THURSDAY

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Chamber of Commerce New Ford Cars **Banquet Tuesday Night**

Annual Banquet and Election of Of. Lockney Auto Company Will Explain ficers Will Be a Gala Affair-Many Prominent Men Will Be Present

officers for the Lockney Chamber latter part of last week in Dallas of Commerce will be held in Lockney where all the Ford Agency managers next Tuesday night, and the program of this section assembled to get final for the occasion is now being arranged instructions on the new cars being also the arrangements for the feast manufactured by the Ford Motor Co. are now being prefected. A charge Upon his return Mr. Barker stated of one dollar a plate is being made to the editor that the new Ford cars for all Lockney people who will par- far beyond his expectations, and that take of the refreshments.

Secretary Guthrie of their intention, the new car he considered that it was of attending the banquet. Dr.Paul in a class with the ears that are now College, and President J. A. Hill of \$1,200. The new Ford is different the official family of the Fort Worth many of its parts are taken from D. Wade, Manager of the West Tex- is built, only being smaller and more as Chamber of Commerce, Amon G. compact. The engine has underwent Carter of the Star-Telegram and sev- many changes, and has a double oileral other prominent men of Texas ing system, which oils it by both are expected to be presnt.

Longhorn's Will Hold

horns Will Be Held at School Building Tomorrow Night

The annual banquet of the Lock- old cars. ney Longhorn Football team will be Below we print some excepts taken held at the high school auditorium from the literature being sent out by in this city tomorrow night, and a the Ford Motor Company nice prgram of entertainment and a After six months of "saying noth good menu has been printed, also in- ing but sawing wood," Henry Ford vitations have been mailed out to today announced the specifications of many of the parents of the players the new Ford car which succeeds his and others.

ODD FELLOWS HAVE

Fellow hall in Lockney last Thursday Unusual spee

J. H. Bynington acted Mayor T. Z culty. What is more important, it fighting apparatus will be moved to two toes. While out hunting with don't you think you ought to seek Reed made the principal address of is stated that when traveling at such the building as soon as the concrete another boy, he placed the muzzle first for your child the very thing Will Be Held at High School Auditor-Reed made the principle of the gun on his left toe, and in He told the child to put first? It Mrs. Caldwell of Quanah, Homer Ho- with comfort to the driver and pasward and Mr. Caldwell. A reading sengers. It is also stated with equal is modern living quarters in every deward and Mr. E. O. Stevenson, positiveness, however, that it per- tail, with beds, clothes cabinets, mir- toes on his left foot. The boy crawled an idiot, but I want to ask you canand music for the occasion was fur- forms in an equally spectacular man- rors, tables chairs, and many other a distance of about two miles, to didly if that child of yours is not nished by ohn and Robert McDon- ner on bad roads. In its design, Mr. ald and Zoel Watson.

an enjoyable occasion experienced. and types of roads.

AYRES DRY GOODS

this city will throw open their doors with two passengers in a Tudor Se-partment especially when turning in at 9 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) morne dan it has shown an acceleration of fire alarms. Report the location to at 9 o'clock tomorrow (1 last shown an acceleration of fire alarms. Report the location to Some poultry raiser of Floyd countries and shown an acceleration of fire alarms. Report the location to Some poultry raiser of Floyd countries in grant at the same two weeks. A double seconds. last for some two weeks. A double seconds. page, advertisement will be found in The new Ford car also introduces a tion be sure and give location as near Poultry Show to be held in Floydada each day in their home the young of the Lockney country.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

rison, November 17th. Ernest J. Bagwell and Miss Bessie side without removing any parts.

Green, November 19th.

Stowe, November 23rd.

November 23rd.

cock, November 28th.

SUNSET P. T. A. TO PRESENT "BASHFUL MR. BOB" DEC. 9

sented at Sunset School, Night

Of December 9th

ma in three acts, depicting the life alloy pistons, further combine to reand escapades of "Bashful Mr, Bob," duce vibration will be presented by the Sunset P. T. driving comfort and safety. Friday night, December 9th. You In addition to freedom from vibrim full of action, comedy and pa- tention having been paid to this fea-

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cummings returned Monday from McKinney, Texas, where they were called Friday tinctive as the as its performance. of last week, on account of the death of their nephew, Daff Melton who in line and contour. It is not only relatives in Hereford Thanksgiving was killed when run over by a wagon.

nefit of school equipment.

Will Be Shown

New Creation in Ford Automobile Friday

Mr. Arthur Barker owner of the The annual banquet and election of Lockney Auto Company spent the

he had expected the new cars to be Several prominent men from var- far ahead of anything in their former ious towns and cities have notified class, that after seeing and inspecting W. Horn of the Texas Technological selling on the market for \$1,000 to West Texas State Teachers College, in nearly every respect from the forhave stated that they will be present mer Model "T" and can really and at the banquet. Several members of truly be called the Baby Lincoln" as & Denver railroad, as well as Homer the principal upon which the Lincoln splash and vacuum systems, the piston arms are longer, giving the pis tons a longer stroke and making the engine stronger and giving it more speed. The ignition system has also Annual Banquet been changed and is along the line of the bigger and more expensive cars The body and chasis of the car has Annual Banquet of Lockney Long- underwent a complete change, is stronger than ever before, the shape is different and the car has a more metropolitan shape and look than the

famous Model T. A bare listing of these specifications presents a picture of an automobile that in performance THANKSGIVING RECEPTION appearance and mechanical features Donate Your Old Books, Pennants, and Boy Shoots off Two Toes While Hunt has heretofore been associated with A reception was held at the Odd a considerably high price class.

night, when members of the order and among the outstanding features of The Lockney Fire Department cona few friends were invited to attend the program and partake of a fine supper.

J. H. Bynington acted as made even more without diffigures.

The Lockney Fire Department consisting of fifteen members, have moved in the Life of your climates and the new car. It was announced as sisting of fifteen members, have moved the pump hour, with ease. In recent tests it has made even more without diffigures.

The Lockney Fire Department consisting of fifteen members, have moved the pump hour, which has been fitted up by the city as a fire station. All fire the first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness. Do you hour, with ease. In recent tests it has made even more without diffigures and Mayor T. Z culty. What is more important, it Ford has held to his original idea of ney will have one of the best equipped

Appreciating the constantly increas-PUTTING ON BIG SALE Ford Motor Company has given a on duty at all times, great deal of study to this feature You are asked to co-operate in PREMIUMS WILL BE E. L. Ayres Dry Goods store in of the new car. In high gear tests every way possible with the fire de-

this paper telling of the many inducenew type of four wheel brakes. An as possible, because here the streets December 15, 16 and 17. To the perpeople's problem will then be more ment they are offering to the buyers exclusive Ford development, they are ment they are offering to the buyers exclusive Ford development, they are not as yet marked and named son living in Floyd county and extended the marked and named son living in Floyd county and extended of the mechanical, shoe-expanding and at times it is very hard to locate hibiting the best twenty birds of any type, and are self centering. The brake pedal and hand brake each operates all four brakes. It is stated eracts all four brakes. It is stated whatever might be burning. A moweak by the officials of the Floyd whatever might be burning. A moweak by the officials of the Floyd you think what you might have been, The following marriage licenses that this is the most reliable and ments thinking might save your house. County Poultry Association. The following might save your house. County Poultry Association.

have been issued since our last report simplest type of four-wheel brakes. Do not call central and say, "Jonses" Besides the model poultry house a C. L. Roberson and Miss Gertie Garand also the easiest to adjust, all adhouse is afire. Remember there is fered to the person exhibiting the just ments being made from the outmore than one Jones in the world.

Arnold P. Language Arnold P. Lan w. O. Gester and Mrs. C. E. Peahigh horsepower is illustrative of partment in every possible way as ovember 23rd.

W. Whitakerand Mrs. C. E. Peathe unusual efficiency of the engine.

W. Whitakerand Mrs. C. E. Peathe unusual efficiency of the engine. Also, it means longer life, the lower to get yours turn in your alarm as Lockney. engine speed insuring less wear on parts. The low revolution speed is also a substantial factor in lessening vibration. The bore is 3 7-8 inches, "Bashful Mr. Bob" is Play to Be Pre- stroke 4 1-4 inches. The unusually large crankshaft, which is both stati-28 pounds. This balancing, combined "Bashful Mr. Bob," a comedy-dra- with the lightness of the aluminum

A. Friday hight, test laugh of the bration, it is announced that the car year if you miss thisplay—a play is unusually quiet, a great deal of at-We are expecting a record ture by the Ford engineers. In the breaking attendance. Be among those engine the timing gears are made of there. Proceeds will go for the be- bakelized fabric, which is much quieter than metal. The cams on the cam

prevent valve clicking. The coachwork of the car is as dis-

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Write to Old Santa In Care of Beacon

Special Christmas Edition Will Be Issued December 15th and All Letters to Santa Claus Published

hould bring them on Christmas. The as possible

Beacon will published letters from them on the date of Thursday, Decem-

All children desiring to tell Santa Claus of the things they want him to bring them on Christmas will please write their letters, mail or bring them to the Beacon and we will see that Santa Claus gets the letters.

Frank Taylor Fire Boys Move Into **New Fire Station**

Pictures You Do Not Care To Keep to Fire Boys

to the building is complete. The hall in some way the gun was discharged would break your heart to see your items. When finally completed Lock- a field where a farmer was plowing, more pitiable when it is an invalid A bountiful supper was had and a car which can meet all conditions volunteer fire departments according to population in this section. A telephone and fire gong is being installed ing importance of acceleration, the at the station, and some one will be at the last reports.

and when reporting the fire and loca- valued at \$75 at the Floyd county days a week, and have real worship A move is on foot to mark all streets best cock, cockerel, hen and pullet does your child have at home to atreen, November 19th.

An engine that is practicall vibraand number houses. When this is
at the show. This cup will be atend the training services of the
done it will be only necessary for
warded by the First National Bank
church? We usually get just what correctly as possible.

Donate Your Old Books To Fire Boys

Everyone who has books they have read and do not care to keep please leave them with Marvin Gilbert at at Stewart Drug Co., or see Cecil Cope and we will call for them. Anyand they will be called for.

fire station, just ask a member and County Show. they will gladly show you through.

Misses Thelma Steele and Mollie Newman spent the week end visiting Born to Mr. and Mrs.: shaft have been so designed as to their parents in Goodnight and Hedley, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Woodburn of The coachwork of the car is as distributive as the as its performance.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Woodburn of tinctive as the as its performance.

There is a noticeable European touch in line and contour. It is not only relatives in Hereford Thanksgiving Continued on Last Page

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Woodburn of Lockney are moving this week to a farm near Lawn, in Taylor county, Texas, where they will make their future.

H. C. Keese and family of hear you great. He will hade. He will in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in purpose, spirit, and make you great. He will hade you great. He will hade you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in thought word, and deed. He will make you great in the provide for you achieve the provide for you achi

Accidentally Shot

ing With Shot Gun Northeast of Lockney

Frank Taylor, fourteen year old in the Life of your Child? Jesus

toes were amputated.

GIVEN AT POULTRY SHOW

Some poultry raiser of Floyd coun-

pennants or pictures and would like for the fire boys to have, just see for the fire boys to have, just see or call one of the above named three and better number of fowls than have or call one of the above named three and better number of fowls than have and they will be called for.

Anyone wishing to inspect the new County Show

VISITS OF THE STORK

Thursday, November 24th, a girl.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Senior B. Y. P. U.

Devotional Meeting - "Bearing Life's Burdens as a Good Soldier. Scripture-Clay Muncy. Introduction-Leader,

1. Bible Background-Bro. McCar-

Cling Close to Christ-D. V. Big-Be our Best in Spite of Our Bur-

dens-Harold Huggins. Parts 1 and 2-Joseph, a Menial in

Gray. Secret of Joseph's success-Miss

Come at 6:30 and help us.

Announcements

Sunday school-9:45 a. m. Preaching-11 a. m. All B. Y. P. U's meet at 6:30. Sunbeams-6:30. Preaching-7:15.

W. M. U. Monday at 3p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:15. Rev. H. P. Ashby will lead the service next Wednesday night.

will be held at White Flat church nine suspects, so we are informed, in the miles north of Matador next Tuesday. There will be a Deacon's meeting next Sunday afternoon. Anyone who is not a Deacon will be welcome.

YOUR CHILD

Is there a child in your home! What would you take for it? would consider it a great insult for We will issue a special Christmas some one to even offer to buy that the enforcement of the law he had The time of the year has arrived edition on December 15th and all mer-child. We are sometimes made to encountered some oppositin from the when Santa Claus desires to receive chants caring to advertise their Christ wonder if people do not sell their bootleggers, which probably was the etters from all the little kiddies tel- mas goods in this issue will please children—their present and their fuing him what they desire that he arrange for advertising space as early ture. Many of you are spending six to eight dollars per month on your child for music, expression or som other special training. No doubt you are spending at least fifteen dollars per month to send them to school. That is very commendable. "This ye ought to have done, but not to have left the other undone." How much are you spending for

your child's spiritual development? How much money? How much per- the services. sonal interest? How much self den the farmer bringing him to the of- piritually? If it were affected bodily or mentally you would immme es of Drs. Henry in Lockney where diately seek a physician, but your The boy wa sgetting along fine child's greatest need today is for the

You hear much said today about the Young People's problem. Many of us are convinced that the Young People's problem begins with their young people have ever had better if you had lived under such conditions as previal today? Does your example As an inducement to the raising may have to drown your prejudice and kill your love for worldly pleasure list of the premiums and awards are being mailed out this week by the more of that wonderful gift day by

keep it away from sin. The greatest seeing the sights ... Let Him be your God and He will

Lee Stegall Murdered **Near Flomot Monday**

Four Men Arrested and Placed in Lubbock Jail by Ed Russell, Ex-Sheriff of Motley County

Lee Stegall, age 40 years, constable of the Flomot precinct in Motley county, was waylaid and murdered near a bridge, just west of the His Father's house-and promoted to town, early Monday night. Mr. Stethe Chief Stewardship. - Margaret gall was shot in the head, near the temple, and investigations show that Rising to the top in Prison-Mamie, he was probably shot with his own gun. Evidence of a fight in which the murderers took Stegall's gun from him, and then used the gun to kill him were very noticeable, according to the men who visited the scene.

Four men have been arrsted and placed in the Lubbock jail for investigation concerning the murder. They are Paul Landry, Scott Knight, W. E. Allen and Harmon Mosby. It is said that the men were tracked from the scene of the murder by the car tracks of their automobile, to a barber shop in Flomot, where they arrived immediately after the killing. E-Sheriff The Floyd County workers meeting Ed Russell of Flomot arrested the absence of the Motley county officers.

We are informed that lawlessness in the way of bootlegging in the Flomot section has been very bad the past few months, and that upon petition of some of the good, law abiding citizens of that community, Lee Stegall had been appointed constable of that precinct by the Commissioners Court of Motley county, and that in cause of his being waylaid and mur-

Mr. Stegall was a brother of P. G. stegall, sheriff of this county, and Sheriff Stegall went to the scene of the murder immediately after the incidnt occurred Monday night, and was instrumental in the arrest of the men now being held for investigation.

Lee Stegall was buried at Flomot Tuesday afternoon, many friends from Floydada and Lockney attending

High School Dramatic Club To Present Plays

ium on Friday, December 9th

The Expression Department of Lockney High School will present three one act plays at the high school auditorium on Friday, December 9th

The casts for "Do Men Gossip", The Florist Shop," and "Sauce for he Goslings" are as follows: "Do Men Gossip"

Gid Waller Orvis Seal Car T. H. Stewart Jenkins Carl Meriwether Hershel Carthel Newton Gladys Winn Geraldine Angel "The Florist Shop"

Ruth Stapleton Leo Cooper Orvis Seal Sloosky Carl Meriwether Mr. Jackson Bertha Ragle Miss Wells "Sauce for the Goslings" Richard Taylor Carl McAdams

Hazel Gruver Margaret Taylor Winfred Fowler Robert Delma Floyd Elizobeth Marvin Shurbet James Ward Alice White Martha Lee Opal Lee Shurbet Maid The proceeds of these plays will go to the Library fund. Admission

Mr. and Mrs. Mathews, of Abilene, Texas, left for their home Monday of capons the Lockney Hatchery has offered a free hatching of one tray of eggs and one gallon of L. H. Spray of eggs and one gallon of L. H. Spray it profit a parent if he gained the electrical switchboard at the mill, and electrical switchboard at the mill, and to the person exhibiting the best whole world, but in gaining lost his Mrs. Mathews came up last week to large crankshaft, which is both stati-cally and dynamically balanced weighs the Lockney Drug Co., or H. B. Mann. Catalogues, containing a complete world was Jesus. Won't you see that are the parents of Mrs. J. Ross Ri-

> Misses Mary Chambers and Alice unto your path. Hide your heart and tending the teachers convention and

God of all ages is the God of the Bible defiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in Heaven for you". If you let you be His child. The greatest are not getting teaching and train-Minor Rexrode, near Lone Star, character that ever walked among ing elsewhere you are lovingly urged men was Jesus. Let Him have post to come with us. We count it a blesssission of your heart and he will make ed privelege to have an opportunity to H. C. Keese and family of near you great. He will make you great help you. Won't you grant us that



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intelligent snores of Choc-Choc the

d at the first of the battle that the

Jake, "villians are among us."

Che Lockney Bearon Entered April 14th, 1902, as second mek-in-ick. Suddenly disturbances

class mail matter at the Post Office at could be heard hither and you over Mrs. Badgett. March 3rd, 1879.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION	Jake, "villians are among us." "Up and at 'em, fellers" gasped Choc.
One Year \$1.50	Immediately the force was up and
Six Months .75	at 'em. Sticks, clubs, axes, shoes, and
	fists were brought in action. It look-

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A BOUQUET

from a letter to Mr. D. P. Carter last act on earth. Choc says the their first articles. from his son, Otis Carter, of Snyder, one he is after, is heap big like a Texas, has been handed to this office tarrapin, and that he keeps dragging elected at this meeting. and due to the fact that Otis is one of his pillow off every night. "Fight and is therefore, capable of judging word. a newspaper from all angles, we receive this as a compliment to our ef-

"The special Oil Mill Edition of the anything that knocks on a town's Lockney Beacon came yesterday, and standing and progressiveness it is a I must say it is the most pretentious "Chinchy Fire Department," is Deep's ley Wofford, Sunday, November 27, and ambitious piece of newspaper sentiments. work that has ever come out of that office, and the force is to be con- More will possibly be heard next of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wofford. gratulated. Every department is week, of the trails and tribulations of thoroughly interesting and informa- "Choe and the Chinch," if the attacks tive, and the whole paper was well are not stopped. printed. You may pass this to the editor if you like .- Otis D. Carter.

Gutter Gossip

Deep Henderson & Chas. Fowler

(Gathered from Foreign and Home

Maurander Awakes Fire Dep't

We are making our stock more complete each week. Have just

a clam before the storm.

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sixty-five to seventy miles an hour, all we have to say is that Father Henry is liable to have a flock of wrecked daughters before many moons

"After 7 days use, saw my toes for the first time in 7 years," was the testimony of the fat woman who was taking anti-fat.

Chas, is desirous of Deep taking a 'through" of it. Deep says he will not though, as God must have intendthat I should be two for one and there fore "No man shall put asunder."

Home Demonstration Club News

Blanco Home Demonstration Club.

The Blanco Home Demonstration lub met at the home of Mrs. Geo Smith, at 2:30 o'clock, Thursday, November 17th. The subject for disussion was "Cake Baking."

Roll call was answered by each member telling her favorite cake re-

Leader-Mrs. McPeak. Classification of cakes-Mrs. Wheel

Selection of ingredients-Mrs. Snell Utensils needed for cake baking-Mrs. Farley.

Methods of mixing, baking and care after baking were discussed in a round table discussion.

Seven members were present. Each member was asked to bring her report of the Novmber and October home work so that the secretary can prepare her work for the close of

The next meeting will be held, Thurs day, December 1st, with Mrs. Tinning

as hostess. Subject -"Painted novelties and Christmas suggestions.

******************** Roll call will be answered by giving suggestions for Christmas entertain-It was at the ghostly hour of twelve. Nothing could be heard but those

The Spirit of Christmas-Mrs. Snell Suggestions for inexpensive gifts-

cries of distress, bellers for help, aid monstration if the weather is cold crawling beds could be seen. Sudden- enough if not will have the demon-H. B. ADAMS, Editor and Owner ly "Jake Orland" awoke. "Ah," quoth stration on painting Christmas novel-"Up ties and the making of toys. We are and at 'em, fellers" gasped Choc. glad to have visitors and new mem-0 Immediately the force was up and bers at any and all of our meetings.

fists were brought in action. It look- McCoy 4-H Girls Club

villians would have the upper hand The 4-H girls club of McCoy combut suddenly the fire department ral- munity met in the club room at the Nobedy knows but Choc, and he was assigned to the girls was to have except Mr. Lee Wofford who lives heard to remark that he would catch Miss Bass gave a demonstration to home The following paragraph taken that dad-burn Chinch if it was his the first and second year girls on

urged to be on time with their work. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wofford. "Fight them Chinches," should be the watch word, because if there is

A BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

a group of relatives and friends met B. F. Thomas, Mrs J W. Sims Mrs at a birthday dinner given in honor Fannie Brown, Mrs. A. J. Byars, Mr.

ters acted as waitresses. The girls were becoming pink and white sweet-Denny has pulled nothing this week heart aprons. At the center of the that has come to our ears. Possibly table of honor was the two deck birthday cake, beautifully decorated and It is understood that Miss Lizzie Greetings for the couple. Mrs. Wofnext Friday. It is rumored that she Wofford was 71 December 1'.

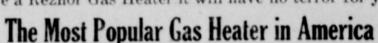
is far shead of the times in body Mr. and Mrs. Wofford received many beautiful and useful gifts. All the children and grandchildren If Lizzie Ford has a speed of from of Mr. and Mrs. Wofford were present

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seen the morning after at the Crager first articles of first, second and third in Amarillo, and Mr. E. F. merce which held its second meeting Chamber of Commerce. A flood of Hardware buying a beartrap, and was year girls completed by next meeting. Shockley and son of Carnegie, Okla- November 22 at the river home of its inquirers are received weekly at the

1928.

The secretary of the club was re- Dud Wofford and family, Claude Wof- cultural representatievs, county a- function and duties of the West Texas The next meting will be held on and daughters, Jack Smith and family cal college, feed manufacturers, dairy- Motorcade and traffic service activithe best printers in all West Texas them Chinches, men," is the watch Thursday, Deember 1st and the sub- Bradley Lee and family, Hugh Carrol men and poultry raisers, and allied ties are among matters about which ject will be "Sewing" Everybody are and family, F. A. Head and family, interests will be called early in the information is wanted.

The friends were:

and Mrs. Shurbet of Floydada, Mr. The tables were arranged in two and Mrs. Tatum of Lubbock, and Mr. rooms and the five oldest grand daugh and Mrs. Arthur Smith of Plainview

> Providence Home Demonstration Club.

bearing a ribbon with the Birthday ber 21 at the home of Mrs. T. E. Co-Ford will be among the notables here ford was 69 on November 22and Mr. Miss Bass met with us and gave us our canning demonstration which was very interesting to those present.

She canned rolled roast, chicken neat for sandwiches and instructed is on the various ways of canning ther meats. She also gave us our record sheets

send our last report for the year and gave us a nice talk on our next year's contest and our next year's

Our next meeting will be held on becember 15, at the home of Mrs. C. R. Jones The subject will be "Cake Baking."

We will have the election of offiers for the coming year on that date o all members are urgently requested to be present.-Reporter.

LOCKNEY CIRCUIT

J. N. S. Webb, Pastor Preaching will be held at the eleven clock hour at Aiken on next Sunday, December 4th.

Sunday school will be held at ten 'elock. League services at 7 p. m.

Preaching will also be held at Irick the same day at 3 p. m.

Blackwell-A new modern ice plant under construction here. A high ine from Bronte has been connected up just recently, giving the town 24 jours service, and various other improvements are underway.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Lueders-Quality production in poul try and dairying movements of West Texas has been set as a major aim of the new Poultry and Dairy Bureau

new year:

Mrs. A. B. Blount, Don Blount, Mr. West Texas and about the function territory.

chairman, Col. R. L. Penick. In line headquarters office here of the region Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. with the adoption of this action, a gen al organization, asking for descriptive A. Wofford, Will Wofford and family, eral conference of the railway agri- literature and for explanation of the ford and family, Mrs. Lee Wofford gents, officials of Texas Technologi- Chamber of Commerce. The annual

Roby-Roby poultry raisers have Stamford-From Florida to Wis- been organized by the poultry and Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Riley, Mr. and consin, from Old Mexico to Maine, dairy committee of the West Texas Mrs. Jack Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. W. from many points and many places Chamber of Commerce and much en-At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dud- A. Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs T. F. Casey come requests for information about thusiasm is being manifest in this



Saturday

Apples, nice ones, per dozen. 2½ lbs. Folgers Coffee, 1 to customer .\$1.2 5 lbs. Standard Peanut Butter 18c No. 2½ Sunkist Spinach No. 2 Empson Tomatoes llc Prepared Mustard Qts 230 2 Post Toasties 2 Post Bran Flakes 25c Large Size Three Minute Oats

ursday, December 1, 1941

Lesson for December 4

ISAIAH TEACHES RIGHT LIVING

LESSON TEXT—Isa. 5:1-23.
GOLDEN TEXT—Pure religion and undefied before God and the Father is this, to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and to keep him-PRIMARY TOPIC—How to Please

JUNIOR TOPIC-A Life That Pleases INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-IC—A Life That Pleases God.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Elements of Right Living.

I. lerael, the Favored Nation (vv.

Their unique relation to God is pre-

inheritance (see Num. 34:1-13).

therein was the Israelitish nation ter ration. which had gone through the disciplinary process in Egyptian bondage. He built a tower in it when under start feeding those ewes a small David Jerusalem was made its cap-

2. The obligation of the nation

fruit. The object of the husbandman oats and one-third corn or barley for in planting a vineyard and nurturing each ewe is very good for the ration. It is that it might bear fruit. The If one is fortunate enough to have a purpose of God in the selection and good wheat or rye pasture available, the blessing of the Israelitish nation the ewes should have access to it at was that it might bring forth fruit to all times when weather conditions will His glory.

3. It bore only wild grapes (v. 4), quite such good results. 4. The desolation of the vineyard

(vv. 5-7). the owner of the vineyard now re- weather just enough to remove the solves to abandon it to the wild chill, it will be better for the ewes. beasts of the forest.

to the Nation (vv. 8-23).

presented under six woes, each woe protection from cold as its fleece will pronounced against a particular sin. keep it warm enough. A good shed,

poor (vv. 8-10). woe was denounced is that of the opens into a large pasture, the run avaricious grasping after property on this pasture every day will add to which leads to the accumulation of the health and thrift of the flock. wealth in the hands of the few, "Joining house to house" and "laying field to field" means the sin of the greedy monopolist who in the agricultural district takes the form of the land grabber, in the commercial centers, the form of the big men crushing out the small ones.

2. Dissipation (vv. 11-17).

The sin here denounced is drunkenness. Several features are connected with this one sin. (1) Drinking made the life business

of some (v. 11). They get up early and continue un-

til late at night, until their whole being is inflamed.

(2) The effort to give their hellish business a show of refinement (v. 12). This is why pleasing music is heard pouring forth from the dens of infamy over our land.

(3) Blindness to God's warnings and Judgments (v. 12).

Their drinking and dissipation rendered them insensible to the dealings

of Providence. (4) God's judgments for such sins

(vv. 13-17). They went into captivity. The immediate cause assigned is ignorance. but it is a willful ignorance for which they are held responsible. They not only go into captivity, but there is great mortality among those who drink (v. 14). The records everywhere show a much higher death rate among drinking men. Drinking degrades all classes (v. 15). The country itself was made a waste (vv. 18, 19). So daring do they become that they defy the judgments of the Al- Sudan Grass Good for

mighty (v. 19). 3. Moral confusion (v. 20).

This woe is pronounced against those who try to adjust moral condi- Ity of hay that can be fed very suctions to suit their sensual appetites. 4. Conceit (v. 21).

the sin of self-conceit. Many today on it, but it is not the best quality have become so affected by sin that of hay for work horses. A good qualthey are unable to make moral discriminations. Having a fatse estimate oats green or a good timothy and cloof their own wisdom they plan and act without reference to God.

5. Perversion of justice (vv. 22, 23). The sixth woe is denounced against those who are in places of justice as rank growth during the growing seajudges. Because of their lack of moral discrimination, and because of desire for temporal gain they cause fustice to miscarry.

Treatment of Sin

Use sin as it will use you. Spare It not for it will not spare you. It is your murderer, and the murderer of the world. Use it, therefore as a murderer should be used.-Richard Bax-

Fear of Mistakes

Some of us know what it is to be miserably afraid of making mistakes in our work. How graciously He meets a veterinarian. If the disease is in lose the cud which she was chewing this with "I will direct their work in truth."-Frances Ridley Havergal,

WINTER CARE OF FLOCK OF SHEEP

A great deal of the success with the lambs in the spring depends on the feed and care given the ewes during the winter.

If ewes are to develop good lambs they must have good feed and plenty of exercise. This does not mean that they should be fat. The aim should be to keep them in good thrifty condition. If plenty of roughage is availab'e, the ewes, as a rule, will not need grain feed until about six weeks before lambing. Alfalfa hay is one of the best feeds for breeding ewes, writes Turner Wright in the Dakota Farmer. The clover hays are also good and should be used when alfulfa is not available or they can be mixed with the alfalfa to very good advantage. The run of sented under the figure of a vineyard. a stalk field in the fall and early winter, and the use of corn stover or 1. God's peculiar favor (vv. 1, 2). sorghum and similar fodders will help God did for this nation what He did to lower the cost of winter keep, but for no other nation in the history of as these feeds supply only a small the world. He evidenced it when He amount of growth materials, the ewes assigned the boundaries of Israel's should not be forced to subsist on them alone, as weak lambs will likely He gathered out the stones when be the result. Used in connection the Canaanites were exterminated. with alfalfa or one of the clover hays, The choicest vine which was planted however, they make a very good win-

Watch the flock closely and if any of the ewes begin to get thin in flesh. amount of grain each day. All the ewes in the flock ought to be put on a light grain feed about six weeks before lambing. About a half a pound The purpose of a vineyard is to bear a day of a mixture of about two-thirds permit. No other winter feed gives

A supply of good water at all times is an important consideration. If the Since all efforts had been wasted, water can be heated in very cold

Many sheepmen make the mistake II. The Sins Which Brought Ruin of housing their flock too closely in tight barns during the winter. A The causes of this destruction are mature sheep does not need much 1. Monopoly and oppression of the open to the south, will serve the purpose of winter shelter very well. If The crime against which the first this shed, or the yard surrounding it,

Find Soy Beans Useful

in Fattening All Stock

Soy beans, which have taken a prominent role the last few years, not only for feeding of cattle, but also for hogs, sheep and poultry, have shown their merits again in the annual winter steer feeding trials at Purdue university agricultural experiment station. This home-grown protein supplement will take the place of cottonseed meal in a ration of silage, shelled corn and clover hay in fattening two-year-old steers for market. The soy beans not only will take the place of the cottonseed, but also will do it more effectively and will mean a of the Iowa department of agriculgreater profit, judging from the tests.

The lot of steers receiving soy beans in their ration showed an average daily gain of 2.42 pounds against the lot receiving cottonseed which er quality in dairy products," said Mr gained 2.18 pounds a day. Ten steers | Clark, "Most of the increased prices were in each lot. Because of the faster, cheaper and higher rate of gain and also the higher finish, these steers were valued in the lots at \$10.35 a hundred against \$9.85 for the cottonseed meal lot. The profit per steer including pork produced by hogs turn out of the farmer's product. following steers for the a v bean lot was \$28.05 and only \$16.47 for the cottonseed meal lot. The average profit over the last five years has been \$5.99 per steer in favor of the soy bean feed group for the same reasons as mentioned.

Idle Horses in Winter

The sudan grass will make a qualcessfully as roughage to idle horses In winter. If fed with a good grain The fifth woe is pronounced against ration, horses at work do fairly wellity of oat hay made by cutting the ver mixed would make a more suitable kind of hay for horses at work.

Sudan grass is not very satisfactory for pasture as it makes a very soft, son, and there would be danger of sebloating in animals pastured on the sudan grass,

Prevent Hog Cholera

The surest method for preventing hog cholera is the vaccination of the Fow losing her cud. Animals such as pigs shortly after weaning. Experi- the cow and sheep swallow their food ence has shown that the vaccination in a very coarse condition while eatof the pig before that time may not ing and later this food is brought produce immunity. With pigs the cost | back into the mouth for further masof vaccination is not large. Where tication and then passes back into the this has not been done the only safe true stomach and from there into thing is to watch the berd very closely the mouth in small amounts at a time and at the first sign of trouble consult and swallowed. Hence if a cow should the neighborhood vaccinate as soon as another would be available in a short possib

Live STOCK DAIRY Lesson ' Lesson ' Live STOCK DAIRY

ORGANIZATION IS NEED OF DAIRYING

(Prepared by the United States Department Effective organization in the production and distribution of dairy products, and the development of new markets, are necessary if the American dairy industry is to maintain a satisfactory economic position, Lloyd S. Tenny, chief of the bureau of agricultural economics, United States Department of Agriculture, told members of the Co-operative Pure Milk asso-

ciation at Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. Tenny outlined the marked expansion in dairy production and marketing in leading foreign dairy countries in recent years. There is a tendency, he said, for foreign production to increase more rapidly than demand, as a result of which producers in the United States are facing increased foreign competition and importation of greater quantities of dairy products. On the other hand. with the exception of concentrated milk, the United Stat's is not producing dairy products sufficient for domestic needs, and present tendencies in this country are for demand to increase as rapidly, if not more rapid ly, than production.

Reviewing the world dairy situation, Mr. Tenny declared "the most has been the great expansion of production in new countries of the southern hemisphere. This expansion has continued since the war, and is being maintained in the face of falling prices. Since the seasonal production of these countries places the largest volume of their annual output on the winter markets of the northern hemisphere, this development in the southern hemisphere is equivalent to a great shift to winter dairying by producers of the northern hemisphere.

"This tends to take the peak from our winter market prices, thus reducing the profits of winter dairying. A second outstanding development in production is the rapid recovery and continued expansion in old country production, including the Netherlands, Denmark and other Baltic states."

Exports of butter and cheese from the United States have gradually disappeared since the early '80s, Mr Tenny said. The export of the surplus of cheese, and then of butter, has given way to a net importation. The exportable surplus of concentrated milk also is being rapidly reduced. The disappearance of our export surplus of cheese is attributed in part to the rapid expansion of the demand for butter and silk in the United States, as the elimination of the export surplus of butter is due in part to the expansion in the domestic de mand for milk.

Sanitation Important

in Managing Dairies quality of butter that is manufac

tured by the Iowa brand creamerles is due to the care which farmers take of their milk and cream in those communities, according to R. G. Clark. chief of the dairy and food division ture, in discussing the progress that has been made along dairy lines in "Sanitation is the backbone of high

which lows brand creameries are able to pay over other creamerles is due to the improvement of quality. The creameries and their patrons are true examples of co-operation as they work together to secure the highest net re Cleanliness, plus proper cooling of the milk and cream, are the biggest essentials in delivering a high quality product to the creamerles. Untess the buttermaker has the best quality cream. he cannot manufacture the best quality butter. It is the quality butter that brings the premlum on the mar-

Occasionally an Entire

Herd Is Unprofitable

Only very occasionally do testers And an entire herd of cows unprofitable. In the records now available. a case is rarely found where the best cows in the poorest herds are less productive than the poorest cows of the best herds. These records do show. in a very high percentage of cases, a wide margin of difference between the high and low producing animals in any nerd. Through careful selection, the use of a good sire, properly balanced feeds, and intelligent care, it is altovere scouring and some danger of gether possible to develop the best animal on the majority of our ordinary farms into paying herds,

Cow Losing Her Cud

There really is no such thing as a time.

CUT OUT DRAFTS FOR MOST EGGS

An important requirement for suc cessful winter egg production in flock of pullets is a house that is free from drafts. Colds, chickenpox, and roup, says the New Jersey State College of Agriculture, often can be traced to the birds' becoming chilled because of a drafty house.

To insure oneself against this undesirable condition it is necessary to have the house airtight on three sides. This is often difficult to do, but any cracks near the floor or directly around the roosts particularly are to be avoided. These should by all means be covered. Cracks around the entrance door are a very common occurrence and one may often find the birds cuddled up in a far corner in an effort to keep warm. By putting weather strips on the doors the poultry men easily eliminate this problem.

After the three sides are tightened up, the front may be kept reasonably open. As a rule, however, it is best to have about equal proportions of glass and muslin in front, and the two combined may take up about onehalf of the front surface of the house. The spaces between the rafters above the plate may also be kept open. The muslin curtains should be closed at night and never opened on stormy important of the war developments days or even in the early morning or late evening. The house should always feet comfortable when one enters it. Many poultrymen have found that the glass substitute products have been very satisfactory. They admit much more light than the muslin, and also keep the house warmer. Ventilation through the rafter spaces at the eaves is usually sufficient to keep the birds in good health.

With the sides and front well taken care of, the only possible cause for drafts would be a long house without partitions. To overcome the tendency for the wind to sweep in one end of such a house and out the other, it is well to build partitions every 40 feet. These should extend to the roof and come up to within three feet of the front of the house, or if desired, a door may be fitted into this three-foot space, making the partition solid. Partitions in the roosting quarters only should be built every 20 feet.

Forcing Maturity of

Pullets Is Mistake

It is a mistake to force the maturity of pullets with large amounts of milk or meat, warns O. C. Ufford, extension poultry specialist, Colorado Agricultural college, "A pullet should have a good body growth before she starts laying. An undersized pullet seldom makes a profitable hen. Small amounts of milk or meat should be used to produce normal growth, but it should not be overdone. Feed plenty of grain, part of it ground. along with milk or meat.

meat should be gradually increased as it is part of the ration necessary to produce eggs. If there is a deficlency of animal protein in the ration, production will gradually decline and

fall molt result. Gradually allow the birds all the milk they will drink. or if milk is not available bring the amount of meat scrap up to 20 per cent of the ground feed used."

Sees Hatchability and

Feeding Value of Eggs

One of the important points brought out by Prof. J. G. Philpin of the University of Wisconsin at the Ohio poultry day at Wooster, Ohlo, is that the hatchability and food value of eggs may be changed with the type of feed given. Professor Halpin asserted that the time will come when people will demand that eggs for their children shall not come from hens with rickets. It is, as he said, generally agreed that children are benefited by cod liver oll, especially during the winter months. But it is unnecessary to compel the children to take cod liver oil then it might as well be fed to the chickens in the first place, and the quality of the eggs improved to over come the deficiency.

Hopper Space

Standing in line for their feed is objectionable to bens, and, furthermore, they will not do their best when forced to do this, says H. H. Alp. poultry extension specialist of the college of agriculture, University of Illinois Hence the value of a good cgg mash often is limited by the hopper in which it is fed, he said. Feeding space for all hens at all times is the rule that should be kept in mind in building a poultry feed hopper, he recommended.

Dry Skimmed Milk

Feed dealers and feed mixers are recognizing the increasing demand for Gry skimmed milk, which is now being manufactured in sufficient quantities to supply the growing poultr aseds. Milk by-products, semi-solid and dry, supply the poultryman a superior quality of protein and lime and ertain vitamines; but apparently of ual or more importance is the milk agar which in the intestinal tract cems to perform a service not sup-Hed by any other feed on the list.

National Grades Eggs and Poultry

Standardized Products of Known Quality Are Market Essential.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A national poultry and egg standardization program involving the use of national grades in the purchase of eggs and poultry, the marketing of these products on the basis of such grades, and the ultimate sale of the products by retailers on the basis of established retail grades, was outlined by Roy C. Potts, chief marketing specialist, bureau of agricultural econom ics, United States Department of Agriculture, addressing the National Poultry, Butter and Egg association at Louisville, Ky.

"Standardized, graded poultry prodncts of known quality are essential for efficient marketing," Mr. Potts declared. "National programs for economic production or for efficient marketing, to be of greatest value to the poultry industry, must be nation-wide in scope and provide a co-ordinated program for industry improvement. This improvement, if it is to be of greatest benefit, should extend from the producer to the consumer. It should serve to stimulate an increased demand for a more uniformly graded. higher quality product. It should carry the benefits which accrue to the consumer and for which he pays back to the producer, there to serve as an incentive to produce a better or higher quality product.

Both Sides Benefit. "The agencies between the producer and consumer also should be bene fited because a healthler, more stable, more orderly situation would result. The risks and losses of the middle man would be minimized and thereby better results could be obtained by them. Such a national program of poultry and egg standardization in its ultimate or complete stage of development would require:

"1. The use of national grades as a basis for the purchase of eggs and poultry from the oducer and the payment of prices a proper price differential between the different

"2. The marketing of eggs and poultry through the various wholesale channels of trade on the basis of established national grades.

"3. The ultimate sale of eggs and poultry to retailers and by retailers to consumers on the basis of established retail grades.

Laws Regulating Sales. Mr. Potts pointed out that Califor-

ala and New York already have passed legislation which makes mandatory the retalling of eggs in accordance with established retail grades. Similar legislation is expected in other states, such legislation possibly extending to wholesale transactions and even to buying from producers at country points.

"The practical question for the poultry industry to consider," he declared. "is how can the various branches of the industry belp in shaping the pro-"Once pullets have begun to lay," gram and in making it of greatest One of the reasons for the high Mr. Ufford continues, "the milk or benefit to the industry. For a number of years this association has from one angle or another been considering the question. The mercantile and produce exchanges have been considering it. It seems that the time is ripe for some definite concerted action by the

New Variety of Fiber

Flax Been Developed

Experimental work begun 17 years ago by the office of fiber investigations of the United States Department of Agriculture has resulted in the development of a variety of fiber flax adapted to conditions in the United States, where the climate is generally warmer and drier than in the flax growing regions of northern Europe, from which seed is generally obtained. The new variety known as "Saginaw' was grown on 1,000 acres in Michigan last year and produced approximately 8,000 bushels of seed.

The few growers who have been growing Saginaw say it is the first fiber flax that has ever grown that does not "run out." a characteristic of the imported seed which makes to necessary to import fresh supplies of

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The lime content of the soil is most

Lime and legumes are friends.

important in growing alfalfa. The farmer who rotates doesn't run around in circles-he gets somewhere.

. . . Every allo user, every agricultural college, every experiment station, ad-

vises the use of the silo. Pop corn that has become too dry can be aided somewhat by putting a few drops of water on it before putting into the popper.

One of the greatest advantages of fall preparation of ground is that seeding can go on seasonably early in

If your mow is full of good quality hay of good leaf and color, well cured and palatable, it means that the biggest single protective source of nat-ural food supply is on hand for the herd this winter.

"Dockage" at Market Has Value at Home

Increased Quantity of Weed Seeds Found in Wheat.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The quantity of weed seeds in spring wheat shipped to market has been increasing so rapidly the last few years that the United States Department of Agriculture is trying to-the duce wheat growers to eliminate the losses that result. In the case of flax the proportion of weed seeds, or "dockage," is even larger. The primary and principal loss is, of course, in the fields where weeds cause a loss o wheat due to crowding and to the plant food and moisture the weeds

take in competition with the crop.

But the losses do not stop with the growing crop. It costs as much or more to harvest and thresh weeds as grain. The common practice is to send the weeds to market with the wheat. Hauling it to market is expensive and directly or indirectly the farmers also pay the freight on weeds as well as wheat. At the terminal market the wheat is likely to be graded lower if it is full of weed seed, and in any event the dockage is deducted before the wheat is paid for. The seller is paid only for the wheat. Dockage is not suitable for milling, but it does make a very fair feed for animals. The value of "screenings," as the dockage is called when it is sold, compares favorably with oats. '

Agricultural advisers suggest that it would be profitable either to clean the wheat on the farm or at the country elevator, in this way retaining the feed value of the screenings. Seed wheat, in particular, should be cleaned carefully so that weed seeds will not be planted with the wheat. The annual farm feed value of the dockage produced in North Dakota alone h estimated at more than \$5,000,000.

Morgan Mare Owned by Government Wins Race

Covering 80 miles of mountainous roads in the remarkable time of 8 hours and 561/2 minutes, the registered Morgan mare, Jana, wen first place among eight contestants in the endurance ride held this year at Brandon,

Jana is a five-year-old chestnut mare owned by the United States Morgan horse farm, Middlebury, Vt., having been previously used in farm work and trained only a short time for this ride. She was ridden by one of the boys on the farm and finished in excellent condition. The distance was covered in two consecutive days, 46 miles out one day and the same distance back on the next.

This contest was held in place of the 300-mile endurance ride which had been an annual horse event of prominence held at Brandon, Vt. Owing to the death of Chauncey C. Stillman, the principal sponsor of the event, no funds were available for the extensive five-day contest of 300 miles. New England horse enthusiasts were not to be denied the thrill of an endurance contest, however, and locally sponsored the shorter ride for this year.

The 80-mile ride, over rough and mountainous roads was considered a worth-while event to test the speed and endurance of weight-carrying saddle horses, and the time made constitutes a record for an event of this

Sand Used in Concrete

Can Easily Be Tested

Sand to be used in making concrete can be tested with an ordinary, quart milk bottle or fruit jar. The jar is filled to a depth of two inches with a representative sample of the sand. Water is then added until the bottle or the far is about three-fourths full. The mixture is then shaken vigorously for one minute, the last few shakes being in a sidewise direction; After the shaking has been completed, the jar is allowed to stand for one hour. If at the end of this time, the sand has on it a layer of silt more than one-eighth inch thick, it is unsuitable for concrete work unless the silt is removed by washing.

Dogs Are Valuable in

Ridding Farm of Pests Dogs of the right sort and plenty. of help are the most valuable aids in getting rid of the rodents. Exhaust from automobiles driven into the holes and runs frequented by the rats and mice will also drive many from cover so that they can be killed. Calctum cyanide, placed in the burrows in small quantities, is also a good remedy to use where it is impracticable to dig the burrows open or drive the rodents out. Care should be taken in using calcium cyanide, however, to place it far enough down in the bur rows to prevent any domestic animals from reaching it before it has all disappeared.

Plan to Eliminate Smut Entirely From Fields

It is possible to eliminate stinking smut entirely from wheat fields by observing the following recommendations: (1) Treat all wheat from infected fields with copper carbonate. (2) Be careful about purchasing seed from unreliable sources. The safest policy is to treat all seed when there is any doubt about stinking smut being present. (3) Badty infected fields where winter wheat is grown should he planted to corn or oats for a year,

STARKEY

Starkey, Nov. 28 .- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tye of Whitedeer spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard. Mr. Rufus Kelly returned from a

trip to California recently. Miss Bessie Moore of Wayland college spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore.

• The musical entertainment given in • the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Sallie Rattan returned from Matodor last Saturday to be here th readiness to begin her school work Monday

The party in the home of Miss Katy Belle Clay Saturday night, was enjoyed by all present.

' Several of the neighbor ladies visited Mrs. Geo. Attaway last week. Mrs. Attaway has been ill for some time sand we are sorry to report that she his no better.

"Mr. and Mrs. Henry Assiter and daughters of Cone took Thanksgiving dinner with his sister, Mrs. J. M. Moore.

Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday morning. Rev. Attaway filled his regular appoint-

Rev. Humphries will preach here next Sunday morning. Everyone is

* Miss Mary Lee Jonas visited Miss Willie Mae Atkinson Sunday. Miss Letha Elmore spent Saturday

night with Misss Maude Kroppe. Mrs. J. W. Moore has been quite wick for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kropp attended church at Cone Sunday morning. The singing in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Grigsby, Sunday night was enjoyed by all present.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL

Prairie Chapel, Nov. 28.—Bro. Joe Kelly of Abilene held revival services at the Prairie Chapet church of Christ during the latter part of last week. A full house heard an excellent sermon on the "Two Ways of Life" at the closing service Sunday night.

Tollie Corder will precah at the Prairie Chapel church the third Sunday in December.

The stork has been busy at Prairie Chapel lately, bringing a little daughter to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will McClendon and a new daugh ter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mil ford Carthel.

W. F. A. A. Miss Opal Carthel, alt singer and daughter of Mr and Mrs class. All the Prairie Chapel radi fans will want to tune in on Dallas Friday, December 16, and hear Opal

peaders either. What we would like to see at the head would be some thing like this, "Four inch rain,

LAKEVIEW

Lakeview, Nov. 28 - The remains of munity were interred in the Lakeview cemetery on the afternoon of Thanksgiving Many of the friends sympathy is extended the bereaved. Mr. and Mrs. George Gilpin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wright

A number of our citizens and their a enjoyed the redeo held in the suburbs of Floydada. The round-up ince so common on the Great Plains is now a rare occurence.

The faculty of the Lakeview school merc guests at a six o'clock dinner Deanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mee, Wright of Floydada, It was pleasant to note that the entire family he Mr. and Mrs. Wright were

present on this day. hose interested in singing will be pleased to hear of the recent order for pooks in the singing and church singing at the Lakeview school house next Sunday. All are invited to attend: Baptist preaching Saturday night and Sunday. It is hoped a large scrowd will be present.

ANTELOPE

Antelope, Nov. 28,-Mr. J. E. Jackson, owner of the Jackson Gias of Spur was visiting in this community

last Sunday. Mr. Bill Brown and Homer Parmer while coming home Sunday from Floy dada run into a car and injured both of the boys. They were having trouble with their lights, and finally their lights went out and they could not see the car in front of them.

Miss Edna Edwards who has been attending school in Floydada spent the week end with her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lench at Mayview. Miss Elsie Cooper has been ill the

Mr. Arthur Cooper who has been working near Abilene, is visiting his

parents here.

the Antelope school children was enjoyed by the many attending it. Mr. H.C. Aston and E. C. Edmonds of Spur spent Sunday and Monday

with Mr. and Mrs. John Aston. Miss Laura Belle White spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wis-

Sunday with Miss Frances Wisdom. ter, Mrs. T. J. Cardinal Sunday. spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. ciate our visiting friends and want

John Aston.

Pleasant Hill, Nov. 28 .- Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Morgan and children at-A thanksgiving program given by tended the singing at McAdoo Sunday afternoon. They reported a good

PLEASANT HILL

singing. Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey visited near Ralls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Neil of Floydada visited Mrs. Evers Sunday.

Miss Sarah Frances Smith spent Baker community visited their daugh cousin, Mrs. T. J. Cardinal. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crump of There was a good crowd out at

Crosbyton and daughter, Norma June singing Saturday night. We appre-

them to come back again.

gathered at the Cardinal home Friday night. The surprise party was given in honor of Mr. R. Cardinal's eighty-third birthday. Forty-two was played by the older people while the young folks played various games. Delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, pie, cake and hot chocolate were served to the tired and hap-

Jack Thompson, a nephew of Mr. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones of the W. B. Jones died at the home of his

HARMONY

Harmony, Nov. 28 .- The students dada last week.

of the Harmony school are especialy Fifty-eight friends, neighbors and proud this week because of their move sited Miss Blanche Scott last Sunday. children of Mr. and Mrs. R. Cardinal to the new school building. Harmony's

and bespeaks the hope and apprecia- enjoyable time and a splendid sertion of the patrons for the rising vice of songs. generation.

party and spread dinner prepared by ing the Thanksgiving holidays. all and supervised by their teachers, Miss Blanche Scott and Mrs. Chas. B. A number of people from this neigh

borhood attended the Rodeo and filming of the "Coming of Dan Noble conducted by Jack Armstrong at Floy-

Miss Vesta Hacker of Quitaque vi-

A number of Harmony people atnew \$10,000 brick school house would tended the singing at Blanco last be a credit to any rural community, Sunday afternoon. All reported an

Misses Thelma and Pearl Heard The pupils of the school were en- of Lubbock and Miss Marie Parkey tertained on Thanksgiving Day by a of Plainview visited home folks dur-

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FOURTH ANNUAL

THE MERCHANTS AND THE BANKS WISH TO THANK THOSE WHO HAVE SO WILLINGLY RESPONDTED IN THE PAST, TO MAKE THE PAY-UP WEEK A REAL SUCCESS, AND THERE BY ENABLE THEM TO MEET THEIR OBLIGA-

Do Not Run Away From Your Greatest Gift--CREDIT

ANYONE SHOULD—AND MOST DO—CONSIDER IT AN HONOR TO BE EXTENDED CREDIT. FOR IT MEANS ONE IS HONEST, RELIABLE AND MEETS HIS OBLIGATIONS. SOME CANNOT PAY JUST WHEN THEY AGREED TO DO SO BUT THIS ONE CAN DO WITHOUT LOSING HIS FRIEND'S CONFIDENCE:

GO TO YOUR FRIEND AND ADJUST THIS NOTE OR ACCOUNT, FOR THE MAN WHO PAYS UP OR ADJUSTS HIS OBLIGATIONS, IS RECOGNIZED AS A MAN WHO MAKES HIS OBLIGATION AND MEETS IT; AND HE IS RELIED UP-ON, HIS TRADE IS SOUGHT AFTER WHEREEVER HE MAY GO.

THERE WILL BE A NEW RATING FURNISHED TO THIS OFFICE JANUARY 1928. LET YOURS READ PROMPT PAY.

Do Not Run Away From An Obligation-MEET IT

YOU PASS THIS WAY BUT ONCE. LET THE MARK OF YOUR FOOTPRINTS READ: A GOOD CREDIT RATING

Help Make PAY-UP Week a Banner Week. Pay-Up, It pays to Pay-UP

Retail Merchants' Association Of Floyd County

AFFILIATED WITH THE STATE AND NATIONAL RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION

week end with his family.

in the next few days.

school Sunday.

boxes

Saturday night at the home of Mr.

A great number of the Blanco peo-

John Henry Alexander spent Sun-

SAND HILL

John Mickey has a new Ford car.

C. W. Smith preached at Floyd-

Mr. Jack Myers and Johnnie Watts

Sand Hill School got both Thurs-

CEDAR

enjoying the fine weather we are hav-

Robert Jones and family and Bro Evans took Sunday dinner with Syd

Bob Smith, Mildege Taylor and son

Brother Evans visited in Grandma

The Holiness Meeting closed last

B. E. Cypert had a bale of cotton

Frank Taylor got two of his toes

Mrs. Syd Brown and Mrs. Mary ee Dillard visited Mrs. Goldie Cypert

Miss Jennie Lee Wigginton had a

irthday dinner Sunday and had all her little friends took dinner with her

They were Florene and Geraldine

Brown, Peggy, Ernestine and Flake Dillard, Doris and Homer Ray Cypert

Dorothy Jean Jones of Aiken, All

D. B. Brown is busy hauling feed

Edd Brown and family called on Milledge Taylor Sunday afternoon. Earl Wilson is visiting D. B. Brown

FAIRVIEW

Fairview, Nov. 28.-School opened

his morning with somewhat better

ord of Silverton arrived yesterday fternoon an dbegan her work here

his morning. She has charge of the

ixth and seventh grades in the base-

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cheaves of

Thanksgiving Day was observed in his community by an all day pro-

gram at the church. The program

Introductory speech-Rev. Y.

Address-Rev. Patterson of M

gram were Bro. Evans and family of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Stevenon of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Readheimer and Mr. and Mrs. Vert Readheimer of Mayview, Rev. Cal Mc-

Gaybee of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Chas. Knierim of South Plains,

ter and others whose names we failed

Mrs. Edd Bullard has been on the

Misses Ouida Crabtree and Opal

sick list for the past several days.

Horton and Mr. Henry Culpepper of Floydada High school spent Thanks-

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lominack are

he proud parents of a baby daughter. Misses Eugenia Hoffman, Winnie Wilson and Mr. Bill Beedy represent-

ed Fairview at the ball game in Sla-

Rev. Y. F. Walker of Lockney

preached his farewell sermon to the ocal Baptist church Sunday night.

Bro. Walker will preach elsewhere in the future. He has been a faithful

worker here and his resignation was

Mrs. E. C. Austin is reported to

The Dramatic club will stage a ne gro minstrel here next Friday night,

December 2nd. Everyone is invited to

come, see the colored folks and enjoy themselves. Admission of 25 and 35c

will be made to further improve the

dissapointment to many.

have been ill again recently.

giving with homefolks here.

on Thanksgiving day.

Montgomery and family of Cen-

were present at this pro-

Solo-Mr. Mitt Bullard. Sermon-Rev. Cal McGayhee

Expression of Thanks.

Plainview spent Saturday night with Mrs. Cheaves parents, Mr. and Mrs.

G. A. Stewart here.

vas as follows.

shot off Saturday while hunting ducks

Frank were in Lockney Tuesday.

Lockney last Saturday.

Brown's home Tuesday.

He is getting along fine.

eported a fine time.

and family.

unday night.

pulled Monday.

Lone Star Monday.

Cedar Hill, Nov. 28-We are all

of Boskey County visited in this com-

at the Church of Christ.

day in Lockney visiting his dad.

Program Week Commencing Monday, Dec. 5th

Monday and Tuesday-ADOLPH MENJOU

"Service for Ladies"

Wednesday and Thursday-DOLORES CASTELLO AND LOUISE DRESSER

'The Third Degree" COMEDY-"DAYLIGHT"

Friday-

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With Marguerite De La Motte

"Palo in Paradise"

"YOUTHFUL SINNERS"

Saturday-

TOM TYLER

"Red Hot Hoofs"

COMEDY-"HE COULDN'T HELP IT"

AIKEN

Aiken, Nov. 28-The Thanksgiving service held at the school house was well attended, Bro. McReynolds, pastor of the Methodist church of Lockney preached at the eleven 'oclock hour.

A large crowd attended the dedicatory services at the Baptist church, Sunday morning, Rev. C. J. McCarty program at the school house last of Lockney preaching the dedication

Mr. McAvoy and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Okla-

Mr. McReynolds and family visited Lockney Sunday afternoon.

C. E. Meredith, Jr., left Monday norning for Plainview where he will enter Wayland college.

Mr. Floyd and family have returned We are very glad to have the children

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall and family spent Thanksgiving with their daughter who lives in Amarillo. The Aiken Boys were defeated in their game of basket ball with Lake-

view Friday night. The schore was 14-11 in favor of Lakeview. Mr. E. W. Light and family Floydada visited in the Meredith home Sunday.

RAMSEY

Mr. Judson Miller returned home Sunday from a several weeks visit the community are requested to bring and Minnie and Verne Nixon were with relatives in Tennessee.

Mr. J. N. Weaver came in last week for a visit with his granddaugh-

ter Mrs. L. C. Elliot. Misses Mauraca McDonald and Myr tle Wilson and Messers Milton Davis ada Sunday. and Clarence Moon made a trip to

Quitaque Sunday. Little Robert Spots happened to munity the past week. a painful accident one day last week | Many of the older pupils are out when he fell from a box and sprain- of school this week picking cotton.

Mr. J. J. Hill and family took Sun- day and Friday of last week as holday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Glen idays. Smith Sunday.

Mr. Grady Freeman of Oklahoma is here visiting his uncle, J. A. Smalley. Mrs. J. N. Goode and Miss Jessie Landrum were business visitors in Floydada Monday.

Mrs. Marshall of Quitaque was the guest of Mrs. Judson Miller on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. L. C. Elliot was in Floydada shopping Tuesday.

BLANCO

Blanco, Nov. 28 .- There was a large crowd at the singing Sunday afternoon at the school house. And every one enjoyed the singing.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the good ednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Daniel spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Terry of Floydada.

Saturday Special

Lettuce good large heads Large Bunch Grapes pound Wapco Sliced Peaches packed in syrup No. 21/2 Cans

Elegant Coffee with 3 lbs Sugar free 3 pounds for

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Floydada, Texas

McCOY Blanco was well represented at the

musical in the McCoy community last McCoy, Nov. 28.-Since we did not get a holiday Thursday we celebrated and Mrs. Day, All reported a good with basket ball games. There were three games played and we only had

There has been a great deal of sick ne defeat. ness in our community of late. We Mr. Everett and Miss Zell Fairchild are hoping to see everyone well withwho are attending school at Plainview High spent Thanksgiving and There was a large crowd at Sunday

the week end with home folks. Mr. Gene Gamblin and family took Thanksgiving dinner at the home of ple attended church at McCoy Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Day spent Thursday with Mrs. W. M. Smith, Mrs. Day's mother who is working in a store at Ralls.

(Misses Ima Nell Jackson, Marie, Clara and Thelma Smith attended the Mickey, Nov. 28.-Next Friday singing at Blanco Sunday afternoon night the Sand Hill community will They report a good singing. have a box supper. All the ladies of Mr. John Rankin, Milderd Raley

guests in the Tardy home Sunday. Mrs. Minnie Gibson and family Bro. Cavin preached Sunday night spent Thursday afternoon with Mr

and Mrs. J. F. Nixon. Mr. Robert Ferrell and Tim Nixon

risited in Crosbyton Sunday. The party which was at the school use given by the Literary Society was enjoyed by every one who attend-

Everybody reported a good time at social given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Day.

Both the Methodist and Baptist Sunday school had a good attendance Sunday

After Sunday school Rev. Brown preached at the Methodist church. The B. Y. P. U. of this community rendered their first program last Sun-S. Brown and family were in day night.

Mr. Guinn and Bill Woods visited Irick 4-H Girls Home Demonstration Club.

"Sewing Bags."

The Irick Girls Club met at the club room of the school building at 10:15 Friday, November 25th, with Miss Bass as hostess. The subject was "Hemmed Patch Work."

Our Hemmed Patch is to be finished by the next meeting and must be prepared for the next week's work. The next meeting of the club will be Friday, December 9th, with Miss Bas sas hostess. The subject will

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LONE STAR

Friday were given as holidays to ootball game at Lubbock on Thanks in last week. giving Day. Among those who saw

Miss Marie Luna spent the holiay with her parents in Plainview. Mr. C. W. Jackson of Plainview to Slaton last Saturday. and Miss Bessie Wilson of Hale Center spent Sunday with Mr. C. J. Roach

The Parent Teachers Association that he will soon be all right. met on Friday night. A short program was given by the school children. Miss Laura Bennett and Miss Benadine Bennett of Lockney favored us with readings. Dr. Freeman made a short talk on the progress of Floyd county schools.

building Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Bert of Lockney preached at the Christian church on Sunday morn Members of the W. A. W. A. club

giving holidays in Canyon. Johnston visited their mother at Ralls left until later. last Sunday.

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tions of colors that will appeal to you.

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Since the Carmickle family has very muchly in need of it. purchased a radio, a number of friend Mr. Bert Smith and family moved drop in every evening to hear some to their home in the Snyder com-

ple from our community saw the bad effects of the wreck they were eron and family.

A number of Allmon people went to night with Glayds Smith. were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Foster, the Thanksgiving program in Peters-Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McGehee and Mr. burg last Thursday. Quite a few of Lindemann attended B. Y. P. U. at them went to Lubbock to the football Whitfield Sunday night.

Mr. Willis had the misfortune of

handling feed last week. We hope Miss Elmira McComas and her sis-

ter of Plainview spent the week-end with the Jones family. Miss Eva Jones underwent a mas-

toid operation last Saturday at the the week end here visiting her par-Plainview sanitarium. The last re- ents, Mr and Mrs. A. A. Brock. There was a singing at the school port was that she was doing very nicely. We hope that she will soon ed the B. Y. P. U. at Whitfield Sun-

celebrated their club aniversary last day were: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith, Mr. J. H. Fowler spent the Thanks Wednesday by going to Plainview to Mr. and Mrs. Will Gamble and Mr. see the "Cat and the Canary." The and Mrs. R. C. Smith Mr. Bill Johnston and Mr. Jim business part of the meeting was

PROVIDENCE

Providence, Nov. 28 .- We are en-Allmon, Nov. 28.-Relatives of Mr. joying the pretty weather and sunand Mrs. Clarence Gamble visited shine we are having, but would like to have some rain as the wheat is

\$1.39

\$1.73

\$2.69

\$3.69

munity the past week.

Misses Ruby and Elsie Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Wright had as the Lone Star school. A number of Frankie McElroy are almost over the their guests Sunday Mr. J. W. Dam-

Olamae Gamble spent

Providence was well represented on

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Moore went the streets of Plainview Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gamble of Crogetting his shoulder crushed while well spent the week end visiting in the Gamble home.

> A few from here attended church services at Whitfield Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. O. . Kennedy of Lubbock were visitors in this community last week end.

Miss Olamae Brock of Canyon spent Many from this community attend

day night. Visitors in the Gamble home Sun-

PLEASANT VALLEY

Pleasant Valley, Nov. 28 .- The Thanksgiving holidays were enjoyed by all. Every one is back in school working with renewed energy. Mr. and Mrs. N. T. A. Byars spent

We are very sorry to hear that fr. T. B Mitchell has been very sick

for the past few days. Although he s reported better at this writing. Mr. Charlie Smith has the misforune to get a toe cut off while running

Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cooper of Kenna, New Mexico, Mrs. Martin's father.

They report a jolly time. Mr. W. L. Griffis and son Harris, of Gladstone New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harris during the

Don't forget the play, "A Southern inderella," Friday night, December Come and have a good laugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass of Delvin, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reeves Thursday and Friday.

The Christmas joys are not very far away Already the tinty tots have begun to count the days until old Santa Claus gets here

Mr and Mrs W C Hubbard and son Weldon Burl spent Thanksgiving with their uncle, Mr L E. Harvey of Sham rock, Texas.

BAKER

Baker. Nov 28.—Several children are out of school picking cotton at this time, however, some that have een out are now back in school.

Mr. and Mrs. Peacock took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr and Mrs. S. M. Woolsey. Miss Wanda Day spent the holidays

with her homefolks of McCoy. Several folks from our community went to Slaton to the football game Among those who attended were Miss

Georgia Holder and Mr. Paul Pea-

There was a party at the home of Mr. Scott last Friday night. All ttending reported a good time. The Baker boys and the Floydada bys played a basket ball game last

Friday night. The Floydada boys

von by a small score. Mr. Jack Thompson, who was working for Mr. Jones of this community died suddenly today about noon. He will be buried Tuesday at three o'clock n the Lakeview cemetery.

LIBERTY

Liberty, Nov. 28 .- We are having anusually pretty weather for the time of the year and if the weather coninues to be fair for a few days most of the farmers will have their cotton

Several from this community attended the round-up at Floydada last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. A. L. Feagans and family attended church at Center Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Love spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunlap and tended church at Cedar Hill Sunday

Mr. W. A. Armes and family attend ed church at Fairview Sunday San Antonio-The West Texas

B. R. Lybrand and family visited Chamber of Commerce will watch Mrs. Lybrand's father, H. W. Han- West Texas interests here early in January when its traffic representa-Mr. J. A. Dunlap and family were tive will attend the Interstate Commerce Commission hearing in this Joe Fortenberry and family took city on the cotton seed case. The Sunday dinner at the Strickland home. hearing was set for San Antonio, Misses Berma and Erma Bean visit- following one to be held in Fort Worth Miss Willa Mae Wright Sunday. beginning January 6, at the request Mr. Ford and family attended sing- of the West Texas Chamber. The ng at Roseland Sunday afternoon. | organization took this means to give H. C. McCormick and family were West and South West Texas opportunity to offer its testimony in the



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MAYVIEW

School has dismissed for cotton the week end with home folks. picking.

BIG SALE

Suits and Overcoats

Mayview, Nov. 21.-Health of the Farrington Handley has returned tador spent Sunday with C. A. Smith

anna where he has been for some

League and B. Y. P. U. were well

Quite a crowd attended the musical at Mr. H. L. Handley's Saturday night. Miss Gertrude Davis of Irick spent

Mr. and Mrs. J. E Hunter of Ma-

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FLOYDADA,

TEXAS

everal went to Mr. Tom Emert's Mrs. Montgomery and children at-

R. L. Handley and family and Mr. ad Mrs. J. T. Campbell went to rosbyton to church last Wednesday. Grandma Campbell spent the day at rs. Halliday's Wednesday. temember Sunday school, B. Y. P. and league Sunday.

Mayview, Nov. 28.—Health of the Mr. Morrison Carpenter H. L. Handley attended church seres at Crosbyton last Saturday.

Emert Sunday. Rev. Shannon filled his regular ap-

ointment at this place Saturday night

attended Sunday faternoon and Sun- that day.

ra Ardry and Catherine Davis made cember 6. All members are urged parents, and Monday the parents of flying trip to Floydada Sunday to make an effort to be present.

ughter spent Thanksgiving in Quan- night.

family spent Thanksgiving with the last week. ewland school. They report an en-

Several from here attended the so ial given by Miss Carralton of Newand Saturday night. Miss Reva Handley spent Sunday

ith Claudie Holliday Bro. Shannon and family took diner with Tom Amert and family Sun-

Sunday school at 10 o'clock, League at 3 o'clock and B. Y. P. U. at 7 clock. U. R. Invited.

CENTER

Center, Nov. 28-School reopened this morning and a good many are not through pulling cotton, but to get in another month before Christmas they had to begin now. Then, oo, some of the children could start back. They open school at 8 a. m. ive only thirty minutes at noon and lismiss at 2:15 in order to accome date those who are almost through.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bryant took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Carpenter.

Mr. Noland has a brother and family from Hereford to spent Sunday night and part of Monday with them. Mrs. G. C. Tubbs and children visited Mrs. W. B. Jordan Friday after-

Center church is buying a new piano and replacing the one at the school house again as the school folks plan good many scool activities for this

Mrs. J. L. King and daughter Maeielle spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jordan and atened the church services here Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot and some of the children were visitors at the Jordan home Sunday at dinner.

A number of our singers went to Blanco Sunday afternoon to the sing-

Wednesday and listened over the tended the Thanksgiving services at Sunday with Herman Ratjen. Fairview Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Miller are planning to paint and paper their house, day night. Miss Gertrude Lightfoot took Sunday dinner with Mrs. Burly Veach

Floy Bryant took Sunday supper with

for awhile after school this after noon Bost performing the ceremon Bro. Bost brought us a fine report Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Handley and from the Convention Sunday.

Providence, Nov. 28 .- The Home The bride wore a beautiful brown and Sunday. Large crowds attended Demonstration club met at the home satin dress with accessories to match. of Mrs. T. E. Cowart last Monday. The immediate families of both the League and B. Y. P. U. were well Miss Blanche Bass was with us on bride and the groom with the officiat-

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith and tended church at Whitfield Sunday spread at high-noon,

day with Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Sun- journey may be a happy one.

Mr. R. C. Phillips spent the day Mr .and Mrs. Willard Phillips attended church at Whitefield Sun-

Miss Lorene Bennett spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Wright. Messers Wyatt and Harold Mcthe Woolsey home. Mr. and Mrs. Laughin have returned home after be-

Miss Opal Spence and Mr. Tom

Mrs. Noland is the daughter of Mr.and Mrs. A. L. Spence and Mr. Noland is the son of Mr. and Mrs. in the Center community

ing minister and a few most intimate The next meeting will be held at friends were entertained at a dinner Oran Hatley and Robbie Lotspiech the home of Mrs. C. B. Jones on De- Sunday at the home of the bride's Mr. and Mrs. Brock and sister at and relatives to a most sumptious

Many useful and beautiful presents Messers Doc and Lee Bennett visit- were received by the young couple, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett and ed their brother at Roscoe, Texas who will make their home in this Mr. and Mrs. C. Pewell spent the the good things in life and that their



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STORY FROM THE START

Handsome, fastidious and realthy—young St. Croix Creigh-on awaits his sweetheart at their trysting place. She is late, this ordinary little Pennsylvania Dutch girl, Meely Schwenckton Despite her seeming innocence and ignorance, she succeeds in keeping him at a distance, to his chagrin. Meely, in the Schwenckton home, where she is boarding, is altogether unlike the girl who meets St. Croix clandestinely. She is the teacher in the neighborhood school, of which Marvin Creighton, St. Croix' brother, is superintendent. Meely learns that Marvin was to have married his cousin, a titled English lady, but, believing she was attracted by the Creighton wealth, had refused the alliance. It is the rumor that St. Croix is take Marvin's place and marry English girl. St. Croix' jealthe English girl. is aroused by Meely's report of an aged sultor for her hand.

CHAPTER III—Continued

"I'll hide 'em good away," she sald elyly. "I'd like to leave 'em all taste 'em, at home, but it would look suspicious!"

"I want a reward!" he said. She drew back a bit; but he suddenly snatched her face firmly between his two hands and brought his lips to hers-almost. With a wrench of her head she averted the contact, and his touch, as usual, met only her cool cheek instead of her rosy mouth. "You always kiss me so onexpect-

ed!" she said breathlessly, looking flushed and almost frightened. "I wisht you wouldn't always get me so onexpected!"

"Meely!" He took hold of her shoulders and turned her right about face. "You're going to hold perfectly still and let me kiss you right-onyour-lips!"

She tried to pull herself free, but he held her in a relentless grip. "Hold

"I won't!" she snapped, holding her face averted. "Le' me be! Please le' me be, Mr. Creighton!"

"Meely! Why don't you ever let me kiss you on the mouth?"

She hung her head and answered shyly, "My lips is for the man I "But, Meely, my girl, you must

know," he said in a low voice in which his suppressed passion quivered, "that I want much more than your lips! Or why, my dear, would I be spending so much time with you?"

"Ach!" She raised a radiant. sparkling face to his, "Do you want to marry me, Mr. Creighton?" His hands fell from her shoulders;

he turned from her and bent his eyes to the ground.

"Ach," she apologized humbly, "that time I guess I went too far! But, Mr. Creighton, what is it, then, you want?"

He turned again and looked at her. "Meely! I'm d-d if I know whether you're as innocent and ignorant as an angel or as deep as hell. "You and I both know, my dear

little girl, that we're not spending all these hours together, week after week, for the pleasure of each other's conversation!" She shook her head hopelessly, "It's

always wondered me why you want to set 'round talkin' to a dumb thing like me, so oneducated as what I am, and ignorant like you say angels is-"

"Why do you pretend not to know why it is?" His voice was a little thick and busky; his hand hot which clasped her cool one lying in her lap.

The innocence of a new-born babe was in the eyes she raised to his. "Deedn't I don't. Why do you?" But before the burning hunger of his eyes she recoiled; and drawing her hand from his clasp, she rose hastily and walked away.

"Meely !" he called. Slowly she turned and came back to him; and with a childishly obvious effort to divert his attention from herself, she spoke to him ingratiatingly of what she felt sure would have that effect, "Ach, Mr. Creighton, did you know your brother is livin' right on our

farm, with our hard man and his wife?" "With your bired man!" St. Croix exclaimed, an angry flush covering his face and neck. "Living with him! He would!" he added bitterly. "That's the sort of society he seems to prefer-farm hands and miners!"

"And you, too," said Meely, with her ingratiating smile, "like low-down comp'ny-ain't? It must run in your

"If you're referring to yourself as Tow-down,' kindly don't do it againit's insulting to my taste!" He drew her roughly to him and she nestled to his embrace.

"Please tell me," she coaxed, "about I from the early Seventeenth century,

your brother. He ain't the swell genman you are, is he?" "He doesn't know you, does he?"

"Not yet." "But," said St. Crolx anxiously, 'he's bound to meet you, of course?" "I guess mebby."

"Don't give us away-our meeting "Ach, no, for my Pop would kill me

if he knowed-have knew. But it does wonder me, Mr. Creighton, that your brother would board at Absalom Puntz', as common as what they are yet! My land's sakes alive! Why does he do it? Why don't he live at his own home with yous?" "None of your business, my dear!"

She pouted. "I'll get it out of Absalom's missus, then. Or I'll meet up with your brother hisself at Absalom's and get it out of him."

"Oh, no, you won't ask him!" St. Croix shrugged. "People don't ask my brother Marvin impertinent questions!

"Is he so proud, too, like you?" "His pride," St. Croix sneered, takes another form than that of the rest of the family! His 'pride' won't let him live, he says, on the 'charity of miners' !-- won't let him take more than six per cent interest on our invested capital !- insisting that all the rest should be turned over to the miners and to the upkeep and safeguarding of the industry! Talks d-d rot like that! Bolshevism! That's what it is! D-d Bolsshevism!"

"Is it? Why, I didn't know Bolshevism was so nice and kind and generous like that! I thought they was a lot of cut-throats, them Bolshevists.' "So they are! The poor cutting the throats of the rich to make themselves rich "

"But your brother ain't poor." "He and all of us would be if we ran the mines as he thinks they should be run! If he ever does come



She Hung Her Head and Answered Shyly, "My Lips is for the Man I

into his share of the mines he'll ruin whole business, his share and mine, too, d-n him! Oh, don't let's talk of him! My father and I see red at the sound of his name!"

"And your mother, too?" "He's breaking her heart!" St. Croix said with sincere feeling. "Disgracing the family by living with common laborers! Turning school-teacher! Making us the talk of the whole state!

It's almost killing my mother!" "Rut," Meely protested, puzzled, "I can't see he's doin' anything bad! It's just that he wants to act kinder to other ones than any of yous wants to,"

"It's his quarreling with my father and leaving home that hurts my mother so, and makes her suffer!" "Why's he so different to what yous all are? Why ain't he greedy, too, to hog all for hisself?" she sweetly

asked. "We're not 'hogging all' for our selves! Do you know what we pay annually to the people who work for us?" He named a hugely impressive sum. "And you talk about our 'hog-

ging all' for ourselves!" "But why does your brother talk that way, then, if it ain't? What makes him different to yous? she persisted.

"Oh, from the time he was a kid he's argued with my father about the

management of the mines and the the women and children looking starved. And just recently, when a miner who'd worked for us for twenty years was killed and his widow and children had to vacate their cottage, Marvin raised h-1! Wanted her pensloned; wanted Father to give her the house she'd lived in for twenty years; wanted him to educate her children-all softs of things that would have established the worst sort of precedent." St. Croix paused, realizing he was using words beyond her range.

But she answered. "Do you call the Golden Rule in business the worst sori

She, in her turn, stopped short-and hastily changed the subject. "But I guess your brother'll soon have to find another boarding place, for Absalom's soon moving to town. So, then, when Absalom moves, mebby the new farm hand Pop hars won't take your brother to board. And mebby," said Meely suddenly, "my Pop might take him! Say, wouldn't that be a scream, Mr. Creighton?"

St. Croix privately decided that in the face of such a contingency his only prudent course would be to put an end to these sweet secret meetings with Meely; for the Creighton family had learned to their cost that Marvin's eccentric conscience was a thing to be reckoned with.

But even as he came to this decision he realized that it could not be done. He could not give up this girl. At whatever cost short of marrying her (that, of course, an impossibility) he would have her; and the cost, in view of his present delicate position in relation to his English cousin, might prove high indeed! But he would pay it rather than give her up! He was not used to giving up things. His self-control was flabby from lack

of exercise. It never occurred to him that when he was quite ready to take the girl she would not readily come to him. Had he all along supposed her to be a "virtuous" malden, he would not, at this moment, be here in this spot with her. But although he was not a despoiler of virtue, a man without heart or conscience, he certainly was not above accepting such gifts of life

as the gods vouchsafed to him. St. Croix' conscience, though not troubled as to his relation with Meely, was by no means at peace when he thought of the cousin whom he hoped to marry. He sentimentally felt that to go to his bride straight from a love affair with a "common" girl like Meely would be to wrong her (not Meely, but the bride) and the struggle that went on in his soul between his ideal of what the bridegroom of a high-born and immaculate lady should be and his compelling infatuation for the farm girl was at times bitter and devas-

But there was never any real doubt in his mind as to which side in that struggle would win.

CHAPTER IV

Meely knew just enough about the profession of teaching to know that she knew shockingly little about it; and her dread, therefore, of the coun ty superintendent's impending visit to her school was a sword over her head.

"If I only knew what he expects (or hopes) to find me doing when he comes, I'd be doing it or making a bluff at doing it!"

She knew that to a professional teacher her methods must seem grotesquely unprofessional, being based on the same principle as that by which she lived most of her life-or tried to; that principle being the imperative need to extract all the entertainment possible from any situation in which you found yourself. So she worked really very hard to make her days in her schoolroom yield entertainment, first to herself, and secondly to forty rather bucolic children of all ages and sects (Amish, New and Old Mennonites, Dunkards) who filled her school. A few vigorous and tiresome hours were devoted to drilling in geography, multiplication tables, grammar, spelling (she suspected that the way she did that drilling would have made any real pedagogue shudder) and the rest of the time was delightfully spent in teaching what she, not the school trustees, thought children ought to know-fairy stories. poems, plays.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Early Cradle Formed From Hollowed Log

merely logs, scooped out to form more or less comfortable resting places for bubles. They were without rockers. since the natural shape of the logs made their use unnecessary. Cradles have varied with different modes of living and reflect in their diversity of form and adornment the progress of the cabinetmaker's art. The Romans are said to have used cradles of considerable refinement, but after the decline of the empire, accompanied as it was with the decay of living, the cradle, with other furniture forms, assumed a crude and humble aspect. One of the early forms of the cradle was the oaken chest without a lid Baskets of osiers were sometimes used, in which the child, wrapped in swaddling clothes, was placed. The American cradle of oak in the Metropolitan museum in New York dates

Cradles, in their earliest form, were | Fabulous wealth and the skill of the greatest craftsmen have been lavished on the cradles of royal children throughout history. These Important beds have been glided and carved in trientely inlaid with gold and gems upholstered in the choicest silks and fitted with the most sumptuous of coverings of velvet and fur.-Dorothy Bent, in Art and Decoration,

Appropriated Motto

"Ich dien" is a German phrase, meaning literally "I serve." It was originally the motto of John, the blind king of Rohemia, who served in the slain in the battle of Crecy, 1346, The Edward the Black Prince, who ap-

way the miners' families have been housed and paid. And at times of strikes he'd how! 'round at sight of the women and children housing by Hidden Gold

Billions of Dollars' Worth Secretly Hoarded or Used for Ornaments.

Washington.-Five billion dollars' worth of gold and sliver treasure is sequestered in India in temple decorations, jeweled ornaments and bars of bullion, together with the bangles, anklets, necklaces and American "eagles," with which millions of women array themselves, according to a new study of the legendary "wealth of the Indies" submitted to the United States Department of Commerce.

"Frozen wealth," the government economists call this treasure, for it is distributed and used in such forms that it yields not a penny of return to its owners nor a dollar of credit to carry on the world's commerce.

With a lofty indifference to international money markets and the needs of trade, India sprinkles gold dust over the food served at extravagant banquets. Immense quantities of gold and silver are used to array brides for their marriage ceremonies, and in a multitude of other forms of decora-

Gold is believed, moreover, to have an occult power of healing the sick. "It is a popular remedy in the native pharmacopoela." says the government study, "and medicines containing gold are favored for many diseases."

The World's Gold Supply. All this has more than a picturesque interest. It involves the problem of altering the distribution of the world's gold supply-a problem that took on new importance when executives of the British, French and German Central banks and the American Federal Reserve system recently foregathered in New York and Washington, and with the adjustment of Federal Reserve rediscount rates below the European level.

As the world recovered from the financial chaos of the war most nations have struggled back to, or toward, a gold standard for their currencies. To establish and maintain such standards they must have gold reserves. The currents of international trade and other influences have brought to America's coffers about half of the world's monetary stock of gold. But in the last quarter of a century India has been quietly absorbing immense quantities of the vellow metal. With a store now estimated nt about \$2,500,000,000, she draws to herself a large part of the new gold produced from year to year.

Meanwhile, the world's gold production has declined sharply from the maximum for this century, reached between 1910 and 1915, Although there has been a recovery in part since 1922, this increase has been vitiated, so far as monetary gold for the world is concerned, by the increase of

Proposed Remedies.

In an attempt to halt or at least changes are projected in the Indian financial system. Adoption of a gold buillion basis for India's currency; replacement of sliver rupees in circulation by gold notes; establishment of a strong central bank; and extension of savings bank facilities are now proposed. All are designed largely to wean the Indian population away from the habit of hearding gold and silver pieces and bullion bars. If that is ever accomplished. India's five billions and more of gold and silver in time will cease to be merely so much

"frozen wealth." What disturbs bankers and economists is not the size of India's store of gold, great as it is, so much as the way It is treated. The United States has more gold, our holdings being approximately \$4,600,000,000. But this is working in an effective way it serves as the foundation for the vast superstructure of credit employed at home and lately extended, with unprecedented swiftness, to the rest of the world.

Great Wealth Unused.

India's gold is fille. There is lack ing even a pretense of making it add anything to the productive forces or the comfort of India's 300,000,000 people or their fellow-beings in other

The exhaustive report submitted to Washington was prepared by Don C. Bliss, Jr., assistant trade commissioner at Bombay, under the presafe title. "The Bombay Bullion Market." Mr.

Bliss says on this point : "Vast reserves have been accumulated in the course of many yearsreserves estimated as amounting to \$5,000,000,000 (Mr. Bliss here includes a \$2,500,000,000 approximation of silver holdings)-but they have been jealously hoarded in the

form of unproductive precious metals. "Put to productive uses, or loaned out in the world's money markets. they would suffice to make India one of the powerful nations of the world.

"The traditional wealth of the In dies' is there, but in such a form that it yields nothing to its possessors in the way of improved standards of living or the power to command the services of others."

Why Gold Is Hoarded.

The wealth is scattered among miltions of unorganized holders, and even the silver coins which constitute the metallic currency are snatched into private hoards by the ryots or peasant farmers. This problem of hoarding, Bliss' report shows, is at the root of the pathetic plight of militons of these farmers. Hereditary custom, social organization, seasonal harvests and the still primitive financial system all influence them to assemble any wealth they have in a readily portable form and often to hide it.

In old days of tyranny and oppression, manifest prosperity was an invitation to be stripped of one's possessions. Hostile invasions also forced great southward migrations of people who, to save their wealth, had to collect it in a highly concentrated form. These conditions have left their influence to this very day.

Other Causes of Saving. The Hindu family, moreover, ordi-

narily holds all real property and household goods in common. The individual wishing to save for his own use can segregate his savings only in the form of gold and silver. Millions of the native population, too, have an access to banks. In time of stress they must draw on accumulated reserves or resort to the money lender-at 75 per cent interest.

"Consequently," Mr. Bliss writes, "there is a strong tendency in times of prosperity to purchase small quantitles of silver and gold in the form

One Firm to Build 1,200 Flying Machines

New York .- One airplane manufacturer will build 1,200 flying machin's next year, which is more than the entir nircraft industry produced in 1926, according to William P. Mac-Cracken, Jr., assistant secretary of commerce for aeronautics, & who spoke at a dinner given here for Sir Philip A. G. D. Sassoon, under-secretary for air of

Great Britain. Rapid progress in aviation, due to the great increase in private ownership of airplanes. was indicated by Mr. Mact'racken and by Grover Loening, designer of amphibian aircraft. who made a plea for the application of the methods of volume production to the building of airplanes. Sir Philip will probably he the first man to possess one of the new Ford automoone of the new Ford automo-biles, he revented at the dinner.

of coins, bullion or ornaments as a reserve against want.

"Millions of people, particularly in south India and east India, never have a sufficient margin to do even this, as they have no savings whatever; this is evidenced by the necessity for famine relief measures in many sections as soon as there is a crop failure."

Weight Reduces Mind Efficiency, Doctor Says

New York .- If you are fifty years old and weigh within a few pounds of the average person of your age, you are between 30 and 40 pounds too heavy to reach the maximum mental and physical efficiency, Dr. Louis I. Dublin, statistician for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, told the United Press.

Doctor Dublin's statement was made in conjunction with his indersement of a book called "Your Weight and How to Control It," which has just been published. This is the first volume regarding weight control that has ever had 'he complete indorsement of the American Medical association.

"The amount below average weight," Doctor Dublin said, "should increase as people grow older. An excess of 10 pounds, for example, is associated with the most favorable conditions among people between the ages of twenty and twenty-five." At the age of thirty a level is said to be reached. after which underweight is more to be desired than overweight.

Buys the Biggest Lump of Coal



Miss Betty Griffin, Kansas university coed, with the biggest single lump of coal ever brought up from a mining shaft. It was found to weigh in the neighborhood of 3,000 pounds, measuring 5 feet high and 4 feet wide, Miss Griffin bought it for her cottage in Lawrence, Kan.

TWO U. S. MARINES FIGHT TO DEATH WITH 30 REBELS

Heroism and Unflinching Courage Marked Last Stand of Aviators in Nicaragua

Managua, Nicaragua.-Herolem and anflinching courage against overwhelming odds marked the last stand of Second Lieut. E. A. Thomas and Sergt. Frank Dowdell, American marine aviators, it was revealed in advices from the Interior stating definitely that the missing flyers were killed by outlaws a month ago. The report came from Nicaraguans in Ocotal.

After their plane crashed both men army of the king of France and was escaped from the machine, which subsequently caught fire and was devictorious English army was led by stroyed, the report says. The men, who were unburt, were able to secure propriated the motto, which since that the machine gun from the plane and time has been the mette of the prince | then to escape down into a deep valley, eluding the rebel General Sandi-

no's followers. Soon after the flyers went into the | marine drew his pistol, as did his com | tralia.

valley, they encountered two men whom they made prisoners.

Marching toward Jicaro, one of the prisoners wheeled suddenly and slashed at one of the marines-which one is not stated-with a machete inflicting a severe wound on his neck and shoulder. The other marine whipped out his revolver and killed the assailant, but during the melee the 24. other prisoner escaped.

The unwounded marine dragged and carried his comrade to a cave.

Meanwhile the prisoner who had escaped reached Sandino and related what had happened, whereupon the outlaw leader sent a force of 30 or 40 men, who found no difficulty in trailing the marines, by blood spots, Sandino's men took up an ambush near the cave and began firing on the American flyers as they left the cave. A desperate fight followed, the

panion, and they exchanged fire with their assailants, each killing several of the guerrillas before they fell.

German Railways Adopt Unique Time System

Berlin.-A unique time computation of 0:00 has resulted from the adoption by the German rallways of the 24hour time table. Theoretically, of course, the new system of reckening time calls for a computation of from 0 to 24, whereby the arrival of trains at midnight is to be designated with

But though no one ever thought of 0:00 as a time specification for any train on wheels, this vacuous numeral has, notwithstanding, become an accepted official item of the German time table in which the slow passenger train for Leipzig is scheduled as leaving the Anhalter Bahnhof is Berlin at 0:00.

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Mrs. Northcutt last Sunday. Mr. J. W. Smith and Neal Smith J. M. Lanfair went to Plainview present a new play, "Bashful Mr. Bob"

SUNSET

made a trip to Matador last week. Sunday for an examination by the on Friday night, December 9. Every M. Wicker.

The P. T. A. will meet in business ing at home

session next Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. T. Bradshaw and son spent Sunday with Mr. Bradshaws' Roberson

father near Gasoline. Mrs. G. Milton and Mrs. S. Yeary were Floydada visitors last Saturday, ed her friend Freddie Lee Marble Mr. Charlie Knierim and family Saturday visited in the Fairview community

Sunday. Bill Welch has returned to his home near Bonham, Texas.

Our little town of South Plains is still growing. The elevator and two more residences are under construction, also the water mains are being

ROSELAND

Roseland, Nov. 28 .- Thanksgiving holidays, dinners and festivities are over now, and we are back at work on regular schedule time. Now our thoughts will turn to Christmas celebrations, and Santa and his pack of happiness.

The home demonstration club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. L. Barton next Wednesday. Miss Bass will be present at the meeting and the making of Christmas candies will be demonstrated.

There will be a special lecture given on poultry at Floydada next Friday afternoon. The Home Demonstration club members are requested to be present

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Barton took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Mart Childress of Floydada. Miss Clorene Pauley is spending the week-end in Lockney with her aunt

Mrs. F. F. Ewing. Mr. Walter Bybee and family spent Thanksgiving day with Delbert Bybee. Sunday school services were not held last Sunday as the superintennor assistant superintendent were not

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Montague and family of Briscoe county spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert

Fuqua and Miss Jewel Montague. We had a Thanksgiving program at school Wednesday afternoon. We had Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bybee and Mr. and Mrs. Gergoe Roberson as

Our school was dismissed last Thursday and Friday. Most of the pupils spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday helping their parents gather Mr. E. A. Cox and family visited

Clayton Northcutt and Lee Tekell doctors. Winton Northcutt went with one is invited to attend. Don't for- Miss Faye Marble spent Saturday last Saturday and Sunday with her parents in the

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Casey took Sun

day dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Miss Lula Visage of Lockney visit-

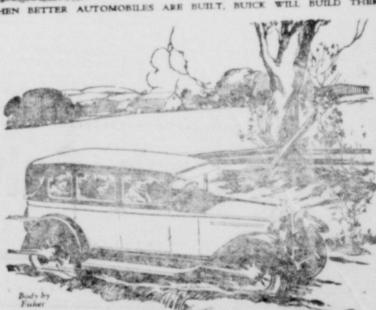
Carl Brown spent Sunday with W. the J. J. Smith hom Jo Visage visited W. M. Wicker

Rev. J. N. S. Webb filled his re-gular appointment last Sunday night. Roseland community. Miss Viola King spent Thanksgiv-day Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wright and

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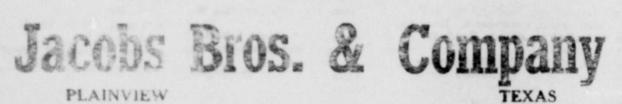
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ng seed, direct from one of the best condition. Generator, starter, and

FOR SALE-177 acres 5 miles from per acres. Good terms-See T. J. From 20 to 30 miles to a gallon of Marshall, Lockney, Texas

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FOR SALE-Five room house now under construction with bath. Will easy terms-Luther Wofford.

Cream, Hides and Eggs.-R. L. Knox. lessly accomplished, at the pressure FOR RENT-Two houses one block of a finger.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Rogers who have remove side-sway. been for the past several days at Marlin, Texas, will return to their bome bere next Monday.

Lockney Beacon offices, Lockney, Tex safe one-piece unit. or H. B. Alexander co Joe Clark,

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NOTICE-For all kinds of wind mill Fordor sedan. and pipe work, and also gas pipe fit-

wheels, with top-Mrs. Irving Ben- biles tomorrow.

LOST-Acetylene welding tip between oil mill and my shop. Finder please return to C. R. Graves.

next door to good boarding house- people Phone 156 or see Mrs. W. L. Whitt. CARD OF THANKS-We, the memoffer our appreciation to the people in automotive history. . Clark and Miss Pauline Brigham, as the famous Model T was a pio- remain in commission oth of West Texas State Teachers ices so willingly given. To Miss lose Goddard, representing the Vicor Talking Machine Co., especially o we wish to express our appreciaon for her lecture demonstrations of nusic appreciation. Be it resolved hat copies be published in Slaton. lubbock, Lockney, Crosbyton, Ralls, Lamesa, Post Levelland, and Spur ewspapers.

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Muleshoe-G. S. Holland of Chillihe has purchased the Muleshoe ournal, owned by R. B. Boyle for past two and one-half years. Boyhas moved to Plianview.

Plainview-Three Hale county meet igs have been held recently to discuss lans for he erection of a co-operative reamery to cost more than \$20,000. bernathy, Hale Center and Plainview are taking the lead in the matter.

NEW FORD CARS WILL BE SHOWN

Continued from First Page signed for exterior beauty, but has well the interior roominess, conenience and luxurious appointments be found in much higher priced utomobiles. On an instrument board f satin-finished nickel are mounted ter and ignition lock, with a dash osed models. Unusually narrow pilars and very wide doors and winadiator shell and head lamps further ccentuate the exterior attractiveness, hile choice of four colors in pyroxy n finish are offered.

Simplicity in design has also been carried to the ignition. There is only psed cables to work loose or short circuit from water. The distributor is located in a readily accessible posi-

tion on top of the engine Centrifugal water pump, large radiator and airplane propeller type fan provide a cooling system that makes bevel gear drive are interesting feacept from abuse, such as running Muleshoe, Texas. Improved at \$25.00 without enough oil, or dry radiator

10 2tp gasoline, depending upon driving speed, is the gasoline consumption FOR SALE-High grade White Leg- announced. Feed to carburetor is by

See W. A. Hamilton, 6 miles north The oiling system, also a distinctive 10 tfc Ford Design, is a combination of pump splash and gravity feed. The new transmission is of the selective sliding gear type, with standard shift, three sell for small cash payment, balance speeds forward and one reverse. The 4tf main shaft runs on ball-bearings, the ANNOUNCEMENT-I have taken the reverse idler on bronze bearings, counter shaft on roller bearings and over the Davis Produce Company and a power saving design unusual on in the market for all kinds of Produce, light cars. Shifting gears is noise-

Multiple dry-die clutch, rear axle of west of school building Mrs. Whatthree-quarter floating type housed in electrically welded steel, and spiral for case, 6 feet counter case, 1 up- tures. The axle shafts carry none right candy case, as a plate glass of the weigh of the car, the wheels mirror shelving and counters-Floyd running on roller bearings in the housing. Newly developed springs of the transverse semi-elliptic type and FOR ENT-Nicely furnished bed hydraulic shock absorbers prevent excessive up-and-down movement and

Irreversable steering gear, which makes handling exceptionally easy. LOST-A black hand bag with tools, Maximum steering safety is further a man's brown jumper and socks. Was provided by a gear housing of welded ost last Saturday morning between steel gorgings, and a steel tube steer-Lockney and Floydada on the high- ing column welded into the housing, way. Finder will please return to making a sturdy and exceptionally

Ford-designed steel spoke wheels completely welded into a one-piece assembly, are provided.

There are six models of the new 8 1-2 x 14, and 25 x 38 inches, for car. They are the phaeton, roadster, sale at the Lockney Beacon, Phone 92 sport coupe, coupe, Tudor sedan and

Local dealers are preparing for a teen years. ing .- See D. A. Rosenburg at Higgin reception next Friday, when the mo- Among the many visitors to the Botham Bartlett Lumber Co., or call dels of the new lines will be shown reception will be many prominent 10 4tc in photographs and charts.

A public reception to be held by the 1te In thousands of communities over ance of the past. the United States tomorrow this new FOR RENT-Nicely furnished bed line of moderate priced light automoroom, bath nad other conveniences, biles will be introduced to millions of tories throughout the country are

College, Canyon. We wish to express out the day to explain the new and del T line.

evember 19th and to Mr. Wallace sent field of low priced cars of quality in perfect order as long as those cars

neer in its field for more than nine

officials executive men, civic and pro-Lockney will get its first descrip- fessional organizations and other lead FOR SALE-Screend ebaby bed on tion of the new line of Ford automo- ers in the life of the community, who have been especially invited.

The performance of these new cars, local dealers is part of the national it is said, will be startling when viewintroduction of the new Ford models. ed in the light of automobile perform

Local dealers have been notified by Ford officials at Detroit that the facnow preparing to produce the new The doors of the showrooms are to cars in numbers exceeding even the be opened promptly at eight o'clock tremendous production records acand attendants will be on hand thru hieved in the manufacture of the Mo-

bers of the South Plains Music Teach- interesting features of the car which | Company officials at Detroit also re ers Association do hereby resolve to is expected to make a new chapter peated their early announcement that production of the new Ford line will of Slaton for their hospitality and The new Ford cars are said to be not make the Model T obselete. The o-operation in making this, our fifth the product of several years of study manufacture of new parts for Model Annual meeting, a success and plea- and planning by Henry Ford and T replacements will continue to be Especially do we thank the his engineers in the great Ford la- an important factor of the Ford plant Presbyterian congregation for the use boratories at Dearborn. Mr. Ford as long as any of the Model T cars their church for our sessions and has himself announced that there is are still in operation, the local dealthe High School, East Ward, and nothing quite like the new Ford car" ers were advised. Because of this Vest Ward P. T. A's for the delicious and has stated that it will prove policy, present owners of Model T ncheon served at noon Saturday, just as great a pioneer in the pre- fords will be able to keep their cars



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