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## Car-Truck Collision Saturday Night Fatal to Two

### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR G. R. MAY, CRASH VICTIM, IN AUTOMOBILE-TRUCK COLLISION, HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral services for G. R. May, aged 57, who was killed instantly Saturday night in a truck-automobile collision on Highway 28, were held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the First Methodist Church.

Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor, conducted the services and was assisted by several other Floydada pastors. Many friends joined to pay last tribute to their friend and neighbor.

George Reed May was born April 29, 1877, in Clark County, Arkansas. He moved to Texas at the age of 18, residing in Ellis county. He was married in 1904 to Miss Ibbie Lee Nelson and to this union were born two children, Loreta May, in 1906, and Willie B. May. The daughter, Loreta, died in 1912 and is buried in the Floydada cemetery. The son, Willie B., survives and was present for the services. The family moved to Floyd County in 1909.

Mrs. May preceded Mr. May in death, October 25, 1925. Mr. May re-married April 30, 1927, to Mrs. Stella Smith and to this union was born one son, George Reed, aged 4 years. Surviving beside the present Mrs. May, the sons, Willie B. and George Reed are two step-children, Miss Bert Ion Smith and John Edward Smith.

Three brothers, three sisters and the father, W. E. May, of Arkadelphia, Arkansas, also survive Mr. May. The brothers are: R. N. May of Garland; S. E. May, of Childress and Roy May, of Arkadelphia, Arkansas. Sisters are: Mrs. Dora Allen, of Arkadelphia; Mrs. Vol Frazier, of Okolona, Arkansas and Mrs. Bridges, of Arkansas. S. E. May, of Childress and his son, J. W.; R. N. May, of Garland, and son, G. H.,

and daughter, Kathleen, were here for the funeral.

Out of town friends and relatives here were: Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gamble and family, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hooks and Mrs. W. P. Edwards, of Duan, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Lattimore, of O'Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, Mrs. Ethel Jones, all of Lorenzo; Mrs. W. C. Ooley and daughter, of Plainview, Miss Rebecca and Delah Analey, of Plainview; Mrs. J. C. Edwards and W. L. Holoman and wife, of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Voss and Miss Margaret Anderson, of Post, Texas.

Mr. May was a member of the First Methodist Church and was active in church work, being a steward in the church.

Active pallbearers were: C. B. Sims, Cleve Sims, S. J. Latta, S. W. Ross, J. M. Willson, and Dr. C. M. Thacker.

Honorary pallbearers were: T. W. Whigham, L. C. McDonald, Homer McDonald, Roy Horn, R. B. Calhoun, Austin Heard, Wilson Kimble, Geo. A. Linder, J. V. Daniel, J. H. Shurbert, Lorin Leibfried, E. E. Henson, N. W. Williams, Lee Wilkerson, H. G. McChesney, Dr. Geo. Smith, Tom Deen, Bob Garrett, Will Wester, Bob Smith, A. N. Ward, O. M. Watson, Bob McGuire, L. G. Mathews, Ham Smith, Grover Smith, and Dr. J. S. Rinehart, of Plainview.

Flower girls were: Eula Mae Gulion, Ruby Cothran, Mary Anne Kimble, Mrs. T. W. Whigham, Mabel Smith, Mary Anna Ross, Irene Wright, Mary Gamble, Mary Katherine Smith and Mary Rachel Smith. Interment was in the Floydada cemetery following the services.

### PANDORA'S BOX — by A. B. Chapin



### G. R. May, 57, Killed When Car Hits Truck; Mrs. W. A. Jones Died In Local Hospital; Two Others Critically Injured

Two people are dead and two others are in a critical condition as the result of an automobile-truck collision on Highway 28 east of Floydada, Saturday night at 8:50 o'clock.

In the accident were: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones, of Dougherty community, and Mrs. W. A. Jones, of Cleburne, G. R. May, Floyd County farmer who lived one and-half miles east of Floydada, John Edward Smith, Mr. May's step-son, and Curtis Edwards, Mrs. May's brother.

The accident occurred when a Chevrolet two-door sedan, driven by W. B. Jones, 58, crashed into Mr. May's Ford truck, about 30 yards west of Latta's Service Station three miles east of Floydada on Highway 28. The Jones car was occupied by Mr. Jones, his wife, 54, and Mr. Jones' aunt, Mrs. W. A. Jones, who was visiting in Floyd County from Cleburne, Texas.

John Edward Smith, 19, and Curtis Edwards, 23, of Waco, were on the back of Mr. May's truck and Mr. May was standing directly in front of his truck. Mr. May was returning to his home from a field about eight miles east of town where he and Smith and Edwards had been cutting wheat. The truck, which was loaded with 4000 pounds of wheat, stalled just as it was driven from the Latta station and Mr. May had started to crank it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. Jones' aunt were enroute to Floydada with Mr. Jones driving. Either not seeing the truck, or blinded by lights, Mr. Jones drove head on into the rear of the parked machine, completely demolishing both the car and the truck.

The May truck was knocked about 50 yards by the impact of the Chevrolet sedan crashing into the rear. It crossed the bar ditch on the north side of the road, went into a field and then went back into the road several yards further west. Mr. May was killed instantly and Mrs. W. A. Jones, 76, died shortly after being brought to the Smith and Smith hospital in a Harmon ambulance. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones were badly injured, being rendered unconscious by the accident. People arriving at the scene of the accident, shortly after it occurred, found both Mrs. W. B. Jones and Mrs. W. A. Jones lying on the ground near their demolished car. Mr. Jones was found unconscious, sitting upright in driving position in his car.

John Edward Smith and Curtis Edward, who were on the rear of the May truck in the wheat, were thrown from the truck and escaped with only minor injuries. Smith sustained a sprained wrist and Edwards received a laceration on his arm. Debris of the car and truck and the load of wheat were scattered for several yards around the point in the highway where the accident occurred.

An ambulance from F. C. Harmon's went to the scene of the tragedy and brought Mrs. W. A. Jones and Mrs. W. B. Jones to the hospital for treatment, later returning for Mr. May. Mr. Jones was brought to the hospital by passerby.

#### BOTH MACHINES DEMOLISHED

Both the Model T Ford truck and the Chevrolet sedan were demolished in the collision. The truck bed and cab were splintered, only the engine and running gear left intact. The motor of the Chevrolet was driven back almost into the drivers' seat and glasses were shattered. All three people in the Jones car were badly cut and bruised.

Mrs. Jones, who was killed in the crash, was carried overland to Alvarado, Texas, for services and burial Tuesday of this week. Coleburn Funeral Home, of Alvarado, sent a car for the body Sunday night.

She is survived by two brothers and a sister, and four step children.

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### Fred M. Warren Says Collections of Wheat Loans Coming In Rapidly

Fred M. Warren, supervisor and collector for the district of government seed and feed loans, reported much success in collection of wheat loans from Floyd County farmers, while in town Saturday.

"If collections continue as good as today all the wheat loans will be paid 100 percent in Floyd County within a few days," Mr. Warren said.

Floyd County will be eligible to receive loans for feed and for seed for planting forage crops if the county is placed on the drouth relief list and designated as a drouth stricken county.

"If Floyd County is designated a drouth stricken county, thereby making it eligible to receive drouth aid, loans may be obtained at the county relief administrator's office," Mr. Warren said.

Regulations on the loans will be announced as soon as Floyd County is designated in the drouth stricken area.

### Miss Gilliland Reports Much Progress On Child Welfare Survey

Miss Eddie Mae Gilliland, who is in charge of the child welfare survey under the relief administration of Floyd County, reports much progress on the survey.

"Work on the child welfare survey in the county is progressing rapidly and we are learning many of the handicapped children," Miss Gilliland said.

"Anyone who have handicapped children in their own family or know of any such in other families are urged to report them to this office," said Miss Gilliland.

J. D. Moore, Wilmer Jones, Jr., Denzil Probasco, all of Floydada, and Delbert Jones, of Lovington, New Mexico, left Saturday morning for a two or three weeks visit in Chicago at the Century of Progress World's Fair.

### Neighbor Day to be Continued For Two Months Following July, Decision

In a meeting held Friday morning in the County Court Room several merchants of Floydada decided to continue the weekly trades day for Floydada, known as Neighbor Day, for two months following July.

Of the fourteen merchants present several reported increase in business during Neighbor Day and were in favor of continuing the day until fall.

### Harold Merrick to be Dismissed From Sanitarium Within Near Future

Mrs. Maud Merrick, of Floydada, is in receipt of a letter from physicians at Sanatorium, Texas, stating that her son, Harold F. Merrick, will be released within the near future and that his condition is much improved.

A letter from Harold to his mother states that he is feeling much better.

### Plainsman Early This Week; Force To Take Fourth Holiday

The Plainsman is out and in the mail two days earlier this week than usual due to the fact that the force, editorial, printing, all three of us in fact, are going to celebrate the fourth of July with a holiday.

It could be possible that we have overlooked some news story, but if we have please bear in mind that the Plainsman brings you the news while it is news and 48 hours earlier this week.

The Plainsman will appear as usual Thursday of next week after all we don't want a permanent holiday. Don't forget to help us celebrate a grand and glorious fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Weathers spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lightfoot and family. Miss Lorilla Stephens visited Sunday with Miss Bonera Stephens.

## Darrow Board Charges NRA Has Not Corrected Errors

Sees "Sinister" Entrenchment Of Monopoly

Washington, July 1.—In its third and final report, the Clarence Darrow National Recovery Review Board today asserted nothing had been done "to remove or even to restrain" monopolistic practices which it said it had uncovered in NRA codes investigated by it.

"On the contrary," the board said, "there seems a sinister purpose to entrench them still more securely in the processes of the act, to make still more unquestioned the monopolistic sway of the great interest."

The National Recovery Act, through fostering monopoly, the board said, had "become not the foe but the adjunct of depression."

#### Announced Late Sunday

The final report, presented to the President four days ago, was made available by the board today a few hours before the scheduled departure of Mr. Roosevelt on his ocean cruise.

The NRA codes, the board concluded, were "too drastic and attempted to do too much." In this connection, it recommended that the price fixing attempts of NRA be abandoned as soon as possible.

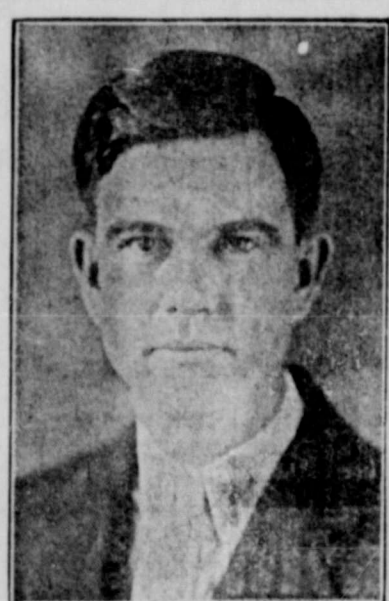
The board told the President that in all codes examined "one condition has been persistent, undeniable and apparent to any impartial observation," that the code had given opportunity "for the more powerful and profitable interests to seize control of an industry to augment and extend control already obtained."

"Our investigations," the board said, "have shown that in the instances mentioned the codes do not only permit but foster monopolistic practices and the small enterprise is not only oppressed but in many cases its exit accelerated from the field of business."

#### "Well Known To Exist"

"It is ominous and disquieting to have to note that although these evil conditions have been demonstrated and are well known to exist, nothing has been done to remove or even to restrain them."

"On the contrary, there seems a sinister purpose to entrench them still more securely in the processes of the act, to make still more unquestioned the monopolistic sway of the great interest. Thousands upon thousands of small enterprises in many lines of business have peti-



GEORGE MAHOM HAS RESIDED IN DISTRICT OVER PERIOD OF 26 YEARS

George Mahom, District Attorney of Colorado City and candidate for Congress, announced some months ago in our columns. At that time he made no formal statement but at this time has the following to say to the people of Floyd County:

"We are entering the last lap in the campaign for Congress. I have met many of the people in every county of the District, and they have shown and expressed confidence in my campaign. I feel that the people of this district want and need a friend in Congress. I am trying to meet that requirement."

"Briefly, I have resided in what now composes the District for 26 years. I am 33 years old. The Constitution requires that a man be 25 years of age before he can be elected to Congress. My experience consists in having been reared on a West Texas farm among West Texas people, an attendant upon West Texas and Texas schools, completing my work at two schools of higher learning in Texas. My political experience consists in having been elected to high office for four terms,

and am now representing a large number of people serving my fourth term as District Attorney of a large District.

My platform which space does not permit me to give here but which I have and am discussing at my speaking engagements includes; a proper agricultural policy for this district, including adjustment of tariffs because Texas exports more than 50% of its cotton; no more tax exempt bonds and securities, thereby shifting to some degree the burden of taxation; cooperation by your Congressman with all the people; and a high standard in political life in order that we may preserve the nation.

### Mozelle Hinkle, Aged 4, Died Friday Morning, Services Saturday

Mozelle Hinkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hinkle of Floydada, died Friday morning at 5 o'clock at the home here. Physicians said her death was caused by streptococcus poisoning.

The child, aged 3 years 10 months and 11 days, was born August 18, 1930. She had been ill for only a short time before her death. Survivors are the parents and one brother, aged 2, of the immediate family.

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning from the City Park Church of Christ with the Elder Luke Priba conducting.

Pallbearers were: Roy Horn, John Howard, Calvin Steen and A. F. Norton.

Flower girls were: Joy Deen, Roxie Norton, Beatrice Davis, Pearl Ivie and Mrs. T. C. Hollums and Mrs. H. C. Stanley.

Interment was in the Floydada cemetery with F. C. Harmon in charge of the arrangements.

#### UNDERWENT OPERATION

J. M. Heald, of Floydada, underwent an operation for a cataract on his eye at the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock, last week. Mrs. Edwin Heald accompanied him to Lubbock for treatment last week end.

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**POLITICAL  
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Those whose names appear below  
have authorized The Floyd County  
Plainsman to announce their candi-  
dacy for nomination for the offices  
under which their names appear,  
subject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic Primary Election of July 28,  
1934:

For Congress 19th Congressional  
District:

ARTHUR P. DUGGAN  
(Littlefield, Texas)  
CLARK M. MULLICAN  
Lubbock, Texas  
GEORGE H. MAHON  
Colorado, Texas

For Judge 110th Judicial District:

KENNETH BALN  
A. J. FOLLEY  
H. A. C. BRUMMETT

For District Attorney 110th Judicial  
District:

ALTON B. CHAPMAN  
TONY B. MAXEY

For County Judge:

J. W. HOWARD, (Re-Election)  
A. H. KRIS

For County Treasurer:

MRS. MAUD MERRICK  
(Re-election)

For County Attorney:

WINFRED F. NEWSOME  
W. E. GRIMES

For District Clerk:

ROY O'BRIEN, (Re-Election)  
GEORGE B. (B) MARSHALL  
J. J. (Jeff) Davis

For County Clerk:

A. B. CLARK

For County School Superintendent:

E. C. NELSON  
C. A. CASS  
PRICE SCOTT (Re-Election)  
FLOYD BLANKENSHIP

For Collector and Assessor:

FRANK L. MOORE  
(Re-Election)

For Sheriff of Floyd County:

E. S. RANDESON

For Commissioner Precinct One:

A. S. CUMMINGS  
(Re-Election)

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct  
Number One:

B. P. WOODY

Mrs. L. G. Mathews and daughter,  
Miss Irene, and Miss Evelyn Jen-  
kins, left Saturday morning for  
Coleman for a visit with Mrs. Mathe-  
ws mother, Mrs. J. E. Featherston  
and Judge Mathews mother, Mrs. W.  
B. Mathews. Judge Mathews left  
Saturday evening for San Antonio  
for a business visit. He will go on  
to Coleman to join Mrs. Mathews  
and they will return the latter part  
of this week.

Y. Onstott and Mr. and Mrs. Dee  
Garner visited last week at Dublin,  
Eastland and Fort Worth. Mrs. J.  
R. Gilbreath, Mr. Onstott's sister  
who had been visiting here, returned  
to her home at Eastland and Mr.  
Onstott visited with her there. Mr.  
and Mrs. Garner visited in Dublin  
with Mrs. Garner's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. S. J. Jones and in Fort Worth  
with her sister.

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Mt. Pleasant Bridge, selected as one of the most beautiful short-span  
bridges in the world, is a splendid example of the steel overpass. It car-  
ries the roadway over a formerly highly dangerous railroad crossing  
at Mt. Pleasant, New York.

By V. G. IDEN  
American Institute of Steel Construction

NEW YORK CITY—If the earth  
should open suddenly and engulf  
a thriving town of 6,000 inhabitants,  
and if those who managed to climb  
out over the crumbling edges of the  
chasm were mostly crippled and  
maimed beyond  
happiness or use-  
fulness, and if not  
only the buildings  
of the town were  
lost, but all the  
rich lands for  
miles around—  
would not the  
whole world ring  
with the catas-  
trophe? Would not  
newspapers every-  
where feature it  
in headlines, and  
national relief  
organizations com-  
pete in aiding the  
survivors? And if,  
by some seismic  
miracle, the event  
could be foreseen,  
would not the whole  
nation help to move  
those 6,000 persons  
out of danger?

Yet every year, 6,000 men, women  
and children are killed or injured  
in grade crossing accidents—all of  
them preventable—and only a few,  
slow, blundering or unwilling  
steps are taken to prevent the  
wholesale slaughter!

Two thousand of the unfortunates  
die within twenty-four hours of the  
accident. Of how many of the re-  
maining die as a result, there is no  
record. These figures are from the  
insurance tables, and the yearly  
loss to the insurance companies and  
to the state is well over \$75,000,000.

There are in this country, accord-  
ing to the records of the Interstate  
Commerce Commission, over 240,

000 grade crossings, of which only  
30,000 are protected by watchmen,  
gates or similar means, and these  
protected crossings are obviously  
and by record the most dangerous.

In every instance a simple steel  
bridge, called an overpass, would  
make impossible collision between  
automobiles and trains—the cause  
of almost all grade crossing deaths  
and injuries. Deferred construction  
for such grade crossing elimination  
amounts to the huge sum of \$2,400,  
000,000, enough to eliminate a large  
percentage of the worst grade cross-  
ings and to reduce, by perhaps 50  
per cent, the loss of life and injury.

But states and municipalities, hit  
by the depression, have been econo-  
mizing; new demands have been  
made upon them, and to meet these  
taxes which, both from their source  
and to protect the lives and health  
of citizens, should be devoted to  
highway improvement, including  
grade crossing elimination, have  
been diverted to almost every con-  
ceivable purpose. Nor have the rail  
roads, states and municipalities fin-  
ally determined what shall be the  
relative obligation of each in such  
grade crossing elimination as is  
now feasible.

In the meantime, railroads are  
running shorter and faster train  
and more frequent service, and au-  
tomobiles are streamlined and much  
faster than they were even a year  
ago. There can be only one result.  
Unless grade crossing elimination  
is pushed to the limit of our capac-  
ity, there is bound to be a large in-  
crease in the already appalling  
number of grade crossing accidents.  
The present situation is a menace  
directly or indirectly, to the life and  
security of every man, woman and  
child in the United States.



V. G. Iden

**Things Worth Knowing**

By Edward C. Fielder

Leading Analyst of Current Events



**GOSH, WHAT NEXT!**

LEGISLATION introduced in Con-  
gress and several state legisla-  
tures is designed to require the  
blending of alcohol made from do-  
mestic farm crops with gasoline  
motor fuel. These bills, if passed,  
would impose heavy taxes upon  
gasoline unless it be blended with  
2% to 10% alcohol.

Imagine diluting gasoline selling  
for 5c a gallon, at the refineries,  
with an inferior fuel costing five  
times as much! The reason? Why,  
it's to help the farmer.

These proposals are bad enough  
in themselves but the real danger  
lies in the extremes to which un-  
sound movements are carried un-  
less a halt is called. "If it doesn't  
work in one industry let's try it in  
some other field," seems to be the  
attitude of proponents of such  
measures. I know a chap who sells  
shellac. Why not a proposal to mix  
shellac with hair tonic?

Legislation designed to help one  
group at the expense of others, not  
only is fundamentally unsound, but  
eventually proves decidedly harm-  
ful to the group it is intended to  
benefit.

**REALLY AN OBLIGATION**

When the farmer can produce at  
a profit, and every citizen, who  
wants to work, can make a living at  
a gainful occupation, then we will  
enjoy a condition that is fundamen-  
tally sound and prosperity that is  
lasting.

Sooner or later the ingenuity of  
men, NOT IN PUBLIC OFFICE,  
will have to construct such an  
economic structure. The obvious-  
ness of this fact should stir to ac-  
tion every thinking man in our  
country who has been blessed with  
the quality of leadership.

**FLAGPOLE SITTING**

The city of Buffalo adopted an  
ordinance putting a stop to injur-  
ious endurance contests, such as  
dance marathons, flagpole sitting,  
etc. This ordinance should be adopt-  
ed by other cities, but its scope ex-  
tended to include the public exhibi-  
tions in which the injurious endur-  
ance is borne by the citizenry and  
not by the performers. For in-  
stance: fence sitting contests by  
candidates for public office, cross-  
country marathons for the rural  
vote, and the politicians' relay-

running up the taxes and running  
down the jobs.

**HAZARDOUS OCCUPATIONS**

A recent survey made by leading  
life insurance companies showed  
the greatest number of accidental  
industrial fatalities occurred last  
year, not in the so-called hazardous  
occupations, but on farms by care-  
less use of agricultural machinery.

Ellsworth Gale, Director of the  
Red Cross Products of Johnson and  
Johnson, claims: "Every year at  
this time, when the farmer starts  
his spring activity, the sale of such  
first aid equipment as cotton, gauze,  
"Zo and drybak adhesive tape in  
rural communities mounts rapidly.  
Most of the accidents are caused by  
carelessness with working tools  
rather than familiarity with trac-  
tors and other farm machinery."

The very familiarity with ma-  
chinery breeds contempt of its dan-  
gers and results in accidents.

**INTERNATIONAL GRAND JURY.**

An International Grand Jury,  
composed of cross sections of the  
citizenry of every civilized nation to  
act between the World Court and  
offending nations has been propos-  
ed by Lloyd N. Scott, well-known  
New York attorney. The substance  
of his proposal follows: "As the  
Grand Jury is the only remaining  
point of contact between the aver-  
age citizen and his government and  
its officials, so an International  
Grand Jury, made up of average  
citizens of the world, offers the  
only direct and practicable means  
of contact between the World Court  
and the citizenry of the various  
nations."

**UNFAIR COMPETITION**

At least 225 items of trade are  
suffering from government competi-  
tion. The government uses the citi-  
zens' money to establish ruinous  
competition against him.

No particular Administration is  
responsible for this unfavorable  
condition. It is a bureaucratic form  
of government which has grown at  
an alarming rate in recent years.

**LEST WE FORGET**

Government should remain an in-  
strument of man and not a master  
over him. As Daniel Webster so  
aptly put it: "A day—an hour—  
of virtuous liberty is worth a whole  
eternity of bondage."

**CLARK MULLICAN**

Judge 110th Judicial District  
Lubbock, Texas

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**IS YOUR CAR READY FOR THAT VACATION TRIP?**

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**E. S. Randerson May Be Released From Hospital In Two Weeks, Is Report**

A report received by Deputy Sheriff G. Scott King from El Paso stated that E. S. Randerson, who was injured in an automobile accident near El Paso three weeks ago, could be released in two weeks.

Mr. Randerson, sheriff of Floyd County, sustained serious injuries when his car left the road and struck a tree. Mrs. Randerson and daughter, Folia, are at Mr. Randerson's bedside.

**DONKEY BASEBALL GAME FURNISHED PLENTY OF AMUSEMENT**

The Donkey Baseball game, a thrilling and spilling and mirthful affair, was won Saturday night by the Firemen over the American Legion. The game was sponsored by the American Legion and was played at the Floydada League field under the lights.

Several hundred people saw the game. The American Legion received \$24.00 for their part of the proceeds.

**MISS REBA MANN, OF FLOYDADA, AND MR. JIMMIE BROOKS, AMARILLO, MARRY**

Miss Reba Mann, who has been employed for the past several weeks in the Vogue Beauty Shoppe in Floydada, and Mr. Jimmie Brooks, of Amarillo, were married in Lubbock Sunday, friends in Floydada have learned.

Mr. Brooks is assistant manager of F. W. Woolworth's store in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks will make their home in Amarillo.

**J. S. PORCHER, OF ELDORADO, APPOINTED ASSISTANT COUNTY AGENT HERE**

J. S. Porcher, of Eldorado, Texas, began work Monday in the office of Glen A. Lindsey, county agent, as assistant county agent. It was an appointment by the extension service.

Mr. Porcher will work for the main part on the Bankhead Cotton Bill cotton acreage reduction plan.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED**

Marriage license were issued by County Clerk A. B. Clark to the following couples June 30:

Mr. Willard Lewis and Miss Verda Hunter.

Mr. Jess L. Lanier and Miss Thelma Ritter.

**BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Allen, of Sandhill, June 29, a son.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fuller, and daughters, Wilma and Bonnie and Mrs. Sarah K. Duncan, visited in Lubbock Sunday with relatives.

**BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crum, city, June 28, a daughter. The child, who weighed 6 and three-fourths pounds at birth, has been named Bobby Louise.**

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**FIREMEN WIN OVER DRUGGISTS IN FIRST GAME OF SECOND HALF PLAY**

In the first game of the second half of play in the Floydada Twilight Softball League the Firemen won over the Druggists by a score of 7 to 2. The game was played Monday afternoon.

The Methodists met the Dairymen in the second game, played Monday night, but the game had not been completed at the time of going to press. Last week the first half of play ended with the Methodists winning.

**CHILD WELFARE SURVEY SUSPENDED MONDAY NIGHT; TO BE RESUMED SOON**

The child welfare survey, being made in Floyd County through the county relief office, was suspended Monday night temporarily. Clifford Rhoades, county relief administrator, said that the work would possibly be resumed within the next ten days.

Mr. Rhoades stated that the survey would be continued through the office in relief roll and border line homes as the clients come in.

Miss Eddie Mae Gilliland, who had been employed on the survey, will return to her work at a Lubbock hospital as nurse.

**Mr. and Mrs. George Kizzar and Miss Susie Roland left last Friday for their home in Los Angeles, California, after spending two weeks here in visiting relatives. They were accompanied by Collis Roland who will visit there two weeks.**

**Clifford Golightly and Doyce Easterling returned Friday night from Texon, Texas, where they had been visiting for some time.**

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Reed, W. N. Paschall and Mrs. Earl Crow, of Floydada, went to Lubbock Sunday to meet Earl Crow who was returning from El Paso where he had been enlisted in the government C. C. C.

**E. T. Ishop, of Yorktown, and Mr. and Mrs. Dailey ishoBp, of New Braunfels, Texas, left Tuesday to return to their homes after having visited in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bishop for a week.**

**Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spence and daughter, Betty Jean, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Huckabee and family.**

**Dr. and Mrs. J. Herman Thomas, of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thomas of Springtown, Texas, are visiting in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine. Mrs. Herman Thomas is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thomas are Mrs. Arwine's parents.**

**Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Beheler and family, of Brenham, arrived Saturday morning for a visit in Floydada with Mrs. Beheler's sister, Mrs. H. O. Cline, Mr. Cline and the family. Mr. Beheler, who is employed by the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, is on his vacation.**

Marriage license were issued by County Clerk A. B. Clark to Mr. Cecil Baxter and Miss Rena Mae Lyles, Saturday, June 30.

**Mrs. Eva Bryant of Fort Worth, spent Thursday night and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hollums and family.**

**Mrs. T. M. Noland and Miss Francis Williams spent Monday with Mrs. J. C. Warren and daughter.**

**American Legion's Big Two Day Horse Races And Celebration Starts**

The American Legion's big two day celebration of the fourth of July starts Tuesday this week. Arrangements have been made to accommodate several thousand people at the two horse racing meets, Neighbor Day, and celebration.

A track has been completed north of town at the Saata Fe 'T' and the railroad company has granted use of the stock pens for the horses and the field nearby for the races, and the rodeo.

Today, Tuesday, has been designated as Neighbor Day instead of Wednesday, as has been the custom for the past several weeks. Tomorrow, which is the fourth, several of the dry goods and grocery stores and others will be closed in honor of Independence Day.

Races will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon and tomorrow, and a rodeo will be staged following. Candidates speaking and other entertainment has been planned.

Frank Norfleet, famous plains detective of Hale Center, is in Floydada and will have charge of the races and be master of ceremonies during the two days celebration.

**Mt. Blanco Baptist Church Announcement For Sunday, July 8th**

Following is the announcement of services for the Mt. Blanco Baptist Church for Saturday, July 7 and Sunday, July 8th:

Preaching Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, conference following.

Sunday school 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

Preaching 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

B. Y. P. U. 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

Preaching 8:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

Members urged to attend. Visitors welcomed.

**REV. G. W. TUBBS, Pastor.**

**NINE BOYS SELECTED FOR C. C. C. SERVICE; TO REPORT AT LUBBOCK FRIDAY**

Applications from nine young men have been approved for government C. C. C. service, County Relief Administrator Clifford Rhoades announced this week. These nine, who have been accepted, will report at Lubbock Friday morning at nine o'clock at the government army recruiting station.

Following are those whose applications were accepted and approved Marvin Crow, John A. Pawver, Jr., James Wilson Switzer, Alternate, Wayne Cowan, Oscar Husky, Walter Hammit, William Hatley Jackson, James Wyardt Pierce, William Henry Wood and Laverne Walding.

If accepted at Lubbock these men will be sent to Fort Bliss, at El Paso, for two weeks conditioning before being sent to a government reforestation camp.

**200 FLOYD COUNTY FARMERS TO ASK FOR DROUTH RELIEF FOR COUNTY**

200 Floyd County farmers, who met Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the district court room in a mass meeting, decided to ask for government drouth relief for Floyd County.

A committee, consisting of Geo. Fawver, of Baker, A. F. Norton, of Campbell, and H. P. Puckett, was appointed by the farmers to draw up a petition to relief commission members, government drouth relief officials and others asking that Floyd County be placed in a drouth relief zone. The petition asked for loans to farmers who had livestock and whose feed supply is exhausted and whose feed crop is short.

Fred M. Warren, district supervisor for the government seed and feed loan, was in attendance as was Glen A. Lindsey, county agent, and Clifford Rhoades, county relief administrator. Mr. Warren outlined the plan on which loans were made by the government to farmers in the drouth relief district.

If Floyd County is declared as eligible for drouth relief loans for feed and for feed seed, the loans will be made through the county relief office as follows: \$4.00 each per month for horses and mules; \$3.00 per month per head of cows; \$2.00 per head per month for hogs; \$1.50 per head per month for range cattle; 50 cents per head per month for goats and sheep; and 5 cents per head for poultry.

All applications for drouth relief will be made through the county relief administrator's office.

Buster Smalley, city, is recovering from a tonsil operation which he underwent the first of last week.

**G. R. MAY, 57, KILLED INSTANTLY WHEN CAR HITS TRUCK; MRS. W. A. JONES DIED IN HOSPITAL; TWO OTHERS CRITICALLY HURT**

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Both Mr. and Mrs. Jones remained in a serious condition in the hospital here late Monday evening at the time of going to press. Mrs. Jones' condition was unimproved but Mr. Jones was thought improved slightly. Physicians held little chance for Mrs. Jones' recovery but said that Mr. Jones was improving. Both were conscious at intervals during the day.

Mrs. Jones suffered a concussion of the brain, severe scalp wounds and lacerations on the lower limbs, and a fractured nose. Mr. Jones received a concussion of the brain, several broken ribs on the left side and other injuries.

**RELATIVES AT BEDSIDE**

Relatives from out-of-town here to be at the bedside of Mr. and Mrs. Jones include: A niece of Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Dave Turner and Mr. Turner and children, of Pampa; another niece of Mrs. Jones, Mrs. George Clark and Mr. Clark, of Sherman; Mr. Jones' brother, Henry Jones and Mrs. Jones, of Ballinger and Mr. Jones' Mother, Mrs. R. T. Jones, of Ballinger.

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