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A-T WELL MAY BE STOPPED TODAY

CAVES HINDER FURTHER DRILLING. MAY STOP TILL NEW CASING ARRIVES.

Those most interested in the progress of the A-T well near Goldston will be glad to learn that the drillers have made some more depth since the last issue of The News last week. They have been hindered to some extent by caves in the open hole and will be forced to stop for a short time until they can secure a carload of casing from Wichita Falls the latter part of this week.

They are steadily drilling away in the hard lime formation which they state precedes the opening of the well into a producer. They are expecting to receive the casing, which will be either eight or ten inch and will then start proceedings for the last few feet which separates them from the pay.

The depth of the well now stands a little short of the 2,200 foot level, and has almost 1,200 feet of open hole. The last string of casing, twelve and one-half inches, was set on the bottom at 1,600 feet and cased off the last show of water they have encountered in the well. The promoters of the proposition state that they trust this last ten inch line will be sufficient to bring the well in and that they will not be forced to purchase any more casing to complete their work.

MELVIN DAVIS IS PROMOTED TO CHILDRESS OFFICES, FW&D.

Melvin Davis was promoted this month from the position of telegraph operator at the Fort Worth and Denver depot in Clarendon to the position of operator in the Childress offices of the railroad. Considerable responsibility attaches to Childress operator's work, and it is proof of Mr. Davis's ability and efficiency that he was given the position. He has lived here for a number of years and attended school in Clarendon College. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis of this city. His many friends here are congratulating him on his promotion, regretting at the same time, that he and his family have moved away.

M. H. YOUNG BURIED HERE MONDAY, 7TH

The remains of M. H. Young, victim of a tragedy which occurred in Hedley Saturday, were interred in the Citizens' Cemetery at Clarendon, Monday afternoon. The Masonic Burial Service was conducted by the Hedley Lodge, in the presence of a large number of people from Hedley and the city. Floral offerings covered the grave. The funeral services had been held in Hedley earlier in the day.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson left Saturday for her home in Roswell, New Mexico, after an extended visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bennett.

Miss Mamie Wood and Miss Lorene Stogner, who teach in Giles, were here Thursday evening to attend the meeting of the Donley County Teachers Association.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Adamson and Mrs. C. L. Kinsey of Hedley shopped in Clarendon Friday.

Miss Eunice Griggs was home from Memphis to spend last weekend.

OPERATOR SHOT, IS BURIED HERE

BROTHER OF SHERIFF-ELECT FATALLY SHOTS MAN ON STREETS OF HEDLEY.

Shielded by somewhat mystifying circumstances, the killing of H. M. Young, telegraph operator in the city of Hedley remains to this date something of a puzzle to the folk who know anything of the matter. The killing took place a little before noon on last Saturday, the slayer coming to Clarendon almost immediately and giving himself up to the officers of the county.

Preliminary hearing was held the fore part of the week and charges were filed to await the meeting of the Grand Jury in March. The assailant was released on bond.

The Amarillo News of Tuesday of this week carried the story of the killing and it is reproduced herewith in part. The story follows: Barnett, a disabled war veteran, in poor health, was raised in this city. He lives with his father and mother and has a brother and sister here. He is about 30 years old and single. His brother, M. O. Barnett, was sheriff-elect of Donley county but died shortly before taking office. Young had just left the station and had driven in his automobile

JOINT PROGRAM TO BENEFIT BAND

NEXT THURSDAY EVENING PROGRAM ONE OF MUSICAL EVENTS OF SPRING.

A concert program of unusual merit will be presented Thursday evening, Feb. 17th, at the Pastime Theatre by associated musical organizations of Clarendon, with Miss Margaret Doorley of Dalhart visiting artist. The proceeds of the program will be for the benefit of the Clarendon Municipal Band, and full support of the people of Clarendon is solicited for this worthy purpose.

Miss Doorley is one of the most accomplished sopranos of the Panhandle and has a number of years successful teaching and choral directing at Dalhart. Before locating in Dalhart Miss Doorley did concert work for four seasons under the direction of B. F. Keith in Eastern States and the Dominion of Canada. In St. Louis Miss Doorley also did church solo work under management of William John Hall. Here in the Panhandle she has appeared in a number of cities and is one of the most popular soloists of this section. At present Miss Doorley is director of the Dalhart Choral Club.

This is the first of a series of benefit concerts for the spring season to be presented by local musical organizations, and a glance at the program as advertised on another page of this issue will disclose the high quality of the evening's entertainment. The program will begin promptly at 7:30 on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 17th, at the Pastime Theatre. Special prices to College and high school pupils have been arranged.

MRS. LYDA McCLAIN BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Mrs. Lyda McClain, the daughter of Mr. J. O. Quattlebaum, died Monday afternoon, February seventh, at the home of her father. Her illness had lasted only eight days, and news of her death was a shock to her many friends and acquaintances. The funeral services were conducted by the Reverend A. L. Moore, pastor of the Methodist Church, at the family home, Tuesday afternoon; and the body was laid to rest beside that of Mrs. McClain's mother, who died November 25, 1926. A profusion of floral offerings covered the two graves.

Lyda Quattlebaum was born August 5, 1896, in Collinsville, Texas. She became a member of the Methodist Church when she was twelve years of age and maintained the relation throughout her life. She married T. E. McClain, September 10, 1918, and to their union were born three children, only one of whom is living.

The deceased is survived by her little son, Charles; her father, J. O. Quattlebaum; two sisters, Mrs. Ralph Edwards of Emporia, Kansas, and Mrs. C. D. Brady of Ft. Worth; five brothers, J. O. Quattlebaum, Jr., of Rockwall, James Quattlebaum of Chillicothe, John H. Quattlebaum of Frederick, Oklahoma, and E. V. Quattlebaum of Clarendon. Her grandmother, Mrs. Z. A. Steedman, is also living.

Mrs. McClain had lived here but a short time, but she had many friends in this city who grieve her death. She has been with the local telephone exchange for the past few months. As a mark of respect to the deceased and her family, the telephone office was closed for the afternoon and all employees attended the funeral in a body. Messages of condolence received by the family are almost innumerable. The relatives and friends from out of the city who attended the funeral were the brothers and sisters except Mrs. Edwards, who was unable to come; and Miss Nannie Steedman of Oklahoma City, Mrs. E. H. Quattlebaum of Amarillo, Miss Clarice Fuller, who teaches in Hall County, Mrs. M. D. Pior of Amarillo, Miss Mamie Brady of Chillicothe, and C. D. Brady of Fort Worth.

Mrs. S. R. Warren and her daughter, Mrs. Myrn Rhodes, of Ft. Collins, Colorado, left Thursday, after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Spitzer. Mrs. Spitzer's brother, R. A. Davidson, of Peyton, Colorado, was also a guest in the Spitzer home last week.

DONLEY COUNTY TEACHERS HOLD ASSOCIATIONAL MEET

The Donley County Teachers Association met here Thursday evening with an excellent attendance. Plans were made for the next meeting, which will be held here in April. As an entertainment feature for that meeting, the teachers will participate in a mock county meet and will engage in essay contests, spelling matches, debates, and declamation contests. Much interest was shown in the plan. Officers for next year will also be elected at the April meeting.

The Association had the privilege of hearing Dr. P. P. Claxton address them on socialized teaching at the meeting last Thursday. Thus far, the Association has enjoyed nothing of more benefit than the opportunity of having one of the world's greatest educators discuss with the members their most difficult every day problems. The meeting was called for the date in order that the group could hear Dr. Claxton's public lecture and meet with him. The time spent in hearing his two talks could not have been better spent, it is thought by Mr. Paul Morgan, Superintendent of the city schools, and all other teachers who were present.

CLARENDON BOY BROADCASTS WITH T. U. BAND

Rhodin Chase, a member of the Longhorn Band of the University of Texas, sent The News a copy of the descriptive folder of the University's broadcasting station, KUT, this week, and called attention to the band's two dates on the year's program. A date of especial interest was Wednesday, February 9, on which day the Longhorns took the air at 8:30 p. m. Rhodin, who is a sophomore in the University, has been in the band nearly two years, now. His share of Wednesday evening's program made the performance interesting to his many friends here who are watching his college career with enthusiasm. The young man is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chase of this city.

SIX CASES SMALLPOX ARE FOUND IN HEDLEY

Dr. B. L. Jenkins, County Health Officer, reports that two cases of smallpox were discovered in Hedley Wednesday morning. The patients are all laborers of the Oklahoma Pipe Line Company who have been working on the line near Hedley. They have been segregated, and the camp of 107 men placed under quarantine. The City Health Officer of Hedley is in charge of the cases and is taking every precaution necessary to keep the disease from spreading. The Hedley cases are the first evidence of the out-break of smallpox in Donley County.

Miss Willie Hartzog made a business trip to Claude Saturday.

LIONS MEET FOR MEAL AT ANTRO

FIRST CHANGE IS MET WITH GOOD ATTENDANCE FROM MEMBERSHIP.

The Clarendon Lions met Tuesday for their first luncheon in the Antro Hotel, and were welcomed by one of the best records of attendance that has ever been recorded in the new year. Twenty members and five guests were present for their dinner and enjoyed the event to a very great extent.

In the roll call, each member was asked to answer by his given name and introduce any guest they might have with them for the meal. Five men were introduced. They are: W. E. Nelson, J. B. Holmes, Jasper Bogue, H. T. Burton, and J. T. Patman.

Boss Lion Watson asked the co-operation of the Lions insofar as possible in the closing of the Telephone office due to the death of one of the operators. Lion Paul Morgan announced at this time; the art exhibit at the High School and asked the attendance of the Lions if they were interested in the movement.

The Boss Lion also made the report of the Board of Directors as to the change in the meeting places of the club.

MASONS PLAN PROGRAM, FEB. 22ND.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY PROGRAM AT MASONIC HALL NIGHT OF FEB. 22.

Washington's birthday will be observed by Clarendon Masons in a program to be presented at the Masonic Hall on the evening of Feb. 22nd. A program committee composed of W. A. Walters, C. E. Kilgough and H. Mulkey have arranged the program of the evening.

Speakers of the evening are Judge J. R. Porter, Rev. S. R. McClung and Paul Morgan, who will discuss various phases of Washington's contribution to Masonry and American civilization.

This will be a strictly tiled affair and the program will begin at seven-thirty. Younger Masons who are not versed in the early history of Masonry in the United States are especially urged to be present on this occasion.

Mrs. Carl Johnson of Ashtola shopped here Friday.

The committee will be appointed later.

One of the last items to come to the attention of the club was the presentation of two names to the club for their approval. Messrs. W. A. Wilson and J. T. Patman were presented and unanimously elected to membership in the organization. The secretary was authorized to notify them of their election at his leisure.

Lion Mulkey raised the question of the formality of the meal and expressed the desire that the club soon get away from the feeling that they were visiting. The quietness of the meal was such that it was quite an unusual thing. Lion Grisvold asked that the flag and the banner of the club be placed in position, but that the beer be left where it would be silent for the remainder of its life. He was seconded with hearty cheers from all the Lions. Another question was raised concerning the fine box of the Tail Twister and the suggestion was made that account be kept of the fines assessed and that they be paid to the secretary rather than to the Tail Twister and have them lost about the first of each month.

DR. CLAXTON GAVE ADDRESSES HERE

FAMOUS SPEAKER TALKS TO DONLEY COUNTY TEACHERS AND TO PUBLIC.

Dr. P. P. Claxton, one of the foremost educators in the United States, made two addresses in Clarendon Thursday evening, February 3. At seven o'clock, Dr. Claxton spoke to the members of the Donley County Teachers Association on the trend of modern education. The principles of inductive and deductive reasoning were presented in their respective relationships to the methods and processes in education. Illustrative material from text books, observation, and experiments was used freely and forcefully to uphold the speaker in his conclusion that in the next five or six years there will be some radical changes made in teaching methods. Dr. Claxton asserted that the teaching of arithmetic, grammar, and spelling should be based upon fundamental principles, which the child should master and be able to apply. That the modern tendency to stress memory and speed is not making master minds is the belief of Dr. Claxton. The method of Christ's teaching was presented as the ideal, and the incident of the young lawyer was used to explain the process which the Perfect Teacher employed to impart knowledge.

At eight o'clock in the College Auditorium Dr. Claxton addressed a large and appreciative audience on the subject "The Story That Nobody Understands." The general theme of this discourse dealt with the stimulating thought that man is created in the image of God in that man is able to create, and to the extent that he does create, he is god-like. "Schools of all kinds, church, state, and private," the speaker asserted, "exist for one great purpose; that of training and inspiring the human mind to create that which is good for man, and to domesticate the fowls of the air, the fish of the sea, and the plants and animals of the earth. Man was made to have dominion over the rest of the world." Dr. Claxton's illustrations were drawn from many fields of knowledge. All who heard him during his engagement in Clarendon, or on any other occasion, are convinced that he is a man who speaks with authority, because he has information beyond and above the range of the ordinary man. His philosophy is one that makes intelligence the foundation of usefulness.

GINNING REPORT FOR PERIOD SHOWS GAIN FOR DONLEY

The News has just received the latest ginning report from the Department of Commerce, showing the ginnings reported for the period ending January 16th. The state shows more than one million bales gained over the same period of last year. The totals show 5,171,799 bales reported to January 16th with 3,999,769 for the same date of last year. Practically all of the counties near Donley are showing a gain, Gray County alone showing a loss. Briscoe County shows 12,662 bales for 1926 with 9,806 for 1925. Childress County shows the largest gain with 39,671 bales reported for 1926 as against 31,149 for the same dates of last year. Collingsworth County also shows a gain with 41,096 bales reported for 1926 and 36,316 for the preceding year. Donley County shows a small gain, reporting 22,313 bales for 1926 against 21,650 for 1925. Gray County, the only reporting point to show a loss, has 5,923 bales for 1926 and 7,042 for the same period of 1925. Hall County shows a gain with 56,579 bales for 1926 and 52,697 for 1925. Other Counties in the state show an enormous growth of their product over 1925. Williamson County possibly the greatest gain of any county in the state, reporting 16,439 bales for 1925 against the staggering total of 101,793 bales for 1926. Few counties in the entire state show any loss at all in the crop and a perusal of the report will show why the price of cotton has been affected by the tremendous crop over the state.

Cotton buyers here state that they are surprised at the prevailing prices paid for the staple and say that the price seems to be high, caused probably by the extra large demand for all classes of the staple. Very little picked cotton is found in the County, the greater part of it being pulled and gathered with a slide. Some producers here are still in the fields and there remains a large crop in the county yet to be harvested.

BALL DRUG, NUMBER 2, IS FORMALLY OPENED

The Ball Drug Store, Number 2, which is located in the Northeast corner of the Antro Hotel, was formally opened to the public Saturday evening. A large number of the people of the city attended the opening and inspected the little shop. Tiny packages of candy, and brick ice cream were served to every one who entered, and art panels were given as souvenirs.

Miss Lorraine Simmons, who has been with the Ball Drug Company for two years, is manager of the Number 2. She is one of the leading business women of the city and is well known. Miss Simmons says that the new store has had an excellent business since its opening.

The Number 2 is equipped with neat furniture and has a modern cold drink fountain.

BABSON ARTICLES TO RUN IN NEWS

ARTICLES TO BE USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH ECONOMICS COURSES HERE.

Following the usual plan of progress for Clarendon and Donley County, The News has made contract with the Publishers Financial Bureau at Babson Park, Massachusetts for a series of ten articles concerning the boy's business of tomorrow. These articles are from the pen of Roger W. Babson and are especially written for newspapers.

The series will run for a period of ten weeks and will cover the greater number of retail businesses now in active work. The subject discussed are: Retailing, Manufacturing, Banking, Agriculture, Mining, Railroad, Public Service, Building, Shipping and Insurance. One week will be devoted to each of the subjects above and from the specimen received, they will be well worth the while of everyone in Clarendon.

The Economics Department of the Clarendon College and the Clarendon High School have been seen with reference to the use of the material as an aid to their work and they state that they will use the articles as supplemental text. The aim of the series is to give the fathers, boys and business men of the city practical and constructive ideas and advice. It is especially designed to explain the various lines of business and assist the boy to make his plans and decide on what course to follow in the selection of his life work.

The first of the series will appear in a special issue of The News and in all probability will take up "Retailing as a Life Work." It will contain matter that will not only appeal to the grown-up, but will be of vital and absorbing interest to the boy and girl who is looking for a lifetime job.

Mrs. Maude Clark Nelson, Miss Ella Clark, and Miss Naomi Allison spent Sunday in Wellington.

BOY SCOUTS HOLD SPECIAL SERVICES

LOCAL SCOUTS CARRYING OUT NATIONAL PROGRAM FOR 17TH ANNIVERSARY.

The seventeenth anniversary of Scouting in America is being celebrated by local Boy Scout troops by carrying out, so far as possible, the national program. Special services planned for Scout week have been held in the last few days and others will be held later in the week. As a fitting observance of the advent of Scouting to this country, Boy Scouts in all parts of America are undergoing a week of intensive training—of revival, as it were. The programs, ceremonies, and services that are being publicly given were planned not only to arouse public interest in the work of Scouting, but to renew the interest of the Scouts themselves. The twelve Scout laws, Scout ideals, and Scout activities are being stressed. The religious, the civic, the social, the recreational, the home, and the school life of the Scout, and the duties attached to these, are brought forcibly to the mind of every Boy Scout and to every one who attends the ceremonies.

On Sunday, February 6th, attention was given to "The Scout and His Church." According to the national program, all Scouts were to go together to a morning service in which they would take part. The local Scouts—some thirty-five or forty of them—went to the First Baptist Church at eleven o'clock. Rev. S. R. McClung, pastor of the Church, preached an excellent sermon, the theme of which was "There is a Lad Here." In his talk he exemplified each of the twelve Scout Laws with one character from the Bible. The Scouts recommitted themselves to their oath, speaking in concert. Special music for the service was furnished by the Apollo Singers of the College, singing two numbers. The boys were urged to attend church in the evening, each at his own church.

A Court of Honor was held Monday evening at the Queen Theatre. It was well attended, and a very interesting and instructive program was given. The Scouts again took the oath of allegiance and demonstrated a number of their crafts. The Tenderfoot Investiture was held for eleven boys, and badges were awarded to seventeen boys. Those who received the Tenderfoot Award were: Clarence Gaines, Paul Harvey, James Lane, Paul McCormick, Owen Martin, Henry Cooke, Frank Derrick, Homer Estlack, Perry A. Beville, Vernon Huey, and Carroll McClung. Second Class Awards were given to Esau Trotter and Wilford Andis. Lawrence Whitlock qualified for the First Class Award, while Pfifer Estlack, William Green, and J. P. Rhodes qualified for the Eagle Badge, which will be awarded in Amarillo, February 22.

The program which was given at the Court of Honor Monday evening was as follows: "America," High School Band, Scouts singing first stanza. Pledge of Allegiance. Selections by Band. Songs by High School Quartette. Scout Program. Troop 1, First Aid. Troop 2, Signaling. Troop 3, Knot Tying. Address by Judge Porter. Installation Troop 3. Tenderfoot Investiture. Award of Badges. Scout Oath and Benediction.

As special work for the week, the local Scouts have arranged interesting exhibits of their implements and craft work in the windows of the Rexall Store and the Clarendon Dry Cleaners' Shop. Examples of knot tying and horn dressing have been placed on posters. A canteen, bows and arrows, a First Aid Kit, medals, knives, and a hatchet are in the window at the tailor shop.

Much interest is being manifested by the parents of the Scouts, their friends, and the general public in the work of the anniversary week.

HEALTH AND DEATH STATISTICS OF THE NATION

According to statistics compiled by the United States Bureau of Census, there were 1,219,091 deaths occurring within the registration area of the United States during 1925. This represents a death rate of 11.8 per 1,000 population.

The diseases showing the principal decreases in death for this period in this area over the previous year were measles, pneumonia, and tuberculosis. Diseases against which were registered increased deaths were influenza, heart diseases, inflammations of the kidneys, and diarrhea and intestinal inflammation in babies under two years of age.

The death registration area of the United States comprises forty states, the District of Columbia, and twenty-four large cities in states not included. Texas is not included in the death registration area of the United States, but eight Texas municipalities are included in this area.

NEW ORDINANCE FOR PAVING OUT

LATEST ADDITION TO PAVING PROGRAM DESCRIBED IN THIS ISSUE.

In last week's News, the item was carried stating the plans of the city to continue further with the paving program started last summer. This week, we are carrying the ordinance authorizing the paving work, together with the itemizer description of the work that is to be done. Seven blocks are to be paved as was stated last week and will complete the loops and drainage propositions already under way.

The block between Second and Third Streets on Gerst Street will be completed the latter part of this week and will offer a passageway for a large amount of water in case there should be cause for flood water control. The central part of the street has been paved with brick, while the sides have been floored with concrete. The walls of the street have been covered and all of it has been finished in a neat manner to make a street to be proud of.

Another important piece of work is to be the street intersection on Kearney and Third Streets. This will be joined by a block of paving on either side to make two additional blocks on that street. Sully Street will receive one block on the eastern side of the courthouse, which will make this part of the city have three blocks of paving to the right of way near the railroad. Two blocks on Jefferson Street to connect from Second Street to the railroad right-of-way will complete the work here with the exception of the block between Sully Street and Jefferson Street on the railroad property. It is thought that this strip will be made the same width as that extending from Kearney to Sully.

It has been stated that much more paving could be put down if the city finances were in condition to allow the work to go forward. As the matter now stands, the city will have forty-three blocks of paving when the present program is completed.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. J. R. Porter, Superintendent. Morning Service, 11:00 a. m. Preaching by the Pastor, subject: "The World's Need." Junior League, 4:00 p. m. Senior League, 6:15 p. m. Evening Service, 7:15 p. m. Preaching by the pastor to the Young People of the church. Subject: "The Cost of Backbone." All young people above the age of 12 years are cordially invited to be present at the service in their honor. Seats will be reserved for them. Good music by the choir and orchestra. A. L. MOORE, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starr and Mr. John Starr of Lubbock were guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clark last week.

Mrs. John Holmes of Miami, a former resident of Clarendon, is the guest of Mrs. Willie Goldston this week-end. She has been visiting in Childress and Memphis, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Allen and their daughter, Miss Annie Allen, of Childress spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen.

S. S. CLASSES TO BANQUET TONIGHT

PLATES BEING PREPARED FOR ONE HUNDRED GUESTS AT ANTRO HOTEL.

Starting what may become one of the big events of the year, the Sunday School classes of the churches of Clarendon are having a banquet tonight in the Antro Hotel. Plans have been under way for the past two weeks for the event, which was first to include only two churches of the town. Interest grew with the passing of the days and the attendance will now be made up of the young people from all the churches and from among those who have no affiliation with any church of the city.

The toastmaster for the occasion will be Homer Molkey of the First Christian Church. The program will include numbers from each of the churches and the evening will be one well spent. The hotel management is planning to care for an attendance of one hundred should there be that many present for the affair. Tickets have been on sale for the past week and almost all of them have been sold. Places will be provided for those who have not secured their tickets.

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All progress brings added requirements. Clarendon's added paving brings home the need of a street sweeping machine, and we are sure that the "city dads" will provide something of that nature in the course of a short time.

This week a carpenter who has recently moved here after having lived in several Panhandle cities, remarked that he and his family liked Clarendon better as a residence city than any of its neighbors. This statement is made so often that even the constitutionally skeptical are beginning to believe it. Say on, brother.

The commission for the permanent location of Clarendon College has delayed their work until Feb. 28th, on plea of Amarillo representatives. Their report is to be made not later than March first. This being leap year, there is scant time left for deliberation after having heard Amarillo's proposition on Feb. 28. Clarendon people regret this further delay.

THE VOICE OF WEST TEXAS AT THE STATE CAPITOL

The News editor has never been more proud of West Texas than he was Friday evening of last week when it was his pleasure to attend a banquet at Austin given to the Franklin-Webster Club, with Gov. and Mrs. Moody, and West Texas editors as special guests. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce was host on this occasion, with Manager Homer Wade, President and Mrs. Duggan in charge of the festivities. The Franklin-Webster Club is composed of editors in the House and Senate, the correspondents of the various daily papers stationed at Austin, with Gov. Moody as "low private" and Mrs. Moody as sponsor. It is the avowed purpose of the club to be the guests of corporations, individuals and organizations from time to time, and it was the happy duty of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to function as host on this occasion.

After a burlesque program, take-offs on the bizarre episodes of the past administration of Texas, Mrs. Moody as daughter of West Texas, was presented with so many baskets and bouquets of flowers that a moving van was required to convey them to the governor's mansion. The "first lady" responded in a happy vein saying that she would put a bouquet in each room of the mansion and name that room for the West Texas city that presented it. Mrs. Moody brought applause when she closed by saying that she was proud of West Texas for another reason than nativity—it was one place where Dan was the boy who had married her.

The voice of West Texas is always heard with respect at Austin, and it does a West Texan good to hear the many tributes paid our section of the state, by officials high in our state affairs at Austin.

Homer D. Wade is making a mighty success of his work down at the state capitol, where he has made the West Texas Chamber of Commerce a dominant force in matters pertaining to the progress and development of West Texas, and with fairness to all other portions of Texas.

May the voice of West Texas continue to be heard with favor.



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Clemenceaux, the great war premier of France, said that brotherly love was a noble sentiment, but that he would first have us tolerate one another. A suggestion not to be lightly passed over.

The Fort Worth & Denver construction crew is here building a new section house, replacing one destroyed by fire last year. That's fine, and reminds us that the new depot project is soon to begin. Our railroad and our city are due great growth in 1927.

The Clarendon News has contracted for a series of ten weekly talks on "Your Boy's Business" by Roger W. Babson, the great economist and statistician. These special articles will begin at an early date and will be filled with practical and constructive ideas and advice—just the kind that Mr. Babson always writes. Every parent in Donley County will be interested in having his boy or girl read these articles, for they contain some wonderful facts and ideas for the men and women of tomorrow. The News has arranged with the Economics classes of Clarendon College and Clarendon High School to use these weekly talks as supplementary text in their work. If good can be brought into the life plans of our boys and girls through this study The News will feel amply repaid for all the expense of the project. Watch for the beginning of this series.

WHAT CIVILIZATION MEANS

In an uncivilized country people pay no taxes: their lives and property are without protection whatever, and are only their's so long as they can keep others from taking them. The people living in such country have no duties resting upon them but they have no rights either. Of course, they pay no taxes!

This may appeal to some folks but we believe the great majority are perfectly willing to give a country without law or order the go-by.

When such country becomes semi-civilized, the better class of men will combine to secure some needed improvements. The narrow fellow, of course, cannot see any need of that and refuses to contribute.

Roads and school houses are going to be built by the liberal and enterprising folks, while the selfish man says the trail leading to his home is good enough, and if he has no children, he sees no need of paying for somebody else's kids.

Still the value of his property goes up as a result of the generosity of others.

When the country becomes more civilized taxes are originated to make everybody contribute to public improvements instead of leaving such things to a few generous and broad-minded people. Streams are bridged, highways are improved till folks can travel over them in all kinds of weather; better schools keep the children at home; law and order is observed like it never was before. The people are no longer living in fear of lawless folks, and are the happier for it. Civilization has arrived!

There are lots of ways to slow up the arrival of civilization. The narrow, mean man will continue to obstruct. He does not see why he should pay so much taxes as he forgets that his property has become more valuable. He would like to see his neighbors continue to bear all the burden and himself to plead the poverty act.

If a new highway is to bring added value to his land, he will insist that it is damaging him instead, and actually wants his neighbors to pay him money for making him rich.

The right kind of man won't do these things but one or two selfish obstructionists can do lots of harm in a country by telling their neighbors how much damages they are going to collect. Of course, if John gets damages, Tom and Dick want to get their graft in also, and that's where the harm comes in: the country might put up with the narrowness and selfishness of one or two but when a whole lot of fellows get possessed of the hope of securing some easy money, the matter becomes serious.—Quanah Tribune-Chief.

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P. O. SAFE AT QUAIL BLOWN. WELLINGTON HOMES LOOTED

Wellington, Texas, Feb. 7.—Four homes here and a store and the postoffice at Quail, about 15 miles northwest of town were entered last Friday night by burglars who took something like \$500 in cash, checks, jewelry and merchandise.

It is not known at what time they entered the postoffice and the store at Quail but it is thought that the homes here were entered sometime after midnight.

The safe in the postoffice was blown and approximately \$100 in cash was taken, while merchandise valued at \$100 was taken from Self-Reeves store.

The home of E. A. Fancher was entered and his trousers and those of his son's were rifled for some few dollars in change and a car key. The trousers were found the next morning in the back yard. The sum of \$150 was taken from the home of R. H. Eads, prominent poultry man here. Five dollars in cash, \$75 in checks, a car key, and \$50 worth of jewelry, consisting of a watch and a ring, were missing from the home of Aubrey Dobbs. The trousers of T. C. Fuller were also rifled for some silver change.



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HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

(Mary Sample)

Dr. Claxton at High School.
Thursday afternoon Dr. P. P. Claxton, Secretary of Education under Presidents Taft and Wilson, favored the high school with an address. His speech presented four major thoughts which he expanded. He told us to be "peanuts" instead of "pops" and to be account books with something written in them instead of blank ones. His third point, taken from Homer's Iliad was "May this son be a better man than his father was" and his fourth was "An arrow in the hands of a giant is like children in the hands of him who hath them."

It is an honor for a school the size of ours to have been visited by an educator of the international reputation that is Dr. Claxton's.

Junior-Senior Banquet
Not only has the class of '27 been the first to introduce caps and gowns into Clarendon High School, but it will be also the first to put over a Junior-Senior Banquet.

This is to be held Monday evening, Feb. 14, at the Antro Hotel. The guest list includes the high school faculty in addition to the Junior and Senior classes.

Elaborate plans for decoration and entertainment are being prepared and the persons who will attend are looking forward to this affair with great interest.

Camp Fire Activities
The girls of the Sacajawea group, all of whom are students in high school, had a sunset supper, Friday evening, February 4. Nearly all the members went with Miss Steagall their guardian and Mrs. Pierle a guest.

They hiked out to the "Sink Hole" about a mile from town and soon had a fire crackling among the leaves although they had forgotten matches thereby showing themselves novices. Then came the "cats," of which a surprising amount disappeared rapidly. After a splendid marshmallow roast all tramped back to town hoping to repeat the fun soon.

Doughnut Day Success
The Campfire girls of Miss Steagall's group have demonstrated their ability to sell doughnuts. They sold about one hundred seventy-five dozen doughnuts and delivered them Saturday to their customers. They know how to make "dough" and have fun doing it too. The girls plan to use the money cleared by the group to defray initiatory expenses of their organization. One of the laws of the Campfire girls is that the girls must earn the money to offset all campfire expenses. They cannot accept donations no matter how willingly they may be tendered.

The Clarendon Parent Teachers Association was to have met Thursday, Feb. 3, and an elaborate program had been prepared. At a late hour it was thought best to postpone the meeting until Thursday, Feb. 10. At that time it is hoped that there will be a full attendance of members and friends of the Association. The hour for the meeting is 4:15 and the place is the high school auditorium. Come and bring someone else.

Picture Exhibit.
A picture exhibit sent out by Colonial Art Company, of Oklahoma City, was given at the high school

Tuesday, Feb. 8. Reproductions of many beautiful and famous pictures were displayed. The proceeds will be used to pay the incidental expenses of the exhibit and if any money is left over it will be used to buy pictures for the high school. Each student was given an opportunity to see the pictures at one or more of his study periods. Some of the teachers are using the exhibit as a basis for classroom work.

High School Organizations Assist Boy Scouts

At the Boy Scout's annual celebration, given at the Queen theatre, Monday night, Feb. 7, the high school band and glee club rendered several numbers. The glee club sang "Friends that are Good and True," and the quartette, composed of Alfred Estlack, Earl Humphrey, Tommie Allison and Marshall Morris sang "Down, Down, in Sunshine Valley." The band played "The Huntress," "America," and "That's Why I Love You."

Senior Girls Addressed
Monday morning the Senior girls were addressed by a representative of the Colorado Woman's College of Denver, Colorado. He told us about the college which he represents, especially emphasizing the freedom from superimposed restraint and the consequent opportunity for self-restraint and development on the part of the student.

The Literary Society
The Literary Society of Clarendon High School met in general assembly, Friday, Feb. 4th.

Each number of the following program was thoroughly enjoyed by the members and visitors.

Euke Trio, "Say it with a Ukelele," Lucille Park, Susan Park, Maurine Wood.

Clarendon, Oleta Swinburn. Violin Quartette, "Melody of Love," Verna Latson, Marjory McKillop, Agatha Taylor, Sallie Smith, Helen Bailey, pianist.

Reading, "Sister's Dress," Eunice Johnson.

Song, "Friends that are Good and True," Gays Glee Club.

Original Story, Mary Jo Chamberlain.

Song, "Last Night," Lela Barrett. Critic's Report, Mary Jo Chamberlain.

Girls Basket Ball
The first game of the week was played with McLean on the home court, Friday evening, at 7:30. The score was much in the opponent's favor due more to their power of rough playing than to our inability at the game. We play a game at McLean Friday, Feb. 11.

A Senior Girl's Basket Ball Tournament was held at Lelia Lake Saturday afternoon, Feb. 5. In the first game Clarendon beat Lelia Lake, the score being 36 to 9. Hedley beat Clarendon 30 to 15.

Library
Many books that have been ordered for the high school have been paid for by the funds secured from the operetta. The following are some of the books and music that have been purchased: Music Books, Band Music, Economics Supplementary Books and Operetta Books. A few other expenses have been defrayed also by the operetta funds.

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Dr. Claxton Addresses Teachers
Dr. P. P. Claxton addressed our high school teachers and nearly all the teachers in the county last Thursday night, Feb. 3, in the English room at the college.

A Special Chapel Program.
The Boy Scouts will present a program Wednesday morning Feb. 9, at the chapel period.

Boys Basket Ball
Our boys basket ball team went to defeat Monday afternoon in a game with Lelia Lake, the score being 20 to 27.

Junior Basket Ball
The Junior Girls Basket Ball team and the girls team entered the tournament that was given Saturday. The boys were defeated in their game with Hedley, 15 to 6 but the girls came out victorious from both their games played with Hedley and Lelia Lake.

Every school in the county is taking part in these various tournaments except a few rural schools. These games serve to create a friendly feeling between the different schools. The boys championship will be determined this week.

Tardy Rules Changed.
Early Wednesday morning Mr. Wickline announced that since we, the students, did not seem to be going to eliminate the tardies that he would do it himself. If anyone comes in late now, he or she is sent home to stay until noon. This is a fair rule and will serve to prevent tardy attendance.

COLLEGE STUDENTS TO PRESENT MUSICAL PROGRAM
A public Music Recital will be given at the College Auditorium, Friday evening, February 11, at 7:30, by the pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Morris.

Piano, The Little Prince, Krogman; Berkely Ryan.
Piano, Andante, Haydn; Virginia Hundley.
Piano, Narcissus, Nevin; Pauline Shelton.
Piano, Shepherd Boy, Wilson; Retta Mae Gordon.
Voice, Down in Nod-a-Way, Galoway; Lonis Hunt.
Piano, Valse, Durand, Latrice Benson.
Voice, The Secret, Scott; Alice Gordon.
Piano, Watchman's Song, Greig; Lee Lewis.
Voice, Little Slip of a Girl, Molloy; Mrs. Charley Latson.
Piano, Etude, Wollenhaupt; Mabel Stephenson.
Violin, Mazurka, Demuth; Bonnie Nell Gordon.
Piano, Idillio, Lack; Agatha Taylor.
Voice, Felice, Lawrence; Willie Mae Stewart.
Piano, Valse, Greig; Gertrude Osborne.
Violin, Lullaby, Herman; Mabel Stephenson.
Piano, Valse, Chopin; Viola Joss.
Voice, The Nightingale and the Rose, Nevin; Josephine Stocking.
Piano, Valse Lento, Delibes; Angeline Dubbs.
Voice, I Dreamt That I Dwelt in Marble Halls, Balfie; Lela Barrett (High School Scholarship).
Piano, A La Bien Aimee, Schuett; Geraldine Kelley.
Voice, Dear Love, Remember Me, Marshall; Irl Smith (Federation Scholarship).
Piano, Disquietude, Pfeifner; Martha Alice Moore.
Violin, Bolero, David; Dick Spill-

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- Berthoverm, Frank.
- Brimlet, A. C.
- Brown, Georgia.
- Clanton, W. S.
- Caldwell, M. E.
- Campbell, Loyd.
- Crocker, R. S.
- Crawford, Mr. and Mrs.
- Guy, W. H.
- Heath, T. F.
- Jons, Orio.
- Mitchell, Bullah.
- Morris, C. E.
- McElsy, S. M.
- Morris, R. S.
- Nelly, W. M.
- Nickalsans, A. W.
- Presie, Lillie.
- Randon, A. J.
- Roper, Mrs. Callie.
- Rivers, Della.
- Smith, Travis.
- Shaffer, Patsy.
- Taylor, Ennis W.
- Tipton, Sam.
- Vandorf, Albert.
- Vens, Victoria.
- Wood, Newell.
- White, Christine.
- Willis, Myrtle, (3).
- Wyatt, B. W.

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HUDDINS

There was Sunday School at the regular hour. Brother Laney filled his appointment after Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Putman spent Sunday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garland, of Hedley.

Mrs. Lee Moore and Mrs. J. A. Dotson visited Mrs. Spikes Friday.

Miss Laura Jacobs visited the Misses Pope after Sunday school Sunday.

Miss Iris Spikes is able to be back in her school room after a few days illness.

Our community was surprised by another wedding on February 6, when Mr. Voyd Christie and Miss Ruth Green were united in marriage. The wedding took place at 9:45 Sunday morning, Brother J. R. King officiating.

Mr. Christie is a prominent young man of our community and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Christie. The bride is a popular young lady and is loved by all who know her. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Green of the Windy Valley community.

Both the families of the bride and groom were present for the wedding and the wedding dinner.

The infirm dinner given by the Groom's parents on Monday was well attended by relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stewart and family of Goldston spent Sunday with O. L. Jacobs and family.

Mr. Miles Tyler and Gordon Lee of Claude were visiting in our community Saturday night and attended the wedding Sunday.

Mrs. D. H. Perdue and children spent a few days of the past week.

TEXAS IS FIFTH IN POPULATION

LATE ESTIMATES INDICATE STEADY GROWTH OF STATE SINCE CENSUS OF 1920.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Texas estimated population as of July 1, will be 5,937,000. According to figures issued today by the census bureau this is an increase of 734,000 since the regular 1920 census and is obtained by using that figure as a basis and adding thereto the rate of increase as shown for the preceding 10 years, multiplied by the seven and one-half years which will have elapsed.

Washington, Jan. 31. (AP).—Computations by the government's census experts indicate that the population of continental United States on July 1, 1927, will be 118,628,000.

That is an increase of 1,492,000 over the estimate for July 1, 1926, and an increase of 12,917,380 over the figure for January 1, 1920, when the last actual census was taken.

The new estimate, announced today by the census bureau, is based, among other things, on available data regarding births, deaths, immigration and emigration. Estimates for such of the states were made by distributing the total estimated increase in the same proportions as the actual increase between the two censuses of 1910 and 1920 was distributed. Those states which showed a decrease between 1910 and 1920 or between 1920 and 1925, however, were not credited with having made any increase since. No figures were announced for geographical divisions smaller than states.

with Mr. D. B. Perdue and family. Mr. Haney is visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs called on Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Putman until bed time Sunday night.

The play given Friday night was well rendered and attended. We thank you all. The sum received was a little over fifteen dollars.

Mrs. E. W. Chenaault and Mrs. E. J. Chenaault spent Monday with Mrs. O. L. Jacobs.

Mrs. O. D. Meador and Mrs. Spikes visited Mrs. J. A. Dotson Monday afternoon.

Miss Sybil Chenaault spent Monday and Monday night with Laura Jacobs.

PERSONALS

Miss Mary Lou Jenkins spent Thursday in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Nelson of Hedley were here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tidrow of Hedley shopped in Clarendon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Mitchell and children of Panhandle visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Land of Hedley were business visitors in this city Saturday.

Miss Vera and Mary Lee Garland of Hedley shopped in Clarendon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Heath of Hedley were among the business visitors here Monday.

Mrs. Frank Tull of Stinnett visited her mother, Mrs. Callie Houk, the latter part of the week.

Mrs. P. L. Dishman and Miss Mary Harris of Hedley were among the shoppers here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Park L. Chamberlain had as guests last week-end, Mrs. Jack Williams and Mrs. James Blake of Amarillo.

Miss Jewell Jones of Memphis was the guest of Miss Eunice Griggs in the latter's home here, last week-end.

Society

Miss Mary Lou Jenkins and R. Clark Hemminger Married Sunday Evening

The marriage of Miss Mary Lou Jenkins and Robert Clark Hemminger was solemnized in a beautiful wedding at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening, February sixth. The Reverend F. T. Carlton, pastor of the Church, officiated with the ring ceremony.

The bride wore a lovely afternoon dress of bois de rose crepe Romaine with a hat and other accessories to match. Her corsage bouquet was of sweet peas and pink rose buds. The Church was decorated throughout with cut flowers, and before the altar was an arch of greenery and roses. Baskets of cut flowers and potted plants were massed on either side.

Mrs. Hemminger has been in with the firm of Watson and Antrobus for the past two years and is well known in both business and social circles. She is an accomplished singer and has won many friends through her associations with musical groups. Mr. Hemminger is a partner in the firm of Morris and Hemminger and is one of the leading young business men of the city. They will be at home in Clarendon after a brief trip to Wichita Falls.

Bride-Elect Honored by Mrs. R. F. Morris

Before her marriage to R. Clark Hemminger Sunday evening, Miss Mary Lou Jenkins was honored by Mrs. R. F. Morris in a dinner party at her home. The guest list included the honoree, Miss Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Morris, and Clark Hemminger. Mr. Hemminger is a nephew of the hostess.

Valentine Party and Shower Honor Bride-to-be

Miss Mary Lou Jenkins, bride-elect of Clark Hemminger, was honored in a pretty Valentine party and a miscellaneous shower, given by Miss Lorena Steagall and Miss Leila Bell at the home of Mrs. E. C. Herd, Friday evening. The home was cleverly and artistically decorated with red hearts and red paper streamers. A "road to matrimony" was arranged, with big red hearts as mile stones. On each milestone was some message to the bride, warning her of the "rocky road to matrimony." The rocks were quite visible, but fortunately were only brown paper stones, inside of which were exquisite gifts for the honoree.

Punch was served with heart shaped cakes. The guest list included: Miss Jenkins, Mrs. R. F. Morris, Mrs. E. C. Herd, Mrs. Gorman, Miss Sara Thompson, Miss Lillian Abbott, Miss Ester Bell Hanning, Miss Angelina Dubbs, Miss Benny Herd, Miss Bell, and Miss Stegall.

Mrs. R. L. Bigger and Mrs. C. G. Stricklin Entertain Monday

Mrs. R. L. Bigger and Mrs. C. G. Stricklin used the Valentine suggestion so cleverly in the decorations for their party of Monday afternoon that the affair is of special interest in a week given to Valentine parties. Eight tables were set for bridge, in the home of Mrs. Stricklin. The table markers were large red hearts, with figures of contrasting colors. Tallies and score pads were also in the Valentine motif and as further decoration, there were vases of cut flowers in the enticing suite.

The guest list for the party follows: Mrs. G. B. Bagby, Mrs. Selden Bagby, Mrs. Charles Bugbee, Mrs. Odos Caraway, Mrs. J. R. Calhoun, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. Kate B. Carroll, Mrs. Park L. Chamberlain, Mrs. W. H. Cooke, Mrs. Sam Dyer, Mrs. T. H. Ellis, Mrs. Dorr Ellis, Mrs. Sella Gentry, Mrs. Meredith Gentry, Mrs. Phillips Gentry, Mrs. Homer Glascoe, Mrs. Oscar Jenkins, Mrs. Holman Kennedy, Mrs. A. R. Letts, Mrs. J. B. McClelland, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Mrs. W. H. Patrick, Mrs. Nat Perrine, Mrs. George Ryan, Mrs. L. L. Swan, Mrs. M. D. Stephenson of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Forest Taylor, Mrs. James Trent, Mrs. Charles Trent, Miss Beulah Baird, Miss Anna Myra Bennett and Miss Willette Cole. At the end of the game, the loveliest of favors were awarded. Miss Cole received high-score-favor and Mrs. Charles Trent, low. Every one who drew a heart in the cut also received a favor.

A three course luncheon was served, in which the decorative scheme was maintained.

Mrs. Park L. Chamberlain Gives Bridge-Luncheon

Mrs. Park L. Chamberlain gave one of the most delightful parties of the week, when she entertained at a bridge-luncheon Friday. The little tables, at which the three course luncheon was served, were very gay in red and white covers of Valentine design. The namings, place cards, and mint baskets developed the decorative scheme, while bowls of sweet peas added to the attractiveness of the house.

Bridge was played at five tables, by the following: Mrs. Jack Williams of Amarillo, Mrs. James Blake of Amarillo, Mrs. J. W. Johnson of Roswell, New Mexico, Mrs. C. G. Stricklin, Mrs. Carl W. Bennett, Jr., Mrs. Ira Merchant, Mrs. Richard Roll, Mrs. Clarence Miller, Mrs. Selden Bagby, Mrs. Sam Dyer, Mrs. Homer Ellis, Mrs. Dorr Ellis, Mrs. Charles Trent, Mrs. Meredith Gentry, Mrs. Forest Taylor, Mrs. Holman Kennedy, Mrs. Oscar Jenkins, Mrs. James H. Morris, Miss Beulah Baird and Miss Mary Cooke. Mrs. Morris made high score and received a lovely favor. Mrs. Ellis was fortunate in the cut, and she, also, received an exquisite gift. The hostess presented guest favors to Mrs. Blake and Mrs. Williams.

Knights of Oblivion Honor Their Ladies Friday Evening

The justly famous Knights of Oblivion did honor to their ladies in a formal banquet at the Antro Hotel Friday evening. The banquet hall was simply and strikingly decorated in the black and gold, with streamers extended from the central lighting fixture to the walls. A screen, on which were crossed swords and the coat of arms of the Knights, stood behind the king's chair at the head of the table. Ribbons of gold and black crossed the table and in the center were white carnations. The programs and menus, printed in letters of gold on black, finished the decorations.

The following program was given, with King Arthur as toastmaster, during the four course dinner.

Occasion, Sir Bors de Gains. Ex K. O.'s, Sir Launcelot. Response, Sir Dodinel de Sauvage. Ladies of Oblivion, Sir Galahad. Response, Lady Dean.

Future of K. O.'s, Sir Gawain. Sneaker, Hon. Charles H. Dean. History of K. O.'s, Dean Stuart H. Condon.

The banquetting did not end at the Antro, for upon leaving there, the party went to the Bon Ton Confectionery, where Mr. Floyd Lumpkin, sponsor of the K. O.'s, served delicious refreshments. The confectionery was beautifully decorated in gold and black.

The guest list for this affair which is one of the most important social events in Clarendon College circles, included: Dean and Mrs. S. H. Condon, the Honorable and Mrs. Charles H. Dean, Jr., Miss Thelma Weatherly, Miss Martha Blackburn, Miss Enoree Hodges, Miss Julia Dean, Miss Texana Kessler, Miss Viola Hitchcock, and Earl White, Clifton Osborn, O. K. Clark, Wilfred Noble, Ernest Kent, Le Roy Hodges, and Gene Byrd.

Dance at Country Club Tuesday Enjoyable Event

An informal dance at the Country Club Tuesday evening was one of the greatly enjoyed parties of this week. A four piece orchestra furnished the music, and buffet supper added its share to the pleasures of the evening. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Stricklin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Perrine, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Holman Kennedy, Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Selden Bagby, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Merchant, Mr. and Mrs. Park Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Ellis.

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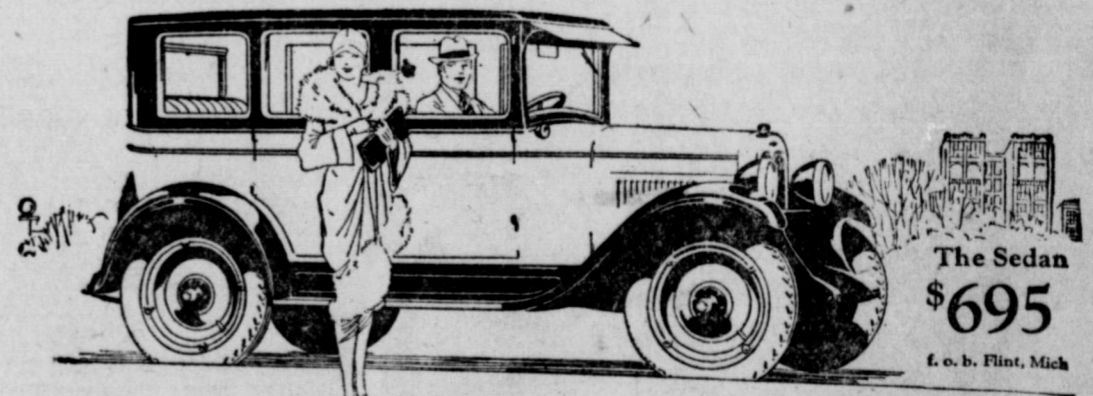
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Mrs. M. E. Jones Honored on Sixty-Sixth Birthday

One of the happiest events of the week was the family reunion that celebrated the sixty-sixth birthday of Mrs. M. E. Jones, Sunday, February sixth. When Mrs. Jones returned from morning church ser-

vice to the home of her son, W. C. Jones, she found the house filled with her children, grandchildren, and other friends and relatives who offered her birthday greetings and led her to a big table on which a perfect banquet had been set in her honor. There was an enormous tiered cake in the center, decorated with white candles and greenery. Many gifts, including a large amount of money were presented to Mrs. Jones. Mrs. J. C. Wood assisted in arranging the affair. Among the sixty people present were all but two of Mrs. Jones' children and her brother, C. H. Wood of Claude. The children present with their families were: W. C. Jones, C. A. Jones, Tommie Jones and Elmer Jones of this city and Mrs. P. T. Butler of Memphis, a nephew, Spencer Keithley, and his family also were here from Claude.

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Mrs. Charles Dean, Jr., Hostess at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean, Jr., entertained a number of friends at dinner Tuesday evening. The after-dinner diversion was forty-two, which was played by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Boykin, Mrs. W. B. Thomasson, Miss Lottier, E. Lane, Miss Sara Thompson, and Miss Lillian Abbott.

Mrs. Loyd Stallings is Hostess Friday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stallings gave a delightful little party Friday evening, honoring Carlton Chapman of Santa Ana. Decorations carried the Valentine suggestion. A number of games and music were the diversions of the evening, and at a late hour refreshments were served.

The guest list was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Boykin, Miss Louise Mullins, Miss Josephine Pound, Miss Fray Stallings, Carlton Chapman, Jack So Relle, and Bob Watkins of Hedley.

Ladies Dinner-Bridge Club Entertained by Mrs. Bagby

The members of the ladies Dinner-Bridge Club and a number of special guests were entertained Saturday evening by Mrs. G. B. Bagby. The dinner table was unusually pretty, with its center piece of red flowers and its heart shaped individual candy boxes of red satin. The Valentine decorative scheme was developed in the appointments of the bridge tables. The guest list for the party was as follows: Mrs. J. B. McClelland, Mrs. Sella Gentry, Mrs. Kate B. Carroll, Mrs. W. H. Cooke, Mrs. C. C. Powell, Mrs. J. R. Porter, Mrs. Selden Bagby and Miss Mamie F. McLean. Mrs. Powell received a lovely gift for high score and Mrs. Gentry drew consolation.

Mrs. H. Glascoe Gives Club Party Saturday

Mrs. Homer Glascoe entertained with four tables of bridge Saturday afternoon, with members of the Saturday Club and a number of other friends as guests. Seated at the tables were: Mrs. Odos Caraway, Mrs. A. R. Letts, Mrs. Charles Bugbee, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. J. B. McClelland, Mrs. T. H. Ellis, Mrs. John Blocker, Mrs. W. H. Cooke, Mrs. Sella Gentry, Mrs. W. H. Patrick, Mrs. George Ryan, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Mrs. C. G. Stricklin, Mrs. J. T. Sims, Mrs. J. R. Calhoun and Miss Mamie McLean.

Eighty-Four Candles Adorn Birthday Cake of Mrs. Upton

A simple but greatly enjoyed dinner party celebrated the eighty-fourth birthday of Mrs. M. M. Upton, Sunday the sixth. The dinner was given in the home of Mrs. Upton's son, J. L. Upton, and was attended by: Mrs. Annie Cox and her daughter, Susan, Mrs. Nora Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Naylor, J. L. Upton and his daughters, Jessie and Marie, and the honoree. A big cake, adorned with eighty-four white candles, was the center of attraction at the table.

Mrs. L. F. Bland of Hedley was among the shoppers here Saturday.

TEXAS ALMANAC REVIEW

The Texas Almanac and State Industrial Guide for 1927, published by The Dallas Morning News, has just come from the press. It contains many new features in addition to complete revision and bringing up to date of all statistics on such general subjects as crops, live stock and minerals. A large folded general commercial map of Texas is included with the volume, showing counties, cities and towns and railroads, including new and tentative lines, and the reverse side a revised highway map of the state.

In addition to keeping up to date figures upon matters of general commercial and political interest, it is the purpose of The Texas Almanac annually to devote a considerable portion of each volume to original matter. Among the new features in the volume this year are list of Texas native trees by common and technical names, with location of growth indicated; location and length of all Texas rivers, bayous and creeks of twenty-five miles or more length; latitude and longitude of all Texas towns for which observations have been made; summary of the bills and amendments recommended by the Educational Survey Commission; complete review of tax remission to counties and cities by the State Legislature, showing amounts of property valuation involved, names and address of principal poets, novelists, playwrights, short story writers, public schools, universities and colleges, manufacturing, agriculture, live stock, minerals, railroads, highways and motor vehicles; utilities, banking, insurance, election results by counties in 1926, reclamation, and irrigation, vital statistics, State Government finances and hundreds of other subjects. It is a complete encyclopedia of Texas, carrying latest available facts and figures on practically every field of information.

Complete and up-to-date information is given also on population, State, district and county officials, public schools, universities and colleges, manufacturing, agriculture, live stock, minerals, railroads, highways and motor vehicles; utilities, banking, insurance, election results by counties in 1926, reclamation, and irrigation, vital statistics, State Government finances and hundreds of other subjects. It is a complete encyclopedia of Texas, carrying latest available facts and figures on practically every field of information.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET WEDNESDAY, THE 16th

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 16th, at three o'clock, to begin a study of the new Bible study book: "Life as a Stewardship." The lesson is the first chapter and after the devotional and introduction there will be the study of five things the Bible teaches concerning our possessions, led by Mesdames Wilder, Griggs, Weidman, Richards and Chisholm.

LADIES OF THE GOLDEN CROSS ANNOUNCE BUSINESS MEETING

Monday evening, Feb. 14th, in the ladies parlor of the Methodist Church will be held the regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies of the Golden Cross. The meeting will begin at 3:30 o'clock and all members are urged to be present.

CIRCLE NUMBER TWO MET WITH MRS. J. W. CHISHOLM

Circle Number Two of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met Wednesday afternoon for a short business session and a Missionary Voice Lesson in the home of Mrs. John W. Chisholm. Mrs. Paul Sheltan was assistant hostess. Refreshments were served to fifty members after the business and lesson had been attended. The Circle adjourned to meet Wednesday, February 16th, in the Ladies Parlor of the Methodist Church for a Bible Study Lesson.

HISTORIC LONG-HORN CATTLE TO BE PRESERVED BY GOVT.

That the long-horned, or Spanish breed of cattle, once so numerous in the Southwest, may be preserved from complete extinction, the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture, will maintain a herd of the Wichita National Forest in Oklahoma, according to an announcement made today by Col. W. B. Greeley, chief forester. The agricultural appropriation bill signed by President Coolidge on January 17, carries an item for their purchase and maintenance.

The department has for several years urged the necessity for a small herd of these picturesque examples of early pioneer life of the Southwest for the benefit and education of future generations interested in pioneer history, said Colonel Greeley. The Wichita national forest lies "right in the heart of the range of the old southern herds of plains buffalo, and is a part of the region formerly known as the Indian Territory, where now live more than fifty thousand Indians. Here also grazed some of the pioneer herds of these long-horned cattle when the livestock industry in the Southwest was in its infancy. There are still a few living members of this once numerous breed of cattle to be found in Texas. The herd for the Government will be selected by expert cattlemen familiar with the characteristics of the cattle and of the southwestern ranges. They will be grazed in a pasture immediately adjoining the one occupied by the herd of buffalo now established on the forest.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Phelps of Hedley were here Monday to shop and attend to business affairs. Mrs. Blanche Jewell of Memphis was with them.

Mrs. Donna Green of Miami spent Sunday here with friends. She was en route to Dallas, where she will attend to business affairs.

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Clarendon Chapter No. 216: Stated meetings held on first Friday of each month. H. R. Kerbow, High Priest; E. A. Thompson Secretary.

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Pastime Theatre

7:30 p. m. Program

- (a) French National Defile March.....Turllet
(b) King of the Night, Overture.....Bernard
Clarendon Municipal Band
- Lord God, We Worship Thee.....Schnecker
Clarendon Municipal Chorus
- A Birthday.....R. Huntington Woodman
Roses of Picardy.....Hayden Wood
Miss Margaret Doorley, Visiting Soloist
- (a) Faust, Grand Selection.....Gounod
(b) Dance of the Hours, from La Gioconda.....Ponchielli
Clarendon Orchestra
- McDowell Club Quartette, Love's Old Sweet Song.....Molloy
Mesdames Ellis, McMurtry, Miss Graves, Mrs. Pierle
- One Fine Day—Madame Butterfly.....Puccini
Spring Serenade.....Gilberte
Miss Margaret Doorley, Visiting Soloist
- Blue Danube Waltz.....Strauss
Marche Militaire.....Schubert
Carl Venth Quintette
- Recessional, Kipling.....De Koven
Contralto Obligato, Miss Annie Bourland
My Country, 'Tis of Thee, Chorale.....Lorenz
Soprano Obligato, Mrs. Braswell
Clarendon Municipal Chorus
- Selections from Vagabond Prince and Rose Marie.....Bernard
Baby O' Mine.....Bernard
Miss Margaret Doorley, Visiting Soloist
- Goodbye.....Tosti
La Sevilla.....Yradier
Carl Venth Quintette
- (a) Hungarian Dance No. 5.....Brahms
(b) Chicago Tribune.....Chambers
Clarendon Municipal Band

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METHODIST LADIES TO GIVE VALENTINE PARTY MONDAY

An invitation has been handed The News informing the people that all the ladies of the Methodist Church and their husbands are invited to attend a Valentine Party next Monday evening, February 14, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson. The hours will be from 7:30 to 10:00 a. m. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rodgers of Borger visited the latter part of the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rodgers.

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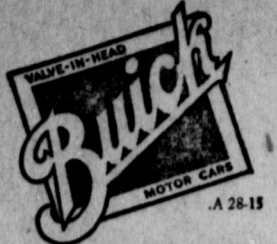
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OUR SEC. SAYS

TWO MINUTE INTERVIEWS WITH THE FARMERS

M. M. McCracken who lives in the Hudgins community cut down his cotton acreage from 160 acres in 1925 to 50 acres in 1926 and expects to carve that acreage down to 20 for the 1927 crop. The three acres that he put into sweet potatoes in 1926 netted him five hundred bushels and the 1927 crop of sweet potatoes he says will be five acres or more. Mr. McCracken says that if the land in this county is to continue to produce good crops that rotation and a gradual placing back into the soil of enough plant food to leave the land in better condition each year than the year before is absolutely necessary.

Mr. W. M. Pickering in the Naylor community planted 12½ acres in sweet potatoes in 1926 and sold the potatoes from 2½ acres while the potatoes were fresh. The 2,000 bushels that he got from the remaining ten acres were placed into a newly constructed potato curing

plant and are now ready for the market which is using the potatoes, at the rate of about fifty bushels a week in Donley county and in Hall county. The grade A potatoes are bringing Mr. Pickering \$2.00 a bushel and the others are selling for \$1.50.

MOTHERS STUDY CLUB HELD MEETING FRIDAY

The Mothers Study Club held one of the best meetings it has had in recent months Friday afternoon, in the home of Mrs. Fred Buntin. Thirteen of the fifteen members were present, and an enjoyable afternoon was spent in studying "Wild and Domesticated Animals." Mrs. James Hendrick led the discussion. At the close of the lesson, the hostess served dainty refreshments in two courses.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Hendrick. The lesson will probably be devoted to a discussion of one of the masterpieces of painting. According to present plans of the Study Club, a number of meetings will be given to the study of the best known masterpieces.

Mrs. E. T. Payne of Goodnight was here Thursday to shop and attend to other business matters.

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PROSPERITY FOR 1927 EXPECTED

COL. C. C. WALSH DISCUSSES YEAR'S BUSINESS OUTLOOK FOR TEXAS.

People of Texas are needlessly fearful regarding the outlook for 1927, for if Texas farmers will continue to raise more cotton on fewer acres and practice diversified farming to a greater extent there is no reason why this State should not enjoy a year of prosperity, Col. C. C. Walsh, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board and Federal Reserve agent, told Kivanians at the weekly luncheon Tuesday noon at the Adolphus Hotel. Col. Walsh's topic was "The Business Outlook for 1927."

His address was based on agricultural figures for 1925 and 1926. By comparison and contrast he showed what bearing these figures had on 1927 prospects.

"Texas could disregard cotton and still be in a good condition," Col. Walsh asserted. "Last year receipts from our cotton crop amounted to only about 20 percent of total agricultural receipts. Total agricultural receipts for 1925 in Texas was \$1,200,000,000. Of this amount cotton was responsible for only \$305,000,000.

Crop Proceeds Greater. "In 1926 the cotton crop amounted to 5,900,000 bales, while the 1925 crop was 4,165,000 or 1,735,000 bales less. But the 1925 cotton crop brought \$82,682,000 more than did the 1926 crop. The receipts for 1925 were \$305,413,000 and for 1926 were \$368,095,000. Farmers raised more cotton on fewer acres but they also devoted more land to cotton production, which caused overproduction.

As a result of overproduction 1926 cotton sold for 18c and 19c, while in 1925 cotton brought 20c and 24c. Farmers of this state must raise more cotton on fewer acres and devote more land to diversified farming. In 1926 several other crops fell short of 1925 in receipts, but that did not include dairy products, poultry, citrus and many others which are steadily gaining in production in Texas.

"With all the innumerable natural resources this state possesses and the adaptability of the land to varied farming, there is no reason why we should be pessimistic over 1927. We should be optimistic, but optimism alone will not carry us through. We must support optimism by conducting our educational program and business program in correct relation."

"Watch Texas" Advised. The speaker quoted figures printed by The Dallas News, other newspapers and magazine articles written by financial experts, the latter proclaiming a brilliant future for Texas and advising capital to "watch Texas."—Dallas News.

WEST TEXAS MAN NAMED MEMBER HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Austin, Feb. 1.—Governor Dan Moody Tuesday named Judge W. R. Ely of Taylor County as a member of the highway commission for the two year term, succeeding Scott Woodward of Fort Worth, Ferguson appointee refused confirmation by the senate.

Other appointments, Mitchell Campbell of Anderson to membership on the state fire commission, succeeding J. E. Timmins.

Charles McKamey of Grayson County, labor commissioner, succeeding Miss Fannie Daniels.

F. O. Weinert of Guadalupe county tax commissioner, succeeding Edward Edwards.

Mr. Ely resigned as judge of the 42nd judicial district to accept the appointment. He served six years as district judge and before that as an attorney and judge of Callahan County.

The new commissioner, now is living in Abilene, home town of the governor's wife. He lived for many years at Baird in Callahan County. Mr. Ely will arrive Wednesday or Thursday.

Chairman R. S. Sterling of Houston was the only highway commissioner here. Commissioner Cone Johnson of Tyler was scheduled to arrive Tuesday; but he was detained by court business and will reach here Wednesday or Thursday.

When Johnson and Ely meet with Chairman Sterling, R. A. Thompson of Dallas is expected to be named state highway engineer.

Mitchell Campbell, only son of former Governor Tom Campbell, is auditor of Anderson County, and is in the insurance business at Palestine.

Charles McKamey lives at Donson, and is a locomotive engineer for the M. K. T. railway, the line for which he has worked more than 20 years in various capacities.

F. O. Weinert is a former state senator and lives at Seguin.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED STUDENTS REGISTERED AT TEXAS TECH

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 9.—Texas Technological College has just registered its fifteen hundredth student during the current scholastic year—the second of the school's history. Eugene Wilson, a 17-year old graduate of Bay City high school is the student who has the above honor.

The passing of the fifteen hundred mark in Tech's enrollment caused President Horn to call renewed attention to the institution's urgent need for more buildings and equipment, as well as more courses and a larger faculty. The next school year, in his opinion, will see the enrollment of the two thousandth student. Greatly enlarged facilities are absolutely necessary to care for this great student body.

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FORMER CLARENDON PASTOR FACES OUSTER PROCEEDINGS IN DETROIT COURT.

Reverend Sam J. White, pastor of the First Christian Church of Clarendon four years ago, was served a few days ago, with a temporary injunction restraining him from presiding over a "secret" business meeting, as a result of a petition recently filed by the executive board of the Grand River Avenue Christian Church of Detroit, Michigan.

Such is the information contained in a special dispatch from Detroit to the Amarillo Daily News, February 3, which goes into greater detail and says the following:

"Rev. White has been the storm center of factional dissension since he came to the local church from Texas more than four years ago. Previous to his Texas pastorate, he served in West Point, Miss., Meridian, Miss., and Savannah, Ga. "Mismanagement," an inclination to be "headstrong," "lack of diplomacy," and "dissension," are the charges hurled against him by members of the executive board.

"His failure to resign the pastorate, as requested several times by the board, was made the basis of his petition for an injunction against occupancy of the pulpit. "Dissension within the parish is said by members of the church to date from a time more than two years ago when the pastor acting for the congregation is said by his opponents to have withdrawn the church's financial support from the United Christian Missionary Society, which he charges with failure to fulfill its obligations, while others charge the executive board with arbitrary tactics in handling the church affairs."

Reverend White served as pastor of the First Christian Church of this city for one year, and proved, while here, to be one of the most popular ministers ever in this section. The church profited during his tenure as pastor. His undeniable ability was not limited to pastoral work, however, for he was called upon to officiate at many important civic functions. It will be remembered, also, that he organized the first Ministerial Alliance in the town.

WATCH AILING CHICKS

College Station, Texas, Feb. 9.—A great deal of trouble has been experienced among poultry raisers in the last year or two in Texas with coccidiosis, according to Professor D. H. Reid, head of the poultry husbandry department, A. & M. College of Texas. This disease is a parasitic affection that brings on droopiness and sickness among chicks, usually attacking young chicks of only a few weeks of age. Due to the trouble from this disease a number of the poultry breeders who operate on a big scale are not letting their little chicks out of doors but are keeping them off the ground where the germ of the disease is found, Professor Reid added. "It is a good plan each morning to look over your flock of little chicks," he said, "and kill any cripples or droopy looking chicks. This may avoid a great deal of trouble. By killing five diseased chicks you may save the lives of a hundred others."

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Park, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Park, and Horace Park of Pampa visited relatives here Sunday.

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Mrs. A. H. Baker was hostess to the Home Economics Club, when it met Friday afternoon to study making set in pockets and bound button-holes. Miss Edna Key, County Home Demonstration Agent, demonstrated the proper methods of attacking these sewing problems. Refreshments were served after adjournment. The Club will meet in the home of Mrs. E. W. Bromley for the next meeting. Mrs. C. R. Skinner will lecture on home nursing at that meeting.

The attendance at Friday's meeting was excellent and it is expected that it will be still better for the next meeting. There has been a noticeable increase in interest in the work of the Club since Miss Key's arrival with new plans and new ideas. Several new members have been received into the Club in the last few weeks. Mrs. John Watts and Mrs. Edwin Baily were elected at the last meeting.

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Magna Cum Laude
Logan Rhodes, 89 1-4; Elsie Riddle, 88 1-2; Mary Sample, 88 1-2; Edith Speed, 86; Willie Mae Stewart, 88 1-2; Hazel Bourland, 86 1-4; Irene Carlson, 87 1-2; John Crain, 86; Ernest Crider, 87 1-2; Willie Anna Garmon, 89 3-4; Meade Haile, 86 1-2; Lea Oda Stobbs, 85 3-4; Gladys Aynert, 86 1-2.

JUNIORS
Cooper Section 2.
Glen Allison, 91; Cloo Brown, 87.5; Jessie Burson, 85; Ruby Hall, 90; Felix Mullino, 89.25; Gladys Noble, 90; Archie Pool, 90.25; Esther Roman, 88.7; Mary Slater, 88.5; Martha Alice Moore, 88.25; Edna Crane, 87; Lois Alexander, 86.2.

SOPHOMORES
Thelma Ellis, 91; Ellis, 85; Phifer Estlack, 91.75; Lorena Hayes, 92.5; Allen Moors, 85.5; Clinty Phillips, 89; Phil Reeves, 85; Thelma Swearingen, 90.5; Bernice Webb, 89; Dorothy McCanne, 93.2; James Mullino, 93.2; Mabel Sosby, 91.4; Eugene Estlack, 89; Floyd Crider, 89.25; Helen Slater, 87.63.

FRESHMEN
Emilee Johnson, 90.75; Roberta La Fon, 86.25; Joyce Link, 92; Harold Osborn, 86.75; Helen Smith, 91.75; Barbara Parker, 86; Mildred Sparks, 88; Betty Walker, 94.

CENTRAL WARD
Summa Cum Laude
For Third Six Weeks and not Mid-Term.

Wilson Chapman, 95; George Chamberlain, 94; Monette Ratcliff, 94; Claudia Atteberry, 93; Lovella Bell, 93; Susie Salmon, 93; Wilma D. Smith, 93; Wilfred Hott, 92; Janice Gibbs, 92; Merryton Atteberry, 91; E. W. Jones, 91; Jo Ellen Kennedy, 91; Kitty Carroll, 91; Nickey Stewart, 91; Laverne Lott, 91; Helen Louise Green, 91; Christine Lampkin, 91; Arthur Chase, 91.

Ruby Aldridge, 90; Mildred Crabtree, 90; Viola Sample, 90; J. B. McCarty, 90; Wilma Hott, 90; Joy McCanne, 90; J. R. Bartlett, 90; Dollie Walters, 90; Gertrude Hayden, 90; Ruth Latson, 90.

Ruby Dell Scoggins, 89; Bobby Thomas, 89; Karleen Brooks, 89; Aurelia Kelley, 89; Ruby Doris McGabrey, 89; Betsy Parks, 89; Dorothy Powell, 88; Velma Hayden, 88; Aileen Balew, 88; Francis Alexander, 88; Mary Ella Barnard, 88; Mary Derrick, 88; Dyal Garner, 88; Francis Arnold, 88; Pauline Carlile, 88; Zoy Fronabarger, 88; Joe Jackson, 87.

Luther Hal, 87; Gertrude Louise Reed, 87; Tidwell Jackson, 87; H. B. Spiller, 87; Dorothy Jean Head, 87; Nat Perrine, 87; Jim Ned Bourland, 87; Marvin Mitchell, 87; Rhea Shoffitt, 87; Mary Francis Powell, 87.

A. J. Smith, 86; Margaret Taylor, 86; Mary Peltzel, 86; Phelits Day, 86; Dessie Barnard, 86; Allen Patman, 86; Led Jay, 86; Albert Cobb, 86; Celia Dee Reynolds, 86; Ellis Chisholm, 86; Boyd Woods, 86. Nellie Grady, 85; George Oller, 85; Georgia Fae Tipton, 85; Aubrey Johnson, 85; Dorothy Watson, 85; Howard Baskin, 85; Helen Risley, 85; Gordon Williamson, 85; Lucille Hester, 85; Cloyd McClung, 85; George Wayne Estlack, 85.

SOUTH WARD
For Mid-Term, all three six weeks. Ardis Patman, 95 1-2; Geraldine Pratt, 94 1-3; Pauline Shelton, 93 8-9; Pauline Sanford, 93; Isla Smith, 92 1-2; Mary Thomas, 92 2-3; Thelma Hines, 92; Alfred McMurry, 91 1-2; Jo Ema Stewart, 91 2-9; Jean Bourland, 91 2-9; Charles Walker, 91 x; Douie Parker, 91; Margaret Bandy, 90 x; Donley Darnell, 90 x; Billie Walker, 90 3-4; Louise Smith, 90 5-8; Tootsy Carter, 90 1-2; Emmitt Simmons, 90 1-8; Melba Bandy, 90; Melba, 90.

SOUTH WARD
Second Honor Roll
Wanda Mayfield, 89 7-8; Jennie D. Latson, 89 5-9; Dorothy Headrick, 89 2-9; Ruth Price, 89; Homer Estlack, 89; J. R. Cox, 89; Berkeley Ryan, 88 3-4; Drew Wilkerson, 88 5-8; Y. E. McAdams, 88; Flora Mae Smith, 88; George Bourland, 88; Leonidas Elmore, 88; Virginia Gardenhire, 88; J. C. Phillips, 88; Adaline Smith, 87 7-9; Elton Meller, 87 5-9; Evelyn Murphy, 87 4-9; J. D. Holtzclaw, 87 1-8; Wesley Carroll, 87; Caroline Chisholm, 87; Jack Hayes, 87.

Catherine Crawford, 87; Lena Towles, 87; Lloyd Benson, 87; Robert Green, 87; Alexander Cooke, 86 8-9; Dorothy Jo Taylor, 86 7-9; J. M. Lummus, 86 5-8; Jim Blanks, 86 1-8; James Headrick, 86; Glynnia Keely, 86.
Mae Dever, 86; Carrol Hudson, 86; Nina Crawford, 86; Ina Riley, 86; Jewell Scoggins, 85 4-5; Willard Skelton, 85 5-8; Margaret Backwell, 85 1-2; Lucy Percival, 85 3-8; Delphia Bones, 85 2-3; Lena Sample, 85 2-9; Bryum Haile, 85 1-3; Arthur Davis, 85 1-5; Thelma Reed, 85; Fay Irwin, 85; Thelma Oller, 85; Owtia Towles, 85; Stella Miller, 85; Raymond Tidwell, 85.

CONTINUED PROSPERITY
Business leaders have predicted continued prosperity for 1927. The forecasts are said to be more favorable than those of a year ago when the whole country was enjoying the profits of a vigorous trade.

C. E. Griggs returned Monday from a business trip to Wichita Falls and was accompanied by M. P. Bell, who was a guest in the Griggs home for a few days.

SAFE FROM ALL EVIL:—The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil; he shall preserve thy soul. Psalm 121:7.

PRAYER:—He shall say of the Lord, He is our Refuge and our Fortress, our God; in Him we trust.

STATEMENT REGARDING CRIME SUPPRESSION LEAGUE OF DALLAS

On the 4th day of January a party of about fifty Dallas citizens, including a half dozen lawyers, met at luncheon and discussed ways and means to have enacted into law the recommendations of the National Crime Commission composed of Herbert S. Hadley of Missouri, Judge Kavanagh of Chicago, Hon. Dan Moody of Texas, Hon. Judson Harmon of Ohio (formerly Attorney General of the United States and later Governor of Ohio, under whose administration reforms were made in criminal procedure), Prof. Roscoe Pound of Harvard University, and many other distinguished men who have had large experience with the criminal law.

An attorney was employed to draft bills covering each of the recommendations of this Commission. This work has been done in co-operation with the Committee of the Texas Bar Association, and it was voted by the organizers of this League to get squarely behind the passage of all the recommendations of that National Committee. The following is a list of the recommendations as incorporated into bills before the present session of the Texas Legislature, to-wit:

1. Every person charged with felony shall without unnecessary delay after his arrest be taken before a Justice of the Peace or other judicial officer and after being informed as to his rights, shall be given an opportunity publicly to make any statement regarding the charge.

2. Prosecution for crime may be either by indictment or information. (A constitutional amendment will be necessary to permit this practice.)

3. Providing that bond in a criminal case shall be fixed after taking into consideration the seriousness of the offense and previous criminal record of defendant, also requiring each bondsman to make oath of his financial condition and submit a description of his obligations, and the further statement whether or not he has received any compensation for signing said bond. Said bill further provides that no one can sign a bond acting under a power of attorney, and further provides that false statements made with reference to the financial statement of bondsmen shall be defined as perjury and further provide that the officer who accepts a bond without fulfilling said requirements shall be liable on his official bond in the event the defendant fails to appear.

4. Defendants charged with conspiracy or any other crime that requires joint action shall be tried jointly and all defendants jointly indicted for crimes that may be jointly committed but do not require joint action shall be jointly tried unless in the opinion of the trial judge a severance shall be had.

5. Amending the law by eliminating that portion of same which forbids the attorneys to discuss or the jury to comment on defendant's failure to testify.

6. The State and defendant shall be permitted to take depositions of witnesses in criminal cases either within or without the State under direction of the court.

7. The trial court shall be permitted to select the jury or require it to be done under his direction. Bills have also been introduced giving the trial court the authority to assess the punishment and the jury shall only be required to pass upon the guilt or innocence of the defendant.

8. In felony cases, the five-sixths verdict of the jury shall be sufficient to convict except in cases where the death penalty may be imposed.

9. A defendant shall have the right to appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals, following a verdict and judgment of guilty, but bills have been introduced in the Legislature providing that no case shall be reversed by the appellate court for errors in procedure which do not affect the substantial rights of the defendant after considering the entire record in the case.

10. All appeals shall be perfected within thirty days after the judgment of the trial court. The record of appeal shall be perfected and filed in the appellate court within sixty days after motion for new trial is overruled in the trial court.

11. If the case should be reversed on appeal the defendant shall be subject to prosecution on the original charge in the indictment, even though he may have been convicted at the first trial of some lesser offense.

12. A defendant appealing from a judgment of conviction shall remain in custody unless the trial court or appellate court should certify that there is in its opinion reasonable ground for the prosecution of appeal.

13. Whenever a person is acquitted on a plea of insanity he shall not be liberated entirely, but shall be confined in a proper eleemosynary institution.

14. No case shall be dismissed except upon written recommendation by the prosecuting attorney giving his reasons therefor and filed with the trial court. It shall then be the duty of the trial court to pass upon the motion as to whether or not the case shall be dismissed. If the trial court desires, it may cause further investigation to be made before the motion is acted upon.

In other words, our program is to present to the people of Texas the necessity of reform in criminal procedure, and also to furnish a means whereby the desire of the people may be registered. We believe that no effort will be necessary to convince the people that reform in criminal procedure is mandatory if the people are to be protected. But inasmuch as the people have no adequate vehicle by which they may untriedly express themselves on this matter of law reform, it was considered that a permanent organization should be effected for the purpose of reaching the people of the State on

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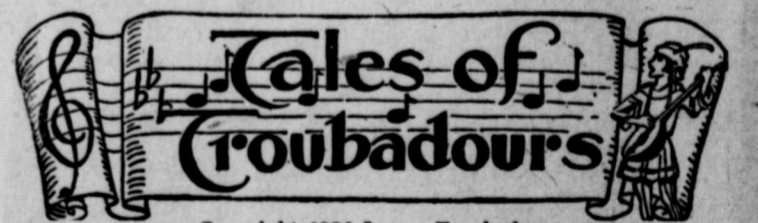
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this immediate program and so that any other matters relating to criminal procedure could be considered later.

Therefore, a corporation was formed on January 14, 1927, at which meeting twenty-five directors were selected. The corporation has no capital stock, and the purposes of the corporation being in these words:

"The purpose for which it is formed is the support of an educational undertaking, to-wit: To collect, gather and disseminate information and statistics concerning the violation of the laws of this State, the effects of crime on the lives, health and property rights of the citizens of this State, and to educate the public generally on the necessity for the prompt and speedy enforcement of all laws of this State, the education of the public mind to the necessity for such reform in our criminal procedure as will insure a prompt and speedy enforcement of the laws, and to educate the public mind on the necessity for the observance and enforcement of the laws as will bring about the assistance and cooperation of the citizenship with all the law-enforcing agencies of this State, and generally do and perform all such acts and things as may be essential and necessary to prevent, suppress and reduce the commission of crime in Texas." On the Board of Directors are twenty laymen and five lawyers.

This organization has been endorsed unanimously by the Bar Association of Dallas, at a meeting where nearly two hundred lawyers were present, by luncheon clubs and various other organizations. By the terms of the Charter, the activities of the Crime Suppression League of Dallas may cover the whole of Texas. However, it is called the Crime Suppression League of Dallas because it was hoped that the other cities of the State might also form Crime Suppression Leagues, and that joint conferences might be held from time to time by representatives of these various leagues, and a State Federation formed through all the leagues through which general activities for the suppression of crime could be carried on.

Inasmuch as the time for taking a poll of the State is limited, we suggest that the voters in the various counties of the State who favor the program above outlined—take

Thwarted lovers have a custom of dashing off to the wars and Cadnet, a good troubadour but a poor lover, was no exception. In his poems Cadnet evidenced considerable originality, but in his reaction to disappointments in love—none at all.

Love and war and the connection with jesters find between the two states were powerfully exemplified in Cadnet's life. When Cadnet was a child of two or three years his father, the Lord of Durance, with the Count of Forcalquier, engaged in a war against the Counts of Provence and Toulouse. In this battle the Cadnet family with the exception of the young Cadnet perished. The estate was sacked and burnt.

From this terrible scene a knight named Guillem de Lauter rescued the young boy and brought him up as his own. As the child grew older he left his protector and began his career as troubadour and lover. As a lover, he was unfortunate, to say the least. He loved respectively Marguerite de Ries, Blancassetta, and a nun, and respectively he was spurned, tolerated, and ignored.

His claim to fame as a lover rests on his introduction of the amorous enigma. He hit on the plan of mak-



ing a declaration of love in this ingenious fashion:

"Three letters of the A B C
If thou wilt learn
Enough wilt be.
Those letters are A M T
And mean—all I can say to thee."
From this doggerel Marguerite was supposed to get "Amo, Marguerite, Te"—"Marguerite, I love you."

All his cleverness availed Cadnet nothing, however, and at last, disgusted with women, he entered the Templars. With this organization he fought gloriously and died in battle 1280.

steps to organize a league immediately.

Our organization is at the service of Texans who live hundreds of miles from Dallas just as much as it is for Dallas citizens. Nothing can be done except by co-operation of the people of the whole state. The large cities suffer more than the smaller places, because in the smaller places, the people know more about what is going on than is possible in the large cities. This is not a local matter, but a matter for the consideration of every patriotic citizen

in the State, whether living in the country, a small town or a large city. We stand ready to furnish every possible assistance, and would like to have the name and address of every voter who is alive to the present emergency, so that there will be a means of getting together in each county those people who are interested in the reform of criminal procedure.

Address the League at the Allen Building, Dallas, Texas.

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