. The contracting parties were Frederick W. Gordon, Jr., son of our well known family Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gordon, and Elizabeth Mae Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hall of Albuquerque, N. M.

The wedding ceremony was said at the home of the bride by Dr. C. H. Williamson at 8:00 a. m., after which a wedding breakfast was served the contracting parties and guests at the Alvarado hotel.

The bride and groom were until recently students of Montezuma college at Las Vegas, N. M. The bride has many friends and is a social favorite among the younger set. The groom is well known in this section and is held in high esteem.

Immediately after the ceremonies, the bridal couple left for a honeymoon tour of points of interest in New Mexico and Colorado. The many friends were interested in the welfare of this young couple wish for them all the happiness and success possible.

Donley County May Have County Agent

Donley county has been without a county agent for many years despite the fact that other counties in west Texas have employed such assistance for the farmers of the less populous counties. This has not been due altogether to a lack of interest on the part of county commissioners all this time, but is more the result of the matter being neglected.

With the advent of increased interest in terracing, the need is felt more keenly. Not only that, seed selection and the poultry and dairy industries call for the services of one skilled in those particular lines that the beginners may not suffer loss and handicap, and the more experienced make more money.

A petition is being circulated by G. L. Boykin, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, such petition to be presented to the County Commissioners at their next meeting that they may know the wishes of the people.

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This paper's first duty is to print all the news that's fit to print honestly and fairly to all unbiased by any consideration even including its own editorial opinion.

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I believe in boys—have only five—but I believe in them. A boy is a wonderful animal, full of something that craves an outlet. Sometimes this "something" is held in check until he "outlaws". He becomes rude, disrespectful and even criminal.

My boys have always had a rough and tumble existence. With baseball, football, basketball, boxing gloves, croquet, wrestling and a mess of paraphernalia in their room that I know nothing about, they have been fairly good boys. Some are better than mine perhaps, others worse, but I like a real he-boy who is not the aggressor, but will stand up for his rights and fight a circle saw if imposed upon. They have it to do later, so why not teach them the art while young as a matter of protection. No one likes a bully, neither does one admire a coward. Hit a happy medium, give them the benefit of your experience even tho they may look upon it as a joke, let nature take its course and trust to luck.

My boys have each served in the Boy Scout army. They have always taken a great interest in that organization, and of course their parents have been right in for the thing too, especially when they could see and realize what it meant to the boys. With the exception of the Camp Fire organization, there is no organization that means so much to the rounding out of a clean, healthy boy as the Boy Scouts. Next week there will likely be an article on the girl question, but some one else will have to write it—I am unfortunately limited to boys only.

Right now my bunch is stocked up with police dogs, a coyote, milk goat, pigeons of several varieties, rabbits and did have a pretty sensible cat but he could not stand the racket no longer and suddenly came up missing.

The editor of the Leader is in receipt of a lengthy letter from a misguided brother who dubs the writer as a "dreamer". He further states with a facile pen smacking of the stone age, that there is no room for human sympathy in the world today, etc.

I, (not we) am a dreamer. I plead guilty to the psychological crime of being an every day dreamer. Many of my dreams have come true—others are just now in their making. More people rust out than wear out. I will win. A sage of old coined the phrase that "Dreamers live forever; toilers die in a day". The majority of people have been dreamers since man began the struggle to lift himself to a higher intelligence, where his interest and that of his loved ones might escape needless errors in the battle of life. Cruel tho it may be at times, the dreamer must have his plans—the dreamer is a planner to the utmost. He may build air castles only to have them thrust to earth again, and again. If he has within him that indomitable will to succeed, he will use each failure as a club with which to batter down each succeeding handicap.

The best books were written by dreamers. I have studied the dusty tomes of the past, have feasted on information gathered by the sages of the centuries. I have drunk deep of the waters of the Pierian spring and all the knowledge of the world is within my grasp.

This mis-guided brother who appears to be a combination of Solomon and Socrates, states that he was born on a southern farm, studied the rudiments of an education in the "little red school-house". He taught young minds how to grasp the best in life for some twenty years. He now acknowledges that his life has been a failure. He should pass on to the realms of obscurity without shedding tears over the fate of the dreamer or those who look to the dreamer for guidance. God Almighty made the dreamer and without the dreamer the world would be a barbaric wilderness today and the cave man and the beasts of the stone age would continue to inhabit it.

A man without imagination and the milk of human kindness is to be pitied. The man who has only

rocks instead of encouraging words for his fellows is to be pitied. If there were no dreamers, there would be no progress. If there were no dreamers, might would be right, and Mammon would be king.

If there were no dreamers, the Golden Fleece of commerce would be the God of immortality, mankind brutish and intolerant.

All the warriors from Alexander to Joffre were dreamers. All the scientists of history, master painters and musicians, sculptors and builders, have all been dreamers.

Likewise the poets who have given the world its priceless masterpieces and the authors who have given the world the classics of literature have been dreamers. All the liberators of history began life as dreamers. Likewise the navigators and explorers. Yes, I shall continue to dream believing that since many have come true, many others will come true in time.

Folks, the first issue is a thing of the past now—just history—but it was a Jonah. The force spent many weary hours getting the machinery lined up just right and were all up one night thru and a part of the force another night. It was a tough job. We had to make good. Financial consideration did not enter into the work. A more loyal crew never worked on an issue of any paper anywhere. Some contributed of their skill and refused pay which we gladly offered.

After the smoke of battle had cleared away, we felt that we had done a fairly good job of it. When the public began to file into the office every hour and congratulate us on the excellent paper we had produced, we felt well paid for our efforts. The phone rang time after time and we heard the joyous words of encouragement from our readers. We feel better. There is nothing just like appreciation. Say it with words now, we care nothing for the flowers after it is too late. To those who assisted us in many ways—and there were many ways—we again want to assure you of a deep sense of appreciation.

All the folks have been good to us. You have heaped honors upon us which we feel like we do not deserve. The pleasure is ours. Here is the second issue, and may it please you more. As time goes by, we expect to give you a much better paper. Your patience is unsurpassed. We will get matters shaped up within a short time to where worry will not hinder. Then we expect to give you a real paper. We—that includes all the

Leader force. The editor, his wife, five sons and James Grundy, make up the regular force. Others help with the odds and ends just to make it go, as they say. We feel like our labors are not in vain.

Subscriptions are pouring in without any extra inducement. We want the Leader to grow strictly on its own merits. If it can't, it can turn its toes to the daisies and we will turn over the job to them.

Disgusted Legislator

The average voter sometimes wonders why more legislators do not get "fed up" with proceedings in the State capital and attempt to resign, as did John H. Veatch of Johnson County. Representative Veatch, who has served six terms in the House, is reported to have asked permission from Governor Moody to resign, giving as his reason the disposition of the legislature to create more bureaus, jobs and commissions.

It must go against the grain of a conservative man to see the way legislators appropriate money, but still there never seems to be enough funds to provide entirely for all of the worthy Senate enterprises. Representative Veatch also was disturbed by the great amount of furor caused by the legislature and the small amount of good accomplished. He has been in the legislature long enough to find that less than 10 per cent of the members are conscientious and actually study the problems which they must consider. This group of legislators is hindered in their efforts by the more than 90 per cent which has personal or local objections to constructive measures.

The legislature is becoming an unwieldy group, and if the business of the State can be transferred by 10 per cent of the number now employed, it would seem a reasonable thing to do to reduce the number, increase the salaries and give them more time if needed for thorough investigation of proposed measures.

—Semi-Weekly Record-Chronicle.

GOVERNOR SIGNS 15 BILLS

Teachers in the public schools of Texas must be American citizens or declare their intention of so becoming under the provisions of a bill approved and filed Saturday by Governor Moody. It is House Bill No. 109 and becomes effective 90 days after adjournment of the regular session.

The Governor also filed 14 other bills. They are: House 57 providing for venue of appointment of guardians. Immediate effect.

House 165 fixing the salary of county superintendents. Ninety days.

House 276 payment of expenses of shorthand clerks in judicial districts when on official business. Immediate effect.

House 358 fixing terms of court in 38th Judicial District; 90 days. House 479, creating Hidalgo and Cameron counties Water Control and Improvement District No. 9. Immediate effect.

House 523, road tax Childress

County. Immediate effect. House 557, Erath County road law. Immediate effect.

House 565, road tax Foard County. Immediate effect.

Senate 13, increasing salary one assistant district attorney and one stenographer in counties of population of 155,000. Immediate effect.

Senate 29, amending statute regarding writs of injunction. Immediate effect.

Senate 33, providing that when a person is convicted of a felony and the punishment assessed is only a fine or jail sentence or both, that the judgment may be satisfied in the same manner as a conviction for a misdemeanor is by law satisfied. Immediate effect.

THIS WEEK FOR WOMEN

Women of Amarillo are celebrating this week. It has been entered upon the calendar as National Business Women's Week, and is being observed for the first time on a national scale. In the words of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, the occasion is set aside to call attention to the increasing numbers of American business women and the increasing importance of the part they play in community life.

Projects emphasized by the national organization are education and community welfare. Its slogan is: "At least a high school education for every business girl." Its aim in community welfare is a study of what business women can contribute. The work of women in both these directions is not to be minimized, when one remembers that their 960 clubs throughout the nation have 436 educational

loan funds through which thousands of girls are receiving aid in high school work and in entering business.

There is no argument about advancing rapidly in business and in the professions. There is scarcely a week that we do not hear of some woman being appointed to a responsible position, or of a woman entering into the business life of the country. This year finds eight women in Congress. The names of 146 women will be carried this year on the rosters of thirty-eight state Legislators.

According to the last census, 8,549,511 women were employed in gainful occupations in the United States. They had invaded all but thirty-five of the occupations listed, or 537 out of 572 callings.

Thus we may see that National Business Women's Week is a permanent place in American life, and that we may expect more interesting reports from the women, this week and during all the other fifty-one weeks of the year.—From Editorial in Amarillo Daily News.

NEW COURSE ADDED

Addition to the curriculum of the A. & M. College of Texas of a course in petroleum production, effective next September, has been announced by Dean F. C. Bolton of the school of engineering. Added at the request of a number of men prominent in the petroleum industry of Texas, this new course will round out the phases of instruction offered by the college to prepare young men for the petroleum industry. Dean Bolton pointed out. It is planned that the first two years of the new course will be offered next fall, while other years of the course will be

added as the students progress in their work.

With the new course, A. & M. College of Texas will enter the ranks of those institutions that offer a full three-phase course of instruction for students who desire to enter the petroleum industry, namely, courses in geology, refining and production engineering.

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Stucco job of new home of John Grimsley of Hedley.

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CHAMBERLAIN

H. M. Reid spent Sunday with his nephew W. G. Reid at Stratford.

Rev. Hukle filled his appointment at this place Sunday afternoon, a large crowd was present.

B. L. Blackman and family are making an overland visit to central and south Texas.

Miss Weta Haley spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Reid home.

Morris Milsap and Eugene Choate spent Thursday in Memphis.

Mrs. V. V. Johnston and Mrs. J. L. Aduddell spent Tuesday with Mrs. A. V. Neely of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Reid spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Albert Reid of Ashtola.

W. B. Barbee's mother of Halcenter visited him last Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Edmondson called on her sister Mrs. Walter Gregg of Clarendon Thursday.

Lee White of Amarillo called on his sister, Mrs. Clifford Johnson, last Sunday.

Frank Barbee of Claude was in our burg last Sunday.

The P. T. A. met Friday night with a good attendance, an interesting program was given by the little folks; after which ways and means of better lights were discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rhodes of Brice visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milsap Friday night.

Mr. Morris Milsap and Miss Alice Behrenger attended the tent show Friday night.

Olin Cook and sisters, Misses Lola and Hazel of Sunnyview attended the program Friday night.

The Reynolds family moved to Dickens county last week.

The readers of the Leader were highly pleased with its first edition.

Miss Haley called on Mrs. Elmer Mrs. H. M. Reid and Miss Lucille Haley called on Mrs. Elmer Palmer of Clarendon last Thursday.

SCHOOL NOTES

AGRICULTURE CLASSES

Since the arrival of these few spring days the boys of the Ag classes have been getting some real enjoyment out of their work. Last Tuesday both classes spent the day out at the terracing school which was held on the Schul farm. There they were given first-class instructions from Mr. Bentley, who is farm engineer of A. & M. All the boys were given a chance to set up a tripod and find the slope of a hill. Several other instructions gave instructions in terracing, one of which was Mr. Short of the Federal Land Bank of Texas. After the land was marked the terracing machines were put in order and terraces were thrown up. This work was not only a benefit to the farmers of the community but to our prospective farmers of the Ag Classes. The C. of C. served dinner at twelve. Sandwiches and coffee were consumed view of extending their branch by the holedale. We were forced to quit due to the fact that one of our western land-slides appeared on the horizon. We left the farm; came to town; and used the Court-house for a wind break. And again we were instructed by Messrs. Short and Bentley. The latest thing in the way of Ag-work is the new flower beds which are being tilled in front of the girls hall. According to the classes the building will be a very beautiful place within the month.

The early part of last week was spent in the building of a fence. Several of the boys found out what they knew about fence building.

There are many other interesting things to be worked at before the school term is out according to Prof. Hutton, who is our instructor in Agriculture.

TRACK MEN ARE FEW

The prospects of the Clarendon high school are few for the coming track season. This has been the case for the last few years, due to the fact that the majority of our boys enjoy the cigarettes and soda water.

Nichols will take care of the weights and will be very useful man in the relay. Barton, the skinny Junior, is showing up well in the high jump and is expected to carry off honors in the County meet as well as the District. With Noble and Deaver fighting for first honors in the distant runs the local boys feel sure of two first places. Dillard, the

senior athlete, will easily hold down the two hurdles and will also toss the discus. A few more of the boys might work into shape before two more weeks have passed and Clarendon high will win her share of first honors in the County and District meets.

THE MOLLUSC

The people of Clarendon and the surrounding community are to be afforded a rare opportunity on Friday night March 22nd when the Clarendon college Dramatic Club under the direction of Miss Rita Foster presents this creation of Henry Davis.

No play ever presented in Clarendon has presented such dramatic possibilities. Simple in setting, depicting human activities as a parallel to some of the lower forms of animal life. The quality of the play may be judged by the fact that Little Theatre Clubs all over the state are featuring this production. Only last week the Curtin club of the University of Texas presented it and the critics were unanimously of the opinion that it was the best ever attempted.

The Dramatic club invites your support. They are trying hard to give the people of Clarendon the type of entertainment that larger cities which support Little Theatre Clubs are afforded.

The cast: Mrs. Baxter — Miss Helen Martin Miss Roberts — Miss Myra Worsham.

Mr. Baxter — Frank A. Stocking Tom Chesterfield, McHenry Lane

SLUMBERLESS PARTY

After having visited Gabe Garrett's comedians and saw "The road to Hell", four wee girls returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Andis; there to have several pillow and cover fights. At the wee hours of about twelve dongs as told by the other cuchoo, they fell asleep. Awakening early the next morning they lay in bed, talked, laughed and finally arose to feed their faces. All of this was enjoyed by the L. O. B. S. club, at the home of Lucille Andis. They all left her home Sunday morning having had the best time of the season.

HEDLEY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB IS ORGANIZED

A new Home Demonstration Club was organized at Hedley March 15th. Mrs. J. C. Latimer was elected president; Mrs. Luke Hart, vice president; Mrs. Jeff Shaw secretary.

The following members were enrolled: Mmes. Luke Hart, W. G. Brinson, John Moreman, R. E. Newman, J. H. Shaw, J. L. Lamberson, J. C. Latimer, Laura Brinson, W. W. Holland, Clay Fortenberry, Effie Fortenberry, Hurlie Moreman, J. W. Swinney, M. G. Whitfield, Edd Whiteside, E. B. Mace, H. A. Bridges, R. R. Mobley.

The next meeting will be held in the Methodist church at 2:00 p. m., Friday, March 29th.

BANQUET AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH FRIDAY NIGHT

The male members of the Christian church will give a banquet Friday night of this week honoring the women of the church. The banquet is being given in honor of the church and the faithful, efficient services of the ladies who have made a name for themselves known all over the Panhandle and even farther.

Mrs. L. J. Hampton returned from Dallas Sunday where she had been to consult a specialist following a severe case of the flu. She is much improved in health and steadily growing better.

Dr. Tyndall, well known to our people, and who has held a number of meetings here, will again be in a meeting here in August.

A pre-Easter service will be held at the Christian church next Sunday to which a general invitation is issued to all to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Chamberlain, Miss Annie Bourland, Miss Maudie Graves and Mrs. Mary Lou Hemminger were among those to attend grand opera in Amarillo Monday night.

Rev. Robert S. McKee is moving his family into the manse after occupying the Powell home since his arrival some two months ago. The Presbyterian church folks have painted the outside and refinished the inside making it very presentable.

POULTRY

COD LIVER OIL AIDS EARLY CHICK

Three Tests Made at North Carolina Station.

Three separate tests made lately at the North Carolina experiment station prove the value of 1 per cent of cod liver oil in the mash feed supplied to early hatched chicks.

"Chicks reared in our laboratories where we could control nearly all conditions have proved the value of cod liver oil in the mash feed," declares Dr. B. F. Kaupp, head of the poultry department of State college. "One lot of chicks fed a complete ration except for the vitamins, broke in health in the fifth week. The chicks receiving 1 per cent of the tested oil in the same kind of mash did not break in health and were strong and well developed. In a second lot, the chicks which were not allowed to run out-of-doors nor receive direct sunlight gave us exactly the same results. Those receiving the oil were strong and well and were sold as broilers. Those receiving only the straight mash and grain feed broke in health at the end of the fifth week."

Doctor Kaupp states that a third flock was carried on the basic ration without oil but every day during the middle of the day with the result that they did not break in health but were not as large and strong as the chicks in the cod liver oil flock. Doctor Kaupp states that those chicks which run out-of-doors pick up other things which are required for good health and development, but usually this is not sufficient as the tests with the cod liver oil flock. As a result of all the tests, Doctor Kaupp believes that the expense of using 1 per cent of this oil is well worth while. It holds up the health and gives stronger constitutional vigor.

Marketing Eggs Direct Is Profitable Plan

Many poultrymen who are wanting a better market for their poultry products would find better profits in a direct to the consumer trade, according to W. A. Sumner, University of Wisconsin, who points out that a classified ad in city papers often will bring more customers than a farmer can supply.

He points out the necessity of the farmer poultry producer being in position to take care of orders in prompt and efficient manner and to be able to supply a good reliable product, which in the case of eggs would mean, fresh, large-sized and clean eggs.

This directs to the consumer business depends upon repeat orders and poultrymen must keep up the quality of their shipments so that customers will not look elsewhere for eggs or poultry.

It pays to have neat cartons and crates for marketing eggs and sometimes a producer can develop a trademark name that will help bring more orders and customers.

Milk Solids Favored for All Kinds of Fowl

Skim milk solids are fundamental in the poultry rations recommended by Massachusetts Agricultural college in Extension Leaflet No. 6. Laying mash formula is 100 pounds bran, 100 pounds middlings, 200 pounds yellow corn meal, 100 pounds ground oats, 50 pounds meat scrap, 25 pounds "powdered milk," 25 pounds alfalfa leaf meal, 5 pounds fine salt, 25 pounds steamed bone meal; and the grain formula is 100 pounds each of cracked corn, whole corn, wheat, or barley and oats. In addition the leaflet recommends: "Feed skim milk wherever available. When all the skim milk the bird will consume is available, meat scrap need not be fed. For chicks, the laying mash with an additional 25 pounds of dry skim milk is recommended, together with chick grain, 200 pounds fine cracked corn, and 100 pounds cracked wheat. Milk solids in the laying mash amount to 4 per cent; in the chick mash to 8 per cent."

Age to Keep Hens

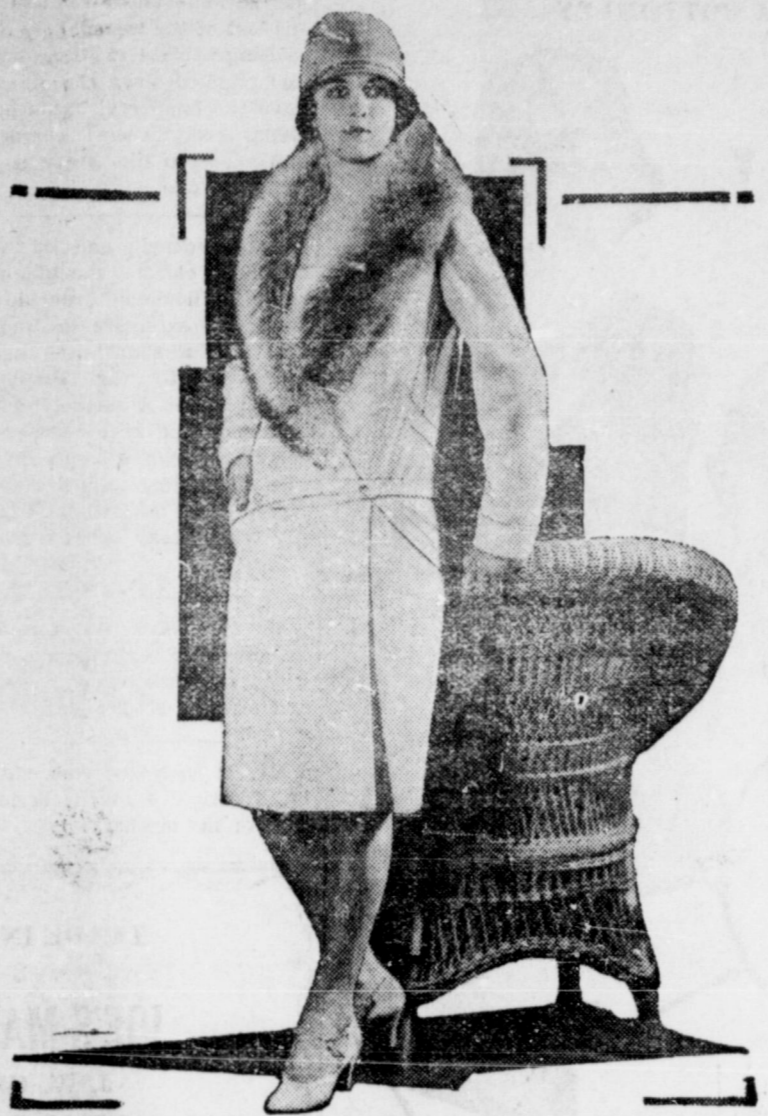
With Leghorns, Anconas, Minorcas and birds of this type, the hens of the right type may be kept until they are three years old. It is not usually advisable to keep them after they have reached three years of age. With the general purpose breeds, such as Rhode Island Reds, Plymouth Rocks, Orpingtons, etc., it is usually best to sell them after they are two years old. Extremely valuable hens can sometimes be kept for five years, but this is quite unusual.

Thin-Shelled Eggs

Whenever there is a late spring with a great deal of cloudy weather, many flocks lay thin-shelled eggs. The egg-shell quality from such a flock will begin to improve as soon as the hens get into direct sunlight. It is a common observation that when a flock is laying thin-shelled eggs and is turned out-of-doors in the sun, the shell quality improves. It is very important in managing a flock to open the windows on sunny days during the winter or early spring.

Winter Resort Fashions Reveal Spring Style Secrets Aforetime

By JULIA BOTTOMLEY



BEFORE Dame Fashion decides to announce "what's what" in spring and summer apparel—the secret's out! All because sunny winter resorts have a way of luring a goodly number of the leisure class southward, and what they wear where 'tis summer in midwinter is a reliable forecast of modes-to-be for the rest of the world later on. Which accounts for Palm Beach and southern California fashions being of as fascinating interest to stay-at-homes as to those who blaze the trail to future modes.

Here's one of the secrets revealed in regard to spring and summer styles—it's going to be a "white season." The sunburn tan in the fashionable Southland has brought white to the fore for everything from kid shoes to hats—everything but hosiers, for sunburn hose are the rule.

This fair for white is having a

marked effect on shoe fashions in that dainty white kid footwear becomes a necessary luxury in the feminine wardrobe. Even the men this season, so shoe stylists declare, are discarding heavier leathers for shoes of fine supple kid.

As to millady's coat for the Southland, white is the thing, unfurled or touched with fur like the model in the picture. In this instance the collar is of honey beige fur. It's interesting to note that the little sports hat matches the fur in color, while the kid shoes are white like the cloth of the coat.

Even the coats in more wintry climes reflect the vogue for white in that the most swagger are of colorful cloth, preferably tweed, trimmed with the exceedingly voguish off-white caracul. It's a marvelous combination, this of rich toned cloth and eggshell tinted or white flat fur.

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Slaton Mahaffey and S. T. Clayton visited Mrs. Roy Cornelius in Amarillo Sunday.

Four tables were filled and Shamrock prizes offered, high club going to Mrs. Chas Trent, high guest to Mrs. Earl Alexander and consolation cut to Mrs. Jim Morris. A two course refreshment carrying out the color scheme of St. Patrick gave the decorations a fantastic appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris of Hereford, Texas are visiting with Harris and Mrs. Martin are sis-Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin. Mrs. ters.

Mrs. Monica Harvey and son Robert visited with Mrs. Harvey's sister, Mrs. A. F. Bennett of Amarillo Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Wilma Jerald, Maidee Thompson and Verena Reed were visiting Miss Edna Gerlach here over Saturday, she returning with them to Memphis Saturday evening.

Miss Mabel Stephenson and Dora Moore of Claude visited the local schools Monday.

W. T. LINK

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CHILD DIES SUNDAY

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Spiller died at 10:30 p. m. Sunday March 17th. Little Betsy had partially recovered from an attack of scarlet fever only to be taken with diptheria. All that skill and loving hands could do was unable to save her. Friends and acquaintances grieve with those of the family who shall miss her.

E. E. Wiley, of Frederick, Oklahoma and a boyhood acquaintance of the editor twenty-five years ago, paid us his respects Monday.

Miss Willie Mae Stewart spent the week end with Miss Mildred Stewart in Pampa. Miss Mildred is a member of the school faculty.

J. F. Merrick of Trinidad, Colorado is visiting his daughters here, Mmes. Cleo Keys and Will Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kennedy returned to her home in Dallas Monday after a visit of a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roland.

J. H. Skinner, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Skinner and who makes his home near Denver, recently underwent a serious operation but is improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lindsey and

son Jack visited relatives in Wellington Sunday.

Mr. H. L. Farrow, J. R. Wells and "Slick" Naylor went to McLean to act as judges in the McLean high school declamation report that the contests were difficult and the winner was very hard to select. Their decisions must have been O. K. because we notice that there are not any black eyes among the three.

Mr. and Mrs. Meade Halle are residents of Wichita, Kansas where Meade is a student of a school of pharmacy. Mrs. Halle will be remembered by her many friends here as Miss Gwyn Youngblood.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Skelton attended the Gordon-Hall wedding at Albuquerque, N. M. on their honeymoon trip.

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BRICE

Miss Rosa Rhodes, who teaches at Leslie, spent the past week end with relatives in the Flat.

Misses Mattie, Jewell and Irene Rhodes, of the Goldston community spent the week end with Miss Claudine Smallwood.

Mr. Royce Lewis, who attends school at Abilene, spent this week with his father Bill Lewis of Leslie.

Misses Claudine and Mamie Smallwood, and Messrs. Royce, Loyd and Leon Lewis motored to the Goldston community, Sunday afternoon to visit with the Misses Rhodes.

The young people enjoyed a party Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rexrhode.

Miss Lila Nelson, of Amarillo, visited relatives and friends here the past week end.

Mrs. Oscar Barham, who has been on the sick list, has improved.

Miss Eunice Smith, who has been quite ill with smallpox, is slowly improving.

Miss Glynn Shepherd was on the sick list the fore part of the week. She returned to Clarendon for school Wednesday.

Miss Claudine Smallwood, who attends school at Clarendon, spent the week end with home folks.

Messrs. Marion Cross, Harry Hartsog, Leland Gillespie, and Guy Jones went to the tent show at Clarendon Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus McCrary of Hickman visited in Brice Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Newton moved from the Teacherage to their home on Mr. Curtis Benson's place south of Brice.

Miss Brock is entertaining the Home Economic Girls and the girls of the Brice High school with a party Friday night.

Miss Todd of Memphis spent the past week end with Miss Mary George Wright.

The basket ball teams went to Deep Lake Thursday afternoon. The Brice Girls and boys teams both were victorious.

The Hickman boys and girls

basket ball teams visited Brice Friday afternoon. The Brice teams were victorious.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill and family motored to Hulver, Estelline and Memphis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Frank White attended the fat stock show in Ft. Worth this week, while Mrs. White visited her mother in Hulver.

Ben Hill made a business trip to Clarendon Thursday.

Jack Murff shopped in Clarendon Monday afternoon.

Messrs. Royce, Loyd and Leon Lewis of Leslie, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins, Sunday night.

Miss Evalce Barham spent Friday night with Miss Mamie Smallwood.

Mr. Jeff Aduddell is building a new residence in Brice.

Mrs. E. P. Payne who was called to the bedside of a sick daughter in New Mexico the fore part of last week, has returned home, bringing her daughter with her.

The ladies of the community are to meet at the home of Mrs. Oscar Barham, on March 26, for the purpose of organizing a Home Demonstrating club. The county Demonstrating agent, Miss Adams, will meet with them.

D. T. Smallwood made a business trip to Clarendon Friday afternoon.

We are having some real cold weather again this week, also several sandstorms.

Rev. Ingram, of Clarendon was seen in Brice Friday afternoon.

Rev. Evans of Lodge was in Brice Thursday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Estes, who teaches at Eli spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. N. L. Murff fell against the stove last Sunday morning and burned one arm severely, but is doing nicely at this writing.

Mr. N. L. Murff and sons Jack and Elba went to Floydada Friday to visit with Mr. Paul Murff and wife.

List of Petit Jurors
Third Week District Court

List of Petit Jurors for third week of the March term of Dis-

trict court of Donley county Texas 1929 convening 25th.

- G. A. Shoop.
- J. L. Tims.
- J. M. Tidwell.
- Irven Alderson.
- H. L. Riley.
- A. D. Arnold.
- D. W. Turner.
- P. B. Gentry.
- J. H. Hurn.
- W. H. Corbin.
- J. A. Long.
- T. E. Naylor.
- Bill Green.
- W. F. Barker.
- Doss Palmer.
- E. L. Hunt.
- C. M. Peabody.
- Henry Tatum.
- Jno. Spier.
- J. A. Pool.
- J. W. Bowder.
- A. O. Hott.
- Buel Sanford.
- B. B. Smith.
- Ira Merchant.

- R. E. Darnell.
- D. M. Grimsley.
- Lu McClellen.
- Roy Wilson.
- J. M. Stephens.
- I. O. N.ble.
- G. F. Frost.
- W. L. Goldston.
- Jim Morgan.
- A. T. Simmons.
- H. Mulkey.

CHIROPRACTORS MEET

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Galloway attended the joint chiropractor's meeting of the Red River District, South Plains District and Fandhandle District held in the Memphis hotel, in Memphis Sunday March 17th.

Dr. C. W. Maier of Hillsboro, president of the State Chiropractor's Association, Dr. R. E. Hendricks of Wichita Falls and Dr. Maud Gruby of Graham, who have been in Austin during the Legisla-

ture, working for the interest of the chiropractors in Texas, gave some splendid reports to the association.

The members also enjoyed a very fine dinner in the banquet hall of the hotel.

The Chiropractors of Texas are working together organizing some fine associations in order to promote the chiropractors profession in every way possible.

WALTER MORROW'S NEW PLYMOUTH MEETS DEFEAT

In a collision between Walter Morrow's new Plymouth sedan and a Chevrolet about dusk Saturday evening near the Strong filling station, the Plymouth was knocked over, back fenders demolished and the top wrecked.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrow and Ben Peabody are said to have been the occupants in the new car, while the Chevrolet was occupied by Allen Martin and some of his

brothers. Mrs. Morrow received slight bruises, otherwise no great bodily injury was done. The Chevrolet is reported to have come into the main highway from a side road on the north side hitting the Morrow car broadside turning it over twice.

The H. E. W and Men's bible classes of the Methodist churches called Sunday at the home of Uncle Billy and Aunt Sallie Smith, as they are affectionately called by their large number of friends. These good people are sick and were visited by friends just as they would have gladly done had conditions been reversed.

This couple by their faith and christian example, have been the guidance for better lives than possibly any other couple in our city. Countless numbers pay glowing tributes of appreciation for association with these good citizens and wish for them a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Youngblood of Amarillo are guests in the home of his uncle, W. H. Youngblood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Price are attending a Rexall convention in Dallas.

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Committees Now Ready For Club Room Action

Below is a complete list of the various committees named in the rules of By-Laws and Constitution of the Donley County Club Room adopted last week. Four committees will act and are as follows: Finance, Mrs. W. W. Taylor, Mrs. J. T. Sims, Mrs. Sam M. Braswell and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry. Purchasing, Mrs. H. T. Burton, Mrs. Homer Glascoe, Mrs. Ralph Kerbow, and Mrs. J. W. Evans. Calendar, Mrs. Ralph Kerbow, Mrs. Chas. Trent and Mrs. Geo. Ryan. Property, Mrs. W. H. Young blood and Mrs. Emma Crabtree. The duties of the committees are laid out in the Constitution and By-Laws, which follow:

By-Laws and Standing Rules Governing the Donley County

Article I.
Use and Government of Room
Section 1. This room shall be for the use of the Club Women of Donley County.

Section 2. The Women's Club Room shall be governed by a Board of Directors, consisting of the presiding officers of the Women's Clubs of Donley County, organized with a definite line of work.

Article II.
Section 1. Elective officers of the Board of Directors shall be President, Vice President, Secretary and a Treasurer.

Article III.
Election of Officers
Section 1. The officers of the Board of Directors shall be elected at the first regular meeting in January to serve one year.

Article IV.
President
Section 1. The President of the Board of Directors shall preside at all meetings and supervise all plans of activity.

VICE PRESIDENT
Section 2. The Vice President of the Board of Directors shall perform the duties of the President in her absence.

SECRETARY
Section 3. The Secretary shall keep a record of all meetings of the Board of Directors and attend to all correspondence.

TREASURER
Section 4. The Treasurer shall hold and disburse all funds of the Board of Directors.

Article V.
Committees
Section 1. There shall be the following committees: Finance, Purchasing, Calendar, Property.

Article VI.
Duties of Committees

FINANCE
Section 1. The Finance Committee shall make all plans for raising money for the furnishing of the Club Room. These plans to be subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

PURCHASING
Section 2. The Purchasing Committee shall make all purchases for the Women's Club room, subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

CALENDAR
Section 3. The calendar committee shall prepare the calendar for the use of the club room, subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

PROPERTY
Section 4. The property Committee shall have charge of the furnishings of the Club Room and check the equipment of the kitchen each time it is used.

Article VII.
Amendments

Section 1. The By-Laws governing the Women's Club room may be amended at any regular meeting of the Board of Directors by a two-thirds vote of the Board.

Standing Rules
(a) This room shall be for the exclusive use of the Women's Clubs of Donley County with a definite line of work.

(b) The President of the Board of Directors shall be custodian of all keys.

(c) The furnishings of this room shall not be removed for use elsewhere.

(d) The chairman of all committees shall be chosen from the Board of Directors. Members of committees shall be chosen from the Board of Directors or drafted from active clubs, subject to the approval of the Board.

(f) No banquets, benefit dinners or rummage sales shall be held in the Women's Club Room.

Mrs. James Patman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sommons of Hedley Sunday.

* With Our Churches *

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school, 9:45.
Preaching service, 11 a. m.
B. Y. P. U. services, 6:30.
Evening service, 7:30.
The West side circle will meet with Mrs. J. H. Harris.
The East side circle will meet with Mrs. W. C. Stewart.
W. M. U. will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Henry Taylor, pastor.
Sunday school meets in all departments at 9:45.
Morning service at 11:00 a. m.
A cordial welcome is extended to all those who care to come and worship with us in any part of the services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school meets in all its departments at 9:45 a. m. J. Ralph Porter, general superintendent.
Preaching services conducted by the pastor at 10:50 a. m. and 7 p. m.
You are most cordially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Robert S. McKee, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Help continue the growing attendance.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock.
Young People's Society, 6:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

After a long siege of sickness and bad weather which hindered attendance on all services, we are again in full swing in every department of church work.

Interest in each service gradually increases and we trust we will continue to advance in future as in the past. An invitation is extended to all to attend our services. Our motto is: "Preach the word", and live up to what we preach.

Services for week as follows:
Bible school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.
Subject, "The church at Laodicea."
Communion, 11:50 a. m.
Young peoples meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Preaching, 7:30 p. m.
Subject, "The foolishness of

God.
Ladies Bible class, Monday 4 p. m.
Come and be with us, D. Lee Hukel, Minister.

Joe Bonds of this city visited relatives at Lakeview and Memphis over the week end.

CLASSIFIED ADS

SELL OR TRADE—280 acre stock farm 8 miles southwest of Olustee, Okla. J. Cobb Harris, Clarendon.

LOST—Small bundle containing three lace collars bought of Haulan, Pope. Return to Leader office. Mrs. C. R. Piercy. 1c

WANTED—A chance to show you how I appreciate your shoe repair business by the quality of work I do. Next door to the Hatchery. S. A. Pierce. 1c.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Two, three or four. Mrs. T. W. Smith. Phone 461.

FOR SALE—Four head 1200 lb. gentle work mares. Tom Parker, Phone 220, Clarendon, Texas.

FORD TRUCK—Range coal stove. J. Cobb Harris.

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FOR SALE—Ford touring \$125. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FORD TOURING—\$75.00. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

BARGAINS—in used cars. See Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—Ford Touring. \$75.00. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—Ford Fordor, \$140. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—Chevrolet Coupe, runs good \$100.00. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—Ford touring, \$100. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—Pontiac Coach. Looks and runs like new. A bargain. \$425.00. Clarendon Motor Co. 1c

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe. Good condition. \$235.00. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—Ford Touring, \$100. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—Ford Touring. \$80. Clarendon Motor Company 1c

FOR SALE—One 10 foot soda fountain. Phone 376 or see Homer Taylor. 2tp.

LOST—Brown muley cow. Lost Sunday morning. Had halter. Under crop mark right ear. Phone 55 or 72.

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PASTIME THEATRE

March 20
Emil Jannanings in "The Last Command", this is a story of a Russian general, and it is as good as the best only one day, also Paramount News.

10—30c
March 21
Style show furnished by our local merchants, and the entire proceeds to the Local Lions Club to be given to the Crippled Childrens Fund, also a style show film showing many of the Movie Stars and other entertainment.

10—50c
Friday, 22
Tim McCoy in the "Bush-ranger, a story of the mounted police, also confessions of a chorus girl in "Skating Home", Comedy

10—30c
Saturday, 23
Alice White and Jack Mulhall in "Naughty Baby," Miss White's second great Comedy-Drama, and you will like it, also "Our Gang" in "School Begins", It's a wow.

10—40c
Monday - Tuesday
25 26
George Bancroft and Betty Compson in the Docks of New York, another big hit for Bancroft, also Oddities Paramount News, and song film.

QUEEN THEATRE

Saturday, 23
Cliff "Tex" Lyons in Master of the Range. Hot Western and Second Number of Terriole People, featuring Walter Miller and Aileen Ray, the two best serial Stars ever appeared together.

10—25c

MRS. KIRTLLEY ENTERTAINS YOUNG MATRONS

Mrs. B. F. Kirtley was hostess to the Young Matrons' bridge club on Thursday afternoon. St. Patrick's colors were used in the salad course which was served to Mrs. Lillian Brady, W. L. Ball, Jim Hall, Sam Darden, Barcus Antrobus, Carl Bennett, Bascom White and Miss Lotta Bourland. Mrs. White won the prize for high score.

JUNIOR P. T. A. MEET

The Junior Parent-Teacher Association will meet Thursday in the Junior high school auditorium at 3:30 p. m.

Mrs. C. A. Burton will address the gathering on the subject of "Delinquency." This promises to be a very interesting meeting and all members are urged to attend.

KO JO KOI CLUB MEETS

The Ko Jo Koi Club was entertained by Miss Dorothy Jo Ryan Saturday at the Ryan ranch. The day was given over to a delightful outing and merry-making such as would appeal to the young misses on pleasure bent. Those to enjoy this unusual pleasure were: Doris Smith, who is a new member, Aileen Ballew, Willie Maud Pratt, Vivian Taylor, Gertrude Reed, Aurelia Kelly, Mary Tom Atteberry, Peggy Word and the hostess, Dorothy Jo Ryan. The previous meeting was held at the Country Club, Miss Vivian Taylor acting as hostess. Miss Aileen Ballew is reporter for this interesting organization.

Home Demonstration Club Meets With Mrs. John Beverly

An interesting meeting of the home demonstration club was held at the home of Mrs. John Beverly Friday afternoon. Fourteen members were present and one visitor. The subject for consideration at this meeting was "Yard Beautification." Mrs. O. L. Fink discussed the rose garden in a very instructive manner, after which the members entered into a general discussion. Flowers best suited to west Texas and cultural methods relating their personal experience and results obtained which will prove of much benefit as planting time is near at hand.

Planning the home grounds was also taken up at this meeting. Various members expressed themselves on the subject and many good suggestions were offered.

The constitution and by-laws of the Donley County Club room was read by Mrs. W. H. Youngblood, and are published in this issue of the Leader under another heading. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess to Meses. Anderson, Crabtree, Crane, Estlack, Fink, Liesberg, Spitzer, Van Eaton, Stocking, Toombs, Youngblood, Edington and Mrs. Will Lott as the invited guest.

Rev. Henry Taylor is better able to look after his pastorate and visit his membership since he invested in the new Whippet, which was bought of the Palmer-Riddle people, local agents.

Mesdames F. E. Chamberlain and J. L. McMurtry were visitors in Amarillo Monday attending the Grand Opera that evening.

Circle No. 1 of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. O. L. Fink Wednesday afternoon. The topic for discussion was "Daughters," led by Miss Sarah Porter. Lesson readings were given by Meses. Ballew, Fink, Estlack, Williams, Parsons and Beville.

During the social hour dainty refreshments were served to ten members: Meses. Allison, Ballew, Beville, Davis, Estlack, Henderson, Parsons, Williams and Miss Porter.

The business meeting was opened with a special prayer by Mrs. Allison for the success of the meeting of the Missionary Council then in session at Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Harry Blair Wednesday

Circle No. 4 of the Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Harry Blair Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. C. T. McClenny acting as leader. The topic for discussion was, "The water in the broken cup" which afforded a most interesting program.

After the lesson refreshments were served to Meses. Holder, Johnson, Murrell, McClenny, Pierce, Price, T. E. Trostle, Hayden, Lott, Palmer, Erwin and Miss Carrie Wiedman.

Arthur Clement, manager of the Farmer's Gin of Hedley was in town Friday looking after his business interests.

ECONOMICS CLUB

Boydston Jericho club met with Mrs. Smith of the Boydston community March 13th. 14 members were present and seven tried out in the butter judging contest held after they had their demonstration on standardization of farm milk and milk production for market and home use. They had 3 who scored so high in the community try out that they are entering the county contest.

THE MARTIN H. D. C.

Met with Mrs. M. L. Pittman March 14th and had their demonstration on points to look for in choosing a dairy cow.

When and how to cool milk in order to keep it sweet longest. The Butter score card and how to use it.

Correct method of churning, working, washing and preparing butter for the market. There were 10 members who tried out in the club butter judging. After Miss Thompson had demonstrated making butter, they judged the butter which she had made. This club will have 3 or more representatives in the county butter judging contest.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Clyde I Price entertained the Thursday bridge club Thursday with two tables. The Shamrock colors were carried out in both decorations and refreshments. Miss Bula Baird won high score. Dainty refreshments were served to Meses. Homer Glascoe, T. H. Ellis, Louis B. Merrell, Chas. Bell, L. Alexander, and Misses Bula Baird, Mary Stocking and Miss Katherine Cole as guest.

LES BEAUX ART CLUB

The Les Beaux Club met at the home of Mrs. A. L. Chase Saturday afternoon, the lesson being a continuation of the study of Roman art. Mrs. Peebles assisted as hostess. Dainty refreshments were served to the members and to Miss Katherine Ross, a guest of the club. The next meeting will be held the second Saturday in April with Mrs. W. C. McDonald.

FRANCES ARNOLD HAS BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Frances Arnold entertained Saturday afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00. The table was gaily decorated in St. Patrick colors. As each guest arrived, they were escorted to another room in charge of Mrs. T. C. Johnson who took charge of the gifts which were placed in a container.

A number of games were played after which the little hostess led the way to the dining room. In the center of the table reposed a large birthday cake decorated with eleven candles. Frances was directed to make just one "blow," which she did and extinguished all except one candle. Thus one year of bad luck was predicted for the little miss.

Each guest followed a ribbon of green and white to the table where each was to be served. Frances followed a large white and green rope to a St. Patrick hat filled with the gifts from her little friends. Opening the packages, she expressed her thanks to each in her most charming manner. Those present were: Ruth, Ruby and Louise Tucker, Julia Hahn, Waynetta Hannon, Mary and Pearl Derrick, Lewis Hughes, Boyd Woods, Johnny Burson, Lillie Bell Slover.

Out of town guests were: Mr. Bob Lynch and daughter Bobby, of Claude; Meses. J. N. Wood, W. L. Butler and Owen Butler of Lelia Lake.

Mrs. O. D. Liesberg and Mrs. F. C. Johnson assisted Mrs. Arnold in serving the little folks. At five o'clock the guests departed thanking their little guests for the pleasures of the evening and wishing her many more happy birthdays.

HILL KARE KNEEDLE CLUB

The Hill Kare Kneedle Klub met with Mrs. Euel Sanford Thursday. Those present included Meses. W. A. Massie, Harry Brumley, Eva Draffin, Sam Lowe, Joe Cluck, R. H. Beville, Dave Kelley, U. J. Boston, Geo. McCleskey and Homer Mulkey. Invited guests were: Meses. T. M. Pyle, McCurry, John Bass, W. A. Land and Frank Whitlock. A delicious salad course was served at the close of a very interesting meeting.

The two fountains that have been in the halls of the administration building for the last twenty years have served their last days, the school board saw our needs and installed two new up-to-date fountains last week. No one knows how to appreciate the new addition unless he received a bath from the old ones.

Marvin Warren has returned to Clarendon after holding down a job in Pampa for some time.

Mrs. Matt Bennett is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Johnson of Clovis, N. M. Mrs. Johnson was formerly Miss Faye Bennett.

Miss Dick Hughes of White-deer is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Park Chamberlain.

Miss Maye Bennett was a guest at the wedding of Mr. Biggs Horn and Miss Edith Simmons at White deer Tuesday, the 12th.

Kenneth E. Fink was one of 364 out of 3,804 students to get on the honor roll at the State University during the first semester, he being the only one from this section of the Panhandle entitled to such honors.

A. T. Cole was in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harwood Beville were in Amarillo Monday.

R. L. Bigger had business in Amarillo Friday.

Miss Cleo Brown came over from Canyon to make a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown.

G. C. Jones has opened up the Cozy Inn Lunch just east of the Ballew and Noble garage, serving hamburgers and pop.

G. G. Kemp of the Clarendon Motor Co., was in Oklahoma City the middle of the week in attendance of the Firestone people who put on what Mr. Kemp vouches for as a "swell feed." Glad he enjoyed it, and gladder still that he got home feeling fine.

Mr. Bill Clifford of Amarillo was here Monday to attend the funeral of his little niece, little Holly Beth Spiller.

A large congregation heard the sermon preached Tuesday night at the Christian church by Dr. John W. Tyndall.

I wonder why some people hate to see others succeed. Last week some of the senior boys were practicing tennis. The senior class boasts of having two kood tennis stars (and they are good) and some of the underclassmen couldn't stand to see some better than they so to make their ignorance show more, they stood on the court and tried to razz the players. If you can't help them win stay out of their way at least. As Will Rogers says, "If you can't lay eggs don't cackle." —B. E. D.

Bill Word was an Amarillo visitor Monday.

R. C. French of Amarillo was in town Sunday, visiting his son and some old friends.

MOTHERS' CLUB

The Mothers' Club met Friday at the home of Mrs. H. T. Burton. The house was profusely decorated with daffodils and jonquills, a gift from Mrs. Burton's mother of south Texas.

Mrs. J. D. Swift as leader, began the lesson for this hour by reading a paper entitled "How the home can supplement school work in geography and history."

Other phases of the lesson were discussed in an interesting and profitable manner by Meses. Taylor, Boston, McDonald, Buntin and Shelton.

At the close of the lesson, the hostess served a delicious plate lunch with jonquills as favors.

Miss Mildred Crane, in the employ of the law firm of Turner, Culton & Gibson of Amarillo, came down to spend the week end with homefolks.

PRODUCE PRICES

(Furnished by Parsons Produce)
Colored hens, 22c.
Leghorn hens, 20c.
Roosters, 8c.
Turkeys, No. 1, 20c.
Turkeys, No. 2, 10c.
Old Tom turkeys, 12c.
Eggs, 20c.
Cream, 48c.

One of the very prettiest homes built recently is that of O. C. Hill, Jr. at Ashtola. Six rooms with bath and all modern built-in features and a large basement. Dewey Herndon, who did the plumbing work reports that it is a first class job thruout. Mr. Stegall did the carpenter work and naturally the family is very proud of their new home so are their friends.

Mrs. Paul Atteberry and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buntin spent Sunday in Pampa as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Atteberry and family.

Mrs. T. E. Trostle and children Marue and Bonner, visited relatives in Lubbock over the week end.

Mrs. C. H. Reynolds and daughter, Mrs. Jim Rodgers, and daughters-in-law, Meses. J. P. and Ed Reynolds of Lelia Lake visited in the R. I. McGowan home Thursday.

Mr. T. W. Welch, the operator at the Western Union, is on his vacation. He will be back about the 29th. Mr. T. N. Langwell, of Oklahoma, is taking Mr. Welch's place as operator while he is away.

Fred Lyzn and J. C. Phillips were down from Pampa over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Gray of Lubbock visited friends and relatives at Ashtola and Clarendon Saturday and Sunday.

Earl Jones, teaching school at McKnight, came home Saturday to be with homefolks. Another brother, Hoyt, came over from Canyon making a family reunion both returning to their respective labors Monday.

The members of the Clarendon Epworth League will attend the union meeting at Pampa Wednesday evening of this week. Mr. Shewbert will be present and will lead in the meeting.

Mr. Shewbert will give a free course in the handbook starting Thursday evening continuing until Sunday, classes to be held at the Methodist church.

Supt. Burton and wife were chosen as judges in the declamation contest at Estelline Monday evening. They report that Estelline has some real declaimers and that they should go far in the district.

Mr. Geo. A. Ryan, who underwent a serious operation at Baylor hospital recently, is slowly improving and will soon be himself again.

Ben A. Wooten of Shamrock, and one of the liveliest loan men in this section of the Panhandle, is in town today looking after the closing of loans that mean more building for Clarendon.

GREEN-JOHNSON

Hubert Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Green of Clarendon and Miss Lillian Johnson, sister of Mrs. Frank Hommel, were married at the Gabe Garret show Saturday night, Rev. S. E. Allison performing the ceremony.

This wedding ceremony was one of the main features of the evening tho it was a very quiet affair accompanied with all the dignity and solemnity of the average ceremony of a similar nature. Many went to the show that night just to see the prize wedding, but were probably disappointed when they found that ceremonies of this kind carried dignity wherever performed by the popular local pastor.

Mr. Fred Rathjen and aunt, Mrs. Katie Rathjen, visited in Amarillo Sunday at the Gerner home. The many friends and wide circle of acquaintances of Mr. J. A. Gerner will be saddened to learn that he is seriously ill at the home of his son in Amarillo, being afflicted with kidney trouble and complications.

Mrs. W. B. Holtzclaw and sons Frank and J. D., and Mrs. Cousins and daughter, Lee Christine visited in Amarillo over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Moseley visited the formers sister, Mrs. A. S. Johnson, at the Wilson hospital at Memphis Sunday. Mrs. John at Memphis Sunday. Mrs. Linnie Cauthen accompanied them and visited her sister, Mrs. Dr. Wilson.

Nuisances and Skating Rinks

Most forms of amusement are a nuisance from the minute they

land in town. Judging from the letters of recommendation carried by Mr. C. F. Lockhead, his skating rink discipline or rules of order, are about what it takes to meet the approval of the public. He is a genial man with whom to meet and readily handles his crowd in a pleasing manner.

Dick Allen and Dick Bain made an overland trip to the fat stock show, saw all the sights and had a dandy good time, being able to get back home Saturday.

F. E. (Dad) Harrington, the best known employe of the Denver road having been a conductor on this run for more than a quarter of a century, passed around the glad hand here Saturday.

The ladies of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold a business session at the church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30; it is important that all members attend.

The Dirty Four Entertain

The Dirty Four entertained at the home of Marue Trostle with a merry spring party, Friday evening March 15. The Easter idea was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. After having played many games suitable for a spring party, refreshments were served to the following: Meses. Della Barnes, Gladys Nobles, Mary Slater, Susie Speir, Bessie Lee Clayton, Jonnie Bandy, Betty Griswald, Marue Trostle, and Hubert Man, "Doc" Mann, Grady Josey, Silas Knowles, Ruby Knowles, Otis Smith, Jack Kelley, and Joel Slayton.

Skellytown to visit his family. N. T. Thompson is here from

Palmer-Riddle Motor Company Has Change in Ownership

A change in the firm of the Palmer Riddle Motor Company was made Saturday when Mr. Riddle sold his interest to Mr. Doss Palmer. Mr. Palmer thus becomes sole owner of the assets of the firm.

Mr. Palmer purchased the building from Bascom White at the beginning of business under the partnership just dissolved.

This firm has done a thriving general garage business from the start and as local agent for the Whippet and Willys-Knight cars, has also made many sales in the car field. The policy of the firm will continue as before.

Mr. Riddle is undecided as yet just what line of business he will enter at this time, but there is a strong possibility that he will continue as a car salesman, he having made a hit in that particular line in this section where he is well known and has an enviable reputation for square dealing.

MRS. CLARENCE MILLER ENTERTAINS

The Friday Bridge party met with Mrs. Clarence Miller Friday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. Those present were: Meses. Sam Dyer, Earl Alexander, Holman Kennedy, Selden Bagby, Jim Morris, Park Chamberlain, Chas. Trent, Forest Taylor, Forest Sawyer, Ralph Kerbow, Bennett Kerbow, Ira Merchant, Charley Bell, Richard Bell, Dr. Stricklin, Mrs. Boston of Pampa and Miss Mildred Martin.

Four tables were filled and Shamrock prizes offered, high club going to Mrs. Chas. Trent, high guest to Mrs. Earl Alexander and consolation cut to Mrs.

Jim Morris. A two course refreshment carrying out the color scheme of St. Patrick gave the decorations a fantastic appearance.

CLOTHING SPECIALIST TO MEET WITH CLUB WOMEN

Mrs. D. R. Barnes, clothing specialist of the extension service of the A. & M. College, will meet with club women at the "Y" building in Clarendon, today—Tuesday. The club having the largest percentage of membership present will be awarded a dollar for their treasury.

GOLDSTON

We are glad to report the sick of the community are better.

Miss Ima Lane spent the week end in Fort Worth with her sister Mrs. Roy Gammons.

Mr. Howard Stewart of Clarendon visited home folks Sunday. A new lighting system has been installed in the school house, we are glad to have good lights.

There was singing in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dier Sunday night and was enjoyed by all who attended.

Mrs. Fontain Elmore visited with her father Mr. Eichelberger Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. and Mrs. J. S. Dale called in the Stewart home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. W. H. Gray went to Amarillo Sunday for a visit with his daughter Cleo who is in school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goldston went to Amarillo last Tuesday.

Sunday school was held at the regular hour Sunday afternoon with good attendance.

The Newest Styles Of the Season

We have just received \$4000.00 worth of the very latest creations of master designers.

Lots of Color in the Jacquard velour covers for living room suites. The general tone of Velours is lighter.

The New Rust Color in Mohairs is a color that shades from deepest copper to spun gold.

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2 piece Jacquard Velour Bed Davenport suite, regular \$165.00 for —\$126.00—

2 piece mohair living room suite with wing chair, regular \$175.00 for —\$143.00—

5 piece Spanish Walnut Bed room Suite regular \$195.00 for —\$141.00—

4 piece Orchid Enamel Birdseye overlay Bed room suite regular \$80.00 —\$66.00—

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Mrs. Danie Battle, went to Amarillo Wednesday to do some shopping. She returned Wednesday night accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Donald Lindsey.

Mr. Nared and Mr. Smith of Clarendon West Texas Utilities Co. came by Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Chas Lowery and his cashier, Gladys Owen, went to Memphis to a safety meeting of the employees.

The law here has been busy looking for the robbers who held up the West Texas Utilities office at Clarendon Monday noon.

Rev. Atticus Webb, Supt. of the anti-saloon league of Texas, is here to lecture at the Methodist church, Wednesday night. "His subject: 'The unfinished task'."

Mr. Dock Smith of Clarendon was visiting in our city Monday on business.

Z. L. Beaty went to Memphis Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Webb are spending a few days in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Moffitt motored up to Clarendon Thursday to see Gabe Garretts show.

Mr. L. D. Blade and Mrs. Ruby Cable motored up to Clarendon Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Murrel was down on church business Tuesday night.

Mrs. Sam McCarrroll of San Angelo is here visiting her mother, Mrs. W. L. White.

Misses Verda Gilliam, Jewell Everett, and Mrs. B. R. Adams drove over to Clarendon Thursday night to attend the big show. They report a nice time and a good play.

Mrs. Ruby Cable, Miss Gertrude Reeves, and Mr. L. D. Blade motored up to Clarendon Thursday evening. Report a nice enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Moreman, Jr., returned Thursday noon from their honey-moon tour. Ralph said they motored over to Ft. Worth, Dallas, Waco, Austin, San Marcos, San Antonio. They stopped in each place seeing things of interest. They report an enjoyable trip and we are glad to have them make their home with us in Hedley. Mrs. Moreman was Miss Katy Mae Ewing of Estelne.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin McCaskill Jr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson were seen in Clarendon, attending the big show, Thursday night.

Miss Gladys Carroll and Rex Kendall motored over to Clarendon Thursday evening to see Gabe Garrett.

Clarence Davis, Jiggs Blankenship, Barton Armstrong also were attending the big show Thursday in Clarendon.

Mrs. J. C. Coffey entertained a number of the little folks Monday afternoon of last week, the occasion being the ninth birthday of little Miss Peggy Jane Burnett. Various games were enjoyed by the guests, and refreshments of cake, lemonade and candy were served. Needless to say it was very happy gathering.

Those present were Jack Battle, J. D. Tomlinson, Ules Holland, Merle Landreth, Forrest Adamson, Joe Hefner, Joan Thompson, Elizabeth Combest, Donald and Eobbe Moreman, Stephen Milner, Dorothy Land, Floretta Bob Christie, Beatrice Hansard, Billy Louise Burnett, Peggy Jane Burnett and Miss Cloteal Moreman.

P. T. Boston was here the first of the week from Shamrock. Boston Bros. are putting in two new Piggly Wiggly stores, one at McClean and the other at Perryton. They already have stores in Clarendon, Pampa and Shamrock.

Mrs. J. A. Pirtle returned home the first of the week from Wichita Falls. Her mother, Mrs. Lightsey of Chillicothe accompanied her home for a visit.

W. A. Armstrong has been in this community the past few days assessing taxes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Weaver of Amarillo were visitors here the past week end.

Miss Claudia Arnett of Denver, Colo., who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Bob Adamson, left Saturday for a visit in Dallas, Ft. Worth and other points.

S. C. Richerson was in Memphis one day last week attending to business.

Sheriff Mosley and District Attorney Mahan were in Hedley last Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Masterson of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Alexander of Amarillo motored up to Kansas City, returning Thursday night. They report a wonderful time and saw lots of pretty country.

Buck Cudd the De Soto salesman was in our city this week with a new coupe.

J. M. Everett is the proud owner of a new Ford two-door coach. Chas Lowery and J. M. Everett motored up to Clarendon Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. George Benson has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Forrest Sawyer, and her father, W. E. Davis, the past week.

At a meeting of the Episcopal Auxiliary held at the Parish house Wednesday, Mrs. L. L. Swan acted as leader. The subject for this meeting was "United Thanks Offering."

Mrs. C. W. Bennett and son, C. W. Jr., and his wife and baby, returned home the last of the week from an extensive visit in south central Texas including New Braunfels, San Antonio, Austin, Taylor and Weatherford and Ft. Worth on the return home.

C. E. Johnson, owner of the telephone exchange at Hedley, and credited with giving the best service to be found and entirely satisfactory to his home people, was here Friday on a matter of business.

Ring the Changes
Beggar: "Kind lady, I was not always like this."

Lady: "No. Last week it was your other arm that was missing!"
—London Opinion

"I always encourage my husband to recline in an easy chair and put his feet on top of the radiator."

"Why so?"
"When he goes to bed there is usually about \$4.00 in small change in the chair."—Atlantic City Press

"Ought I to marry a girl who is my inferior, mentally?"
"If possible, yes."

Gypsy: "Me tella your fortune, Meester."

Young man: "How much?"
Gypsy: "Twenty-five cents."
Young man: "That's right."

Gatekeeper at Hell: "Your Majesty, there's a shiek at the gates with a saxophone."

The Devil: "Throw the saxophone away and let him in."

Patient: "The size of your bill makes my blood boil."

Doctor: "Then that will be twenty-five dollars more for sterilizing your system."

"Is she making a good wife?"
"Well, not exactly; but she's making him a good husband."

Dangerous Crossing
"Marriage," said the philosopher "is like a railroad sign. When you see a pretty girl you stop; then you look, and after you're married you listen."—Hardware Age.

Some Give 'Em the Air
"I wonder why those titled foreigners who come over here give themselves so many airs?"
"Probably it's because we give them so many heiresses."
—Boston Transcript.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Nicholas spent the day in Fampa, Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Moffitt spent the week end with relatives and friends at Hedley.

The Tri-State Fair held at Amarillo each fall is branching out. Of the one hundred directors more than sixty live outside of Amarillo.

Fred E. Chamberlain, vice president of the Donley County State bank, who has been in Amarillo, Kansas City and Illinois points on a business trip, returned home Thursday night.

Mrs. G. W. Osborn left Thursday morning for Abilene, after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. A. O. Bauer, and other relatives.

Mrs. Lemons of Amarillo is visiting at the home of Mrs. S. B. Kutch.

Mrs. Parks Mitcham and daughter, Mrs. G. M. Perry, of Memphis visited with Harry Blair Friday.

Hubert Davis and Miss Winnie Hodges were married here the 14th.

Mrs. Guy Taylor, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Tatum for the past week, returned to her home at Lelia Lake Thursday.

Mrs. W. R. Holder and daughter, Miss Carol, were in Amarillo Saturday to consult a specialist regarding the daughter's health.

J. M. Dickson of Santa Anna, California, is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Youngblood.

Mrs. G. H. Cruse of Brice has returned from River Bank, California where she has been for the past year for the benefit of her health. G. H. made the trip out to accompany her back.

Read the Leader \$1.50 per Year.

Mrs. Fred Buntin is enjoying a visit with Mrs. Andrew Price, whose home is in Ft. Worth.

Dr. C. J. McCullom of Lockney, and former classmate of Dr. C. W. Galloway in college, was a pleasant visitor here Saturday night. The two, accompanied by Mrs. Galloway, motored to Memphis Sunday to attend the Tri-District association of chiropractors.

John Bass has sold his new home

in the district near the college to Hubert Zeigler. Just about the time a fellow builds a good home in Clarendon, some eager home owner lifts it off him at a fair price. We need more builders in Clarendon—the buyers are ready.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

	South	North
	6:20 a. m.	7:28 p. m.
	9:47 p. m.	5:40 a. m.
	8:06 p. m.	11:22 a. m.

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The days of the open range in the cattle industry were as romantic as anything that ever occurred under feudalism. The greatest and most powerful brands were veritable barons in their respective territories, making their own laws—laws which were the less effective—and keeping large forces of retainers to protect their rule. These barons were selected for their physical courage no less than their ability as ranchers and were capable of being changed speedily into a fighting force—a sort of irregular, but highly efficient cavalry.

CHAPTER I

A RIDER jogged northward along the road on a big pinto horse, a led buckskin, packed, trailing a half-length behind. A ranch road branched off to the left and the man pulled up his horse to view a sign that stood at the forks.

"Squatter, don't let the sun go down on you," he read. "That's the third one of those reminders, Calico," he told the horse. "The wording a little different but the sentiment all the same."

Fifty yards off the trail the charred and blackened fragments of a wagon showed in sharp contrast to the bleached white bones of two horses.

"They downed his team and torched his worldly goods," the rider said. "All his hopes gone up in smoke."

He turned in his saddle and looked off across the unending expanse of sage. Coldriver—probably so named from the fact that the three wells in the town constituted the only source of water within an hour's ride—lay thirty miles to the south, a cluster of some forty buildings nestling in a wind-swept flat. Several miles beyond it, and with but two more such centers of civilization between, the railroad stretched across the rolling desolation.

The man took one more look at the evidence left behind to prove that the sign was no empty threat before heading the pack-horse along the left-hand fork. He noted that the range cows along his route were poor and lean, their hip bones showing lumpy through sagging skin, giving them the appearance of milkers rather than beef stock.

The preceding summer had been hot and dry, browning the range six weeks before its time, and the stock had gone into the winter in poor shape. Heavy snowfalls had completed the havoc, and 10 per cent of the range stock had been winter-killed. Those that had pulled through were slow in putting on weight and recovering their strength.

A big red steer stood broadside to him, the Three Bar brand looming on its side, and the man once more pulled up his horse and lost himself in retrospection as he gazed at the brand.

"The old Three Bar, Calico," he remarked to his horse. "The old home brand. It's been many a moon since I last laid an eye on a Three Bar cow."



The Vanguard of Each New Rush of Settlers.

ed that the solution of all their financial problems rested upon owning land, not cows. Harris could not be induced to farm the soil while steers were selling round eight dollars a head.

on before the invasion of the settlers. These men banded together and swore that here conditions should be reversed, that it was the squatter who should move, and on this principle they grimly tested.

Cal Warren had beaten the vast guard of each new rush of settlers that had pushed Bill Harris on to another range, and the cowman had come to see the hand of fate in this persistence. When the Warren family found him again and halted their white-topped wagon before his door, Bill Harris gave it up.

A single child had come to bless each union in the parents' late middle age. The Harris heir, a boy of eight, had been named Calvin in honor of his father's friend. Cal Warren had as nearly returned the compliment as circumstances would permit, and his three-year-old daughter bore the name of Willamette Ann for both father and mother of the boy who was his namesake, and Warren styled her Billie for short.

Each man was as stubbornly set in his new views as he had been in the old. The Harris came into possession of the Warren's prairie schooner and drove off to the east. The Warrens took over the Three Bar ranch and the little Willamette Ann slept in the tiny bunk built for the son of the Harris household.

For a space of minutes these old pictures occupied the mind of the man on the pinto horse. Distant strings of prairie schooners and ox-bows faded from his mind's eye, and he was once more conscious of the red steers with the Three Bar brand that had stirred up the train of reflections. He turned for another glimpse of the distant sign as he headed the paint-horse along the road.

"All that was quite a spell back, Calico," he said. "Old Bill Harris planted the first one of those signs, and it served a good purpose then. It's a sign that stands for lack of progress today. Times change, and it's been eighteen years or so since old Bill Harris left."

The road traversed the bench, angled down a side hill to a valley somewhat more than a mile across. Calico pricked up his ears sharply toward the Three Bar buildings that stood at the upper end of it. Curious eyes peered from the bunk house as he neared it, for the paint-horse and the buckskin were not without fame even if the man himself were a stranger to them all.

He dropped from the saddle before the bunk house and as he stood in the door he noted half a dozen men lounging on the benches. This indulgence appraised him of the fact that they were extra men signed on for the summer season and that their pay had not yet started, for the cowhand, when on the pay roll, works sixteen hours daily and when he rests or frolics it is, except in rare instances, on his own time and at his own expense.

A tall, lean individual, who sat cross-legged on a bunk, engaged in mending a spur strap, was the first to answer his inquiry for the foreman.

"Billie Warren is the big he-coon of the Three-Bar," he informed. "You'll likely find the boss at the blacksmith shop." The lanky one grinned as the stranger turned back through the litter of log out-buildings, guided by the hissing squeak of bellows and the clang of a sledge on hot iron. Several men pressed close to the windows in anticipation of viewing the newcomer's surprise at greeting the Three Bar boss. But the man did not seem surprised when a young girl emerged from the open door of the shop as he neared it.

She was clad in a gray flannel skirt and black angora chaps. The heavy brown hair was concealed beneath the broad hat that was pulled low over her eyes after the fashion of those who live much in the open. The man removed his hat and stood before her.

"Miss Warren?" he inquired. The girl nodded and waited for him to state his purpose.

"What are the chances of my riding for the Three Bar?" he asked. "We're full-handed," said the girl. "I'm sorry."

"You'll be breaking out the remuda right soon now," he suggested. "I'm real handy round a breaking corral."

man in my car!" "God heavens! Not your new car?"—Keystone Motorist.

Real Enthusiasm "Were you fired with enthusiasm when you tackled your first job after leaving college?" "Was I? I never in my life saw a man so glad to get rid of me."

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Bull: "Yes sir, I learned to play entirely by ear." Durham: "And you have never had the ear-ache?"

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Secretary of interior, Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur of California. Secretary of agriculture, Arthur M. Hyde of Missouri.

Secretary of commerce, Robert P. Lamont of Illinois. Secretary of labor, James P. Davis of Pennsylvania.

Patronize Home Industry Wife: "I just bought a set of Shakespears." Husband (angrily): "How many times have I told you not to buy those foreign tires?"

From the Back Seat Husband (in car): "Terror Heavens! The engine is terribly overheated."

Wife (calmly): "Then why don't you turn off the radiator?"

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