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## Henry Ford Trade School Youths Show What They Learn At Dearborn

Selected from an enrollment of 1,700 eight boys between the ages of 12 and 18 years have been brought from the Henry Ford Trade School in Dearborn, Michigan, to operate one of the most interesting exhibits in the Ford Building at the Texas Centennial in Dallas. The boys are to show in part what they learn and exactly how this knowledge is applied.

Boys who attend the Henry Ford Trade School are chosen from a long waiting list, as the institution has many unusually attractive features. The school, which was started in 1916, has established an enviable reputation. Its program was founded upon three basic principles: First, the boys were to be kept boys and not changed into premature workmen; Second, the academic training was to go hand in hand with the industrial institutions; Third, the boys were to be given a sense of pride and responsibility by having them build articles which were to be used.

The Trade school's complete academic course includes three years of high school English, four years of mechanical drawing, civics, commercial geography, auto mechanics, shop arithmetic, algebra, geometry, trigonometry, general chemistry, qualitative and quantitative analysis, metallurgy and shop theory.

Boys are paid 20 cents an hour at the beginning. Satisfactory marks for a six-weeks' period automatically entitles a boy to an increase in pay of one cent an hour. If a lad progresses normally he should be receiving at the end of the first year a scholarship of 27 cents, with an increase of 8 cents an hour for each succeeding year until the maximum of 60 cents an hour for boys under 18 is reached. Boys doing exceptionally good work are advanced more rapidly. At present the average rate is approximately 35 cents, or a little more than \$700 a year.

New students are given an extra \$2 the first month. This money must be deposited in a bank and the bank book turned over to the school to be checked. For as long as the boy keeps his bank fund intact a like amount is given him each succeeding month. This item, added to the cost of a hot lunch served the boys each day, makes the minimum rate in excess of \$530 and the maximum slightly more than \$1100 each year.

Boys in the Ford Exposition building show how their co-workers in Dearborn make thousands and thousands of articles in a year. These articles must pass the same rigid standards of quality as those set by the Ford Motor Company which is the chief market for the output of the school.

Visitors to the Ford Exposition building are invited to ask the boys working in the exhibit questions pertaining to their work. All are qualified and eager to talk about their studies and jobs.

## Livestock Breeders Are Showing Interest In Show at Fort Worth

Fort Worth, June 30.—Canadian and North Dakota livestock breeders were among the first to submit application for space at the official Texas Centennial Livestock Exposition here, October 3 to 8th, John B. Davis, general manager, announced today.

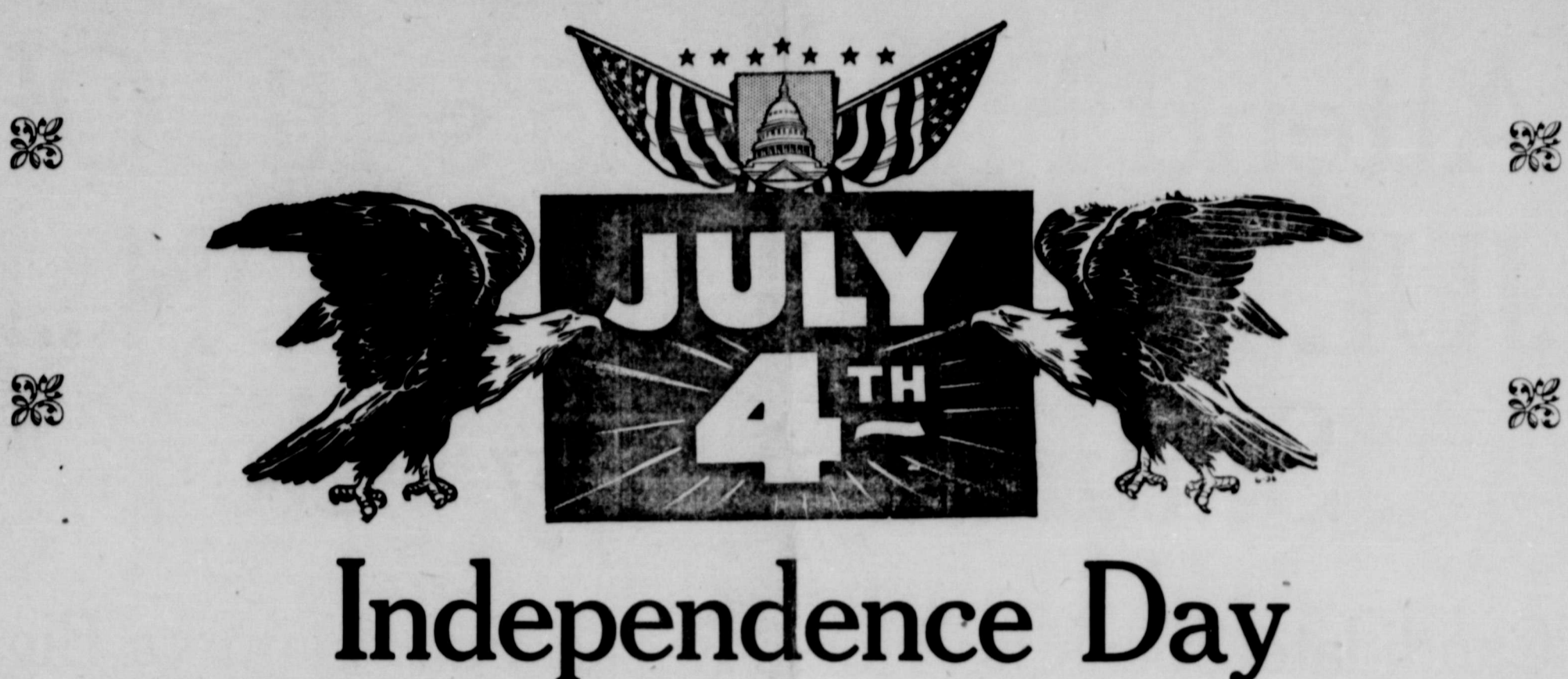
Premiums totaling \$75,000 will be distributed among the different classes for beef and dairy cattle, draft horses, sheep, swine, goats, poultry, pigeons and rabbits.

R. L. Hanna, owner of the Hanna Stock Farm, Bardonia, N. D., asked for space for 16 of his registered Aberdeen-Angus cattle, and A. C. Stewart, sheep breeder of Abbotsoford, British Columbia, is the first livestock produced from out of the United States to make inquiry about entering animals in the Fort Worth Show.

G. O. Cresswell, Abilene is superintendent of the Aberdeen-Angus classes and prizes for this division will total \$7,500.

J. M. Jones, College Station, has been named superintendent of the sheep and goat division. Prize money for this section, including the cost of the coveted Centennial trophies, will be approximately \$9,000.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Shrader and daughter, of Denver, Colorado, arrived last Thursday to visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Guimarin, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wood.



On July 4th, 1776, the Declaration of Independence was adopted and the United States of America asserted its rights to be numbered among the sovereign nations of the world . . . . That was 160 years ago . . . . Since then the nation has developed in power and achievement far beyond the dreams of its founders . . . . It has enjoyed eras of development, growth and prosperity . . . . It has surmounted

lean years and eras of hard times . . . . Today it has proved itself better able to meet the problems of world-wide economic adjustment and maintain its leadership than any of the other nations of the world . . . . We shall owe tribute to our forefathers forever, who gave us the sound foundation of independence upon which to build.

## Attend Floydada's July 4th. Celebration

### Local People Made Trip To Palo Duro Canyon Sunday

Among those visiting the Palo Duro Canyon, near Canyon, Texas, Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews, Mrs. Bess Cantwell and son, Guy, Warren Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harwood, of Bracketville, Texas. They left here Sunday morning and spread a picnic lunch on a boat at the park. They visited the beautiful sights after which Dr. and Mrs. Andrews, Guy and Warren returned to Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Harwood and Mrs. Cantwell visited in Amarillo, before returning home.

### Final Arrangements Being Worked Out For Celebration At Stamford

Final preparations are being completed by officials of the Texas Cowboy Reunion for the opening of its seventh annual rodeo and roun-up at Stamford, July 2-3-4. All buildings, grandstands and corral fences have received a new coat of paint. The ground of the arena has received a sani-soil treatment, a preparation to prevent dust, which is calculated to be one of the most appreciated improvements that has been made this year.

Ornamental trees and native mesquites on the grounds have made good growth in the past twelve months and will furnish some shade to comfort and cool the weary cowboy or other visitors who seek shelter from the sun. A high wire fence has been built on three sides of the 42 acre reunion tract and a steel woven wire fence with four ornamental gates adorns the main entrance. Additional comfort for spectators has been provided by placing foot rests on all seats in the grandstands, and by adding awning-like extensions to the roofs to keep out the sun.

Judge and Mrs. A. J. Folley and daughter, Francis Elaine, left Saturday afternoon for different parts of East Texas, where they will visit relatives. They will visit with his mother at Mart, Texas, after which they planned to attend the Texas Centennial at Dallas before returning home.

Miss Ruth Jenkins spent Saturday in Plainview visiting with Miss Nina Mae Drew. She also attended an entertainment given by Miss Drew.

Miss Oleta Jackson left Wednesday for Sulphur Springs, where she will visit with Miss Genna Mae Owen. She also planned to attend the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas.

Miss Joyce Hopkins, who had spent the past ten days here visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jack Henry, and family, returned to her home in Sanatorium, Texas.

### Scholastic Report For Floyd County Is 2,890 Pupils For 1936-37

The scholastic report on the county of Floyd show a total of 2,890 pupils for the school year of 1936-37, which includes girls and boys between the ages of six and eighteen, according to a report made by Walter Travis, county school superintendent.

There are 814 for the independent school district of Floydada; 446 for Lockney and 1630 for the rural schools.

### Floyd and Hale Counties Will Hold Meeting For Discussion On Irrigation

Floyd and Hale Counties will hold a joint meeting Monday evening, July 6, at Aiken school at 8:00 for the purpose of discussing the irrigation problem in the two counties. An effort is to be made for both counties to organize the farmers and to order enough irrigation commodities to have one carload.

All the farmers are urged to attend this meeting. D. F. BREDTHAUER, County Agent.

### Local Relatives Attended Funeral of Mrs. T. J. Marshall at Lockney

Mrs. L. A. Marshall, Mrs. M. H. Marshall and George B. Marshall attended the funeral of Mrs. T. J. Marshall at Lockney Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the West Side Church of Christ.

The deceased was eighty-one years old last December and died Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Griffith. She had been ill for several days but her condition was not considered serious. She past away suddenly Wednesday. She had made Lockney her home for several years. Her son, E. L. Marshall, preceded her in death in February.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John Griffith, of Lockney, and one son, Tom Marshall, of California. L. A. Marshall of Floydada is a nephew of the deceased.

Mrs. H. T. Livingston and daughter, Miss Ruth Livingston, of Vernon, spent Saturday here attending to business and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvan Armstrong, of Pasadena, California, arrived last Friday to visit here with his cousins, John and Pink Maxwell. They left Tuesday morning for Dallas, where they visited the Texas Centennial Exposition. They were accompanied to Dallas by John Maxwell, who visited the Centennial and will return home the latter part of this week.

Jack Hill and G. B. Tittle, Jr., spent last week end in Abilene visiting with their families.

### Infant Son of Mr. and Joe Hale Was Buried Last Thursday Afternoon

Daniel Pat Hale, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hale, of Odessa, was buried here Thursday afternoon at the Floydada cemetery. Funeral services were conducted at the home of the child's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cummings, at Sandhill, by Elder O. W. Kirk at 3 o'clock.

The deceased was born November 3, 1935 and died Wednesday, June 24, 1936, after a brief illness for three hours. The child died at the home of his parents in Odessa. He was survived by his parents and one brother.

Pallbearers were: H. T. Magnus, of Friona and Clarence Martin, of Sagerton. Flower girls were: Miss Donnie Stephenson, Miss Hazel Parker, Misses Ena Lea and Alice Mae Fyffe, Mrs. Lowell Gamblin, Mrs. Carrie Snodgrass and Miss Maurine Hay.

### Floydada Baseball Team Won Against Cedar Hill Sunday

Members of the local baseball team played against Cedar Hill team Sunday afternoon on the local field, located northeast of the Santa Fe stockyard. Floydada team won to the final score of 26-6.

Floydada's line-up was as follows: Darwin Calahan, hind catcher; Homer Hopkins, pitcher; Burl Holt, first base; Blondy Finley, second base; Jim Curry, short stop; Walton Henderson, who was relieved by Edd Jordan, third base; C. T. (Bill) Scott, right field; Howard Welborn, center field; Orville Lightfoot, left field.

Home-runs were made by the local team by C. T. Scott and Orville Lightfoot.

Officials for the game were as follows: Bob Welborn, strike-up; and Arthur Womaek, base-up.

This was the first game the Floydada team has played since they received their new suits. This was the first game that several of the players had played altogether as the team was organized about three weeks ago. The boys practice every afternoon from 6 o'clock until 7:30 p. m. Floydada has one of the best baseball teams in this part of the panhandle and they will strive to win the majority of the games this season. They showed their good ability to play Sunday afternoon and will continue to practice to perfect their plays.

Mrs. Dave Standifer and children, of Muleshoe, arrived Sunday to visit with her mother, Mrs. E. C. Nelson. Mr. Standifer spent Sunday here.

Calvir (Munk) Henson, of Little Rock, Arkansas, arrived here Saturday to visit with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Henson.

### E. B. Massie, Former Citizen Of Floydada, Was Buried Monday

E. B. Massie was buried at Corpus Christi, Monday afternoon. He died at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in a hospital in San Antonio, where he had been for about one month. He had been ill for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. Massie and family were former citizens of Floydada and he was manager of a drug store here. They moved from here several years ago and have made their home in Corpus Christi.

Survivors are his wife, two daughters and two sons: Mrs. Jack deCordova; the former Miss Hazel Massie, and Miss Jessie Bell Massie; the sons are: E. B. Massie, Jr., of Corpus Christi, and Doc, of Pampa. One brother survives, Dr. Hasty Massie, of Dallas, who formerly owned a drug store in Floydada.

### CEMETERY DRIVE WILL BE MADE FRIDAY BY LOCAL COMMITTEE

A general cemetery drive will be made Friday for the purpose securing funds to continue the upkeep of the property. The funds will be given through donations from citizens of this city. Mrs. Bob Smith has charge of the drive.

The following ladies will assist Mrs. Smith: Mrs. George V. Smith, Mrs. J. B. Bishop, Mrs. Lee Mayhew, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. R. Fred Brown, and Mrs. Nora Cox.

### VISIT RELATIVES AND CENTENNIAL IN DALLAS

Mrs. J. T. McLain and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tyler, returned home Monday from Dallas where they spent the past week visiting the Centennial and among relatives.

They were accompanied home by Mr. McLain's sister and children, Mrs. Lewis Golbel, of Dallas. Mr. Golbel and Miss Winnie McLain will arrive Friday and will visit in the McLain home. Mrs. Golbel and children will return home with Mr. Golbel Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Walker, of Lubbock, Supervisor of Woman's Work, spent Monday here attending to business.

Miss Nina Mae Drew, of Plainview, spent last week end here visiting with Miss Ruth Jenkin's.

Mrs. Shirley Sandifer, of Paducah, arrived last Wednesday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Sparks and family.

Mrs. Elmer Eastridge and son, Verne, left Monday morning for Sonora, Texas, where he will be employed with Fields Brothers. They plan to remain there for five or six months.

### Plans Will Be Completed Friday For Fourth Of July Celebration In Floydada

Plans will be completed Friday when the last trip will be made to neighboring towns advertising the celebration to be held here Saturday, July 4th, under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce, Fire Department and American Legion.

At 11 o'clock Saturday morning the main speech of the day will be made by Senator G. N. Nelson. The loud speaker will be placed at the south of the courthouse so the talks may be heard a long distance from the speaker. Other speeches will be made by candidates. Judge H. D. Payne will also speak during the day.

A water polo game will be played at 2:00 by two local teams, after which Plainview will play against Wichita Falls in a horse polo game. The water polo will be played on the street near the courthouse and the other game will be staged on the field west of the W. M. Massie home.

Jack Alfreds Tent Show will be here three days for the July 4th celebration. The tent will be located south of the Conners Texas Service Station. A carnival consisting of three or four stands will be located around the courthouse. An invitation dance will be given Friday evening on the local skating floor. A public dance will be given at the same place Saturday night.

A trip was made last Friday and Saturday to ten neighboring towns by R. W. Cothran, local secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Eddie Williams, Jess Covington and Judge H. D. Payne. W. N. Brewster accompanied the group Friday. Speeches were made and the celebration was advertised in various ways. Another trip will be made to the same towns Friday and further advertising will be made. The different towns accepted the invitation to attend and good attendance is expected by the local committee that made the trip.

### Miss Esther Patterson And Carl Rodgers Were Married Friday

Miss Esther Patterson and Carl Rodgers, both of this city, were married in Tahoka last Friday at 4:00 p. m. by a baptist pastor, of that city. A simple ceremony was performed.

Miss Patterson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Patterson, of New Home, and has made Floydada her home most of her life. Her parents moved from Floydada a short time ago.

The bride was dressed in a white crepe suit with which she chose the white matching accessories. She was formerly employed in the Hoosier Beauty Shop at Plainview.

The groom has made his home in Floydada for the past several years.

Let Cavanaugh do your printing.

## Funeral Services Were Held Sunday For John Albert Enoch

Funeral services were conducted from the First Christian Church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. Gordon Voight, pastor, who was assisted by Rev. W. P. Jennings, pastor of the First Christian Church at Plainview, who is an old friend of the family, and Rev. N. E. Tyler, pastor of the Nazarene Church here.

Mr. Enoch was born May 12, 1885 in the state of Wisconsin and has made Floydada his home in Floydada for the past several years. He and his family made their home at 508 East Missouri Street. Mr. Enoch was employed as a blacksmith in his shop here. He also owned a cafe business in Floydada.

Survivors are: His wife, two daughters and one son; Misses Blanche and Ruth Enoch, both attending West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon, and Gwilyn, of Floydada.

Flower girls were: Miss Ruth Jenkins, Miss Florine Dorrell, Miss Gladys Ruth Brown, Miss Betty Newell, Misses Ruth and Ruby Tribble, Mrs. L. B. Fawver, Jr., and Miss Audrey Farris.

Pallbearers were: J. C. Wester, Tom McClung, J. H. Tribble, Carl Broyles, Lon M. Davis, Roy Patton, Floyd Ballard and L. B. Fawver, Sr.

Honorary pallbearers were: Paul Conner, V. Williams, Harry Morekel, Walter Newell, Frank L. Moore, L. B. Fawver, Jr., D. E. Smith, Wesley Elliott, Charlie Huckabee, E. E. Russell, Bob Garrett, V. P. Switzer, Ross Henry, N. A. Armstrong, J. D. Christian, Ray Bennett, J. M. Gamblin, L. C. McDonald, Floyd Lawson, S. W. Ross, Ted Probasco, Roe McCleskey, Edgar Jones and S. F. Conner.

Interment was made in the Floydada cemetery. F. C. Harmon Funeral Home had charge of the funeral arrangements and burial.

## Land Bank Loans Will Remain In Effect For Another Year

The emergency 3 1/2 percent interest rate on Federal Land Bank loans will remain in effect for another year, according to Albert S. Goss, Land Bank Commissioner.

In a telegram received Saturday by A. C. Williams, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston and General Agent of the Farm Credit Administration of Houston, Mr. Goss said:

"Action of Congress approved June 25 continues for one year the temporary Federal Land Bank interest rate of 3 1/2 percent which otherwise would have expired on June 30. The 3 1/2 percent rate will be effective for all interest payable in the year beginning July 1, 1936, on nearly \$2,000,000,000 of Federal Land Bank Loan Associations.

"Continuation of the 3 1/2 percent rate for one year takes the place of the 4 percent rate that would have prevailed for the coming year and the succeeding year. Under the law as now amended land bank borrowers will resume on July 1, 1937, interest payments at the rate at which their loans were written originally.

"The temporary interest reduction provided by Congress does not change the contract rate of 4 percent at which land bank loans are now being made through National Farm Loan Associations. Farmers who obtain loans now at the 4 percent contract rate will get the benefit of the 3 1/2 percent for all interest installments payable in the one year period ending June 30, 1937 and after that date will pay 4 percent for the entire duration of their loans."

Mrs. E. I. Roberts and son, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Roberts of Deport, Texas, arrived Sunday to visit with her brother, Dave Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall and baby, Richard Franklin, spent Saturday in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Shirey and family left Thursday for San Diego, California, where they will visit their son, Gilbert Shirey, Jr., and other relatives. They plan to return home in two weeks.

Hermon Wright, of Brownfield, arrived Saturday evening to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wright and family.

Mrs. E. C. Potter left Monday morning for Canyon, she will remain for ten days.



# Attend Floydada's 4th Of JULY CELEBRATION... Saturday July 4th.

Candidate Speaking, Horse Races, Polo Game, a Big Day full of entertainment for everybody; BE HERE-  
Auspices American Legion--Fire Boys and Chamber of Commerce.

<p>Celebrate With Us July 4th</p> <p><b>Floydada Cleaners</b></p> <p>O. B. OLSON      CLINTON FYFFE</p>	<p>M. AND H. COFFEE SHOP</p> <p><b>G. T. Young</b></p> <p>CHICKEN DINNER, ICE CREAM, AND COLD DRINKS.</p>	<p>MAKE YOUR 4th CELEBRATION COMPLETE</p> <p>BY HAVING YOUR CLOTHES PROPERLY CLEANED AND SHAPED BY</p> <p><b>Boothe Dry Cleaners</b></p>
<p>GREETINGS FROM FLOYDADA GROCERY</p> <p>We invite you to visit our store.</p> <p>COMPARE OUR PRICES.</p> <p>Dave Holland      Bert Williams</p>	<p>HEADQUARTERS FOR LUNCH MEATS OF ALL KINDS AND BARBECUE—</p> <p>JONES' MEAT MARKET EDGAR JONES</p>	<p>Complete Your Celebration By Seeing The</p> <p>NEW 1937 MODEL CROSLY RADIOS</p> <p>At</p> <p>RADIO ELECTRIC COMPANY Phone 201</p>
<p>WE HEARTILY JOIN WITH YOU IN THE CELEBRATION OF THIS GREAT OCCASION.</p> <p>We invite each and all of you to call on us when in need of INSURANCE of any kind.</p> <p>FLOYDADA INSURANCE AGENCY W. H. Henderson, Owner Readhimer Building      Phone 273</p>	<p>EXPERT WORKMANSHIP AT REASONABLE PRICES.</p> <p>GET YOUR CAR READY FOR VACATION.</p> <p>DAY AND NIGHT GARAGE Frank Boerner, Owner</p>	<p>Visit</p> <p>DAILY'S CONOCO SERVICE STATION NUMBER ONE</p> <p>On the convenient corner</p> <p>WASHING AND GREASING OUR SPECIALTY.</p>
<p>J. C. WOOLDRIDGE LUMBER COMPANY</p> <p>It is time to repair your screen windows and doors.</p> <p>DO YOUR INTERIOR DECORATION.</p>	<p>W. H. SEALE DRY GOODS COMPANY</p> <p>Be sure and visit our store Friday and Saturday, July 3rd and 4th</p> <p>WE WILL HAVE SPECIAL PRICES ON MERCHANDISE</p> <p>Look For Our Big Circular.</p>	<p>IF YOU ARE TIRED OR THIRSTY BE SURE TO COME IN AND GET FIXED UP. Anyway make our place headquarters all day on the 4th.</p> <p><b>F. C. HARMON</b> Furniture, Floor Coverings and 2nd Hand Department.</p>

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By L. L. STEVENSON

**Free ride to the graveyard:** A company selling cemetery lots has hit on a new scheme to increase sales. Women's organizations are approached and a fund-raising plan laid before them. If they will obtain 36 women willing to travel to the property in a bus, the company will pay into the organization's treasury, the sum of 35 cents a head. As a further inducement for a large turnout, refreshments are served at the cemetery. Thus the organization is ahead \$12.70 and free meals for members who attend. As for the company, the high pressure salesmen who make their appearance after the luncheon, look after its interests. The scheme must be profitable since it has been in operation for some time.

**Seeing sights:** At that large dress establishment in Union Square where customers wait on themselves, the mirrors in the room for the try-ons are slanted and girls sitting on high stools are thus able to watch everything that takes place. Thus it is extremely difficult for a dishonest female to make a successful getaway with any of the store's property. Store detectives are also on constant patrol throughout the place. Incidentally, suburban housewives never visit the establishment on Thursdays. If they did they would meet their maids because Thursday is the servants' day out. For that reason, also, most of the Westchester clubs, with family memberships, have their big meal on Thursday instead of Sunday night.

**Hard-hearted New York:** For several years, a young man has been selling apples and oranges at Eighth avenue and Forty-third street. Not only is he deaf and dumb but also so nearly blind that he can see only a short distance. That's why regular customers always press their nickels into the palm of his hand. His stand is one box atop another. Well, the other morning, the stand upset and the stock rolled into the street. Instead of laughing at the occurrence, passersby stopped and gathered the fruit. They didn't walk away with it but arranged it neatly on the stand. The distressed merchant thanked them with his hands.

This and that department Phil Regan, singer on the stage and the radio, where he is heard with Ken Murray, is a former Brooklyn cop.

**Before leaving for Hollywood,** James Melton took a course in make-up for the movies. Richard Gordon, who plays the part of Sherlock Holmes on the air, gets as many as ten letters a week asking him to solve local mysteries. . . and that reminds me that Sigmond Romberg, conductor-composer, is still listed as one of the greatest spy catchers in the intelligence service, of which he was a member during the war.

**Singer turns fire fighter:** Carmela Ponselle was walking along West End avenue thinking of mezzo-soprano arias when she saw smoke and flame coming from the basement of a four-story house. Screams might have been expected under such circumstances and screams from a grand opera singer surely would have been heard. Instead of screaming Miss Ponselle quietly assembled a group of men, who broke in the door and put out the fire. The family living in the house knew nothing of the blaze until the volunteer smoke eaters crashed the gate.

**City Life:** Three little girls playing jacks in the marble vestibule of an old brownstone house. The woman manager, who used to own the house but who lost it in the depression, taking the history of the signer of a lease and going carefully into details since she selects her tenants with care. . . and upstairs in the apartment which is to be rented, an aged man fighting hard for life.

Whenever New Yorkers laugh about rubes and hicks, I chuckle. The other day, hundreds of women and men, young and old, lined up awaiting entrance to one of the big mid-town movie houses, the queue extending more than half a long block. For an hour or more the line remained motionless and when it did move, did so slowly. And all the while a heavy rain was falling!

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**Water Hemlock Is Worst California Poison Plant**  
San Francisco. — The research workers on the Federal Writers' project, who are compiling an eight-volume guide book of the United States, have completed the list of poisonous plants in California. The most poisonous plant in the state, for both man and beast, they report, is the water hemlock. It also is one of the most alluring from the standpoint of fragrance.

**Pigeons Once Last Word as Bearers of Messages**

Before the advent of the telegraph in 1844, carrier pigeons, and then the more intelligent and speedy Homing pigeons, were the means of fast and dependable communication between towns, cities, states and even countries in Europe and Asia. These feathered messengers were the last word in efficient space-spanning. Ships, trains, horses were in no class with them, obsolescent as a writer in the Rural New Yorker.

The early Egyptians and Romans used pigeons extensively in times of war and peace as messenger bearers. The famous international banking house, known as the "House of Rothschild," used Homing pigeons exclusively as a means of communication between their main branch in London and their branch offices in Germany, France, Italy and Spain. During the crisis of 1813, brought about by the escape of Napoleon from Elba, affairs were at a fever pitch in London, due to anxiety and thoughts of renewed attacks by Napoleon and his army. When news of Napoleon's march to Waterloo to meet Wellington was received, Nathan Rothschild, the eldest of the five famous brothers, who was the manager of the London branch of the house, sent an assistant to Waterloo, with a basket containing a few of the Homing pigeons, to be liberated during the battle bearing messages telling of the turn of the tide, and the ultimate defeat or victory of Wellington.

**Giant Sloth Unable to Walk Over Mile in Month**

South America was isolated from other continents for long periods of geologic time, according to scientists. Therefore it developed animals unlike any others in the world, says a writer in the Washington Post.

One of these was the giant sloth. Armed with long, scimitar-like claws, this great beast was so clumsy it couldn't travel much more than a mile in a month. Today's sluggish tree-sloth of South America is one of its descendants.

Another fantastic animal was called thomassuxleya. It was so named by a South American scientist in honor of the great Nineteenth century English anatomist, Thomas Huxley. Its fossilized skeleton was found in Patagonia and reconstructed by the American Museum of Natural History in New York city.

Affectionately known as "Tommy" to the museum staff, this creature is said to resemble nothing else that ever lived.

It stood two feet high at the shoulder and was about five feet long. It had a head, large for the size of its body, and walked about on short but very powerful legs ending in splayed feet.

**Jamestown Saved**

An Amerindian convert to Christianity saved Jamestown, first permanent English settlement in America, from being wiped out in 1622. He gave residents there warning as tribesmen attacked every settlement in Virginia and killed 347 of the total white population of 1,240. The convert thereby played an important part in our history. For had Jamestown suffered the fate of the other settlements, English colonization of the new world might have ended. A chain of mishaps doused colonial enthusiasm in England.

**Use for Platinum**

Platinum is used largely for chemical vessels (such as stills, dishes, crucibles and wires), owing to its infusibility and ability to resist acids; for making electric connections through glasses, as in electric wiring, owing to the fact that its coefficient of expansion is almost the same as that of glass; also for dental fillings and in the manufacture of jewelry.

**Placing Value on Testimony**

Several centuries ago in Europe, the testimony of a witness was valued according to a rating that had previously been given to him by the court. For example, statements made by a wealthy and influential citizen with a rating of 100 would outweigh and counteract evidence given by a number of men whose combined rating totaled only 50.—Collier's Weekly.

**One Cause of Insanity**

Virtually all of the abnormal increase in insanity in this country is traceable to the development of cerebroarteriosclerosis, or hardening of the brain blood vessels, in elderly people. Aside from this one cause the rate of admission to mental hospitals—68 per 100,000 of population—has shown no variation in the past 25 years.—Collier's Weekly.

**Unchanging Carcassonne**

Throughout the varying tides of history, the rise and fall of conquerors and kings and the development of a great nation, Old Carcassonne, France, has remained a medieval city. Just as it resisted its countless besiegers for a thousand years, Carcassonne has resisted time and preserved the romance and charm of the past.



**Meet Us In FLOYDADA JULY 4th.**

Plenty of Entertainment—Candidate Speaking, Ball Game, Polo Game. The following candidates who are seeking your support in the July Primary extend to you this Invitation.

**FRANK L MOORE**  
CANDIDATE FOR  
**ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES FLOYD COUNTY**  
SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY  
YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE APPRECIATED

**WILL APPRECIATE YOUR VOTE**  
IN THE PRIMARY ELECTION  
**MRS. MAUD MERRICK**  
COUNTY TREASURER

**W. C. HANNA**  
CANDIDATE FOR  
**SHERIFF OF FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS**  
SUBJECT TO DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, JULY 25, 1936  
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### "SHOOTING FISH" OF SIAM REAL EXPERTS

#### Piscatorial Freaks Could Teach Naval Gunners.

New York.—In the waters somewhere east of Suez, lives a "shooting fish" that can give naval gunners a lesson or two when it comes to marksmanship. This strange creature, known as the "archer fish," lives largely on insects which it shoots from overhanging branches with bullets of water.

Even cigarettes have been extinguished by these marine sharpshooters, according to Hugh M. Smith, former fisheries advisor to the Kingdom of Siam. During his stay in the East, Mr. Smith studied these fish in the Philippines, French Indo-China, Siam, Malaya, Burma and India.

"Wild fish planted in a large pond in the compound of my residence in Bangkok were under close observation for a number of years," writes Mr. Smith in "Natural History" published by the American museum.

#### Most Efficient.

"Of the oriental fresh-water fishes with which I am acquainted in the wild state, none gives such an impression of intelligence and efficiency as does Toxotes (the archer fish). This impression grows on an observer as he notes the purposeful way in which a fish moves about in a stream, canal, or pond; the zeal and thoroughness with which it explores aquatic and overhanging land plants for insects; the high development of its sense of sight in both air and water; the skill displayed in dislodging insects and seizing them as they fall into the water; the alertness in avoiding danger; and the readiness in adapting itself to life in small ponds and responding to the attentions of persons who provide food.

"A friend of mine, a distinguished scion of the royal family of Siam, and an ardent student of fishes, had a residence on the broad Menam Chao Phya above Bangkok and used to entertain American and European guests with shooting-fish performances. A veranda on which he took many of his meals was directly over the water, and under it Toxotes could be found almost daily, attracted by scraps of fish, meat, chicken, and prawn which were regularly thrown from the table. By means of a spider or cricket dangled on a black thread from the end of a short bamboo pole, the shooting fish could readily be induced to display their marksmanship. I sometimes saw spent watery pellets splash on the ceiling of the veranda 10 to 12 feet above the river, and witnessed many other exhibitions which confirmed my respect for the intelligence and skill of Toxotes.

#### Extinguish Cigarettes.

"On two occasions to my personal knowledge, when my friend sat on the veranda eating his breakfast, reading a newspaper, smoking a cigarette, and apparently neglectful of his fish wards, his attention was attracted by well-directed shots which extinguished his cigarette.

"The force with which the watery pellets may strike an object is sometimes most astonishing to a human observer. An insect may be knocked high in the air or may fall on the bank beyond a fish's reach. At short range the drops may strike a person's face with a distinctly stinging sensation. On many occasions, during exhibitions in Siam, a spider at the end of a thread hanging from the end of a pole was knocked far up on the thread or even over the pole. Spent shots could be heard to splash against the roof of a veranda over the water."

#### Honolulu Prison Uses

##### Flogging on 2 Inmates

Honolulu.—Flogging has been reintroduced at Oahu prison recently, reopening a controversy concerning corporal punishment.

With the prison board's approval, Acting Warden Joseph Ordenstein ordered thirty lashes each be laid across the backs of Charles Cooper and Julian Eugster, incorrigible inmates.

The punishment is being spread over an extended period. The convicts first received six lashes each with a cat-o-nine tails made of knotted rope. If their behavior does not improve, they will be flogged periodically until the thirty lashes are administered.

The flogging recalled the celebrated Lucas Candido case of 1929. After twice escaping from prison, Candido was ordered flogged. The case went into the Territorial Circuit court on habeas corpus proceedings to enjoin prison authorities.

#### Ha! Ha! Don't Laugh, Queer Quebec Name

Quebec.—United States motorists in Quebec this year will find a merry Ha! Ha! awaiting them, but it won't be from traffic police. The roads department expects soon to open a new highway into Little Ha! Ha! and Big Ha! Ha! Lakes district, at the head of the Ha! Ha! river.

Tradition has it that the name Ha! Ha! was given the bay by early explorers of the Saguenay river who mistook the bay for a continuation of the river and named it as a joke on themselves.

#### Animals Have Businesses and Trades Like Humans

The following story, notes the New York Sun, comes from a newspaper published in 1862:

Nearly all animals carry on a regular business, and in their variety represents various trades among men. There are no better geometers among men than bees. Their cells are so constructed that with the least quantity of material they have the largest sized spaces and the least possible interstices. The mole is a meteorologist. The bird called the ninekiller is an arithmetician; also the crow, the wild turkey, the ray, and the electric eel are electricians. The nautilus is a navigator. He raises and lowers his sails, casts and weighs anchor and performs nautical feats. Whole tribes of birds are musicians.

"The beaver is an architect, builder and wood-cutter. He cuts down trees and erects houses and dams. The marmot is a civil engineer. He not only builds houses, but constructs aqueducts and drains to keep them dry. The ant maintains a regular standing army. Wasps are paper manufacturers. Caterpillars are silk-spinners. The squirrel is a ferryman. With a chip of bark for a boat, and his tail for a sail, he crosses a stream. Dogs, wolves, jackals and many others, are hunters.

"The black bear and heron are fishermen. The ants are day laborers. The monkey is a dandy and rope-dancer. There are also sloths and burglars and 'black-legs' among animals, but they are not quite so bad as those found among men."

#### Playing Card Pictures

##### Represented Personages

Marks upon the suits of cards were supposed to have been the symbolic representation of the different classes of society. The hearts stood for the clergy, clubs for the soldiery, spades for the merchants.

According to records, observes a writer in the Cleveland Plain Dealer, the pictures represented actual personages. The kings, in the early French cards, were David, Alexander, Caesar and Charlemagne, being the respective representatives of the Jewish, Greek, Roman and French monarchies; the queens were Argine, Esther, Judith, Pallas.

The marks on the suits of cards have undergone various changes. In the earliest European cards (made in Germany) are hearts, bells, leaves and acorns, Italian cards had swords, batons, cups and money. The club of the modern card is derived from the trefol, a French design. The court cards at first were the king, chevalier and knave. The queen was first substituted for the chevalier by the Italians.

#### A Mighty Purpose

The power of a mighty purpose to clear up a cloudy, misty life, is to scatter the fogs, and to open the way when there seems to be none, is a daily miracle. We see it illustrated everywhere. But it must be purpose, not idle dreams or mere wishes. Jacob's vision showed him the ladder leading heavenward, but it did not offer him an easy way up; it took long weary years and many a hard battle with self and sin to enable him to climb higher.

#### Origin of Nightmare

There is no connection between the second syllable of the word nightmare and the word denoting the female of the horse. Mara, an Anglo-Saxon word, meant a fiend, incubus or specter which was popularly supposed to sit on the chest of sleeping persons, thereby causing oppressive or frightening dreams. Hence the addition of the word night to form the English term denoting the same condition. —Pathfinder Magazine.

#### Counter-Espionage Service

These counter-espionage service of Great Britain is estimated to have saved the empire at least \$500,000,000 throughout its domains during the World war. A large part of this figure represents the value of battleships, docks, shipyards, ammunition plants and other buildings that the enemy agents had planned to destroy or disable before they were caught by these internal spies. —Collier's Weekly.

#### Elgin Marbles

In the British museum is a unique collection of many of the finest examples of the art and sculptures of ancient Greece. These treasures were saved from threatened and imminent destruction by Thomas, earl of Elgin, when he was ambassador at Constantinople at the beginning of the last century. They were taken to England under his direction and deposited in the British museum, where they bear his name—the Elgin Marbles.

#### Initials "V. D. B." on Pennies

The initials "V. D. B." on some of the pennies coined in 1909 are those of Victor D. Bremner, the medalist and sculptor who designed the coin. But this part of the design was soon withdrawn by the Treasury department and consequently the artist's initials appear on only part of the Lincoln pennies bearing the date 1909. Many thousands of the initialed cents were circulated.

#### Pitcairn Island About Two and Half Miles Long

Pitcairn island is a British possession, of the Polynesian islands, belonging to the Low Archipelago; in latitude 25 degrees, 5 minutes south; longitude, 130 degrees 8 minutes west. It is about two and one-half miles long and one mile wide. Its coast is almost perpendicular and is fringed with rocks and reefs, making it almost impossible to land except at a few points.

The interest attaching to this island is derived from its history, beginning in 1790, when nine British sailors, mutineers of the British ship Bounty, together with eighteen natives of Tahiti, six men and twelve women, landed on it. Their subsequent contentions resulted in murders and other crimes. After ten years, John Adams and a few survivors were left. His reform, and his manner of teaching and supervising the little colony led to a complete change. It became peaceable, moral and industrious. In 1856 the community (104 in number) was removed to Norfolk island, Pitcairn having become too small for their comfortable subsistence. Some of the number, about forty, returned to Pitcairn. In 1900 there were on the island 140 persons. A colonial office report describes the people as having degenerated from their former manner of living. The local government is administered by a president and a parliament of five persons, elected by a popular vote of men and women.

#### Finnish Grooms Lavish

##### With the Wedding Rugs

Say it with rugs, not words, was the motto of Finnish swains of other times. Hundreds of years ago when a young Finn fell in love and decided to marry, the first thing he did was to go home and start weaving a rug for the bride-to-be.

The designs in such rugs resemble nothing so much as a quiet valentine of days past. Often two hearts, the bride and the groom, and a house with a little path leading to it were worked into the pattern.

Symbolic figures too were popular. The Tree of Life, a burning candle, a star or a tulip, a flower which one finds also in Oriental rugs, were often used. For dyes, the peasants took the juices of such native Finnish plants as club moss, birch leaves or bark, heather, sweet gale.

Many of the finest rugs of that early period may be seen in the National museum at Helsingfors, Finland, and even though they are very rare, they can still be found in some Finnish cities. Since the old art of rug weaving has been revived, the tables have been turned, for now it is the bride, not the groom, who makes the rug for the bridal chest.

#### Uses of Sulphuric Acid

The following is a list of some of the principal industrial uses of sulphuric acid: Electric storage batteries, leather industry, manufacture of chemicals and fertilizers, petroleum refining, explosives, metallurgy, electroplating, rubber reclaiming, textile industry, rayon, sulfonating oils, synthetic perfumes, ceramics, process engraving and lithographing, manufacture of fatty acids, neutralizing alkaline reaction of fermenting liquors, drying agent, mineral colors, pyroxilin plastics, wax purification, sugar industry, tar washing, parchment paper, fungicide, exterminator, photographic process.

#### Changing the Calendar

In changing from the Old Style (Julian) calendar to the New Style (Gregorian) calendar, there was a theoretical loss of 10 to 13 days, depending on when the change was made. In England the change was made in 1752. The Thursday that would have been September 3 (Old Style) was called September 14 (New Style) so that the dates, September 3 to 13, are missing from the English calendar for that year. In most Catholic countries the change had been made in 1582, with the commission of ten days.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Those whose names appear below have authorized The Floyd County Plainsman to announce their candidacy for nomination for the offices under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election of July 24, 1936:

For County Treasurer: MRS. MAUD MERRICK (Re-Election) MRS. O. M. CONWAY

For Assessor and Collector of Taxes: FRANK L. MOORE M. B. (BEE) MARTIN

For County Attorney: WINFRED F. NEWSOME (Re-Election to a Second Term.)

For County Clerk: DOUGLAS HOLLUMS A. B. CLARK, (Re-Election) B. NICHOLS

For District Clerk: GEO. B. MARSHALL

For County Judge: G. C. TUBBS

Commissioner Precinct No. One: A. S. CUMMINGS E. C. KING ROE McCLESKEY

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: H. J. NELSON B. A. COLSTON

For Sheriff of Floyd County: W. C. HANNA T. B. (BARLOW) HILL F. N. (FRED) CLARK

For County School Superintendent: WALTER TRAVIS C. A. CASS

For Justice of the Peace Precinct Number One, Floyd County: B. P. WOODY (Re-Election)

Miss Clair Belle Yearwood, of Amarillo, spent last week end here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yearwood and family.

Dillard Woods, of Winters, spent last week end here visiting with Donley Stephenson, Dillard and Donley were roommates in McMurry College in Abilene.

Miss Bonnie Dale Fyffe, who had spent the past several weeks in Austin employed in a beauty shop, returned home Sunday.

Greer Christian, Miss Edwina Christian and Miss Jack Thurmon, spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard and family.

Mrs. L. H. Lewis, Mrs. Paul Conner and Mrs. Minnie Smart and daughter, Baby Doll, spent from Friday until Sunday visiting with relative in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard, of Bracketville, Texas, who have been visiting with Mrs. Bess Cantwell for the past several days, returned to their home Monday morning.

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Tom Bishop and Miss Bernice Bishop, of Amarillo, spent last week end here visiting with their mother, Mrs. Jennie Bishop and family.

Mrs. Louie Laminack and children left Friday for Stevenville, where she will visit.

Mrs. Buster Boothe and children left Saturday for Muleshoe, where they will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis and daughter, Ruth, spent Friday in Lubbock.



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In announcing the opening of our SUMMER CLEAN-UP SALE for Friday Morning, July 3, simply means that we are cleaning off our racks of Ready-to-Wear and Millinery to get ready for our brand new stock of fall merchandise . . . To do this we are offering our customers some real bargains. This sale will only last a short time . . . Buy now and save money. We are making these prices for cash only—PAY CASH AND SAVE THE DIFFERENCE.



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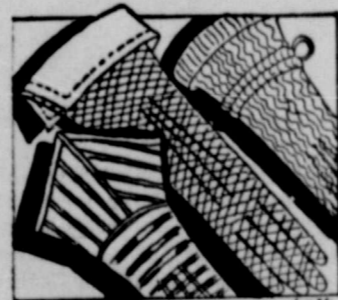
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## Ladies Slips

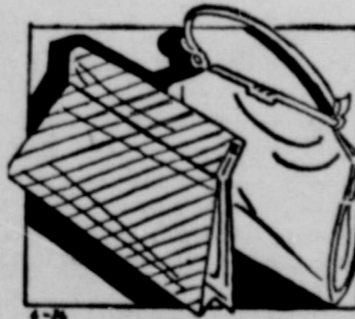
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## Woodmen Circle Gave "42" And "84" Party Friday Night

Members of the Woodmen Circle sponsored an entertainment last Friday evening held on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton. Games of eighty-four and forty-two were played after which refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served. Proceeds of the entertainment were sent to the Old Folks and Orphans Home of the Woodmen of the World. The home is located near Sherman, Texas. About fifty people attended the social.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Redd and Miss Mary Lee Garlan returned home Friday evening after spending several days in San Antonio.

## Mrs. Leona Beall Entertained Clover Leaf Bridge Club Tuesday

Mrs. Leona Beall entertained the members of the Clover Leaf Bridge Club at her home Tuesday morning. Games of contract bridge were played with Mrs. H. O. Pope winning high for the members and Mrs. C. L. Minor high for the guests. Fourth of July was carried out in the table tallies and score pads. Red, white and blue flowers were placed on the tables. Those present were: Mrs. Fred Brown, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. H. O. Pope, Mrs. Paul Conner, Mrs. E. L. Norman and Mrs. Beall played as members and Mrs. Deen Hill, Mrs. C. L. Minor and Mrs. Frank L. Moore played as guests.

## CAR DOF THANKS

May we express our earnest appreciation and love to all the friends and neighbors who helped in any way to make the burden lighter in our bereavement and loss of our husband and father. The beautiful flowers, words of sympathy and kindness will be remembered for ever. May God send such friends to you in time of your sorrows.

Mrs. John A. Enoch, Gwilym Enoch, Ruth Enoch, Blanche Enoch.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Turner and daughter, Maxine, of Pampa, spent last week end here visiting with W. B. Jones and family, of the Dougherty community.

Lucian Morehead, of Plainview, spent Friday here visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Daily and family.

Mrs. Bill Daily and daughter, Jo Ann, left Saturday for Altus, Oklahoma, where they will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kizzlar. Mrs. Dave Britton left Friday for Dallas, where she will attend the Centennial Exposition and visit her relatives. Mrs. Britton, whose home is in San Diego, California, has been visiting here with Mrs. Lillie Britton and family. Dave Britton left Tuesday morning to join his wife in Dallas.

Mrs. A. A. Bishop, who has been here visiting with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Houghton, returned to her home in Dallas Tuesday. She will have X-rays made of her foot, which was injured about two weeks ago. Everette S. Price, E. S. Randerson and W. R. Childers, of Lockney, spent from Friday until Sunday in Edenburg, Texas, attending to business.

## LOCAL CHURCH GROUP ATTENDED ENCAMPMENT AT CETA CANYON

Miss Betty Newell, Miss Gladys Ruth Brown, Miss Florine Dorrill and Woodrow Badgett, who were accompanied by Mrs. John Farris and Mrs. Edd Brown, attended the annual encampment held last week at Ceta Canyon by the Christian Church of the Panhandle.

The purpose of this encampment is to teach the girls and boys about religion. There was also many entertainments to enjoy during the day and evening.

Mr. Charles Marion Ross, who represented the International Council of Religious Education, had charge of the meeting. Practically all the churches throughout the United States are members of the International Council.

## CAMPBELL CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT

The following church services will be held at Campbell Church Sunday, July 5:  
 Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
 Preaching 11 a. m.  
 Young People's Meeting at 7:30  
 Preaching at 8:30 p. m.  
 Everyone is cordially invited to attend all these services.  
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## Mrs. Ralph Groves Was Honored With Birthday Party

Mrs. Ralph Groves was honored at a birthday party last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Bishop, 121 West Tennessee Street, with Mrs. W. H. Hilton and Mrs. Dean Hill acting as assisting hostesses.

Games of eighty-four and monopoly were played after which the guests presented the honored guest with lovely gifts. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were: Mesdames Lee Wilkinson, Luce Martin, D. F. Bredthauer, W. L. Bloodworth, F. O. Conner, Will Walker, R. M. McCauley, Lee Howard, Sam Thurmon, W. H. Hilton, Ralph Groves, J. B. Bishop, Dean Hill and Miss Ena Lea Fyffe.

Mrs. Clyde Brown, who has been visiting for the past week in Falls with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Collins, returned home Sunday. She was accompanied here by her parents, who spent several hours here visiting.

## Farewell Party Given Wednesday for Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDonald

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDonald were honored with a farewell party last Wednesday, June 24, with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Loran and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kirk at the home of the latter.

The group met at 7:30 p. m. and barbecued steaks in a pit. A regular supper was served with the meat. After the meal the ladies went in a group to the theatre and the men remained at the home of Mr. Kirk and enjoyed various entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald will leave Wednesday, July 1, for Sweetwater, where he will be employed and they will make their home.

The following people attended the entertainment: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Daily, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, Judge and Mrs. A. J. Polley, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Pope Goen, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Mrs. George McAllister, Miss Mildred Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDonald and daughter, Betty Katherine, and the hosts and hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Loran and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kirk and son, Don.

## Miss Ruth Jenkins Was Honored With Bridge-Breakfast Monday

Miss Ruth Jenkins was honored with a bridge-breakfast Monday morning by Misses Gene Smalley, Audrey Farris and Eulalia Burrus at the latter's home. The breakfast was served at seven o'clock after which four tables were laid for games of contract bridge. July 4th was carried out in flags.

Miss Jenkins left yesterday for Sherwood, Texas, where she has accepted a position as home demonstration agent of Iron county. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins and she taught here last year in the R. C. Andrews Ward School.

Those attending the breakfast were: Miss Nina Mae Drew, of Plainview; Miss Adelaide Scott, Mrs. L. D. Britton, Mrs. T. A. Norman, Mrs. Lewis Norman, Mrs. George B. McAllister, Mrs. Luce Martin, Mrs. Arthur Stewart, Mrs. Fred Nabors, Mrs. J. B. Claiborne, Mrs. Ernest Carter, Miss Alice Mae Fyffe, Miss Ruth Jenkins and the hostess, Misses Farris, Smalley and Burrus.

## Floydada Garden Club Will Meet Friday With Mrs. A. N. Bratton

Mrs. A. N. Bratton will entertain the Floydada Garden Club at her home Friday morning, July 3, at 9:30. She will also have charge of the program.

All the memers are urged to be present and the general public is invited to attend.

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**G-3 ALL-WEATHER**  
**PATHFINDER**  
**SPEEDWAY**

**G-3 How about ALL-WEATHER?**

Gives you 43% more non-skid mileage. Standard on the new cars. World's most popular tire at any price. Look it over! It's our biggest seller.



**A Life-Saver for Pocketbooks!**

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Many of our customers say it's the biggest money's worth in town! World's first-choice economy tire—over 22 million sold to date. Real Goodyear quality. Prize value for sure!

**Our prices start at \$5.50**



**World's Greatest Money-Saver!**

**SPEEDWAY**

Head our way if you want the finest, safest, longest-mileage tire a small price buys today with all the Goodyear Blue Ribbon features. Here's the tops at

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To fill their tanks with **TEXACO PRODUCTS** while celebrating the July 4th holiday. After using our gas and oils you will always insist on the same kind the next time.

**CONNER'S TEXAS SERVICE STATION**  
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It is the symbol of the spirit of freedom that characterizes America and Americans. In fact, Independence Day is the cornerstone of our nation, without which our country could never have developed in the present position in the world's affairs.

**WE WILL PAY THE MARKET PRICE ON WHEAT**


**Farmers Grain Co.**

**JULY 4th.**




**Independence**

The independence which our forefathers fought for is still our most precious possession. Today we have no foreign tyrants to oppress us; we do not have to take sword and gun to defend our homes and loved ones. Independence is won in another fashion. Our wisdom, foresight and skill in managing our finances lays the foundation for independence and builds the bulwark of defence to protect our homes. The First National Bank is at your service to advise and help you on the road to independence.

**1903**  **1936**

**THIS BANK WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY JULY 4th**

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Enjoy Floydada's 4th celebration by driving one of our New Plymouths or Dodges. You will find more comfort in driving a new car on your summer vacation.

**We Also Have Good Used Cars at Low Cost.**

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**LET US INSPECT YOUR CAR BEFORE YOU TAKE THAT TRIP!**

Careful checking and thorough attention and inspection which we insist upon in every case, gives you the dependable, conscientious service you want. We appreciate your patronage and we know that its continuance depends upon our ability to satisfy you.

**CLINE BROTHERS AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR**  
 FRANK CLINE, OWNER

**LET'S CELEBRATE THE 4th**



In keeping with the age-old custom, we invite you to Floydada **JULY 4th to Celebrate.**

**TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY**