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Schools All Set For Observance Of 'Play Day'

Floyd county schools will meet at 9 a.m. Friday, April 10 to observe Play Day, a day set aside for all rural schools of the county and patrons of the individual communities. The event will be staged at South Plains. Supt. Clarence Guffee, program chairman said the plans were all made and everything in readiness for the day of entertainment.

Teachers To Entertain

Teachers who will have charge of the entertainment for the first four grades, have been named as follows: Under the supervision of Mrs. Walter Travis, Sand Hill and Miss Elizabeth Thacker, Fairview are Mrs. Jesse Cox, Muriel Fagan, Mrs. Mariyena Kemp, Mrs. B. C. Phegley, Mrs. Cella Ross, Mary Nell Mangum, Mrs. R. L. Rutherford, Mrs. C. H. McNeill, Mrs. Paul Murff, Elaine Culppepper.

Good morning and get-acquainted games will include stealing sticks, black and white, red rover, flying dutchman, drop the handkerchief, and many other games are listed in the entertainment for this grade group.

Entertainment for Parents

Tables of dominoes and other games will be available for parents and guests during the day, who do not care to join in the games. Thomas L. Collins, Aiken and Tom L. Porter, Lekeview will supervise the entertainment for pupils of grades 5, 6 and 7.

Truett McClung and J. N. Denning will have charge of grades 8, 9, and 10. These grades will compete by colors that will be drawn as the schools register at 9 o'clock.

Basket Lunch

Each individual is invited to bring a sack lunch that will be spread together at noon. Plate lunches and sandwiches will be available in the school building for those who do not care to bring lunch.

Individual School Programs

At 1 o'clock the entire group will convene in the auditorium when a period of from three to five minutes will be allowed each school and community for a short period entertainment. The school programs will be followed by an old fashioned spelling match that will conclude the day's activities.

Superintendent Guffee is anxious to contact each teacher in the rural schools to know whether or not they are cooperating in the Play Day activities.

Floyd Co. Families Learn Of Safety Of Their Sons

Word reached Floydada this mid-week of the safety of two Floyd county boys who have not been heard from since the first few days after the declaration of war by the United States. They are G. W. Lotspeltch, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lotspeltch who reside north of Dougherty on the Matador highway. The other is Wilson Holt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Killis Holt of the Sand Hill community.

G. W. when last heard from five months ago was somewhere in the Pacific serving in the Medical corps. First news of his safety reached his parents Tuesday when they had a card and letter that stated he was well and for them not to worry about him.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt received a message Friday from their son who had returned to Southern California from Iceland, a member of the last battalion of United States marines to leave Reykjavik. He was last heard from December 18.

RETURN TO FLOYDADA TO MAKE THEIR HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Christian and little son Robert Greer who have been making their home at Santa Monica, California, returned Tuesday to make their home in Floydada.

Mr. Christian will be employed with R. C. Henry, Continental Oil Company wholesale dealer.

Petitioned On County Ballot Burton, Howard And Edwards For County Board Members

When Floyd county citizens go to vote Saturday in the county and district trustee elections they will find the names of C. W. Burton in Precinct 3, W. Earl Edwards in Precinct 4, and J. W. Howard in the county-at-large column as candidates for county trustees.

These names were petitioned on the county trustee ballots prior to the closing of the list. Should Burton be chosen he will succeed E. C. Durham who resigned effective March 1, and Edwards will succeed himself, as will also Judge J. W. Howard, present chairman of the board.

J. T. McLean of Sand Hill in Precinct one, and F. S. Byars of Lockney in Precinct Two, are hold-over trustees. In these two precincts



Tractor Tire Shortage Looms As Farm Problem; Local Officials Present Need In Attempt To Get Quick Action On Matter By OPM

Flying Cadet



Ralph C. Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnston, has completed his basic training course at Merced, California, and is taking up advanced training at another field, word received from the War Department last week said. He will be commissioned a second lieutenant when he finishes his course and begins his service in the Air corps.

Omaha Visitor Saw Attack Of Japs At Midway

P. A. Oden, of Omaha, Nebraska who with his wife and daughter were here Tuesday and yesterday, saw the attack of the Japanese forces on Midway Island which was successfully defended and held by American forces on December 7 and following days.

Oden and his family were guests of his brother, Conner Oden and family on West Virginia street while here. While he is on a vacation he has been visiting relatives and seeing the country with his family spending sometime at Carlsbad, New Mexico, where his parents reside.

At Midway he was one of 1,500 or more civilians workers busily engaged in constructing fortifications for the defense of the island against attack. "After the attack on December 7, we really put out, trying to get our work done," said Oden. "They finished their job and were shipped back home, leaving Midway late in February and arriving in the states in mid-March. Their journey through the dangerous waters was unmarked by any attack."

"I don't think there is any danger of Midway being taken by the Japs," said Mr. Oden, who said it was a valuable base for Navy operations.

Representations in this vein have been made by the Rationing board ever since the board was set up in January. Stated briefly, the situation is simply this:

If the Office of Production Management is not going to make tires available for farmers and the latter must seek make shifts to get the job done they should be so advised. If it is important enough to the war effort that farmers should have tires for their machinery and the rubber is available then there should be quick action. So say officials.

VOLENTIER KNITTERS ARE NEEDED BADLY, MRS. O. M. CONWAY SAYS

Production chairman Mrs. O. M. Conway issued a call for volunteers this week who will knit socks and gloves for the Red Cross. The yarn arrived several days ago and is available at the Red Cross room at the court house.

Instructions will be given those who are interested and need them Mrs. Conway said.

An effort to cut through the red tape and get a workable policy for farm tractors, trucks and pickup in West Texas is under way this week with local officials completely in accord as to the need.

If the rubber shortage is so pronounced that farmers must forego tires and tubes for their operations they need to know it, and put into effect some kind of a makeshift plan but if the Office for Production Management really intends for the farms that need tires and tubes for their farm machines to have them, there must be a radical change in the set-up to get the result.

This is the opinion of W. Edd Brown, chairman of the tire rationing board, Paul Snodgrass, president of the County USDA War Board and of J. C. Wester, president of Floydada Chamber of Commerce.

Wester, in a telegram to D. A. Bandeen, president of West Texas Chamber of Commerce Monday afternoon pointed out that there are now pending before the Floyd county board 160 applications for tractor tires alone, and any number of applications that will be on the board's files when farmers arrive at the point they must begin spring work. "April is the strategic month with farmers in this county," he represented to the regional head. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce will compile the information for the entire area and make representations to the Office of Production Management.

Need to Set Up Reserve

Paul Snodgrass, of the local agricultural war board, yesterday pointed out that a man operating a farm can't wait until he is on the ground to get a new tractor or truck tire if he expects to get the job done. "There's just one time to farm and if the farmer has to spend that time waiting for a tire quota to be released before he can get back into operation, he's going to lose a crop," Snodgrass said. "This means that the national administration on tire rationing has got to cut through the red tape and set up some reserves for farm operators. Otherwise a farmer in a county like Floyd is just going to be out of luck."

Too wet today, just right tomorrow and too dry the next day, is the succinct farmer's expression to illustrate the reason for the need for quick action on farming equipment requirements in this area. Thus the present rule that a farmer must actually be "on the ground" before he can make an application for tires and then must wait for a county quota to be released to obtain them is wholly unworkable, and a county rationing board with its hands tied has a practically impossible job of being really useful to the war effort so far as food and feed production is concerned.

In Floyd county there are 2,120 tractors in operation according to figures given out by the county war board. There are also 2,160 trailers and 620 pick-ups. These machines in addition to the trucks, commercial and passenger vehicles. A set-up that only takes cognizance of the commercial and passenger vehicle need and overlooks the farm need for rubber wholly inadequate to meet the situation.

Kindler Farris who recently made application for service in the Royal Air Force has passed final examinations and has been notified to report for duty on or about June 1.

Kindler Farris Joins R. A. F., Reports June 1

Following his graduation from the University of Texas he has been employed during the past 3 1/2 years in the production department of the Texas Oil company of Houston.

Mr. Farris arrived in Floydada Sunday to spend the greater part of two weeks vacation here with his mother Mrs. Jno N. Farris and his brother John, Jr. At the end of his vacation he will return to Houston to continue work until he receives his call.

J. R. STRAIN WITH MARINES WHO RETURNED THIS WEEK FROM REYKJAVIK, ICELAND

Sergeant J. R. Strain was with the battalion of marines that returned this week from Iceland where they have been stationed the past eight months. He arrived in Floydada Tuesday and is visiting his mother Mrs. J. H. Strain.

He has been in service the past two years and visited here 18 months ago. He was given a 14 days leave and will report for duty at San Diego, California.

Farmers Finding Grasshoppers In Their Fields

Hope held by small grain growers for the crop this spring, especially in its present fight against the greenbug menace, lies in the fact that the pests are on the scene late and that probably warmer weather will hatch out their natural enemies before they can destroy the crop.

However in some fields the greenbugs are already large enough to sprout wings and some are in the air. The race would thus appear to be between the lady bugs and the greenbugs. Lady bugs are putting in their appearance in reasonably strong numbers in some portions of the county. "Given a chance the greenbug's natural enemies will put them out of business," said Jason O. Gordon, county agent, who pointed out that science has not yet developed a successful method for man to combat greenbugs. A few areas in the county are found where the greenbugs have done no damage. In other areas the crops are spotting up considerably, showing the efforts of the invasion.

Grasshoppers Hatch Out, Too

A development of the week has been amazing to farmers is the hatching out of the first crop of grasshoppers. These reports say are found literally by the millions in many points of the county, Jason O. Gordon, the county agent, investigating these reports, and also the greenbug situation, said there are three types of grasshoppers, all migratory, hatching out.

"Of course, if these hoppers stay here and grow they will eat up the crops," said the county agent, but pointed to the possibilities that nature sometimes has its own way of doing things. "The hoppers are not due to hatch this early by nearly a month," he said. "Maybe something will happen to them. Certainly if 'something' does not happen to them they are going to do something to our crops."

The hoppers are very small and the casual person possibly or probably might not notice them even in places where they infest the ground by the millions.

Four mornings the past week the temperature has registered below freezing, according to West Texas Gas Company. They were Thursday, Friday, Sunday and Tuesday mornings.

Pioneer Reunion As Usual, Old Timers Vote

After voting to hold their re-union as usual on May 28 to celebrate the anniversary of the county's founding, the pioneers' executive committee Saturday afternoon named several committees to carry out assignments in preparation for the event, and instructed them to report back on April 11 for a check-up on the progress made.

Save and except for the fact that there will be no prizes offered this year and the various committees will spend the least possible money, the events of the re-union will be about the same as in former years.

The anniversary will be the fifty-second, and will have unusual significance for many of the old-timers who are celebrating this year their fiftieth year residence here.

The parade, the registration, the display of old-time relics, dinner for the oldest settlers, and the old-fashioned square dance all are being planned for. Committees to take care of the various activities which these will call for were named. Following the committeemen and women named:

Parade Committee: Ernest Fry; Roy Snodgrass, Mrs. J. M. Gambin, Bob Smith, Mrs. Bob Smith, Ham Smith, Mrs. Ham Smith, Mrs. Lon Jackson, Buck Sams, Mrs. D. W. Light, Mrs. R. I. Bennett, G. L. Snodgrass, Mrs. Mattie Hale, Mrs. Sallie Griffith, Mrs. Joe McCollum, Efford Pharrish, King Permenter;

Seating Committee: Lee Howard, Bob Willis, Ross Henry, W. S. Ross, Bob Garrett, Arthur Edwards, Tom W. Deen;

Finance Committee: Geo. Fawver, Chairman, C. L. Anderson, G. L. Snodgrass, Ben Bully, Joe McCollum, Mrs. Arthur Barker, Mrs. Carl McAdams, R. I. Bennett;

Registration Committee: A. B. Clark, Chairman, Mrs. W. S. Ross, Mrs. Maud Burrus, Mrs. Ruth Green, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. P. G. Stegall, Mrs. Luther Fry;

Committee on badges, tickets etc.: R. E. Fry, Homer Steen;

Memorial Committee: Mrs. Luther Fry, Chairman, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. Ethel McAdams, Mrs. L. M. Honea;

Old Relics Committee: Mrs. A. B. Clark, Chairman, Mrs. John L. West, Mrs. S. L. Rushing, Mrs. Clarence Foster, R. I. Bennett, Walter Gound, Tom McLean;

Dance Committee: Ben Gully, Bob Willis, John Fawver;

Committee for Special Dinner for Oldest Settlers: Geo. Fawver, Chairman, C. L. Anderson, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. Hope Hammonds, Mrs. A. T. Swepton, Mrs. L. M. Honea, Mrs. J. S. Hale;

Entertainment Committee: Tom W. Deen, Chairman, A. T. Swepton, Glad Snodgrass, Homer Steen, Mrs. Ham Smith, Mrs. J. M. Gambin.

Special Committee to look after old timers: Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. A. T. Swepton, Mrs. Bob Smith, Mrs. Jack Henry, Mrs. Homer Steen, Buck Sams, Mrs. T. J. Campbell, T. J. Campbell.

Committee on Loud Speaker, John Fawver and Ben Gully.

G. L. Snodgrass, president of the association, presided at the meeting held in the county court room. In spite of shortage of tires and tubes members of the committee anticipate an attendance that will be an average of previous years.

Market Today table with columns for various livestock and commodity prices.

Rally Monday Morning To Mark Appreciation Of Floyd County For Men In Nation's Army

A tremendous parade and rally Monday morning, in which all local patriotic and civic organizations are expected to take part, will mark Floyd county's appreciation of its men in arms on Army Day, April 6.

Calling for the ceremonies yesterday, Mayor W. U. White's proclamation calls on all business establishments to be closed in the period from 10:30 o'clock to 12 o'clock and for all the people to join in the parade and the mass meeting.

Proclaimed by the President of the United States and by the Governor of Texas, the day takes on deep significance for Floyd county people as well as for people of all other sections of the country, who have seen their sons pour into the camps and cantonments to take up arms against aggression of tyrants from every quarter of the globe.

Company B, Texas Defense Guard, McDermott Post, American Legion, the Chamber of Commerce, the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department, the City of Floydada, the Floydada High School band and other civic and business associations are called upon and are joining heartily in the plans for the parade and rally.

Captain T. P. Collins of the Texas Defense guard unit, who is asked to serve as marshal of the parade, said the parade would form on South Main street adjacent to the First Baptist church and that all organizations should have their members there promptly. Stores will close at 10:30 and within a short time the parade should form. After it has been routed through the downtown business section it will halt at the Palace theatre where ceremonies will continue after the parade disbands.

McDermott Post, American Legion, organization of ex-service men of the World War I, expect to be present in practically 10 per cent numbers, said Walter G. Collins, commander of the post, who asks all members to be present early and with their Legion caps.

Although the public schools will be out on Easter vacation, children of this and other communities are invited to take part in the parade and the high school band will be in the parade in their uniforms.

"People of this territory appreciate their boys in the army. We must make them realize that far from being forgotten, they are on our hearts and our minds at all times. And the news of a gigantic parade and ceremonies that will follow this Army day event in Floydada will be most heartening for them," said Mayor White in proclaiming the hour for the parade and ceremonies.

McDONALDS HAVE SON BORN SUNDAY MORNING

Mr. and Mrs. Clement B. McDonald are the proud parent of a son born Sunday morning in the West Texas hospital at Lubbock. The baby weighed seven pounds and thirteen ounces. Mother and son are reported to be doing nicely.

The new arrival is the grandson and only one of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McDonald. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tatum of Lubbock.

Jr. Live Stock Show Stage 'All Set'

Plans are completed for the Junior Live Stock show that will be staged here Wednesday, April 15. The show will be held at Western Field at the High School grounds. Pens that were used for the rodeo last summer will afford excellent facilities for the show, the committee says.

Rules and regulations governing the entries were announced by the committee last week with the report of 146 entries from the 4-H clubs and Vocational Agriculture students of the county.

The show is an annual affair sponsored by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce to encourage the young men of the county in their live stock production efforts and to give them an opportunity to judge their efforts by other entries.

Entries that are classed as winners will be eligible to show at the District Show that opens at Plainview the following day. Swine, fat calves, dairy animals and lambs will be entered in the show.



Spring Bonnet - American soldiers this year have brand new headgear to match their sisters' latest spring finery. The new helmet, just now being issued, gives greater protection than the old style flat "tin hats" of 1918.

Army Day Finds Many Floyd Co. Men In Arms

Observance of Army day in the United States on Monday, to be marked with elaborate ceremonies in thousands of cantonments, camps, stations, cities and communities wherever the flag flies, will find Floyd county homes represented on at least five continents of the earth now involved in World War II.

In arms at this time are known to be 235 men from the county, said O. P. Rutledge, secretary of the Local board. They are on land and sea, in the air, on the far islands of the Pacific, in Australia, Europe, North and South America, and in Asia as well.

And while there goes on the formality of the observance of Army day in Floyd county, the hearts of the people go out to these far stretches where their boys are gallantly upholding American traditions of courage, fortitude and aggressive warfare.

Volunteer Figures High So high are figures on volunteers from this county that Floyd has not been called upon for any men in the last three calls made by Selective service.

The actual figures show that 149 registrants are in service and that 89 non-registrants are in service, the two classes totaling 238 men, with every community in the county represented by one to several young men each. "Non-registrants" are underage men who have volunteered for service or reserve officers who have been called to the colors.

Begin Plans For Clean-Up Week April 29-May 5

Plans are being formulated for an "all out" clean-up week April 29 to May 5 in Floydada. By that time the weather conditions will be favorable for a city-wide cleaning, Mayor W. U. White opines.

When the time comes, we want to do the job right, Mayor White says, so it's up to the individual at home and in his place of business to what extent the work will be done in our little city.

Clean-up week has been the custom of Floydada several years following the proclamation of the mayor.

EDITORIALS

A story last week from the county clerk's office told of something most everybody that kept up with the legislature probably already knew but just had forgotten. All candidates for office, the story goes, must take an oath before their names can go on the ballot, saying in effect that they believe in and, if elected, will in all respects help maintain the present form of government of the nation and that they will in no way attempt to revise or change it. The law goes further and specifically says that no person may have his name on the ballot who is a communist, a nazi or a fascist. No candidate will object to taking the oath, but of course no candidate would have a ghost of a chance of being elected whose ideas were tainted, especially right at this time. The circumstances that brought up the question and caused the law to be passed we do not recall. Probably unnecessary but the law just the same. The requirement is that the oath or affidavit be filed with the secretary of state. However, since in practice it covers county and precinct candidates as well as state candidates, local officials are to be permitted to file their oaths with the county clerk, who presumably will forward them to the secretary of state.

E. H. Knapp, of the American Crystal Sugar mills at Rocky Ford, Colorado, told the Lockney farmers in their sugar meeting a week ago that the reason for sugar rationing was the December 7 debacle at Pearl Harbor principally. The United States Department of agriculture was keeping the sugar production down in continental United States for, among other things, to make use of the huge supplies of sugar in the Hawaiian and the Philippines. The attack in the Pacific cut us off from a million sacks of sugar in the Philippines and a half-million sacks in Hawaii. The U-boat campaign in Caribbean waters finished making our supply a perilously low one. Meanwhile we had committed to furnish Russia with a huge amount of sugar, we forget the amount he said. Result: Rationing for us. If Mr. Knapp knows, and we have every reason to assume he does know, you have the answer to the rationing of sugar. Perhaps we have been too dumb to read it or hear it, but we have never heard that or any other explanation of the situation from the Department of agriculture.

It's an ill wind that blows nobody good, and it begins to appear the worst blow of all—cutting the rubber out from under us—may be the ill wind that blows in favor of the small town merchant. The nearest town has been watching your cloud of dust for a good many years as you drove on by to the bigger town and the brighter lights and the taller buildings. Whether or not you enjoyed better trading conditions, lower prices for the merchandise you bought and higher prices for what you had to sell is for you to say. Now, that you can't go as far as you like you'll go the very least possible distance. Nobody can be proud and happy over the situation. But if it turns out to be the salvation, even temporarily, of the small city, it will be a breather for them in the fight against extermination.

If the war lasts long enough it seems inevitable that America is to be bombed. Not token bombing but the total kind of bombing which is calculated to paralyze and numb the industrial centers and make the country vulnerable because of inability to produce. The only thing lacking now, and that indeed may not be lacking if we knew the inside of what is happening in Germany, is a flying boat with a cruising radius of 14,000 miles instead of one with 7,000 miles. Only to find a fuel that will be twice as effective or an engine that consumes only half the gasoline or a metal from which planes can be built that is half as heavy as the metals now used. A brief two or three years ago it was learned how to get twice the distance with the same amount of gasoline. There is no reason to suppose that the research men and the tinkerers are through. There is every reason, in fact, to assume they are not through. We can hope it will be the American experimenter who will find the metal or fuel or whatever it may prove to be, that will break through and the consequences suffered in Germany. We cannot know, however, that it will not be the other way round. So when you hear somebody say that America cannot or will not be bombed, just assume they can be—almost surely are—wrong, and don't take it for granted that there will be no bombings in America.

What we may be sure of is that Hitler's hierarchy is not overlooking any bets. They knew the long chance they were taking when war was declared on the United States. Their successful U-boat campaign on coastwise shipping of this country is the result of studied preparation, not just incidental to the war. The claim is that this campaign is part of the reason for the sugar rationing program in our country. And, if their catapult-launched planes turn out to be the answer to the long range cruising problem, their attack from beneath the waters can be supplemented with attack from the air.

How much damage can be done by the greenbugs before the rains and the warm weather gets here? It appears they are in everybody's wheat to a more or less degree. Some fields that were getting to be pretty fair grazing a week ago do not look so good now. The bugs, it appears, are going to beat the cattle to it and after the cattle the man who hoped to do some harvesting. J. L. King says it used to be the experience that a three-hour hard rain would wash the greenbugs off of wheat and other small grain and drown them. At least they would disappear after a hard rain. Now, somebody order the hard rain.

Reports indicate that a limited crop of peaches is all that remains on the trees of this section at this time. The late February and early March freezes caught the buds just at the tenderest age and put them out of business, they say. Possibly a fourth of the crop remains with Easter and the "promised" April freeze yet to take their toll.

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As A Farm Woman Thinks

By Nellie Witt Spikes

Easter, The Resurrection. What a blessed time of year to renew our faith. The dark gray of trees putting out tiny leaves and pink and white blossoms on limbs that look dead to the eye. Small black dots of seed, dried atoms, going to their death in the dark ground, to spring through the soil bursting with life and a desire to grow. The beautiful story of the resurrection morn, after the crucified body of Christ was put in the cold dark tomb—patient, loving women; flowers of the spring; the faith of the followers; the shining face of Jesus. What a picture to hang on the walls of time for the coming generations to see and believe.

EASTER
Flora Smith Dean
Easter is more than a season
More than an hour or a day,
Easter is more than a reason,
That men should sing and pray
Easter is hope and gladness,
A stone rolled away from the tomb,
Banishing death and sadness
An angelic voice in the gloom.

There are not many blossoms on our trees here this year. One pear tree has a few scattered bouquets of fragrant white blossoms, peach trees a few petaled blooms of pink silk. Happy, indeed are we that we pruned the juicy peaches and the creamy pears in glass last year.

I have been trying to clear the west side of the yard for grass. Where to put the flowers and shrubs is a problem. I dig some up, carry them from one place to another finding no suitable place. Two vite shrubs are parked in an irrigation ditch, waiting for a place to go. Still the catalogs of shrubs entice. But, where, oh where could any more be set?

"Every day I see new evidences of spring in the air," the young lady trilled over the radio. A sandstorm was on. I looked outside. I, too, saw evidences of spring in the air. The tender willow leaves, whipped from the tree, bits of crushed pink silk of peach blossoms flying like wounded butterflies from the tree, tiny rosettes whirled from the spirea sand-covered lilac leaves fluttered and sailed away. Yes, spring was in the air and moving swiftly past the house.

The other day I was listening and, yes, criticizing the swing music over the radio, when this thought came to me. Now I know why mother did not like to hear me sing, "Goo-Goo Eyes" and "Old Bill Bally won't you please come home." Songs both new and very popular with the young folk of that day.

Well, I wonder if Grandmother Jones did not dislike the Old Dan Tucker and Round and Round the little Red Wagon her boys and girls sang?

I had only been married a few months and was coming back on the

train from a visit to my parents at Hereford. I heard two men talking who were sitting in the seat just ahead of mine. One pointed to a new home on the unsettled prairie and said, "I wonder how any one could live away out on this lonely prairie like that. Nothing but a tiny house and a barbed wire lot?" I smiled to myself for every creak of the spinning train wheels was taking me nearer to a home like that. I could have told these city men why folks could live like that and be happy. There was only two unpapered bands in my new home that my husband built from plans when we married for the "duration," but there was a lovely picture hanging on the splintery walls and some books in a paper-covered box. The plain table was covered with a linen cloth hemstitched and embroidered with my own hands. The second hand chairs rested us when we were tired and the cookstove baked good biscuits and fried and boiled good food. When I got home there would be a welcome from husband and he would take me to the garden just a few weeks from sod, where clear, life-giving water would be running down the side of pale green lettuce and the pink of forming radishes. We would look at the new baby white faced calves whose hair was being curled by their mother's rough tongue, there were newly hatched chickens to feed the cold corn bread to. Fidy and Callie, the mules, in the barbed wire lot, were to be seen. Baby killdees would jerk their fuzzy heads and che-che, while fluttering mothers played a broken wing. Brown birds were in straight rows, a young orchard in the making, the field was plowed ready for the planting. Lonely? No. God was in the new home on the prairie, there were things to be fed and work to do. Mail would come to the little postoffice near, letters from loved ones, magazines and papers. Little children would some day laugh and cry and play around home that no longer looked so new. Paper would be hung on the splintery walls and many friends would come and go. Lonely? No. dreams were being realized.

Are you a good receiver? Can you accept a favor as well as you can give one? When offered an opportunity to go some place with a friend do you remark that you hate to sponge or do you graciously accept? Learn to accept in as pleasant way as you offer and see if you do not get more from living.

Poet's Corner

(Edited by Mary D. Waters, Lorenzo, Texas)

Easter 1942 and a war-torn earth Men and women of America, look ever to the One who died on Calvary for strength and guidance in these dark and tumultuous days and be assured that someday easter lilies will bloom again where now there is only bomb craters and bullet torn earth, that each grave someday shall be—
AN EMPTY TOMB
Long ago, a mother knew
The utmost depth of agony;
As there, before the cruel mob,
Her Son hung on the tree.
She saw His dear form taken down
And wrapped in linen white;
Laid within the gloomy tomb
And hidden out of sight.

I know her heart was heavy
As she went her homeward way;
To prepare the spice and ointment
And await the Sabbath day.
When the Sabbath day was ended,
She, and others, who were dear,
Came unto the sepulchre;
Where they stood in silent fear
For the stone that once had closed
It.
They found it rolled away,
And the chilly tomb was empty
In the morning of that day
As they stood in silent wonder
By that lonely empty tomb
There came to them two shining strangers
And they said, "Why seek ye One
Among the dead, who now is living
Know ye not He once did say,
If I go away and leave you
I will come again someday?
Know ye not how once He told you
Thru dark days shall He have lain
In the narrow silent tomb,
Then He will return again?
Know ye not that He is risen?
That He lives forevermore?"
And they turned away in gladness
And they told it o'er and o'er
He is risen, Death is conquered
As He awakened, so shall we
Praise the Lord for He is risen,
O Holy one of Galilee!

—Flora Smith Dean.

THE SONG OF THE MOCKING-BIRD

How often in the darkness,
With the outside world all still,
We lay awake and listen
To the mockingbird's gay thrill.
With a joy no day can measure,
He sings in the summer night,
Of life and health, of light and love
Of God, in all his might.
Why can't we need the lesson,
That's born in tiny hearts,
That God is ever near us,
From birth till life departs.
—Fay Stapleton.

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will pay you bigger profits! The future looks bright for those who produce Eggs for Food. Secretary Wickard wants 80 millions more Chickens grown in 1942 over those grown in 1941.

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Franklin's Hemorrhagic Septicemia for HOGS 5c Per Dose	Franklin's Hemorrhagic Septicemia for SHEEP 5c Per Dose	We also have the following vaccines and remedies: Globe Blackleg and Hemorrhagic, Per Dose, 7 1/2 c Cutter's Blackleg and Hemorrhagic, Per Dose, 7 1/2 c Parke Davis Blackleg and Hemorrhagic, Per Dose, 7 1/2 c	
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6-Dose Syringe, \$1.50 10-Dose Syringe, \$1.65
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We take Pleasure in the Fact that our Store is Headquarters for Stockmen's Supplies.

WHITE DRUG COMPANY

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

News Items from the Files of The Hesperian (Issue of March 29, 1928)

Dr. H. Z. Pennington, who has been doing surgical work in Swisher county hospital, is moving back to Floydada today to again resume his practice in this city. His office will be in the same location as before, in the rear of the Arwine Drug.

L. B. Turner opened a battery and electrical shop, this week, in the rear of the McCleskey Top and Paint shop on North Main street. According to the interest being manifested by the Class A, Class B and Rural schools of Floyd county in the annual Floyd County Interscholastic league meet which will be held in Lockney tomorrow and Saturday March 30 and 31, the exhibit and contests will be a decided success. All plans have been worked out and W. D. Biggers, of Lockney, Director General of the meet, is of the opinion that the annual school event will be widely attended. Strong rivalry and keen competition is expected in every contest.

Hopkins and Fry, long established tailors in this city, last week completed the installation of more than \$500 worth of new dry cleaning and pressing equipment. Included in the equipment installed is the latest model and design of Hoffman steam press, completely different in many respects from the old machine.

A combination of ironclad construction and two streams of water from the hose of the fire department Tuesday morning saved a ticklish situation when the warehouse in the rear of the F. C. Harmon Furniture store caught fire and for a time appeared to threaten a large portion of the business district.

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to us for a complete overhaul? Our equipment is the best and our men are experienced. Our men will be able to give you good service today, but we cannot promise anything later.

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DYER AUTO PARTS

Bill Dyer Earle Pierce Bill Penner

Lockney Fighters Defeat Amarillo Friday Night

The Lockney High school boxing team will go to Amarillo tonight to return the bouts that were held at Lockney Friday night. Wilson Head is the Lockney ring coach, as well as football mentor.

Lockney pugilists won seven out of twelve matches at Lockney Friday night. Approximately 500 fans witnessed the rounds.

It was the sixth win in as many starts for the Lockney fighters teaming in meets this year and extended their two-year undefeated streak over one of the toughest hurdles in the Panhandle, the Amarillo team carrying on its roster some of the best material in this end of the state.

Friday night's feature bout was between two state semi-finalists, Dean Webb, Amarillo, and Leverage

Roach, Plainview, both at 125. Roach won the decision.

The heavyweight scrap between Dwayne Byers of Lockney and Bill Devers of Amarillo was a thriller with Byers knocking Devers to the mat repeatedly but the Amarilloan always came back for more.

Others, with winners listed first, engaging in matches were: Kenny Tremble, Amarillo vs. Harold Hall, Lockney, flyweight; Junior Mc Dowell, Amarillo, Robert Richards, Lockney, 75 pounds; Pat Langford, Amarillo, vs. Robert Quisenberry, Lockney, 85; Dan Teuton, Lockney, Buford Jones, Amarillo, 85; Stanton Webb, Amarillo, Lloyd Reece, Lockney, 98;

Norman Quisenberry, Lockney, P. Alford, Amarillo, 118; R. V. Webster, Lockney, Fred Jones, Amarillo, 123; Delbert Dagley, Lockney district Golden Gloves champ, Russell Tate, Amarillo, 128; Willis Hamilton, Amarillo, Jackie Myers, Lockney, 135; Boyce Childers, Lockney, J. P. Smith, Amarillo, 150.

Monk A Candidate For Commissioner Precinct Three

A. D. Monk, of Edgin, (Goodnight voting box) is a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, he announced this week.

His candidacy is subject to the Democratic primary in July.

A resident of Floyd county since 1917, he has been engaged in stock-farming, and his interests are thoroughly identified with those of the county.

Should the people of Precinct No. 3 elect him Mr. Monk feels he is qualified to give the people a good business-like administration of their affairs. He plans to see as many of the voters as possible and asks your earnest consideration of his candidacy.

(Political Advertisement)

Political Announcements

Following are candidates for office in Floyd county, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1942:

For Representative 120th District of Texas:
TOM W. DEEN

For District Attorney 110th Judicial District:
L. D. RATLIFF
of Dickens County

For County Judge:
G. C. TUBBS
B. E. (Bass) CYPERT
MORGAN WRIGHT

For Assessor and Collector of Taxes:
GEO. B. MARSHALL

For District Clerk:
MRS. P. G. STEGALL

For County Clerk:
DOUGLAS HOLLUMS
ROY L. SNODGRASS
H. F. (Blondie) FINLEY

For County Attorney:
JOHN STAPLETON

For County Treasurer:
MRS. O. M. CONWAY

For Sheriff:
H. L. (Lee) HOWARD
FRED N. CLARK
J. N. REDD

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
W. H. (Bill) BROCK
A. S. CUMMINGS

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 2:
HENRY ROBERSON
E. R. HARRIS

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
W. C. PLUMLEE
J. B. WIGINGTON
A. D. MONK

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 4:
C. M. LYLES
H. J. (Hugh) NELSON
GROVER SMITH
R. B. CALHOUN

For Public Weigher Precincts 1 & 4:
W. L. (Bill) FINLEY

Baker News

BAKER, March 31—Misses Lou Nelson and Bernice Colston of Wichita Falls, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Colston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones spent Sunday in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ellison and daughter, of Crosbyton spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith returned Wednesday from a visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murry, at Long Beach, California.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. West, who have spent the past two months in Arizona returned last week to make their home in the Baker community.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall visited in the R. T. Hall home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hart and children visited in the Fred Whatley home Sunday.

Superintendent Hershel Green of the Baker Sunday school announces that Sunday school begins promptly at 10 a. m. each Sunday, and everyone is invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fawver and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney West visited Mrs. D. M. West Sunday night. Mrs. West is ill, and left Monday for Temple where she plans to enter a hospital for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Fawver left Wednesday for a visit at their old home in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cardinal and Geo. Reid May were visitors in the Cardinal home Sunday night.

Visitors in the T. J. Ardry home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Davis of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pryor of Crosbyton and Beatrice Davis of Floydada.

Mrs. Sam Thurmon returned home Friday after spending a month at Harlingen with her daughter Mrs. R. J. Rogers, who is recuperating from a major operation.

Floydada Insurance Agency

"The Agency of Service"
All kinds of Insurance
Room 216 Readhimer Bldg.
W. H. Henderson
Phone 273

DEATH OF JOHN HOFFMAN INJURED IN CAR ACCIDENT

Mrs. Truett Poole of Hale Center, an aunt of John Hoffman of Floydada, is reported to be critically ill in a hospital at Lubbock. She was injured in a car accident Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman spent the week-end at Lubbock with Mrs. Poole.

Russell Patterson son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Patterson left Tuesday for Fort Worth, where he will be employed in Consolidated Aircraft factory. He recently completed a special course in an aviation school at Wichita Falls.

FORT WORTH COUPLE ARE MAKING FLOYDADA HOME

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cooksey moved to Floydada last week from Fort Worth and are making their home at 521 West Mississippi street. They recently purchased the home from Mrs. Jennie Conner. Mr. and Mrs. Cooksey have been landholders of Floyd county for a number of years.

Sidney Harper reported for service in the Aviation Air corps at Dallas this week.

Rebecca Ann and Ruth Cox, small daughter of Mrs. Lucile Cox are ill with throat infections this week.

Your TRACTOR
May be as Important as a tank

Keep it in good repair... check it periodically... put it in condition for Spring!

If America were denied the use of all farm tractors, the effect would be almost as bad as if she had been denied the use of tanks. Yet your negligence can bring about this catastrophe. Time is precious; while we still have the facilities for overhauling your tractor and farm machinery bring them in and let us fix them so they will give you the maximum of efficiency economical, trouble-free service.

April 6 MARTIN & COMPANY Army Day

About "once in a blue moon" you add a quart

Authorities insist: CHANGE OIL FOR SPRING. And you can insist on this oil that outlasted five other big quality brands by far. Not one came nearer than 58% of its mileage!

DOWN where the desert slew gold-hunters—down where 100° heat is "cool"—down in Death Valley six cars streaked. All were alike... all ran till wrecked. All started with 5-quart fills of oil—locked in. All conditions were alike—certified. Five cars—five boasted brands of oil—went as dead as the cattle skulls in the sands, while the other oil still had quarts to go!

That was Conoco Nth motor oil, which can refill your crankcase today with the Nth degree of mileage and engine endurance. Changing from weakened Winter leftovers to Conoco Nth gives your engine OIL-PLATING for Spring. And OIL-PLATING is closely fastened all over inner engine parts as if "magnetized" against all draining back down to the crankcase. Bonded in place—even on straight-up surfaces—even overnight—OIL-PLATING can cut down the raw rubbing of precious parts during starting and running.

That's all against hollowing out your engine till it eats too much oil, and may demand replacements that are getting scarcer. But another big thing is to keep the oil itself in shape. And Conoco Nth oil—at a popular price—comes to you with Thialkene inhibitor... the modern synthetic developed to check or inhibit effects that would otherwise degenerate your oil.

The science of it is a long story, but the mileage is a thousand times longer, and Death Valley proved it. So can you by changing today for Spring, at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station. Continental Oil Company

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MEMBERS OF HARMONY HOME DEM. CLUB EXCHANGE SEED AND CUTTINGS AT MEETING

The Harmony Home Demonstration club met at the club room March 26 at 3 o'clock central war time. Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass was leader for the meeting and roll call was answered by a flower legend. Recreation was led by Lucille Miller with a game using flowers and shrubs as the theme.

The club discussed ways to make the membership 100% in the community. Mrs. Zant Scott gave the council report.

Food for victory was stressed. To save tubes, rubber, paper, and razor blades for defense work was emphasized.

The district meeting will be in Lubbock April 11 with an all day meeting. The Floyd county chorus is scheduled to present a number on this program.

In the Red Cross report the club has made 114 garments, and spent 110 hours cutting out garments. This is the total since November.

Screening unsightly views was discussed by Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass shrubs adapted for screening by Mrs. Everett Miller, best way of starting cuttings by Mrs. Chas. Watson, and shrubs suitable for this country was a generally discussed topic. The club members exchanged cuttings and seeds.

Members present were Mesdames Chas. B. Smith, Mather Carr, Lucille Miller, Perry Tipton, C. W. Brockett, C. O. Spence, E. W. Turner, F. B. Trowbridge, Carrick Snodgrass, Adam Donaghe, Erx Williams, Walter Hanna, M. D. Ramsey, G. L. Snodgrass, Zant Scott, Chas. Watson, I. C. Kirk, L. A. Williams, Aaron Williams and one visitor, Mrs. R. L. Kirk of Austin.

TWO DEMONSTRATIONS TO BE GIVEN APRIL 8 AT MEETING OF SAND HILL H. D. CLUB

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration club met at the club room March 23. The club voted to meet once a month, and this will be on the second Wednesday each month. This will make the meeting be April 8 this month at the home of Mrs. W. M. Knight at 1:30. Miss Wilson will give two demonstrations with one to make up for a demonstration the club missed.

Members present at the meeting were Mesdames Carl Smith, Truitt McClung, H. J. Jackson, W. M. Knight, Louise Shurbet, T. J. Thomas, A. S. Cummings, Leona Mayo, D. W. Burke, T. J. Michal, Johnnie Cates, Emit Dutton, W. M. Jeter, Albert Pricer, J. C. Cates, Jim Holmes and J. V. Greer.

Visitors were Mrs. F. M. Curtis, Mrs. A. F. Johnson and Mrs. Clark Cates.

SUNNYSIDE HOME DEM. CLUB TO MEET ONCE EACH MONTH

The Sunnyside Home Demonstration club met Friday, March 19 at the home of Mrs. Roy Curry with Mrs. J. B. Tinnin as hostess.

A program on plants and shrub suitable for Floyd county was given. Roll call was answered by favorite flower legends by Mesdames G. N. Shirey, J. B. Bishop, Gip Hudson, R. B. Calhoun, Tip Kendrick, S. J. Latta, Herbert Sims, C. B. Sims, H. L. Wilkinson and the hostess, Mrs. Tinnin.

Visitors were Mrs. Duncan Hollums, Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Roy Curry.

The club decided to meet once a month combining the two monthly meetings. The next meeting will be April 3 at the home of Mrs. W. C. Sims at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

LEAVES FOR THE NAVY

J. W. Grigsby, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Grigsby, left last week for Dallas, where he expected to volunteer in the navy for the duration.

Easter
CAKES 60c
WESTER'S QUALITY BAKERY

MR. ROBERT J. RICH
chronic sufferer of nervous indigestion, sourness, gas bloating and constipation. I had severe pains in my stomach and back. Kidney misery interrupted my sleep.

"From the first dose of Hoyt's Compound, I began to see a change. Now I can eat anything. I have no gas, bloating, or sourness. Fainting spells due to shortness of breath are becoming a thing of the past. My nerves are quiet, and my kidneys are much better. I sleep well, and my aches and pains are gone. At last I have found the medicine that it made for me!"

Hoyt's Compound is recommended and sold by the Bishop's Drug store, and by all other druggists in this area.

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In OBSERVANCE of ARMY DAY

This is a great land, this America of ours. It's broad and wide and it stretches for thousands of miles between two great oceans. Many of its states are larger in area than whole countries in Europe. But its people are united, they speak the same language, wear the same clothes, eat the same foods.

Much of the credit for this unit must go to the transport companies of our nation, big and small. It's an inspiring sight, that of a freight train of a hundred or more cars rushing through the night so that people in Chicago and in Chillicothe and in Oneida and in Wilmington may eat lettuce and carrots that were picked in El Centro the day before.

Dalby Motor Freight is proud to be a fellow to the Transportation industry of America. To the men who make it great, we say, "Hats Off, Fellow Americans."

Classified Ads

For Sale

VIGERO FOR LAWNs, Garden Flowers, Trees. H. M. McDonald, Hardware. 23tc

MADE TO MEASURE Cowboy boots. We guarantee quality and fit. Quality Boot Shop, A. W. Key, owner, 608 Broadway, Plainview. 52tc

FOR SALE—1941 Ford tudor, spare tire. Excellent condition. See Blundy Finley. 83tc

SEE PARKER Furniture for your Wall Paper, Paints, Floor Covering and Furniture Needs. 61tc

FOR SALE fryers. See Mrs. Lon Blasingame or Phone 925F21. 82tp

FOR SALE good 41 Plymouth pickup. Good tires. Rhenard McCarty, Box 216, Matador, Texas. 73tp

FOR SALE or trade Farmall tractor. 9 1/2 miles southwest of Floydada. Bob Ratjen. 82tp

TWO-WHEEL trailer and one tire for sale. 429 W. Va. Street. 72tp

LACES, Polishes, Belts, dye, insoles, arch supports, dance taps, etc. at Fogerson's Shoe Shop. 71tc

FOR SALE Allis Chalmers two row tractor with lister \$600 cash. J. V. Green. 81tp

FOR SALE—1937 Ford coupe, 5 good tires. Apply at 324 West Missouri Street. 61th

COTTONSEED for sale, 92 per cent germination test. J. S. Hale. 51tc

FOR SALE—Farm wagon, cream separator. Bargain. See R. E. Fry. 72tp

For Sale Or Trade

FOR SALE or trade—Registered White-faced Bull, 2 years old. W. B. Eakin. 71tc

Land For Sale

FOR SALE—J. C. Bolding, Lakeview home place, 480 acres. D. I. Bolding. 35tc

FOR SALE 80 acres on pavement, near Silverton. Can use some feeder calves. Phone 178J or Box 185. W. A. Kirk, Floydada. 63tp

Board and Rooms

GENTLEMAN wanted to share nicely furnished room with highway foreman. Will also board. Phone 134R. 81tc

Miscellaneous

PIANO TUNING and repair work. Travis Burgett, 429 West Jackson Street. 73tp

Ledgers, deeds, notes at The Hesperian office.

MONEY to loan on farms and ranches. Low rate interest. Attractive prepayment options. R. E. Fry, Floydada. 36tp

USE Cosden products and be satisfied. Home Oil Co. 24tc

FOR PAINTING, paper hanging see L. E. Harper, 329 W. Tenn. 54tp

FOR AVON cosmetics and products see Mrs. Bob Smith, 420 South Main. 31tc

Want ads save money.

Arthur B. Duncan Abstract Company

Oldest and most complete Abstract plant in Floyd County. Prepared to render prompt, efficient service on everything in the line of land titles. S. E. Corner Public Square. Mrs. Maud E. Hollums, Manager.

CALL 165, DALBY Motor Freight will be your service. 25tc

Farms For Rent

WILL RENT for cash improved 160-acre farm with some wheat and barley to party who will buy or trade for Farmall and some equipment. Can use horses, cows or hogs. E. R. Harris, Box 4, Lockney. 72tp

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished duplex apartment Call Dick Penner at 287 81tc

APARTMENT for rent. See Mrs. I. R. Grundy 428 South White St. or Phone 108. 81tc

2-ROOM unfurnished apartment for rent. 325 W. Miss. St. Rent very reasonable. 81tp

Houses For Sale

HOUSES for sale and rent. W. Edg. Brown, owner. 291tc

Live Stock

FOR SALE—Young Hereford Bulls. Cannaday Bros. 31tc

FOR SALE several good white piggy gifts. Also one pure bred boar. One mile west one mile north Blanco school. 72tp

FOR SALE—Milk cows. See Homer Kennamer. 41tc

Wanted

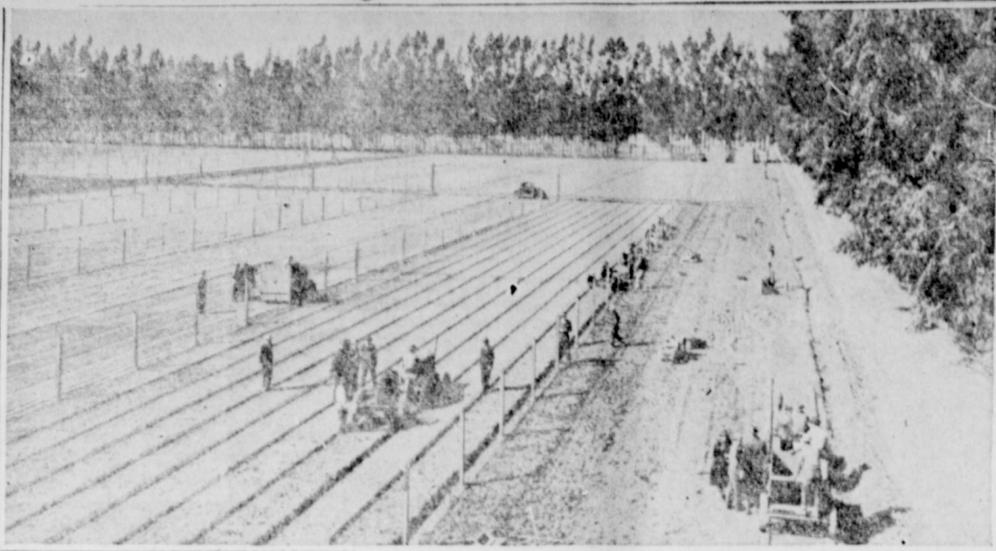
WANTED gentle pony for children. R. F. Stovall, Phone 180J. 81tp

WANTED—Plain sewing. Reasonable prices. 109 E. Houston St. 54tp

For Trade

5-ROOM House for trade. Will take in good, second-hand car. See J. E. Eubank. 83tc

Here Is America Planting Its First Tire Crop



In this nursery in Salinas, California, lies the hope of the United States to produce real rubber in this country.

From the sixteen million guayule seedlings and the 24,000 duce huge quantities of guayule rubber in 1944, although pounds of guayule seed, the U. S. Forest Service hopes to produce experts believe it will be 1945 before large scale production can begin.

In order that no time be lost work was begun on the Guayule Emergency Rubber Project within an hour after the president signed the bill establishing the project.

The various nursery processes in the growth of guayule are illustrated above. At the left is a specially designed topping machine, which cuts the seedlings back in preparation of transplanting. In the center is a machine which loosens the soil around the roots of the small plants in order that the workmen in the background can remove them from the ground easily and store them in boxes from which they are taken for transplanting. At the extreme right is shown the first bed to be planted after President Roosevelt signed the guayule bill. The planting machine spreads seed and then covers it with sand.

Club Presents Helpful Thoughts For Gardens

The Homebuilders club met at 2 p. m. Friday at the home of Mrs. Roy Curry. Roll call was answered by telling interesting flower legends. The Dogwood, Bluebonnets, Iris, Rose, Chrysanthemums, Poinsettias, Giant lilies of the desert and a poem entitled, "The Red Bud's plea" were given. Mrs. Mable Sims was leader of the program.

Mrs. C. B. Smart told how to screen unsightly views in order to make the home more attractive. Mrs. C. W. Denison suggested salt cedar wites, river privet, honeysuckle, crepe myrtle, blooming williams, lilac, castor beans, sunflowers, broom corn, Indian corn, and cosmos as desirable to use for this.

Mrs. T. J. Heard discussed shrubs that may be started from cuttings. Of these she named the butterfly bush, flowering quince, forsythia, honeysuckle, roses and spirea. The form of hard-wood cuttings usually employed consists of a straight portion of two or more leaf buds. The lower end is usually cut straight through the twig and just below the leaf bud. This should also be taken to include a portion of the older wood at the base of the twig called the "heel cutting".

Cuttings may be made at anytime during the winter months but the best results are obtained when they are made during January or February or at the time they may be kept inactive several weeks before they start growth. When planting the cuttings in the open ground, place the top of the plant near the level of the ground, taking care to firm the soil around the plant. A ridge of soil 2 or 3 inches high is then drawn around the row to maintain moisture around the top of the ground. The ridge is removed when shoots have grown about 1 inch.

Shrubs suitable for Floyd county as given by Mrs. Dan Shipley, are nandinas, Norway spruce, pine, cypripedium, japonica, spirea, pitzer juniper, wax-leaf lagustrum, butterfly bush, silver bell, privet red bud, forsythia, honeysuckle, yellow jasmnine and blooming william.

Seeds and stubs were exchanged at the meeting. Refreshments were served to sixteen members and Mrs. Ernest Kendrick and baby daughter of Rails who were guests.

Mrs. Dickie Atterberry will entertain the club at her home at 2 p. m. April 10.

Cedar Hill News

CEDAR HILL, March 31—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Billingsley and family spent Sunday with the Hartley family of Lockney.

Patsey Fortenberry, Gynolden Beauchamp and Sherine Strickland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Love.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wiginton and family spent the week-end in Amarillo with their daughter, Virginia Lee.

Mrs. Joe Fortenberry spent the week-end in Amarillo with her daughter, Eula Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hammit visited in the home of J. V. Gilly Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lackey and family spent the day with J. C. Lackey Sunday.

Doris and Margie Whitehead and Bette Durham spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lemons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor spent the week-end visiting friends and relatives at Cedar Hill.

Mrs. Sarah Beard, who has been visiting her daughter in California returned to her home Sunday night. Bobbie Smith, who recently underwent a tonsilectomy, is able to be back in school this week.

Bruce Blackford and Mrs. Blackford, his mother, visited the Robert Fisher's in the Lakeview community Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Hoots who has been quite ill during the past ten days with strep throat, is much improved this mid-week.

Center News

CENTER, March 31—Since we have had so much cool weather, we are hoping that it will hold the fruit trees back until they will not be frozen.

Our revival began Sunday with a good crowd present. The Monday morning crowd was not so large; but we hope it will increase as the days go by. A large number of our members were absent but we are hoping that all members will take an interest in the work soon.

Lee Goughly and family of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Goughly, Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Crabtree fell Wednesday morning and broke her arm near the shoulder. It is reported that the bones were broken up and down, and she will probably be in a Plainview hospital for quite a period of time.

Nita Anderson, James, and Melvin visited Sunday with the Peterson children.

Jimmy Green spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Green. The family carried him back to Plainview Sunday afternoon and visited with their other son, Victor. While in Plainview, they visited Mrs. Crabtree in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mayfield and Eugene spent Sunday at Crosbyton visiting his brother and family, and with his mother, who has recently returned from a visit with other children in San Antonio.

A letter received today from Roy O'Brien says that for the present he will be stationed in San Antonio.

Floyd Montgomery visited at home this week-end and his sister, Mrs. Frank Dunn and children accompanied him as far as Amarillo when he started home Sunday.

Mrs. Mitchell and Frances spent Sunday afternoon visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carpenter spent Sunday afternoon with their son, Marion, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ragsdale of Baileyboro spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross. Mrs. Ragsdale is finishing the remodelling of this school year at Baileyboro since the principal resigned.

S. A. Guffee and son, Homer, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross. Mr. Guffee is Mrs. Ross' father. C. M. Meredith spent Sunday visiting relatives.

Mrs. T. R. Noland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spence Monday afternoon.

The Center church took religious census Sunday afternoon. So many people were absent from their homes that it was impossible to make a complete census.

Mrs. D. E. Welborn is ill with the flu.

Nita Anderson is suffering from strep throat.

Center Home Demonstration Club

The Center Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Tom Jernigan Monday, March 23. Mrs. Allen opened the meeting and conducted the business then Mrs. Montgomery led in the program. Roll call was answered by a flower legend or by naming our favorite flower by those who did not have a legend.

The program consisted of parts by Mrs. W. B. Jordan, Mrs. Floyd Willis, Mrs. E. R. Crabtree, and Mrs. Oliver Allen.

The club will meet April 13 with Mrs. J. B. Jordan. At this meeting Miss Wilson will give a demonstration.

ENTERTAINMENT AT McCOY SCHOOL HOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT, APRIL 3

There will be plenty of fun for everyone at the entertainment held at the McCoy school house Friday night.

The highlight of entertainment will be a beautiful modern bridal scene carried out with all the trimmings. Also, there will be fun for all in the cake walks, music, and games.

This is sponsored by the Home Demonstration club, and there will be plenty of food and drinks for sale. The admission is free.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rimmer left the latter part of last week for Stockton, California, where they plan to make their home. Mr. Rimmer had been employed with The Hesperian for a number of years.

McCoy News

McCOY, March 31—There will be a community Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the pasture of Grandmother Smith.

Ernest McKensie of California is here for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pittman.

Misses Mava Merle and Lila Jo Smith spent Sunday with Miss Betty Lou Griggs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparks and Glennis Ruth and Mrs. Mary Sparks are spending a few days with relatives at Hamilton.

Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. Harry N. Jones, and Mrs. H. A. Tardy and children spent Saturday in Crosbyton with Mrs. C. H. Payne and family.

Miss Alice Helms was elected the best all around girl in Floydada High school last week. The community is very proud of her.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Day and boys spent last Friday at Lubbock with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weed.

Raymond Wilson is spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Odell Poteet of Elgin, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eubanks spent Tuesday with her father, W. A. Cates, who is ill.

Muncy News

MUNCY, March 31—Those absent from school Monday on account of sickness were Dolores Smalley, Max Wood, Thomas Jack Wood, Nellie Jo Muncy, and Benita Merle Teaff.

Spelling Honor Roll

Those on the Honor Roll in spelling last week were Betty Jean Muse, Thomas Jack Wood, Mary Grace Muncy, Dolores Smalley, Edna Faye Williams, Annie Murphy, Trois Muncy, and Glen Muse.

Bobbe Muncy spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muncy.

Imogene Roy spent the week-end visiting friends in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Race and son, Billy Carl, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Teaff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hudgins of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Muse and family Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Muse accompanied them home and spent Saturday night and Sunday with them. Mr. and Mrs. Muse returned home Sunday afternoon.

H. S. Wood and son, Max, spent Saturday in Amarillo and Dumas on business.

Louise Murphy and Elizabeth Whaley spent Friday night with Eloise Smalley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Muncy and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Rheuben Smith spent Sunday afternoon in Crosby and Dickens counties on business.

Melba and Herwin Joe Smalley of Floydada spent Saturday in the J. J. Smalley home.

McCOY HOME DEM. CLUB MET AT HOME OF MRS. G. H. DAY, MARCH 27

The McCoy Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. G. H. Day Friday, March 27. Mrs. W. H. Hulsey had charge of the meeting. The program for the morning used "Seen From the Kitchen Window" as the theme. Miss Edith Wilson gave a demonstration on the care and use of refrigerators for the afternoon program. She presented the group of "Food For Victory" recipes.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. H. F. Day April 24 and all ladies are urged to meet with the club.

ARMY AND NAVY CENTERS ISSUE CALL FOR BOOKS

A second call for books for the armed forces was made this week by Mrs. Lon M. Davis, local chairman who asks that anyone who has books of fiction, travel, biography, poetry, science, mathematics or recent technical books to spare to donate them to the army.

Books may be left at the county superintendent's office at the court house or Mrs. Davis will call for them if notified.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Thornton of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma spent last week in Floydada visiting friends and relatives.

Easter Services Announced For Baptist Church

Rev. L. A. Doyle is scheduled to deliver an Easter message Sunday morning following Sunday School service at the First Baptist church. Sunday school starts at 9:45 o'clock and preaching at 11 o'clock.

The message of the evening will be from the commandment "Thou Shalt not commit adultery."

The pastor and several delegates returned home Wednesday from Canyon where they attended the two-day convention of Baptist churches. Delegates from here were Mrs. G. N. Shirey, Mrs. Chas. Camden, Mrs. Lee Allen and daughter Barbara Ruth and Mrs. John Gray from the McCoy church.

The public is invited to attend services with the church Easter Sunday.

JOE MARTINS ARE PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin are the parents of a son born Friday morning in a Lubbock hospital. The baby weighed 6 pounds and one ounce. He has been named Joe Anthony.

BUS GOES STATIONARY

The ugly remains of an old school bus were transformed into a frame garden for growing green vegetables on a West Texas farm, according to a report to the Department of Agriculture.

The bus had been abandoned on the place, near Levelland in Hockley county. An ambitious farmer and his wife found it when they moved there. They had been through a run of hard luck, and had then obtained a grant from the Farm Security Administration to balance their farming plan. They made out a 2-page list of inexpensive ways to make the farm more livable, and one item on the list was a garden.

Instead of hauling the bus to the junkyard, they took the bus bed and made it into a frame for winter vegetables. It needed no cover, and on warm days they raised the windows to keep the temperature right for growing plants. They saved the cost of frames and glass or muslin needed on the ordinary frame garden.

Filing supplies, business forms, binders at The Hesperian.

Surplus Spring Eggs Put Up In Water Glass

Putting surplus spring eggs down in water glass is an old-fashioned household method of storing them for use in fall and winter when laying slows down, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The heaviest production of eggs is in spring. Surplus eggs from small farm flocks stored in the spring can be used later for household needs, and in the fall new-laid eggs can go to market.

Preserving eggs in water glass takes but little time and calls for no restricted materials. A 5-gallon earthenware crock holds about 14 dozen eggs when they are covered with water glass solution. This is made by mixing 1 quart of sodium silicate or water glass with 9 quarts of boiled, cool water. The crock with the solution is set in a cool place where it will not have to be moved. Sound surplus new laid eggs are put down carefully, a few at a time, as they are available in March, April and May. If put down promptly and in perfect condition, the eggs should retain their quality reasonably well for 8 to 10 months.

IMPROVING DISTRIBUTION

"The distribution programs of the Surplus Marketing Administration help provide sound and profitable markets for the full production of the American farm," says Roy F. Hendrickson, S. M. A. Administrator of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. "We are gearing them into the Food-for-Freedom program to do just that. While we are doing it, we are helping the national nutrition drive at its weakest point—the 10,000,000 people who are still dependent on public aid. And we mustn't forget the others who may be thrown temporarily out of work by necessary priority shifts in industry."

Mrs. C. M. Thacker and daughter Mary Lee returned home Tuesday from Austin where they visited several days with Mrs. Thacker's sister Mrs. Gladys Miller.

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Sunrise Service Sunday 6:30 M. E. Church

The annual cooperative Easter sunrise service is announced to be held Sunday morning at 6:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church. The pastors of the different churches have been asked to participate during the service.

Rev. L. W. Bridges, pastor of the First Christian church will bring a message entitled, "Victory And Victory." A cornet number by High school students will present a quartet arrangement of "He Arose".

Rev. L. A. Doyle of the First Baptist church will have charge of the scripture and prayer. Rev. Eugene Wood, pastor of the Nazarene church will preside at the service. Song service is in charge of Mrs. L. W. Bridges.

The service promises to be one of beauty and inspiration that you will not want to miss, members of the Ministerial association said.

Volunteer Quota Signed For First Aid Course

Approximately thirty volunteers answered the call of Mrs. H. G. Barber, chairman of the Civilian Home Defense council and Fire Chief Verne Elliott at a meeting held Tuesday night at the City Hall. The meeting was to instruct the volunteers in the work of the defense council and program being set up in the county.

Acting with Mrs. Barber and Mr. Elliott are Bill Dyer, Bill Simon, Polk Goen and Elbert Norman. A First Aid course was planned to start the first of the week.

First Aid books have been ordered and the required number of volunteer students have already signed. Others who care to volunteer are asked to notify Mrs. Barber who will add their names to the roster.

A called meeting will be held at 8:30 Friday night at the City Hall when time will be set for the First Aid school.

EASTER HOLIDAYS BEGIN TOMORROW IN SCHOOLS OF FLOYDADA DISTRICT

Easter holidays for faculty and pupils of Floydada Public schools will begin tomorrow and continue through Monday.

Classes will re-open at the usual hour on Tuesday morning, Superintendent Walter Travis said.

SOYBEAN-OIL PAINT MEETS SEVERE DURABILITY TESTS

Soybean oil for paint making is showing up so favorably in durability tests by the U. S. Department of Agriculture that it promises to take an important place in the paint field. The news, says the Department, is opportune in view of shipping-space difficulties with some of the other paint oils that are imported in whole or in part. Another favorable factor is that in recent years the soybean has become one of the major United States crops providing raw material for increased oil production.

The tests of raw soybean oil as the only oil vehicle for exterior paints and comparison with a mixture of soybean and perilla oils and straight raw linseed oil paints were carried on by the Bureau of Agricultural Chemistry and Engineering at its U. S. Regional Soybean Industrial Products Laboratory at Urbana, Ill. The Laboratory made up 36 exterior white paints with varying percentages of oils and pigments. The painted panels used to try out durability have been exposed to the weather for four years.

Dr. Henry G. Knight, Chief of the Bureau, says "the paints made with soybean oil as the only oil constituent have given very satisfactory durability results, even though tested under an air-drying schedule of 24 hours between coats and 48 hours air drying before exposure. The paints in which the only oil was soybean oil or a blend of soybean and perilla oils—when correctly formulated with proper pigments and driers—are equal in durability to similarly formulated linseed oil paints. The short drying period made the test severe for the soybean oil paint."

AFTER SIX YEARS

Inventions and discoveries often seem to need to go through what might be called a maturing process before society begins to enjoy the benefits. Examples of these maturing inventions, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture, frequently come to the attention of its scientists, many of whom have new processes and equipment to their credit.

A recent example concerns a machine for treating seed grain and other seeds with chemical dusts to protect potential crops against smut and other diseases. Invented by engineers of the Bureau of Agricultural Chemistry and Engineering in 1935, some seed handlers took up the design, which had been dedicated to the free use of the public. During the intervening years little had been heard about results.

But this improvement by the engineers had been noted by those who saw its value as a crop saver. A few weeks ago—nearly six years after the granting of the patent—a firm of "seed growers and merchants" wrote: "The seed-treating machine has been giving us satisfaction. About three years ago we did have a little trouble with the treating material flowing too freely and injuring the germination, but we corrected this and have not had any trouble since."

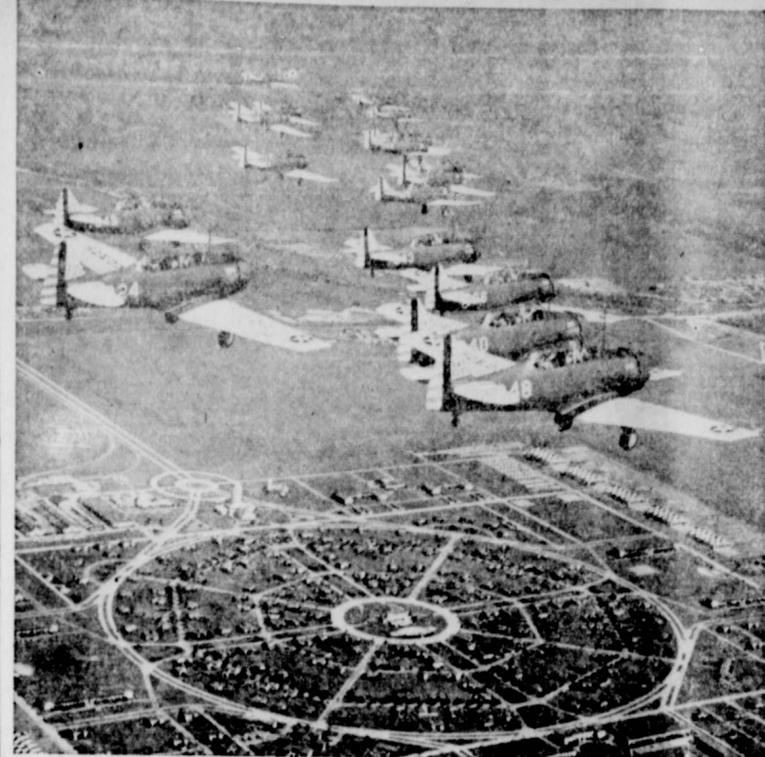
Wrong Place

Early Morning Customer (in department store): "Is this the remnants counter?"

Saleslady: "No, this is the sheets and tablecloths counter. We had a bargain sale here yesterday."

Second Sheets. The Hesperian.

Trying Out Their Wings At Randolph Field



Returning from a formation mission, Uncle Sam's embryo eagles sweep over the "West Point of the Air" before settling to their aerie. Formation flying, as well as night flying, instrument work, cross-country missions, and precision flying are included in the 70 hours Aviation Cadets spend in sleek 450-horsepower basic training planes at Randolph Field, Texas. Completing this basic stage, cadets can look forward to a brief ten weeks of advanced training, after which they receive their wings and a commission in the Army Air corps.

No Change April Blue Stamp Food List

DALLAS, March 20—Participants of the Department of Agriculture's food stamp program will be able to purchase the same Blue Stamp foods during April as they did in March, Wynn S. Goode, area supervisor, Agricultural Marketing Administration, Distribution branch, said today.

The complete list of blue stamp foods, as issued by the Agricultural Marketing Administration for the period of April 1 through April 30 in all stamp program areas, is as follows: butter, shell eggs, fresh grapefruit, pears, apples, oranges, and fresh vegetables (including potatoes), corn meal, dried prunes, hominy (corn) grits, dry edible beans, wheat flour, enriched wheat flour, self-rising flour, enriched self-rising flour, and whole wheat (graham) flour.

Wynn S. Goode, commenting on the various programs of the AMA, said the agency is materially helping farmers of this area and the entire nation, by creating and maintaining local and national food markets which assure him a fair return on his investment for food and fiber grown under the Food for Freedom program. AMA buys all food for Land-Lease, Red Cross, School Lunch and Direct Distribution Distribution of food to needy school children and American families who do not have adequate diet is serving a dual purpose of helping the American farmer and building a stronger, healthier nation, he said.

Little change was made in the gross business done in orange and blue stamps by Floyd county merchants in March, compared with February, a report from the office of Clyde W. Henderson, at the dispensing office this week indicates.

February orange stamps issued came to \$2,454, compared with \$2,524 in March, and the issue of blue stamps was \$1,867 for February against \$1,875 in March.

Two hundred thirty-one families including 782 people were on the receiving rolls in February, compared with 229 families with 894 people in March.

CREAM SOURS SWEETLY WITH BUTTERMILK ADDED

"Shake up five teaspoons of buttermilk in a pint of sweet cream and let stand 24 hours in a warm place between 70 degrees and 85 degrees F." That's a laboratory formula for producing good-flavored sour cream—a formula any housewife can apply in her own kitchen.

Many women prefer sour cream to sweet cream or milk for certain cooking purposes, but if sweet cream is left to sour naturally it often develops an undesirable flavor and odor. Dairy specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture explain that the buttermilk adds to the cream a large number of active milk-souring bacteria. These grow rapidly and not only sour the cream quickly but prevent the growth of other bacteria—those that may give naturally soured cream off flavor or odor.

Leaflet 312, "Sour Cream," (free on request to the U. S. Department of Agriculture) gives details of this method, and includes recipes. Some of the uses of "sweet" sour cream are for making gravies and salad dressings, in baking fish and meats, and in making cookies, cakes, quick breads and candies.

Glenn Norman a student of Cameron College, Lawton, Oklahoma, will arrive this mid-week to spend the Easter holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman.

Raymond Pogerson of Amarillo visited in Floydada Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pogerson.



The Porter tomato outyielded all other varieties in tests conducted by the U. S. Southern Great Plains Field Station of Woodward, Okla., in the shaded area shown above. The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has also found the Porter to be adapted to the south and east of the test area. The Porter is a "best bet" for Food For Victory gardens.

CRANBERRY PROSPECTS

By next Thanksgiving there may be definite indications as to whether new plant breeding techniques involving chromosome doubling are likely to be useful in cranberry breeding. At the Beltsville Research Center of the U. S. Department of Agriculture there are now a number of what are called "polyloid" cranberry vines, grown as seedlings from the doubling of the chromosomes was forced by chemical treatments of the seed. Some of these seedlings are expected to bloom next summer, and bear fruit.

The chromosomes are the elements of the cells that determine the heredity of the plant. Some plants with doubled chromosomes vary widely from varieties with normal chromosomes. In other plant families the doubling does not seem to make much difference—or plants may be abnormal and undesirable. This technique of breeding is still too new to warrant forecasts as to what may be the result in any breeding experiment that involves chromosome doubling.

The Bureau of Plant Industry is cooperating with the agricultural experiment stations and organizations of growers in the leading cranberry growing states—Massachusetts, New Jersey, and Wisconsin. The Federal effort has centered on the disease problems of cranberry growing, and the breeding work at Beltsville and in the field is primarily an effort to develop new varieties resistant to cranberry diseases which cause serious losses. Improvements in size, color, and productivity over present-day commercial varieties are also objectives.

EXPLORING THE UNKNOWN

It is the role of analytical science to explore the field of biological problems and penetrate the barriers of the unknown; it is the role of creative science to bring about the application of the good things found on the expenditure of exploration. This simple statement covers a vast territory. We are still trying to analyze a multitude of complex situations in the field of animal breeding along with the hope that sufficient new facts can be brought to light to permit further improvements among our breeds of domestic livestock, including birds.—Dr. Hugh C. McPhee, Principal Animal Husbandman, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

FEMALE OF THIS SPECIES IS WARRIER THAN THE MALE

Whether he was a roving male or a strict monogamist—as many insects are—became a question of practical interest after a U. S. Department of Agriculture entomologist found out that, although the female of the species was wary, it was comparatively easy to lure into a trap the male of the wireworm beetle.

Entomologists cite this as a fairly simple example of one of the several types of research often called for in coping with an insect pest. The practical question here was whether it would pay to continue trapping these beetles—catching many males and few females—as one way of preventing wireworm injury to crops on the Pacific Coast where this wireworm is a pest. If these beetles mated only once, the trapping of a male would be as useful as the trapping of a female, because it would break up an egg-laying unit.

As it turned out, C. E. Woodworth of the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine found out that the male of the Pacific Coast wireworm is a rover and likely to fertilize the eggs of several females. So trapping the males is not likely to be worth while, because the untrapped males will fertilize the trap-eluding females.

Therefore, it will be necessary to go on with the studies and to find out still more about the life cycle and habits of this insect. The hope will be to find some stage in its development when it is subject to a more practical and economical attack than is now known—whether by poison, by properly timed cultivation, by starvation, by flooding, by introduction or encouragement of its natural enemies, or by other devices entomologists have developed for striking back at injurious insects.

"Your methods of cultivation are hopelessly out of date," said the amateur agriculturist to the old farmer. "Why I'd be astonished if you got even 10 pounds of apples from that tree."

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Name Of J. Ross Bell Added To Court Aspirants

The name of J. Ross Bell, Childress county attorney, has been added to the list of aspirants for the office of chief justice of the Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo.

The Childress man was in Floydada Saturday for a short time, and is laying plans for an active campaign for the office, he said.

Other aspirants recently announced are E. C. Nelson, judge of the 47th District court at Amarillo, and W. T. Link, veteran member of the Donley County bar at Clarendon.

Floydada Methodist Circuit News

(C. A. Hartley, Pastor)

Services were well attended at Dougherty Sunday, and we hope that interest continues to grow. There were some new faces there or rather old faces returned and how we greatly appreciate their attendance and support. The revival under the leadership and preaching of Bro. J. B. Baker will start April 13. Let us so arrange our work that we may be able to attend these services.

The pre-Easter services got under way at Rushing Chapel last evening and we want to meet all of you at the church for the next few days. Communion service will be held Thursday evening and all are invited to come and commune with us.

Services start at 8:45 each evening. Come and hear the old time Gospel preached at the Rushing Chapel Methodist Church. The subject Saturday evening will be "Is the Devil Loose?" and Sunday night we will be speaking on the "Un Answered Question." I wish that it were possible for all to hear these two messages.

Let us remind you young people in the Baker community that the young people are planning an Easter egg hunt, and vesper service in the canyon Sunday afternoon. All are cordially invited.

Christian Church

(Lawrence W. Bridges, Pastor)
Thursday night (tonight) at 8:30 there will be presented a Pantomime "The Answer of the Cross" by Marie Graham accompanied by special appropriate sacred music, both vocal and instrumental. The Communion service will follow. This will be a worship hour you will long remember. The public is invited most cordially.

We join with the other Churches of Floydada in the Sunrise Easter service at First Methodist Church at 6:30 a. m.

Sunday School then at 9:45 a. m. central war time. Morning worship service at 11:00 a. m. The pastor's subject will be "The Triumphant Christ". Special music by our Youth Choir.

Evening service begins promptly at 8:30. The Floyd County Home Demonstration chorus will render their special Easter program of music at this hour. May we all take advantage of these religious services earnestly that we may meet the crucial moral and spiritual issues which confront us.

City Park Church

(J. G. Malphurs, Minister)
We promise an unusual interesting service for both morning and evening next Lord's day. While we do not believe in observing "Easter" do not believe in exhibiting one Lord's day above another, yet, because the minds of people run in that channel, we'll take advantage of the situation to teach the truth. The subject for the 11 o'clock hour will be "Christ's Words on the Cross", and will be composed largely of song worship. It will be different, and we are sure your soul will be benefited.

The subject for the evening, 8:45 will be "The Proof of The Resurrection". In this sermon we shall prove that the resurrection of Jesus is the best known fact in history.

The register will be checked next Sunday to know who are missing. We hope every one will endeavor to be present, and to bring a visitor. Please remember that our time of worship has been moved to the war-time schedule.

"Come thou with us, and we will do thee good."

Mrs. J. B. Jenkins and Mrs. Jno Farris attended funeral services Thursday at Lubbock for their aunt Mrs. E. F. Cleveland, 82, who died Wednesday. Mrs. Cleveland had been a resident of Lubbock for about twenty years.

Miss Mina Troutman of Iowa Park who spent ten days here visiting her brother Noel Troutman and Mrs. Troutman, left last week for Dumas where she will visit her brother G. L. Troutman.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Lanier and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jordan visited at Eva Oklahoma, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jordan's son, J. M. Jordan and Mrs. Jordan.

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E. S. FOWLER NEW OWNER POPULAR TEXACO GAS SERVICE STATION

C. S. Fowler, of Fairview, is the new owner of the Texaco Service station on the northeast corner of the square, which has been operated by Truman Dillard for the past several months.

The change became effective Wednesday of last week.

L. D. Fowler, son of C. S. Fowler, and J. L. Green, will operate the station. Dillard is disposing his business affairs so he can answer call to army service when his number comes up.

Mrs. W. H. Henderson is confined to bed this week with a severe case of neuritis.

Miss Ethel Gilbert spent the week end in Amarillo with her brother Leslie Gilbert and Mrs. Gilbert.

J. G. West, jr., assistant manager of the Piggly Wiggly grocery store of Seagraves, spent Sunday here with his parents.

Miss Arlene Fyffe left Saturday for Waco, where she will spend several weeks visiting her sister Mrs. Lee Cavin and Mr. Cavin.

B. Yearly left Monday for Pennington Gap, Virginia, where he will spend several months visiting his father.

Mrs. J. H. Newberry is visiting at Grand Prairie this week with her son H. L. Newberry and Mrs. Newberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Teutsch left Wednesday for a vacation trip to Dallas, Nacogdoches and Galveston where they will visit Mr. Teutsch's mother Mrs. M. H. Teutsch.

Miss Mattie Pearl Turner left Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Newberry at Grand Prairie, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler and daughter, Jean, of Anson spent the week end visiting their son Jeff While here they also visited Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mrs. H. C. Randolph, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mize.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith returned Wednesday of last week from a ten day visit at Long Beach, California with their daughter, Mrs. Loyd Murry, Mr. Murry and their daughter Rebecca Jo.

James Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Turner, left Wednesday of last week for Fort Worth where he will be employed in Consolidated Aircraft factory. He recently completed a special course in an aviation school at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Norris of Moultrie, Georgia, who have been visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Tad Probasco left Tuesday for Lamesa to visit in the home of his parents. They plan to return here for a short visit before returning home.

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MISS BUSBY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF DENISON TEACHER'S ORGANIZATION

Miss Beryl Busby of Denison a former teacher in Andrews Ward school has recently been elected president of the Denison Chapter of A. C. C. an organization of Elementary teachers, for next year.

Miss Busby has been re-elected teacher of the first grade in the Denison school. While here she was a prominent teacher and was active in church and social activities.

Mrs. Preston Badgett and son Michael of San Antonio came Wednesday of last week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Zell Probasco.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Cauley and little son and Dr. B. J. Welch of Lubbock spent Sunday with their mother Mrs. A. J. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Newberry of Grand Prairie spent the week-end here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Newberry. They were accompanied home by his mother and Miss Mattie Pearl Turner who will visit them several days.

Mrs. W. Edd Brown returned Thursday from San Antonio, where she spent ten days with her daughter Mrs. Woodrow Badgett who has been very ill. She was accompanied home by her little grandson James Badgett who will visit here with his grandparents while his mother recuperates.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stansell had as their guests on Sunday their sons Jack Stansell and Mrs. Stansell of Plainview and Pat Stansell and Miss Dosthy Asher of Lubbock.

Ray Sims a member of the U. S. Air Corps, stationed at Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sims, from Saturday until Tuesday. He also visited friends at Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Glenn and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glenn of Childress spent the week end with the Messrs Glenn's sister, Mrs. C. B. Carmack and family.

Mrs. Rex Brown and little son Johnny Fred of San Antonio came Thursday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John McCleary.

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FINANCING THE WAR

To avoid inflation the government must draw the funds it borrows primarily from the current income of individuals and institutions and only secondarily from commercial banks. It is the duty of the banks—

1. To encourage thrift and discourage spending so as to accumulate funds for war.
2. To push vigorously the sale of defense savings bonds and stamps and tax anticipation notes.
3. To subscribe for Treasury issues suitable for banks.
4. To help maintain a broad and dependable market for government securities.
5. To advise with the Treasury and the Federal Reserve System in planning government fiscal policies.

AID TO WAR PRODUCTION

Business large and small alike must be mobilized for war. The banker can help through his knowledge of business and government, and his ability to lend. It is his task—

1. To assist small business with war orders.
2. To finance war industry both in plant expansion and in current operations.
3. To participate with Federal financing agencies when the job extends beyond proper banking scope.
4. To advise with business customers in converting plants to war use, in dealing with government agencies, and in other war problems.
5. To lend to the farmer and distributor for the "Food for Freedom" defense program.
6. To scrutinize non-defense loans with care and to discourage expenditures which might compete with war production for materials or labor.
7. To cooperate in the regulation of consumer credit under Regulation W.

KEEPING THE ECONOMIC MACHINE RUNNING

The country's whole economic machine must be put in high gear, to run as it never ran before. Almost every business transaction involves banking: the use of checks or money for buying materials or meeting payrolls; transferring funds; handling securities. The banker's ordinary job has become a war job. It is his responsibility therefore—

1. To provide for business and government deposit, checking, transfer, and payroll facilities, on a new, larger scale.
2. To sell and distribute vast numbers of defense bonds, stamps, tax anticipation notes, and handle tax checks.
3. To cooperate with the Treasury in dealing with foreign funds.
4. To offer special services for men in the armed forces.
5. To help interpret government to business and business to government that they may work together with understanding and unity.

These tasks must be carried through swiftly and accurately while many bank workers are entering military services. This means harder work for bank staffs from top to bottom.

A HOUSE IN ORDER

The Nation faces years of great industrial and financial expansion and severe readjustments. To play his part effectively the banker's own house must be kept in order. It is his duty—

1. To maintain the quality of his bank's assets.
2. To husband his resources through a prudent policy of reserves and dividends.
3. To practice as well as preach the gospel of *work and save*.

- AND IN THE COMMUNITY

As a citizen of his community the banker who is not himself called into the armed services has special obligations:

1. To share with others the responsibility for the success of Red Cross, United Service, and civilian defense.
2. To make local, state, and national bankers' organizations effective agencies in the Nation's service.
3. To help the public understand war taxes, war restrictions, rationing, price controls, and other war measures which depend for their success upon public cooperation and public morale.



We endorse without reservation this statement which has been prepared by the Economic Policy Commission of the American Bankers Association.

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FLOYDADA, TEXAS

Club News, Social Activities

Worthy Grand Matron Will Visit Here

Mrs. Viva S. Huffman of Houston, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star will visit Floydada Chapter Wednesday evening April 1 at 8 o'clock. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Audra Tanner, District Deputy Grand Matron of Iowa Park. Other chapters that will be represented at the meeting will be Happy at the view, Hale Center and Tulsa, Plinyview, Hale Center and Lockney. Each chapter will contribute a number on the program. The members from the Floydada Chapter will present a L-O-V-E march, dedicating it to Mrs. Huffman.



Mrs. Ruby Boteler has been active in planning for the entertainment of Mrs. Viva S. Huffman of Houston, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas, who will be in Floydada for a visit with the local chapter Wednesday evening, April 8 at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Boteler is Deputy Grand Matron of District 2, section 3.

Reviews Current Play For 1934 Club Tuesday

A current play "A Lady in the Dark" by Moss Hart was reviewed by Miss Fannie Mae Bail for the 1934 Study club at their meeting held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Minnie Smart with Miss Ann Swepston as hostess.

The club was given an insight into the soldier's life by two talks, one on the subject "The Soldier's Work in the Army Camp", given by Miss Sappho Ward, and "The Soldier's Recreation", given by Miss Betty Brandon.

A very interesting report of the Seventh District meeting held Thursday and Friday at Lubbock was given by Miss Emma Louise Smith, president of the club.

A large number of the members signified their intention of taking the first aid course which is to be given in the near future by the Red Cross.

The Easter motif was carried out in the very attractive refreshment plate with Easter bunnies as favors.

Those attending were Misses Imogene Roy, Betty Newell, Selma Elliott, Emma Louise Smith, Ouida Whitefield, Merle Eaton, Sappho Ward, Betty Brandon, Fannie Mae Ball, Margaret Stuart, Edith Wilson, Rita Rhoades, Mmes. Truman Fuqua, Laura Carlisle, Walter Travis, John Stapleton, Virgie Shaw.

The club will meet Tuesday evening April 14, at 7:45 o'clock, at the home of Miss Emma Louise Smith with Miss Rita Rhoades as hostess.

Hostess To Club And Guests At Meeting Tuesday

Mrs. C. L. Minor entertained the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club at the regular meeting last week. Mrs. L. T. Bishop made high score. Guests of the club for the afternoon were Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mrs. Jack Deakins, Mrs. Henry Edwards, Mrs. Cecil Hagood, and Mrs. G. L. Kirk.

Members playing were Mrs. John Reagan, Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mrs. J. A. Arvine, Mrs. Bob Rossion, and Mrs. Jack Henry.

The club will meet Tuesday afternoon, April 7, at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Jno. Reagan.

Mrs. Billy Tye Given Surprise Dinner Saturday

Honoring Mrs. Billy Tye, relatives gave her a surprise birthday dinner Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tye.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCleskey and children, Mr. and Mrs. John McCleskey, Mrs. Rex Brown and son, Johnny Fred, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and children, Mrs. H. C. Randolph, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Row Parker, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tye and children, S. B. McCleskey and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tye and daughter Jane.

Sondra June Price Given Party On Eighth Birthday

Honoring her daughter Sondra June on her eighth birthday, Mrs. Shorty Price, entertained with a party Saturday morning from 10 until 12 o'clock. Mary Eunice Hennessee directed the games.

A large birthday cake and punch was served to the following children: Dan McCleskey, Lois Lynne Scoggins, Kette Collier, Virginia Hennessee, Johnnie West, Billie Bert Grimes, Edith Fae Garrett, Flora Jane Johnson, Kreis Wise, Glenn Rainer, Marian Martin, Norman Brittain, Don Daniels, Dale Martin, J. W. Howard, Peggy Jo Adams, Monita West, Barbara Ann Price, Sondra Price.

PICNIC GIVEN Y. W. A. MEMBERS MONDAY EVENING

Mrs. J. B. Houston, director of the Y. W. A., entertained the girls with a picnic Monday evening.

Those attending were Misses Margaret Camden, Mary Frances Jones, Thelma Doyle, Josephine Britton, Modena Hartsell, Alene Warren, Margaret McKinney, Neida Pagan, Dorothy Nell Swinson, Leona Peck, Lucille Peck, Kathryn McDonald, Doris Jordan, Mary Louise Tubbs, Maurice Burton, Lovelle Ginn and Miss Brandon a guest for the evening.

Annual Turkey Dinner Held By Class

The Self Starter Sunday School class of the First Christian church of which Mrs. W. Edd Brown is teacher, held their annual turkey dinner Friday evening at Fellowship hall. O. P. Rutledge presided as toastmaster. Games for the evening were directed by Lon M. Davis. Ermon Gray furnished music for the evening, playing various selections of sacred hymns on the marimba. He was assisted in entertaining by his little son Billy of Lubbock who gave several song selections.

Those attending the dinner were Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Bridges and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newell, Miss Betty Newell, Miss Sappho Ward, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Simon and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morckel, Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis, Lon Davis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wester and daughter Jean and son Billy.

Mrs. John Parris, Ermon Gray and son Billy, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge and sons O. P., Jr., and Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. V. Williams and Virgil, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Travis, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Emert and son Bert Lee, Mrs. John Mast and little son of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. W. Edd Brown and little grandson James Badgett of San Antonio and Mrs. Bennett.

T. E. L. Members Are Given Luncheon At Looper Home

Mrs. C. P. Looper and her daughter Mrs. Dick Fenner entertained the members of the T. E. L. Sunday School class at a covered dish luncheon Wednesday, March 25. The Easter motif was observed in the arrangement of the dining room table.

During a business session Mrs. L. A. Doyle was elected teacher of the class to take the place of Mrs. I. W. Hicks who resigned because of her extra duties and president of the W. M. S. The day was spent sewing for the Red Cross.

Guests of the class at luncheon were Mrs. J. B. Houston, Mrs. J. A. Burrus and Mrs. Malcolm McNeill.

Members attending were Mrs. D. I. Bolding, Mrs. J. G. Martin, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. Felt Patterson, Mrs. C. C. Huckabee, Mrs. I. W. Hicks, Mrs. Roy Patton and Mrs. W. F. Daniel.

Associate members present were Mrs. G. R. Strickland, Mrs. Lee Howard, Mrs. G. N. Shirey, Mrs. E. F. Stovall, Mrs. S. G. Bishop, Mrs. L. A. Doyle, Mrs. W. I. Cannaday.

Farewell Party Given June Finley Saturday Evening

June Finley who is leaving today with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Finley, for San Diego, California to make her home was honored by a farewell party Saturday evening at her home.

Each guest remembered the honoree with a going-away gift. Refreshments of punch, angle food cake and strawberry ice cream were served to the following: Mary Helen Lewis, Norma Jean Moore, Beth Hinson, Maxine Griffin, Oragene Willson, Pete McGee, Bill Hale, Kelly Hagood, Orby Tye McCleskey, Glenn Carmack, Sammy Hale and the honoree, June Finley.

BILLY NEWBERRY GIVEN BIRTHDAY PARTY TUESDAY

Mrs. Paul Newberry entertained with a party Tuesday afternoon honoring her daughter Billye who was eight years old. Mrs. Esther Rogers assisted Mrs. Newberry in entertaining the children with various games. The large birthday cake was served with other refreshments.

Guests included Natha Burleson, Fern Marie Patterson, Katie Collier, Darlene Johnson, Sondra Price, Virginia Hennessee, Glenn Elvin Rainer, Aubrey Guthrie, Dan Hagood, Larry Hollingsworth, Marion Martin

Seventh District Officers Are Named At Twenty-First Annual Federation Meeting At Lubbock

Social Calendar

TODAY
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry will be hosts to the Pla-Mor Bridge club this evening at 8:30 o'clock.
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kirk will be hosts to the U-Deal-Em Bridge club this evening at 8:30 o'clock.
Mrs. Clinton Fyffe will entertain the Thursday Evening Bridge club this evening at 8 o'clock.
Mrs. Shorty Price will be hostess to the Blue Bonnet Needle club this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY
Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale will be hosts to the Friendship Bridge club Friday evening at 8:45 o'clock.

MONDAY
Lena Lair G. A. will meet Monday afternoon at the First Baptist church at 4:15 o'clock.
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon will be hosts to the Idle Hour club Monday evening April 6 at 8:30 o'clock.
The Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the church.

TUESDAY
The Sunbeams will meet Monday afternoon at the First Baptist church at 3:30 o'clock.
The Women's Society of Christian service will hold their regular meeting Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

WEDNESDAY
Mrs. Polk Howell will entertain the Sams Scout Bridge club Wednesday afternoon, April 8 at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY
Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire will entertain the Thursday Bridge club April 9 at 8:45 o'clock.

Officers for the Seventh District Texas Federation of Women's clubs to serve two years beginning in November, were elected without opposition at the twenty-first annual convention held at Lubbock March 26 and 27. They were Mrs. Wes A. Izzard, Amarillo, president; Mrs. Raymond Harrah, Pampa, first vice president; and Mrs. Lester La Grange, Amherst, second vice president. Mrs. H. P. Godeke of Lubbock is retiring president.

Although the attendance was not as large as in former years a very inspiring program was presented with lectures, panel discussions, songs and reports carrying out the theme "Education for Democracy's Victory".

Clubs Represented
Floydada clubs had twelve representatives present for a greater part of the meeting, they were Mrs. John E. Hoffman, Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Mrs. Walter Wood, Mrs. Walton Hale and Mrs. Robert McGuire, members of the 1929 Study club; Mrs. Kenneth Bain, Mrs. Lon V. Smith, Mrs. E. L. Angus, Mrs. Wilson Kimble and Mrs. B. E. Fry members of the 1922 Study club and Miss Emma Louise Smith, president of the 1934 Study club.

Reports from these clubs were given by their presidents, Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Bain and Miss Smith. The 1929 Study club report received honorable mention in the section in which the report was given.

Makes Award
Mrs. Walton Hale, Americanization chairman for the district, attended the dinner Wednesday evening given to honor the District Board. She appeared on the program as leader of the Pledge to the flag.

Mrs. Lon V. Smith, chairman of Texas Writers, attended the Victory Luncheon Friday. Awards in the different departments were made at this time. Mrs. R. S. Underwood of Lubbock received first place in the writers division for her short, short story, "V for Vengeance". She was awarded \$2.50 in Defense stamps by Mrs. Smith. Instead of flowers, vegetables were used as centerpieces for the dining tables.

Highlights of the convention included an address by Mrs. Joseph Perkins of Eastland director to General Federation, on Thursday morning. Taking for her subject, "Tomorrow Will Come", title of "the hungriest book" she has ever read.

Extends Invitation
As Texas' delegate to the forthcoming General Federation convention, Mrs. Perkins invited the seventh district women to attend the sessions and special programs if they "are hungry for the most up-to-date information as to what's going on in the world today, especially in regard to Pan-Americanism, the convention theme."

Mrs. Perkins urged the women to come to the pre-convention Plantation reception which is to be held in Fort Worth, the convention city Sunday night, April 23, wearing their fluffiest dresses and flowers in their hair. "Because that's the way the northern and eastern delegates will expect the southern bells to look."

State President Speaks
Thursday morning session was concluded with a symposium on "Safeguarding Democracy on the Home Front", with Mrs. William G. Dingus presiding. In this group appeared Mrs. W. G. Kennedy of Muleshoe who gave a very inspiring talk on the "Farm and Home Demonstration Service", also Dr. W. E. Irvin, superintendent of the Lubbock Public School, advocating what he called the six, three, three plan. He explained this would mean six years in elementary education, three years in high school and three years in college.

Choosing the theme of the convention for an address, Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview, president of the Texas Federation, was main afternoon speaker.

Club Work Important
She cautioned the women to keep up their study programs in addition to their defense work. Sewing and knitting for the Red Cross, nutrition work, recreational activity for soldiers, buying defense stamps and bonds and conservation are important, Mrs. Walker told her audience but "Education for Democracy's Victory cannot be achieved by merely

Floydada Music Club To Meet April 9

Miss Sappho Ward will entertain the Floydada Music club at her home Thursday night, April 9. New officers for the year will be elected at this meeting and all members are urged to be present. Mrs. W. D. Johnson, Mrs. Elvin Rainer and Miss Ouida Whitefield are the nominating committee for the club.

The time of the meeting was changed from today, the first Thursday night of the month, which was previously announced.

Eight o'clock is the time set for the meeting.

EASTER CANTATA "THE DAWN" TO BE PRESENTED MORNING AND EVENING, APRIL 5

The cantata "The Dawn" will be presented at Carr's chapel Sunday, April 5, at the morning service, by the Floyd County Home Demonstration chorus. The cantata will be given at 11:45 a. m. war time.

The chorus will present the cantata at the First Christian church Sunday evening in Floydada.

All members of the chorus are urged to be at the final rehearsal Saturday afternoon, April 4, at 2 p. m.

P. T. TAYLOR HONORED ON SEVENTY-SECOND BIRTHDAY

P. T. Taylor was honored with a birthday dinner March 22, the occasion being his seventy-second birthday. A large birthday cake with 72 candles was shared with his wife and their children, Will Taylor and family, Phil Taylor and Mrs. Ellen Maricle and family of Idalou and Mrs. A. F. Taylor and family.

Their sons John of Fort Worth and Ray of Waco were unable to be present. Eight grand-children were present for the day.

JERRY WAYNE FINLEY ENTERTAINED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Jerry Wayne Finley was honored with a birthday party Monday afternoon at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Pete Kendrick. The occasion was Jerry's third birthday.

The party was held from three until five o'clock during which time the little guests were entertained by Mrs. Kendrick. Ice cream and cake was served to Gail Baxter, Darlene Dorrell, Sharon Howard, George Young, Harold Snell, Jerry Perry, Billy Orman, Ray Henry and the honoree.

Several of the children's mothers were present. They were Mrs. Everett Perry, Mrs. W. L. Orman, Mrs. George Henry and Mrs. Wayne Finley.

W. M. S. WILL SEND EASTER BOX TO HOME

A large box of clothing and a crate of eggs were packed Monday afternoon by the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, for Buckner's Orphans home. The box was sent the first of the week in order to reach the home by Easter.

Three men were repairing the telephone wires. A woman drove along the road in her car when she saw the men climbing the poles, she said: "Look at those darn fools—you would think I had never driven a car before."

doing things", she said. "There are other things we have to do".

Need Practical Religion
She listed these things as: taking a new inventory of ourselves and determining how willing we are to serve, and re-evaluating our national selves and discovering whether we realize we are the most privileged people on earth.

"We need to return to practical religion" the state president said. "An inner compulsion would cause labor to forget its 40 or 48 hour week and cause capital to forget its selfish gains. And we would discover that it is not necessary to teach hatred in our education for democracy's victory but would see the grave difference between hatred of a system and of a people."

Traveler To Speak On Guest Day

Texas and Federation day will be observed by the 1929 Study club Friday evening, April 10, at 8:30 o'clock at the American Legion home. Members of the 1922 Study club and the 1934 club have been invited as guests for the occasion.

Miss Darthula Walker, head of the department of geography of West Texas State College, Canyon, will give a travel talk on South America which is in keeping with the club's course of study "America and Her Neighbors". Miss Walker has toured all of the South American countries with the exception of two, and the entertainment committee of the club are very pleased in being able to have her speak on their guest day. Her talk will be illustrated with slides.

Ermon Gray, band director of the public schools, will render musical selections.

The meeting was originally planned for Thursday evening but was changed to Friday because Miss Walker had a previous speaking engagement.

Raymond Ruckers Hosts At Benefit 42 Party Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rucker were hosts at a benefit 42 party Friday evening. The proceeds were given to the Pleasant Valley club.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. F. U. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Warren and son, T. W., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and daughters, Marjorie, Nova Jean and Wanda Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bloom, and son Billy and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Rucker.

THRIFTY NEEDLE CLUB MEMBERS ENTERTAIN HUSBANDS WEDNESDAY

The Thrifty Needle club entertained for their husbands Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hershel McNeill. Games of "42" furnished entertainment for the evening.

Decorations and appointments were in keeping with the Easter theme and in the refreshment plate that was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Womack, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kinar, Weldon Gibbs and the host and hostess.

MRS. TOMMIE ALLEN WILL ASSIST IN G. A. WORK

Mrs. Tommie Allen has been appointed to assist Mrs. J. D. McBrien in carrying on the work of the Lena Lair Girl's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church. The girls met Monday for their regular program.

Those present were Joyce Stanley, Maxine Griffin, Norma Jean Moore, Dorothy Cantrell, Bonnie Nell Fuqua, Dorothy Bishop, Peggie Collier, Barbara Marchall and Claudene Goen also Mrs. McBrien and Mrs. Allen.

MRS. IKE FINLEY UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Ike Finley underwent a major operation Saturday morning in Payne and Shotwell hospital at Littlefield. Mr. Finley returned home Tuesday and reported that Mrs. Finley was recuperating satisfactorily.

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Dinner Honors Son On Thirteenth Birthday Sunday

Mrs. C. B. Carmack entertained with a surprise dinner Sunday afternoon honoring her son Glenn Bryant on his thirteenth birthday. The dining table was centered with a large birthday cake. Chocolate Easter

bunnies marked places for the guests. Dinner was served by the honoree's sister, Miss Gagerline Carmack and Miss Sammie McCleskey. Guests were Kelly Hagood, Billy Wester, Aubrey Tye McCleskey, Dennis Dillard, and the honoree, Glenn Bryant.

Following the dinner the guests were entertained at the Palace theatre.



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SOCIETY

Hosts At Easter Tea Monday

Approximately 80 women of the missionary societies of the city were entertained at the regular fifth Monday meeting of the Co-operative Society Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist church. Members of the church were hostesses at a lovely tea featuring the Easter motif.

The lace covered tea table was arranged with a silver tea service at one end with a bowl of purple iris for the centerpiece. Sand tarts made in various colors made to represent Easter Eggs were served from nests of greenery. Mrs. J. M. Willson poured coffee and tea.

Assisting Mrs. Willson were Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Mrs. Lorin Leibfried, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. J. B. Bishop and Mrs. C. K. Arnold.

Following the serving of refreshments a short program was rendered: Song, by the audience; prayer, Mrs. W. M. Massie; vocal solo, Miss Myrtice Meador; devotional, Mrs. E. E. Hinson; Easter music, Floyd County chorus; reading, Miss Emma Louise Smith.

Gives Soil Talk At Garden Club Meeting Friday

County Agent Jason Gordon gave an instructive talk on the various types of soil at the meeting of the Floydada Garden club held Friday morning at the home of Mrs. O. P. Rutledge.

Mrs. C. A. Caffee was leader of the program.

Mrs. H. G. Barber, defense chairman of the club, gave a report of the work being carried on by the club and asked for volunteers to take the first aid course which is to be offered by the Red Cross.

Mrs. L. C. McDonald concluded the program with a poem.

Mrs. Jack Henry will be hostess to the club Friday morning April 10 at 9:30 o'clock.

Hagoods Are Hosts At Club Meeting Thursday Evening

The Thursday Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hagood Judge and Mrs. Alton B. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Stovall were guests of the club for the evening.

Mrs. C. L. Minor and Robert McGuire held high score. A refreshment plate was served by the hostess preceding the games.

Members playing were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rosson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Goen, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, Robert McGuire and Mr. Hagood.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire will be hosts to the club Thursday evening April 9 at 8:45 o'clock.

Mrs. Jack Deakins Observes Easter In Club Party

The Easter motif was observed in tallies and table appointments when Mrs. Jack Deakins entertained the Sans Souci Bridge club Wednesday afternoon, March 25.

Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. Kenneth Jeffers and Mrs. Hayes O'Neal were guests of the club. Mrs. R. B. Rosson held high score.

Members playing were Mrs. Polk Goen, Mrs. Cecil Hagood, Mrs. R. B. Rosson, Mrs. G. L. Kirk and Mrs. Chas. Lewis.

Mrs. Polk Goen will entertain the club Wednesday afternoon, April 8 at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Taylor spent the week-end visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ellen Maricle and family at Idalou.

Mrs. Ode McReynolds returned to her home Monday following a period of medical treatment at the Plains hospital at Lubbock.

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Newly Weds Honored With Miscellaneous Shower March 24

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breed were complimented with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening, March 24 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Battey. Mrs. Breed was the former Odene Huey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Huey, who recently moved to California.

The home was beautifully decorated carrying out the Easter motif. Mrs. Thurmon Battey and Vera Faye Battey served punch and cookies from a cut glass service on a lace covered table.

A short program was rendered. Mrs. Lee Nichols gave a toast, then Frank and Odene were sent on a treasure hunt and found the gifts in the living room.

Hostesses were Mrs. P. F. Bertrand, Florence Jones, Mrs. W. C. Cates, Vera Faye Battey, Mrs. Thurmon Battey, Mrs. Lee Nichols, and Mrs. Wayne Battey.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Van Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smart, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Battey, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Battey, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Widener, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Breed, and Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmon Battey, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Poore and children, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Hartsell, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith and Dale G., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Widener and Buddy, Mr. and Mrs. L. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hodges, Mrs. Galen Howard, Mrs. B. C. Willis, Mrs. Cella Ross, Roe Jones, Tella Jo Smartt, Cleo Kirk, La Faun Hodges, Ila Marie Battey, Charline Battey, Verene Gilbreath, Helen Jones, Jeanne Edwards, Leone Jameson, Eva Lee Oden, Ella Breed, Emmett Willis, Jack Jernigan, William Bertrand, Weldon Cumble, Odelle Breed, Adrie Spence, Dave Willis Harold Thornton, and C. B. Smartt.

Those sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Parks, Floyd Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welborn and Ann, Miss Flora Jeter, Mrs. and Mrs. Milton Harrison, Mr. and W. A. Dunn, Mrs. Floyd Fugua, Mr. Mrs. Claude Patton and Tiny, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Pickens, Mrs. Mable Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McCravey, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Huckabee.

Fairview News

FAIRVIEW, March 31—Rev. R. C. Malone preached Sunday night, and no morning service was held except Sunday School.

Miss Simmons from South Plains visited in the community Sunday night.

Visitors in the Bullard home through the week and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cosby and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Crabtree and children, Mrs. Chil McClure, Mrs. Thurmon Perry, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree and Jean, Dorothy Rushing and J. C. Bullard of Chica, who is spending several days with his parents, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson visited relatives at South Plains Sunday.

Mrs. Odell Stapleton and children, Max and El Quinn, are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurmon Perry and Mr. and Mrs. E. Meeks visited Mr. and Mrs. Perry in the Campbell community.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls visited his brother and family, E. R. Walls at Lockney Sunday.

Miss Thacker had as her guest for the week-end her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton visited in the J. C. Crabtree home Sunday.

Visitors in the Arthur Stewart home during the past week were Mrs. G. M. Bullard, Preston Bullard and daughter, Gail and Dixie, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carter and Sandra and G. A. Stewart.

Those attending a picnic down near the Lewis ranch were Mr. and Mrs. Preston Bullard and Gail and Dixie, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewart and daughters, Betty Gail and Twila Jo, June Kathryn Payne, Clara Cosby, Jean Crabtree, Mrs. Odell Stapleton and El Quinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carter and Sandra visited Sid Carter and family of Amarillo during the week-end. Bob Carter went on to Stratford to visit a few days with another brother, Bernard Carter, and family. Mrs. Carter and Sandra returned home Sunday night.

The school children went to South Plains Friday afternoon to practice for Play Day which will be held there April 10.

Pleasant Valley Club Considers Views From The Kitchen Window

The Pleasant Valley club met March 24 at the home of Mrs. J. C. Harris. "Scenes From the Kitchen Window" was the subject for the afternoon with Mrs. T. B. Mitchell as leader. Mrs. Wilson Warren and Mrs. Raymond Rucker were recreational leaders. The club voted to not serve refreshments.

Those present were Mrs. T. B. Mitchell, Mrs. Claude Harris, Mrs. A. R. Blokom, Mrs. Dee Peterson, Mrs. Wilson Warren, Mrs. Raymond and Rucker, Mrs. Robin Byars and the hostess, Mrs. Harris.

Mrs. Lucille Cox entertained the following guests Sunday at her home: Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wise, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise, of Idalou, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Duncan and daughter, and Miss Waldeen Cox of Barwise.

Dougherty Family Gets Word From Son In Service

DOUGHERTY, March 31—The first news since November 17 telling of his safe arrival at Port William McKinley, near Manila in the Philippines was received Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lotspeich from their son, G. W. (Gene) Lotspeich, who is in the medical corps. A regulation card dated February 14 and a letter postmarked February 18 were both received stating that he was safe and well and going strong. He asked that they keep their "chins up" and not worry for he would be with them again—sometime.

Church Of The Nazarene

(Rev. Eugene Wood, Pastor)

"As it began to draw toward the first day of the week, came Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to see the sepulchre."

It was a "New Day" for those women who came in the early dawn long ago. They came seeking the body of a dead man and found a living Christ. It is our prayer that thousands may find a resurrected Savior this Easter. "They that seek me early shall find me" saith God. Come to the Easter Sunrise service at the Methodist church at 6:30 a. m. and join others in worshipping a living Savior.

Services at the Church of the Nazarene will begin at the usual hour 10:45 a. m.

The pastor's morning theme will be "Elements for True Love". The night theme will be "The Guest Supreme".

Spring Revival

Plans are being perfected this week by Rev. C. A. Hartley, pastor of the Methodist church for the spring revival, which will start Sunday, April 12. Rev. Baker of McAdoo will assist the local pastor in the evangelistic work.

Rev. Tommie Allen of Floydada was a guest speaker at the Baptist church Sunday and spoke at both morning and evening services.

Rev. C. A. Hartley filled his fifth Sunday appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.

School

Those on the honor roll in spelling last week were Weims Norman, Billie Joe Law, and Frances Foster.

First Tuesday Club Meets

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Jones will be hosts to the First Tuesday club at the school auditorium April 2 at 8:30 war time. After a business meeting conducted by J. N. Denning the members will enjoy games of 42.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton spent the week-end at Roswell, New Mexico.

Mrs. Bill M. Norman and children, Weims and Genelle, were shoppers in Lubbock Saturday.

Lee A. Mayhew of San Angelo visited the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis. His little son, Arthur Edwin, returned home with him after a two weeks visit with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Caruthers and little son of Fort Worth are visiting his father, George Caruthers.

Bennie Crawford of Floydada spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Jones and little son, and Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cumble of Starke returned Wednesday from Athens where they visited relatives. They also attended the Stock show at Port Worth while down state.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blankenship and sons of Crosby county were guests Friday in the T. J. Campbell home. Mr. Blankenship is a former Dougherty teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole spent Sunday in Lubbock.

Bill Dougherty, who has spent the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dougherty, left Saturday to resume his work at Yale university. He was accompanied by Dallas by his father who will spend a few days in Dallas and Gainesville before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones and Poole.

Vance Polk returned Sunday from Sonora where he attended a sheep and goat association last week.

Ruth Kreis, a student at Texas university, is expected home this mid-week to spend the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brownlow and grandchildren, Bobbie and James Brownlow, and Emma Lee McNeese returned Sunday from Grand Prairie where they visited their daughters, Mrs. Raymond Holt and Mrs. Reynolds Sanders, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Sanders and boys from Lone Star were guests Saturday of Mrs. Sander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Colston of Amarillo spent the week-end with their parents, Mrs. S. R. Colston and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swepston of Hill Crest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Cage spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morrison.

Mrs. J. H. Freeman of Floydada spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Orland Howard and Mr. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lide has returned home from Memphis where she visited several days with her mother, Mrs. Blum.

Mr. and Mrs. Dot Hammonds and children have returned home from Thalia. While visiting there all the children had the measles.

Earl Cantwell Will Preach Sunday At Local Church

Elder Earl Cantwell of Rock Creek Texas, will be present Sunday morning and have charge of the worship program beginning at 11 o'clock at the Wall Street Church of Christ.

The public is cordially invited to be present. No evening service is announced.

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Lakeview News

LAKEVIEW, March 31—Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dunavant and sons visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Anderson who have been ill with the flu. They are reported to be recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hall and Mrs. Ruby Johnson and children visited Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Covington and family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warren of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Giles Sunday. Other guests were Mrs. Lindsey Warren and daughters.

Mrs. J. H. Newberry is in Dallas visiting relatives.

Guests in the R. T. Hall home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Covington and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alexander and Marvin Glassmoyer.

Willis Hall, who has spent the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hall, returned to Fort Sam Houston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Roberts and Mildred spent Sunday afternoon in Petersburg visiting Mr. Robert's sister, Mrs. W. B. Featherstone.

Alma Owens spent Sunday with Clyde Allen at Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Beedy and family spent Sunday with their daughters at Floydada and with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Faulkenberry of Blanco.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nichols and Mrs. Cella Ross attended the singing at Floydada Sunday and visited in the D. M. West home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter visited her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Blanton Sunday.

Mrs. D. M. West left Monday for Temple where she will receive medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hardgrove and daughter Betty Jean of Clovis, New Mexico, were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Fyffe.

Mrs. Ama Smalley of Clovis, New Mexico, returned home Tuesday after spending several days with her sister Mrs. O. L. Stansell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Thornton of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma spent last week in Floydada visiting friends and relatives.

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The New Boxy Silhouette! Celeste Oxfords 3.49

The favorite walking companion of women and girls everywhere! Gay and debonair — this comfort-giver looks as well on mother as it does on daughter! Roomily styled in supple crushed kid! Saucy snub toes and boxy pyramid heels make your feet look practically twice as small!

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Good-looking shirt and trouser ensembles of fine quality rayon in popular sharkskin weave! Long or short sleeve shirts... with new convertible two-in-one collar and button-flap pockets. The trousers are the smart drape model, expertly tailored with full pleats, self belt and slide fastener closure! In your choice of many colors!

THE HESPERIAN

Edited by Members of the Journalism Class of Floydada High School

Senior Carnival Breaks Record

The senior carnival, held Friday and Saturday nights in the Martin building, broke an all-time record in grossing and proceeds. The net proceeds were \$130.

The feature event for Friday night was the boxing tournament. The bout between two negro boys was the highlight of the tournament. There were several other bouts between boys of grammar school age.

The big event for Saturday was the floor show which was sponsored by Mr. Gray. There were musical numbers by members of the band and dances by the chorus, a vocal trio by Maude Moore, Margaret Camden, and Wayland Hale, a vocal solo by Alene Tinney, a vocal solo by Henry Martin, and a vocal solo by Floy Jean Hale, Dorothy Ann Dooley, Robert Warren, and Wayland Hale, and a dance and band act by Florine Cates.

A constant stream of merry makers found amusement at the penny board, doll rack, table tennis, bingo counter, and other side attractions. Candy, cold drinks, pop corn, cake, and pie offered refreshments for the crowd.

Among the final events of Saturday evening was the announcement of the winners in the best all-around boy and girl contest.

Alice Helms, senior, was elected as the best all-around girl and Roy Baxter, junior was elected the best all-around boy.

FHS Students, Faculty Reveal Ambitions

Presenting the query "What is your ambition?" a reporter received the following responses: Lajuana Jo Sharp: You would be surprised.

Maurine Medlen: To be a foreign correspondent.

Coach Murry: To teach high school students to become good citizens.

Evelyn Elliott: To perfect some method for playing hookey, so you can't be caught (especially in the spring).

Marvin Lyles: To become a flight commander.

Joe Robertson: To be a baseball player.

Johannie Collins: To get in the Army Air Corp.

Oran Beck: To make Uncle Sam a good marine.

Melvin Hollums: To go to Annapolis.

Thomas Thagard: To go to Randolph Field.

Floy Jean Hale: To be an aviatrix.

Robert Medlen: To fly an airplane.

Florence Jones: To be an air hostess.

B. K. Barker, jr.: To become a doctor.

Jean Edwards: To be a singer.

Betty Yearwood: To be a flyer.

Betty Jean Spence: To be an aviatrix.

Dorothy Dooley: To be a war correspondent.

Frankie Wright: Happiness.

Edna McNutt: To be a governess.

Virgil Williams: To be a four-star general.

Buster McIntosh: To be an aeronautical engineer.

Billy Bean: To slaughter a Jap.

Mary Frances Jones: To be a stenographer for a good-looking guy.

Law Suit Over \$50 Matrimonial Fee Is Held

The case of Guion vs Duvall was tried in commercial law class last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Guion was suing Mr. Duvall because he failed to return her fifty dollars when he didn't find her a suitable husband. Mr. Duvall owned and operated the Cupid Matrimonial agency. He also published the New York Cupid.

The plaintiff's lawyers were Virgil Boetler and Robert Warren. The defendant's lawyers were Kenneth Johnson and James Lovell. The judge was De Winn Pyffe. Court clerks were Gracie Waller and Dora Barbee. The jury was made up of Gertrude Huckabee, Herschell Hinson, Jimmy Bishop, Archie Huckabee, Thomas Warren, Bobbie Sue Langley, Esabel King, Topsy Dudley, Flora Jeter, Kenneth Burgett, Helen Hinsley, and Lois Burgett. Topsy Dudley was foreman.

Witnesses were Joy Cardwell (Mrs. Guion), Johnnie Belsher (friend of plaintiff), Mary Lynn Stanley (client of defendant), Tella Jo Smart (defendant's secretary), Martha Jo Brotherton (friend of plaintiff), Troy Cummings (the man found for Mrs. Guion), and Everett Patterson (the defendant). Everett was not called to the stand.

First the jury was sworn in by the judge and each witness was sworn in as he took the stand.

After a two-day trial the jury retired and returned the verdict that Mrs. Guion would be refunded her fifty dollars.

The trial was appealed on the basis of insanity on Mr. Duvall's part, and has been in progress this week. The verdict has not been announced.

EXCHANGE

"Where's the manager's office?" asked the paint salesman.

"Follow the passage," someone directed him, "until you come to the stairs till you see the sign 'Keep Out', follow the corridor till you see the sign 'Silence', and then yell for him."

Husband: "I've got to go to the office. My wife's nearly killed me four times."

Wife: "Oh, give him another chance."

An old man in the movies was looking for something he had dropped. He was making a terrible commotion about it. A lady sitting next him asked, "What are you looking for?" "A caramel," he answered.

"Mister, are you making all that fuss over a caramel?" "Yes, madam," he replied, "my teeth are in it."

Miss Campbell: Maxey Pinson, this composition on milk was supposed to be two pages long. Yours is only half a page.

Maxey: But I wrote about condensed milk.

Miss Turner: "Yes, I have a hobby."

Emmelyne: What is it, flirting?"

Dorothy Mc.: "That's not a hobby that's a habit."

—The Plainsman

Ward School News

The first grades are inviting all the pre-school children to their Easter egg hunt Wednesday afternoon.

The second grade citizenship club met Friday at their regular meeting, and an interesting program was presented by the pupils of the second grade.

The four best citizens of the week were Gary Oden, Billy Joe Rice, Wanda Jean Glass and Robert Browning.

Barbara Ruth Allen of the fourth grade, who has been absent the last two weeks, returned to school today. Guy Clint Roy of the second grade, also came back to school today.

THIRD GRADE PRESENTS WARD SCHOOL PROGRAM

The third grade at Andrews Ward school under direction of Miss Vera Meredith, teacher presented an entertaining program for chapel Thursday morning.

The program was given as follows: "A Wise Boy," Phil Boothe; group of songs sung by the third grade boys; fire drill and exercise; tap dance; Billy Newberry; piano solo, "Long Ago," Juanita Jo Henderson; "Rich Uncle," Floyd Fuqua; "The Kitten," James Freeman; Virginia Hennessy and James Freeman; "The Balloon Song" sung by fourteen 3rd grade girls, dressed in red, white and blue and carrying colored balloons to match their dresses.

MISS CADE TO TEACH ENGLISH AND JOURNALISM

Miss Grace Cade, former teacher in Floydada High, assumed her position as Senior English and Journalism teacher Monday morning.

High School Students Attend Salesmanship School Held Down-Town During The Week

Miss Lura J. Wilson conducted a salesmanship school at the courthouse last week for the benefit of high school students.

This school was sponsored by the University of Texas.

The high school students who attended were Dorothy Tye, Evelyn Elliott, Dorothy Ann Dooley, Johnnie Ruth Belsher, Frances Keim, Virgil Williams, John Colville, Robert Warren, Wayland Hale, Roberta Medlen, Mary Frances Jones, J. W. Gilbreath, Eddie Duncan, Bobby Barber, Merle Barber, Cubert Gray, Homer Kenner, Helen Young, Joy Cardwell, Doniece Cline, Sammy McCleskey, Dora Barbee, Jessy Jo Boyd, and Floy Jean Hale.

A picture was shown the students last Monday night. It concerned the do's and don'ts of selling.

Those who attended the school will receive a certificate of attendance. This will aid many of the students and a list of their names will be sent to all the business men of Floydada in securing positions.

'Winds Rebuff Tahoka Lads In Gloves Final

Overthrowing the Bulldogs in a nine bout tournament at the Floydada gym March 24, the Whirlwinds rank "one up" on the Tahoka boxers.

Joe Rushing overpowered King in the 155 lb. bout. Joe won all of his bouts in three different tournaments.

Carlton Fawver, baffled Jolly for the 165 lb. contest, thus winning all bouts.

Preston Malphurs defended his 108 lb. title for the third successive time in his final skirmish with Bigham.

DuBois overset Hughes for the 143 lb. triumph.

Randolph Rutledge successfully defended the 135 lb. title in a brisk bout with Cruce.

LeRoy Chowning stubbornly bested the 153 lb. title on Curry.

Wayland Hale lost the 145 lb. contest in a fast fight with Wardlow.

Harold Sparks bit the dust in a stirring 165 lb. bout with Shaffer.

Robbie Gene Johns faltered to White in the 143 lb. conflict.

Testing Soils Demonstrated For Ag Boys

A demonstration on testing soils was given by county agent Jason O. Gordon to the third year agriculture class Tuesday, March 24 in the ag. room of the high school.

Four tests were made. The first was the lime test, the second was for nitrogen, the third for phosphorus and the fourth potash. The first or lime test was to determine whether the soil was alkaline or acid. The other tests were made to determine the mineral deficiency of the soil. To correct the deficiency, commercial fertilizers of the right proportions based on the results of the test, were suggested by Mr. Gordon.

A soil testing set may be purchased at a small cost and soils tested to show their needs.

A trip to study baby chick brooding and feeding was made by the first year agriculture class to Mr. Carmack's hatchery Wednesday, March 25. Brooding equipment and egg size, sexing chicks, and other subjects were discussed by Mr. Carmack in answer to questions asked by the boys.

STUDENTS DO TEACHING IN COMMERCIAL GEOGRAPHY

Coach Kelly has been doing the talking for the past two six weeks in the commercial geography class so he decided that he would let the students do the talking for the rest of the semester.

The students have made reports and once a week Mr. Kelly gives a test. On these tests he uses part of the questions turned in by the commercial geography students. These questions are taken from the topic reported on by the student.

Those who have reported are Johnnie Belsher, Billy Bean, Douglas Beedy, Grace Beedy, James Bishop, Martha Brotherton, Roy Baxter, Oran Beck, Cageline Carmack, Eddie Wayne Conner, Bill Conway, Francis Cox, Ima Lee Graham, Charles Dudley, Margaret Camden, Junior Calahan and Troy Cummings.

All the other commercial geography students will have their chance after six weeks test.

SUBSTITUTE FOR MISS REA AND COACH KELLY

Mrs. J. T. Little of Floydada, has been substituting for Miss Rea who was absent Monday and Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Little taught her American History classes.

Coach Kelly was gone Thursday to Dallas and Mrs. Little taught his classes.

Whirlwinds Take Fling At Track During Week

The Whirlwinds of Floydada High school are taking a fling at track now. Since there is no county meet, Floydada and Lockney will determine later the ones to represent this county in the district meet.

Floydada has a few veterans back from last year. They are LeRoy Chowning, Bud DuBois, Joe Rushing, Troy Cummings, Gene Loran, Robin Griffin and Bill Conway.

The boys are now getting in shape to run for the big final at Lubbock. Since they have just started, only a few of the boys know for sure which events they will enter. Here are the entrants in some events:

Dashes: Gene Loran and Troy Cummings.

Hurdles: LeRoy Chowning and Joe Rushing.

Weights: Harold Sparks and Joe Rushing.

Mile Run: Eddie Wayne Connor and Robin Griffin.

880 Yard run: Bud Dubois.

thought. When Jr. thinks enough of a girl to erase another girl's name from a "Best All-Around Girl" box and put another girl's name in its place, it can't be "Serious", can it? Johnnie Ruth and James Bishop gave the excuse, "I Didn't Know What Time it Was" when they failed to get home before 1:30 a. m. Thursday night.

Is Jean Wester still in such a state over W. C. Trowbridge that she "Cries for Him"?

"I Understand that L. W. Bridges Jr. said 'The Night Is Young' and you are so Beautiful" to Kay Sparks last Friday night at Johnny's party.

"My Man," says McNutt is not Jimmy Denman but James Alexander.

"Springtime" in in the air and several of the students around here are beginning to feel the effects of it. For instance Juanell Amburn and Wallace Covington are beginning to be "Crazy" about each other.

"This didn't happen on the 'Side-walks of New York', but right here on our own sidewalks. James Alexander 'Walked Home in the Twilight' with Dora Barbee the other day.

"A Kiss in the Dark" isn't always welcome, D. I. but I suppose you know since you tried it.

J. D. Morrison has a "Little Brother" and is Bettye Merle Boteler glad?

Inell does not say, "I'm the Loneliest Gal in Town" since she received the "Last Letter" from 3811 Lamesa.

"My Time is Your Time" is what Flo Ella thinks about Mal Jarboe.

"A Pretty Girl is Like a Melody" to Jack. Anyway he enjoyed waiting on them in Wichita.

Mary Helen believes, "There Ain't No Sweet Man That's Worth", a heart break, so she quit having anything to do with them.

"You Are the One" Dora Faye who is going to have to propose as Jack is too bashful, or else, he has more sense.

Who is the "Sweeter Someone" that makes Lajuana Jo's heart beat now that she and Eddie Wayne don't go together anymore. What happened, Eddie Wayne?

"My Heart is Taking Lessons", trying to find out how to win Merle Barber's heart because lots of girls would like to gain this knowledge; however he seems not to care for "Wine, Women, and Song".

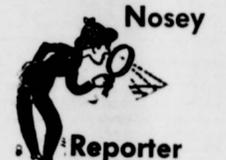
Notices

The school time changed again last Monday. School now begins at 9:00 o'clock, and is out at 3:15 o'clock—War Time.

School will be dismissed Friday, April 3, and Monday, April 6, for Easter Holidays.

Several of the teachers will be out of town for the holidays, and several of the students are planning to go away.

Members of the Senior class and the class sponsor are indebted to many for help given in presenting the Senior carnival. Particularly are we due thanks to Coach Murry, to Mrs. Minnie Smartt, to Mr. Gray and to Mr. Martin.



Nosey Reporter

"I Could Write a Book" on all the "Romances" that are enlivening the spirits of the "Little Red School House" in my "Old Home Town", but I have some "Mighty Fine" tales to tell about all the unfortunate people who indulge in the romantic pastimes.

For instance, there is Eddie Duncan, Virginia is beginning to suspect him of being a "Two-Timer" since he was seen with Bettye Jean Platt and the two of them are forming a "Tangle Web 'Round His Heart".

And there is the sad case of Macel Beeler. The boy can't decide which of about "Ten Pretty Girls" he likes best.

There is a rumor that "Wedding Bells" might "Some Day" ring for Frankie. She is wearing an engagement ring, and an engagement is usually considered a "Prelude" to marriage. Congratulations, Frankie.

"Hearts Are Never Blue" for La Faun these days. Merle Scoggins hasn't attempted to "Set the World on Fire" but he has certainly "Started a Flame" in La Faun's heart.

Bryan Meredith has "Got a Girl" in Crosbyton. "Gee Whiz!" Those Crosbyton girls must have what it takes, or maybe they're "Just Lucky".

Well! There have been some "Changes Made" in the Eakin-Chowning romance. Leroy isn't at all essential to Bettye's happiness since Bob Jarrett of South Plains stepped into the picture. Looks like the "Eternal Triangle" again.

"Let's Fall in Love," said Floyd Bradford's heart when he sat beside Merle Simmons in assembly last Wednesday. But Merle had other plans and now there seems to be a Simmons-Bertrand romance sprouting. Of course, it's young, but "It Seems to Me" that it has a very good chance to keep on growing.

"Billie Ruth Love has a 'Lonesome Feeling' and the cause of it is Lindsey Lackey.

"Gracious Goodness!" This "Love Affair" between Ruth Webb and Jr. Simpson is even more serious than I

"I'm Getting Sentimental Over You" exclaimed Jimmy to Maurine because "You're a Sweet Little Headache".

Edna Earl "Doesn't Want to Cry Any More" since she got a letter from Morton.

"How Long" has it been since Margaret was R. T.'s girl? He was seen with "Another" Sunday night.

Mildred Hicks still carries the torch for Neal Cardinal. She will "Never Forget She Loves Him".

Bud, why don't you give somebody besides Neida a chance? "I See a Million People" who would be "Ga-Ga Over You".

Who were the boys who called at Evelyn's, Dorothy Tye's, Arla Vee's Floy Jean's and Frances' homes, said "You don't have anything the vitamins won't cure," and handed them each a pint of milk? Quite a novel idea, boys.

Wayland Hale might be a "Killer Diller from the South," but he can't seem to slay Miss Hale with his smooth line.

Whose pen was Marie Jackson wearing the other day? "Are you Faithful" to the boy in Oklahoma, Marie?

"What Could Have Happened" to make Dora Faye push Cleo and make her fall and hurt her back?

This is all for this week, but boys don't forget your girl on Easter. Be sure to send her some "Chocolate Candy".

YE OLDE PERFECTE GIRLE!

Anything in this story which might make one think that the author is partial to boys is purely coincidental since the author is a girl.

Figure—Floy Jean Hale; Cute—Johnny Belsher; Beautiful—Alene Tinney; Hair—Margaret Camden; Eyes—Maude Moore; Teeth—Flora Jeter; Smile—Tella Jo Smart; Personality—Dorothy Ann Dooley; Clothes—Joy Cardwell; Neat—Roberta Medlen; Hands—Lajuana Leibfried.

YE OLDE PERFECTE BOYE!

Physique—Carlton Fawver; Handsome—(He must be at college!); Cute—Eddie Wayne Conner; Hair—Herschell Hinson; Teeth—Kenneth Johnson; Eyes—J. D. Morrison; Smile—Johnny Cardinal; Personality—Bill Conway; Clothes—R. T. Tyler; Neat—Virgil Williams; Lady's man—Thomas Flynn Thagard; Faithfulness—Joe Rushing; Truthfulness—(Is there one?)

Alice Helms, Roy Baxter Win Contest Out of about 1200 votes cast in the entire contest, Alice Helms, senior candidate for all-round girl, and Roy Baxter, junior candidate for all-round boy, were announced winners at the senior carnival Saturday night by Mr. Walter Travis.

When they were asked how they felt when their names were announced, Alice said, "I was surprised and thrilled," and Roy said "I couldn't hear it and when I found out I wondered who the girl was."

Roy came to high school this year from Fairview. He is to be one of the Whirlwind captains for next year. He is sixteen years of age and the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baxter.

Alice came to high school as a sophomore. She is sixteen years old and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Helms.

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NEW SPRING HATS (By Gracie Waller) The new spring hat is a dilly, They're no use when it's chilly The wind gets around in a whirl, And blows off the hat and ruins the curl. They're of little use to Mary or Nancy. They are laughed at and made fun, But a laugh is good for anyone. What is it that which causes excitement, And makes all the people's eyes gleam; What is the best that is in the land? Why, our Floydada Whirlwind team

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"Smells like something cooking"

IT'S NO FUN riding behind a car that is laying a smoke screen, enveloping you in clouds of evil-smelling fumes.

And it's no fun for the owner of the car which is doing the smoking. Every mile he drives is wasting his money and shortening the life of his motor. Any mechanic will tell him that he needs new rings or new pistons.

Chances are the trouble started long ago with imperfect motor lubrication. Good oil would definitely have lengthened the life of the motor.

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Scholastic Rolls Hold Up First Time In Years

The scholastic population of Floydada Independent School district, it appears, this year will equal the population of last year. If this forecast turns out to be correct it will be the first time in more than a decade since there was not at least a small decrease. J. B. Houston at the end of March, said he had 707 children on his list, which figure, however, will not become official until it has been checked by the county superintendent's office. Last year the rolls carried 702 names after the check-up had been made. This year the corrections

and duplications could cost the district five names and still equal the census of last year. The importance of the census to the school district financially lies in the fact that the apportionment from the state school funds is \$22.50 per capita. High point in the district's scholastic population came in 1930 when more than 900 names appeared on the census rolls. Decrease in the 12-year period has been approximately 240 names. In 1939-40 the rolls carried 730 names; in 1940-41 the list totalled 716. Mrs. W. B. Hall of Plainview visited relatives in Floydada Thursday. Bruce Edwards of Albuquerque, New Mexico, visited his brother Henry Edwards and Mrs. Edwards Thursday and Friday while here on a business trip.

No Special Term District Court, Judge Announces

The special term of District court set for Monday, April 6, will not be held but the case set down on the docket for that time will be carried over to the regular term of court, District Judge Alton B. Chapman announced the latter part of last week. Petit jury panel for the special term had already been drawn and the wheels set in motion for the special session when it was found that material witnesses in the case would not be available. The suit is one brought by Grady Wright, of Hale county, against the Franklin Fire Insurance company, of Philadelphia, Pa. A truck load of eggs valued at between \$1,500 and \$2,000 was destroyed in a fire on a Colorado highway. The suit would be for the purpose of determining the responsibility of the insuring company.

C. W. Cash Died Tuesday At San Diego, Cal.

News of the death on Tuesday morning of C. W. Cash at San Diego, California, was received Wednesday in a telegraphic message by the S. N. McPeak family. Only brief information was contained in the telegram, but Mr. Cash had been suffering from a heart ailment for the past few years. He was 59 years of age and the family had been living in San Diego for the past two years. Mr. Cash will be buried at Comanche, Texas, home of his youth sometime the early part of next week, according to present plans of the family. The surviving widow is the former Betty McPeak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McPeak early-day residents of this city. One daughter, Mrs. Cloy Angelo of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and four sons survive. The sons are Durward of Port Worth, Claude and Lonzo of San Diego, and Bruce, recently moved to Oklahoma.

CAPTAIN WAKEFIELD AND FAMILY VISIT HERE LAST WEEK

Captain and Mrs. R. C. Wakefield and little son Bobby Clint who have been making their home in Washington, where Captain Wakefield has been stationed at Fort Lewis, visited friends in Floydada Thursday and Friday. Captain Wakefield was enroute to attend an officers school at Fort Knox, Kentucky. While he is at Fort Knox, Mrs. Wakefield and son will visit at Midway with both her parents and Captain Wakefield's parents. Captain Wakefield resigned his place here as manager of the Texas-New Mexico Utilities company several months ago to go into the service. A number of friends held informal get-togethers to visit the Wakefields during their visit here. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Finley and daughter, June, are leaving today for San Diego, California, where they plan to make their home.

EGG PRODUCTION REFLECTS KIND, QUALITY OF FEED

Efficient egg production is influenced by the amount of feed it is possible to induce each laying hen to eat daily, according to George P. McCarthy, extension poultry husbandman at Texas A. & M. Normally one hen will eat about 80 pounds of feed a year, approximately half of which should be mash and one half grain for best results. Egg mash, or laying mash, is the important portion of the feed for hens that are expected to lay. Laying mash is a combination of feeds which are high in protein and other ingredients essential for keeping the hens in good health, as well as for producing a maximum number of eggs. Laying mash must constitute one-half, or 40 pounds, of the yearly ration. The usual mixtures for laying rations comprise 100 pounds protein supplement and 200 pounds of ground home-grown grains to make a suitable mash mixture. The grains may be corn, maize or hedges in combination with oats. One hundred laying hens will consume about 3½ tons of home grown grains a year, McCarthy adds.

the net income from the flock is figured on the basis of increased return from home produced grain, the producer will find that he sold his grain at about double the market price. In some cases even greater return can be made.

FOOD COSTS LESS

In 1929 the average factory worker spent one-third of his wages for a standard food budget of 58 items. This year, so far, he has spent only one-fourth of his income for the same amounts of the same items. As to actual cost, retail food prices during the first six months of 1941 averaged just 70 per cent of the 1929 level. These figures give the lie to the charge that the farmer is getting rich. So far this year he has received only 80 per cent as much for feeding the nation as he got in the year 1929 which has been accepted as a period of prosperity for the nation. Farm prices (and food prices) can increase a full 25 per cent without exceeding the levels they reached back "in the good, old days."

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stanforth of South Plains spent the week end in Dallas with their son Lieutenant W. M. Stanforth in the ferry command of the U. S. Air Corps. Lieutenant Stanforth was enroute to New Jersey to deliver an aeroplane.

Clean, white rags wanted at The Hesperian office.



Using Wood Gas Fuel—Above is shown an American tractor equipped with a wood-gas converter and used on a farm in Europe. More than 500,000 motor vehicles now are using a war-time gas extracted from chunks of wood, charcoal or sawdust, in converters of this general design.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newberry and daughter Billie and Mrs. Carl Rodgers returned Sunday from Strawn where they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Patterson, parents of Mrs. Newberry and Mrs. Rodgers. "The sweet young thing asked me if I could tell her how to play pool. 'Sure, it's easy enough,' I told her. 'All you do is smack the ball and then walk.'" "How interesting," she replied. "Just like some auto rides I've been on."

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Friday, Saturday and Monday

CARROTS Bunch	2 1/2 c
GRAPEFRUIT Each	2 1/2 c
CABBAGE Pound	1 1/2 c
PEANUT BUTTER Full Quart	35c
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APPLES Choice Dried, Pound	18c
COCONUT Fancy Shredded, Pound	23c
PINTO BEANS Fancy Colorado, Pound	6c
MILK Carnation, 3 Large or 6 Small	25c
FLOUR 12 lb. Silver Peak, Guaranteed	49c
SPUDS White Colorado, 10 Lb.	23c
COFFEE Our Own Blend, Ground Fresh, Lb.	28c
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COFFEE Admiration, 3 Lb. Jar	.99
PINTO BEANS 25c Sack	.19
JELLO Any Flavor, Per Box	.07
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MEXICAN STYLE BEANS, 3 Cans, 25c
Pos-Tens, Package, Ten Packages of Post's Cereals, 19c
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