

Hermleigh Herald

Richest Lands and Best Farmers in West Texas.

VOLUME 1

Hermleigh, Scurry County, Texas, Thursday, August, 30 1928.

NO. 50

NOTIFICATIONS FOR EN- FRANCE OF CHICKENS AT FAIR SEPT. 15

You have already heard. We are going to have a big coming Fair Sept. 15. As I was elected chairman of the poultry committee there are three I want to mention which disqualify your birds from the room. One sprig on the comb. One feather on the leg or toe of a bird that isn't of a feather breed. One split wing feather. We hope this fair will be much better than the one last year. As many exhibits as you can get. Thank you for a nice pin.

ROSS WILLIAMS

and Mrs. W. W. Earley at home to the coming of their children and grand-children last week-end.

M. Hendrix and family Wednesday morning for a trip to New Mexico. Will be gone about ten days.

HERMLEIGH SCHOOL TO OPEN MONDAY MORNING

The 1928-29 session of the Hermleigh High School will open Monday morning. Supt. Kerr with his family are domiciled here and everything in readiness to receive the school Monday morning. Supt. Kerr commends the present status of the school and from his former connections, all about its virtues and its lackings, and says that it is his purpose to make this the very best year for the entire school. Supt. Kerr highly commends the work of the previous faculty especially the fine moral influence they have had upon the student body. He says he has an excellent faculty this year.

HORACE HOLLEY GREATFUL FOR HIS VICTORY

I wish to thank you for your support in my campaign and the fine vote given me last Saturday. To those of you who worked and voted for me I am indeed grateful and to those who did not I have no word of censure. Realizing that the progress and development of our County is dependent upon the united efforts of its Citizenship I earnestly ask the co-operation of each and everyone promising to work with you faithfully for a better and more efficient administration of the affairs of our County again thanking you I am

Respectfully
HORACE HOLLEY.

WITH THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Because a certain brother heard a lot of stuff about me that was not true, and because I told the church at Hermleigh that I was about to hold some mission meetings and if they wanted to help in the work it would be appreciated, that some brother said he lost confidence in me as a preacher because in making such a statement I was begging for money, and if I preached at Hermleigh he would go to a sister church to worship. So just to humor that said brother I won't preach at Hermleigh next 2nd Sunday but I will be with the church just the same, of course we all know that some of the the leaders in that sister church has been guilty of trying to injure more than one gospel preacher and has never been required to apologize for such conduct but our dear brother could go meet with them just the same.

The legs of the lame are not Equal; but I'm staying with the church.

PRICE BANKHEAD.
(Advertisement)



THE AGRICULTURAL FUTURE OFFICIALLY FORE TOLD

When issues become vital and conditions look questionable men have always sought the recognized prophet to know the future --they are looking for the way out. Now that the rain has fallen excessively here and the worms are litterly cleaning the fields, we are anxious to know what the future holds for us. There is no reason why we Hermleigh folk should be in the dark. Let us turn on the light.

"The boll worms will rage for ten days, counting from last Saturday, the cotton will be literally stripped; and then the weather will turn off fair, the worms will disapper for the lack of forms to eat on, the season will be extended late into November and a good crop of cotton will be harvested as was last year," so "Elijah" Hamil said Saturday.

"Elisha" Farr is also optimistic "Three months from the time the broom weeds begin blooming properly the first killing frost will fall. This weed of forecast is now blooming. The cotton will have until near the 15th of November to make a crop," Mr. Farr said late Saturday. We understand only twenty-seven days are required to mature cotton. Cheer up, the worst is yet to come!

NOTICE

Tomorrow, Friday, is the day set for the semi-annual cemetery working at Old Pyron cemetery. Let every one who is interested in the work turn out on time.

Mr. Guss Goebel of Mineral Well, brother to our own Arthur Goebel, we understand is moving back here this week. We are glad to have you, Mr. Goebel.

Mr. J. A. Howell of the China Grove community was in town Monday. Mr. Howell is optimistic concerning the crop outlook in his section. We are glad to see you, Mr. Howell, and to have your words of cheer. Every cloud has a rainbow, it is said.

C. F. SENTELL EXPRESSES HIS APPRECIATION

Thru the columns of your good paper I wish to express to my friends and to all whose assistance and good will and support I had during the campaign just closed my thanks and appreciation. It is a pleasure to know of the unselfish interest taken by the many good people of the county I only hope that the campaign may have served a good purpose in our countie's affairs. If the people generally will only take some closer interest and extend a more active cooperation in the county government, then the campaign will not have been in vain, and I hope that good only will come of it.

We have no room in Scurry County for factional differences, so having only service cooperation in mind, let's all work together for the good of all and make Scurry County the best place possible in which to live and rear our families.

Again expressing my thanks for all cooperation and courtesies during the campaign, I am,
Respectfully,
C. F. Sentell.

Mims Receives Commission As Constable

Mr. Mims has resigned the position of city marshal and has accepted a commission form the Commissioner's Court to serve in the capacity of constable in this precinct. Mr. Mims is talented to serve in this capacity and his appointment is no doubt wise.

R. H. Wilson is serving as marshal in the place vacated by Mr. Mims. Councilor Roemisch says "Wilson is some water pumper."

We have been asked by a number of interested parties why the Herald was smaller last week than common. We answer: it was smaller than common because it was not as large as it has been. Why was it not as large as common? We answer: because it was not made as large as common. Why did you not make it as large as the regular issues? We answer: because we didn't want to.

The regular six column standard page we have been putting out is too heavy in the form to be lifted. The lifting of it has been injuring our health, and for this reason we have decided it wise to lighten the form. In its present form the Herald is "Short, sweet, hard to beat."

DISTRICT SINGING CON- VENTION TO MEET IN SNYDER SEPT. 12

The District Singing Convention will convene in Snyder at City Tabernacle on the second Sunday of September. This Convention is composed of Scurry, Mitchell, Noland and Fisher counties. We are looking forward to a great time.

Honorable W. W. Hamilton of Snyder will deliver the Welcome address and Judge Mauzey of Sweetwater will respond. We are looking for some of the best Singers of the state to be with us. Professor V. O. Stamps of the Stamps Music Publishers of Jacksonville, Texas has indicated that he will be on hand, so everybody is invited.

Come and bring your lunch as this gathering is too large for one Community to feed. Saturday night will be devoted to the transaction of the business and Sunday given over to a general Song Service so every one come and lets make this a great day.

J. A. Merritt
Vice Pres.

GOOD FARMER OPTIMISTIC

Mr. Neal Farr was a very pleasant visitor in the office here Tuesday morning. With reference to the prospects for a cotton crop Mr. Farr said: "There is nothing in connection with the cotton situation to be alarmed about. There is nothing much made to date, but there is plenty of time: We Southern folk are too easily alarmed. The worms are raging, but suppose they do, does ever a year pass without something effecting the crop at some time of the year?"

With reference to our agricultural safety without either cotton or wheat he said: "It wouldn't be a bad thing for us if cotton were to fail. Wheat, too, is too uncertain a production and too expensive to harvest, I should rather have maize at a ton and one half per acre than to have cotton at one fourth of a bale per acre. We need to diversify. We need to sell chickens and eggs each month in the year, minimize the expense of crop production, and try to grow the "fleece" of "cotton" out of our systems."

We consider Mr. Farr by all means sensible in these statements. It would be well for others of us to listen to him. His speech sounded to us like the speech of a successful farmer.

Election Returns Precinct No. 4

Connally	117	Marfield	112
Governor - Love	75	Miller	136
Public Instruction - Garner	72	Marrs	146
Commissioner - Robinson	142	Terrell	66
Civil Appeals Djist 11 - Funderburk	114	Patterson	101
Judge - Smith	156	Mauzey	104
Judge - Holley	126	Sentell	126

THE HERMLEIGH HERALD
R. S. NORMAN, EDITOR

Published every Thursday at
 Hermleigh, Scurry County,
 Texas.

Subscription price \$1.50.

Entered at the postoffice in
 Hermleigh, Texas, as second
 class mail matter, according to
 Act of Congress, March 3, 1897.

All matter for publication
 must reach the office by
 Wednesday night.

Display advertising, 25c per
 column inch; line ads and local
 readers, 7 cts per line, first in-
 sertion and 5 cts. per line each
 succeeding insertion.

The newspaper is the best
 medium of advertising known.
 When more people know of
 what you have for sale, your
 chances to sell are better. The
 Herald is a popular local week-
 ly with a circulation of 500
 with list gradually growing.

Thursday, Aug. 30 1928

Any erroneous reflection upon
 the character of any person
 firm or corporation will be cheer-
 fully corrected upon its being
 brought to the attention of the
 management.

Obituaries, cards of thanks
 and other things for which a
 charge is usually made, we will
 gladly publish free.

**OUR FIRST ARBITRATION
 COURT**

We have heard of arbitration
 but we didn't know it was prac-
 ticed any more. We have heard
 of matters being settled by ar-
 bitration, but we didn't know
 that the law recognized the ar-
 bitration court of justice. We
 had a case tried here last Satur-
 day by an arbitration court and
 we were much impressed with
 it. We asked all kinds of ques-
 tions about it, and as best we
 were able to understand the ar-
 bitration is a recognized court,
 being the very lowest court re-
 cognized by law. The decisions
 of this court are recognized by
 law the same as of any other
 court.

The three arbitration jurors
 are under oath the same as any
 juror and are given authority to
 hear evidence just as all other
 courts do. This court, we sup-
 pose, has jurisdiction only over
 small civil matters. The cost
 of this court is every light, as we
 understood Saturday.

We are wondering why more
 cases are not tried in this court
 than are. This case Saturday is
 the only case of arbitration we
 have ever known of, as we are
 able to recall. Can three men
 not decide right as easily as six
 or twelve? Where there are but
 three jurors there will be no
 hung juries. It seems to us that
 the reason so many people appeal
 to the higher courts for decisions
 is that they do not want justice

but they want a favorable court
 decision instead.

In cases of mere misunder-
 standings, as it was in the case
 of our men here Saturday,
 where both parties are willing
 to do right, the arbitration
 court is the cheapest and best.
 Why do we not use this court
 more?

When a man wants a court
 decision which he knows is not
 due him, he seeks the aid of
 the best attorney he can find
 that through his skilful effort
 justice might be hidden and an
 acceptable decision be given
 him instead. A jury composed
 of ordinary men, and this class
 of men are usually chosen to de-
 cide all cases in court, has very
 little chance to see the facts
 in the case when the able coun-
 cil on either side makes both
 sides look equally plausible.
 This reminds us of the following
 question and answer we heard
 long time ago. "What is a jury."
 A jury is twelve men who have
 been impaneled to determine
 who has the smartest lawyer.

If it is justice you are seeking
 let us use the arbitration court.
 It is just as good as any and a
 lot cheaper.

Not Ready for Use

Patty, age four, was visiting her
 grandmother and had been making
 the rounds of the poultry houses.
 She was much interested in the ap-
 pearance of each brood. On their
 last trip, grandmother lifted the
 setting hen off one of the nests and
 disclosed a newly hatched chick, not
 yet dry. "Oh, that one's not done
 yet," said Patty.

What Nuciform Eden Is

Upon leaving Hollywood, Louis-
 sherwin, remarked, "I am glad to
 say farewell to a city where the in-
 habitants know only one word of
 two syllables, 'fil-lum'." Louis-
 speaks of Hollywood as "that para-
 dise of the nuciform brain." A
 dictionary which weighs ten pounds
 says that "nuciform" means "shaped
 like a nut."—Capper's Weekly.

Mr. J. E. Blakey is the re-
 presentative of the Texas
 Electric Service Company
 in Hermleigh.

For any information about
 electric light service call
 Mr. Blakey at Snyder, Tex-
 as. Phone No. 235 or at his
 home, Phone No. 312.

Dr.

W. H. Ward.

Physician and Surgeon.
 PHONE

Office 3 Res. 2
 Hermleigh Texas

THE

SLIGH GROCERY

For Your Supply of

Groceries

Service at All Times

Tailored Clothes Look
 Best and Wear Longer

Cleaning and Pressing Given
 SPECIAL ATTENTION

Werner's Tailor Shop



Eyes Scientifically Tested
 and
 Glasses Fitted

Are you sending your whole child to school? They may have
 some Eye Defect that causes them to lag in their studies.

Office over H. G. Towle Phone No.
 Snyder National Bank 465

Odom Undertaking Co.

Ambulance Day or Night.

Office Phone 84, Night Phone 94

Snyder, Texas

Constant Effort Is a Vital
 Part of Electric Service

DAY in and day out, your electric service
 continues unfalteringly, yet how often
 do you consider the constant effort that must
 be made to keep this service up to the high
 ideal set by this company? You know that
 electricity is always available at the snap of
 a switch, but do you know that engineers
 work in shifts twenty-four hours a day to
 keep the huge generators operating, that pa-
 trolmen are making regular inspection of
 high voltage transmission lines to find any
 possible defect that will affect your service
 and that linemen are ready at an instant's
 notice to restore the flow of electricity should
 anything interrupt the service that you have
 learned to depend upon?

You may not have an opportunity to ob-
 serve this constant effort, but remember that
 it is only a part of our many-sided work in
 providing electric service to you.

Texas Electric Service Co.

BIGGER, BETTER CHEVROLET

BIGGEST VALUE IN ANY AUTOMOBILE
 ON THE MARKET

DRENNON AND McQUAID, HERMLEIGH

YODER-ANDERSON MOTOR CO.
 SNYDER, TEXAS

COMMUNITY FAIR

HERMLEIGH TEXAS

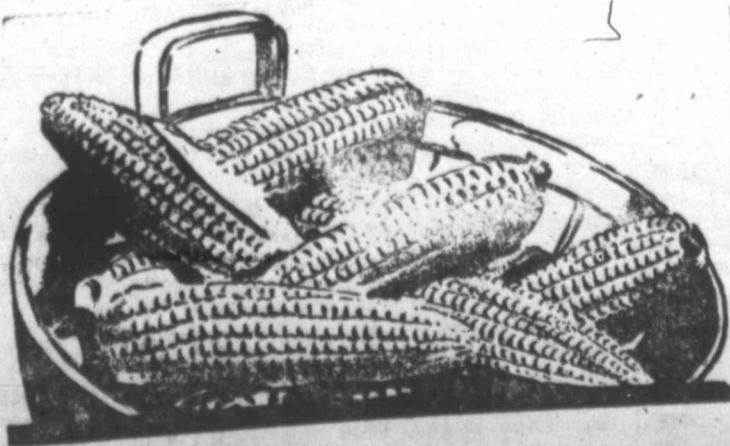
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 15th

Every Body Is To Have a Part In This Fair. Be Ready.

HOME ECONOMICS EXHIBITS



Mrs. W. R. Terry will have charge of this department. We are expecting great things from our 4-H Club boys and girls. This department will be one of the finest departments of the Fair. The club boys and girls will get in touch with Mrs. Terry right away.



BEETS FOR SALE: Come at once—FARRIS STEVENSON.

Mrs. B. D. Smith is in the Hospital at Abilene, from an operation.

GLASSES FITTED—Permanent ly located. Work all guaranteed See—T. N. MIMS.

Louis Seale and family, Clarence and Mrs. Newby spent Sunday in the Raymond Seale home at Fluvanna.

Mr. Louis Seale is sport new Ford car.

FOR SALE—Several pieces of slightly used sheetrock Call at HERALD OFFICE.

Mrs. K. B. Rector and girls returned from the Methodist camp near Plainview, Texas this week.

Miss Zoleta Mobley returned home from Ft. Worth Sunday.

Mr. Snider and family are visiting their daughter and sister in an eastern county this week.

Mr. Roe Roson made bus call at the Seale home Monday night. Jess Allen made call at the same home Tuesday.

R. C. Watts knows how to grow the best flavor into peas. The editor is eating some of them. Thanks Mr. Watts.

Walter Woods and family will leave this week for the plains where they will visit with relatives.

Misses Opal and Edna visited Miss Lula Mae Seale Sunday night.

Miss Oretta Slater was married last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Galloway Tuesday for Jones County with their daughter who is

CO-OPERATION

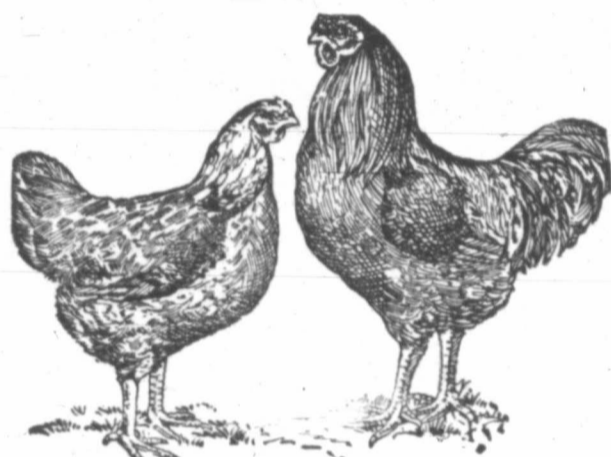
We want our business to be helpful to you that in turn you may be helpful to us.



Eyes Scientifically Tested and

POULTRY EXHIBITS

Ross Williams, Chairman



It is thought that this will be the very most popular department of the Fair. The poultry industry is the coming industry of the middle west. California has few advantages over us.

You will get in touch with Mr. Williams concerning exhibits in this department. See him now.



SMITH SPEECH IS PROGRESSIVE, HUMAN, STAND

Democratic Nominee Pledges Self to Administration for Benefit of All the People.

AGRICULTURAL PROBLEM TO GET PROMPT ACTION

Will Enforce Dry Law, Stamp Out Corruption and Recommend Changes to Congress—Promises Honest Tariff.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 22.—Before an immense throng which gathered to hear his first pronouncement on the issues of the Presidential campaign, Governor Alfred E. Smith accepted the Democratic nomination for President here tonight in an address which was as progressive in character as it was courageous in its terms.

Governor Smith pledged himself and his party to the restoration of honesty in government; to the promotion of a real prosperity for the whole people through actual rather than fancied economies and reorganization in government and the enactment of sound tariff legislation; to the establishment of a foreign policy opposed to unwarlike intervention in Latin-American countries and for the outlawry of war; and to the stamping out of corruption in prohibition enforcement.

The Democratic candidate placed himself squarely on record for farm relief and promised to call together the best informed minds among farmers, business men and economists immediately following the election to devise a practical plan for the control of surplus crops for submission to Congress at the beginning of his administration.

"Upon the steps of this Capitol where twenty-five years ago I first came into the service of the state, I receive my party's summons to lead it in the nation," said Governor Smith in accepting his party's call. "Within this building I learned the principles, the purposes and the functions of government and to know that the greatest privilege that can come to any man is to give himself to a nation which has reared him and raised him from obscurity to be a contender for the highest office in the gift of its people.

"With a gratitude too strong for words and with humble reliance upon the aid of Divine Providence, I accept your summons to a wider field of activity."

He sounded the keynote of his entire address when he said:

Constructive Government

"Government should be constructive, not destructive; progressive, not reactionary."

"I am entirely unwilling to accept the old order of things as the best unless and until I become convinced that it cannot be made better," he continued.

"It is our new world theory that government exists for the people as against the old world conception that the people exist for the government," he said.

The candidate reaffirmed his belief in the soundness of "deliberate action

to the voters in New York State and added:

"That direct contact with the people, I propose to continue in this campaign and, if I am elected, in the conduct of the nation's affairs."

He said he would strive to make the nation's policy a reflection of the nation's ideals. Cleveland's phrase, "Public office is a public trust," now takes on new meaning, he said.

"The Republican party today stands responsible for the widespread dishonesty that has honeycombed its administration," Governor Smith asserted. The Governor attacked the claim of Republican prosperity.

"The Republican party builds its case upon a myth," he said.

Four million men out of work, whole industries prostrate and widespread business discontent do not spell prosperity, he continued.

"Prosperity to the extent that we have it is unduly concentrated and has not equitably touched the lives of the farmer, the wage-earner and the individual business man," said Governor Smith.

Republican leaders have tried to divert attention from the real situation by a propaganda of governmental economy, he asserted.

The Republican party promised reorganization of the government, he said, yet after seven years the structure was worse than it was in 1921.

Governor Smith pointed to the increase in federal appropriations, a fact which, he said, the official statistics answer only. "We have an economical administration," he asserted that there is no proof.

Governor Smith declared:

After giving a summary of the government's program, he pointed out that the claim of tax reductions that were actually \$24,000,000 more federal taxes collected last year than in the first year of the Coolidge Administration.

It is not economy to refuse to make necessary expenditures to provide facilities for the transaction of government business, he said, pointing out that scarcely a city in the country has adequate quarters for federal business at the present time.

Anticipating Republican misrepresentation of the Democratic party's position on the tariff, Governor Smith declared:

No Business Upheaval

"The Democratic party does not and under my leadership will not advocate any sudden or drastic revolution in our economic system which would cause business upheaval or popular distress.

"The Democratic party stands squarely for the maintenance of legitimate business and a high standard of wages for American labor.

"Pay no attention to the Republican propaganda and accept my assurance as the leader of our party that Democratic tariff legislation will be honest," he declared. "It will play no favorites. It will do justice to every element in the nation."

He said foreign policy has its roots in the approval of the majority of the people and that he regarded it as a paramount duty to keep alive the interest of the people in questions of foreign policy and to advise the electorate as to facts. He promised to stress the necessity for restoration of cordial relations with Latin-America. The Republican administration has signally failed in its endeavor to remove the causes of war, he continued. "I pledge myself to a resumption of a real endeavor to make the outlawry

of war effective by removing its causes and to substitute the methods of conciliation, conference, negotiation, and judicial determination," he declared.

The President has two duties with respect to the prohibition question, he said.

"The first is embodied in his oath of office," he went on. "If with one hand on the Bible and the other hand reaching up to Heaven, I promise the people of this country that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States and to the best of my ability preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States, you may be sure that I shall live up to that oath to the last degree.

"I shall to the very limit execute the pledge of our platform to make an honest endeavor to enforce the 18th amendment and all other provisions of the Federal Constitution and all laws enacted pursuant thereto."

The Governor promised "ruthlessly to stamp out" the present corruption in prohibition enforcement.

"Such conditions cannot and will not exist under any administration presided over by me," he asserted.

Continuing, he said:

"The second constitutional duty imposed upon the President is to recommend to the Congress such measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient."

"I shall advise the Congress in accordance with my constitutional duty of whatever changes I deem necessary or expedient. It will then be for the people and the representatives in the national and state legislatures to determine whether these changes shall be made."

"I believe in temperance," he continued. "We have not achieved temperance under the present system. The mothers and fathers of young men and women throughout this land know the anxiety and worry which has been brought to them by their children's use of liquor in a way which was unknown before prohibition. I believe in reverence for law. Today disregard of the prohibition laws is indelicately disrespectful for all law. I raise, therefore, what I profoundly believe to be a great moral issue involving the righteousness of our national conduct and the protection of our children's morals."

The remedy is to be found in the fearless application of Jeffersonian principles, he continued, to allow for different habits and customs of different parts of the country.

"Some immediate relief would come from an amendment to the Volstead law giving a scientific definition of the alcoholic content of an intoxicating beverage," he said. "The present definition is admittedly inaccurate and unscientific. Each state would then be allowed to fix its own standard of alcoholic content, subject always to the proviso that that standard could not exceed the maximum fixed by the Congress.

"I believe, moreover, that there should be submitted to the people the question of some change in the provisions of the 18th amendment. Certainly, no one foresaw when the amendment was ratified the conditions which exist today of bootlegging, corruption and open violation of the law in all parts of the country. The people themselves should, after this eight years of trial, be permitted to say whether existing conditions should be rectified. I personally believe in an amendment to the 18th amendment which would give to each individual

referendum popular vote of its people the right wholly within its borders to import, manufacture or cause to be manufactured and sell alcoholic beverages, the sale to be made only by the state itself and not for consumption in any public place."

"Our Canadian neighbors," he said, "have gone far in this matter to solve this problem by the method of sale made by the state itself and not by private individuals."

Saloon Won't Return

"There is no question here of the return of the saloon. When I stated that the saloon is and ought to be a defunct institution in this country I meant it, I mean it today. I will never advocate or approve any law which directly or indirectly permits the return of the saloon."

"This country cannot be a healthy, strong, economic body if one of its Republican administrations is elected for the month of last year instead of taking leadership in this important work."

"The money actually appropriated for flood relief is too small to make even a start," Governor Smith asserted. "Too much time has been spent in squabbling over who shall pay the bill."

Governor Smith pledged himself to a progressive, liberal conservation policy based upon the same principles to which I have given my support in the State of New York," and to fight against selfish aggression "wherever it appears and irrespective of whom it may involve."

"The sources of water power must remain forever under public ownership and control," he said.

Benefits flowing from the development of water power as an incident to the regulation of the Colorado River should be "equitably distributed among the states having right of ownership," Governor Smith declared.

It would be the policy of his administration to develop a method of operation for Muscle Shoals which would reclaim for the government some fair revenue from the enormous expenditure already made, he said.

Red tape and autocratic bureaucracy should be brushed aside in caring for veterans in distress, Governor Smith said. Likewise, he said he would continue his sympathetic interest in the advancement of progressive legislation for working men and women, the proper care of maternity, infancy and childhood, and the encouragement of activities which advance public health.

His Labor Policy

Turning to the labor question, Governor Smith said:

"The reasonable contentment of those who toil with the conditions under which they live and work is an essential basis of the nation's well-being. The welfare of our country, therefore, demands governmental concern for the legitimate interest of labor."

In conclusion the governor said in part:

"I pledge a complete devotion to the welfare of our country and our people. I place that welfare above every other consideration and I am satisfied that our party is in a position to promote it. To that end I here and now declare to my fellow countrymen, from one end of the United States to the other, that I will dedicate myself with all the power and energy that I possess, to the service of our great republic."

members, so far as that, together with agriculture, is also almost to the point of coronation," said Governor Smith, taking up the subject of farm relief.

The Republican administration made many promises of legislative aid the farmer, but has kept none of them, he continued.

"The tariff is ineffective on commodities of which there is export surplus without controlled export surplus," said Governor Smith. "Our platform points the way to make tariff effective for crops of which produce a surplus."

"Co-operative, coordinated marketing and warehousing of surplus products is essential just as organized, co-operative control of the of capital was found necessary regulation of our country's finances."

"Our platform declares for the development of co-operative marketing and an earnest endeavor to solve the problem of the distribution of the of dealing with crop surpluses the marketed unit of the crop producers are benefited by such assistance. Only the mechanics of to be devised. I propose to substitute action for inaction and friendliness hostility. In my administration government of my state, when was confronted with a problem of character, I called into conference those best equipped on the part subject in hand. I shall follow course with regard to agriculture. Farmers and farm leaders will constructive aid as will come sound economists and fair leaders of finance and business work out the details. There are plans for the attainment of end which is to be accomplished plans should be subjected at a searching, able and fair-minded analysis, because the interests of require that the solution shall be economically sound."

Will Call Conference

Governor Smith then promised to summon an agricultural conference to work out the solution, saying:

"If I am elected, I shall immediately after election ask leaders of type I have named, irrespective of party, to enter upon this task. I join with them in the discharge of their duties during the coming and present to Congress immediately upon its convening the solution commended by the body of men fitted to render this signal service to the nation. I shall support the activities of this body until a satisfactory law is placed upon the books."

On the subject of transportation Governor Smith said he believed encouraging the construction and modern highways to carry the haul of small bulk commodities aid in marketing farm products.

Also of great importance, he said, the development of transportation waterways, which are still highly undeveloped state.

Linked with waterways development is the control of floods, the error said. He declared that the

and Mrs. Cl... Abilene who... their body, li... the care of a... He has been

James Ammon... in Gree...

Vivian Hale... a visitor with... Jim Kemp, d...

and Mrs. G... dinner guests... Campbell.

and Mrs. J... game at Ro...

Henderson... Sunday with... and Mrs. E... Cummings... were cal...

BEETS FOR SALE: Come at once—FARRIS STEVENSON.

FOR SALE—Several pieces of slightly used sheetrock Call at HERALD OFFICE.

Notice of Opening

I have re-modeled my business building and will open anew right away. Watch for opening announcement.

W. W. Earley



MEN WHO SMOKE KNOW WHAT THEY WANT

Men have learned from experience that the 'kick' of the smoke is in having what they want just when they want it. We can meet the demands of taste for Smoking.

The Hermleigh Pharmacy

"Your Place to trade"

Mr. and Mrs. Reece and family are visiting with friends and relatives in Van Zant county this week.

BIG SULPHUR

Our farmers are all busy killing weeds and grass and counting 'boll worms' while the weather is fair this week.

The Rev. Robertson filled his regular appointment here last Sunday. The attendance at Sunday school was good. We are glad to see so many young people coming into the Sunday school. We invite every one to come and have a part in the Sunday school. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. We should be glad to see a good attendance at these meetings. There were quite a good many of our people who attended the baptismal service at Dunn Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jossie Mahoney was a dinner guest in the Allen home Sunday. The evening hour was devoted to singing. A goodly number were present and all of whom reported a good time.

Messrs Boscom Vaughn and Silius Bivins visited in Fisher county Sunday evening.

Mr. Bullard and family are visiting kinspeople in East Texas this week.

The singing school will begin here next Monday. All who are interested be sure and attend Sunday school Sunday where definite announcement will be made concerning it.

B. Y. P. U.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Subject - Love Unfailing.

Leader - Lora Leslie.

Quiz - Mrs. Curb.

I. Words Without Love Fail - Vesta Banta.

II. Love will find its Own words - Mary E. Blackburn.

III. Prophecy without Love fails - Bill Etheredge.

IV. Faith without Love fails - Mrs. Morgan.

V. Works without Love fails - Mrs. Curb.

VI. Love is Unfailing - Sam Houston.

Vocal Solo -

Piano Solo - Mrs: Curb.

Quartette -

Tom Weaver, we have noticed, is one of the goodly number who are in regular attendance at the revival meeting in progress here. Weaver seems to be enjoying the fine sermons very much. "Dad Parker" as we know him, is also enjoying the goodthings of the religious season.

European Divisions

Europe is divided into 32 states including Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Finland, Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia, Russia, Poland, Germany, Holland, Belgium, France, Switzerland, Luxemburg, Lichtenstein, Monaco, Andorra, Spain, Portugal, Italy, San Marino, Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Rumania, Yugo-Slavia, Albania, Greece, Bulgaria and Turkey and the "free city" of Danzig. Before the war there were only 25 states, including Montenegro, now a part of Yugo-Slavia.

Calls for Driving Skill

Racing from the second basement to the seventh story of a Paris garage, on the outer-ramps used to transport cars from one level to another, gave French drivers a chance to test their skill and the flexibility of their autos recently, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. The course also had curves which were rounded at high speed showing the efficiency of the small car, as compared with larger ones.

London's Privilege

A privilege which belongs to the city of London is that its maces and its swords may be carried upright. This privilege was granted to the city in 1354, and where other corporations slope their maces and their swords, the city maces may be carried upright and the city swords generally are so borne, in the same way as the state sword is borne before the king as an emblem of sovereignty.

PRINT SHOP FABLES



WELL, FOLKS, YOU'RE GETTING OUT SUCH A GOOD PAPER, I'VE SIMPLY GOT TO COME IN AND TELL YOU ABOUT IT.

The Good Fellow breezes into the Shop when the Force is Weary, with Words of cheer. He is a Tonic and as Welcome as the Flowers in May. The Good Fellow is a Booster for the Paper, and Nothing but Praise shall ever Appeal about Him in the Paper.

Not Good Fuel

* Sir Gilbert Parker records that when he mentioned to his publisher the remark of Lord Rosebery to the effect that most of the books on the average library shelves should be burned, the publisher replied: "It is the authors who should be burned." That was a nasty one for the novelist who, however, rose to the occasion by retorting: "Judging by your share of the profits, your authors are too green to burn."

CO-OPERATION

We want our business to be helpful to you that in turn you may be helpful to us.

FIRST STATE BANK HERMLEIGH, TEXAS

STORE CLOSED SATURDAY September 15th ACCOUNT OF JEWISH HOLIDAY

Economy Dry Goods CO

The Price Is The Thing

HENRY ROSENBERG, Mgr.

South Side Square

SNYDER, TEXAS

Locals

INADALE

Mrs. Cleckler have to Abilene where they will their baby, little Darwin the care of a baby specialist. He has been ill several

James Ammons is visiting in Greenville this

Vivian Hale from Bronte a visitor with her sister Jim Kemp, one day last

Mrs. Giles were six dinner guests of Mr. and Campbell.

Mrs. Juar attended game at Roscoe Sunday.

Henderson and children Sunday with Mrs. Camp-

Mrs. Walters and from Sagerton are of Mrs. Elsie Stahl, their and sister this week.

Comings and daughter were callers Tuesday

afternoon with Mrs. Giles.

Mesdames Cranfill and Ammons visited with Mrs. Bennett Saturday afternoon.

Lumberman C. S. Suddath and Mr. George Neithercutt were in Sweetwater Friday on business.

Mesdames Nix and Buckner and two Misses Jones were callers at Mrs. Giles Friday.

Mrs. Ammons and daughter Elizabeth were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cranfill Thursday.

Mrs. Longly is visiting her son Herbert Longly and family at Lubbock this week.

Mesdames Gladys Hagerton and Annie Ward spent Thursday night and Friday with their brother E. V. Griffith.

Mrs. Standifer and daughter Francis, with Miss Jergen were guests with Mrs. Standifer's father, Mr. Longly, Thursday night. They were enroute to Lubbock, where they will visit with relatives and friends. Mr. Longly accompanied them.

Mrs. Bennett and family from Lockney spent Tuesday night of last week with her son Mr. J. A. Bennett.

SALE: Con

STEVENSON.

Several pie

sheetrock C

ICE

Community Fair September 15th.

GLASSES FITTED—Permanent
ly located. Work all guaranteed
See—T. N. MIMS.

The ladder of life is full of
spinters but we never feel them
untill we begin to slip down.

THE PRICE

IS THE THING

We both sell and Guarantee
the Highest Quality Foods

GET OUR PRICES

Where Your Trade Is
APPRECIATED

Fargason Bros.

HARDWARE GROCERIES

School Children

Mothers will find that it is
less worry and cheaper to buy
their children's school lunches
from us.

We also carry a nice line of
School Supplies, and shall be
glad to fill your order for fresh
GROCERIES.

Gleastine Bros.

"Where You Like To Trade"

COTTON 90 PER CENT FAILURE

Careful inspection of the
Scurry county cotton crop dis-
closes the fact that, so far as
matured cotton is concerned,
the 1928 crop is a 90 per cent
failure. The prospects for the
few weeks margin look exceed-
ing slim owing to the rage of
boll and square worms. It is be-
ing literally tripped in places. It
is estimated there will be as little
as 15 per cent of an average crop
made here which is 15 per cent
of one fourth of a bale per acre.
It will require from 15 to 20 acres
to the bale, according to what
can now be seen.

STUDIO OPENS MONDAY

Miss Ollie Coston will open
her expression and physical
training studio Monday Sept. 3.
It is fortunate for us that one
of our own young ladies whom
we all know is to have charge of
this phase of our educational
work this year. Miss Coston
needs no commendation to the
people of Hermleigh school dis-
trict.

The New Testament League
has been some what hindered in
its work of late but will begin
anew since the close of all the
summer revivals. Let every
Leaguer watch for further notice
—President.

LEAGUE PROGRAM

1. The Rich and the Poor - Opal Gleastine.
 2. The Problem of Education - Mr. F. A. Werner.
 3. The Problem of the Unemployed - James Hudson.
 4. Our Duty is at Home - Ollie Coston.
 5. A Few Things to Think On - Brents Norman.
- League Benediction.
Subject - The Christian Con-
cern for Toilers.
Leader - Farris Stevenson.
Song -
Scripture Reading - Mark 6:3
Prayer -
Song -

FARMS WANTED. We have
several prospective buyers for
improved farms. List yours
with us. We may sell it next
day.—Louder Realty Co.

FURNITURE. We have dining
table, chairs and few other arti-
cles of furniture for sale.—J. J.
Henry.

WASHER—Second hand Otto
Electric Washing machine in
good repair. Will sell worth the
money.—W. T. Smith at May
Tag Shop, Snyder.

Misses Hallie and Johnie
Watson who have been attend-
ing summer school at San Mar-
cos and Lubbock, are home for
a few weeks.

Our good friend Mr. Caffey
brought in a sack of roasting
ears Wednesday and presented
them to the editor. There is
nothing better than roasting ears
or a good friend who would bring
them to us. Thanks, Mr. Caf-
fev.

Don't forget the singing class
meet at the First Baptist Church
Sunday afternoon. Be on the
ground. A good time for every
body.

W. W. Early has remodded his
business building and is equip-
ping for a larger business. The

building has a splendid appear-
ance both in side and out. Mr.
Early has not made public his
plans as yet but, judging from
the amount of money spent in
this re-construction, he has a
surprise for the business con-
cerns of town. His plans he will
announce later, he says.

Messrs Joe Roemisch
Rufus Mize and families
an automobile trip to W
Falls this week. Mr. Mize
he feels better over our
prospects since returning.

Mr. Frank Gibbs, brother
our own Mesdames C. B.
H. T. Gleastine, is visiting
this week.

Mr. Lucian Davis, and
of Gatesville spent part of
week visiting in the C. B. G.
tine home.

Mrs. W. H. Ward was
to Paris, late last week.
parents there are very feel

Rev. C. A. Jones and
visited their daughter,
Warren Chorn here last week

Mrs. J. J. Henry's father
mother Mr. and Mrs. McMu
and a Mrs. Rhodes are vis
her this week.

"We must sometimes da
do; but the power for go
not in the 'dare', it is in the

TWINE

We have just received a large
shipment of McCormick Deer-
ing twine. Let us supply your
needs.

We also have a large assort-
ment of maize knives.

Get ready for that feed crop.

We Also Handle
New Perfection Oil Stoves,
Guns, Ammunition, Kitchen
ware, Crockery and all
kinds of Hardware.

Higginbotham
-Bartlett Co.

"The Best of Everything to Build Any Thing"