

EDITORIALS

Too many cattle are disappearing from pastures and lots adjacent to highways for live stock owners to feel comfortable at nights when they lay them down to rest. The next morning they count early, but sometimes too late at that. Apparently "black market" has nothing to do with the matter. Just plain cattle theft almost has to be the answer. The fact that the animals do not show up at any of the sales pens or stockyards of the country indicates they are going to somebody who is careless about establishing ownership and identity of the animals they buy. Whatever precautions can be evidently should be taken by stock owners. Possibly the old custom of branding everything may come back again if the thefts continue, especially if they increase.

The story last week which told of \$220,000 worth of hogs being marketed through the Floydada lots of the Lubbock Hog & Cattle company in a period of three months, along with other stories of cattle and sheep sales, tells why that other story of record breaking bank deposits can be told. When hogs are reasonably high in price they represent a natural way for the high plains farmer to harvest his feed.

Every year, if we are to have a cold snap, it hits around the time for spirea to blossom. Since that time has arrived for the type of spirea we have planted in banks around over Floyd county, the cold snap had better hit quick to be on schedule. Not only spirea but many fruit trees and other trees are wide open for damage now. All hands are whooping it up for the late April cold snap to miss this year. Hold the right thought. Let's get by this time if we can. But note the mesquites and the cottonwood. Until they begin to show signs of spring the danger of cold is not over. Imported trees and shrubs may, often do, get caught. But the mesquites and cottonwood, native to West Texas, have the formula for knowing when to put out safely.

But go ahead with your Victory garden plans. Suppose your first planting gets killed, the garden plot ought to have been worked better than your husband worked it, anyhow, and the second planting will do better for the additional cultivation it will get.

Cherries and grapes for sure fruit crops in Floyd county, plums next and peaches every so often. That's the story as to fruits. Do not plant a lot of high-priced peach trees, old-timers say. Some of them spent small fortunes in former days trying to make big orchards of fine peach trees pay them. Now they plant seedlings or encourage the little trees wherever they spring up, they say. But cherries, spend your money on the right varieties and you will not be sorry. Grapes, which also are pretty sure to escape spring freezes, of late years are affected by parasites that must be sprayed for. This calls for "trigger work" and a sprayer and things of that kind. Those who know how and do spray, however, say this is not as bad as it sounds, and grapes make a lot of good food for the winter pantry.

Essential food can be destroyed by fire. Fire prevention is important on the farm. Food destroyed at its source of production affects national security.

An effective clean-up campaign is essential to keep our communities, homes and farms safe from the standpoint of health as well as fire.

Do you remember that there has been a time within the past 10 years when butterfat sold as low as 12 cents and eggs at a dime and less? The feed was nil and the pastures not much better and the quality of eggs and cream was not anything to shout about. Well, eggs are high now and cream is, too, directly attributable to the war, we are sure, but had it not been the war it would have been something else. The highs and the lows, the mountains and the valleys, come in cycles or waves, it seems, the higher the mountain the deeper the valley on the other side. This doesn't mean anything in particular except that now is the time to prepare for that low which is inevitable and will sweep the unprepared off their feet, and into another huge relief program which cannot now be forecast. It will be fine to be one of those who go ahead and attend to their own affairs instead of sitting on a long bench somewhere waiting for some relief agent to get time to fine out whether you want beans or sorghum. Those of us who cannot buy bonds on account of debt can at least contribute our part in this manner. Every dollar paid a creditor is another one he will have idle unless he puts it into war bonds.

Those who can't get here on their A mileage gasoline will be here by some other means, if need be by horseback or in a buggy, is the way we have it in mind about the Pioneer's re-union this year, and the executives had just as well go ahead and make plans for the county's fifty-third birthday observance on May 28. Somebody may think of a good, compelling reason why the re-union should be put off. But our idea is that it will be good for the old-timers themselves and good for the war. Morale can't be bought at too high a price even if the cost were high in gasoline and tires, which it will not be, we feel. The executives of the association will make up their minds next Saturday. A few have expressed a doubt about whether we should go ahead with plans. We think the pioneers can have their re-union and do no harm to the war effort in material things while helping a lot on the social side.

Unless you have to spend the money to carry on your part of the war program, don't spend it. Luxuries you would like to have are what other folks with money to spend also want. Between you you bid the price too high and the result is what we had after the other war—cotton, cattle, feed, eggs, butter, furniture, dry goods, shoes, sugar, flour, everything too high. However, things that happened in the other war and immediately afterward, are happening this time on a much grander scale. This time the automobile, refrigerator, small fire arms, typewriter, and scores of other manufacturers are not making their lines at all but have converted all their factories into war ordnance plants. Additionally, the others which are still making what they formerly made, are billing all their output to Uncle Sam to be swallowed up in the maws of war. You'll have money to spend and will hanker to spend it for what you want to spend it for. But don't do it. Put those funds to work for Uncle Sam. There'll come a day again when a dollar will be a dollar.

A complete clean-up of fire hazards in the home, at the factory, and on the farm will mean greater safety.

More people are run down by gossip than by automobiles, particularly these days.

As we grow better, we meet better people.—Elbert Hubbard.

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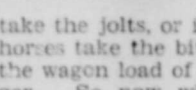
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As A Farm Woman Thinks

By Nellie Witt Spikes

The times remind one of riding in a wagon the horses going from a fast trot into a gallop. If you do not brace your feet firmly against the floor and stiffen your whole body, you will be thrown up and down, and body rigid, the jolting will almost shake you to pieces. The man holds the reins, the others look to his guidance to make the team take the wagon where they want to go. If you weaken or sit down, you cannot take the jolts, or if the man lets the horses take the bits in their mouths, the wagon load of people are in danger. So now when the team of war horses is hitched to America's wagon, we must let the driver do his best, while we hold on, chin up, and bodies braced, for that is the only way we can keep the jolts of war from shaking our lives to pieces.



Grains of seed corn are falling from the cobs as farmers rig up their planters, and the sound makes one think of roasting ears, fresh meal and hominy. Planting time is starting, no rest for the weary from now on. The wheat is a green shawl, the shivering April has wrapped around her brown shoulders and like busy women of old, the farmers are quilting fan shaped rows in fields; a slender gray fuzzy coat around his distracted mother in circles, brown Jersey calves sun by the side of the weathered gray barn, the garden is marked off in green rows, and the wind stirs through polished green leaves, spruce—arrived and is unpacking her wares, what will you have? Feathery sprays of white bridal wreath? Soft yellow downy chicks? A mocking bird to build in your tree and sing your blues away? Or are you waiting for the velvet pink and green leaves of the grape? Or would take a bottle of plum blossom perfume? Greedily I say "I take this and this and that and more and more," never getting quite enough to last from spring to spring.

Sunday was a very pleasant, happy day, from early morn till twilight crept across the prairie. In the morning it was a great privilege to hear Arthur B. the son of our old friends, Charlie and Emma Watkins stand in the pulpit and bring such

way of life. As he stood before us a helpful message for the better speaking on "personal integrity" in the eye of my mind I saw a handsome young man and his sweet lovely wife, establishing a home in a new land, and the integrity of this pioneer couple set a standard, and these young people were the grandparents, Duncan, of this preacher. And I saw a red head blazing down the streets of Emma and bowing over a printing press where words of "personal integrity" spoke to the settlers in the one room house and the duplets. By the side of this red head was one of soft brown, and they established another home setting up the standard of personal integrity at their door, these young people the father and mother, Charlie and Emma Watkins, of this fine young man who has never known any other rule in his surroundings than that of the one he so earnestly held before his church and his visitors. After church the greetings in friendship, for old friends and new welcomed me and as I came home I felt a great peace and blessing in my life.

At dinner Wilma, Paul and Joe Ell's and Wilds sat at our table with a guest, Herschel Drury, and after that visitors came to gladden the afternoon. Henry Barber, Corine and son, Dan, brought her mother, Mrs. Vince Jones of Weatherford and Mrs. Sam Phillips, who teaches at Cone, to see us. We looked at queer pictures of the family in the old albums, compared the old blue back speller and Ray's arithmetic with the ones of today. As soon as the car stopped Don ran straight to me, and breathlessly said, May I have the old sword, right now? And with his mother's red and white checked gingham belt, the old sword, used by Grandfather Spikes as he rode to war in his suit of gray on a swift horse, was tied around the waist of Don, and at once he was a dashing soldier. For years friends have told me that I should get better acquainted with Mrs. Phillips, but she was teaching and I was busy and I find I have missed a great deal by not talking with her sooner, for she is pleasant and entertaining and we hope she comes again. My mother's cousin's wife, Laura Jones, is a woman who brings the sweetness of her life to all she comes in contact with and is always brings us happiness when we are with her. We will look forward to these pleasant visitors coming again.

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

News Items from the Files of The Hesperian (Issue of April 18, 1929)

Baker Mercantile company of Lucknow has been in business for thirty-five years and they had the experience Tuesday of realizing they had been robbed for the first time in that period of years.

Contract for a brick and tile community church building was awarded by citizens of Fairview last week to H. M. McDonald, local contractor and construction is due to begin at once. The Fairview church will be located near the Fairview school and will be a thorough modern building.

O. T. Williams, instructor of the Vocational Agricultural class of Floydada High school, and the members of the F. H. S. Farm shop and plant production teams, will leave Saturday for College Stations, where they will compete in the annual state meet of vocational teams at A. & M. college. The eight boys representing Floydada are Martin True, Elvin Rainer, Frank Roberts, Orval Poore, Martin Williamson, Hansel McAda, Raymond Palmer and Milton Ashton.

Miss Garnette White and Polk Goen were married Saturday, April 8, at Dickens City by Rev. Harris pastor of the Baptist church of that city but did not announce their marriage until Saturday, April 13. They were attended by Miss Mabel Willis and Ray Clements.

Bert Barker went to Dallas Monday where he is attending a dealer's school being held there this week. He was accompanied by his wife and little son.

R. B. Gary of the Harmony community has recently been appointed district dealer for the DeLco light plant, D. L. Water Pumps and D. C. Frigidaire, taking the place of E. W. Kinney of Plainview.

Mrs. W. H. Hilton returned Wednesday night from Mineral Wells where she attended the joint state convention of Woodmen of the world and Woodmen circle which was held in that city April 8, 9, 10 and 11. Mrs. Hilton was a delegate from the Floydada Grove. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Walter Pennington of Childress.

Mrs. John Reagan returned home Tuesday afternoon from Crosbyton where she spent a week with her parents, Judge and Mrs. B. H. Howard and visited her brother, Grady who has been confined to his bed for several weeks with a broken leg.

The swollen, aggressive turbans of jeweled Pashas. New you are a very decent flower. A curiously-cut clear-cut, candid flower. Standing beside clean doorways. Friendly to a house-cat and a pair of spectacles. Making poetry out of a bit of moonlight. And a hundred or two sharp blossoms.

Any Lowell was the poet who wrote the above lines. Read the poem for it is fine. If I were a poet I would add about lilacs nodding above sweet old faces pinned on black hats with bows of mesh veiling. Of little fat hands clasping purple lilacs to take in to mother, of lilacs covering the harsh dirt of a new-made grave. The death of Mr. Blasingame who

once lived near Cone and has since spent his remaining days at the home of a daughter in Fort Arthur. He has made sad the many friends he always full of fun, friendly and honest, true and a good neighbor. Such men America has had and their way of life has been passed down to the boys who are so busy defending this way of living that we have so long had and enjoyed.

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In the shops of the Nation, turning out vital war machine needs, you hear a lot about the man with the "know how."

With an appalling shortage of vital fats and oils, and Protein for Beef and Dairy Cattle, facing the Nation this year, we already have a man with the "know how" to MEET that need... the cotton farmer.

We have the land—the climate—the trained farmer, the mills and other needed facilities to get the job done.

Let's plant every acre legally permitted... produce every pound of cotton possible.

Let's grow an extra bale for Victory in 1943!

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Floydada, Texas

HOLIDAY NOTICE
SAN JACINTO DAY
APRIL 21
LEGAL HOLIDAY
This Bank will be Closed in Observance
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
FLOYDADA, TEXAS

Beginning Monday, April 19, Banking Hours for the Summer will be 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

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"Your New Easter Dress"

... if you'll bring it to us for Cleaning and Pressing!
Our cleaning service has "magic". Your suits and dresses will come out looking like new. Come in today... we appreciate your business.

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BUY MORE WAR BONDS!

Better Attendance Sunday Night's Service Urged

(Rev. L. A. Doyle, pastor)

We want to express our appreciation for the good attendance we are having on our Sunday morning services. Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock now and we are trying to cycle now and we are trying to cycle now and we are trying to cycle now.

There is a wide spread notion that Sunday morning attendance is sufficient and that Sunday night is optional. May we look at some of the results of non-attendance on Sunday nights.

It violates God's command to not forsake the assembling of ourselves together for worship. It robs the individual of the sanctity of the Lord's day by making Sunday afternoon and night a holiday. It leads to a more hurtful and sinful amusement on Sunday nights. Twenty years of close observation reveals that parents who do not bring their children to church soon find their children in actual sin on Sunday nights. Members who make a habit of not attending Sunday night services, discourage the church, embarrass the pastor, dishonor God and lower their standard of spiritual and moral living, and through their influence cause souls to be lost in hell, perhaps the souls of your immediate family or loved ones.

Yes you have the right to ignore these facts and spend Sunday night as you please, but you cannot escape the penalty. Come to Sunday night services as a Christian duty and soon you will get a blessing and enjoy it.

Lockney Locals

LOCKNEY, April 13.—Rev. Malone of Plainview filled the vacancy at the Baptist church in the absence of the pastor, who is conducting a revival at Lamesa.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mr. Fulkerson at Matador Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Quebe of Providence and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Whorton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Byars Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Parish and children, Mrs. Bill Ruth and children of Guthrie, Oklahoma spent last week here with their parents and grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Parker, Mrs. Ella Durham of Hobbs, New Mexico visited here last week with her niece, Mrs. Clayton Weathers and family.

Miss Mayme Lou Rayburn and Miss Thelma Thompson of Plainview were dinner guests at the J. C. Weathers home. Miss Thompson is sister of Mrs. Weathers.

Mrs. Horace Weeks of Amarillo spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weathers.

Miss Fanda Lou Stevenson of Amarillo spent last Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stevenson.

A number from here attended the dairy show at Plainview this week.

Approximately one inch of rain fell during the past week.

Oscar Phillips Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Phillips were surprised last Thursday when a number of relatives and friends gathered at their new home north of Lockney for a house warming. The evening was spent visiting, popping corn and eating apples.

Miss Shirley McGee presented them with a box of nice gifts. Around thirty were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tinnin of Amarillo visited from Monday until Thursday here in the home of their daughter and family and with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Tinnin are former residents of Floydada.

FIFTY PER CENT OF HIS INCOME FOR WAR BONDS!

"Only doing his share toward winning the war," says Bridges



COLIN P. BRIDGES and his wife are both employed by the same textile mill in Shelby, N. C.

Of their combined salaries, they regularly invest more than 50 percent in United States War Bonds! Mr. Bridges says that he and his wife are savers by nature and they agree that War Bonds offer the best and safest opportunity for return on their savings.

"And, of course," says Bridges, "the purchase of War Bonds gives us a chance to share in winning this war."

Fifty percent is a record that not all of us can equal. But if, like Colin Bridges, you too are fighting on the Bond front, make it a good fight—make it the best fight you can. Boost your Bond buying through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan, right now... today!

You've done your bit—now do your best!



FLIGHT NURSES HAVE EXTENSIVE WARDROBE—Training for service in the newest and perhaps the most spectacular war activity open to women of the United States is the Evacuation Group of flight nurses, Army Nurse Corps, Kentucky. They minister to wounded soldiers being carried by air ambulance from active theaters to hospitals far behind the lines. Their arms loaded with heavy winter flying suits, these flying nurses of the Army Nurse Corps, march to their plane for a training flight. They are, left to right: Anna Rananah, Buchanan, Michigan; Patricia E. Corrigan, Chicago, Illinois; Ruth V. Finnio, Youngstown, Ohio; Geraldine L. Curtis, Warika, Oklahoma; and Irene McMullen, Macyn, Georgia; all are second lieutenants.

Baptist Pastor Resigns Sun. At Dougherty

DOUGHERTY, April 12.—The resignation of Rev. Tommie Allen, pastor of the Baptist church for the past year, was accepted by the church Sunday morning. Rev. Allen, who is a senior of Hardin-Simmons university, will accept a church nearer Abilene.

Rev. C. A. Hartley filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning. He was supply pastor at the Methodist church in Floydada Sunday night in the absence of Rev. Phil Gates.

Locals

Pvt. and Mrs. Roy Lee Lynch returned to Camp House, Gainesville Friday after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Ira Lynch and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Campbell and J. C. Baxter spent Sunday in Amarillo with their son, Cpl. and Mrs. Maurice Campbell. Maurice has been in the base hospital the past ten days with influenza.

Jim Morrison of Amarillo spent the week-end with his family here. Other guests in the Morrison home were his brother, Cpl. David Morrison of Camp Berkeley, Abilene and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Cagle and son James Ray.

Mrs. Charlie Kniramin of Blackwell visited last week in the T. J. Campbell home.

Sam Dougherty of the South Plains Air base, Lubbock, was a Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill M. Norman were business visitors in Lubbock Monday. Rev. and Mrs. Tommie Allen and baby daughter, Francis Bondell of Abilene were dinner guests of the Darrell Caruthers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Bullock and children of Blanco spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. H. N. Powell and family.

Rev. C. A. Hartley was a guest in the Claude Ring home Saturday night.

Mrs. Alfred Spencer and twin sons, Larry and Jerry of Amarillo are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Allmond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hudson will return this mid-week from Dallas. They have been guests of their daughter, Mrs. E. R. Henderson and family the past three weeks while Mr. Hudson received medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brownlow and son, Price returned home Wednesday of last week from Temple. Enroute home they visited with their daughters, Mrs. Raymond Holt and Mrs. Reynolds Sanders and families at Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis were shopping in Lubbock Thursday.

Nadine Powell in company with the D. Johnson family of Floydada spent the week-end at Farwell and Clovis, New Mexico.

C. S. Ray of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with his son Charles Ray and other relatives.

Mrs. Billie Meeker and little daughter of Amarillo are visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Allmond.

CHILDREN OF E. C. KING ALL TOGETHER SUNDAY AFTER SIX YEARS

All the children of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. King were together Sunday at the home of their parents. The occasion was the first time all the children were together in six years.

The children to Mr. and Mrs. Russell King of Jettie Beach, California; Miss Mrs. W. A. King and son Aubrey; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hillard family of Olney and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond King and son of Littlefield.

Winter News

CENTRAL, April 13.—We had good crowds for both Sunday school and church Sunday.

Olin Miller is spending some time in tin and other points on a business trip.

Mrs. S. Miller spent the latter part of week in Lubbock with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Willis with a son, Welborn who is in tag at a Lubbock air base.

Mrs. Conner came Sunday afternoon visited until Monday with M. L. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Anderson had as their lady guests her uncle and aunt.

Mrs. Leo Frizzell and Virginia Sunday afternoon with Mr. Mrs. A. W. Anderson.

N. B. Jinks has been ill with the flu almost two weeks and the past week. Mrs. Mankins has been ill L. Spence, Bun Hopper, and Elm Williams have been helping them their chores.

Miss H. Mitchell spent Saturday in Lubbock.

Rev. J. Gambrell is expected to fill his tintment Sunday.

The C church will meet at the churching Tuesday to do some painting and other repairs needed.

Jack Jan is home after being discharged from the army because of eye sight.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Colwell have their little son from Aiken visiting with them this time.

Victor H. of Plainview spent Sunday this parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Green.

Floydada Churches To Start Vacation Church School

(By Phil H. Gates, pastor First Methodist church)

There will be a cooperative Vacation Church school held at the First Methodist church beginning May 24th and closing June 4th.

It will be necessary for a set-up meeting for this school, and we are calling this meeting for next Monday night, April 19th, at 8:45 to meet at the First Methodist church—pastors, general superintendents and one worker from the children's department from the participating churches.

The churches that have already said would come in are First Christian, Presbyterian, Nazarene and Methodist. We also extend invitation to any other of the local churches who would like to enter in with us, come and meet with the group Monday night.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. J. Rhodes, D. C. Vinson, Oliver Allen, Jas. E. Green, W. P. Sims, Clyde Bagwell, J. L. Montgomery, C. J. McClure, C. L. Mitchell, W. B. Jordan, A. R. Epperson, J. F. Conner, a visitor of the club and Miss Edith Wilson, Mrs. H. B. Mankins and the hostess, Mrs. Meredith.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. G. C. Bailey, April 26.

Production of food in Britain has been increased from 40 to 60 per cent of the nation's need.

The speed of sailing yachts generally varies according to the square root of their length.

If the U. S. could reduce its consumption of fuel oils 10 per cent below last year's consumption, the resultant saving would equal the combined capacity of 566 ocean-going tankers.

The fruit of the Florida soapberry tree makes a rich lather when mixed with water.

Six hundred thousand old American Army rifles were used to arm Britain's home guard after Dunkirk.

Young seals gain weight at a rate of two or three pounds daily.

Rev. Gates Home From New Mexico To Preach Sunday

(Rev. Phil H. Gates, pastor)

The pastor will be in his pulpit Sunday morning and evening for the regular services. Sunday school 10 preaching 11 and evening services will be at 8:45 p. m.

We are glad to be home again after being away for two Sundays in a revival in New Mexico. The Lord blessed us in the meeting with seventeen souls saved and added to the church.

Fairview News

FAIRVIEW, April 13.—The rain of last week put needed moisture in the ground. Around three-fourths of an inch was reported in this community.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Gambrell and daughter, Joy, Preston Bullard and daughter, Gail, and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell attended the Worker's Conference at Fairmount Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Benton Ritchey has been ill for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewart entertained a large group of young people with a picnic and wicker roast down in the canyons Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kitchens of near Floydada were Sunday visitors of her brother, C. H. Wise and family.

Ely Horton and L. D. Horton of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Line and children of Petersburg and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Foster and girls from Dougherty visited Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradford. Other visitors in the Bradford home were Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Crabtree.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Perry and Mary Dee Cozy visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reeves.

Robert Cannon was called to Jacksboro last week to attend the funeral of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Everts and son, Gerald of Eastland visited from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stewart. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewart were Sunday visitors in the G. A. Stewart home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson and children, Joy Gambrell and June Hattine visited in the Preston Bullard home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Gambrell and sons, Eudie and Bob were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bagwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleborn Payne Sunday afternoon.

Conference was held Sunday morning at the Baptist church. Preaching days were changed from first and third Sundays to second and fourth Sundays of each month. The Sunday school will begin at 10:30 a. m. and B. T. U. at 8:45 p. m. The time for the summer revival was set for the second Sunday in August continuing throughout the fourth Sunday. There were 62 present Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Gambrell and family have moved from the Leslie Crabtree place to the Guffee place three and one half miles east of Fairview.

Mrs. Lee Burgett and daughter, Neoma, visited over the week-end at Carlsbad, New Mexico with Mr. Burgett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burgett.

Mrs. B. D. Jones, Nell and Marilyn visited in the Lee Burgett home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collins and sons from Aiken visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lyles and son Floyd, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Barker Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Gambrell made a business trip to Plainview Monday.

Mrs. Melvin Wright of Lubbock visited Saturday with her sisters Mrs. B. D. Jones and Miss Myra Dunavant.

ARMINTA BERRY INJURED

Armintha Berry escaped serious injuries Sunday when she fell from a canyon hill. She sustained bruises all over her body and a gash on her knee that required eight stitches to close the wound.

Unused to playing on hillsides, the child started running down a high place south of Floydada, when she slipped and fell, rolling to the foot of the incline.

She was brought to a local hospital by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry. She will be out of school the remainder of the week on the advice of her physician.

DOT HAMMONDS NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. Dot Hammonds have a new son, born at a Lubbock hospital Sunday night. The little son has been named Mickey Don.

Ralph Hammonds is expected home this week-end from Camp Davis, N. C. where he has recently completed his course in officers training. He will visit here with his wife and little daughter while on leave.

Mrs. Bee Martin and daughter, Wanda and son, Marion, returned home Saturday after spending several days with her son, L. B. Martin and family at Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Floyd of Memphis visited last week in the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith.

Mrs. C. F. Lincoln is expected home today from Brownfield where she visited the past week in the home of her son and wife, Judge and Mrs. C. L. Lincoln.

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Although we pause quite often and take analysis of ourselves and business, searching diligently, trying to see if there is some way we can give you a better laundry, we realize when business is good, there is danger of getting in a rut.

We are eager to show you our appreciation of your liberal patronage, we are willing to pay you for your ideas and criticism. As it is difficult for us to see our faults, we are offering you a first and second prize to the one who offers us the best suggestions on how to improve our business. FIRST—we wish you to answer the question below:

Do we have plenty of hot, soft water and steam?
Do we show a genuine desire to serve?
Do we show our appreciation of you?
Is our laundry clean and sanitary?
Do we treat each of you as a preferred customer, or do you think we show partiality?

NOW we wish to have your idea of improvement but please offer something practical... keep in mind that parts and labor is scarce and almost double former prices, while we have the same price for laundry.

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A. J. CLINE, Agent PHONE 36

Tires Available Once More For Farm Tractors

Keeping tractor and other farm implements operating full time on the farm front highlights two recent actions regarding tires, the Texas USDA War Board said this week. The first action lifts county quota restrictions on farm tractor and implement tires while the second action specifies farmers may obtain tires recapped with reclaimed rubber without rationing certificates. This is in line also with information the Rationing board has in hand.

Farmers now are required to apply only to their local rationing boards to obtain sufficient tires for farm use. The local boards have been advised by OPA that substantial district, state and regional reserves have been established to provide for needs. Also, a national reserve will be maintained to increase field office supplies of this type tire.

The principal reason behind the move which frees recapping with reclaimed rubber from rationing restrictions was the desire to have farmers recap their tires in time to prevent total loss of worn tire casings. As a move to conserve rubber replacements will not be issued for tires that can be recapped.

Previously, recapping of rear wheel tractor tires was not required and replacements were granted even though the tires to be replaced were suitable for recapping.

Tractor and implement tires will now be recapped with Grade F camel back, which contains no crude rubber.

McCoy News

McCoy, April 12—Everyone enjoyed the nice rain last week. And to take advantage of it, the farmers have started their plowing.

Rev. Reed filled his appointment Sunday and Sunday night, with good crowds present for the services.

Dinner guests in the H. A. Turdy home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Turdy.

T. L. Pittman and family received a telegram last week telling of the death of their son-in-law, C. A. Mara of Los Angeles, California.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith visited in Olton with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Curry recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hulse have their sons, Lieutenant Charles Hulse and Griggs Hulse come home on a few days furlough.

Leslie Ewing and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ewing visited in Amarillo last week-end.

Rev. Reed visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hood Peel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Smith recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller of Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hartsell have moved back to make their home here after residing their home in California.

A large crowd attended the party at the school house in honor of the Hulse boys.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eibank visited in Lubbock Sunday with Mrs. W. C. Cates, who is receiving medical treatment in a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. T. L. Pittman and Miss Glynnis Ruth Sparks are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Embry and Lloyd visited in New Mexico recently with her daughter Mrs. Marion Woolbright. The Woolbrights spent the week-end here visiting her mother.

STATED MEETING OF WACO LODGE HONORS T. M. BARTLEY IN CEREMONIES

In a recent stated meeting of Baylor Lodge, A. F. & A. M. of Waco, held to honor Thomas M. Bartley, secretary of the Grand Royal Arch chapter of Texas, the distinguished Mason was presented his 50-year button as a Mason and also a Past-master's Certificate of Floydada Lodge No. 712. Bartley has retained his membership in the Floydada lodge since he was made a Mason in 1892.

The historic certificate from the Floydada organization was signed by T. E. Leach as master and M. L. Probasco as clerk. According to the records of the lodge here Mr. Bartley was master in the year 1912-13.

Among the distinguished Masons of the state present for the presentation was President Pat M. Neff of Baylor university who is grand junior warden of the Grand Lodge of Texas. He, among other notables made appropriate remarks at the ceremonies. Texas Grand Lodge magazine reports the lodge room filled with a large crowd. Mr. Bartley was completely taken by surprise when he was called to the altar and presented the Past Master's certificate and the 50-year button.

AVIATOR HOME FROM KANSAS IN SIX HOURS WHEN ADVISED OF MOTHER'S ILLNESS

When Lieut. LeRoy Cates, mother Mrs. W. C. Cates, became seriously ill in a Lubbock hospital last Friday, he was somewhere over Kansas in a routine flight but has reported back to his base at a Clovis air field and was at her bedside in six hours.

"LeRoy's base officers were mighty nice to him," said W. C. Cates, at home for a brief stay before returning to his wife. "When we telephoned they called him in several hundred miles by radio."

Young Cates, who is nearing the completion of his training flights, has been stationed at Clovis for some weeks, after being awarded his wings in ceremonies some weeks ago at Randolph field.

Buck Conner who is employed with the Mechanical Training school at Amarillo, spent the first of the week here with his wife.

Mrs. C. D. Hart of Amarillo spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. West and relatives.

Floyd Co. WAAC Recruit Quota 5 By June 30

Floyd county's quota for enlistment of members of the Women's Army Auxiliary corps has been set at five for the second quarter ending June 30. Only two women enlisted in the WAACs on the quota of eight for the period which ending March 31. The two were Katy M. Martin, Floydada and Curtis E. Simmons, South Plains.

Among requirements are that recruits must be between 21 and 44 years of age, in good health, with no dependents for financial support and without children under 14 years of age.

Women are needed to qualify as bookkeepers, camera technicians, drivers, messengers, musicians, radio operators, repairmen, statisticians, stenographers, telephone operators and typists. Pay for the WAACs is the same as for soldiers. Any information concerning the WAAC may be obtained in Floydada from Mrs. J. B. Jenkins.

Sand Hill News

(Too late for last week)

SAND HILL, April 6.—Marvin Jeter spent several days last week with his daughter, Mrs. E. T. Williams and family of Amarillo.

The annual school and community picnic was held at the Day crossing last Friday. Several parents and young people attended. After enjoying a nice picnic lunch, the afternoon was spent playing baseball.

Mr. and Mrs. Pike Hanna, Pike Reece and LaFawn of Lubbock spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Shurbet and family, and with Mrs. Hanna's family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reece of Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Perry and daughter Charline and Mr. and Mrs. Robinson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Robinson of Irick.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cowen of Allmon spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pricer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pricer had at their guests Monday several of his brothers and sisters. Those visiting were Mrs. John Hairston of Idalou, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Teal of Becton, Mr. Ben Davis of Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Teal of Borger, and Sergeant B. H. Teal and wife of Big Spring. Sergeant Teal and Mrs. Teal remained Monday night and until Tuesday afternoon when they went on to Amarillo for a visit with a brother.

Flora Jeter, who is employed in Floydada spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jeter.

Mrs. Oleta Gordon spent the week-end in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shaw.

HOME CANNING SUGAR

Sugar for home-canning of 1943 fruit crops will be available to housewives on approximately the same basis as last season, the Office of Price Administration has announced. No deduction of blue point stamps will be made from War Ration Book Two for sugar obtained for this purpose.

In the 1942 season, housewives applied to their local War Price and Rationing Boards for allotments of sugar on the basis of one pound for each four quarts of fruit that was planned to can, and, in addition, for one pound for each member of the family. Roughly the same pattern will be used to give home-canning sugar allotments this year, although there will be some refinements in procedure. Under present regulations, local boards have authority to set the time and place for registration.

JACK MYERS OF LOCKNEY SUFFERS BURNED HAND

Jack Myers, Lockney, suffered a badly burned hand several days ago when hot tar that he was repairing a leak in the bottom of a boat exploded.

Reports are that the tar hit some water in the boat, making the tar explode and cover Mr. Myers hand.

Filing supplies, business forms, binders at The Hesperian.

Truett McCarty Tells Of Sights In Washington

(Editor's Note: The following letter was written from Pvt. Truett E. McCarty to his aunt, Miss Mary McCarty with whom he made his home since a small child. Truett has been in service since January 6 and is located at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. He is in the enlisted reserve training corps.)

I will try to tell you a little about what I have seen in Washington. I guess the most interesting one is the capitol. The entire length is 751 ft. and 350 feet wide. There is a hall going all the way through length ways, with no doors in it. I believe it is the longest hall I have ever looked down. The center is of sandstone and the extensions are of marble. Also was in the Hall of representatives and the Senate chamber. It was on Saturday so they weren't in session, sure would like to have seen them while they were.

Then there is the National Statuary hall which used to be the old Hall of representatives, where Webster, Clay and others debated. There is a plate in the floor which marks the spot where John Quincy Adams was stricken with paralysis. It now has statues from almost all of the states. There are two from Texas, Stephen F. Austin and Sam Houston and there is also Will Rogers from Oklahoma.

Court Building Beautiful

Then across the street about a block is the Supreme Court building. It is made out of white marble and is a beautiful building, both inside and outside. The Supreme Court room is really something to see. The walls are finished with ivory vein, (Spanish) marble, the columns are of light ocheroid vonev (Italian) marble, and base and floor border of Levanto (Italian) marble. You would have to see it to really catch the beauty of it.

Then there is the Washington monument; Lincoln memorial; Jefferson memorial; Smithsonian and National museum and of course, the White House. You can't get very

close to the White House because they have it blocked off and guarded pretty close. But if you want to see a lot of Washington at one time just go up in the Washington monument which is 555 ft. high. It is just like looking from a plane. You can sure get a lay of the city from up there. By the way, be sure and hold your hat when you get to the top.

I just hit the highlights, will tell you more about it when I get to see you. You could spend a week or two looking everything over.

I have been in two big parades this last week. We had a big general out here from Washington this last week. The first one it rained on us and the second it was cold windy and dusty as the dickens.

So. Side Baptist Church News

(R. N. Power, pastor)

The services held in honor of our boys in service was a success. How God did bless as the people prayed for their loved ones that are fighting for our freedom Sunday afternoon.

March 21 the church bought a war bond in honor of the boys in the armed forces, and hope to continue to buy bonds.

Visit a going church for a coming Lord.

CAMPBELL COMMUNITY PARTY AND PROGRAM AT SCHOOL HOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT

The Campbell community will have a community social at the school house Friday night, April 16 at 9 p. m.

A program will begin promptly at 9:30 with the school children demonstrating a few of their school activities and accomplishments.

After the program games will be played and refreshments served. Everyone is invited to come and bring their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Eckhardt of Burlington, Iowa spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tillford Taylor. The Eckhardts are former residents of the county.

Mrs. David Flowers and little son of Amarillo visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross, the latter part of last week.

Church News

(Archer C. Durrant, pastor)

The Cumberland Presbyterian church will observe the regular hours of worship with Bible school at 10 a. m., morning worship at 11 a. m., and evening worship at 8:30 p. m.

The subject of the morning services will be "The Believers First Steps," and the subject of the evening worship will be "The Bankrupt Publican."

Wednesday evening prayer services will be at 8:30 p. m. with Revelation 13; as the text.

REV. AND MRS. W. J. KNOY HONOR SON AND WIFE WITH FISH FRY AT STERLEY

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Knoy and daughter, Bette Sue, entertained the Sterley Methodist church with a fish fry April 2 honoring their son, Cpl. Billy Knoy of Roswell, New Mexico and Mrs. Billy Knoy of Woodson, Texas.

After the picnic supper, the guests were entertained by readings given by Rev. Knoy, and by group singing favorite songs.

Mrs. O. B. Hought and daughter, Gay Nell, who have been making their home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Conner, left Monday for Wichita Falls where she will make her home with her husband who is now stationed at Shepard Field.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy McDonald and daughters Bette and Dianne of Tulsa visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McDonald Sunday.

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Plant More Feed Grains In 1943, Farmers Urged

COLLEGE STATION, April 12.—Texas farmers were asked this week to plan for maximum production of all food grain crops during 1943.

Citing increases in cattle, sheep hogs and chickens throughout the state for 1943, B. F. Vance, chairman, Texas USDA War Board, declared this week that it would take maximum production of all grain crops to see them through this year and provide a backlog of food for 1944.

According to state statistics, producers had a total of 7,518,000 head of cattle on hand January 1, 1943, compared to 7,444,000 head of the same time in 1942 while the ten year average from 1932-41 indicates only 7,272,000 head.

He pointed out that on January 1, 1943, Texas producers had a total of 10,677,000 sheep compared to 10,532,000 on January 1, 1942. From 1932-41 producers stocked only 8,462,000 head.

Indicating the increase in hogs, the chairman explained that this year's total was approximately 2,655,000 head compared to 2,042,000 last year and that the average during the past 10 years was only 1,836,000 head. The biggest increase for Texas shows in production of chickens, according to statistics. Last year, a total of 31,681,000 chickens were shown while the tabulation of January 1, 1943, indicates a total of 36,975,000 head. During the last 10 years, the average was 25,624,000.

"We now have 812,000 more cattle, hogs and sheep and over five million more chickens than we had during 1942 and for these reasons we are going to need enormous amounts of feed grains this year," he said.

SIX FLOYDADA STUDENTS PLEDGE CAMPUS SOCIAL CLUBS AT TEXAS TECH

LUBBOCK, April 6.—Six students from Floydada are pledging their social clubs at Texas Technological college. A total of 143 students signed preference slips for the seven campus social clubs on the campus.

Kenneth Bishop, Herschell Hinson and W. Kenneth Hodge are pledging Kemas. Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Beird Bishop and is enrolled at Tech as a freshman speech major. Herschell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hinson and is enrolled as a freshman civil engineering major. Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hodge and is enrolled as a freshman administration major.

Donald Cornelius and Weldon DuBois are pledging Silver Key. Donald is the son of E. L. Cornelius and is enrolled as a sophomore business management major. Weldon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois and is enrolled as a freshman civil engineer major.

Randolph Rutledge, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, is pledging Centaur. He is enrolled as a freshman pre-medical student.

HAM SMITH ON DENTON EAGLE TRACK TEAM

DENTON, Texas, April 10.—A member of the North Texas State Teachers college four-man sprint-medley track team that took first in the Texas Relays college division ada is playing a big part on the Eagle meet last week. Ham Smith of Floydada is the member.

An Eagle entrant in other relays as well as the 100 and 200 yard dashes, Smith will make all the trips this spring with the Denton crew.

Young Smith is a member of the Talons fraternity, and a member of the Eagle football and basketball squads. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith of Floydada.

YANKEES AT ATHENS GLAD WHEN THEY LEARN TEXAS APPRECIATES THEIR HELP

Many of the Yankee boys at the Athens, Georgia, army air base where Presley Kennamer is training still think the North won the Civil war, he writes R. E. Fry here.

On The Farm & Home Front

JASON O. GORDON
County Agricultural Agent
Texas A. & M. College Extension Service

EDITH L. WILSON
Home Demonstration Agent
Texas A. & M. College Extension Service

Earl Edwards, jr., of Lakeview community was the only junior exhibitor from Floyd county with livestock entered in the Panhandle Plains Dairy show according to entries at the close of Saturday, March 10.

We say livestock shows are necessary in order to keep junior breeders interested and prize money is only a compliment to the boy for the fine job he has done. This may be true, but it seems prize money no longer has an attraction.

Earl has a young Jersey herd of two cows with calves and bull. He has the interest and wants to learn. That interest and desire to know more about dairy production will grow because of the keen interest of a dad in a son.

"We don't have time to spend at a livestock show but Earl was anxious to see how his cattle compared to others in the territory, and if I don't show an interest in my son and help him with his problems I cannot expect others to take an interest in him."

That spirit of cooperation will do more to encourage a better agriculture in future years than all books that may be printed on the subject.

Earl will have the assistance of Red Johnson in grooming and showing his cattle. Red Johnson has groomed more Blue and Purple ribbon cattle than any other person in the Panhandle.

Remember the Oscar Stansell show herd? Red was the fellow who could take them off wheat pasture, prepare them for show in a short time, and stand at the head of the class. Good cattle to groom? Yes, but good cattle can be improperly groomed and not attract the attention of the judge.

The boy who lives in town can have a constructive agricultural program if there exists a father-son combination like A. J. Hamilton has with his son Charles Ray.

This is a very interesting program because Charles must make a careful financial accounting to his dad at any time it may be called for. He has the privilege of selecting and agreeing on the price of the livestock to be purchased, but he realizes there must be a profit if the business is to continue. Two great lessons—the actual value of an article, and keeping written records of the business transaction.

Last year at the Floyd County Junior Boys Livestock show Charles exhibited a pure bred Shorthorn bull calf and told a large crowd of people he would sell the calf for \$150. Later he advised the county agent he had sold his bull for \$100, in cash received a \$50 baby calf to make the required \$150.

Charles Ray is an FFA member under the supervision of H. G. Barber, Vocational Agricultural Instructor, Floydada and meets the requirements of three projects in his chapter work.

Jackie Brook, 4-H club member of McCoy community has been entered in the 4-H Talent Club contest sponsored by the Producers Grain corporation in cooperation with the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Each county has the privilege of entering one 4-H club boy and girl in the contest to compete for the district award of \$25 to be used in financing a club demonstration. Twelve months later the member submits a report showing his accomplishments for the year and competes for a \$50 reward.

The district winner will be announced May 1 and will be honored by the Producers Grain Corporation May 19.

Jackie has completed five years of club work and his total income for that period has amounted to \$3,236.83, total expenses, \$1,536.14, leaving a net return of \$999.69. Jackie has conducted demonstrations in dairying, cotton, swine and poultry.

LOCKNEY YOUTH BURNED

Fifteen year old Lockney youth Glenn Rhine, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rhine, was critically burned last week when gasoline with which he was priming the motor of an irrigation pump was ignited and sprayed over his clothing. The youth was burned about the head, arms and back.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhine, residents ten miles south of Lockney, carried the boy to a Plainview hospital where he received medical treatment.

"A garden for every farm family and a frame garden for every family" has been a slogan in Floyd county for about a year and a half. Home demonstration club women and 4-H girls and boys believe that these Victory Gardens are necessary in order to have enough food to keep themselves and their families physically fit to go the amount of work that they have been called upon to. They realize that these gardens will reduce the demand on commercial supplies and make more available for the boys in the armed forces, for people in the allied countries and for people who are unable to have gardens.

Floyd county families believe that

an average sized family should have a garden of at least one acre in size. This sized plot permits a wide variety of fruits and vegetables. On farms where it is not practical to devote an acre to a garden, there should be a garden plot of sufficient size to provide fresh fruits and vegetables and have some for canning.

The garden should be protected by a wind break that will afford protection to plants. Windbreaks of trees is very satisfactory one or more rows of Chinese Elms hedge will make a satisfactory wind break. One club woman in the county said that she planted two or three rows of sweet corn every four or five rows in her garden so that the corn would offer shade for the small plants during extremely hot weather.

A good many vegetables have already been planted such as cabbage, English peas, onions, and potatoes. The Triumph is best for

early new potatoes; Katahdin is the best for storage. Remember it will take eight pounds of seed potatoes to plant a 100 ft. row of seed potatoes. Mr. Rosborough, Extension horticulturist, recommends that when potatoes get about the size of large marbles to pour the water to them; keep the leaves crisp looking instead and not let them become wilted. They should be watered thoroughly about every eight or ten days until they are mature.

Green beans are planted when danger of frost is over and it will be wise to make a second planting three or four weeks later. Stringless green pod or Refugee are good varieties to plant.

Lima beans are not planted until the soil is thoroughly warm. Florida Speckled is a good pole variety to plant and Hendersons bush is a good bush variety.

weather vegetables. White velvet is a good variety to plant. Okra does better if the plants are thinned to about two inches apart.

Every garden should have some sweet corn. Inanna is a yellow variety and Honey June a white variety. It will take 100 feet of row when the corn gets about a foot in height the plants should be thinned to about 16 inches apart in the row.

Plant some yellow squash to have a variety of yellow vegetables. The yellow crookneck is a good variety. The Fordhook squash will mature later than the yellow crookneck and can be kept in storage throughout late summer and fall.

Those attending the meeting at Littlefield Saturday were Mrs. A. H. Kreis, Mrs. C. A. Caffee, Mrs. W. H. Bethel, Mrs. George Stiles, Mrs. O. G. Glassmeyer, Mrs. R. B. Gary


Mrs. Sam Hale, Mrs. Everett Miller, Mrs. W. M. Finkner, Mrs. M. D. Ramsey and the agent.

BROTHER OF MRS. FULLER DIED AT HOME MARCH 29 FOLLOWING HEART ATTACK

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Fuller of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Poteet of Lockney were called to Holland, Texas, March 30 by the death of Mrs. Fuller's brother, Grover Calhoun. Mr. Calhoun died at his home March 29 following a heart attack.


Last rites were held at 3:30, Wednesday, March 31 at the Holland First Baptist church, the Holland pastor officiating. Interment was made in the Holland cemetery.

The deceased is survived by his wife, two sons and six daughters. One son and one daughter were unable to attend the last rites. Mr. and Mrs. Fuller and Mr. and Poteet returned to their homes April 4.



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America...you've got to get tougher!



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But this war is a hard, down-to-reality war. And many of our boys are dying in it.

We've got to buy MORE

So your government asks you to buy Bonds and more Bonds—to get really tough with yourself. We're asking you to give up the frills and "extras."

We know how human it is not to make sacrifices until the crisis drives us to it. In England they felt the same way until the bombs started falling.

Bombs are such persuasive things. But just as persuasive ought to be the spirit of our brothers, sons, husbands.

If you could see

Look at it this way—suppose you had a magic carpet that could take you to Africa and New Guinea. Suppose you could hear the groan of American boys wounded, and American boys dying. . . . Saw now, how many Bonds would you buy?

That kind of war

THEY . . . are dying. And they will keep on dying until we drown the enemy in an overwhelming torrent of bombs, bullets, guns, tanks, planes, ships, and shells.

That's why we're asking you, in this one month of April alone, to lend Uncle Sam 13 billions of dollars—by buying War Bonds. 13 billions of extra dollars—over and above any buying that you'd be doing anyway!

A lot of money

Of course, 13 billion dollars is a lot of money. It'll take sweat and tears to raise it. It'll mean going *without* now. But also—it will mean savings now—to buy later. It'll mean giving up *everything* you can't square with your conscience, so that we, us, our children, can have a better, more decent place to live in when this war is won.

The drive is on

So during this month of April, if someone calls on you to ask you to buy War Bonds in this 2ND WAR LOAN DRIVE, will you buy to the limit—and then buy more?

Better yet, will you go to your Bank, Post-office, or wherever you're used to buying your Bonds—and buy NOW? Will you lend extra money this month? Money that can hasten the day of Victory? Money that can help to save American lives.

Money buys money

Remember, what you're really buying with your money is still *more* money. For after all these Bonds are *money!* Money plus! Every dollar you put into War Bonds will bring you a dollar plus interest.

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Annual Meeting of FLOYD COUNTY RURAL ELECTRIC COOP., Inc.

DISTRICT COURT ROOM
Floydada, Texas

Saturday, April 17, 2 p. m.

Election of Board of Directors
Annual Report of The Secretary
Past and Future Business Discussed

All Members Urged to Attend

Every Pound of FOOD is Vital to **Victory**
USE YOUR FOOD POINTS WISELY!

ROBIN HOOD FLOUR Gold Band Glass Free 24 Lbs. \$1.19	Scott County Sweet CORN 14 pts., No. 2 Can 12c	Green BEANS 14 pts. No. 2 Can 12c
TOMATOES No. 2 Can, 16 pts. 10c	EMPSON PEAS 13 pts., Can 15c	SPINACH 11 pts., No. 2 Can 13c
SUGAR Lb. 6½c	PEACH NECTAR 3 pts., 12-oz. Can 10c	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 9 pts., 47-oz. Can 29c

 New "SOAPY-RICH" **RINSO** Lg. Size **25c** Reg. Size **10c**
 GETS OUT MORE DIRT

Give all your colored things LUX care  Large Size **25c** Regular Size **10c** 

BROOMS Each 39c	BRIMFULL CLEANSER Can 5c	OIL MOPS Each 35c
MOPS Good Quality Each 35c	STA-WAX SMALL \$1.00 LARGE \$1.75	HY-PRO Qt. 15c
BANANAS Lb. ?	ORANGES Doz.	TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT Each 4c


MORE SOAP PER PENNY THAN ANY SOAP TESTED!
 Gives faster Large rich • thick Size lively suds! **10c**

 **LIFEBUOY**
HEALTH SOAP
2 for **15c**
Really Goes after dirt!

 **LUX**
TOILET SOAP
QUICK, THRIFTY
BEAUTY CARE!
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SLICED BACON 8 Points Lb. 38c
SUGAR CURED BACON SQUARES 5 Points Lb. 25c
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Grocery & Market Telephone 27

NEW SPUDS Pound **6½c** **BUY WISELY-COOK CAREFULLY**  **SQUASH** Pound **8c**
 Get the Most Out of Your Food Points

Super Sparkle, A new modern Gritless Cleanser .09	SUGAR, Lb. .06
CRACKERS, Supreme Salad Wafer, 1-Lb. Package, .15	Pinto Beans, Colorado 3 Lbs. For, .22
Hand Lotion, Priscilla Parker, 60c Value .39	KOOL-AID, ALL FLAVORS, 3 FOR, .10
COFFEE, Our Own Blend, Ground Fresh, Pound, .28	KRAUT, Berger's Quart Jar, EACH, .17
LADIES' HOSE, Extra Sheer, \$1.25 Value PAIR, .99	Baking Powder, K. C. 10 Oz. EACH, .07

 **LUX TOILET SOAP** 3 Bars for **21c**
 Try a LUX Soap Beauty Bath for Sweet Fragrant Skin

TOMATO JUICE RED and WHITE 46 Oz. 21c 22 Points	FLOUR OKEENE BEST Extra Fancy Patent \$1.89 Fancy Print Bag	FLOUR OKEENE BEST Extra Fancy Patent 99c Fancy Print Bag	KARO BLUE LABEL 13c EACH
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 Really Goes After Dirt!  From head to toe —Stops "B. O." **LIFEBUOY** health soap **3 for 21c**

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 **LUX**
For all fine laundering
for dishes, gentle to your hands

PRINCE ALBERT
Carton of 12 **\$1.10**
SNUFF
ALL BRANDS 6-Oz. Bottles **29c**

 **NEW WHITE FLOATING SOAP**
SWAN PURE WHITE
Suds faster than other floating soaps!

 **Rinso**
GETS OUT MORE DIRT
Regular Size **22c**
Large Size **69c**
New "SOAPY-RICH"

FRESH TOMATOES Pound **17c** **THE RED & WHITE STORES** **BANANAS** Pound **9c**