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37 STUDENTS AWARDED CERTIFICATES IN RALLY HERE MONDAY NIGHT

Certificates of award, for being either absent nor tardy during the past school year, were awarded to 37 students of Floyd County rural schools Monday night. Awards were made and the exercises held at an all-county rally at the Floydada High School auditorium.

Price Scott, superintendent, was in general charge of the rally. Approximately 200 rural school patrons, parents and trustees were in attendance. Members of the county school board, speakers were seated on the stage. As Miss Jesse Merle Seogin, teacher at Lakeview, played the students to receive awards marched in and were seated directly in front of the stage.

Price Scott stated the purpose of the meeting saying that it was hoped that an annual rally of this nature would serve as an incentive to students to attempt to make a perfect attendance record. He said that the rally was the first of its kind ever held in the county.

W. E. Grimes, principal of the school at Sterley, led the audience and students in singing, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Rev. G. W. Tubbs, baptist circuit preacher, said the invocation. Rev. N. E. Tyler, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, read the scripture.

Members of the county school board present were presented and introduced by Mr. Scott. Olin S. Miller, of Center, E. C. Nelson, of Floydada, chairman, and G. L. Snodgrass, of Harmony, were the members of the county board who were present, the other members being unable to be here.

Greetings from the county school board were brought by E. C. Nelson. In this talk Mr. Nelson stated that the school board favored the presentation of certificates as a plan to get better attendance on the part of students and to create a desire for better accomplishments.

"The school board studies the problems of Floyd County schools carefully and attempt to do our best to improve the school systems in any manner possible," Mr. Nelson said. He has served on the county board several years.

Attended First School
J. T. McLain, now of Sandhill, told of the first school in Floyd County which was taught in 1888. The first school was at Della Plains and the teacher was a Miss Emma Lewis, of Crosby County. There were 15 children of scholastic age. Mr. McLain told of the first students in the school and several facts about it.

Two of the first trustees were: A. McCracken and J. S. McLain. He told of the second school which was taught by Col. W. M. Massie, now prominent in land interests and financing.

"Mr. Massie was the only man I ever know that taught school and operated a boarding house at the same time," Mr. McLain said.
Mr. Massie after having been introduced by Superintendent Scott gave a short talk and introduced the speaker of the evening, Claude V. Hall, of Commerce. Mr. Hall, who is now head of the history department of East Texas State Teachers College, formerly taught school in Floyd County during the pioneer days. He founded the first newspaper of the county.

Nelson Presents Awards
Mr. Nelson, chairman of the board, presented the certificates to the 37 students present. Superintendent Scott read the names of the students, with the school district which they were from.

Students eligible to receive certificates were as given below:

Irick—Mildred Shearer, Naomi Graham, J. H. Hanna, Jr., and Mary Edith Boyle; Pleasant Valley—Alvin Boatman; Pleasant Hill—Dillard Scott; Fairview—James Biggs, Jr., Bob Teal; Starkey—Leon Ferguson, Bill Ferguson and J. W. Permenter; Aiken—Fred and Glen Shelton.

South Plains—Faye Oliver, Juanita Smith, Floyd Jarigan, June West, Linnie Milton, Thelma Smith and Lillian Milton; Sandhill—Eugene Massie; Harmony—Aldine Williams and Larne Williams; Lakeview—Naomi Hodges, Dee Adams, C. A. Cass, Jr., Ona Ruth Wright and Vernon Wright; Center—Welborn Miller, Elnora Miller, Doris Jordan and Ruth Jordan.

Lone Star—R. L. Knox, Jr.; McCoy—Wynona Smith, Edward Smith

PICTURE AND CURIO DISPLAY SHOWS EARLY SCENES OF COUNTY

Early day scenes, photographs of county officials, first buildings and other pictures that bring back to pioneers fond recollections of the past were displayed during the pioneer reunion held in Floydada Monday.

Much interest was shown in the exhibit which was made in the masonic building on the west side of the square. Numerous photos of pioneer people, first bands, first choral clubs and an assortment collected from old settlers were shown. Many of the pioneers whose pictures are shown have as the old timer says, "crossed the great divide" but yet the memory is treasured by those who remain.

Waymon Finley Died Thursday Night at Smith & Smith Sanitarium

Waymon Finley, aged 20 years, died Thursday night at the Smith & Smith Sanitarium, following a brief illness. He underwent an operation ten days previous to his death and had been ill a short time before the operation for appendicitis.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Finley, three sisters and two brothers. The sisters are Mrs. J. C. Curray, of O'Donnell, Mrs. Lila Collum, of LeFors, Texas, and Miss Marie Finley, of Floydada. Brothers are John Finley, of Floydada, and Junior Finley, who is at home.

All of the family was present for the funeral, including Mr. Curray and the children and Mr. Collum.

An uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finley and son, of Vinson, Oklahoma, were also present for the services.

Waymon A. Finley was born in this county in Floydada, May 1, 1913, and grew to young man hood here. He was a former student of Floydada schools, finishing with the class of 1932. During his senior year Waymon was manager of athletics in the high school. He was active in Boy Scout work and was assistant scoutmaster of Troop 44. He was also a member of the First Methodist Church.

Since his graduation from high school Waymon had been employed at the Woody Drug Company of this city.

Services Held Friday
Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at four o'clock from the First Methodist church. Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the church, conducted.

Pallbearers, who were fellow scouts of Waymon when he was a scout troop 44 were under the direction of Scoutmaster W. A. Ground, as follows: Tom Deen, Jr., Edd Jordan, Reeves Scott, Kyle Glover, George Lee Henry and John Edward Smith.

Flower girls were: Folia Randonson, Clara Belle Yearwood, Lillie Blankenship, Maurine Hay, Lora Geneva Clay, Marcella Faulk, Lorena Denison, Mrs. Wayne Gound, Bert Ion Smith, Lora Blankenship, Eula Mae Gullion, and Louise Gound.

Interment was in the Floydada cemetery with arrangements in charge of Harmon's funeral directors assisted by Mrs. Maud Burrus.

Annual License Fee For Plumbers, Others Is Reduced by Council

In a meeting of the City Council last week an order passed reducing the annual license fee, for plumbers, gas and sewer installations in the city of Floydada.

The new license fee is \$2.00 per year. The rate was formerly \$25.00 per year for each of the three divisions.

and J. D. Blankenship; Baker—Lou Nelson; Blanco—Billy Daniel; Liberty—Dorothy Jess Smith; Joyce Chapel—Gene Beit; Campbell—Prairie Graves.

Sterley—Reba Gregg, Monte Gregg, Mann Gregg, Edith Grimes, Mary Valnette Claborn, Kenneth Claborn, Albert S. Martin, Jr., and Aileen Howard. Edith Grimes has been neither absent nor tardy for five consecutive years.

Elder J. J. Day, of Floydada, said the benediction following the singing of "The Eyes of Texas" by a portion of the group present.

PIONEERS PARADE DURING REUNION WAS INTERESTING

Men and women, Floyd County pioneers, arrayed in the dress of yesterday, marched through the streets of Floydada Monday afternoon as one of the outstanding features of this year's pioneer association reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilhoit, Floydada's oldest couple, headed the procession. Mr. Wilhoit is 101 years of age and she is 91. They have been married for more than 70 years.

Two indian chiefs came next, Chief Red Eagle and Chief Quannah Parker, better known locally as R. E. and Luther Fry, yelled and danced in true indian fashion. They were garbed in blankets, head dress and wore the war paint of the savages on the meeting path.

A local talent band followed, riding in a wagon, such as would have been the case in former days. They furnished the music for the grand parade.

Groups of pioneers, either in wagons, mounted on horses or on foot, came in the parade. Frank Moore experienced plenty of trouble in riding his bicycle, representing W. M. Massie in the pioneer days.

One pioneer couple, Geo. Fawver and Mrs. Jack Henry had considerable difficulty in keeping their three 'young'uns' under constant control. The kids insisted in rising from their chairs and waving madly at the crowd of onlookers.

A young 'courting' or 'sparking' couple, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Nelson, tripped gaily down the street, each deeply engrossed in the actions of the other.

Wild Man Captured

A wildman, caged and closely guarded, by John Maxwell and Roy Snodgrass, caused the crowd no small amount of anxiety for their safety. The wild man, played by Jim Meaco, Peak, was captured in the Blanco Canyon on the cage indicated.

Several others whose dress and actions recalled the early days followed. The largest crowd during the entire day witnessed the parade.

Senior Class Presents Gift in Class Day Exercises Friday Afternoon

Waldo Houghton, president, in behalf of the 1933 Senior Class of Floydada High School, presented the class gift to the school at the class day exercises held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The ceremonies were held at the High School auditorium.

Members of the faculty, parents of graduates and school patrons were in attendance at the class-day program. The graduates entered, wearing their caps and gowns, and were seated in a reserved section directly in front of the stage.

Lois Newsome, one of the graduating group gave a piano solo, after which O. T. Williams, high school principal, offered greetings to the graduates. Virgil Crawford, who is salutatorian of this year's class, read the class history.

Ma Belle Rasor read the class poem, "Class of '33". Other numbers were: Music, Lois Newsome, song, "America, the Beautiful", by the class.

Give Stage Furniture
Waldo Houghton, in his presentation of the class gift, which was a complete suit of stage furniture, said in part: "On behalf of the Senior Class of 1933 I wish to express our deepest appreciation for all the courtesies which have been extended to us by our high school faculty, school board, members of the other classes, and school patrons."

"As has been the custom in the past, we wish to leave our high school some remembrance as evidence of our appreciation for the many courtesies that have so kindly been extended to us.

"We take this opportunity, therefore, at this time in care to Floydada High School, in present of our Superintendent, Mr. A. D. Cummings, this stage furniture."

WILL RECEIVE DEGREE
Miss Eulalia Burrus, daughter of Mrs. Maud Burrus of Floydada, will receive her bachelor of science degree from West Texas State Teachers College Thursday of this week, in the graduation exercises.

Mrs. Burrus will attend the exercises.

Colleges End Spring Terms, Students Returning Home for Vacation

Students in colleges over the state from Floydada are returning home this week as the schools end the spring term of work. Several have already arrived while others will do so this week and next.

Among the schools that Floydada students are attending are: Wayland Baptist College, at Plainview, Texas; Technological College, at Lubbock; Baylor College at Belton, Baylor University, Simmons University, at Abilene, W. T. S. T. C., Canyon, A. C. C. at Abilene, T. W. C. at Fort Worth, and others.

O'DELL CHILDRESS, OF SOUTH PLAINS KILLED BY FALL FROM HORSE

O'Dell Childress, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Childress, of three miles northeast of South Plains, was instantly killed Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock when he was thrown from a horse.

The boy was riding home from his grandfather's, J. D. Childress, where he had been visiting, when the fatal accident occurred. He was riding west and meeting a car traveling east. The pony 'shied' at an old culvert lying in the road and jumped toward the center of the road and again toward the bar ditch, and slightly pitching. O'Dell was thrown from the animal, his head striking the ground.

Quickly swerving into the bar ditch and running through a fence the oncoming car barely missed the lad lying in the road. The last vertebrae in the boy's neck was dislocated and the right side of his head was crushed.

Buster Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, witnessed the accident from the porch of his home, as it occurred in the road directly in front of the house. He carried the boy to the J. D. Childress home and summoned physicians.

Services Held Monday
Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the First Baptist Church at South Plains. Rev. Weathers, of Lockney, conducted the rites. Arrangements were in charge of Boehm Bros. funeral directors of Silverton.

Pallbearers were: Carl Daniels, J. H. Carr, H. W. Martin, Leon Horn, Willard Pearson, Lee Pearson.

Flower girls were: Twillia Mae Phegley, Merle Lee Phegley, Joy Martin, Wadie Lee Watson, Lucille West, June West, Mary Jo Horn, Lillian Milton, and two nieces of Mrs. Childress, of Wayside.

Survivors are: three sisters, Brother, Joy and one other; one brother, Wayne. All are younger than O'Dell. The parents and the grandparents also survive. O'Dell was a student in the South Plains school, having finished the sixth grade this year. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Childress are pioneers of Floyd County.

Interment was in the Silverton cemetery following the services.

FLOYD COUNTY'S 25 MEN NOW IN GOVERNMENT TRAINING CAMPS

Floyd County's quota of 25 men who will be enlisted in the government reforestation work have left for government training camps for a period of physical training prior to leaving for reforestation camps. Two of the 25 went to Fort Sill in Oklahoma while the remaining number went to Fort Bliss at El Paso, Texas.

The men left last Thursday in the second group, 7 left Monday of this week and 6 Tuesday, completing the group from here. They went from Floydada to Lubbock where they were given an examination in the army recruiting station.

ELDER ALVA JOHNSON TO CONDUCT MEETING AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Elder Alva Johnson, of Turkey, Texas, will conduct a series of meetings for the Church of Christ, which is located on South Wall Street, beginning Thursday, August 17th, and extending over two Sundays.

The public is cordially invited to attend this series of meetings.

Mrs. Gene Collins is on her vacation from Martin's Dry Goods Company where she is employed as clerk.

57 Students Awarded Diplomas At Exercises Friday Evening

57 students were awarded diplomas in the Floydada High School commencement exercises held Friday evening at the Floydada High School auditorium at 8:30 o'clock. The graduation exercises Friday closed the 1932-33 school year for Floydada institutions.

As Mrs. E. C. Thomas played the processional the graduates entered the auditorium and marched to the stage. The seniors were dressed in caps and gowns, a custom that has been practiced for the past three years.

The stage was made attractive with decorations of crepe paper in the clear colors of pink, green and orchid and flowers.

Rev. W. H. Chatham, of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, said the invocation, which was followed by a song by the class.

Virgil Crawford, salutatorian, welcomed the parents and others and expressed appreciation on the part of the class to the Mrs. A. D. Cummings gave a violin solo.

The valedictory address was made by Miss Mary Anne Kimble who made an unusual record during her four years in high school. Mrs. Ed Bond sang a solo following.

An impressive commencement address was made by Dr. S. H. Condon, head of the West Texas State Teachers College history department. O. T. Williams, principal, made the honor awards at which time Miss Kimble and Virgil Crawford were given scholarships, the latter as honor boy.

A. D. Cummings, superintendent, awarded the diplomas of graduation as the students marched by. Mrs. E. C. Thomas played the recessional with the audience standing.

The high school auditorium failed to seat the large number of people who came for the exercises and many were turned away when the rooms became crowded to capacity. The parents occupied a special section directly in front of the stage.

PAULINE STRICKLAND RECOVERS JUDGMENT IN INJURY SUIT

Pauline Strickland, a minor, of near Aiken, was awarded judgment against W. H. Hennenhofer and National Tire Stores, Inc. for the sum of \$2,666.67, in Floyd County District Court this week.

The suit was on a personal injury which was sustained by the girl when in an auto accident.

Other cases settled this week in district court were as follows: Texie Amburn et al vs. J. H. Shurbet. Verdict for defendant, in the suit on real property.

J. P. Davidson vs. R. E. Patterson, suit on debt, judgment for plaintiff.

The case of Rock Island Plow Company vs. Williams is being tried today.

VEGETABLES FROM COMMUNITY GARDENS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO NEEDY

Vegetables from the community gardens, which will be located adjacent to the wells in the Starks addition in north Floydada, will be distributed to destitute families in Floydada.

The gardens, under the supervision of the local unemployment relief committee, will be grown by Floydada unemployed men. City of Floydada is furnishing the ground and the water and the unemployment organization will supply the seed and the men.

At the present time six men are being employed and will be paid wages. A different procedure may be followed later.

J. R. READHIMER RELEASED ON BAIL LAST SATURDAY AFTERNOON

J. R. Readhimer, charged jointly with his son, V. A. Readhimer, in the slaying of Stokes Campbell on April 6, was released Saturday on bond.

V. A. Readhimer, who did not make bond, was transferred to Lubbock county jail this week to await trial there.

J. R. Readhimer's sureties were: T. J. Heard, W. A. Cates, Dan M. Cook, L. G. Mathews, L. M. Readhimer and Eldon Gray.

Memorial Day Program Honors All-War Dead Sunday Afternoon

Many Floydada people joined Sunday in honoring the ex-service men, who have died in the wars of the United States, with a program at the McDermott Post American Legion Hall and the Floydada cemetery.

The program was held at the Legion Hall and the tribute was paid at the Floydada cemetery. Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist church, said the invocation.

A reading, further tribute to the ex-soldiers, was given by Miss Virdean Snodgrass. J. N. Johnston made the principal address for the afternoon, following which the group went to the Floydada cemetery for the remainder of the services.

Flowers were placed on the graves of the war dead, and following this decoration a salute was fired and taps sounded. Tom Goslee, post bugler, sounded taps.

FLOYDADA SCHOOLS END TERM, TEACHERS MAKE SUMMER PLANS

With the ending of the 1932-33 term of the Floydada schools Friday members of the faculty began making plans for activities during the summer vacation months. A number have made plans to visit the World's Fair in Chicago, others will attend colleges while others have not completed plans.

All seemed to be well pleased with the progress made by the school students during the year just ended and with the cooperation of the students and school patrons.

Those members who have made plans in the high school faculty are: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Teague have gone to Lubbock where they will visit for a short-while before making a tour to Salt Lake City, Utah, Yellowstone National Park, to scenic points in Canada and from there to Chicago to the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Odus Stephen have gone to Dublin where they will visit for a time with his relatives. From there they will go to Navasota for a visit with Mrs. Stephen's parents. Mr. Stephen plans to attend South Texas State Teachers College at San Marcos for six weeks during the summer.

Miss Daltis Rea, Mrs. Lon V. Smith, Miss Suddie Miller, Mrs. Joe Breed and Miss Viva Swinson, all said that their plans for the summer were not complete and that they would probably spend the most of their summer in Floydada.

A. D. Cummings will conduct a summer school term before making further plans. R. P. Terrel said that he was undecided as to what he would do during the vacation.

Members of the Anderson Ward faculty who told of their plans were: Miss Vera Hamilton, who will probably attend a six weeks term at Texas Technological College at Lubbock. Miss Emma Lou McKenney, Fannie Holding and Lula Belsler are intending to make a omnibus trip from Dallas to the Chicago World's Fair.

Miss Myrtle Terry, Vera Meredith, Miss Ruby Norton, Mrs. J. N. Johnston, and Mrs. Bob Green have no arrangements made for the summer and will be here most of the time. O. K. Davis and J. H. Myers said they would spend the summer in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Williams will go to College Station where he will be in school for a short while. They have made some preliminary plans for going to the World's Fair but have not definitely decided to do so. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall will visit in Calvert with her parents for some time.

West Texas Old Settlers Reunion To Be Held August 11 and 12

The annual reunion of the West Texas Old Settlers will be held August 11 and 12 of this year, according to an announcement made following a meeting of the directors Monday, during the Floyd County Pioneers annual reunion.

As usual the reunion and celebration will be held in the Hank Smith Memorial Park in Crosby county.

MORE THAN 400 REGISTER FOR PIONEERS ANNUAL REUNION

Attendance at the fifth annual reunion of the Floyd County Pioneers Association far exceeded any other record since the association was organized. More than 400 old timers celebrated the 43rd anniversary of Floyd County in Floydada Monday.

The general reunion was held on the court house lawn here. Glad Snodgrass, president, was in charge during the day of the proceedings.

A program, which included speeches by several old timers, old fashioned sing-song, the pioneer parade and other features, was followed.

Registration started at ten o'clock in charge of Mrs. Maud Burrus; Mrs. J. D. Starks, Mrs. C. Surginer, Mrs. R. C. Scott, Mrs. E. P. Nelson and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass. Gold badges were pinned on pioneers who lived in Floyd County as long as 35 years or more, blue badges were used to denote residence of 30 years, and white badges were used for those who had been here 25 years.

1934 Officials Named
Geo. Fawver, pioneer since 1891, and former Floyd County official, was chosen president for the 1934 reunion. He succeeds Mr. Snodgrass who declined to accept when the office was again offered him. E. E. L. Muncy, pioneer school teacher and preacher, was selected vice-president, and Tom W. Deen was re-elected secretary.

Members of the executive committee in addition to the officers before named are: Glad Snodgrass, Joe McCollum, Miss Anna Sims, Mrs. Ira (Adams) Hollis, and R. E. Fry.

Mrs. John L. West, of Floydada, was again named chairman of the memorial committee. Others selected by Mrs. West are: Mrs. Carl McAdams and Mrs. Bernice Barker of Lockney, and Mrs. Homer Stoen and Mrs. Geo. Smith of Floydada.

"Pioneers Came Prepared"
"We did not come to these plains expecting a rosy path, we pioneers came prepared to meet and conquer hardships and to cope with the conditions as they were," Claude V. Hall, founder of Floyd County's first newspaper, said as a part of the main address during the reunion.

Mr. Hall told a graphic story of life in the pioneer days with many humorous as well as trying occurrences.

"One of the main failings and troubles with the dugout home in which I lived was the abundance of waterdogs, and one of my first jobs when we moved into our new home was the killing of a prairie skunk, which was inhabiting the dugout. This task I soon performed, but the aroma lingered for a long time.

"The people who came to West Texas and the plains were built of more than ordinary fibre. Hardships in East Texas were many but conditions were better there than here. Pioneers who came to West Texas had more difficulty in overcoming raw nature in that they were a long distance from timber, water was scarce and the hardships were more numerous.

"We came to Floyd County thinking that it was a land of opportunity with a promising future, and many of us have lived to realize it and many have prospered. But several who brought much money here lost it by ill management," said Mr. Hall.

Wrote First County History
Prof. Hall, who is now head of the history department of East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce, wrote his thesis at the University of Texas on the "Early History of Floyd County." In this he included some facts that have long since proven valuable in research fields.

"I did not realize it at the time but I was starting something that I could not stop. Since I wrote the first thesis on county history there have been some 40 or 60 or more written," Mr. Hall said.

Mr. Hall's address revealed the fact that the first census was taken in 1880. A second census was taken in 1890 when there were 519 people in the county. The 1900 census found 2,020 people in the county. "This country still has an unlimited possibility for the future. This land is rich enough to support cultivation for 300 years," he further stated.

First School In 1886
The first school in Floyd County was taught in 1888 at what was then

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GRADUATES OF R. C. ANDREWS WARD RECEIVED DIPLOMAS THURSDAY

Diplomas, signifying graduation from the Andrews Ward School, were given to 47 boys and girls in commencement exercises held Thursday night at the Andrews Ward School auditorium.

The auditorium and the stage were beautifully decorated in the class colors and with flowers. Colors were pink, green and orchid and the flower was the sweet pea.

A. J. Polley, district attorney, delivered the commencement address in which he stressed the value and importance of the diplomas, that were awarded the students, in their progress in future life.

"Leaving the Nest," a song by the class, opened the commencement program. "There's Only One School in the World," another class song followed. Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church, said the invocation.

Modelle Hauey, salutatorian, welcomed the parents and friends present and spoke on "What Our Graduation Should Mean." This was followed by the valedictory, "With the Ropes of the Past we Will Ring the Bells of the Future," given by Worth Gwendolyn Shipley.

A. D. Cummings, superintendent of the schools, welcomed the graduating students to high school, following which O. K. Davis, principal, presented the diplomas to the graduates. Made Valedictory Address.

Worth Gwendolyn Shipley, valedictorian gave the following address: "With the Ropes of the Past we Will Ring the Bells of the Future."

"Friends, we take this means of expressing our appreciation to the teachers who have dealt with us patiently, who have helped and encouraged us individually. We are also grateful to the parents who have cooperated with us to make this a profitable school year.

"Fellow classmates you have helped to make this year a very pleasant one and since our associations have been so happy I trust that they will continue, and too, may we continue our education. Franklin says, 'If a man empties his purse into his head no man can take it away from him.'"

"Perhaps we do not realize how much our future depends upon what we are doing now. We might compare our school life to a tiny brook that widens and gains power as through the years it cuts a place through the hard rocks which could be referred to as the hardness of life. In the first grade the brook is small with not much force but as we go along through the grades and advance in our work the brook forms a stream with more power.

"When we finish high school this stream has become a river with many rifts and treacherous places to tempt us. After our high school days are over the average boy or girl prepares to enter college. After college the river reaches the ocean with its mighty power where it is clamoring to be loosed into the vast sea of life.

"Our future is based upon the habits and knowledge we acquire at the present. Let us think of the bells of the future as life which is rung by the ropes of education.

"By our efforts of education we may make life more worth while and reach a higher standard of living. The people of this nation must realize the great value of education and its benefits to the people. The bells of life must be kept ringing by the ropes of education because education means civilization.

"In the first grade we built our foundation for the work that was to follow so it is in civic life. Our future will be the result of what we do today. We must never let the bells cease to ring but keep them ringing by constant effort. In the future our children will reap the benefits of our work and make greater progress. We must scale to greater heights!

"How true are the words of the poet who said: 'Heaven is not reached at a single bound But we build the ladder by which we rise From the lovely earth the vaulted skies And we mount its summit round by round.'

"Time and tide wait for no man," so said another and this class must face the future afraid or unafraid, prepared or unprepared, worthy citizens or unworthy citizens.

"It is deepest desire and my highest hope that we may face the future as conquerors undaunted, unafraid and ever ready to do our part in ringing the bells of the future and as we labor let us remember that: 'Each day is a fresh beginning Each morn is a year made new.'

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Norman, of Abilene, Texas, and Miss Agnes Power, of Crystal City, arrived Friday night for a week's visit in Floydada with Mr. Norman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Norman.

Miss Leah Smith, who is teaching in the Wellington, Texas, schools, arrived Friday night for a visit in Floydada with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith. She plans to attend T. W. C. at Fort Worth this summer.

Mrs. A. L. Seoggin, and children, of Lubbock, were in Floydada Friday night to attend the graduation exercises for Floydada High School Mrs. Seoggin's niece, Miss Virginia Welch was a member of the class.

Mrs. E. H. Hurst, Mrs. W. B. Cardwell, Miss Rogene Glover, Bern and Diehl Glover, all of Slaton, were in Floydada Friday night to attend the graduation exercises of Floydada High School. Kyle Glover, a member of the class, is the grandson of Mrs. Hurst and the son of Mrs. Cardwell.

Dick Spear, of Spur, visited in Floydada Friday of last week on business.

J. Edd Phillips, of Hooker, Oklahoma, left last Thursday to return to his home after having visited in Floydada for a few days with his niece, Mrs. Willson Kimble and family.

Mrs. C. W. Mitchell left Saturday for Childress where she is visiting with relatives. She accompanied her son, C. H. Owen, who was enroute to his home at Paris after having visited in Floydada.

MISS KATHLEEN SNODGRASS HOSTESS TO THURSDAY CONTRACT CLUB

Miss Kathleen Snodgrass entertained at the meeting of the Thursday Contract Club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Vela Blassengame held high score for the visitors and Mrs. Cullen Riley for the members at the conclusion of the games.

Members playing were: Mrs. Jack Deakins, Mrs. Winifred Cooper, Mrs. Arthur Stewart, Mrs. N. B. Stansell, Misses Mildred Strickland, Adelaide Scott, Ruth Jenkins, Mrs. Floyd Simpson, Mrs. Cullen Riley and Miss Snodgrass; guests were Misses Vela Blassengame and Bernice Bishop and Mrs. Dan Mosley.

Mrs. N. B. Stansell will entertain at the next meeting of the club which will be held Thursday June 5, at three o'clock.

SUMMER TERM FOR FLOYDADA SCHOOLS WILL START MONDAY, JUNE 5

A. D. Cummings announced Friday that the summer short term of the Floydada schools would start Monday, June 5, at the Andrews Ward School. Mr. Cummings with Mrs. Cummings will teach the school.

The subjects to be offered and the tuition for the term will be determined after a meeting with the students on Monday. Mr. Cummings said. Students who wish to take summer school work are asked to meet Mr. Cummings Monday.

READHIMER CASE TRANSFERRED TO LUBBOCK ON CHANGE OF VENUE

Application for a change of venue was granted to V. A. and J. R. Readhimer, charged with the murder of Stokes Campbell, in a district court hearing in Floydada Friday. Judge K. E. Bain, of 110th Judicial District, granted the application after hearing testimony of 18 witnesses from the county.

The case was transferred to 99th Judicial District court at Lubbock, and will come up for trial in the September term of court during the latter part of that month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fuller left Monday morning for Farmersville where they will visit for a month with their son.

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Mrs. Geo. Smith, Mrs. Bob Smith, Worth Gwendolyn Shipley and Margaret Smith, visited in Plainview one day last week.

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5-00-19 \$7.80	5-00-19 \$6.10
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF TEXAS

S. J. R. NO. 5.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article IX of the Constitution of Texas be amended by adding thereto a section to be Section 3, which shall provide:

"Section 3. (1) Holding the belief that the highest degree of local self government which is consistent with the efficient conduct of those affairs by necessarily lodged in the Nation and the State will prove most responsive to the will of the people, and result to reward their diligence and intelligence by greater economy and efficiency in their local governmental affairs, it hereby is ordained:

"(2) Any county having a population of sixty-two thousand (62,000) or more according to the then last Federal Census may adopt a County Home Rule Charter, to embrace those powers appropriate hereto, within the specific limitations hereinafter provided. It further is provided that the Legislature, by a favoring vote of two-thirds of the total membership of both the Senate and the House of Representatives, may authorize any county, having a population less than that above specified, to proceed hereunder for the adoption of a Charter; however, as a condition for such authorization, it is required that notice of the intent to seek Legislative authority hereunder must be published in one or more newspapers, to give general circulation in the county affected, not less than once per week for four (4) consecutive weeks, and the first of such publications shall appear not less than thirty (30) days next prior to the time an Act making proposal hereunder may be introduced in the Legislature. No County Home Rule Charter may be adopted by any county save upon a favoring vote of the resident qualified electors of the affected county. In elections submitting to the voters a proposal to adopt a Charter (unless otherwise provided by a two-thirds vote of the total membership of each House of the Legislature) the votes cast by the qualified electors residing within the limits of all the incorporated cities and towns of the county shall be separately kept but collectively counted and the votes of the qualified electors of the county who do not reside within the limits of any incorporated city or town likewise shall be separately kept and separately counted, and unless there be a favoring majority of the votes cast within and a favoring majority of the votes cast without such collective cities and towns, the Charter shall not be adopted. It is expressly forbidden that any such Charter may inconsonantly affect the operation of the General Laws of the State relating to the judicial, tax, fiscal, educational, police, highway and health systems, or any other department of the State's superior government. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize the adoption of a Charter provision inimical to or inconsistent with the sovereignty and established public policies of this State, and no provision having such vice shall have validity against the State. No Charter provision may operate to impair the exemption of home-steads as established by this Constitution and the Statutes relating thereto.

"(3) a. A Charter hereunder may provide: the continuance of a County Commissioners' Court, as now constituted, to serve as the governing body of a county to operate hereunder; or, may provide for a governing body otherwise constituted, which shall be elective, and service therein shall be upon such qualifications, for such terms, under such plan of representation, and upon such conditions of tenure and compensation as may be fixed by any such Charter. The terms for service in such governing body may exceed two (2) years, but shall not exceed six (6) years. In any event, in addition to the powers and duties provided by any such Charter, such governing body shall exercise all powers, and discharge all duties which, in the absence of the provisions hereof, would devolve by law on County Commissioners and County Commissioners' Courts. Further, any such Charter may provide for the organization, reorganization, establishment and administration of the government of the county, including the control and regulation of the performance of and the compensation for all duties required in the conduct of the county affairs, subject to the limitations herein provided.

"b. A Charter hereunder may provide that Judges of County Courts (including that County Court designated in this Constitution), and Jus-

tices of the Peace be compensated upon a salary basis in lieu of fees. The jurisdiction of the County Court designated in this Constitution, and the duties of the Judges thereof, may be confined to that general jurisdiction of a probate Court which elsewhere is defined in this Constitution. The office of Justice of the Peace may be made either elective or appointive. Other than as herein provided, no such Charter shall provide for altering the jurisdiction or procedure of any Court. The duties of District Attorney and County Attorney may be confined to representing the State in civil cases to which the State is a party and to enforcement of the State's Penal Code, and the compensation of said attorneys may be fixed on a salary basis in lieu of fees.

"c. Save as hereinabove and hereinafter otherwise provided, such Charters, within the limits expressed therein, may invest the governing body to be established for any county electing to operate hereunder with the power to create, consolidate or abolish any office or department, whether created by other provisions of the Constitutions or by statute, defined the duties thereof, fix the compensation for service therein, make the same elective or appointive and prescribe the time, qualifications and conditions for tenure in any such office; save, that no such Charter other than as hereinbefore authorized, shall provide to regulate the status, service, duties or compensation of members of the Legislature, Judges of the Courts, District Attorneys, County Attorneys, or any office whatever by the law of the State required to be filled by an election embracing more than one county. Excepting herefrom nominations, elections or appointments to offices, the terms whereof may not have expired prior to the adoption of this Amendment to the Constitution, at such time as a Charter provision adopted hereunder may be in effect (save as to those offices which must continue to be elective, as herein elsewhere specified), all terms of county officers and all contracts for the giving of service by deputies under such officers, may be subject to termination by the administrative body of the county, under an adopted Charter so providing, and there shall be no liability by reason thereof.

"d. Any county electing to operate hereunder shall have the power, by Charter provision, to levy, assess and collect taxes, and to fix the maximum rate for ad valorem taxes to be levied for specific purposes, in accordance with the Constitution and laws of this State, provided, however, that the limit of the aggregate taxes which may be levied, assessed and collected hereunder shall not exceed the limit or total fixed, or hereafter to be fixed, by this Constitution to control counties, and the annual assessment upon property, both real, personal and mixed, shall be a first superior and prior lien thereon.

"e. In addition to the powers herein provided, and in addition to powers included in County Home Rule Charters, any county may, by a majority vote of the qualified electors of said county, amend its Charter to include other powers, functions, duties and rights which now or hereafter may be provided by this Constitution and the statutes of the State for counties.

"(4). Any county operating hereunder shall have the power to borrow money for all purposes lawful under its Charter, to include the refunding of a lawful debt, in a manner conforming to the General Laws of the State, and may issue therefor its obligations. Such obligations, other than those to refund a lawful debt, shall not be valid unless authorized by a majority of all votes cast by those resident qualified voters of the area affected by the taxes required to retire such obligations, who may vote thereon. In case of county obligations, maturing after a period of five (5) years, the same shall be issued to mature serially, fixing the first maturity of principal at a time not to exceed two (2) years next after the date of the issuance of such obligations. Such obligations may pledge the full faith and credit of the county; but in no event shall the aggregate obligations so issued, in principal amount outstanding at any one time, exceed the then existing Constitutional limits for such obligations and such indebtedness and its supporting tax shall constitute a first and superior lien upon the property taxable in such county. No obligation issued hereunder shall be valid unless prior to the time of the issuance thereof there be levied a tax sufficient to retire the same as it matures, which tax shall not exceed the then existing Constitutional limits.

"(5). Such Charter may authorize the governing body of a county operating hereunder to prescribe the schedule of fees to be charged by the officers of the county for specified service, to be in lieu of the

schedule for such fees prescribed by the General Laws of the State; and, to appropriate such fees to such funds as the Charter may prescribe; provided, however, no fee for a specified service shall exceed in amount the fee fixed by General Law for that same service. Such Charters as to all judicial officers, other than District Judges, may prescribe the qualifications for services, provided the standards therefor be not lower than those fixed by the General Laws of the State.

"(6) a. Subject to the express limitations upon the exercise of the powers by this subdivision to be authorized, such Charters may provide (or omit to provide) that the governmental and proprietary functions of any city, town, district or other defined political subdivision (which is a governmental agency and embraced within the boundaries of the county) be transferred, either as to some or all of the functions thereof, and yielded to the control of the administrative body of the county. No such transfer or yielding of functions may be effected, unless the proposal is submitted to a vote of the people, and, unless otherwise provided by a two-thirds vote of the total membership of each House of the Legislature, such a proposal shall be submitted as a separate issue, and the vote within and without any such city, town, district, or other defined governmental entity, shall be separately cast and counted, and unless two-thirds of the qualified votes cast within the yielding defined governmental entity, and a majority of the qualified votes cast in the remainder of the county, favor the proposed merger, it shall not be effected. In case of the mergers hereby authorized, without express Charter provision therefor, in so far as may be required to make effective the object of the proposed merger, the county shall succeed to all the appropriate lawful powers, duties, rights, procedures, restrictions and limitations which prior to the merger were reposed in, or imposed upon, the yielding governmental agency. Particularly, it is provided that the power to create funded indebtedness and to levy taxes in support thereof may be exercised only by such procedures, and within such limits, as now are, or hereafter may be, provided by law to control such appropriate other governmental agencies were they to be independently administered. Such mergers may be effected under proposed contracts between the county and any such yielding governmental agency, to be approved at an election as hereinafter provided for. In order to increase governmental efficiency and effect economy the county may contract with the principal city of the county to perform one or more of its functions, provided such contracts shall not be valid for more than two (2) years.

"b. In cases of the partial or complete merger of the government of a city operating under a Home Rule Charter, with the government of a county operating hereunder, those city Charter provisions affected thereby shall cease to control, and the county Charter provisions shall control.

"c. When any embraced incorporated city or town elects to merge its governmental functions with those of the county under the provisions hereof, such Charter may provide for defining or redefining the boundaries of such cities and towns, provided, however, that in defining or redefining the boundaries of such cities and towns, such boundaries may be extended only to include those areas contiguous to such cities as are urban in character; and as to such cities or towns and for the benefit thereof the county, in addition to the primary city and county tax herein authorized and any other lawful district tax, may levy and collect taxes upon the property taxable within such city or town as defined or redefined, within the limits authorized by Sections 4 and 5 of Article XI of this Constitution, (or any Amendment thereof) for incorporated cities according to the population, provided that no tax greater than that existing at the time of such merger or for any added purpose shall be imposed upon any such city or town unless authorized by a majority of all votes cast by the resident qualified voters of such city or town.

"d. Areas urban in character though not incorporated, under appropriate Charter provision may be defined as such by the governing body of the county, provided, however, that no portion of the county shall be defined as an urban area unless it has sufficient population to entitle it to incorporate under the then existing laws of the State; and no such urban area, when created, shall be vested with any taxing or bonding power which it would not possess if it were operating as a separate incorporated unit under the

then existing Constitutional and Statutory provisions of this State; and provided further that the governing body of the county for the government of such areas shall have and exercise all powers and authority granted by law to the governing bodies of similar areas when separately incorporated as a city or town, and such areas shall be subject to additional taxation within the same Constitutional limits as control taxation for a city or a town of like population. Likewise such Charter may provide for the governing board of the county subject to existing Constitutional and statutory provisions to define, create and administer districts, and have and exercise the powers and authority granted by the Constitution and laws relative to the same.

"(7). No provision of this Constitution inconsistent with the provisions of this Section 3, of Article IX, shall be held to control the provisions of a Charter adopted hereunder, and conforming herewith. Charters adopted hereunder shall make appropriate provision for the abandonment, revocation, and amendment thereof, subject only to the requirements that there must be a favoring majority of the vote cast upon such a proposal, by the qualified resident electors of the county; and, no Charter may forbid amendments thereof for a time greater than two (2) years. The provisions hereof shall be self-executing, subject only to the duty of the Legislature to pass all laws (consistent herewith) which may be necessary to carry out the intent and purpose hereof. Further, the Legislature shall prescribe a procedure for submitting to decision, by a majority vote of the electors voting thereon proposed alternate and elective Charter provisions."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Saturday in August, 1933, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the Amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of Texas, adding Section 3, providing authority for the adoption of a Home Rule Charter by the voters in counties having a population of sixty-two thousand (62,000) or more, to effect more sufficient and economical gov-

ernment within such counties, and to authorize mergers of separate governmental agencies within such counties as may from time to time be authorized by vote of the people therein."

"Against the Amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of Texas, adding Section 3, providing authority for the adoption of a Home Rule Charter by the voters in counties having a population of sixty-two thousand (62,000) or more, to effect more efficient and economical government within such counties, and to authorize mergers of separate governmental agencies within such counties as may from time to time be authorized by vote of the people therein."

Each voter shall scratch out one of the above listed clauses on such ballot, leaving unscratched that particular clause which expresses his vote on the proposed Amendment to which it relates.

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election in conformity herewith to determine whether or not the proposed Constitutional Amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and the Governor shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State

W. W. HEATH, Secretary of State. (A Correct Copy) 24-4tc

VISITING DOWN STATE

Mrs. J. B. Bishop and children, Mrs. Jennie Bishop, Mrs. Will Walker and Mrs. T. A. Caudle left Monday morning for a two weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. B. Bishop will visit in Austin with her sister, Mrs. B. B. Sowell. Mrs. Jennie Bishop will visit in Gatesville, Mrs. Walker in Waco and Mrs. Caudle will visit in Austin.

Doe H. Massie, graduate of Floydada High School in 1931, visited in Floydada from Friday to Monday with friends. Doe finished Cumberland law school in Tennessee the first of this year. He is at the present with his uncle in Pampa on business.

Miss Elizabeth Keniston, of Plainview, visited in Floydada from Thursday to Sunday with her sister, Mrs. G. L. Kirk and friends.

Classified Ads.

1/2x6-16 White Pine lap siding for Combine reel slats at J. C. Woolbridge Lumber Company. 25-2tc

Seed, Feed and Grinding. All kinds field and garden seed. FRANK HOWELL. At old Higginbotham-Bartlett stand. 22-4tc

State certified Maize, Higiara, Kaffir seed at \$1.50 per hundred. Also Sudan and Cane Seed. Edwards Grain Company. 23-3tc

"Fill'er up". That's what they all say when they drive in our station. R. C. Henry, Phone 20. 13-1tc

Let Cavanaugh do your job printing. He knows how and is rearing to go.

To Farm Lease, Splendid Lands in Floyd and other Counties, convenient to Railroad Towns. W. M. Massie & Bro. 13-1tc

Received this week; Shipment of Axminster Rugs 9x12 at new low prices. F. C. Harmon. 23-1tc

TO TRADE—Town Lots for acreage or live stock. W. M. Massie & Bro. 44-1tc

White Leghorn chicks \$3.50 for 100, 500 for \$15. Come and see them Floydada Hatchery. 25-1tp

Miss Christene Owen, who during the past year attended Floydada High School and made her home in Floydada with her grandmother, Mrs. C. W. Mitchell, has returned to her home at Paris, Texas. She accompanied her father, C. H. Owen and brother, Charlie, who were in Floydada from Tuesday to Saturday visiting.

Dudley Hill, who for the past four months had been employed at the Panhandle Service Station, left Sunday for Hart, Texas, where he will be employed by Claude Hutcheson on his farms. He was accompanied to Plainview by J. Q. Hill and Virgil Shaw.

Haskell Redd visited in Lakeview Sunday with friends.

J. A. ENOCH Blacksmith Shop now located on alley east of the court house. 11-1tc

Received; a shipment of Lawn Chairs \$1.25 to \$1.75 each. F. C. Harmon. 23-1tc

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC I will do public typing and draw legal papers and notary work at County Surveyor's office. DONA COVINGTON, abstractor. 23-1tc

State certified Maize, Higiara, Kaffir seed at \$1.50 per hundred. Also Sudan and Cane Seed. Edwards Grain Company. 23-3tc

HAVE YOUR ABSTRACTS made by DONA COVINGTON, Abstractor, Floydada, Texas. 21-1tc

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1/2x6-16 White Pine lap siding for Combine reel slats at J. C. Woolbridge Lumber Company. 25-2tc

Mrs. Paul W. Connor, who had been visiting for several weeks with her father, L. H. Lewis who is ill, left Friday for her home in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Curry and children, of O'Donnell, left Sunday to return to their home after having been in Floydada where they attended the funeral services for Mrs. Currary's brother, Waymon Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hawkins, of Wichita Falls, visited in Floydada Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman. Mrs. J. A. Staley accompanied them to Floydada. Mr. Hawkins is a landowner in the west part of the county and one of the owners of the Owen Ranch in Motley county.

Henry Ford Dearborn, Mich.

May 22, 1933

I suppose that I may claim to be the first Ford Dealer. I not only made cars, but sold them and frequently delivered them myself. The "drive away" is not new; often I have driven cars from Detroit to towns in Ohio or Indiana or Michigan to make delivery. There were no good roads in those days, and the people where I drove had never seen a motor car before.

My first really enthusiastic customers were Country Doctors. They were the first to realize the value of dependable transportation to a widely scattered practice.

Even today I occasionally hear from some of those first Ford users. We had to teach local mechanics how to care for the cars. That is how Ford Service began, which is now found everywhere in the world.

We believed from the beginning that a sale does not complete our transaction with our customer — it creates upon us an obligation to see that our customer's car gives him service. Ford Dealers know their duty to the public in this respect.

I can say of Ford Dealers generally that they have been and are men of character and standing in their communities. Most of them have been with us many years, which indicates that we agree on basic business principles. The Company provides that the methods used to sell the Ford car are consistent with the self-respect of the Dealers who handle it.

The present Ford V-8 is the peak of our 30 years experience. We have never made a better car. Its eight-cylinder engine is powerful and smooth running. The car is admittedly very good looking and has comfortable riding qualities. It is economical in operation because of advanced engine design and low car weight. It is the fastest, roomiest and most powerful car we have ever built.

Henry Ford

Mrs. S. S. Ramsey and Mrs. R. P. Weathers and family, of Tahoka, visited in Floydada over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge and family. Mrs. Ramsey is the mother and Mrs. Weathers is a sister of Mrs. Rutledge.

The Baker Says

We bake bread right, it's nice and white, You'll have no cause to doubt it. Drop in some day, we'll show you our way We'll explain all about it.

GOOD EATS FOR THIS WEEK
 Coconut Macaroons, doz. 15c
 Peanut Macaroons, doz. 15c
 Milk Chocolate, each 15c
 Betty Crocker Angel Foods 15c
 Cookies, all kinds, doz. 15c
 2 Dozen 25c

WESTERS' QUALITY BAKERY

SPECIALS!

SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 pounds 49c

GREEN GAGE PLUMS, Per Gallon 30c

CHERRIES, Red Pitted, No. 2 can, 2 for 25c

SOAP, P. & G. Giant bar, 6 for 25c

BREAD AND BUTTER PICKLES 15c

TOMATOES, Standard, No. 2 can, 3 for 25c

VIENNA SAUSAGE, Certified, 3 for 19c

BLACK PEPPER, 10 cent size 5c

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WORK ON CANYON HILL WILL BE COMPLETED SOON

Work on the improvement of the grade on the south canyon, from an 11 percent rise to a 7 percent rise, will be completed this week by a crew of men employed by the local unemployment relief commission using R. F. C. funds, supplemented by an equal amount from the county. Traffic is already passing over the new grade and final work will be done the latter part of this week.

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VISIT OUR STORE BARGAINS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

CORN FLAKES, Large size, 12 cent packages 8c

CAMPBELL'S PORK & BEANS, 9c size, can 5c

NEW IRISH POTATOES, per pound 2 1/2c

NEW WHITE BURMUDA ONIONS, Per pound 2 1/2c

NEW CABBAGE, per lb. 3c

See window space for other bargains. Our system is: Small profit and quick turn over. Ice water for all. We deliver, phone 118.

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FLOYDADA, MONDAY, JUNE 5, AND ALL WEEK

ALLERITA LOOMIS PLAYERS

In their big water proof tent. Showing under the auspices Local Firemen.

18—PEOPLE ON THE STAGE—18
 New Plays, Vaudeville, Music, Comedy

10c Everybody 10c

LADIES FREE—One lady free with each paid ticket—Few reserve seats, 10c extra.

Allerita Loomis Players Will Open Monday Night For Week's Run

The Allerita Loomis Players, showing under the auspices of the Floydada Fire Department, will open a week's engagement in Floydada Monday, June 5.

Vaudeville, musical comedy and new plays will be featured on the program for the week. They completed a week's showing in Lockney last week.

Admission prices are ten cents and ladies free with each paid ticket on the first night.

192 MEN ON UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF ROLLS DURING MAY

During the month of May there were 192 men employed through the Floydada unemployment relief committee on various projects. During April 181 men were at work and being paid by R. F. C. funds.

A crew of men this week are cutting weeds, clearing out culverts and doing other work on the streets. Another group is filling in a lot east of Kirk's Hardware on North Wall street, which will be used as a hitching ground and trade block.

It is planned to do some work on the court house lawn within the near future, according to Edd Brown, Chairman of the relief committee.

Miss Golden Louise Steen, who has been attending Baylor College for Women, at Belton, Texas, has returned to Floydada to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Graham visited in Vernon Sunday. They went to take Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fuller who were enroute to Farmersville for a visit with their son.

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CROP PRODUCTION LOANS CLOSED MAY 31, WHEAT EXTENDED

Application for crop production loans from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation were closed yesterday, May 31. Formerly the closing date for loans was May 27 but the time was extended.

Wheat loans were extended to June the 17th.

CLASS OF '33

Ma Belle Rasor Fellow classmates

If I knew you, and you knew me If we could tell what each would be, If we could see each other smile, We'd think our days were well worth while,

We'd think of days in F. H. S. As merely joy and happiness.

Hail to Houghton, our president, His future life will be well spent; To Crawford and to Bishop, too; To Jackson and all he may do; To McRoberts, faithful and dear; To Kimble who has no peer.

So F. H. S. we say good-bye Forever hold your colors high The dear old school we love so well, A teacher's voice, a laugh, the bell, All these things we now leave behind As memories forever thine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Daily returned Monday from Arkansas where they visited with their son. They accompanied their daughter, Mrs. E. J. Morehead of Plainview, and Mrs. Van and Mrs. Goodwin and daughter of Plainview. They had been gone two weeks.

Miss Gwendolyn Snodgrass, who has been attending Baylor College for Women at Belton, Texas, returned Friday to Floydada where she will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass.

Gylum Enoch left Monday to drive the first trip to the Chicago World's Fair carrying passengers on one of the schedule trips.

Miss Francis Buchanan, of Plainview, visited in Floydada several days this week with Miss Selma Linder.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hopper, are in Floydada visiting with his parents. Mr. Hopper was formerly principal of the Andrews Ward School.

Haskell Redd and Shirley Sanderfur, of the Redd System, made a business trip to San Antonio the first of this week. They left Monday morning and returned the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Collum, of Le Fors, Texas, left Sunday to return to their home after having attended the funeral services Friday for Mrs. Collum's brother, Waymon Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Norman, of Abilene, Texas, and Miss Agnes Power, of Crystal City, arrived Friday night for a week's visit in Floydada with Mr. Norman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Norman.

Miss Leah Smith, who is teaching in the Wellington, Texas, schools, arrived Friday night for a visit in Floydada with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith. She plans to attend T. W. C. at Fort Worth this summer.

Mrs. A. L. Scoggin, and children, of Lubbock, were in Floydada Friday night to attend the graduation exercises for Floydada High School. Mrs. Scoggin's niece, Miss Virginia Welch was a member of the class.

Mrs. C. W. Mitchell left Saturday for Childress where she is visiting with relatives. She accompanied her son, C. H. Owen, who was enroute to his home at Paris after having visited in Floydada.

LOST 40 POUNDS ON DOCTOR'S ADVICE

"I'm a user of Kruschen Salts as a reducing remedy and can say they are fine. Have lost more than 40 lbs. in the past year. Am gradually reducing as my doctor advises." Miss Bertha Waldo, Haman, N. Dak. (Oct. 30, '32).

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MORE THAN 400 PEOPLE REGISTER FOR PIONEERS REUNION

(Continued from page one) known as Della Plains, which has since become known as the South Plains community. Miss Emma Lewis, of a Quaker settlement in Crosby county, was secured as the first teacher.

At that time there were 15 children in the county of scholastic age. The teacher was paid \$50 for teaching the entire term. Among the first school students were J. T. McLain, of Sandhill, and he was the only one present for the reunion this year. J. S. McLain, now of Sandhill, was one of the first trustees and A. McCracken was another, there being a total of three for the entire county. Col. W. M. Massie taught the second school in the county during the next year. A total of 20 pupils were of scholastic age in the county at that time. For his services Mr. Massie received \$40.00 in cash and a remaining \$40.00 in cedar posts and wood.

Mr. Hall explained that Mr. Massie was given the title of 'colonel' because he used that term often in addressing people, especially S. M. Brown, one of Floyd County's first lawyers. T. M. Bartley was another of the county's first lawyers.

Several other interesting incidents which occurred during the early history of the county were cited by the speaker.

Mr. Hall came to Floyd County with his parents in 1890, 43 years ago. At the age of seventeen he was assistant teacher in the second school in Floydada during 1891-92. For his services he received \$20.00 per month. The next year he taught school at Aiken and was given \$40.00 per month. Eight students were enrolled during the term which lasted five months.

Opened Day's Program
 Mrs. Lon V. Smith, of Floydada, opened the program for the day with an address of welcome to the pioneers present. In her address she paid tribute to the old timers who developed the plains country and Floyd County.

Basket Lunch At Noon
 At the conclusion of Claude V. Hall's address the pioneers and members of their families present enjoyed a dinner spread in picnic style. Pioneers, living in Floyd County at the present time, brought basket lunches. Beans, coffee and bread was furnished by the committee on the grounds.

J. J. Day, pioneer ranchman and preacher, returned the thanks. Pioneers filed by in order, gold badges first, blue second and white third, to receive their beans, coffee and bread, cafeteria style. During the noon hour the old timers enjoyed an old fashioned singing, special musical numbers and a social time together.

Soon after one o'clock Mrs. John L. West, chairman of the memorial committee, read the names of Floyd County pioneers who had "crossed over the big divide," and those present paid tribute with a moment of silent prayer.

Three minute extemporaneous talks by pioneers were heard as a portion of the program during the afternoon. Mrs. A. B. Duncan, one of the 'first' in the county, told of interesting occurrences during the pioneer days.

Talks were heard by R. M. Irick, founder of Irick community in north Floyd County, who came here in 1890, J. C. Cooper, the first surveyor, Rev. G. I. Brittan, an early Baptist preacher and others.

Following the testimonials the business meeting was held during which time officers for the next reunion of the association were elected. Announcements concerning the old pioneers parade were made, and the pioneers adjourned from the court house lawn to go to see the old curio and photograph displays.

After the parade the old time square dance was held on a floor on the court house lawn. The pioneers danced to the tune of old fashioned music made by 'fiddles,' guitars and banjos. During the first two squares no one was allowed on the floor who had been in the county less than 40 years.

Most Successful
 This year's reunion was the most successful that has ever been staged in Floyd County. In spite of the fact that this is the busy time of the year the old timers left their tasks to gather once again and relive by-gone days.

A general renewing of old acquaintances, fellowship, discussions of early days and a visit with one another was enjoyed by the largest attendance in the history of the association.

Miss Virgie Mae Dennis spent the week end visiting in Floydada with Miss Effie Noland.

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