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Rural Electric Co-Op Holds Important Meeting Saturday

236 Applicants Were Voted Into Co-Op Membership

Nominating Committees Named For Each District; To Meet April 15

Two hundred thirty-eight, applicants were voted into membership of the Floyd County Rural Electric Co-Op, Inc., at a meeting of directors Saturday afternoon.

Districts of approximately 30 members each were outlined and a member from each district was appointed to form a committee to nominate candidates for directors for each district.

The meeting for the election will be held April 15 in Floydada, probably in the district courtroom. Chairman of the program committee is W. H. Nelson, attendance committee, R. B. Gary; hall committee, O. L. Allen, refreshment committee, Herman R. King.

The nominating committees for the various districts are listed below.

District No. 1, nominating Chairman O. G. Glassmoyer, composed of the following members: F. M. Dougherty; Raymond Holt, O. R. Sanders, C. S. Ray, Edwards Elevator, John R. Mayo, W. Earl Foster, John R. Mayo elevator, F. M. Covington, F. M. Covington Oil station, U. S. Cook, Bill M. Norman, W. H. Edwards, W. Earl Foster station, H. D. Bloodworth, C. A. Caffee, Jim Morrison, H. N. Powell, W. M. Webb, Newton Mercantile, J. E. Newton, Dougherty School, Dougherty teaching, Dougherty Baptist church, Dougherty M. E. church, J. M. Brynlow, J. R. Hinton, O. G. Glassmoyer, R. S. Moore.

District No. 2, nominating chairman John A. Lloyd, composed of the following members: R. W. Lott, T. J. Campbell, C. E. Bartlett, Iris L. Colston, Bill O. McNeill, A. H. Kreis, George Stiles, Hubert Bartlett, T. E. Leach, W. H. Nelson, B. A. Colston, H. L. Kreis, Herschel Green, J. T. Finley, J. V. Jones, M. C. Latta, L. H. Dorrell, S. J. Latta, P. B. Crawford, C. B. Sims, W. C. Sims, Clifford Willis, J. A. Lloyd, O. P. Rutledge, W. A. Cates, A. W. Dunn, F. F. Fuqua, T. J. McNeely, J. B. Turner and R. L. Trice.

District No. 3, nominating chairman P. J. Wilkes, composed of the following members: R. M. Battey, C. C. Nichols, Pleasant Hill school, Pleasant Hill teaching, T. J. Cardinal, Mrs. J. R. Evers, P. J. Wilkes, H. M. Thomas, J. M. Harrison, Milton Harrison, Orville Newberry, J. R. Conway, W. C. Wright, Roy Smith, Lakeview Baptist church, Claud Patton, Lakeview school, Lakeview teaching, W. T. Hopper, H. J. Nelson, Mrs. B. C. Willis, O. N. (See R. E. A. page 7)

Commissioners, Judge Attend Assn. Meeting

All the members of the Floyd County Commissioners court, including Judge G. C. Tubbs and Commissioners A. S. Cummings, E. R. Harris, H. J. Nelson and M. H. Taylor, attended part or all of the sessions of the West Texas Judges and Commissioners association in Lubbock Friday and Saturday last.

Attendance High At Farm Meetings Held Over County

Attendance at the various Farm Board programs being held over the county has been encouragingly high. County Agent, D. F. Bredthauer said Wednesday afternoon. Some 13 different communities have been visited to date and an estimated 829 farmers have been spoken to. Discussions are held on 4-H club work, water facilities, agricultural conservation and land use planting. The schedule next week includes Center, Monday; Fairview, Tuesday; Liberty, Wednesday; Cedar, Thursday; and Aiken, Friday. The meetings begin at 7:30 p. m. and are called to a halt as soon as discussions cease. Special attention is given the discussion of the 1939 farm program and the means in which it concerns the farmer.



R. A. Selby of Pampa, above, directed the Panhandle's largest convention when the Northwest Texas conference for Education met in Canyon recently. Mr. Selby, president of the conference, is director of instruction for Pampa public schools. More than 3,000 school men and women attended the session at West Texas State college.

Interscholastic League Work To Begin Saturday

Tennis And Playground Ball To Begin Saturday Morning At F. H. S.

Interscholastic league work will go into the final rounds beginning this week with tennis and playground ball at Floydada High school. The regular league season began with football season and will end with junior tennis in April. Boys and girls senior tennis, both singles and doubles, will be played beginning Saturday morning.

Playground ball will also be played on the diamonds west of the high school. The games will also begin in the morning. A. D. Cummings, superintendent of Floydada schools, is director general of the league. J. H. Myers of Floydada will have charge of the girls playground ball; C. E. Blount of Lockney will have charge of boys playground ball.

Farm Leaders Discuss Membership Methods In Farm Organizations

Floyd, Motley and Briscoe farm leaders here last Saturday discussed ways and means of maintaining membership in the county farm organizations so as to get cohesion and prompt action on matters of moment to southwestern farms. M. C. Jaynes of the Texas Agricultural association, was the principal speaker and told of methods that are being employed in various parts of the state. He also pointed out the need for an organization which can speak in the name of the farm operators on matters of state and national interest. Present for the meeting were:

County Agent Frank Buckley, and Mr. and Mrs. Rushing, Matador; County Agent H. L. Williams, Silverton; J. W. Taylor, president of the Floyd County Farm association, Quitaque, C. V. Lemons, Cedar, W. H. Nelson, Baker, Ben Quebe, Providence Buck Sams, Ed Teuton, G. D. Allen, Lockney, H. W. Schacht, Aiken, O. L. Allen, Sterley, W. B. Jordan, Center, H. R. Patterson, Jno. A. Lloyd, Floydada, L. A. Williams, J. S. Hale Harmony, Geo. L. Fawver, Jr., Baker, Mrs. Cliff Day, Plainview, K. J. Edwards, district agent College Station, W. N. Jones, city; A. O. Foster, W. A. Cates and Mrs. J. S. Hale, Harmony; Mrs. Dan Shipley, Mrs. John Lloyd, Mrs. E. O. Cates, Arizona, Mrs. T. O. Wilson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Atteck and children of Childress and Tom Humphrey of Duncan, Oklahoma.

FLOYDADA MEN IN PARTS BUSINESS AT QUITAQUE

Hal Reid Bethel, and J. L. Baxter, of Floydada, have gone into business in partnership at Quitaque, which they have named the B & B Auto Parts Store. The new business venture is their first, although both have had some experience in selling and servicing auto supplies.

Grasshopper War Begins Saturday With Big Meeting

Bran And Arsenite Already In Storage Awaiting Call To Arms

The battle against migratory, destructive grasshoppers will begin in this county Saturday morning at 9:30 when a meeting will be held in the district court room to outline the forthcoming campaign against the pest of the Plains.

County Agricultural Agent D. F. Bredthauer, R. R. Reppert, extension etymologist, and a U. S. expert on grasshopper control will meet with the farmers to assist them in formulating a campaign to destroy or at least keep the grasshopper menace under control this coming year.

Present for the meeting will be the commissioners court, county judge, land use committee, and other committees interested in the eradication program.

Bran and sodium arsenite are already in storage here in preparation for the forthcoming battle, which will begin earlier this year than ever before, if plans are followed.

The grasshopper fight will be a Panhandle-wide effort and will extend north into Oklahoma, and Kansas and other states pestered with the migratory hopper.

A recent survey showed that migratory hopper eggs had been found as far south as Muncy, Liberty and Fairview, but the adult hopper may travel many miles from his birthplace and there cause considerable damage.

Other specie have not been found in such quantities as the migratory hopper but a very real danger exists unless control is established early with the use of poison.

Archer Funeral Held Here Sun. Afternoon

Native Kentuckian, Resident Of Area Since 1916, Died At Home Here Saturday

Funeral rites for J. R. Archer, 75, were held Sunday afternoon from the Cumberland Presbyterian church, where Rev. A. A. Collins, of Oilton, Texas, was assisted by Rev. Vernon Shaw, pastor of the First Baptist church here in the funeral services. Interment was made in Floydada cemetery.

Mr. Archer died Saturday following a prolonged illness at his home 305 West Houston street.

Active pallbearers were L. J. Welborn, Pierce King, J. D. McBrinn, Bill Debnom, Lindsey Graham and E. L. Teague. Flower bearers were Mrs. C. M. Thacker, Mrs. Wayne Gound, Mrs. Pierce King, Miss Martha Lou McClure, Mrs. L. J. Welborn and Mrs. Lindsey Graham.

The honorary pallbearers named were W. I. Norman, C. A. McClure, Geo. M. Finkner, J. A. Carruth, J. H. Green, Mac Latta, J. T. Hopper, W. C. Sims, E. C. King, J. L. Kirk and Judge Kenneth Bain.

Born in Hickman county, Kentucky March 2, 1864, Mr. Archer moved to Sunset, Texas, in 1872. He was married to Miss Lucy Clara Humphrey, who survives him, on December 20, 1888. The family resided in the Indian territory for a time, moving to West Texas in 1916. Since that time he had been a resident of Floyd county and in recent years has made his home in Floydada, after retiring from an active life as a stockfarmer.

Surviving relatives are his wife and seven daughters: Mrs. J. R. Neece of Amarillo, Mrs. J. Christian of Lawton, Oklahoma; Mrs. M. P. Funk of Duncan, Oklahoma; Mrs. S. J. Latta, Mrs. E. L. Norman, and Mrs. S. G. Appling all of Floydada; Mrs. Roy Owen of Abilene and one son, L. T. Archer of Winslow, Arizona. Also one brother, W. P. Archer of Ardmore, Oklahoma, and three sisters: Mrs. John Heron and Mrs. Annie Boyers of Ardmore, Oklahoma and Mrs. Marshall Anderson of Texola, Oklahoma.

All the children were present for the funeral services except the son, who was unable to come.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Anderson and son of Texola, Mrs. T. O. Wilson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Atteck and children of Childress and Tom Humphrey of Duncan, Oklahoma. Friends here for the services included Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mayhew and Miss Wilma Webb of Amarillo, C. M. Mixon of Dimmitt and Joe Pounds of Lawton, Oklahoma.

Sheriff Fred Clark left Wednesday afternoon for Alameda to be with his father, O. C. Clark, who is seriously ill.

First Proof Of Loss In U.S. Signed

"Quite Different To Some Experiences" Biggs Says While Signing

John F. Biggs, a tenant farmer of the Muncy community who farms 160 acres of land owned by a Nebraskan, was the first farmer to sign a proof of loss statement in connection with the Federal (all risk) Crop Insurance program of Floyd county.

County Agent D. F. Bredthauer said that so far as his office was able to determine this is the first proof of loss to be signed in the United States but that he knew that it was the first for this area.

Mr. Biggs who has been farming for about 15 years on a share basis had established an average yield of 9.3 bushels of wheat per acre on his farm. Last fall he seeded 52.5 acres of wheat for harvest in 1939, all of which was a total loss due to drought and wind erosion. He insured this crop at the cost of \$14.50 which was the value of 31.5 bushels of wheat, the amount required to pay the premium on Mr. Biggs two-thirds of the crop. A policy was issued to Mr. Biggs guaranteeing him 245 bushels of production, which at the present price will net him \$136.

"This is quite different from some of the experiences I have had in the past years when I have suffered a total loss against which I could not insure and was forced to make other arrangements to finance my crop," Mr. Biggs said.

Mr. Biggs has been growing wheat in Floyd county for the past 22 years and is fully aware of the hazards, none of which he had previously been able to insure against, except the hail loss.

Mr. Biggs has been at all times in full compliance with the agriculture program and is a member of the Floyd County Agricultural association and was one of the first farmers to become interested in crop insurance when it became available last spring.

J. E. Horton Succumbs At Home Here Sunday

Long Illness Results In Death For Local Business Man Sunday Morning

J. E. Horton, 60, for 17 years a resident of Floydada, died at his home, 501 South Main street, Sunday morning at 4 o'clock following an illness of a year and the remains were interred in Floydada cemetery Monday afternoon following funeral rites at the home.

McDermitt Post, American Legion of which deceased had been a member since moving to Floydada, had charge of funeral and burial rites, with J. C. Wester, post commander, officiating. Rev. Vernon Shaw, pastor of First Baptist church, preached the funeral and was assisted by Rev. W. P. Jennings, of Plainview.

Active pallbearers were W. G. Collins, J. H. Reagan, Robert McGuire, Jno. W. Maxwell, L. T. Bishop, and George Sherrill. Color guards were W. H. Sharp and R. A. Garrett with J. D. Porterfield and J. C. Covington, color bearers. The firing squad was commanded by Roy L. Snodgrass, with Harry Morckel, V. H. Boteler, Oliver Dudley, J. A. Arwine, J. B. Turner, H. R. Stanley composing the squad personnel. Joe Arwine sounded taps. J. C. Gilliam served as chaplain.

Mr. Horton was a native of Tennessee. He moved to Texas in early life. Survivors of the deceased are his wife, a brother, Rev. J. Pat Horton of Plainview, and a nephew, J. Pat Horton, Jr., also of Plainview. These were present for the last rites as were numerous friends and relatives including Mrs. B. H. Beard, a niece, and Mr. Beard, of Dumas; Mrs. Edwin Schreiber a niece and Mr. Schreiber and baby, of Plainview and P. C. Windsor, a nephew of Muleshoe.

Traces of rain during the period were indicated in the remainder of the county. The "90 days after a fog" legend is borne out by the slight precipitation that was recorded here this morning. Mild temperatures prevail.

LOCKNEY WOMAN GRAVELLY ILL AT HOSPITAL TODAY

Mrs. Ruby Lancaster, of Lockney, is gravely ill at Floydada Hospital & Clinic, where she was brought for medical treatment Tuesday of this week. Jack Parkey, injured last week in a peculiar accident when a tractor fell over him in a trench silo and broke his nose and facial bones was dismissed from the hospital this week to return home.

J. E. A. Womack manager of the market department of Piggy-Wiggy food store yesterday afternoon had several stitches taken in his chin to close a wound caused when he fell on a grocery truck and suffering a severe cut.

McDermitt Post Wants Two Day Show Of Gainesville Community Circus July 3-4

Campaign For Guarantee Pledges On With Contract Enroute For Signing

Gainesville Community Circus, probably the most widely publicized community enterprise in the nation, is expected to give 3 performances in Floydada on July 3 and 4.

J. C. Wester, commander of McDermitt Post, American Legion, said yesterday a contract is enroute here and due today from A. Morton Smith, Gainesville newspaper man and business manager of the circus, for the dates here. The circus will appear here under the auspices of McDermitt Post.

The guarantee against loss, however, is a big undertaking and Mr. Wester indicated that help of local business men in underwriting the big feature is being sought. Actual cost to the Gainesville organization of a trip and 3 performances here is estimated at upward of \$2,500 and this amount must be guaranteed, he said. Enthusiastic support for the appearance of the big show is being given, he said, estimating that guarantees subscribed yesterday had reached a figure around \$1,400.

Other local people will be contacted today and tomorrow with the expectation that the whole amount will be subscribed quickly and little or no delay will follow receipt and return of the contract to Gainesville.

The season for the circus this year will open on April 26, when their troupe will perform in Gainesville. Mr. Wester said, and several local business men are expected to attend. "We hope to make the coming of the circus to Floydada a big event," was Mr. Wester's comment, pointing out that the trip here would be the organization's first visit to the plains area, with indications that it would draw huge crowds to each performance.

Decision to ask the Gainesville entertainers to Floydada was reached by the Legion post in their meeting Monday night and immediately contact was made by telephone to get the independence day date. T. P. Collins, J. A. Arwine and others are aiding the post commander in campaigning for subscriptions to the guarantee for the appearance of the circus here.

Bill Hodel Opens New Bowling Alley Saturday

Described as being one of the finest bowling alleys on the South Plains, outside of Lubbock and Amarillo, Bill Hodel, formerly of Lockney, opened his Floydada Bowling club to the public Saturday morning.

"The alleys stayed full from opening time in the morning until we closed at midnight Saturday," Mr. Hodel said, "and everyone seemed to enjoy the regulation game with the longer alleys and bigger balls."

The new club has four maple wood floored alleys, highly polished and waxed, with a return rack for each two alleys. The alleys are 60 feet long to the first pin and 63 feet long to the last row of pins. Regulation 12 and 14 pound bowling balls are used.

Perfect score on the regulation alley is 300 points, which means striking with every ball. Ten pins are used with each pin counting one point when knocked down.

Particular care has been given to lighting to prevent eye strain and glare.

TRACE OF RAIN FOR MOST OF COUNTY BETTER IN AREAS BY INCH DOWNPOUR

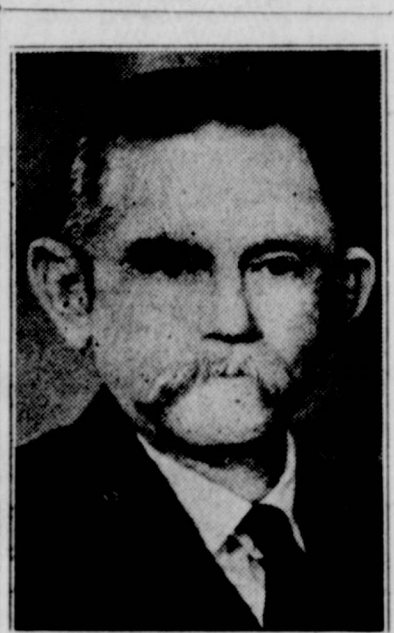
While most of Floyd county and the east plains had only a trace of rain Sunday, Monday and again this morning, some portions of the county report excellent showers to rains, amounting to an inch or more in scattered areas.

In the vicinity of Muncy, Cedar and South Plains the best streaks are indicated by the reports of the Sunday downpour. On Monday nice showers fell in portions of the All-mo community in southwest Floyd county.

NEW SCREEN AT PALACE

A sound screen in a cinema show house should be renewed about once every four years, and that time having elapsed, Jack Deakins, manager of the Palace and Ritz theatres here, completed the installation of a new screen at the Palace the first of the week.

Although the cost is heavy it is a part of the expense that goes with maintaining a first class show house, Deakins indicated. The Palace is a picture show house that is not equalled in a city of the same size anywhere in the state, and the management is jealous of its reputation as such, Deakins said in reporting the latest expenditure.



J. R. Archer, who died Saturday at the age of 75, was a native Kentuckian who had spent the greater part of his life in Texas. He had been a resident of this section since 1916. In December of last year he and Mrs. Archer celebrated their golden wedding anniversary here.

Auto Registration For 1939 is Slow April 1 is last Day

Drivers License Are To Be Honored Indefinitely, Patrolmen Say

Registration of automobiles and trucks is progressing slowly according to the county tax assessor and collectors office this week.

Today only 431 car license have been sold, 89 farm truck tags and 45 commercial tags. It is estimated that 90 car tags and 25 truck tags have been issued in Lockney.

This is considerably less than is generally expected since some 2,500 cars and trucks are generally registered by April 1, the last date on which old tags may be used and the date on which new tags must be attached.

During 1938 some 2,700 auto tags, 600 farm truck, and 359 commercial truck license were sold in this county. Information on drivers license, according to the office, is that regular drivers license will continue to be honored indefinitely, or until the Texas legislature passes a drivers license law to supplement the one now in effect. It is thought possible that new license will be made available in September but nothing official has been announced. A drivers license bill is now before the house for consideration.

Jim Houston, Floydada Independent school district, secretary said that he was "almost" through with his scholastic census but that due to the rash he was unable to estimate the total number of scholastics, however he estimated that there would be 10 or 15 less than in 1938.

JUNIOR RIFLE CLUB WILL BE ORGANIZED IN FLOYD

A junior rifle club affiliated with the National Rifle association, is to be organized in Floydada in the near future, it was announced this week. McDermitt Post, American Legion, accepting sponsorship for the club in connection with its organization of a Sons of the Legion, due to be undertaken soon.

Any boy or girl under 19 years of age will be eligible for membership in the club, it is announced. Members will be taught the proper and safe handling of a rifle and the proper care of same. Small bore rifles only (.22 caliber) will be used.

Rifle matches will be held on a range provided by the club and supervised by an able instructor. J. C. Gilliam will accept membership applications from boys and girls within the age limits named.

NEPHEW IS KILLED

Mark Martin received word Sunday of the death of a nephew, the two and one half year old son of his sister Mrs. Joe Clark and Mr. Clark of Tishomingo, Oklahoma. The message gave no information other than the child had been hit by a car and was killed. Mr. Martin was unable to attend the funeral.

County officers issued warning this week against possession or use of punch boards or other gambling devices in Floydada and the surrounding county. Officers indicated that several punch boards had been found and confiscated. No charges have been filed to date, officers said, but it will be necessary to file if the devices are not destroyed. Punch boards are a direct violation of Texas lottery laws and persons operating them are subject to fine and jail sentence, officers said. A grand jury early last year ordered the county officers to eliminate such devices and asked that all persons or business houses cease owning or operating them.

Ballot Made Ready; City Vote Apr. 4

Pair Each For Mayor, Secretary; 3 For Marshal; 7 For Aldermen

With the deadline for names to be filed for places on the ballot passed last night, a straight-away of 12 days for campaigning for city office in Floydada found:

Two candidates for mayor, Glad Snodgrass, present incumbent, and B. K. Barker, at present councilman;

Seven candidates for city aldermen (with 5 to elect) W. U. White, F. C. Harmon, J. B. Bishop, R. E. Fry, J. W. Lanier, Mark Martin and Conner Oden, the first 4 named being incumbents;

Two candidates for city secretary, Silas E. Dunoon, incumbent, and Clyde W. Henderson;

And 3 candidates for city marshal, Morgan Wright, incumbent, A. R. Cardinal and (Bob) R. D. Smith.

461 Polls Paid
Four hundred sixty-one taxpayers within voting age have qualified to vote, indicating a considerable percentage did not qualify for a vote within the time required by law. However, the "overs" could add enough to the total to make a vote above 500 easily.

J. G. Wood will be the presiding officer of the election, E. P. Nelson the associate judge, with Mrs. Lillie Britton and Mrs. G. Scott King, clerks. The voting date is Tuesday, April 4.

This week it was indicated more than ordinary interest would be evinced in the outcome of the races, especially in that of the mayor and the secretary.

Following is the order in which the names will appear on the ballot:

For Mayor: Glad Snodgrass; B. K. Barker;

For City Marshal: Morgan Wright A. R. Cardinal, (Bob) R. D. Smith;

For City Secretary: Silas E. Dunoon, Clyde W. Henderson;

For City Aldermen: (Vote for 5): W. U. White, F. C. Harmon, J. B. Bishop, R. E. Fry, J. W. Lanier, Mark Martin, Conner Oden.

C. H. Elliott & Co. Electrolux Store To Be Opened Here Soon

Walter Woodrum, of Amarillo, in Floydada this week, has announced that a Servel Electrolux store will be opened in Floydada soon. He is negotiating for a building and said that the new business establishment would be in operation at an early date to be announced.

Woodrum was here last week in company with C. H. Elliott, of C. H. Elliott Appliance company. Woodrum will be manager of the new business, which will feature the Electrolux.

Walter Travis Spends Saturday At Austin

County Superintendent and Mrs. Walter Travis, and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cummings spent Saturday in Austin.

County Superintendent Travis was in the capitol city taking care of several important school matters including the issuance of certain bonds by Floyd county school districts.

The party left Friday afternoon and returned Saturday night.

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Warning Given On Operation of Punch Boards in County

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HOMER STEEN, Editor

Editorial

FIRST PEACH BLOSSOMS

Some lilac bushes almost ready to bloom and peach blossoms in scattered little forward knots, trying to rush the season, is indicative that spring is here, or nearly so.

Good Friday due soon, too, with its bean and pea-planting, and the prospect of an early spring garden just around the corner. Down-state the budding season was 30 or 45 days ago, and returned travelers telling of it, add to the urge to plant something in the ground.

Digging in the earth, making things grow, is an urge as old as man, when spring begins to take the place of winter.

HOW'S YOUR WHEAT CROP?

It is interesting to speculate on the probable wheat yield in Floyd county. Grain men are not as sure as usual of what the outcome may be, what with some 40 per cent of the crop January planted, much of it blown out and much of it streaked with discs and chisels and what-not to keep the land from blowing.

A good rain now that would fill all these chisel or disc trenches and a slow rain that would thoroughly wet the fine soil that lies about would make a lot of difference in the outcome. Then a sucker crop from late-planted wheat is practically an impossibility. So, with so little uniformity, some wheat looking very, very good with plenty of moisture down where the roots are, and so much other wheat just so-so or entirely problematical, the whole situation is one on which long conversations and arguments can and doubtless will, be based—from now until the time the combines go into the fields.

FAIR LAW ENFORCEMENT

If this Democracy in which we live is to continue and move forward to its rightful place among the nations of this earth, it is important that our people be impressed with the fact that its laws shall be enforced with fairness and impartiality, with a true regard for the law itself and in a way and manner calculated to maintain respect for that law. Until such time as all enforcement bodies in this Nation cooperate one with the other, to the end that law shall be observed and the barriers between crime and the vast majority of our people made higher and stronger, there can be no proper law enforcement.—Bert Ford, Chairman Texas Liquor Control Board.

NO BUDGET LAW SOON

At this distance it appears the Texas Senate has let the distance of some of its members for Governor O'Daniel make that body take an action that is not in the best interest of the state. This action is the killing of the budget law which the governor and others have insisted would be very helpful to the state's fiscal affairs.

While it is entirely possible some general or special provisions as suggested by the governor are not in line with the needs of the state, the general idea is a good one and the state could keep its books and handle its finances better if all the various expenditures were more nearly co-ordinated. Doubtless, the governor would have concurred in any reasonable changes, and even if it had developed that he would not, he should have

been given a chance to do so, and the state given the benefit of the co-ordination.

Reports have it that the various educational institutions of the state were not pleased with the set-up of their affairs in the proposed budget and this may have been the reason that the budget plan died a-borning.

CASTOR BEANS FOR EXPERIMENT

A recent bulletin tells of the possibilities in castor beans as a worthwhile experimental crop for farmers of the southwest to be working with. There are so many varieties of castor beans and the production so varied that it may take several years to find the variety that grows successfully here and at the same time gives the oil, the fiber and the other contents desirable in industry.

Experimentation with castor beans might sound sort of foolish, but so did experimenting with the forage feeds that way when they came to the southwest from Africa, and at one time were laughed at by feed men all over the United States.

A PRAYER FOR WISDOM

In the "World's Best Orations" is found a prayer, said by a Texas minister opening the Texas Senate session on May 4, 1893—now forty-six years ago—which might be said by anyone any or every day:

"Our Father, we thank Thee for the new day with all its solemn inspirations, and its fresh hopes and possibilities. Grant us a still richer gift, the wisdom to know what to do with it. Forbid that its hours, falling unstained from Thy hands, should be marred and broken in ours. May we fill them with such wise deeds that in the years at hand they may return, not as spectres to haunt us, but as stars filling the whole sky with light and promise. And to Thy name be praise and glory now and always."

THE GRASSHOPPER FIGHT

The agricultural department is making ready for a real fight with grasshoppers this spring, especially in 10 northwest Texas counties, from Randall north, where they say the hopper infestation has the possibilities of a real menace. In a less serious way counties like Floyd also have possibilities of trouble with the hoppers again next spring.

Freezing weather or something of the kind may make the preparations and trouble the department is going to only a matter of form. But evidences of the menace was there last fall and the likelihood is that it will be there when hatching time comes.

HOW THE BILL GROWS

For every \$100 which the railroads received from the public for the transportation of passengers, freight, express and mails and for all other services, they paid the tax collectors \$5.33 in 1917; \$6.13 in 1927; \$7.82 in 1937; and \$9.93 in the first nine months of 1938.

The success of a democracy depends entirely upon the interest that all citizens take in their government, and the aid which they extend to those who are in authority.—The Canyon News.

As A Farm Woman Thinks

(By Nellie Witt Spikes)

We have had a very interesting day. A pleasant trip to Paducah. The hospitality of the town was extended to us by County Judge L. D. Gibson. He was so courteous and helpful. We came away with a deep respect for the citizens of Cottle county for electing such an able man for their judge.

The town has up-to-date schools, churches and hotels. A fine hospital and business houses. And the courthouse that sits in the center of the square in its beauty and dignity. It made me think of the beautiful palaces in the fairy stories of my childhood. And the country around the town. The Divine Painter must have dipped his brush in the gold of the sunshine, splashed deep blue in the sky, with here and there fleecy white sky, drawn reddish from furrows over the hills and down the valleys, put here and there a farm or a ranch with white faced cows and tiny baby calves; made green cedars on grayish brown hills softened there with a soft blue haze, run a ribbon of bleaching white over hills and down the valleys. This is the picture I have brought home with me from Cottle county.

I wish to thank Mrs. Davis of Lockney, Mrs. McReynolds and Mrs. Cantrell of Floydada and Mrs. Haygood of the same city for their nice words of praise and encouragement.

We are all looking forward with eager anticipation to the quilt show. We like to see beautiful work and feel we shall not be disappointed in the work of Floyd county women.

"Listen, the windmill! Music on the Plains. The wind bloweth whither it listeth and doesn't mind pumping water." Quoting from Charles B. Driscoll in the Sunday Star-Telegram. "The wind plays a part in your life in that portion of this continent that is not unduly barricaded by hills, forests or mountains. You hear it singing in the cotton wood trees, playing its harp-strings upon the barbed wires of the ranches, and complaining around the eaves of the house on winter nights."

In the northwest corner of Stonewall county were the salt flats, from which many early day settlers got their supplies of stock salt. A branch of the Croton was strong with salt and when the summer sun dried up the water, there lay a lake of white salt, shining like snow. Can you see the pioneer man with his wagon and team all ready for a trip? All bolts and taps

FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

News items taken from files of the Floyd County Hesperian published in Floydada fourteen years ago.

(Issue of March 19, 1925) Thursday morning the board of directors of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce named O. P. Rutledge, for a number of years one of the more prominent business men of the city, to succeed Maurey Hopkins, resigned, as secretary of the organization. Mr. Rutledge consented to take the place and will arrange his business affairs before he takes the reins of the secretaryship, so that he can give Chamber of Commerce work his entire attention.

Miss Nina Battey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Battey, Sunday morning became the bride of Henry Willis when Rev. Marvin Brotherton officiated at the wedding ceremony which united them. The marriage was held at the Circuit Parsonage at 9:30.

Sale of the interest of Artie Baker, of Lockney in the Floyd Motor company sales organization for Chevrolet Motor cars in this territory, was announced this week. Fred Bell, a business man if Lockney being the purchaser.

Mrs. Gule Snodgrass will be hostess to the Harmony Home Demonstration club on April 7, at which time the club will have its try-outs for the biscuit making and all the club members are requested to be present. Members of the Harmony club declare it is getting in line in the march for the best club in the county.

All attendance records were broken Sunday by the Baptist and Methodist Sunday school totaled 665, attendance at the Baptist Sunday school reaching nearly six hundred. Both men's classes also broke their attendance records. Figures in the contest gave the Brotherhood class the lead.

Despite the sandstorms that raged Friday, the Gingham club held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. B. Jenkins and enjoyed a delightful session embroidering. A salad course with angel food cake and hot coffee was served to the members and guests, Mrs. E. C. Henry.

Floydada High school made a good start toward their goal of baseball championship of District No. 2 Friday and Saturday of last week when they won the first two of a series of three games from Spur High school at Floydada Baseball park. The scores were 10 to 4 Friday afternoon 11 to 6 Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and 3 to 9 Saturday afternoon. Spur taking the last game easily.

were made tight for salt would rust them. A flour sack of biscuit, salt pork, canned corn and tomatoes, and coffee in the chuck box. A two days trip before him, across the grass covered prairie, down the rock canyon hill, across mesquite covered flats.

When the salt flats were reached, a hard days work was before him, shoveling up the thin layer of salt into tubs and emptying them into the bed of the wagon. His eyes would smart and burn, his feet would feel like they were on hot glass. Then there would be the hard pull on his team to get the load out of the flats. A three or four days journey home. Now when we want salt for our stock, we drive up to a grocery store and while we sit in comfortable cars, our salt is loaded in the back for us.

I am hoping the piece of poetry below will comfort someone who is in sorrow. There is so much in our lives just now. So many of us have had to say the last good bye. My life is but a weaving Between my Lord and me, I cannot choose the colors He worketh steadily; Sometimes He weaveth sorrow And I, in foolish pride Forget He sees the upper And I the underside. Not till the loom is silent And the shuttles cease to fly Shall God unroll the canvas And explain the reason why, The dark threads are as needful In the Weaver's skillful hand As the threads of gold and silver In the pattern He has planned.

ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER

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Tuesday-Wednesday March 28-29 Pat O'Brien, Joan Blondell, In

"Off The Record"

RITZ Friday-Saturday TEX RITTER, In

"SUNDOWN ON THE PRAIRIE"

The biggest mistake a man can make is to think that he can't make one.—Foard County News.

Racing a train to a crossing is hardly fair to one's life insurance company.—The Wellington Leader.

Among time saving devices the wastebasket holds a deservedly high place.—Wellington Leader.

Our wife tells us that some men have a den in their homes, but we just growl all over the house.



Thanks!

I want to thank the people of Floyd County for their

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Lockney Is Winner Of Track Meet

Oilton Is Second And Floydada Is Third In Track And Field Events

The Lockney Longhorns put another bulge in their trophy case Saturday by adding four neat trophies at one time, not to mention several ribbons. In fact the Longhorns walked off with every trophy that was awarded at the Floydada Invitation track and field meet Saturday. The vents were the 440 relay, 800 relay, and the mile relay and the Lockney thinly-clad also marched away with the team trophy with 22 1/2 points to beat the Oilton Mustangs who gathered 22 points.

Wild Walter Webster failed to appear with the Westerners from Lubbock so Blazin' Bill Thompson of Amarillo had to duel with Amoneit of Flomot, Hill of Lockney, Leader of Floydada, and Hedges of Oilton. And it is doubtful if the Lubbock Wild Man could have beat anything Blazin' Bill did.

Leader of Floydada and Hill of Lockney surprised the fans by turning in faster time than Amoneit of Flomot and Hedges of Oilton proved the fastest of all. In the morning heats Amoneit, Ailsup, Matador, and Light of Ralls turned in 10.2 seconds in the 100 yard dash.

In the 100 yard dash finals Hedges raced the 100 yards in 10 seconds flat with Lider and Hill running a dead heat at 10.1 seconds, Amoneit and Brotherton coming in with the time of 10.2 seconds.

Bill Jackson, Floydada, pulled another surprise for Floydada fans when he tied Tyson of Lubbock with a high jump of 5 feet, 11 inches. Neither could get over the 6 foot height however.

Mal Jarboe and Dale Taylor teamed up to badly outdistance the field and won first and second for Floydada in the 800 yard run with a time of 2:15.1. Patterson captured the mile medal with Gilbreath coming in fourth. The mile time was 5:14.6.

Minor of Tahoka won the 220 dash from Amoneit with a time of 23 seconds flat but had run the same race in the preliminaries in 22.9 seconds. Minor was high point man with a first in the 220 dash, 220 low hurdles, 440 dash, and second in the broad jump.

Team scoring was Lockney 22 1/2 points, Oilton 22 points, Floydada 21 points, Tahoka 18 points, Lubbock 15 points, Plainview 12 points, Flomot 11 1/2 points, Amarillo 10 1/2 points, Matador 6 1/2 points, Ralls 5 points. Several other schools scored 4 or less points.

Schools represented and number of men on teams were Crosbyton, 14; Lockney 19; Flomot 9; Quitaque 4; Aiken 9; Plainview 7; Irick 2; Ralls 4; Silvertown 9; Lubbock 18; Matador 11; Amarillo 18; Oilton 13; Sand Hill 5; Lakeview 4; Floydada 12; Texico 1.

Winners of Saturday's events in the order in which they placed and the best time and marks follow:

100-yard dash — Hedges, Oilton; Lider, Floydada, and Hill, Lockney (tie for second); Brotherton, Lockney, and Amoneit, Flomot, (tie for fourth). Time: 10 seconds flat.

220 dash—Minor, Tahoka; Amoneit, Flomot; Thompson, Amarillo; Ailsup, Matador. Time: 23 seconds.

440 dash—Minor, Tahoka; Rutledge, Amarillo; Hedges, Oilton; Daniels, Floydada, and Ailsup, Matador (tie for fourth). Time: 53.9 seconds.

800 run—Jarboe, Floydada; Taylor, Floydada; Jarrett, Lubbock; Spain, Oilton. Time: 2 minutes, 15.1 seconds.

Mile—Patterson, Floydada; Jones, Aiken; Steele, Irick, Gilbreath, Floydada. Time: 5 minutes, 14.6 seconds.

Lockney Dominates Relays
440 relay — Lockney, Amarillo, Plainview, Oilton. Time: 47.9 seconds.

800 relay — Lockney, Matador, Lubbock, Oilton. Time 1 minute, 43 seconds.

Mile relay — Lockney, Silvertown, Oilton, Matador. Time: 3 minutes, 53.8 seconds.

Discus—Amonett, Flomot; Barton, Ralls; Sewalt, Lubbock; Gilbert, Flomot. Distance: 103 feet, 5 inches.

Shot — Hedges, Oilton; Sewalt, Lubbock; Barton, Ralls; Gilbert, Flomot. Distance: 42 feet, 5 inches.

Broad jump — Needham, Plainview; Minor, Tahoka; Brotherton, Lockney; Mooty, Lockney. Distance: 20 feet, one-half inches.

High jump — Jackson, Floydada, and Tyson, Lubbock (tie for first); Ocanougher, Lubbock; Martin, Flomot. Height: 5 feet, 11 inches.

High hurdles—Shirley, Plainview; Rhinshart, Oilton; Wozencraft, Oilton; Powell, Quitaque; and Newman, Lockney (tie for fourth). Time: 17.1 seconds.

220 low hurdles—Minor, Tahoka; Day Matador and Johnson, Amarillo (tie for second); Grundy, Quitaque. Time: 27 seconds.

Mrs. C. A. Caffee of Dougherty underwent an operation at a Lubbock hospital Thursday morning. Last reports from her indicate her condition as improving satisfactorily.

Mrs. J. J. Crandall has been visiting in the homes of her mother, Mrs. P. M. Smith, her brother Joe Smith and her sister Mrs. W. H. Bethel. She will return to her home in Bailey, Texas Wednesday.



'Jesse James had a wife who mourned all her life . . . ' you know the rest of it and the story around which it is built. And here is the fellow, Tyrone Power, who was chosen to portray the part. He will be seen at the Palace Theatre on March 30-31. And in technicolor.

Fairview News

FAIRVIEW, March 20.—The rain cloud that came up late Sunday afternoon brought this community only a light sprinkle.

Rev. Clifford Potts of Wayland college preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening in the absence of the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reeves moved to their home near Lockney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewart of Floydada spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stewart.

Mrs. W. H. Percy of Lockney is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Walls.

Charles Yeary of Childress spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Branson.

Mrs. Benton Ritchey is in a Lubbock hospital where she underwent an operation last week. Reports are that she is getting along as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls.

Miss Jo Derr entertained the primary BYPU class at her home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson and

children, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mize and sons, and Mrs. H. C. Randolph spent Sunday with Mrs. W. B. Wilson.

Miss Ella B. Crabtree spent the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree.

Those spending the day Sunday in the G. M. Bullard home were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmon Perry and Rev. Clifford Potts.

McCoy News

MCCOY, March 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Ted Latham, Mrs. Albert Parrish, and Claton Cox visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ewing Sunday afternoon. Hugh Hartzell, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. H. P. Puckett have been seriously ill with the flu but are much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parrish have as their guests this week the parents of Mr. Parrish.

Miss Freda Jackson is visiting at home for a few days before leaving for Happy where she will be employed.

Miss Bennie Ruth Jackson visited in Lockney from Thursday until Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Ewing and mother visited in Lockney with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Riggle.

The Baptist church is sponsoring a Sunday school study course this week with Rev. Huff, district missionary, doing the teaching. Good crowds have been attending.

Mrs. W. W. Smith, Bobbie George Smith and James Smith are on the sick list this week.

Rushing Chapel News

RUSHING CHAPEL, March 20.—Sunday was regular preaching day. Rev. Caldwell filled his regular appointment. Quarterly conference was held in the afternoon.

The Missionary society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. F. O. Conner with six women present for a world out-look program.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smart and family spent Sunday with Mr. Smart's sister, Mrs. B. S. Sebastian of Hale Center.

The Fairview basketball boys and volleyball girls entertained Pleasant Hill boys and girls with a Saint Patrick party Friday night at the school house. All kinds of games were played. About 40 were present.

Mrs. S. L. Rushing, Mrs. F. O. Conner, Lula Lee Teal, Frankie Wright, Eddie Wayne Conner attended the musical festival at Amarillo.

Blanco News

BLANCO, March 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass were hosts to a large number of guests Sunday, on his birthday. Those enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Manning and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller, Norman Hilburn and Milton Jeton. Mr. and Mrs. Jess McSpadden and daughters of Lubbock visited in the afternoon. Mrs. McSpadden is a sister of Mr. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Faulkenberry were also hosts to a number of friends and relatives. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cox and family of Sand Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hargrove and family of Ralls, and Alene Porter of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Christian spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H.

Simpson of Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Turner spent from Wednesday until Friday in Fort Worth where they attended the Fat Stock show.

Billy Daniel accompanied the FFA boys to the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth on the first opening days.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lon Blasingame and son, Melvin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Daniel and family took Sunday dinner with her mother, Mrs. Terry and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Badgett of Center visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Snell Sunday night.

Miss Florrie Conway, student at Wayland college, Plainview, visited her mother Mrs. Blanche Conway during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McClure and son, Weaver, spent last week-end in Big Spring, Texas, where they were guests of F. R. McClure and family.

Miss Lela Procter, formerly of the Paradise Beauty Shoppe, began work at the Vogue Beauty Shoppe Monday.

Tom Smith, employee of the City Barber shop is improved this week after an illness the past two weeks due to a pneumonia attack.

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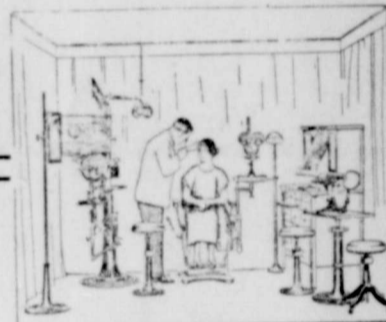
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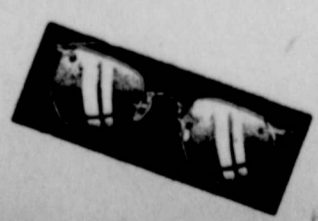
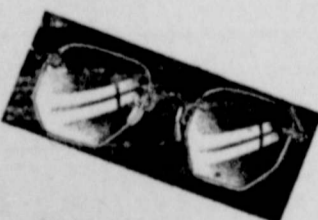
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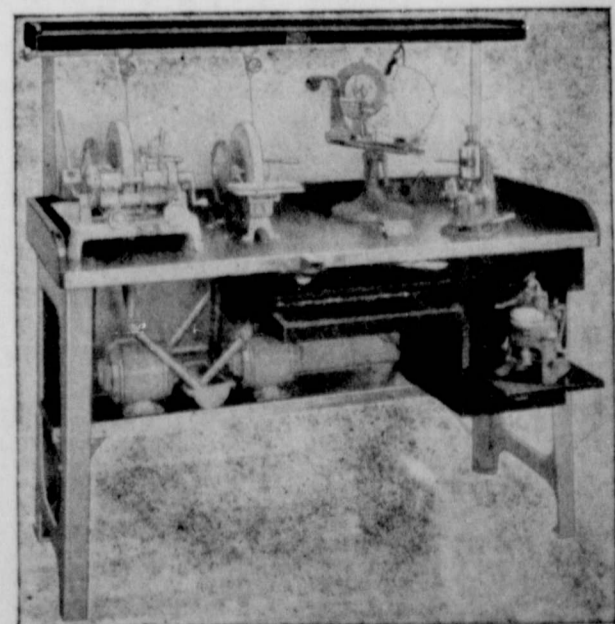
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PEOPLE URGED TO THINK

Bear in mind that the doctors and agencies of public health have succeeded in lengthening the span of life. It is the mission of the Optometrist to lengthen the span of life of the maximum eyesight of the human race. The Optometrist would have the multitude pause and give thought to what it sees, how it sees, and how long it may keep on seeing—and how much more important it is today to see quickly and accurately than ever it was before. We are all students.

It is the inherent desire of present day Americans to absorb as much knowledge as possible in order that our lives might be finer and better and that we may reap the benefits of the real joy of living. Our every day learning comes to us through our eyes and ears, and most of it admittedly is gained through the eyes. The sound mind must have a sound body, and if the eye is defective a considerable source of the mind's supply of new information is cut off. We, therefore, deem it highly important that each individual seek professional advice on the all-important care of the eyes. To make progress the human machine must function perfectly in all its parts.



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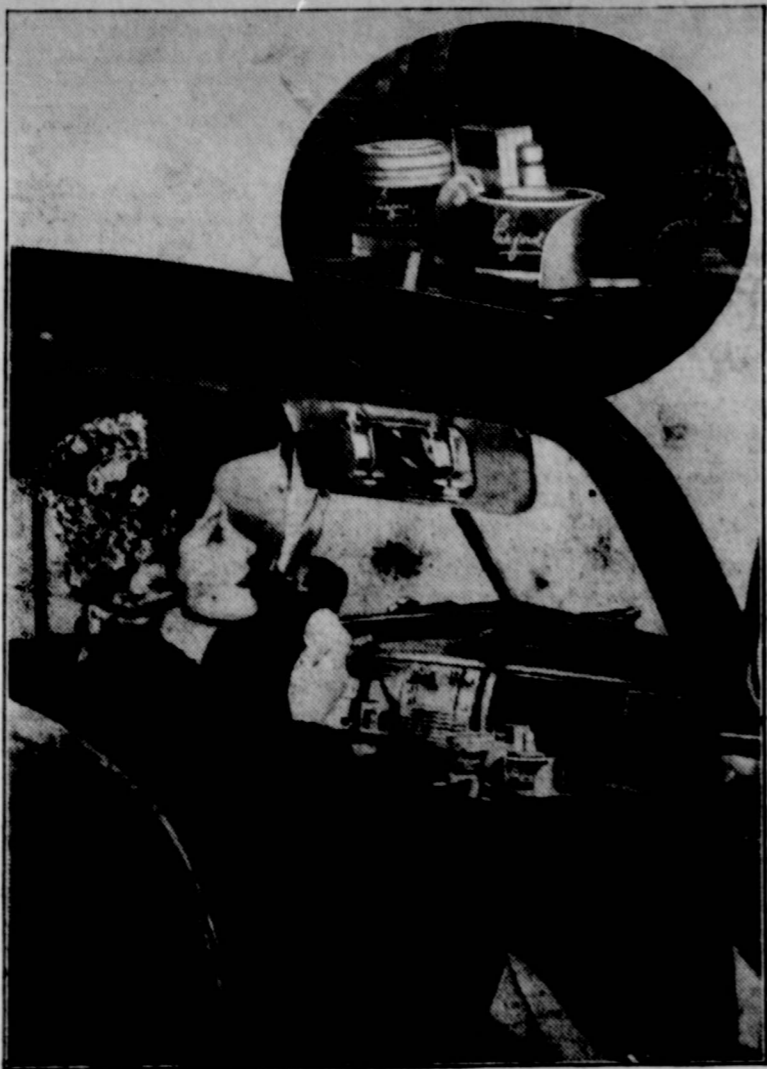
Machine Somersaults From Soft Bank To Creek Bed 150 Feet

Quitque Post: M. A. "Baldy" Holloman lost a practically new truck Wednesday morning when it fell in a canyon on the caprock, accompanied or escorted by Eddie Norris. The accident occurred about 8:30 o'clock.

Norris was driving the truck for Holloman and work had just begun on stripping the caliche pit for the paving job starting a mile or so west of Silverton. Norris hauled the first load of dirt from the pit to the fill being made in the canyon at the caprock and had backed up to unload. When the brakes of the vehicle were applied, the loose dirt underneath the rear wheels gave way (or caved in), and the truck somersaulted to the bed of the canyon some 150 feet below. The descent was rugged and rapid, according to Norris, the truck turning completely over five times, lunging into the canyon wall at the bottom, the impact bouncing it back upright on its wheels. The wall down which it tumbled is very steep.

The truck was a complete wreck according to Holloman, who stood on the rim of the canyon and watched his investment take the form of battered tin and twisted iron, all the while cringing with fear for the safety of his driver whom he positively knew must be dead or fatally injured. Norris escaped however with only bruises and scratches. He stated that as soon as the truck lost "footing" he realized his predicament and dropped to the floor of the cab where he grasped the gearshift lever to which he hung with the tenacity of a bulldog. He said he was bounced around, flip-flopped, stood on his head, ears, nose, knees, shoulders and was in every position possible to imagine before the truck finally came to a halt. Norris was able to get about on the streets during the day, however he appeared a little lame.

Though the truck was all but demolished, (Holloman states that it is a complete loss) the body torn up, the frame bent and warped beyond repair and the roof of the cab caved in, neither the windshield nor door glasses were broken. Holloman thinks perhaps the motor is not injured and that these items are all that remain of the truck worth bringing out of the canyon.



The desire to make a car reflect its owner's individuality is a potent factor in the average motorist's choice of accessory equipment. And it would be hard to find a more thoroughly "personalized" car than this new Chevrolet in which Mary Pickford is shown applying a touch of makeup. As if the handy illuminated vanity mirror were not enough, the car has a special kind of beauty aids.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School lesson for Sunday, March 26, 1939. Peter Interprets Christ's Suffering and Death

Golden Text:—"Christ also suffered for sins once, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God." (I Peter 3:18)

Lesson Text:—I Peter 1:17-23; 2:20-25.

17 And if ye call on the Father, who without respect of persons judgeth according to every man's work, pass the time of your sojourning here in fear:

18 Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers;

19 But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot:

20 Who verily was foreordained before the foundation of the world, but was manifest in these last times for you.

21 Why by him ye believe in God, that raised him up from the dead, and gave him glory; that your faith and hope might be in God.

22 Seeing ye have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit unto unfeigned love of the brethren, see that ye love one another with a pure heart fervently:

23 Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.

24 For what glory is it, if, when ye are buffeted for your faults, ye shall take it patiently? but if, when ye do well, and suffer for it, yet take it patiently, this is acceptable with God.

25 For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps:

26 Who did not sin, neither was guile found in his mouth:

27 Who, when he was reviled, reviled not again; when he suffered, he threatened not; but committed himself to him that judgeth righteously:

28 Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto

righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.

29 For ye were as sheep going astray; but are now returned unto the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls.

In closing this quarter's lessons on the "Life and Work of Peter," it is very natural that in summing up his teachings we should study his interpretation of the sufferings of Jesus. There is not a Bible character about whom there are more false teachings and vain babblings than about Peter. In this summary we will find that, while he never neglected the Jews, neither did he fall the Gentiles. The burden of his teaching was, that belonging to any party or sect, availed nothing. But whoever it was, and whatsoever the circumstances, repentance toward God and faith in Jesus Christ made him a child of God; and that there was no other way—that in Jesus Jews, Gentiles, or what not, they were brethren.

THANKS HIS FRIENDS

J. N. Gullion, of the Gullion Tire service, this week is recovering satisfactorily from an attack of erysipelas which had him a very sick man ever the greater part of last week.

During his illness numerous friends visited him and this week Mr. Gullion asked The Hesperian to tell them how much he appreciated their visits and thoughtful kindnesses of one kind and another.

RECENT BIRTHS

Among the recent births reported are the following:

A daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Cates, of Blanco on February 23;

A daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil W. Hart, of Center, February 26;

Born Thursday night to Mr. and Mrs. Louise Gee a daughter who has been named Loretta Gail. The little lady is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Price.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holliday twin daughters on March 13.

Born, March 14 to Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lynn of Elmore, New Mexico a son, Mrs. Lynn is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Holliday.

Mrs. Lovell Jones underwent an operation at a Lubbock hospital Thursday and reports from Mrs. Jones are that she is improving nicely.

Miss Emma Lou Bedford, student of Abilene Christian college returned to school Sunday after a week of illness. Her brother Charlie Bedford accompanied her to school.

Mrs. L. C. McDonald came home Saturday from Tulla where she had been visiting in the home of her son, Leroy McDonald and family.

Lakeview News

LAKEVIEW, March 20.—Try-outs in junior declamation, junior and sub-junior spelling Rubye Poore was awarded first place in junior declamation with Mary Jackson second and Lenore Polan third. Sub-junior spellers were Bernice Pitts and Harold Dunn, junior spellers winning were Mary Jackson, and Jeanne Edwards. Winners in senior spelling were Florence and Robbye Jones. Henry Jones will represent the boys in declamation.

The Lakeview junior girls and boys played the Floydada juniors in playgroundball last Friday with Floydada winning both games.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Baker visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure and children of the Webb community and Mrs. G. R. May and son of Baker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards and family.

Guests in the P. D. Adams home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craft and family of Sand Hill, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Adams of Pleasant Hill, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Murphy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Willis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Van Thornon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Breed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCravery and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Smythe.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Vinson, spent Sunday in Plainview with the A. L. Vinson family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Riggle visited in Floydada Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baker.

Mrs. Ruby Jackson had as her guests Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Paul Banks of Floydada.

Mrs. Celia Ross spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock as a guest of her sisters, Mrs. A. L. Scoggin, and Mrs. A. P. Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Batley and son and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Newberry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Batley.

Miss Rachel McClure in company with Misses Ila Acker and Martha Lou McClure and Mrs. John Trammell, Garnell Trammell and J. W. McCravery attended the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth.

J. H. Poore made a business trip to Plainview Saturday.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Legg were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Robertson Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Ed-

ward Hicks, all of Afton and Mrs. Biddy Hicks of Spur. They are relatives of Mrs. Legg.

WIND BREAK PLANTING

A wind break planting demonstration was held on the farm of Ben Quebe of Providence, early this month under the direction of County Agricultural Agent, D. F. Bredthauer and County Home Demonstration Agent Miss Ruth Grimes. Four rows of windbreak trees were planted on the north and west of the farmstead consisting of Chinese elms, Honey locusts and Desert Willow.

The ground was thoroughly cultivated and large pits were then dug by the use of an irrigation ditcher. By the use of this equipment it was not necessary for holes to be dug. After the planting the trees were again cultivated and given water. The elms and locusts were planted in rows four feet apart and the rows were also four feet apart. The Desert Willows were planted at the rate of four feet apart in the row.

The following attended the demonstration: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sammann, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Quebe, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brandes, Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Quebe, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele, Mr. and Mrs. John Butth, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dagley, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jacobs, Mrs. Clarence Brandes, Jake Griffith, R. J. McLaughlin, Harold McLaughlin, H. P. Clements, Clifford Tubbs, G. E. Tims, E. E. Blachshere, Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Wensel, D. F. Bredthauer and Ruth Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tip Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Solomon spent Friday and Saturday in Fort Worth where they attended the Fat Stock show and Live Stock exposition.

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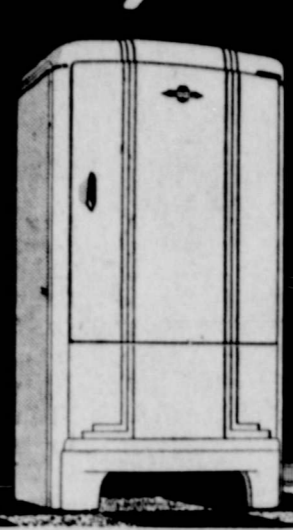
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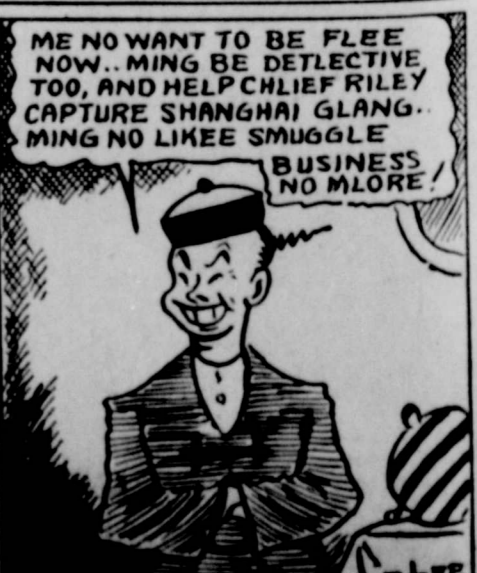
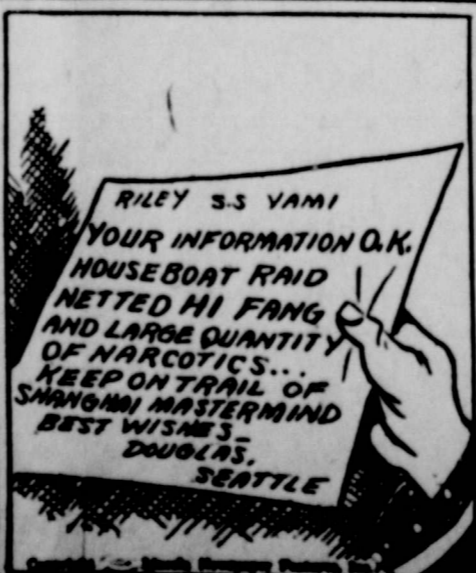
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Culminating two years of intensive research and six months of actual filming, Darryl F. Zanuck's production, "Jesse James," 20th Century-Fox's spectacular drama of the nation's most famous outlaw and the turbulent events that gave him to the world, is coming to the Palace theatre on Thursday and Friday of next week, March 30-31, in brilliant technicolor, when the feature will also be shown at 2 o'clock matinees.

In this epic story of a lawless era we are given a true and stirring picture of the most colorful outlaw that ever lived. For in "Jesse James" the almost legendary figure is portrayed by Tyrone Power exactly as he was—neither all good nor all bad, a brave and tender husband to the girl who married him, a victim of injustice to the simple folk who knew him and, to the people who hated him, an outlaw and a killer.

Rarely has Hollywood offered a more complete study of the life of a man than it has in "Jesse James." Everything has been said, and said magnificently, and those who see the film will realize that here, in this story of the most exciting bandit that ever roamed the hills of America.

Never for one moment are audiences allowed to forget that they are witnessing a truly great picture. From the first suspenseful moment of the film's beginning, up to the smashing climax at its conclusion, "Jesse James" hurries from one thrilling sequence to another with a breathless tempo that is seldom achieved on the screen.

Every important incident in the outlaw's life is skillfully treated. How he came to begin his nefarious life, his marriage to the lovely Zereida Mimms, his subsequent separation due to the increased activities of his band and his assassination by one of its members, is graphically revealed.

Tyrone Power, in the title role, gives what can only be described as one of the finest performances of the year. In the last analysis, it is he who makes the character of James such a sympathetic figure in the eyes of the audience.

Henry Fonda is excellent as Frank James, brother of Jesse, and Nancy Kelly, as Jesse's wife Zee, Randolph Scott is splendid in the role of Marshall Wright. Individually brilliant performances are given by every member of an exceptional supporting cast which features Henry Hull, Slim Summerville, J. Edward Bromberg, Brian Donley, John Carradine, Donald Meek, John Russell and Jane Darwell.

Mrs. S. M. Crawford is reported as doing satisfactorily following an operation in a Lubbock hospital Tuesday by attending physicians.

Half-Minute Interviews

A Chatham-Strode: "I've heard of these he-man standstoms and now I've seen one."

W. M. Massie: "Saturday's wind-storm put more dust and dirt into our office than any I have ever experienced, I think."

South Plains News

SOUTH PLAINS, March 20.—A pool tournament was given in honor of George Patterson by Mrs. Menard Field in her home Monday afternoon.

The South Plains volleyball team went to Silverton Thursday afternoon where they lost five games.

South Plains received several good showers of rain Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thornton and Mrs. Burton Thornton spent last week end in Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Menard Field, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Lanham and Mary John Lanham spent several days at the Fort Worth Fat Stock show.

George Patterson has sold his interest in the Phillips 66 station here to his former partner Larry Mays.

The South Plains destination try-outs will be held at Silverton Thursday.

Sterley baseball and volleyball teams played South Plains here last Friday. South Plains won volleyball and boys and girls baseball.

Ershel Matthews son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Matthews was home from Tech college last week-end.

The so-called seven sleepers among animals are the bear, the raccoon, woodchuck, jumping mouse, chipmunk, skunk and bat.

THIRTEEN SAINTS TUESDAY PROGRAM

St. Patrick's was observed by the Lions club Tuesday of last week with a luncheon nearest date of the club has their weekly gathering to March 17.

Irish jokes were told by Carl Minor, Irish songs sung by Garland Glover and a short dissertation on St. Patrick himself was given by Walker Travis. Minor and Travis were guests for the day. Wm. W. Eason presented the program.

CREDIT TALKS FEATURE MEETING OF CONOCO MEN

Conoco dealers of this portion of the plains in a meeting with R. C. Henry, local dealer as host, met here last Thursday afternoon for consultation and discussion of credits with H. S. Barners, Port Worth, division credit manager.

Dealers and representatives here included D. J. MacNaughton and J. E. Hobbs of Plainview, Lloyd Butler, Tulla, D. J. Northcutt, Silverton, Roscoe Reynolds, Petersburg.

Dr. and Mrs. Ira Marshall of Roswell, New Mexico, spent Friday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marshall. They were enroute home from Dallas where they attended the Southern Medical convention. Their son, Jon Mills had spent the week here with his grandparents.

Mrs. Chesley Sullivan of Dallas came Friday evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. F. Stovall and other relatives.

Jack and Claude Myers returned the latter part of last week from Texon, Texas, where they had been since the first of the year on a residence construction job at a ranch home.

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Dougherty News

DOUGHERTY, March 20.—Leta Hinton of McLean spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hinton. William Hinton of Madison, Wisconsin returned home Saturday from the University of Wisconsin.

T. M. Wallas left Friday for Fort Worth. Miss Doris Brownlow spent the week-end with her brother and wife of Roaring Springs, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brownlow.

Mrs. T. J. Campbell and son spent the week-end in Snyder. Raymond Hamm spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hamm.

W. G. Caruthers, Bob Bullock and son spent the week-end at the Fort Worth Fat stock show.

Several from Dougherty attended the singing at McAdoo.

Mrs. H. N. Powell and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Powell's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Bullock of Center.

DOUGHERTY VOLLEYBALL TEAM WINS TWO TOURNEYS

The Dougherty volleyball team won two tournaments this past week-end to increase their reputation as one of the stronger teams in the county.

The first tourney trophy was won Friday at the Floydada volleyball tourney when the Dougherty girls defeated Crosbyton in the finals 15 to 12 and 15 to 12. Imogene Woody was selected as the best individual player.

Saturday the team went to Kress where they won the trophy from Kress in three hard fought final games. The scores were 15-8, 15-12, and 15-9.

Mrs. W. B. Clark, Mrs. Clarence Foster, A. B. Clark city, and Mrs. E. A. Preston of Abernathy returned home Sunday morning of last week from Bentonville, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Fogerson and sons, Miss Eunice Fogerson and Woodrow Smith visited relatives at Dalhart Sunday.

Pleasant Hill News

PLEASANT HILL, March 20.—Those spending Sunday in the M. B. Brown home were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Day, Clyde Day of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Dink Bishop and children of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hambricht and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hambricht Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robertson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strain.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burns and Mr. and Mrs. S. Reynolds of Hobbs spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Truett McClung and Mrs. Kemp. Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Dillard of Cedar Hill spent Sunday in the McClung home.

Mrs. J. D. Towery, mother of Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey, has been seriously ill. Those visiting in the Woolsey home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Claud Pawver, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes, Mr. and Mrs. Ovus Shearer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donothan, Miss Ovie West, Mrs. D. M. West, Mrs. E. B. McCravey, Sidney West, Mrs. F. P. Donathan, Mrs. Peet Peak, Mrs. D. M. Leatherman, Mrs. Grace Hart, Mrs. W. H. Furrow, Mrs. Abigail Elza, D. M. Towery and M. Y. Towery of Odell.

LOCKNEY BOY MAKES W. T. DRAMATIC CLUB PLAY

CANYON, March 15.—West Texas State college will be represented at the Texas Intercollegiate Dramatic festival at Waco March 22 by a one-act play cast which will present "Peggy," by Rachel Crothers.

The local cast includes Mogie Routh of Amarillo, Lynette Harter of Canyon, Lawrence McBee of Pampa, Dorothy Yearwood of Tulla, Bill Ballard of Amarillo, Weldon Dodson of Lockney, Leota Lightfoot of Kirklind, Gaynelle Douglas of Silverton, and Wayne Christian of Vega.

Pete Wood son of Mrs. M. A. Wood was home from Canyon last week-end where he is a student in college.

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Series Of Parties Given In English Home Thurs-Friday

Attractive in detail were the series of parties given Thursday and Friday evening of last week in the Marvin English home, 206 South Marvin street. Mr. and Mrs. English and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor were hosts at the delightful occasion. St. Patrick's motif was used in table appointments, bridge appointments and menu. A delectable dinner was served at 7:45 with games of bridge as the entertaining feature.

Thursday evening the guest list included Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, Dr. and Mrs. Donald H. Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam. Mrs. Pitts and R. C. Wakefield held high score and Mrs. Wakefield and Dr. Pitts held travel honors.

Pla-Mor Bridge Club Members Guests In Fry Home Thursday

Pla-Mor Contract Bridge club members met Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. Luther Fry as hosts.

Easter decorations and appointments were used. Mrs. J. I. Hammonds and Richard Stovall held high score.

Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. Richard Stovall, the host and hostess and John Stayleton played a guest hand. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammonds will be hosts to the club Thursday evening, March 30 at 7:45.

MRS. ANDREWS' PUPILS MAKE HIGH GRADES AT SPEECH ARTS FESTIVAL

Mrs. V. Andrews and pupils returned Saturday from the Speech Arts festival at Amarillo.

Pupils enlisted received the following grades: Mable June Foster, highly superior; Joyce Williams, Eddie Conner, La Vern Russell and Mary Frances McRoberts, superior; Pupils who made excellent grades were Wayland Hale, Bruce Foster, Lula Lee Teal, Wilma Lois Russell, Hughetta Smartt and Frankie Wright.

In answer to numerous complaints of teachers and parents of grades awarded the senior and junior high pupils they were urged not to find fault or feel disappointed for the pupils are graded closely by an efficient teacher of speech who is grading on the standard line of college work.

The Speech Festival was at its best this year. Mrs. Andrews said. More than 100 more enrolled than any time since its organization. The reception given Friday night at the Municipal club rooms was greatly enjoyed by all who attended.

At the noon luncheon Saturday for teachers Mrs. Andrews was presented a certificate of participation rating highly superior.

PASTORS HELPER'S CLASS HAS MONTHLY SOCIAL

Pastor's Helpers Sunday School class of the Methodist church met in their all day meeting Tuesday of last week with Mrs. John E. Eldridge as hostess. St. Patrick's colors were used in decorations.

A covered dish lunch was served at the noon hour. A devotional was given and the afternoon spent socially and with needle work.

Members of the class were Mrs. A. P. McKinnon, Mrs. P. M. Felton, Mrs. A. A. Beedy, Mrs. W. M. Colville, Mrs. R. M. McCauley, Mrs. E. C. Henry, Mrs. Clem Henry, Mrs. Lula Slaughter, Mrs. D. D. Shipley and Mrs. J. H. Green. Visitors were Mrs. G. V. Smith, Mrs. Angie Peary of Bastrop, Mrs. Wilson Kimble and Mrs. S. W. Ross.

APT AND DUMB ALIKE STUDY OLD-TIME MUSIC RIDDIMENTS AT MEETING OF LIONS CLUB

Although it wasn't the nice thing to do and not fair either, the Lions club Tuesday had their newest members they called cubs eating blindfolded. "Better be glad you're not blind all the time," club officials said to Hollis Bond, W. W. Eason, A. Chetham-Strode and C. T. Campbell, the blindfolded. Blind aid is one of the activities which the club sponsors.

It was singing school day in the club and the members were put through the theory and practice of do-ra-me with Garland Glover as program chairman for the day. Some apt and some dumb pupils were present for the lesson.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

Announcement is made this week by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. O'Neal of the wedding of their daughter Lucille, to Lloyd Carmickle, of Petersburg.

The wedding ceremony was performed at Guthrie, Texas December 29. They are making their home near Petersburg.

Social Calendar

TODAY

1929 Study club meets this afternoon at 3:15 with Mrs. Walton Hale.

Thursday Contract Bridge club meets this evening at 7 o'clock with Mrs. J. B. Claiborne.

Idle Hour 42 club meets this evening at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole.

FRIDAY

Friendship Bridge club meets March 24 at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Barker.

TUESDAY

Tuesday Evening Bridge club will meet March 28 at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Loran.

'Bertita Harding' Discussed At 1922 Study Club Meeting

Members of the 1922 Study club held an interesting program on the life of Bertita Harding and a review of one of her books at their meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Donald H. Pitts as hostess.

Mrs. Kenneth Bain presided over the business session. Mrs. O. P. Rutledge was program chairman.

Roll call was answered with items from eighteenth century French history.

Mrs. Leona Bell gave, "Sketch of the Life of Bertita Harding," and Mrs. Kenneth Bain gave the book review on "Farwell Toilette." This is an old story of the eighteenth century French history. The interesting review was well presented by the speaker.

Miss Elizabeth Caldwell, director of a girls chorus from Andrews Ward school, presented them in three numbers which the club enjoyed and appreciated.

The next meeting will be April 6 with Mrs. Bain as hostess.

YWA HOUSEPARTY TO BE HELD AT WAYLAND COLLEGE ON APRIL 7-8

The annual session of District nine Y. W. A. Houseparty will be held at Wayland Baptist college April 7-8.

Representatives from each Y. W. A. over the district will be limited to two. Local representatives will be selected at the meeting Monday.

Theme of the meeting will be "Queenly Quests." Registrations will begin on Friday at 3:30 in the afternoon.

Mrs. Vernon Shaw will preside over the Friday evening program which opens at 7 o'clock. Mrs. G. E. Bond will give the praise service. The remaining program will be given as follows:

7:15, Devotional: "Queenly Traits" Mrs. Geo. Abbott.

7:30, Welcome, Miss Mary McCaffree, College Heights Y. W. A. president; Mrs. C. E. Roark, Staked Plains associational young people's leader; G. W. McDonald, president Wayland Baptist college.

7:40, Response, Miss Bessie Mae Booth.

7:45, Special music, Floydada Girls' sextet.

7:45, Review of book "The Queenly Quests," given by Mrs. Hilma Carroll.

9:15, Informal social hour.

Saturday Morning Program

6:30 Morning Watch: "The Queen's Victory"—Mrs. Mary Green

9:00—Praise service, Miss Evelyn Hicks.

9:15, Devotional Mrs. E. J. Cobb.

9:30, Recognition of "Who's Who" 9:45, Queenly Quests:

1. In Enlistment, Miss Evaline Smith.

2. In Personal Service—Miss Luzelle Bryan.

3. In Stewardship—Miss Opal Moseley.

10:00—Special music arranged by Miss Mary Wilson Hicks.

10:05—Preparing for Queenly service: presidents and vice-presidents Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick; programs Miss Clara May; personal service, Mrs. C. C. Griffiths; Mission study, Mrs. Bernice Railsback.

Quarterly Social And Program Given For Methodist W. M. S.

A lovely spring luncheon was given Monday at the home of Mrs. Wilson Kimble for the Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church at 12:30. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Kimble were Mrs. J. M. Willison and Mrs. W. H. Henderson. A turkey dinner was served.

The luncheon and program was the quarterly social for the society. The Easter motif was stressed in decorations and appointments. Place cards named places for the guests and white candles in holders cast soft lights over the tables.

The program was taken from the World Outlook on the subject, "Expanding Horizons in the Local Church."

Mrs. G. V. Smith was leader with Mrs. Clem Henry giving the scripture reading. Mrs. H. Green gave the meditation and Mrs. Lorin Leibfried lead the prayer.

Mrs. D. D. Shipley, Mrs. J. D. Colville, Mrs. T. A. Rogers, Miss Lillie Solomon, Mrs. John L. West and Mrs. N. W. Williams presented topics on the program. The leader dismissed the meeting with a prayer.

The meeting next Monday will be a review of the Missionary study at the church at 3 o'clock.

Present for the meeting were Mrs. E. E. Hinson, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. Fannie Powers, Mrs. Noel Troutman, Mrs. A. P. McKinnon, Mrs. A. A. Beedy, Mrs. Lula Moore, Mrs. W. M. Colville, Mrs. Lula Slaughter, Mrs. Belle Henry, Mrs. Homer Hopkins, Mrs. C. L. Minor, Mrs. B. P. Woody, Mrs. Nora Cox, Mrs. J. H. Peary of Bastrop, Mrs. Bob Smith, Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. W. E. Grimes, Mrs. G. R. May, Mrs. L. G. Mathews and those appearing on the program.

BLUEBONNET NEEDLE CLUB MET WITH MRS. MCINTOSH

Fifteen members of the Bluebonnet Needle club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. B. F. McIntosh as hostess.

During the business session Mrs. Charlie Lewis was voted a new member. Each week a set of cup towels are made for the members with Mrs. E. F. Cline, Mrs. D. W. Fyffe and Mrs. Aubrey Stewart drawing them at this meeting. Needlework furnished diversion.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. Fulton Finley, Mrs. E. S. Price, Mrs. Oliver Allen, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. Elvin Rainer, Mrs. F. P. Puqua, Mrs. J. W. Buchanan, Mrs. Alvie Sparks, Mrs. V. O. Carter, Mrs. Zelma Amburn, Mrs. E. F. Cline, Mrs. Fyffe, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. L. H. Dorrrell.

The next meeting will be March 30 with Mrs. Price.

T. M. GOODMAN MARRIED TO McLEAN WOMAN

T. M. Goodman, of Lockney, and Mrs. Allie B. Pinson, of McLean, were quietly married at Pampa, Texas, on March 14, County Judge White of Gray county officiating. The couple will make their home at Lockney.

Congress Of Parents And Teachers March 31-Apr. 1, Crosbyton

Approximately 500 delegates and visitors are expected here for the Eleventh Conference of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, Fourteenth District, which will be held on Friday and Saturday, March 31-April 1. The district is comprised of 24 West Texas counties.

Program for the conference has been arranged so as to be of interest to both teachers and parents, and will contain many entertainment features as well as educational talks and group discussions. Many leading professional men and women from over the state and district are scheduled to appear on the two-day program.

Mrs. W. R. Weaver, of Spur, district president, will be in charge of the conference, and will be assisted by Mrs. J. L. Adams, president of the Crosbyton unit, and Mrs. F. A. Greene, a district vice-president in charge of courtesies.

Mrs. Marguerite Hull Johnson, Austin, state representative of the organization; Capt. G. E. Schauer, Texas Safety patrol; Geo. P. Holland, Boy Scout executive; Dr. John M. Hooper, State Department of Health; Dr. H. L. Kent, Texas Technological college; and W. B. Irvin, superintendent of the Lubbock schools, are among those scheduled to appear on the program.

Many Entertainment Features

A dinner honoring the Board of Managers of the conference will be given Thursday evening, preceding the official opening. At 12 o'clock Friday a new flag pole, which has been erected on the Crosbyton school campus, will be dedicated with an appropriate ceremony; and at 5:30 p. m. Friday delegates will be guests at a "Meal of Nations," a courtesy of the Crosbyton Parent-Teacher association. The program will end Saturday with a massed chorus of Mother Singers from all over the district. Several local units will present musical programs during two days.

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1934 Study Club Entertained With Social At Paducah

1934 Study club was entertained in a delightful social Tuesday evening with Miss Estelle Howell as hostess at her home in Paducah. Misses Lois Howell and Lee Briggs assisted Miss Howell.

Games of bridge furnished amusement and lovely refreshments were served after the games.

Attending were Misses Selma Lader, Mildred Olson, Ina Sims, Helen Kruger, Ruth Grimes, Fannie Mae Rees, Alva Weatherford, Bernice Patton, Mrs. Virgle Shaw and Mrs. Russell King.

Miss Weatherford will be hostess for the meeting April 4 in the home of Mrs. J. C. Wester.

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Wednesday Luncheon Club Members Meet In Wakefield Home

Wednesday Luncheon club members were entertained Tuesday with a 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Wakefield.

Easter motif was stressed in table appointments.

Concluding the meal, games of bridge were played with Mrs. Richard Stovall holding high score.

Members attending were Mrs. J. A. Arwine, Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. John Reagan, Mrs. Billie Stanforth and Mrs. Stovall.

Mrs. Arwine will be hostess to the club April 4 at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. O. B. Olson is visiting in Tulla this week with her daughter, Mrs. Leroy McDonald and family.

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ORIGINALITY

Have you ever noticed the expressions on the faces of the different individuals that sit around you? All around us we can judge the type of individual by the manner in which he faces his problems. One kind of person looks about to see how others have dealt with them. If no one has ever found a solution, he concludes there is none, and so makes no attempt at it. There is another kind who comes upon every problem with a belief that something can be done about it, and that he is the one to do it. He is the person of large convictions.

He does much because he believes much. True originality is not in greatness or smallness. The violet is as original as the oak, and as necessary. Any person's originality lies in the acceptance of himself; not in seeking to be other than he is, but in making the best of what he has.

One person goes to school where questions are all written out and answered; he accepts this with no appreciation whatsoever for his teacher. Who, on the other hand, is trying in every way to teach her pupils good workmanship and fairness. Then there is the pupil who does appreciate his teacher's effort and shows it by studying. This is the person with originality. This is the person who meets the requirements of his day and provides them with opportunities for the development of his powers of originality. Are you one of these?

THANKS

Ed Note: This is a letter of appreciation that was received too late for last week's paper.
 Mr. A. D. Cummings, Superintendent, Floydada Schools, Dear Mr. Cummings:
 I want to express my sincere thanks for the cooperation you have shown us in helping us to contribute to the program of Big Spring meeting of the District No. 1 public health association.

We are already receiving requests for information concerning the play that was put on by Mrs. Piper and the high school students. The play received much favorable comment, and I do not doubt that we will hear a great deal more about it in the future in addition to the nice things that have been said about its presentation by the students of Floydada High school.

Again thanking you for your cooperation, I am,
 Sincerely yours,
 John M. Hooper, M. D.
 District Director of Public Health.

Freshman Girls In Sports

It is seldom that a class of girls can boast of having promising athletes, but this year's class is well represented. Three-fourths of the class play baseball. Nearly every girl being eligible, it is probable that the high school baseball team will be made up of freshman girls.

Geneva Gordon, Gracie Waller, Cagelene Carmack, Josephine Britton, Lois Burgett, Mary Helen Day, Lola Pearl Parrish, Topsy Dudley, Blanche Bambauer and Dorothy Mae Jones are the team workers. They have played several match games against Sand Hill and ward school. The first match game against Sand Hill was won by scores 2-1. Ward School team was defeated when the tie was broken by an extra inning. Scores were 17-18. Other games are scheduled to be played before the team competes with Lockney.

The volleyball team has only one Freshman girl playing well enough to play on the team. This "one star" is Maude Moore.

The game of tennis has been neglected by most of the Freshman girls, and though some of the girls are playing, they are not to play any match games. Floy Jean Hale, Geneva Gordon, Florene Cates, and Norma Denson are practicing. When they are Sophomores, they are really planning to give the juniors and seniors some competition.

County Meet Starts Saturday Tennis - Playground Ball

The events that come once a year will begin Saturday morning at the Floydada high school when representatives from the various schools of the county will compete for county championship in boys and girls playgroundball and in tennis, both boys and girls singles and doubles.

This year the tennis events promise to be more interesting than usual, due to the fact, so many high school students have been trying to represent our school in this event.

If the tradition still holds true, the high school girls play ground ball team will win. Miss Miller has been the coach for several years and has her first county championship to lose.

Here is the best wish for the year: "May you keep your record perfect Miss Miller."

Class Will

We the Freshman class of 1938-39 still having our brilliant minds and great number do hereby bequeath all our talent, good grades, and wonderful personalities to the seventh grade of Andrews Ward. We hereby beg pardon for any hard feelings of thoughtless acts on our part whereby we might have offended our teachers and fellow classmates and caused any thoughts except those of love and fond memories.

Ila Marie Battley will her modesty to George Goodjohn.
 Topsy Dudley will her good looks to John Robert Patton.
 Aaron Strickland will his height and big feet to Billy McClung and Gene Reed.
 Junior Finley will his excess poundage to Billie Gene Swinson.
 Norma Denson will her "let off steam" disposition to Evelyn Elliott and Estelle Puqua.

Lola Pearl Parrish will her red hair to Frances Keim.
 Griggs Hulsey will his forlorn looks to Sharon Puqua.

Florene Cates will her shyness to De Winn Pyffe and Eugene Lawson.
 Tressmon Glover will his cowboy boots to Donald Finkner.
 Roberta Medlen will her kind agreeable disposition (since when?) to Kenneth Johnson.
 Joy Cardwell will her short dresses and high heel shoes to Dorothy Morrow.

Donice Cline will her ability to go to sleep in class to Joe Wilson.
 Kenneth Joe Burgett will his grouchy disposition to Beatrice Kennamer.
 Blanche Bambauer and Geneva Gordon will their grand personalities to Maxine Brownlow.

Frances Ruth Garrett will her experience in being hit by paper wads to Edna Patterson.

Maude Moore will her grand figure to Dorothy Tye.
 Randolph Rutledge, Gene Loran, and Glen Amburn will their place in the band to Wanda Switzer and Katherine Weiborn.

Floy Jean Hale will her charms to Kathleen Pierce.
 Wanda Withers will her height, slimmness and big feet to Sammy Lee McCleskey.

B. K. Barker and Drexel Yandell will their sign language to Harold Bertrand and J. R. Denison.
 Ray Latham and Berel Ferguson will their new invention, nail black (composed of mother earth) to La Juana Leibfried.

Mary Lynn Stanley will her ability to get on the good side of teachers to Virgil Williams.

Bryan Collins and Jim Simpson will their darling little figures to Lily Alice Wiggins.

Floyd Snodgrass will his laziness to Robert Connor.
 Wayland Hale will his ability to throw away money on girls to Gene Collins.

Edgar Ray Gound will his tall, dark and handsome stature to Kennison Bond.
 Florene Lloyd will her dramatic ability to Beatrice Kennamer and Pauline McBride.

Dora Brinkley and Sarah Pauline Neff will their day dreaming to Estelle Puqua.

Oran Beck will his blond hair to Donald Finkner.
 Herschel Hinson will his freckles and round about ways to Dortha Elza.

Margaret Connor will her boy friends to Norma Gee.

Charles Hartsell will his attentive attitude to Cubert Gary.

J. W. Gilbreath will his baby ways to E. S. Johnson.

Junior Simpson will Roberta

Medlen to Wade Felps.
 J. W. Permenter will his girl friend (Loretta McAda) to Neal Cardinal.

Bryan Collins will his vice-president's post of W. C. Trowbridge.

W. T. Elza will his chalk throwing to Joe Looney.

John Colville will his tears to Buster McClure.

Archie Huckabee will his favor with Mr. Davis to Billy Williams.

Edward Smith will his wistful look to Roger Stalling.

Dora Barbee will her sky blue eyes to Allel Belle Baker.

Josephine Britton will her singing to Peggy Ann Trice.

Geraldine Brown will her place on giving advice on getting married to Jean Nelson.

Cagelene Carmack will her many F. F. A. pens to Pauline Reagan.

La Ferne Eubanks will her many boy friends to Billie Johnson.

Gracie Waller will her beautiful raven locks to Oleta Faye Norris.

Dorothy Mae Jones will her noisy ways to Carlene Thomas.

Eva Marie Lewis will her bean pole figure to Erva Lee Hartsell.

We hope all these things will mean as much to you as they have to us.

Freshman Boys In School Sports

The freshman boys have been doing their part in the sports this year. Several boys have gone out for boxing and a junior basketball. Some promising team workers left other sports interfere and so now have dropped. The junior-track team consists of several freshmen boys, proving themselves worthy of the team.

The freshmen boys are proud of the fact that there are a number of their boys playing on the baseball team. Edward Smith, Virgil Botler, Aaron Strickland, Herschel Hinson, Joe Dick Moore, Wayland Hale, Melvin Ross, and Tressmon Glover make up the main team. They have played several match games and lost only one which was to Fairview.

Next year we are looking forward to having even a more interesting class of athletes.

APPRECIATION TO SPONSORS

We, the freshman class of 1938-39, think that our sponsors, Miss Sudie Miller and Robert Linder, are the best in the school and that due appreciation should be shown them.

For several years, Miss Miller has taught in the Floydada schools. She has taught World History to ninth grade students, and English to the freshmen. Girls baseball for the county meet is also coached by Miss Miller. If a vote were taken to determine the most popular teachers in F. H. S. Miss Miller would doubtless be one of the top ranking favorites, for she is well liked by the entire student body, as well as by the faculty.

Mr. Linder has only been here since mid-term, but in the short time he has been with us, we have learned to like him immensely. He has classes in business arithmetic, junior business training and coaches debates and boys' baseball.

We appreciate all the work our sponsors are doing to further the knowledge and high standards of our class.

10,000 EX-STUDENTS DUE FOR ANNUAL ROUND-UP

AUSTIN—Texas Relays, one of the country's major sports events, will be combined with a three-mile parade, a revue and ball, and class reunions to furnish entertainment for 10,000 ex-student visitors at the annual Round-Up, University of Texas homecoming, March 31, April 1 and 2, ex-student officials have announced.

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Track Meet Draws Much Attention

Floydada High school, Floydada Chamber of Commerce and Floydada Athletic club were hosts to a number of schools in an all-around sports tournament, Saturday, March 18. Among the schools represented by athletics were Amarillo, Lubbock, Plainview, Fiomot, Sand Hill, Crosbyton, Ralls, Floydada, Pleasant Hill, New Mexico, Lakeview, Olton, Quitaque, Tahoka, Matador, Silverton, Lockney, and Aiken.

Prizes of trophies and ribbons were given to the high point man of the day, the school team victorious in most of the athletics and first, second, third and fourth place winners in the various contests.

The acting officials for the day were Micky Pool of Plainview, (starter), Robert Earl Linder, Floydada, Floy Murry, Texaco, Coach Martin, Matador, Truitt McClung, Pleasant Hill Coach Thomas, Floydada, and Coach Winter, Floydada.

Tennis Tryouts In Full Swing

Tennis is in full swing, and everyone is getting ready for the final bout with Lockney, which is scheduled for Saturday, March 25.

The girls have had their final tryouts for singles, the winner being Verona Miller, with Ara Sue Edwards running and close second.

Tryouts for doubles have not been completed but will be this week. So far Ella Breed will be one of the doubles and the remaining tryouts for the other doubles will be between Ara Sue Edwards, Verda Troutman and Josephine Troutman.

Final tryouts of the boys in tennis have not yet been completed but the last of the week will tell the story.

For singles, the final tryouts are between Judson Abernathy and Howard Merry and doubles will soon be settled.

The minutes are few between now and Saturday, but every minute practice is in full swing.

Students Attend Speech Festival

The Annual Panhandle speech festival was held Friday and Saturday, March 17-18 in Amarillo. The judges for the occasion were Miss Ruth Pirtle and John Harding, both members of the faculty at Texas Technological college in Lubbock. A number of students from our school attended the festival, and the average of the grades made was exceptionally high.

The rating of the grades are fair 85; good 90; excellent 95; superior, 100.

The students attending and their rating are Lula Lee Teal, excellent; LaVerne Russell, superior; Mary Frances McRoberts, superior; Bruce Foster, excellent, and Wayland Hale excellent.

GUN COLLECTION HAS INTERESTING MODELS

AUSTIN—A collection of three hundred firearms is currently displayed in the Texas Memorial museum on the campus of the University of Texas. Duplicates of the guns that killed President McKinley and Jesse James are among the firearms collected over 20 years by Robert F. Bains of Austin.

FOLK DANCES REPLACE JAM SESSIONS AT T. U.

AUSTIN—The schottische and the square dance have replaced "truck-in" and the "jam session" for about fifty University of Texas student members of a recently organized folkdancing club. Some of the dances the students have "discovered" and are teaching each other date as far back as 1500, Miss Ruth Bass, club sponsor and assistant professor of physical education, says.

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The freshmen are very well represented in our F. F. A. chapter. The boys are Melvin Ross, Tressmon Glover, Wayland Hale, Jim Simpson, Junior Simpson, Archie Curry, Edward Smith, J. C. Porter, Homer Kennamer, J. W. Gilbreath, Aarold Strickland, Ray Latham, W. T. Elza, Berle Ferguson, Griggs Hulsey, Charles Hartsell, J. W. Gilbreath and Oran Beck.

There were just two boys in the first and second period classes that made the trip to the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth. These boys are Melvin Ross and J. W. Gilbreath. We can say very truly these boys enjoyed the trip very much. Only they were glad to get home.

The 18 freshmen, also the other first year agriculture boys completed making funnels March 9. Some of the funnels were made from five quart cans, down to a can, about two or three inches high.

The Freshmen boys, each and everyone enjoy taking agriculture. Each boy has his own project, trying hard to make it compete with the other projects. The freshmen boys are trying to give the older boys of the F. F. A. some competition in the various judging teams.

The following boys made the F. F. A. trip to the South Plains Panhandle fair, at Lubbock last fall. They are Wayland Hale, Jim Simpson, Junior Simpson, Tressmon Glover, Oran Beck, Melvin Ross, Archie Curry, Edward Smith, Berle Ferguson, J. W. Permenter, Ray Latham, Aaron Strickland, W. T. Elza, Homer Kennamer, Griggs Hulsey and J. W. Gilbreath.

The freshmen boys have a very wide range of projects. Two boys have calves for beef production, one boy has 50 chickens for broiler production.

There are six boys that have 52 acres of cotton for lint production. One boy has six hens for egg production. Twelve boys have 57 acres of grain sorghums. Five boys have five cows for milk production. Five boys have five pigs for pork production. Three boys have 20 acres of wheat. Nine boys have girls for sow production. Two boys have five ewes for lamb and wool production.

The freshmen F. F. A. year has been a profitable one.

The extemporaneous speakers, Robertine McIntyre and W. C. Boren were guests of the Rotary club at their regular noon luncheon Wednesday, March 22.

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Political Column

The Hesperian is authorized to announce the following candidates for city office in the election Tuesday, April 4:

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For City Marshal: A. R. CARDINAL
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Floyd County Sends Many Teachers To The West Tex. Teacher Assn.

Floyd county teachers took off Friday and Saturday to attend the West Texas Teachers association meeting at Lubbock which was held at the Lubbock High school. The Floyd county delegation was headed by County Superintendent Walter Travis who is head of the Floyd county teachers association. Floydada and Lockney schools dismissed for the event and a large number of rural schools also called classes to a halt to attend. Trustees as well as teachers had programs at the meeting. Some of the most prominent speakers in the state appeared on the program and every division meeting was held under the direction of well known and leading educators.

DOUGHERTY 4-H CLUB

The Dougherty 4-H club met Wednesday, March 15 with Mrs. Jim Morrison club sponsor, giving the demonstration. The girls discussed the problems in making garden frocks. Mrs. Morrison told the girls that a half inch seams should be used at all times. Those present for the meeting were Helen Powell, Virginia Morrison, Helen Ring, Delilah Lide, Maxine Hamm, Florine Hamm, Imogene Woody, Nadine Powell, Daphne Lide, Ruth Welch, Harvey, Jo Powell, Jean Covington, Mary Lois Newberry, Clydene Allen, Moselle Linn, and Betty Sue Roe. The next meeting will be April 5 with Miss Ruth Grimes, county home demonstrator, giving the demonstration.



Jesse James, the most colorful outlaw who ever lived, is portrayed by Tyrone Power in the picture coming next week to the Palace on Thursday and Friday. Shown above embracing Nancy Kelly, shown in the film as the wife of the famous bandit. Left is Henry Fonda cast in the role of Jesse's brother Frank, and right is Randolph Scott as Marshall Wright, whose sworn duty it was to capture Jesse and his band.

B. K. Barker Offers For Mayor Of Floyd In Election April 4

TO THE CITY VOTERS: I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of Mayor of the City of Floydada, Texas. By reason of my service as a member of the City Council for a good many years, I have had an opportunity to become thoroughly acquainted with the City's affairs, and I believe that I can render worthwhile service to you as Mayor. Along with the other members of the City Council, I have done everything I could to obtain a city electric plant, construction of which is now assured, and if elected Mayor, I pledge myself to make every effort to secure speedy completion and successful operation of the plant, and to do my best to discharge all other duties of the office of Mayor.

B. K. Barker. (Political Advertisement)

SOUTH SIDE BAPTIST

On Monday afternoon, March 27 the ladies of the South Side Baptist church will meet at 2:30 for the Bible study. They are studying Exodus 19-23. All ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Half Minute Interviews

Roy L. Snodgrass: "Twenty years ago on Monday I landed back in New York City from France."

D. Rothschild, manager of the Golden Rule store spent Sunday in Lubbock attending the wholesalers sales convention.

H. O. Roden and Woodrow Cates of Plainview visited in Floydada with friends Sunday.

PURCELL'S Spinal Column

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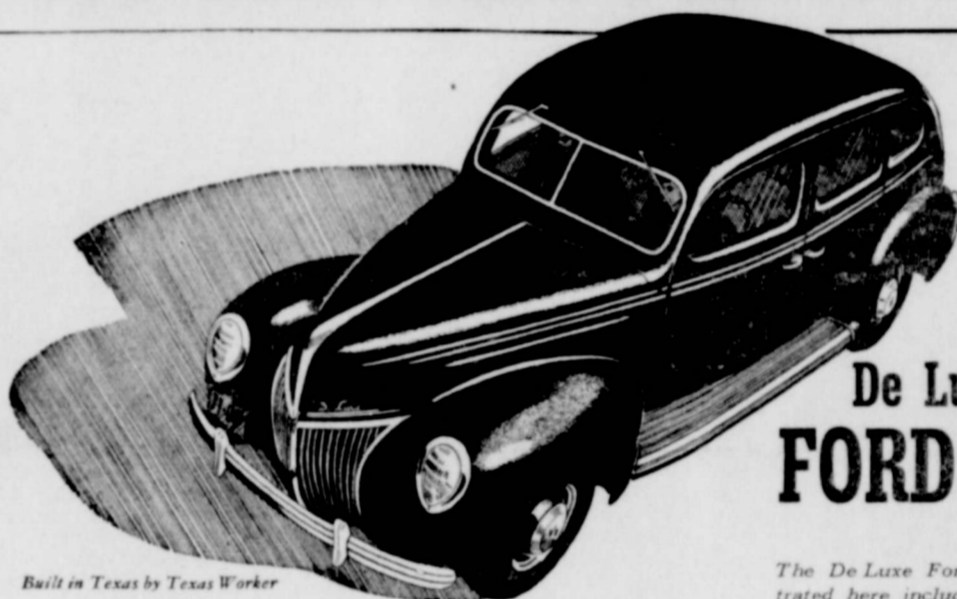
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LIBERTY, March 22—Guests in the W. A. Huckabee home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Meek and daughter, Glenda Faye, Mrs. Montgomery and daughter and Mrs. Frank Dunn and son. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Plumlee visited in Lubbock Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Van Rapp, of Sand Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Huckabee Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCormick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stone and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Box and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester McCormick Sunday.

MRS. DAY GIVES TALK ON HOME COMFORTS TO CLUB

"Give your bedroom a touch of personality with the addition of cushions," remarked Mrs. G. H. Day at the meeting of the McCoy Home Demonstration club last Thursday with Mrs. C. C. Curry. "Pleated and quilted chair cushions are attractive and should be made of serviceable materials for the families comfort and pleasure in the living quarters," said Mrs. Day. Following the recreational period the president conducted a business session.

Mrs. O. F. Cummings, the council representative, made a report. The club pledged to pay \$5.00 on the budget. Many interesting comments were made on the dairy show.

The club welcomed three new members, Mrs. Sidney Johnston, Mrs. Elton O'Neal and Mrs. Roy Golden. Other members present were Mrs. R. F. Day, Mrs. John Shipley, Mrs. O. F. Cummings, Mrs. W. F. Cuipepper, Mrs. R. E. Smith, Mrs. Harry N. Jones, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. H. D. Staples, Mrs. George L. Smith, Mrs. G. H. Day, Mrs. E. R. Griggs, Mrs. R. I. Birdsong, Mrs. O. E. Chick, Mrs. T. J. Day, Mrs. Audrey Sparks, Mrs. Hobert Day and Mrs. W. H. Hulsey.

The C. C. Huckabee family, of Floydada were guests in the home of A. J. Huckabee Sunday. Guests in the home of W. W. Anderson Sunday were Mrs. Earl Baker and daughter and Elmo Leatherman all of Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Huckabee Sunday evening. Miss Jackie Roberson and Mrs. Raymond Starkey of the Cedar Hill community and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brewer and family were guests in the home of J. H. Roberson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Thorne Fortenberry and Ray Wigginton and Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Taylor Sunday.

The Cedar Hill school played the Liberty school in basketball, volleyball and tennis games last week and the score was a tie in all except volleyball when they were the winners.

SINGING AT STERLEY

Beginning at 2 o'clock p. m. Sunday at the Methodist church at Sterley, the community and all who enjoy good singing will gather for an evening of singing. Mrs. Alfred Hamblin, in her announcement invited all who can to be present.

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PEDIGREED White Leghorns—Trapped every day since 1928. Real layers. Bloodtested. Book orders now for discount on Day-Old and Started Chicks, Baby Pullets and Cockerels. See Mrs. Olin S. Miller, 7 mi. N. E. Floydada. 52tp

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62 Quilts On Display Now At Hagoods's

165 Year Old Coverlet Is Included In Marvelous Display Of Quilts

Sixty-two of the prettiest quilts on the plains are on display this week at Hagoods's Drygoods store in downtown Floydada. Included in the display is a 165-year-old coverlet and five other quilts at least 100 years or older.

Women seeing the exhibit say that it is one of the finest displays of quilts they have ever seen, including fair exhibits and all others.

The 165 year old quilt is entirely hand made and is entered in the old quilt division. On display also are two afghans made from silk by Mrs. Ed. Mayhew. The afghans are not eligible for prizes.

Competent judges are expected to select the winning quilts tonight after which time the names of the owners will be placed on the quilts for the public to see.

Cecil Hagood, store owner, urges everyone interested in seeing the fine display to visit the store this week, as the quilts will be on display through Saturday.

The quilts are hung from frames along the walls and the back of store and are perfectly displayed for the best effects.



Legionnaire Buried.—In the group above second from the left, top row, is J. E. Horton, ex-service man and Legionnaire, whose funeral was held Monday afternoon. At the time the group picture was made Horton was finance officer of McDermet Post. In the group also are shown, bottom row from left to right, L. T. Bishop, 1928 commander, Jno. W. Maxwell, vice-commander, W. L. Fry, chaplain; upper row, Robt. McGuire, post adjutant, and to the right of J. E. Horton, James Colville, sergeant-at-arms and A. J. Folley, historian. Bishop, Maxwell, Fry and McGuire were among the active pallbearers at the funeral and burial rites which were conducted by McDermet Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Blue Ribbon Winners

Meeting To Talk Plans For 1939 Featured By Award Of Merit For Live At Home Record

At a meeting of farmers and their wives in the local Farm Security administration office, for the purpose of making farm and home plans for 1939, Mr. and Mrs. Belvie C. Brown, of the Southeast part of Floyd county, were awarded a blue ribbon certificate for producing 75% of their living on the farm.

On October 5, 1937, the Farm Security administration loaned Mr. and Mrs. Brown \$222.50, the main purpose of which was for the sowing of wheat. On November 3, 1937, they were advanced an additional \$50.00 for farm operating expenses. On July 6, 1938 they made a repayment of \$87.15, then on October 24, 1938, they made a repayment of \$198.16, which paid their loan in full, with interest.

In 1938 Mrs. Brown canned more than 500 quarts of food for her family of three, consisting of 218 quarts of vegetables, 88 quarts of fruit, 100 quarts of meat, and about 100 quarts of tomatoes, and other varieties of food. Mrs. Mary W. Jones, county home management supervisor, assisted Mrs. Brown in the planning of a canning budget at the beginning of the canning season, in 1938. Mrs. Brown followed Mrs. Jones' suggestions in the remodeling and shelving of her storage cellar to conform with approved regulations. A new brooder house was constructed by Mr. and Mrs. Brown at a cost of only \$20.00. They raised 500 chickens, and sold \$115.00 worth, using 75 at home, trading quite a

number to a neighbor for strawberries for home use of which she canned 18 quarts. Mrs. Brown brooded all her chickens by hen, and they are a good quality Buff Orpington. She has 120 choice hens on hand, and sells enough eggs to furnish necessary food supplies. Mrs. Brown might have suffered a heavy loss of her chickens last June had it not been for the timely visits of county supervisors Jones and Carpenter, who instructed her in the elimination of mites, which were threatening her flock.

Other things raised for food supplies were two large hogs, and one beef, a part of which was canned. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have constructed an earthen tank, which enables them to irrigate their garden, and have enclosed the garden with a fine mesh wire. They plant their gardens three times yearly; first in the very early spring, the major part of the garden being planted in late spring, and they have a fall garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, who prior to their connection with the FSA had never kept records of their farm and home business, have recently completed their 1938 book, which would be a credit to any farm family. These books show the actual cost of farm business and family living, and the total income from all sources.

CARD OF THANKS

From the bottom of our hearts we wish to thank all the friends and neighbors who assisted in various ways during the illness and passing of our dear husband, father and grandfather.

The floral offering was deeply appreciated because of the great admiration he held for flowers in his life time.

Your thoughtfulness for us in assisting in our daily needs with the dishes of food prepared and sent, we will ever be thankful.

Especially do we wish to extend thanks to the members of the churches, Sunday school classes and other organizations.

Mrs. J. R. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Neece and family,

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Christian and daughters,

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Funk and family,

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Latta and daughter,

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman and sons,

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Appling and family,

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owen and daughter,

L. T. Archer.

MRS. BARTLETT GIVES DEMONSTRATION FOR CLUB

Dougherty Home Demonstration club met March 15 at 2 o'clock with Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, 13 members being present and one visitor.

The house was called to order by the vice-president, Mrs. Bill Norman. Roll call was answered to the question have you planted a frame garden.

A demonstration on pieced and quilted chair cushions was given by Mrs. Bartlett. Ten minutes of recreation was directed by Mrs. Ott Glassmoyer and Mrs. Tate Jones.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Otho Sanders, visitor; Mesdames Norman, A. H. Kreis, T. J. Campbell, Claud Ring, E. S. Foster, Orland Edward, R. W. Lotspeich, R. T. Jones, Bill McNeill, Tate Jones, Glassmoyer, and Jim Morrison.

Mrs. Tate Jones will be hostess to the club April 5 at 2 o'clock. Miss Grimes will give a demonstration on "Storage of linen and clothes."

We hope at this time all the members will be able to be back with us and that our president, Mrs. C. A. Caffee, who is in a Lubbock hospital will be able to return.

COUNCIL MEETS MARCH 25 Floyd County Home Demonstration council will hold the regular meeting Saturday, March 25 at 2 o'clock in the county court room.

The Floyd county chorus will sing and regulations relative to entries in the Panhandle-Plains Dairy show, April 19, at Plainview, will be discussed. Mrs. P. F. Bertrand, council reporter.

Revival Services To Start Sunday Morning At Methodist Church

Rev. E. E. White, presiding elder of the Plainview district, will start a series of revival services beginning Sunday morning at the First Methodist church and will continue through Easter Sunday, April 9. Rev. W. M. Culwell, evangelistic singer will have charge of the singing.

Week day morning service will meet with the exception of Monday and Saturday at 10 a. m. The evening service will start at 7:30.

All Methodists are urged to be present at all services and we invite everyone to worship with us and assist in the meeting, the Pastor Rev. Jno. E. Eldridge said.

MRS. I. W. HICKS PROGRAM LEADER FOR BAPTIST WMS

Mrs. I. W. Hicks was program leader for the Baptist Woman's Missionary society in the meeting held at the church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. J. D. McEwen, president, presided over the monthly business meeting.

Mrs. John Hoffman, Mrs. G. A. Linder, Mrs. Vernon Shaw and Mrs. B. Marshall presented parts on the program.

During the business session the society voted to send 2 girls from the local Y. W. A. to the district house party to be held in Plainview April 7-8.

Next Monday circle meetings will be held at the church at 3 o'clock.

REV. VOIGHT TEACHES STUDY FOR CHURCH COUNCIL

Rev. Gordon Voight taught the lesson from the book of Revelation for the Woman's Council of the First Christian church in their meeting in the annex Monday afternoon.

The next meeting will be in the annex Monday to complete the study of Revelation. The meeting will be held at 3 o'clock.

MRS. ELDRIDGE TEACHING IN SCHOOL AT PLAINVIEW

Mrs. J. E. Eldridge is teaching in a training school at the First Methodist church in Plainview this week. The training school is for the central zone of the Plainview district and opened Monday evening. Classes are held each evening at 7:30.

Y. W. A. TO MEET MONDAY

Members of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church will meet Monday evening at 6:30 with Misses Estelline and Modena Hartsell at their home.

The meeting will be a business meeting and missionary study.

MISS GRIMES MEETS WITH STERLEY HOME CLUB

"Don't Have a 'nervous' bedroom by placing furniture across corners." Miss Ruth Grimes, demonstration agent, told members of the Sterley club Thursday, March 16, when they met with Mrs. D. M. Hopper.

Miss Grimes gave an interesting and instructive demonstration on furniture arrangement, which was enjoyed by every one. Necessary equipment for the bedroom was discussed and picture of good placing and the best pieces of conventional furniture to buy were shown.

Mrs. C. P. McPherson gave a report on the Floyd County Dairy day which was held in Floydada, March 8.

Refreshments were served to Miss Grimes, Mrs. G. A. McAda, Mrs. Reed Lawson, Mrs. Paul Cooper, Mrs. Alfred Hamblen, Mrs. M. A. Davis, Mrs. Charley Jones, Mrs. C. P. McPherson, Mrs. W. A. Cooper, Mrs. Hershel Carthel.

Miss Beatrice Davis spent the last week-end in Plainview as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Davis.

WANTED Clean White Rags at Hesperian Office.

MISS GRIMES DEMONSTRATES FURNITURE ARRANGING

Miss Ruth Grimes, demonstration agent, will be in town on Sunday. Miss Ruth Grimes, home demonstration agent, told members of the Homebuilders club in her talk on selecting and arranging furniture when they met in the home of Mrs. E. W. Moore Friday.

"Too much decoration usually cheapens a piece of furniture. Buy furniture that shows stability and simple curves. To acquire good taste with children they should be brought up with it," Miss Grimes said.

During the business meeting the constitution was read and approved. Mrs. P. F. Bertrand gave a council report. Mrs. Floyd Polvador, demonstration agent, announced for the members to bring their old fashioned quilt patterns to the next meeting for the demonstration on pieced and quilted chair cushions.

Visitors were Miss La Fern Eubanks and Billy Johnson. Members present were Mrs. D. D. Shipley, Mrs. Roy Curry, Mrs. P. F. Bertrand, Mrs. Raymond Teeple, Mrs. J. D. Eaves, Mrs. T. J. Heard, Mrs. C. W. Denson, Mrs. L. L. Clark, Mrs. Elbert Parks, Mrs. A. W. Dunn, Mrs. Ben Johnson, Mrs. B. M. Eubanks, Mrs. E. O. Cates, Mrs. Lee Westfall, Mrs. Edgar Duncan, Mrs. Floyd Fuqua, Misses Larue Williams, Myra and Joy Dunavant.

CENTER BEST 4-H CLUB

Center Best 4-H club met March 14 at the school house.

The meeting was opened by the president, Helen Jones and the minutes of the previous meeting read by Betty Jo Sims.

Recreational chairman, Edna Faye Westfall, conducted an enjoyable ten minute recreation period during which Betty Jo Sims and Oleta Palvadore won a contest naming the most vegetables.

Miss Ruth Grimes inspected the work of the girls. Six out of ten aprons were finished. The next project the girls will work on is making dresses, slacks or smocks.

At the next meeting on March 28, the material and patterns for garments are to be brought and the garment cut out. The sponsor, Mrs. Mayfield, will demonstrate how the seams are to be finished.

Those present at the meeting were Oleta Polvadore, Helen Jones, Betty Jo Sims, Ouida Pearl Polvadore, Edna Faye Westfall and two new members, Dorothy Anderson and Rosalie Westfall.

STARKEY H. D. CLUB

"Beauty is not a thing always to consider when arranging and furnishing a bedroom." Miss Grimes, home demonstration agent, told members of the Starkey club in the meeting March 15 with Mrs. W. P. Ferguson.

"Too often our furniture arrangements change the appearance of our homes and people judge our personality by our homes. So we must be careful how we select and arrange our furniture," Miss Grimes told how to arrange a boy's and girl's room so they could have their own hobbies without being disturbed.

Visitors present were Mrs. T. R. Atkinson of Littlefield, Mrs. Virgil Barton of McCoy; members were Mesdames Elmer Warren, L. A. Sargent, M. A. Wood, V. C. Permenter, J. K. Holmes, F. L. Hickerson, L. T. Hickerson, Tommie Atkinson, Misses Leone Holmes, Carnon Ferguson, and Pearl Ferguson.

J. N. Reid returned the latter part of last week from Fort Worth, Texas, where he had been for several months in the fruit and produce business.

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Mrs. I. M. Steen, of Canyon, and Mrs. Jimmie Campbell, of Amarillo, were here last week-end visiting in the homes of Mrs. O. W. Harris and Mrs. E. S. Johnson.

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The Cowboy and the Lady a Good Show

Gary Cooper, Merle Oberon Happily Teamed in Romantic Comedy

Contrasting the glitter and glamour of smart society in Washington and Florida with the romance and adventure of Cowboy Land in the Golden West, Samuel Goldwyn has lavished his unusual showmanship talents on his first major production of the new film season—"The Cowboy and the Lady," a comedy romance of modern-day life, which is due for its premiere showing at the Palace theatre, Saturday midnight, Sunday, Monday, March 26-27.

To heighten the rich, emotional drama of this exciting story, Mr. Goldwyn has teamed (for the first time on the screen) Gary Cooper, himself the No. 1 he-man, and Merle Oberon, reigning queen of the screen. Cooper is cast as a cowboy who rides the range alone—until he comes East for a rodeo show and meets Merle Oberon, spoiled and petted society darling. They immediately join forces in a high-powered, fast-paced romance which is spiked with riotous laughs and down-to-earth drama.

As the story opens, Merle Oberon is rushed out of Washington to Florida to avoid a scandal involving her in a night-club raid. Merle becomes bored with the quiet out-of-season Florida life, and impetuously decides to go out on a blind date with—of all the people in the world—her maid and her cook. Misadventure follows when glamorous Merle is partnered with square-shooting Gary. Not suspecting that the lady is just seeing how the other half lives, it is love at first sight for the lean and rangy cowboy. And when Merle, too, capitulates to romance, there follows a series of amusing and exciting adventures which lead to a smashing and breath-taking climax.

Afforded an opportunity to display again the talents which first brought him screen fame, Cooper is seen not only as a fast-riding, cow-punching, bronco-busting cowboy, but arouses additional interest by singing for the first time on the screen. Miss Oberon, who proved herself a master of the comedy technique in recent pictures, plays her most romantic role to date in her always effective and versatile manner.

"The Cowboy and the Lady" reveals the pictorial brilliance of the great outdoors in the East and the West in a story that has romance, glamour, humor and drama. Supporting the new "girl-meets-boy" team of Cooper and Miss Oberon, are such notable players as Patsy Kelly, Walter Brennan, Fuzzy Knight and Henry Kolker. The direction was in the capable hands of H. C. Potter, and the picture is a United Artists release.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Pollard and daughter, Joan, Mrs. Mary Sanders and daughters, Mary Lou, of Lubbock were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Martin, Mesdames Pollard, Sanders and Martin are sisters.

Mrs. R. D. Mash and Mrs. C. E. Bell spent Friday in Lubbock.



Round Up of Stars.—This sextette of stellar personalities contribute to the glamour, gaiety and hilarious doings of the "Cowboy and the Lady." Reading from left to right they are: Patsy Kelley, Gary Cooper, Mabel Todd, Fuzzy Knight, Walter Brennan, Merle Oberon. The picture is scheduled for a prevue midnight Saturday, Sunday and Monday, March 26-27.

As I See It

Bill Hams

Hitler has again astonished the world with his boldness and strategy. He has out-done anything Napoleon ever did, because Napoleon fought wars, lost lives and won battles. Hitler has done the same thing but few lives have been lost, no actual battles fought, but all the gains made by daring and a strange ability to outguess the diplomats and guiding hands of other nations.

Czechoslovakia is no more. Hitler saw to it that the artificial state has disappeared from the map. The danger of a sudden explosion in Europe has increased by the decision of Hitler to forget "Munich" . . . France, England, Russia, Italy, Rumania, and Poland are looking with suspicion and fear upon the future and all eyes are turned toward Germany for the next move.

Chamberlain, England's umbrella man and prime minister, said that Hitler pulled a "double-cross" on England and France after the Munich agreement. The sad part is that no one except Chamberlain and Daladier were fooled by Hitler's promises at Munich. . . . Hitler won't stop with the grabbing of Czech-land. A dictator must move forward never backward, so Germany must move.

Little is heard from Mussolini in Italy, but you can be sure he is busy preparing some comp. . . probably in Africa and to the detriment of the French colonies on which he has his eyes and guns. The French claim they will fight. . . but that is what the Czech's said before Munich. Mussolini must pull some mighty stunt to out-do his friend Hitler who now has the limelight in history but you can bet that Italy will pull a big one when the stunt is pulled.

The boys down at Austin are using the old age pensions as a pry-pole to give Texas a sales tax. . . just watch the arguments when the plan is tossed to the people for the vote. The supporters of the sales tax will yell "old age pension" until the voters are deaf, dumb and blind.

The old age pension plan is just, and should be paid but so far the administration of the pension plan has a very decided odor of decay, and before we vote a sales tax on ourselves upon the suggestion of O'Daniel.

If it takes a sales tax to pay the pensions perhaps it is good, but there is no proof that the sales tax is the only way out. The Texas legislators are anything but consistent on their voting and decisions, so when the sales tax is tossed to you as an amendment to vote upon, think twice and again before you vote "yea."

Governor O'Daniel and Douglas Corrigan should get together for a tete-a-tete. O'Daniel has supported everything since he has been in office that he said he was "against" when he was crying for votes. . . and everything since he has been in of campaign he has fought. Evidently O'Daniel is a native citizen of the Land of Reversia.

Yes, Texas will probably be the laughing stock of the nation before

our present governor's term is up. Hopes were high upon O'Daniel's inauguration that he would "fool" the general public and get something done. . . but if he must saddle every man, woman and child in the state with a sales tax to pay the pensions some other man should have been elected.

Miss Ruth Collins spent Sunday in Littlefield as guest of her brother, L. L. Collins and Mrs. Collins.

Mrs. O. B. Haught of Lubbock spent Sunday visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams had as their guests from Friday until Sunday his brother, A. L. Williams, Mrs. Williams and their daughter Golden Lavelle, of Electra.

Mrs. E. C. Thomas returned to her home in Roswell, New Mexico, Saturday after a weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Price.

Writing fluids, Hesperian.

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And it is time to get your lawn and yard ready for the growing season . . . shrubbery trimmed . . . your porch painted.

We can supply your needs at reasonable prices. GARDEN HOSE, HOES, RAKES, SHOVELS, SNIPPERS, TRIMMING SHEARS, PAINTS, VARNISH, PORCH FURNITURE, SPRINKLERS and Many Other Items You Will Need and Want.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd. TO THOSE INDEBTED OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF H. E. EDWARDS, DECEASED:

The undersigned having been duly appointed Independent Executor of the Estate of H. E. Edwards, deceased, late of Floyd County, Texas, by G. C. Tubbs, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1939, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said Estate to come forward and make settlement and those having claims against said Estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at Floydada, Floyd County, Texas, where he receives his mail.

Witness my hand the 20th day of March, A. D. 1939. 63c. W. H. (Henry) EDWARDS, Independent Executor of the Estate of H. E. Edwards, Deceased.

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than 10 million dollars in wages, nearly 5 million dollars in federal, state, and local taxes, help make up the total of over 24 1/2 million dollars this company spent last year to operate its Texas telephone system.

These figures are big because the telephone company has a big job to do in Texas: The job of giving fast, dependable telephone service at low cost to the user.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY



See the Bell System exhibit if you visit the Golden Gate International Exposition, San Francisco.

Statement Of Mayor Calls Attention To City Accomplishments

High Lighting Efforts of Administration, Claim Is Made For Two Years Progress

In a statement issued this week high lighting the accomplishments of the city administration in the approximate past 2 years, Mayor Glad Snodgrass points to some of the accomplishments of the mayor and council, parenthetically the thought that much profit and success depends upon odds and ends being utilized.

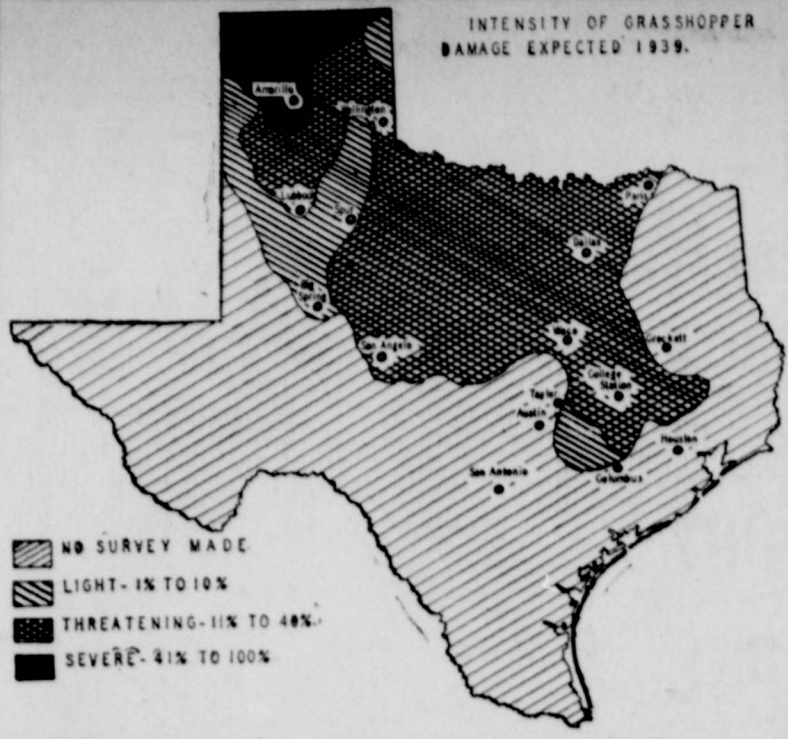
The statement, which takes somewhat the form of an accounting prior to the election on April 4, is as follows:

"In July, 1938, we were successful in making a deal with the State Health department in locating here and operating in 52 counties out of Floydada. (The City of Floydada underwrote the project) which developed in several families moving to Floydada. In making this trade we agreed that we would furnish one office girl at an expense of \$900 a year which we agreed to pay, also office space. Through the courtesy of enterprising Floydada citizens, this amount was raised by public donation at no expense to the tax payers. Later, we made a trade with the health department where-in we furnish the office equipment instead of spending the \$900 yearly for office girl. We furnished the office with \$1000 new furniture and omitted the salary of \$900 a year to the office girl and the equipment belongs to the City of Floydada and we are at no expense in operating the State Health department, which is an asset to any city, through the courtesy of Dr. Cox, Austin, Texas.

"The City is sponsoring and operating the sewing room in Floydada wherein several women are paid monthly approximately \$1000 under what is known as W. P. A. project. Our quota in this project would be approximately \$300 monthly. We are operating this project on approximately \$60 monthly, as we now have purchased and own all the machines outright and they belong to the City of Floydada as well as equipment.

"We have purchased and paid for a street maintainer and grader, a pick up truck, spent several hundred dollars on streets and culverts, placed new roof on city hall with many other city improvements and have all bills paid. Setting up something over \$600 for emergency breakdowns in the water department fund. Forty-two cases have been before the Mayor's court, forty-one of these have paid fines at the city hall (most of these for intoxication on streets) a revenue of approximately \$574.00.

"We owned and were to maintain the 2 miles of paving on highway



Extent of Grasshopper infestation in northwest Texas is indicated by the above map, prepared by the U. S. Department of Agriculture after intense survey and count by agricultural workers. Preparations to fight the grasshopper horde this spring are being made. Several areas of rather serious infestation have been located in Floyd county.

70 through Floydada and the road became in bad condition. We figured with several paving contractors and found this would cost us approximately \$3600, which the city was unable to pay. On October 10 we were successful in making a trade with the State Highway department. They agreed and did place a double coat topping on the 2 miles, also placed underground drainage under highway 70 at an expense of approximately \$3600 and the city was out approximately \$500 for one car of asphalt. At the same time they purchased and erected a nice warehouse in the city limits of Floydada at no expense to the city. Later we secured one mile paving connecting up with what we call the Silvertown highway at no expense to the tax payers. (We owe the entire State Highway commission thanks for assisting us in working out these problems at such small expense.)

"Indebtedness: 2 years ago we owed in bonds \$375,000 on principal and we have paid off \$33,000 of this principal, paid all interest due and have secured a saving of approximately \$2000 in discounts, also having a reserve set up for next interest paying date. These bonds are all due and payable in 1941 and we hope to have the city's business in shape at this date, that is by payments on principal and keeping the interest paid up, to make satisfactory arrangements in 1941.

Municipal Light plant: The city voted \$120,000 6% bonds to erect a municipal light plant and we have

not done so bad on this. We are building approximately \$150,000 light plant and the time spent waiting hasn't been so bad as sometimes its best to be careful when you are spending a lot of money. On October 3, 1938, we received a grant from P. W. A. of \$67,735.00 and a loan from the government of \$83,000 at 4% interest.

"\$120,000 at 6% is \$7200 yearly interest. 4% interest on \$83,000 is \$3320 yearly, a difference of \$3,880 a year saved in interest and running a period of twenty years or the life of the bonds will be and is a saving of \$77,600 on interest.

"The difference between \$83,000 we owe on the plant and the \$120,000 we would have owed on the original plan is \$37,000, saving here and add that to the saving in interest of \$77,600 and we have a saving of \$114,600 during the life of the bonds over the original plan, and will have a \$150,000 municipal light plant for \$114,600 less money than the original plan was costing us, figuring the duration of the twenty year bonds."

Gift And Sewing Shop Opened Mon. By Miss Lucy Crum

Announcement is made this week of the opening of the "Thrifty-Nifty" Sewing and Gift shop on West Main street at the rear of the Blue Moon Beauty Shoppe, by Miss Lucy Crum.

Miss Crum was owner and operator of a shop with the same name here ten years ago. She, for the past 5 years has been employed at the Verisart Dress shop in Wichita, Kansas.

Dressmaking, alterations and mending as well as a display of home made gifts for all occasions will be included in the business, Miss Crum said. She invites all her old friends and customers as well as new ones to visit her in the shop.

HULL & McBRIEN

- CRISCO, 3 Pounds, 52c
- A-1 CRACKER 2 Pounds, 17c
- SPUDS, No. 1 Idaho, 10 lbs., 25c
- RICE, Fancy 3 Lbs., 17c
- POST BRAN, Package, 10c
- MIRACLE WHIP, Qt., 39c
- JET OIL Shoe Polish, 10c
- Lamb's Blackeyed PEAS, 3 Cans, 25c
- HOOKEE LYE 15 Cans, \$1.00

Phone 292

Bowling League Is Going Full Blast Now

Young's cafe and Hesperian Publishing company led the Floydada bowling league with a tie for first place with two games won out of two played.

Eight teams are entered in the league with a 30 day playing season with \$15 prize going to the winning team. Weekly prizes of \$2.50 are given to high man each week and low man gets a "days free bowling" for his trouble.

The standings on Wednesday were:

Team	P	W	L
Youngs	2	2	0
Hesperian	2	2	0
Blackhawks	2	1	1
Phillips 66	2	1	1
First Natl. Bank	2	1	1
Hagoods	2	1	1
Oden's	2	0	2
Bishops	2	0	2

High score prize was won last week by Bill Sharp with a total of 310 points. Maggie Daniels was low prize winner with a tourney score of 88 in one game. High up until Wednesday noon was C. L. McMurray with 265, Chock Collins had low up to that time with 95 points.

Friday night the Blackhawks will play Oden's Chevrolets and Hagoods will meet the Hesperian team.

Protect Your Client, Uphold Constitution, Judge Tells Lawyers

Ethical Practitioner Always Remembers He Is An Officer Of The Court, Davidson Declares

(Ed. Note: In December the lecture of Judge T. Whitfield Davidson, on admitting 2 lawyers to practice in the U. S. Court for the Northern District of Texas, in a few words gave the background of the law practitioner's code of ethics. Many laymen who are wont to criticize lawyers and their practices, will be interested to see the thread of loyalty to the constitution and the established order which runs through this brief summation of Judge Davidson.)

"The clerk will presently administer to you the customary oath, which is to demand yourself as an ethical practitioner and to uphold and defend the constitution of the United States.

"The American lawyer is the first line of defense and offense when it comes to upholding the constitution of the United States that guarantees to us our freedom. As I read in the papers yesterday of the turmoil and strife in France, I realized what could happen in America if the American bar and the American people permit such.

"In some of our schools, I am sorry to say, ideas that prevail in Europe take precedence over those that the fathers taught us in this country. Talking not long since with a student from one of our great universities, she thought the constitution of the United States was an antiquated document that stood in the way of progress; thought that Russia had the best government of any nation suited to its people; thought that the Boston anarchists, Sacco-Venzetti, were judicially murdered by the courts of this country, and was highly in sympathy with the Communist group in Spain. This young person came from one of the best Texas families. Those things are implanted, more or less, in schools. I think it behooves every man to find out what his children are studying, and who is teaching them.

"The constitution — one Eastern professor said he didn't bother about the origin of the constitution; all he taught his law students was to prevent a cold demurrer from running through their petitions. He is wrong! The thing the American lawyer must learn is to take care of his client, that's the first duty; then to take care of himself and get his fee, a fee within reason, that is a proper duty, and to conduct himself like an ethical practitioner. Remember always that you are an officer of the court, just like the chef takes charge of the kitchen of the hotel. He prepares the food to make it palatable to the guests. You prepare the facts and the law and make it easy to digest by the court and the jury, and whatever you undertake to twist or conceal any of those facts, you cease to be an ethical practitioner of the law."

E. A. BIRCH SERIOUSLY ILL AT VERNON, TEXAS HOME

E. A. Birch, former resident of Floyd county, who has made his home at Vernon the past 2 years, is seriously ill there, his son, Walter, said Tuesday.

Walter just returned from his father's bedside, said the latter was suffering from a stroke. Several months ago he had a heart attack. His condition has been serious for several days. E. A. Birch is 80 years of age.

Mrs. C. P. Looper returned home Sunday from Eunice, New Mexico where she has been the past two weeks with her daughter Mrs. Floyd Simpson who is recovering from a major operation. Mr. Looper made the trip for Mrs. Looper.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE 33 EWES and about 20 lambs. See E. L. Norman at Bank. 61c

1 FRESH milk cow for sale. See G. N. Shirey. 61c

5 ROOM furnished house for rent. Mrs. J. R. Archer 305 West Houston St. 61c

WANTED MARRIED man for general farm work. See George Worsham Floydada, Rt. 4. 62p

LOCAL MUSIC PUPILS SHOW HIGH RATING IN SOUTH PLAINS MUSIC FESTIVAL

A number of music pupils from the classes of Mrs. Clement McDonald and Mrs. Pearl Pagan were entered in the South Plains Music Festival last week end at Lubbock.

Pupils of Mrs. Pagan's class entering and taking theory scales and solos and making passing grades in all divisions of special phases of work were Nelda Ruth Chapman, Martha Yearwood, Doris Bredthauer, Berdina Hopper, Betty Yearwood, John Henry Brock, Georgia Ann Huckabee, Ladelle Hopper, Betty Merle Boteler and Nelda Fagan.

Those entering all divisions theory, scales, and solos and taking the high average and passing in all divisions are Berdina Hopper and Nelda Fagan.

Berdina Hopper made gold seal certificate in all divisions in the eight year work and Nelda Fagan in the fourteen year work.

This year the eight year old making high average and grade requirements are privileged to go to the state festival at Austin, which convenes March 31 to April 1.

The standard has been raised this year for solos. A grade of 90 and above is required to get a gold seal certificate, 85 and above is required for gold certificate on scales and 80 for theory. Theory being the hardest division to make.

Those making gold certificates in theory were John Henry Brock, Berdina Hopper, Betty Yearwood and Nelda Fagan.

Those making gold certificates in other divisions of work were Nelda Ruth Chapman, Berdina Hopper, Georgia Ann Huckabee and Nelda Fagan.

Pupils entering eight year work were Berdina Hopper, gold seal certificate; scales, gold certificate; theory, gold certificate for average 92% on two solos. John Henry Brock, entering theory only, gold seal certificate, grade 98.

Nine year division: Nelda Ruth Chapman, scales, gold seal certificate; solos, grade 96; Romantic, classic and modern average grade 87; theory, silver seal certificate. Georgia Ann Huckabee scales, gold seal certificate grade 96, modern solo grade 85 silver certificate. Doris Bredthauer, scales, silver certificate.

Ten year division: Betty Yearwood, scales, gold seal certificate; solos, classic, modern and Romantic certificate; theory, gold seal certificate. Betty Merle Boteler four solos, classic, modern Romantic and Sonatina, certificate of acceptable rating.

Eleven year division: Ladelle Hopper completing 8-9-10 and 11 years scales, silver seal certificate.

Thirteen year division: Martha Yearwood, playing thirteen year solos with only fourteen months work, certificate of acceptable rating.

Those making above 90 in scales: Berdina Hopper, 8 years, grade 96; Nelda Ruth Chapman, 9 years, grade 94; Georgia Ann Huckabee, 9 years, grade 96; Nelda Fagan, 14 years, grade 98.

Those making above 90 in theory were Nelda Fagan, 14 years, 91; Berdina Hopper, 8 years, grade 98; John Henry Brock, 8 years, grade 98.

Mrs. McDonald's pupils, and recognition they won were certificates: La Juana Leibfried, 12 years, scales and theory; Sappho Ward, 17 years, solo; Maurine Hart, 16 years, solo; Mary Louise Tubbs, 16 years, solo; Peggy Jo Bishop, 12 years, solo; Norman Denison, 13 years, solo and theory; Marty Lou Bond, 9 years, theory.

Silver seal certificates: Nannette Bishop, 8 years, solo; Kathryn Wilkinson, 9 years, solo; Oragene Wilson, 9 years, solo and scales; Marty Lou Bond, 9 years, solo; Netha Denison, 12 years, solo.

Gold seal certificates: La Juana Leibfried, 12 years, solo; Beth Hinson, 7 years, solo; Rose Ann Cummings, 7 years, solo; Norma Lanele Teague, 7 years, solo; Euna Parver, 12 years, theory; Oragene Wilson, 9 years, theory; Marty Lou Bond, 9 years, scales.

Norma and Netha Denison and Marty Lou Bond are pupils of Sappho Ward.

Poultry

- TOP PRICES PAID
- HEAVY HENS, 13c
- Pound,
- LIGHT HENS, 10c
- Pound,
- EGGS, 13c
- Per Dozen,
- CREAM, 21c
- Per Pound,
- JUNK IRON, \$2.00
- Per Ton,

Market Subject to Change

- SEED POTATOES, Minnesota, Red or White, 3c
- Per Pound,
- EATING POTATOES, Red or White, 2c
- Per Pound,

FRUITS, all kinds sold at low prices.

J. V. Jones PRODUCE & FRUIT STAND

Across street from Martin Dry Goods Co.

Grades lower than 75 in any phase of work are not acceptable.

Mothers attending the Festival were Mrs. J. R. Yearwood, Mrs. D. F. Bredthauer, Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Mrs. John Hopper, Mrs. George Huckabee, Mrs. George V. Smith, Mrs. Lorin Leibfried, Mrs. V. H. Boteler, Mrs. Clifford Tubbs and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huckabee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bandy and Somer Hollingsworth Jr., who is a student in W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge and son, Randolph, visited Saturday night and Sunday in Tahoka, with her sister, Mrs. R. P. Weathers and family.

SON ARRIVES AT HOME OF FORMER RESIDENTS ON

Mr. and Mrs. Quinby Kizziar of Odessa announce the birth of a son, born March 14. He has been named Mark Quinby. Mr. and Mrs. Kizziar are former residents of Floydada, she being the former Mildred Carter. Mr. Kizziar is a brother of Mrs. Bill Daily.

Mrs. Daily and daughter, Jo Ann, and her father, M. L. Kizziar of Altus, Oklahoma, who came over Saturday afternoon, went to Odessa Sunday and visited until Monday. Mrs. Kizziar accompanied them here after having spent the past week with her son and family. Mr. her sister, Mrs. R. P. Weathers and family.

Dress Up For Easter

It Pays to Buy Advertised Merchandise

A lawyer said to his friend—"I don't believe in advertising." "Is that so?" replied his friend. "Well then, what make of hat do you wear?" "STETSON", replied the lawyer. "What kind of shirts," "Shirtecraft." "What kind of shoes," "Freemans." "What kind of Hosiery," "Holeproof." "What kind of ties," "Grayco." "What make of Suits," "International and M. Born tailored to my individual measurements." "That's all," said the questioner, laughingly—you will find them all at—

GLAD'S

"Smart Wear for Men Since 1900"



- SUGAR Cloth Bag, 10 Pounds, 45c
- TUNA FISH Abbey, Light Meat, 2 Cans, 25c
- PEA'S Thrift Fresh, Black Eye, 2 Cans, 15c
- COCOA Mother's Pure, All Occasion, 2-lb. Can, 18c
- BATH ROOM
- TISSUE White Fur, 4 Roll Box, 23c
- CRACKERS Salted Soda, 2-lb. Box, 15c
- Peanut Butter Full Quart, Jar, 25c
- Apple Sauce Brim Full, No. 2 Can, 10c
- Light Crust Flour 24-lb. Bag, 69c
- Green Beans Pride of Ozarks, 3 Cans, No. 2, 25c
- SOUP Vegetable or Tomato, Can, 5c
- OXYDOL Giant Size, Package, 59c
- P And G 5 Giant Bars, 19c
- Toilet Soap Kirk's Hard Water, 3 BARS, 13c
- SPEEDY-JEL 6 FRUIT FLAVORS, Pkg., 5c
- ORANGES Juick California, 2 DOZEN, 25c
- BANANAS Golden Ripe Fruit, Dozen, 15c
- LETTUCE CRISP FIRM HEADS, Each, 4c

MARKET

- SPAM Hormel's, Ready to Serve Meat, Can, 29c
- SLICED
- BACON Lakeview Rindless, Lb., 23c
- Beef ROAST Rib and Brisket, Pound, 15c
- Brick CHILLI Bowls or Brick, Pound, 19c
- Salt Jowls Pound, 10c
- Compound Jaggel-Advance-Vegetole, Carton, 4-lb., 43c

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