

"By Helping Business You Help Yourself" The Floyd County Plainsman

No. 10

Floydada, Floyd County, Texas, Thursday, April 20, 1939

Number 21

COUNCIL MET TUESDAY NIGHT; DISCUSSING SINCE INSTALLATION OF MEMBERS; ALL ARE PRESENT

Order to Put Irrigation Rate In Effect May 20th Was Acted Upon During Evening's Work

Biggs Is Farmer to Insurance

Wheat farmer of ... has been notified by ... to receive wheat in ... The ether follows ...

C. L. Anderson, President Pioneer Association, Calls Meeting

C. L. Anderson, of Lockney, president of the Floyd County Pioneer Association, has asked the papers to announce that the association will meet Wednesday, April 26, at 2 p. m. in the county court room at Floydada to make plans for the Pioneer celebration May 28. All officers and pioneers are asked to be present and help with the plans for the annual celebration.

AMARILLO GIRL NAMED QUEEN AT PLAINVIEW

Plainview, April 18.—Miss Peggy McKinney of Amarillo was declared queen of the 1939 Panhandle Plains Dairy Show Tuesday. Girls from many neighboring plains towns competed for the honor.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKinney of Amarillo, the brunet was crowned at a pageant Tuesday night, escorted by Bill Dee, and with Miss Betty Flory as maid of honor, Miss McKinney received the crown from F. A. Chichey of Tulsa, president of the dairy show association, in a setting, carrying out the theme, Way Out West. She will represent the association on public occasions during the rest of the show this week.

Officially opened Tuesday morning, the dairy show went through the first lap with Future Farmers of America participating in judging contests. The Floydada FFA dairy products team was awarded first honors in that department. To the Tulsa FFA dairy cattle judging team went first award in placing cattle.

C. Westfall of Floydada was first place winner in individual judging. G. Putman of Clarendon won first place honors as all-round judge. Edwin Dawson and Jack Flynt of Tulsa were first and second place winners in individual scoring.

TO RUSSELLVILLE, ARKANSAS, THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Daily left this morning for their annual visit with relatives in Russellville, Arkansas. They will be accompanied by their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Daily.

The City Council met Tuesday night in special session and transacted the following business:

- Dr. V. Andrews was re-appointed City Health Officer.
- Lee Howard was re-appointed nightwatchman and special police officer.
- Ben G. Ayres was re-appointed City Attorney.
- J. L. Griggs re-appointed Sanitary man.
- Chas. Neil appointed to assist Morgan Wright handle traffic when in need of some one.
- W. U. White re-appointed Mayor Pro Tem.
- J. E. Maddox appointed Deputy Tax Assessor.
- Walter Newell was appointed City Engineer.
- O. G. Evers, appointed Case Worker.
- Bryant Hinkle appointed assistant Water Superintendent, Maintainer operator and general utility man wherever needed.
- Appointment of Louis E. Boothe bookkeeper, effective April 19.
- Ike Finley was retained as the paid fireman for the city.
- The council passed an order authorizing \$1.00 per fire be paid to each volunteer fireman hereafter.

IRRIGATION RATES

Effective May 20, the Council authorized the irrigation rate be 15c per thousand gallons on all water used over two thousand gallons.

The council called for bids from the local newspapers on official publications.

Sterley Club Meets With Mrs. Roy Tinsley

Nine members were present when the Sterley Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Roy Tinsley Thursday, April 13.

A very interesting demonstration on making accessories for the clothes closet was given by Mrs. Paul Cooper. Mrs. Cooper also gave a short talk on the care of out of season clothes.

Delightful refreshments were served to Mesdames Paul Cooper, Bob Reeves, C. P. McPherson, M. O. Davis, Alfred Gordon, T. H. Carthel, G. A. McCAda, W. A. Cooper, Charles Jones and the hostess. The next meeting will be Thursday, April 20, with Mrs. Carthel.

Floyd County Boys Win at Plainview Show This Week

In one of the strongest 4-H and FFA competitions ever assembled in Texas, Floyd County 4-H Club boys won at the South Plains Dairy Show at Plainview in the following:

- Junior Yearling Heifer Class: James Marvin Clark, Sterley, 2nd place.
- Senior Yearling Heifer Class: David Batten, Sandhill, first place, Charles McDonald, Aiken, 6th place, Kenneth Tate, Aiken, 7th place and Ardell Dinathon, Floydada, 8th place.
- Junior Heifer Class: Pete Blankenship, Blanco, 6th place.
- Sub-Junior Heifer Class: Pete Blankenship, Blanco, 4th place, and Jackie Brock, Blanco, 6th place.
- In the county group of four calves, Floyd County won second place with the calves of David Batten, Pete Blankenship, Jackie Brock and James Marvin Clark.

Community Farm Organizations are Being Set Up

Five community farm organizations have been set up in Floyd County consisting of Aiken, Irick, Providence, Center, and South Plains.

Mrs. Loyd Horn, Mrs. S. H. Horn, Mrs. H. P. Clements, Mrs. John Buth, O. W. Holmes, Harold Dollar, A. A. Tubbs, Henry Schacht, J. W. Taylor, J. H. Ratjen, and Mrs. Clarence Brandes met in the county court room Monday, April 17th at 2:00 p. m. with county agricultural agent, D. F. Bredthauer, and home demonstration agent, Miss Ruth Grimes, for the purpose of assimilating program planning material and outlining programs for meetings to be held monthly.

The committeemen selected programs that would apply and be of interest to the youngest to the oldest in the community. Part of the program is devoted to recreational and another part to educational features regarding the different phases of extension work in Triple A Programs. Parts have been assigned during the year to take care of child welfare, timely economic problems such as freight rates, taxes, and other legislative features. Programs for each month of the year have been outlined through the month of December, 1939, and yearbooks will be printed and put in the hands of each farm home in the five communities.

Daniel and Revelation to be Taught

Rev. H. C. Goodman of Big Spring, Texas, will begin a series of lessons on the book of Daniel and Revelation, beginning at eight o'clock next Monday evening, April 24th, at the South Side Missionary Baptist Church located on West Houston Street in Floydada.

Bro. Goodman will use a large chart to illustrate some of the teachings in the books. The books will be taught only at night to give opportunity to all who can attend to get the entire study.

This is surely a day when prophecy is being fulfilled, and we invite one and all to attend this series of lessons.

Mrs. A. J. Cline's Mother Ill In Waco Hospital

Mrs. A. J. Cline and sister, Miss Katie Coker, left last Thursday for Waco to be with their mother, Mrs. J. A. Coker, who underwent an operation in a Waco hospital. Word received here by Mr. Cline indicated that Mrs. Coker stood the operation alright and that her condition was thought to be satisfactory.

Miss Bonniere Stephens, of Lubbock, spent the week end visiting her father, W. Stephens and sister, Barbara Jean.

Mrs. Edwin Heald, of Lubbock, visited friends here Friday afternoon.

WALTER TRAVIS IS ELECTED SUPERIN- TENDENT OF FLOYDADA INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS IN MEETING TUESDAY

Mr. Travis Will Fill Vacancy In Local School Caused by Resignation of A. D. Cummings

John B. Ayres, Of Pampa, Texas Buried Friday

John B. Ayres, age 79, of Pampa, Texas who died Tuesday night, April 11, at 10 o'clock at his home was laid to rest Friday afternoon in Pampa. Mr. Ayres had been in failing health for some time but was not considered in immediate danger by members of his family until a short time before death came.

John B. Ayres was the oldest brother of Attorney Jeff D. Ayres, of Floydada. Judge Ayres was called to Pampa Tuesday on account of the illness of his brother and remained through the week until after the funeral services Friday.

John B. Ayres was born in Fort Worth, Texas, and made his home there to young manhood. He was a veteran of the Spanish American War and following his discharge from service had followed ranching and moved west to Sterling County where he made his home for a number of years. While in that county he was elected sheriff and served for four years. Later he moved to Gray County, Texas in 1913, where he had farm interests, and was elected county judge, in which capacity he served Gray county for several years. While John B. Ayres was not a practicing attorney, he was known to his friends and acquaintances as Judge Ayres and had made many friends during his long lifetime who greeted him as Judge.

Last Rites For Barbara Gale Callaway

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church for Barbara Gale Callaway, who died Thursday, April 13, 1939, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Galloway, at the age of one year and nine days. Rev. Vernon Shaw conducted the services assisted by Rev. Crabtree.

Survivors include the parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Galloway, Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Carbie Bradford of the Baker community of Floyd County.

F. C. Harmon Funeral Home had charge of the arrangements.

J. B. Bishop and Sales Force Attend Lubbock Meeting

J. B. Bishop, of the Bishop Motor Company, accompanied by his sales force, Lindsey Graham, Blundy Finley and Sam Wilkes, attended a Ford sales meeting in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon at the Lubbock Hotel. The party returned home Tuesday night.

F. C. Harmon left Tuesday for Mineral Wells, where he will rest and take the baths for several days.

In a meeting of the Floydada School Board Tuesday night Walter Travis was elected Superintendent of Floydada Schools for a two year period to succeed A. D. Cummings who recently resigned to accept a superintendents position in the Olney Public Schools.

Superintendent Travis has served Floyd County a number of years as teacher and county school superintendent. He was appointed to fill the unexpired term of E. C. Nelson, deceased, in September, 1935. In 1936 Mr. Travis was elected to the same office, and again in 1938 he was elected for a four year term.

Mr. Travis has a bachelor of science degree from West Texas State Teachers College, of Canyon. Present arrangements are that the new superintendent will assume the duties of Floydada Schools July 1. During the time Mr. Travis has lived in Floydada he has had an active part in civic affairs of the community, and at the present time is president of the Floydada Rotary Club.

COMMISSIONERS COURT WILL MAKE APPOINTMENT

At the proper time the Commissioners Court of Floyd County will meet and appoint a successor to Mr. Travis to fill the unexpired term of the County School Superintendent.

DR. ARNOLD TO CLEVELAND OHIO FOR TREATMENT
Dr. C. K. Arnold and family left Tuesday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will receive treatment. Dr. Arnold has been in ill health for several months, and has been in a Plainview hospital a portion of this time. His condition is considered critical.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS ARE CHOSEN FOR COMING YEAR; VIRGIL WILLIAMS IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

Selection of J. C. Henderson as Secretary Is Announced; Duties to Start May First

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Pat Robinson, daughter of Mrs. Grover Smith, underwent a major operation April 14, and is doing nicely.

Mrs. B. C. Lanier had a tonsil operation April 14.

J. E. Watson of Pleasant Valley community was admitted to the hospital April 14 for treatment and is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. Byron Clark was dismissed from the hospital April 15.

Henry Brock, son of T. E. Brock, of Sandhill community underwent an appendicitis operation April 15 and is doing nicely.

Henry Wright of the Dougherty community was dismissed from the hospital Tuesday, where he had received treatment for a badly sprained knee.

George Halsey Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Halsey of Lubbock, was admitted to the hospital for treatment April 15.

Miss Nevada Edwards, daughter of Oscar Edwards, underwent an appendicitis operation April 15 and is resting well.

Beatrice Ford underwent an appendicitis operation Wednesday morning, April 19, and is recovering.

Mrs. J. V. Jones is reported doing nicely.

Roe Jones who has been in the hospital for several days is recovering satisfactorily.

Miss Mary Daniels, of Silverton, has been employed at the Floydada Hospital and Clinic, as night nurse. Miss Daniels arrived Tuesday and assumed her duties at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cummings left Wednesday morning for Galveston where they will visit with their son, Clyde, for some ten days.

Mrs. Ruby Gills, of Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hanna, and son, James Fry Gibbs.

John McCleskey's Home Is Damaged By Fire Monday

Fire which was thought to have originated in the bath room of the John McCleskey home on West Mississippi street, damaged the property Monday afternoon about 4:30. Mr. McCleskey said he received considerable damage to both the house and furnishings.

Homebuilders Club Met Friday With Mrs. Lloyd

A home is no more convenient than the storage space, Miss Ruth Grimes, home demonstration agent told members of the Home Builders Club, Friday, April 14, when they met with Mrs. John Lloyd.

Each member of the family should have a definite place for clothes. There should be two rods in a closet one for adults and one in the reach of children. There should be at least one shelf.

A closet should be papered or painted in light colors as moths do not like light, air and paint, the speaker said.

During the business meeting plans were completed for entries in the Plains Panhandle Dairy Show at Plainview April 19. Mrs. P. F. Bertrand gave the council report. The finance committee announced a grab box for the next meeting which will be at Mrs. Floyd Fuqua's home April 28.

Those present were: Mesdames Roy Curry, A. W. Dunn, Elbert Parks, D. D. Shipley, Raymond Teeple, Ben Johnson, P. F. Bertrand, Lee Westfall, Mable Sims, F. F. Fuqua, and the hostess.

In a vote taken Monday the following directors were elected to manage the affairs of the Chamber of Commerce for the next year:

Virgil Williams, Santa Fe Agent, was selected president of the organization. O. M. Watson, vice president.

Directors are: Conner Oden, Cecil Hagood, Marvin English, Clements McDonald, Homer Steen, Walter Collins, E. K. Barker, E. L. Norman, J. B. Claiborne, W. U. White, Lon M. Davis, T. P. Collins, W. Edd Brown, R. E. Fry, E. L. Angus, D. F. Bredthauer, Walton Hale; Farmer directors: G. C. Collins, A. M. Battey.

J. C. Henderson, who is employed with the county agents work was elected secretary, and will assume the duties of the office May 1. The Chamber of Commerce has been without a secretary since February first, when R. W. Cothern resigned.

Larry Joe Hollingsworth Is Improving

Larry Joe Hollingsworth, 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hollingsworth, who has been ill the past week with pneumonia in a Lubbock hospital, has recovered satisfactorily and was brought home Tuesday. He was carried to Lubbock Friday night of last week.

Miss Emma Lou McKinney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKinney, who has been home for the past month recuperating from an operation, returned to her school work at Olton Sunday. Miss McKinney reported to her family Monday night that she was doing nicely with her work and feeling fine.

John Reagan and Mrs. W. U. White and son, Bob, spent the week end in Abilene visiting relatives. W. O. Jones and son, Dalton, of Jonesboro, spent from Saturday until Sunday, visiting his sons, Derris W., and Wilmer Jones.

DURO-GARZA ROAD ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED IN MEETING OF ROAD ENTHUSIASTS HELD IN SILVERTON

Purpose of Association is to Perfect Plans Which Will Secure Completion of Highway

Red Olson Is Guest to 1934 Study Club

Red Olson was hostess at the meeting of the 1934 Study Club Monday evening.

A business meeting was held before the program, and a report was given by the treasurer. H. C. Hochcock, teacher in Lockney, was a guest speaker and gave a book review, "With Malice Toward None," by Margaret Halsey. Present were served to the hostess Reba Copeland. Other visitors, Bernice Patton, Mary Johnson, Helen Kruger, Oleta Jones Fouts, Jane Hughes, Mrs. Olson, Alva Weatherford, Delanger, Buryl Busby, Fannemesdames Trustt McClung, Rose, Virgil Shaw, Walter visitors, Mesdames Ray Dan Jenkins, O. E. Olson, Richard, Plainview, Mrs. Lockney. Wilmina Salisbury will be hostess at the next regular meeting which will be May 2.

Last Thursday in a gathering at Silverton the five counties on the route from Post to Claude highway organized and named the organization Palo Duro Garza Association. Judge W. Coffee, Jr., of Briscoe county was made president, Chas. W. Stewart, county judge of Armstrong county was named vice president, and they will select a secretary for the organization.

Judge G. C. Tubbs and the commissioners from Floyd County attended the meeting and reported much interest was shown in the project. Geo. M. Garrett, highway engineer of Lubbock, was present for the meeting.

Garza county has guaranteed their highway and survey is being made to the Crosby county line. Crosby county has surveying, drainage and grade work through the county to Floyd county line and contract has been let to complete topping this side of Rails to Floyd County line. From Floyd County line to Floydada has been taken over by the State Highway Department, and a recent designation of highway from Floydada to Silverton has been made, and the State Highway Department began maintaining the road this week. Right-of-way from Silverton north to Armstrong county line has been

guaranteed by the Briscoe county commissioners court.

Armstrong county's Judge and Commissioners Court are cooperating with the organization, however, the problem confronting this county is that much of the canyon and breaks in its territory, and the survey, grade and drainage will cost considerable money and they do not feel that their county is financially able to put their end of the road in shape. It was also called to the attention of the committee that an Armstrong's highway there would be a bridge that will cost considerable money.

The committees agreed that each county would gather and compile all the data available of truck hauls to be presented to the State Highway Department.

Mrs. G. V. McCaskell, of Monroe, Louisiana, arrived last Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jackson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Henson, of Calgary, visited last Wednesday with their cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Henson.

Let Oavanaugh do your Printing.

THE FLOYD COUNTY PLAINSMAN

Published Thursday Each Week

MRS. LOLA CAVANAUGH, BUSINESS MANAGER
M. B. CAVANAUGH, PUBLISHER

SUBSCRIPTION PRICES

In Floyd County \$1.00; Outside Floyd County \$2.00

Entered as second class matter June 23, 1930, at the post office at Floydada, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

ADVERTISING RATES GIVEN ON APPLICATION

NOTICE!

Any erroneous reflections upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Floyd County Plainsman will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

**Friday, April 21
Father Mothers
Day at Denton**

"Father and Mothers Day for North Texas State Teachers College Freshmen will be held at the college on Friday, April 21, under the sponsorship of the freshman class, Carroll Ellis of Dallas, freshman president has announced.

On that day parents and other representatives of the families of first year students will be guests of the College freshmen on the campus. They will attend the Teachers College Day assembly to be held in the auditorium at 11 a. m., will visit certain classes and witness the weaving demonstrations Friday afternoon which are a part of the art department's "Textile Week" celebration, and will be honored at various private luncheons and dinners given by the freshmen at Marquis Hall and various student homes.

The idea for the day originated with this year's first-year class. It will be the first such day in the history of the College. Plans for entertainment are being arranged by the class president, the class sponsor, Bob Marquis, Jr., and a representative of the fresh.

New Scout Executive For South Plains Council

Jack O. Stone, formerly Boy Scout Executive at Fort Arthur, Texas and previously at San Angelo, Texas, assumed the Scout Executive reigns of the South Plains Council with headquarters at Lubbock, this week.

Announcement was made by Dr. F. B. Malone, president of the council. Stone was named as Scout Executive to succeed Earl McClure, for four years executive, April 1. McClure resigned March 15 to accept the position as Deputy Regional Scout Executive with headquarters at Dallas, Texas.

Stone comes after two and a half years in the Sabine Area Council at Port Arthur as executive, two years at assistant executive at San Angelo and one and half years as field executive at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

He is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, of the 39th Training School for Scout Executives at Mendham, N. J. He was presented the Eagle Scout badge, highest rank in Scouting, as a Boy Scout in Oklahoma City by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh on "Lindy's" visit in that part of the country after his memorable flight across the Atlantic ocean.

As Scout Executive at Port Arthur the council membership jumped from 808 Boy Scouts and Cubs to 1204 in two years, or a gain 30 per cent. Activities and advancement of Scouts leaped with the membership also.

First plans announced by Executive Stone include meetings with each of the ten district committees and with Scoutmaster Roundtables. Already he has attended the Eastern

**National Figure In
Boy Scouting to be
in Lubbock**

John G. Triplett, assistant national director of registration, Boy Scouts of America at New York City, will visit in Lubbock, headquarters of the South Plains Council Saturday, April 22, Dr. Frank B. Malone, president of the council has announced.

Triplett will hold several meetings with Scouters in Lubbock to which all Scouters of the council will be invited. All Scoutmasters, committees, and organization and extension committeemen are asked to attend a dinner at 6:30 p. m. Hotel Lubbock, while a general scouter's meeting will be held at 8 p. m.

Triplett has championed the Troop Budget Plan for troops and will likely concentrate his efforts along this line. He came to the national office from Bristol, Va.-Tennessee, in January 1938.

**Promote Boy Scout
Overnight
Camporall**

Plans to promote a Boy Scout overnight Camporall in each of the ten districts of the South Plains Council were made last week, M. E. Heard, council activities chairman, of Lubbock has announced.

Dates of several district camporalls have been set and include: Western District, Levelland, April 28-29; Southwestern District, Seminole, May 5-6; and Eastern District, Spur, May 25-26.

A uniform Camporall, event by event was discussed and determined at the meeting. District Chairman of activities heading the coming events are: M. E. Heard, council chairman, Lubbock; Cecil Schwalbe,

**WHITE'S
CREAM VERMIFUGE**

For expelling Round Worms and for reducing Pin Worm infestation in children.
Price 35c

WHITE DRUG COMPANY

District meeting, at Matador, and has several others on schedule soon. He shall make a complete canvass of the council by the end of April, Dr. Malone said.



**He helps
Texans
telephone**

4 1/2 million times a day

This telephone man helps clear the way for more than 4 1/2 million calls that surge each day through the network of Bell telephone wires in Texas.

It's a big job, handling more than 4 1/2 million tailor-made telephone calls a day. It takes millions of dollars in telephone equipment. It takes the skilled work of 8,700 telephone people. And it takes money... more than 24 1/2 million dollars spent by the telephone company last year to operate its business in Texas. Of this amount, more than 10 million dollars went for wages...nearly 5 million dollars for taxes.

People at work in Texas... money spent in Texas... to give you swift, accurate, courteous telephone service at a reasonable price. Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.



Floydada Insurance Agency...

Insurance of all kinds. Your inquiries and business respectfully solicited.

W. H. HENDERSON
OWNER

666 SALVE
Relieves
COLDS
price
10c & 25c

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Floydada, Texas

1903—Time Tested Service—1939

Central District, Lubbock: M. K. Young, Levelland and Frank Ruth-erford, Whitharral, Western District; S. B. Pierson, Ropesville, Southwestern District; G. M. Roberts, Southern District, Lamesa; John Jenkins, Southeastern District, Slaton; W. W. Wicks, Northeastern District, Ralls; Ed Braselton, Plainview, North Central District; L. A. Purzell, Sudan, Northwestern District; and A. C. Weaver, Spur, and A. Reeves, Matador, Eastern District.

**CLASSIFIED
ADVERTISING**

Our FLOWERS are FRESH and are BEAUTIFULLY ARRANGED. IOLLUMS, FLOYDADA FLORISTS

LANDS FOR LEASE
A few farm tracts to lease at reasonable prices for cash.
W. M. MASSIE & BRO.
Floydada, Texas. 11-tfc

FOR SALE—1937 Chevrolet A-1 Condition. 1937 Oldsmobile A-1 Condition. Geo. M. Finkner. At Triangle Garage. 10-tfc



NEGLECT OF FOOT TROUBLES LEADS TO COMPLICATED ILLS

Oftentimes general ills are attributed to specific foot troubles. Protect your health by having regular checkups on foot troubles. Check them at once—be safe!

RAINER SHOE SHOP

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

We invite you to visit the greenhouse. PARK FLORISTS—Mrs. W. S. Goen. Phone 78. 46-tfc

HEMSTITCHING AND DRESS-MAKING—Mollie Crum, 104 1/2, South Main Street. 21-tfc

For best and cheapest monuments, either in marble or granite. See S. B. McCLESKEY. 24-tfc

LET CAVANAUGH DO YOUR JOB PRINTING.

**FREEDOM
FOR COOKS**



**WON BY NEW
SELF-TIMING
GAS RANGES**

YOU'LL agree that these amazing Gas Ranges almost "do the cooking by themselves."

They're so far ahead of ordinary ranges—there's no comparison! All sorts of marvelous modern improvements make the cook's job easy. Heat control—simmer burners—smokeless broilers—non-rust, easy-to-clean burners.

The new Gas Ranges are even better, too! And they're so smart and handsome they dress up any kitchen.

Visit your dealer and see the new models. He will be glad to explain all the new features. You'll enjoy looking around even if you don't want to buy now!

WEST TEXAS GAS COMPANY

**WE MAKE 35c PRICES
POSSIBLE!**

One Day Service on all brought in by noon each day.

STEWART

CASH AND CARRY 100%



**MORE—
PROFIT**

With Carmack's Blood—Tested Exclusively from Flocks that are inspected and are—

TEXAS—U. S. APPROVED PULLORNS TESTED!

Make your choice from—15 Breeds Chicks.

Also Brooders—Feeders—Founts—plete Stock of Feeds.

CARMACK HATCHERY
Phone 307

SPECIAL April BARGAINS

**AFTER EASTER SALE
TOPPERS AND FULL LENGTH COATS
AND MAN TAILORED SUITS**

Smart untrimmed coats, flared reefers, brilliant dressy box and swing back coats that go with everything. Expensively tailored boucles, coverts, twills and tweeds—high shades. Also navy and black. Special After-Easter Sale for only a few days.

- \$7.95 Coats Reduced to . . . \$6.45
- \$9.85 Coats Reduced to . . . \$8.00
- \$12.75 Coats Reduced to \$10.95
- \$16.95 Coats Reduced to \$12.75
- \$19.50 Coats Reduced to \$15.95

MAN TAILORED SUITS

In Worsted, Gaberdine, solid and fancy materials . . . Special After-Easter Sale for only a few days . . .
\$12.75 Suits Reduced to . . \$8.99



After-Easter SALE!



Style Shoppe

"Always Showing Newest Things First"
Mrs. Mollie A. Morton, Owner Phone 17

**Figures said
Upturn
Business**

April 18.—Analysis of the figures announced this week substantiate fore- general business upturn. They reflect the most condition that has existed in two years.

dealers' retail sales of trucks rocketed to a high in March, with total of 88,836 units. The gain was made here today over March 1938 was 75 per cent, and the gain over February was 75 per cent.

period of March resulted in a nominal gain of 70.1 per cent preceding 10 days, Mr. ... out. Sales in the final ... 41,177 units, were for any final period in ... years, and the highest ... day period, regardless of month, since the first 10 ... 1937.

dealer cars and trucks ... the advance, the figures ... truck line, expanded for ... addition of cab-over- ... and several new con- ... models, showed a 60.7 per ... over the total for the ... days, reaching 19,466 ... This represented a ... per cent over March ... 58.8 per cent over Feb- ... Not since August 1937 ... sales performance.

... said that used car sales ... on the dealer's ability ... increasing new unit busi- ... special significance, ... marked gains dur- ... Chevrolet dealers sold ... cars for a gain of 24.5 ... over February. This is ... more than were sold in ... It brings Chevrolet's ... units, new and used, to ...

**FARM SECURITY ADMINISTRATION IS
ACCOMPLISHING A TASK, SET FORTH BY
ITS NAME—SECURING THE FARMER**

**Against Future Disaster, by Education, and by
Loans for Betterment. Its Program is to Help
The Farmer Help Himself.**

Special to the Plainsman

FROM MIGRANT TO OWNER

There has been a down cycle in American agriculture. Owners have been reduced to tenants; tenants have been pushed off the land, and now wander from place to place, seeking work. Land has been ruined by poor practices. Immense taxation has been laid down to maintain isolated agricultural communities, tilling soil that should never have been touched excepting by the wind and sun. There are a half dozen methods used to stop this erosion of man and land: adjustment of debts to aid the creditor and the farmer; loans to farmers who need only a little money to be successful; loans to groups of farmers for expensive machinery which can be better borne by the group; reorganization of farms in areas where the basis of farming has been wiped out; loans to help farmers for the purchase of farms; camps for the unemployed; loans for building of water facilities in semi-arid states; and outright grants whose farmers would not accept on the whole costly day after day.

from any other source may apply to the Farm Security Administration for a loan—to purchase necessary farm supplies, livestock, household needs, feed, seed, fertilizer, for payment of rent, taxes, and for food. The borrower gives a note secured by his personal property, property to be acquired through the loan, or on his prospective crop. The rate of interest on all rehabilitation loans is five per cent per year. No farmer who can borrow from a bank, a friend, a relative or any other farm credit agency may borrow from this agency. Farm Security Administration is making the old-fashioned character loan, the loan that far-seeing bankers made to build America. Today with the benefit of four years experience in working toward rehabilitation of farm families, these loans are not only placing thousands of farm families back on their feet, but the FSA is actually making a record of repayment comparable to that of commercial agencies dealing in farm credit.

COMBATING RURAL HUNGER

American farmers during the dark days of the early "Thirties". Reasons: drought or flood, poor farming practices, untrained farmers. Grants may be made for living needs where the farm and home plans show it to be impossible to operate the farm, maintain a healthful standard of living, and repay the loan—but only until some farm plan can be set up under which the farmer may operate and make money to repay a loan. Emergency loans may be granted to drought flood or stock sufferers. The rate of interest is five per cent and the loans are made for no longer period than 18 months.

THE SHIFTING BURDEN OF YESTERDAY

The depression brought about a scaling down of the debt structure of the nation to its ability to pay, to deflate inflated values to some normalcy. The farmer, too, needed such a scaling down in his debt structure. In Farm Debt Adjustment Service, the Main Street creditor and the farmer has a common meeting place. An adjuster works without remuneration from either the creditor or the farmer. His goal is to scale the debt so that the creditor will suf-

Thanks Voters

Thank those who supported the City Election for my. I shall strive to render my best service possible administration.

Yours truly,
SILAS E. DUNCAN.
(Advertisement)

**WANAUGH DO YOUR
THING.**

**SOLOMON
JEWELER**

Floydada, Texas



**YOU'LL
CLICK**

FASHION
in
Clari-phane
STOCKINGS

Beautiful fashions... short
Paris. "O.K."
New York.

Mojud Hollywood
Board gives you your
smartness and gle-
Mojud Screenlite
They're charged with
each
pick
your

\$1.00, \$1.25
Highest Value in Town

**STYLE
HOPPE**

Campus Favorites at Hardin-Simmons



These seven coeds, named by fellow students at Hardin-Simmons University, in Abilene, Tex., as popularity and beauty queens, have places of honor in the thirty-second annual edition of the HSU Bronco, university yearbook published each spring. They are: Jeanell Green, Abilene, university queen; Kathleen Nunnally, Anson, Bronco sweetheart; Doris Surles, Cisco, summer queen; Jane Gracey, Bronco, senior favorite; Nell Gee, Abilene, junior favorite; Clarine Marsh, Eastland, sophomore favorite; and Anita Jo Simmons, Haskell, freshman favorite.

**11th Full Time
Resident NYA
Center Is Located
At Canyon**

Austin, April 18.—In announcing establishment of a full-time resident center for out-of-school youth on the campus of the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon, Texas NYA officials expressed satisfaction this week with the progress being made in further developing this phase of NYA's work-experience program. The Canyon project is the eleventh full-time NYA resident center now operating in Texas.

Fifty boys from Texas Panhandle counties moved into a temporary dormitory and immediately began construction of permanent buildings to house the group. Plans have been worked out by WTSTC, co-sponsor of the project, and NYA officials, to construct the dormitories out of native rock taken from nearby Palo Duro Canyon.

Youths assigned to the Canyon resident center will be offered related training in fundamental shop practices and progressive farming. Dr. J. A. Hill, president, has designated R. A. Terrill, Head of the Manual Arts Department, to supervise the training program. Olie T. Brown, a graduate of the college, is the NYA Superintendent.

**MACK AND BANKER
FRIEND "CHOOSE-UP"**

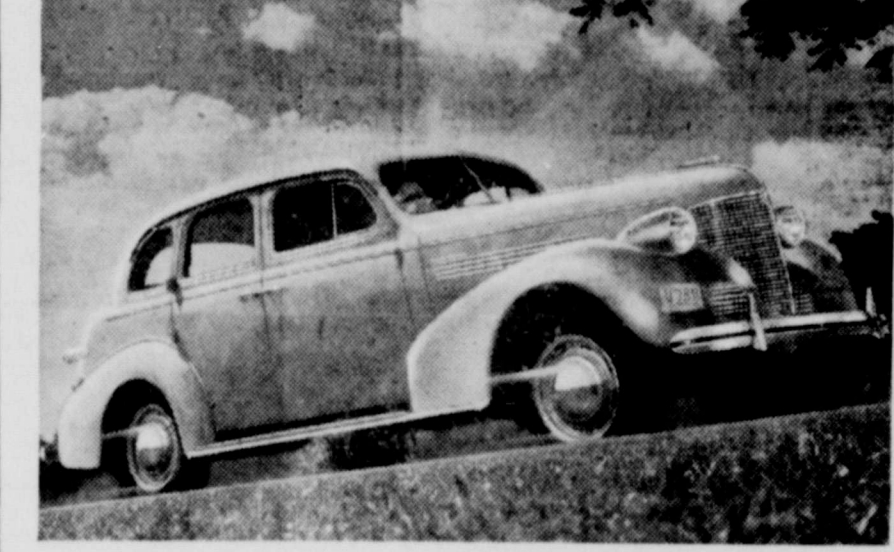


Connie Mack, who has been playing professional baseball and managing major league clubs for more than half a century, came to Dallas recently with his Philadelphia Athletics and renewed a friendship of many years with his old friend, Nathan Adams. Mr. Adams is something of a pilot himself. For fifty years he has been piloting the First National Bank in Dallas and on April 19, 20 and 21 associates, employees, friends and neighbors will celebrate the banker's golden anniversary of service with the bank of which he is president. And Mr. Cornelius McGillicuddy (Connie Mack) plans to return to Dallas to join in the celebration.

Mrs. Mollie Walling, of Olton, is visiting this week with her family, daughter, Mrs. A. C. Goen and family.

Mrs. Walter Harrison, of Roswell, New Mexico, visited in the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Henson Monday.

DRIVE THE LEADER!



- Drive the car with
**EXCLUSIVE VACUUM
GEARSHIFT**
Vacuum Booster Supplies 80%
of the Shifting Effort
- Drive the car with
**NEW AERO-STREAM
STYLING**
NEW BODIES BY FISHER
- Drive the car with
**CHEVROLET'S FAMOUS
VALVE-IN-HEAD SIX**
- Drive the car with
**PERFECTED
HYDRAULIC BRAKES**
- Drive the car with
**PERFECTED KNEE-
ACTION RIDING
SYSTEM**
(With Improved Shockproof Steering)
On Master De Luxe models only.
- Drive the car with
**NEW "OBSERVATION
CAR" VISIBILITY**

Prove to yourself that Chevrolet out-accelerates, out-climbs and out-performs all other low-priced cars—just as it leads all other makes of cars!

Drive the leader... drive it in traffic... and convince yourself that Chevrolet out-accelerates all other low-priced cars—bar none!

Drive the leader... drive it on the hills... and get conclusive proof that Chevrolet out-climbs all other cars in its price range!

Drive the leader... drive it on the curves, on the straight-away, on rough roads... and satisfy yourself that here is the smoothest, steadiest, safest-riding car you can possibly buy at or near Chevrolet's low prices!

There's a new Chevrolet waiting for you at your nearest Chevrolet dealer's. See him—today!

CHEVROLET

The only low-priced car combining "ALL THAT'S BEST AT LOWEST COST!"

ODEN CHEVROLET CO.

SALES AND SERVICE PHONE 4 FLOYDADA, TEXAS

**How will YOU spend these FINE
SPRING DAYS?**



Springtime, or anytime for that matter, is no time to spend in the basement slaving over a washing. Why not really enjoy Spring... get out in the fresh air? It's easy! And inexpensive! Just send your laundry to the Floydada Steam Laundry and make washday your fun day!



Phone 141 for Details of Our Prices!
FLOYDADA STEAM LAUNDRY

BEAUTY AND MUSIC AT THE FAIR



NEW YORK—Ballet on land and water will thrill visitors to the New York World's Fair opening on April 30. In the Marine Amphitheatre which seats 10,000 persons, Eleanor Holm (inset), Olympic swimming and stage star, will head a cast of 100 girls in Billy Rose's Aquacade ballet. Two hundred others will dance on the stage. The show's production will cost \$1,000,000, according to Grover A. Whalen, President of the Fair.

New Prices On TAILOR WORK

- Suits Cleaned and Pressed . . . 25c
- Dresses Cleaned & Pressed 35c up
- Hats Cleaned 50c
- Pants Cleaned and Pressed . . . 20c

W. L. FRY CLEANERS

HOW SOON WILL IT LAY EGGS?



Just when the new chicks will begin to produce is a vital question to all poultry raisers. You can be sure that your chicks will lay in record time if you use EVERLAY POULTRY FEEDS. The feed that has the essential minerals for greater growth, bigger bones and better digestion.

FARMERS GRAIN CO.
Phone No. 43

Austin Now 100 Years Old As Lone Star State Capital

Austin, April 13.—Austin, as the Capital of Texas, was 100 years old Thursday.

Just a century ago, President Monroe B. Lamar of the Republic of Texas received a report from a five-man commission, which had roamed over the middle portion of the Nation searching for an ideal site for the Capital, that it had found one.

The commissioners had selected the town of Waterloo (now Austin) on the east bank of the Colorado River as "the seat of a future empire."

"We have the honor," the report read in part, "to present to Your Excellency that we have traversed and critically examined the country on both sides of the Colorado and Brazos Rivers from the upper San Antonio road to and about the falls on both these rivers, and that we have not neglected the intermediate country between them, but have examined it more particularly than a due regard to our personal safety did perfectly warrant."

The commissioners, H. C. Horton, J. W. Burton, William Menifee, Isaac Campbell and Louis Cook, said Waterloo was in the heart of a rich district and ideally situated.

"The site occupies and will effectually close," they reported, "the pass by which Indians and outlawed Mexicans have for ages past traveled east and west, to and from the Rio Grande to Eastern Texas, and will now force them to pass by way of Pecan Bayou and San Saba, above the mountains and sources of the Guadalupe River.

"The imagination of even the romantic will not be disappointed in viewing the valley of the Colorado and the fertile and gracefully undulating woodlands and luxuriant prairies at a distance from it."

The capital city this year is celebrating its centennial.

Dr. M. R. Garrison Named President of Texas Dental Society for 1940

Dr. C. M. Thacker and family are home from Fort Worth after having attended the Texas State Dental society which closed its annual convention with general clinics, after the organization's house of delegates named Dallas as the 1940 meeting place and elected officers.

Officers named were Dr. Monte R. Garrison, Wichita Falls, president-elect; Drs. W. K. Waitman, Hearne; Konrad Lux, Waco, and G. P. Robertson, San Antonio, vice presidents; and Dr. Willard Ogle of Dallas, re-elected secretary-treasurer and editor of the Texas Dental Journal.

Dr. T. C. Duckworth of San Antonio, named president-elect in 1938, became president of the society, succeeding Dr. E. C. Berwick of Austin.

International Exhibit of Rare Weaving

Denton, April 19.—Several hundred textiles including an international exhibition of rare examples of weaving from many parts of the world will go on display at the North Texas State Teachers College library building April 18-22 as part of a "textile week" that has been announced by the college art department.

A taxite "open house" Friday afternoon and Saturday morning will climax the week. At that time students in the crafts course being taught this semester by Rudolph Fuchs will give weaving demonstrations in the crafts room on the first floor of the library building. Some 18 looms, including 10 different types, will be used in the demonstration.

At the same time, three classes of Teachers College Demonstration school students under the direction of Miss Ann Bookman of the Demonstration school faculty, will operate 15 to 20 small looms in room 105 of the library building.

The demonstrations will be held from 1 to 5 Friday afternoon and from 9 until 12 o'clock Saturday morning. Students and the general public are invited to witness the operation of the looms.

Three classes of exhibits will remain on display in the library from Tuesday through Saturday of "textile week." The international display, which will be placed in the hall, will include samples of weaving from France, Belgium, the Congo, Peru, Bali, Guatemala, Mexico, and the United States. In the art rooms samples of student work will be shown. The little gallery will be reserved for the work of faculty members, Rudolph Fuchs and Kenneth Hunt, who have specialized in weaving and who have taught the course on crafts in which instruction in weaving is a feature.

County Council Meeting to be Held April 22

The Floyd County Home Demonstration Council will hold its regular meeting Saturday, April 22, at 2 p. m. in the county court room, when plans will be made for the district home demonstration association meeting May 6, at Lubbock.

Ben Ayres made a business trip to Dallas this week.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
League 6:15 o'clock.
Evening Service 7:00 o'clock.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30.

STAR VALUES

MEAL 39c
LARGE SACK

CORN 15c
NO. 2 SIZE, 2 CANS

JELLO 5c
6 FLAVORS, PER PACKAGE

CANDY 10c
BULK, POUND

COFFEE 25c
FOLGERS, 1 POUND CAN

OATS 19c
QUICK QUAKER, LARGE

Crackers . . . 12½c
TWO POUNDS

CHEESE 15c
LONGHORN, ONE POUND

BACON 25c
NO. ONE, PER POUND

Lettuce, Head 5c

BETTER SEEDS MAKE BETTER GARDENS

STAR CASH GROCERY

Old Mountie Tells Of Early Campaign

Last of Original Troop Is Living in London.

LONDON.—A man who was one of the original "mounties" who established law and order in the wild northwest territories of the Nineteenth century Canada has been found living in London.

He is James H. Fullwood, 88 years old, who believes that as ex-trooper 160 he is the only surviving member of the three troops of the newly formed Northwest Mounted Police, which on June 13, 1874, crossed the United States border into Alberta.

They went to exterminate the Montana "bad men" who were plying the Indians with whisky, robbing and murdering them and preying on the few white settlers scattered through the territory.

So widespread had their activities become that they were endangering the peace of the dominion.

The "mounties" had orders to suppress them at any cost.

"We finally moved them off from Fargo, N. D., in a column two miles long—horses and men, cattle, farm implements and Red River carts which you could hear squeaking a mile off," Fullwood said.

"We were making for Edmonton, Alta., at the foot of the Rockies, which we had to patrol. It was a hard trip of well over a thousand miles. It took us under five months.

"It was especially hard on the horses and cattle. Forage was scarce and grazing generally non-existent. Yet day after day our horses covered 50 miles. Long before we made camp at night the men were leading them.

"About halfway along our trail we had to establish a 'crippled camp' for men and horses. Shortly after that the main body, which carried on, had plenty of meat for the first time. We were in buffalo country.

"Our Colonel Macleod established his post in the Porcupine Hills. It was the first post ever built by the new police, and I helped with the construction. Today it is the town of Macleod.

"We had little trouble with the Indians. They soon realized that we were there to protect them and they became our allies in our fights with the criminals."

Geologists Are Puzzled

By Earth Slide in Idaho

PRESTON, IDAHO.—Geologists were puzzled over the gigantic earth slide that moved 2,000,000 tons of earth and shifted a 25-acre farm pasture 50 feet into the Bear river. A large icy-covered pond on the plot of ground affected by the slide was not disturbed. Not even a crack in the ice showed. Cattle grazing on the sliding terrain scrambled to safety as their pasture began to move.

Two small boys skating on a nearby slough witnessed the phenomenon.

"We heard a lot of popping and rumbling," 12-year-old Ivan Thompson and Francis Rasmussen said. "We looked up and saw the hill was gone—the one we used to hunt rabbits on."

Affecting an area equal to two city blocks, one corner of the perambulating pasture slid far enough to almost dam the river. After the 50-foot drop the surface of the pasture was folded like an accordion and was stratified with large cracks except around the area of the pond.

Will Explore Submerged City in Caribbean Sea

DETROIT.—Plans for a 100-day expedition to photograph the "sunk city" of St. James, off the Island of St. Christopher, are virtually complete.

Robert Hall, 38-year-old Detroit and wealthy soldier-of-fortune, will head a 25-man expedition to the coast of the Caribbean island. Included in the party are professional men and four university students.

Purpose of the Caribbean expedition, according to Hall, is to photograph the ruins of the city of St. James, which was destroyed by volcanic eruption in 1630 and has since defied photographers. The city lies under water.

Hall's expedition will carry diving equipment and underwater cameras. Since all attempts to photograph it from the surface have failed, Hall hopes to attack it from the ocean floor. Two professional divers are members of the expedition.

Only 54 of 207 Pupils Identify Stalk of Wheat

CHICAGO.—The word wheat is commonplace. Everyone knows what wheat is used for. Bread is made from wheat.

But when 207 sixth, seventh, and eighth grade pupils at the Mozart elementary school were shown a stalk of wheat, only 54 named it correctly. Charles P. Saunders, principal of the school, said the test was made at the suggestion of Miss Nellie F. Ryan, a district school superintendent.

Out of the 207 pupils, 109 admitted they didn't know; 27 said oats, 8 thought the stalk was rye, 5 barley, 1 corn, and 1 bearded wheat. One youngster looked at the stalk and told Mr. Saunders he thought it was a corn cob.

Prices Talk, See Our USED CAR BARGAINS

- 1938 Chevrolet Town Sedan
- 1938 Chevrolet Coupe
- 1937 Ford Tudor
- 1937 Plymouth Tudor Touring
- 1937 Plymouth Coach
- 1936 Ford Sedan
- 1936 Ford Coupe
- 1934 Chevrolet Tudor
- 1934 Chevrolet Sedan
- 1934 Ford Tudor

PLENTY OF CHEAP CARS

ODEN CHEVROLET COMPANY
Phone No. 4



Our hatchery is now operating at full capacity. We can handle or will take your order for any breed of BLOOD PURIFIED CHICKS.

We have a full line of poultry feeds and supplies.

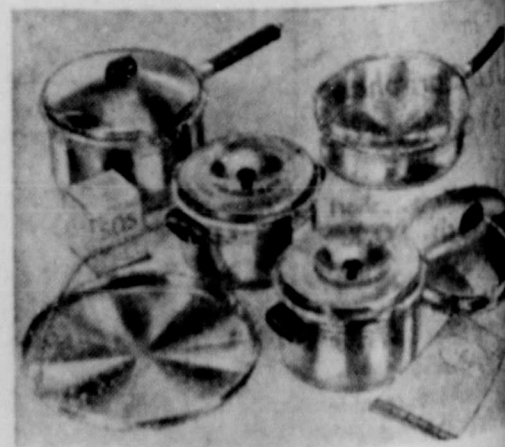
RICE HATCHERY

North Side Square WEST

Electric Cookery MATCHLES

... in more ways than one

There are many extras—to be had only in electric cookery—that are worth many times their cost. Electric cookery is the world's cleanest cook. It is flameless—so there is no soot to blacken your pots and pans or smudge up your walls and walls. You save a lot of scrubbing and mopping—and naturally you have less kitchen and house cleaning. As for the range itself—it's as easy to clean as a plate! Cook electrically—and save yourself a lot of trouble and labor!



This \$23.95 set of Aluminum Ware is offered for a limited time on the purchase of a new electric range. See this set and the new range today. This offer definitely expires April 27.

Texas-New Mexico Utilities Company