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MAN HAS GONE WRONG

The conclusion of the Farm meeting at Snyder Saturday afternoon President Stokes, who had driven his message to the hearts of all present, sought by slight of hand to get a unanimous vote of bearing patiently the organization at this crisis in its life, said: "Yesterday when I closed my eyes at Lubbock, I asked if there was a single person who would be granted release from his contract with the organization to stand up. A fellow of no doubt was an absolute character stood up and asked that he might be released from the contract. Being an undesirable citizen by the unanimous vote of the hundred men, was turned out of the organization. Now, gentlemen, this is the way men in places are staying behind the organization. This lone man certainly will have its effect for good among good men such as you."

Stokes had hardly resumed his seat when Ross Williams stood up and said: "Mr. Stokes let me say that this man was the most desirable citizen in all Scurry County. I assure you he is no lower in the estimation of humanity than I. If the organization is too good for me, it is too good for me." Stokes was interrupted at this point by Walter Moore who said: "Stokes, knowing Mr. Williams, I do, and knowing that his statements are absolutely true, I move you that he be released from membership in the organization." Immediately after this was followed by Earl Moore who, addressing the assembly, said: "Stokes, I safely vouch for Mr. Moore's statement. Mr. Williams, and secondly, I move you that he be released from membership in the organization."

The motion was put before the assembly and carried unanimously. Williams is no longer a member of the Farm Bureau. Certainly the market for a little "Bullish" if the Bureau men are beginning to get of excommunication.

HAVE MUSIC CLASS

W. R. Curb is beginning a musical technique. She has four years experience in voice completing her course at Columbia Conservatory of Music in Dallas.

KINDERGARTEN SCHOOL STARTED NICELY

The kindergarten, under the management of Mrs. Charles Adams, opened with good attendance Monday morning. The 'kiddies' were much tickled at their opportunity to enter school. The kindergarten, properly conducted, is of great value to child life. The main period of character formation in child life is the first eight years. This has been well attested. Unless there is the proper training in the home, which is rarely the case, children had better be in kindergarten. Unfortunately the average home is too badly crowded with social, business and domestic affairs to give child training the necessary attention.

COTTON CROP LARGELY FAILURE THIS YEAR

It doesn't require the skill of a genius to see that the 1928 cotton crop in Scurry County is very largely a failure. It was a failure at the beginning. It has had every difficulty the cotton farmer knows to fear, to labor against, and it is still blooming.

This week in fields where the plant is any size they are white with blooms. Some fields are as pretty as one would want to see them the first of August. However, even now, in some fields, the stalks seem inclined to lean over as if bolls were growing near the top and on the ends of limbs. Whether they can reach maturity before they are overtaken by nature's chief general "frost" gets them or not, is the risk which is ours to take. However, so long as there is life, is the re-advance, just as it may sometimes seem.

"SLIPS TURNIPS"

Last Friday Dr. Ward stole his way into Tom Saunders' turnip patch, returning with a Ford load of fine turnips as are commonly grown in any country. He said Tom not only had a good crop of all other farm products, but also has a good cotton crop. The Dr. thinks Saunders will make a half bale per acre. The fellow who beats Saunders is the leading cotton grower here this year, the Dr. said.

Just received, fresh car of La France and Cotton White Flour and meal. Fargason Bros.



MEMBERS NOW FIX PRICES ON COTTON IN FARM BUREAU

A new Farm Bureau contract, giving the member the privilege of naming the day upon which he desires the base price of his cotton fixed, has been approved by the Board of Directors of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, and is now in effect. This information was received in Hermleigh today by W. W. Porter, field service representative. The new contract he said, also gives the member privilege of cancellation at two year intervals, and in addition to the price fixation pooling plan, still retains the regular seasonal pool.

"Cotton shipped by the member to the price fixation pool in the future can now be sold and the price fixed at any time designated by the member," Mr. Porter said, assuring members practically complete settlement at any specified time. This assurance will now enable the member to make his financial arrangements along definite plans, and the new contract from this view should also prove of more unanimous endorsement and approval on the part of business interests.

"Under the new plan," Mr. Porter stated, "the membership pooling cotton to the price fixation pool draws the regular authorized advance, and when he fixes the price on his cotton practically a complete settlement is made with him as soon as his cotton is weighed and classed." It is, in fact, he said, the present marketing agreement of the Association made more liberal. Mr. Porter is highly enthusiastic over the new features and states that in his mind deliveries to the cotton cooperative marketing association in the future will show a tremendous increase. The new plan, he stated, "removes factors which in the past have retarded a greater growth." The price fixation pooling plan, it was said, is now in effect in all of the various state cotton cooperative marketing associations where it has been highly acceptable on the part of the membership and the public generally, as well as effective in increasing deliveries to the channels of cooperative marketing.

ACTIVITIES OF 4-H CLUB GIRLS

The 4 H. club girls all over the country are doing extra ordinary work this year, as was shown by the splendid work exhibited at the recent County Fair at Snyder.

The Hermleigh girls are doing a fine work, since four of the eight selected to go to the State Fair at Dallas, were members of the Hermleigh club.

The following are the girls who will represent Scurry county at the Fair: Eva Crabtree, of Ira; Dava Davis, of Union; Esther Fambro of Loyd Mt. and Irene Crumley, Ben Stevenson, Agnes Early and Farris Stevenson of Hermleigh.

These girls represent each of the four years of work, while three of them have entered the College Scholarship contest.

The girls are enthusiastic about the trip and about the work for the coming year and here's hoping that next years work will be even better than this years.--Club Reporter.

MRS. SAM WILSON

We regret to report the death of our dear friend and neighbor Mrs. Sam Wilson, who died at her home near Snyder the 24th, of Sept. Mrs. Wilson was born in Tennessee in 1856, and was married to Mr. Sam Wilson in 1876. She moved to Scurry County in 1883 where she has resided until her recent death.

Mother Wilson had been in declining health for some time but was cheerful and sweet even to the end. She was a faithful member of the Baptist Church where she has held membership from early girlhood days. She died as fearless as the saints of old. She leaves behind her six children four boys and two girls, all of whom were with her when the end came.

The funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Dunn at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Sept. the 25th, the Rev. McGaha of Snyder, conducting the service. The body was laid to rest by the side of her husband in the Dunn cemetery.

"There is a world above,
Where parting is unknown—
A whole eternity of love
Formed for the good alone.
And faith beholds the dying here
Translated to a happier sphere"
--By Lulamae Seale

erally, as well as effective in increasing deliveries to the channels of cooperative marketing.

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE "BIBLE"

1. How many books go to make the "Holy Bible?"
2. If you say "66" 39 in the Old Testament and 27 in the New Testament, how came the number limited to 66 and who had the authority to say just what books should have a place in the sacred "Cannon?"
3. How did we get our Bible?
4. Of what religious faith was the man or men who passed on the authenticity of the books of which make up the cannon of our Bible?
5. When was the Bible as we have it today in one volume consisting of 66 books, first given to the people?
6. If the Church at Colosse needed to read the epistle which was written to the church at Laodocia, may we not also need to read it and to add it to our cannon making 67 books instead of 66? If not, why not? See Col. 4:16.
7. What Bible would Al Smith kiss should he be elected and take the oath of office as president of the United State?

Mr. Editor: When you have answered these questions I have four more. Thanks in advance.
--Price Bankhead.

Elder Bankhead: Space forbids answering these queries, but since they deal with educational questions, we will publish a small pamphlet giving these historical facts, if interest shall justify. These questions and other similar ones are of vital interest to students of religious history.--Ed.

From Big Sulphur

Every body is invited to come out and help us with our Sunday School and Prayer Meeting.

Some of the people of this community have started to picking cotton.

Robert and Mrs. Martin, Clyde Lawton, and Mattie Jane Dacus have returned from Coleman County.

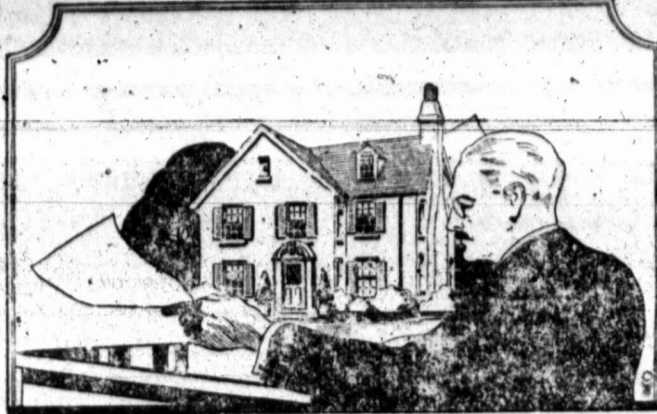
Miss Ruby McElhaney spent Saturday night with Miss Ruth Wright.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowlins, Saturday night was well attended and every body reported a fine time.

Bill and John Mahoney left for Winters, Texas Monday.

Miss Maggie Dacus is visiting her brother, Albert this week.

Locals



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Mrs. F. D. Mueller's grandmother Mrs. E. E. Garrett of Corpus Christi spent last week with her here.

H. O. Barbour and family of Mary Neal were in Hermleigh Sunday, visting relatives and friends.

Little Miss Francis Jane Hamil was in town early Monday evening, batting her pretty little eyes just like a "morning glory" at sunrise.

A. H. Robinson was in early Monday morning and renewed his subscription to the paper, saying: "I want you to continue the paper." Thanks to you, Mr. Robinson.

This kind of neighborly cooperation would make one want to stay in Hermleigh.

Good Bread is the foundation of every meal. LaFrance flour will solve your problem. Fargason Bros.

JERSEY BULL—I have a nice 9 months old Jersey Bull for sale cheap.—E. R. Jones.

NEW PICK UP



He—My new car has a wonderful "pick up."
She—Yeh! I saw you with a strange girl today.

Chilly Lake Michigan

Occasional periods of southwest winds in summer drive Chicago's sweltering population to the shore of Lake Michigan for comfort which they cannot get, because the same wind blows the surface water from the shore, replacing it with water from great depth at a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit, therefore colder than most spring water. The people who swelter in the hot air immediately above the lake cannot bathe in such chill waters.

The Rector and Mobley families spent the day out of town Sunday. It is not known where they spent the day, more than they carried lunch along and were gone all day. They were heard from down the line, but it was not learned just how many of them went in bathing while the "gentle north breezes blew."

It was not known that was a "g" at the dog's end till Kinneth Rector entered school this term. He was studying the word "dog" and noticed the last letter was a "g." He found a letter "g" in some paper and said to his mother, "Mother, this is at the end of a dog."

The Price Is The Thing.

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CHINA GROVE

Sunday School here Sunday morning was well attended, also B. Y. P. U.

The party at Pleasant Hill Saturday night was well attended and enjoyed by all.

The Fifth Sunday singing convention at Loraine Sunday afternoon was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Earl Brown and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Merket Sunday.

Mr. Lewis Seale and family spent Sunday in Colorado visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. Galloway had relatives from Sweetwater visiting them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newby spent Sunday with Mr. Lee Coles at Valley View.

Mrs. M. Bass of near Abilene has been visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Galloway last week.

Miss Lulamae Seale spent last week end with her brother at Fluvanna.

Mrs. Gladys Newby spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss Lorene Galloway.

We are sorry to report the death of our dear friend Mrs. Sam Wilson who died recently.

LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject: How Jesus Attracts Young People.

Leader: Mr. Werner.

Song.

Scripture Reading. John 12: 20-22

Prayer.

1. What is it in Jesus that attracts young people? Opal Gleastine.

2. Misrepresentations. Verda Coston.

3. The attractiveness of Jesus Miss Callis.

Benediction.

"Carry a smile of cheer along with you. Somebody'll like it."

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brought to the attention of the
management.

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

SEVEN YEARS OF FAMINE

Excavation in recent years
of the tomb of old "King Tut"
in Egypt, raises many
questions of history and practical
value. The ancient Egyptian
with whom commerce prob-
ably had its beginning, was a
central government. The prin-
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was the principle of central-
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operations began there so
that so far as is found there,
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centralizes one of these prin-
ciples. Joseph was made known
to his brothers in the event
of their going to Egypt for grain
during the great famine which
he foreseen some eight or ten
years before it became known as
such a condition. It was fore-
seen in this way. Pharaoh had
a dream. In the dream he saw
seven fat cows, and seven
struggling cows. While he
saw the seven poor kine swol-

period of seventy years in which
he personally remembered ten
just such conditions as prevailed
generally in the winter of '20 and
spring and summer of '21. The
principle of our cycle of seven
years held good with him. He
claimed he could trace the his-
tory of similar conditions back
through many years.
(to be continued.)

For Railway Signaling

A new kind of glass of a deep
orange color is intended as a third
color for railway signals. The idea
is to have a distant railway signal
that can be readily distinguished
by the driver on the footplate of an
engine. Light passing through this
glass has good penetration in foggy
air, and when modulated in color by
the fog tends to resemble the red
(danger) light.

On Planting of Fish

One reason why there isn't a suf-
ficient number of fish in the stream
is because our system of propaga-
tion is wrong. Planting fingerling
is a waste of time and money. In-
stead of releasing the trout when
they are too small to defend them-
selves against the larger fish, out-
riggermen should raise them until
they are five or six inches in length.

Ostrich Flocks Reduced

The ostrich plumage market cen-
tered around British Columbia has been
practically ruined by the change of
styles. Ostrich farmers have slaugh-
tered their flocks to the extent of
100,000 since 1914 and simi-
larly in many other places. If the old de-
mand for plumes of old variety was
not it could not be supplied. E.
Bang.

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TWIN BULLS

Earl Stevenson is rejoicing over the arrival of twin bull calves, born to his fine milk cow. The 'twain bulls' are both fine, Mr. Stevenson said.

'Browning' is among the country's best milk cows, she produces six gallons of milk and two pounds of butter per day, Mr. Stevenson further said.

J. L. and Mrs. Fargason and son J. L. Jr. visited the latter's grandmother in Canyon this week.

Mrs. Jim Kelley spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. A. J. Noles at Abilene, Mrs. Noles is attending school at A. C. C.

Mr. A. J. Noles of Rotan was here Sunday evening and took dinner with his wife's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Earley.

F. D. and Mrs. Mueller and Mrs. Garrett, who is visiting in their home, spent the day Sunday in Wind Gate. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. McGee of Loraine.

Mrs. R. B. Tucker returned home Sunday from a trip to Honey Grove and Paris.

Want Ads

NEATS FOOT OIL.—\$1.00 per gallon, while it lasts. This is a good buy in this oil. Wholesale price.

WASHING—I have moved to the Drennon house in the east part of town. Am still using my May Tag. Bring your washing to me for cheapest and best service. —Mrs. Sligh.

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JERSEY BULL.—I have a nice 9 months old Jersey Bull for sale cheap.—E. R. Jones.

"Master Toad"

Eastland has its famous 'Horned Frog' and so has the First State Bank of Hermleigh. A young horned toad has adopted the bank for its abode and is quite at home among the files or the cash. Anyone wishing to see our new pet may call by and we will look through our files or count our cash until we find him. We think that if he stays on deposit for 10 years at 4 per cent he will be worth \$1,000,000 Little Horned Toad.—L. Lewis.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH B. Y. P. U.

For October the 7th.

We will have a Sword Drill at the regular B. Y. P. U. hour Sunday evening. Come and bring your Bible. The hour is 7:00 o'clock. Mrs. Curb will be the Captain in charge.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH B. Y. P. U.

Devotional Meeting

Subject: I'll Be What You Want Me to Be.

Scripture. Rom. 10:10-17; John 3:16, 4:4-14. Josie Mahe.

Introductory. Marian Snowden.
Part 1. When the blast of war sounds. Zera Davis.

Part 2. Service, good and better. Naiden Gleastine.

Part 3. Young men and the ministry. Agnes Early.

Part 4. Consider the call to missions. Walon McMillan.

Part 5. Speak to the lost. Mrs. Keller.

Special Song. Fay Adams and Valene Leach.
Benediction.

Special For Saturday

With every \$10.00 purchase at our store Saturday, the 6th, will give FREE a beautiful 'Vinegar Set' composed of cruet and 6 glasses---cruet filled with fine apple vinegar. You will want this pretty set which will be given with each \$10.00 purchase Saturday.

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The 4--H Club girls will have an old time box supper at the school auditorium Friday night. All girls and ladies are invited to bring boxes, and all boys and men are invited to buy them.

Little Miss Elsie Pauline Vernon was a pleasant caller at the home of Ritta Jane Norman's last Saturday. Elsie Pauline is quite a little "Miss."

Dr. W. H. Ward has been sick this week.

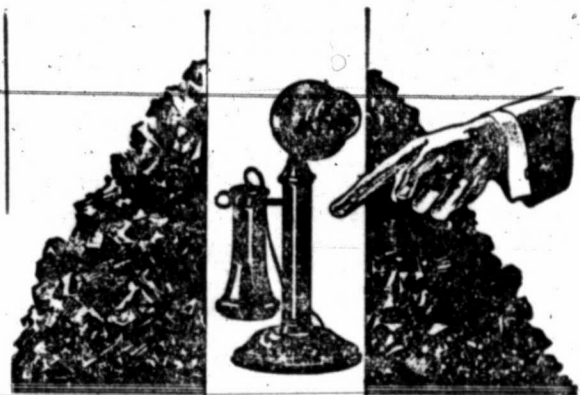
W. R. Bowlin of near Big Sulphur was in town today. Mr. Bowlin is not much elated over the prospect for cotton.

Melvin Vernon and Winn went fishing Saturday afternoon. The reason the party Lee never catches any fish is the fact that fish don't bite when the "Winn blows."

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller, William of Lubbock, Friday night with Dr. and Ward. They were enroute Paris, Texas.

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Mr. T. J. Lynch who has been in declining health for some time died September 30th.



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