

THE FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN

Sunrise Today—7:52 a. m.
Sunset Today—6:03 p. m.
Moon Full—January 26

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Qualify to Vote
Pay Your Poll Tax
by Midnight, Jan. 31

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Deadline Nears; Taxpayers Have Two More Days

With two days yet remaining before the deadline Saturday night county taxpayers numbering 10,000 had paid their poll taxes at a close of business Tuesday night as reported by the county assessor-collector of the county.

With an election year looming, a bond vote coming up on February 17, and an organized campaign for qualifying for citizenship appearing probable yesterday afternoon that Saturday night will see one of the largest number of qualified voters, per centage in the history of the county. "Unders," save and except except men with a discharge dating 18 months prior to the date of their vote, are reminded there are no exemptions provided for them this year. "Overs" 60 years of age before January 1 will vote without poll tax or exemption certificates for former years by establishing ages.

Urges to Qualify
Floydada Junior Chamber of Commerce has spear-headed the campaign locally for the pay-your-poll movement. "Guard your liberty" slogan in their campaign for new citizens in the country on farms and in towns, are added to the list of voters for the first time. Saturday night is the deadline for poll tax payments as well as valorem tax payment to state county, school and city taxing authorities.

\$975 Fund Needed to Move Telephone Lines at Air Field

Removal of telephone lines from south and southwestward boundaries of Floydada air field, a necessity before the local post can hope to be accomplished if a fund of \$975 representing the cost of moving lines can be found. H. H. Tanner, manager of the post, who is the field's qualified instructor, said the telephone company had advised the \$975 would be the cost of getting the lines moved out of the way.

The field is too small for a G. I. training course specifications, but removal of the lines would be a same as adding another 300 or so feet to the length of the runways and fields of the approximate same size as the Floydada field are being used as GI instruction fields and army believes the field here would be approved if this change could be made. How to obtain the funds to make the change is the \$975 question.

John Taylor Home from the Hospital

John Taylor, Rural Electric cooperative lineman, who was injured November in a fall from a 35-foot pole east of Floydada, was removed home last week from the hospital where he had been receiving medical treatment. Grady Harmon Funeral home, made a trip to Plainview to bring Mr. Taylor home in a Harmon ambulance.

Mr. Taylor was hospitalized in the Lubbock General hospital for the two months. His back was then after taking a 7200-volt electric shock from a live wire. His condition is reported to be fair.

TO GULF COAST AND POINTS IN DEEP SOUTH

and Mrs. W. F. Daniel and Mrs. Jack Crull returned Friday from a trip that took them as far as Tallahassee Florida. They were down in Housatonic with Mr. and Mrs. Blundy Finley and in Port Arthur with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Prater.

On their return they visited friends and relatives in Dallas and Arlington. They reported the whole trip was a bad weather.

Lubbock Editor to Tell Floydada People of Conditions in Europe

Chas. A. Guy, editor of the Avalon-Journal newspapers at Lubbock, recently returned from a first-hand study of conditions in Europe. In a particular, will tell of his experiences on that trip to a large audience Thursday night, January 29.

Guy will speak at the high school auditorium on invitation of civic organizations. The report that the Lubbock newspaper will pay Floydada a visit and relay his experiences was made by Ginn, president of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, on behalf of several local organizations, who will serve as sponsors.

Funeral Saturday



Wilton Kimble, whose useful career was ended yesterday by death.

Heart Attack Proves Fatal to Wilson Kimble

A heart attack proved fatal yesterday shortly after noon to Dr. Wilson Kimble at his residence 323 West Missouri street. He was found unconscious in the yard by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge. He was dead by the time a physician reached the scene. He had been in normal health apparently.

Funeral rites are scheduled to be held Saturday, it was learned this morning. The hour will be 10:30 a. m.

Survivors include his widow, a son Dr. John W. Kimble, a daughter, Mrs. Don Harris of Jacksonville, Texas, two grandchildren, and two brothers, Wilford of Frederick, Oklahoma, and Wilburn of Montana. The last named brother is due to reach Floydada tomorrow, he advised the family.

Lions Club Meets Twice monthly now

Floydada Lions club will hold twice monthly meetings on the first and third Thursdays instead of weekly meetings, it was announced following a meeting Tuesday morning of the board of directors of the club at the Commercial hotel.

The same hour, 7 o'clock in the evening, will be the meeting time and the place the Andrews Ward cafeteria. The club also will continue to finance the feeding of underprivileged school children at the R. C. Andrews ward cafeteria, it was announced.

A. H. Rainer has accepted the place of assistant to Rev. Otto F. Marshall, who is head of the Cub scouts, sponsored by the local Lions.

Gin Plant Started

Quinn Cotton Oil company's new gin building site was a busy spot last mid-week as a crew of men began clearing the location for their gin to take the place of the Scott gin company plant destroyed by fire in the latter days of December.

As severe weather closed in and work was stopped but will be resumed as soon as conditions permit, and a modern plant housed in a fire-proof steel building will take its place, said Jno. R. Gray, manager. The cotton people are carrying on their work early in the season to give cotton raisers ample proof before planting time that the company plans to carry on with a modern gin here.

Reports and indications point to a materially increased cotton acreage in the area this season.

JC Basketball Tournery Opened Here Last Night

With 12 fast independent teams entered from 22 many towns the Junior Chamber of Commerce basketball tournament got under way last night with four games bracketed and will come to a close Friday night when the championship teams will play for the tournament honors.

A. H. Rainer, Jaycees general chairman and promoter of the tournament, said tonight's and tomorrow night's games will give equally as brilliant exhibitions of basketball as that of last night.

With the community barely emerging from the restrictions of the cold wave, attendance late yesterday at the four game session was expected to be somewhat below prior expectations. Bracketed to contest last night were:

Petersburg vs. Lockney, 7 o'clock; Flomot vs. Crosbyton, 7:45 o'clock; Plainview vs. Tulla 8:30 o'clock; Idalou vs. Brownfield 9:15 o'clock; And Ralls vs. the winner of the Flomot-Crosbyton opener at 10 o'clock.

Tonight's Game Schedule

Tonight's game schedule begins at 7 o'clock with Floydada Jaycees pitted against Kress, followed by two quarter final games at 8 and 9 o'clock respectively, and a Matador-Paducah game at 10 o'clock.

Friday night will see three contests, including two semi-finals and the championship go.

All proceeds of the tournament go to the Jaycees fund, except for a per cent that goes to Floydada High school.

Floydada Jaycees and the Matador independents did not play their Monday night game due to the hazards of weather. February 2 Lockney Independents come here for a game and on Thursday night, February 5, the Jaycees team goes to Patton Springs.

The Jaycees have fared well in their games to date. Their twelfth game of the season was played last Thursday night when they won from a Plainview Jaycees team 34 to 31. It was the team's ninth win.

Charlie Lewis Buys Ranch in Motley County

A part of one of the famous early-day ranches of this area recently was bought by Charlie Lewis, Floydada cattleman, who acquired the seven-section layout of Bob Echols east of Floydada and northwest of Matador on the Whitelake road, together with the ranch headquarters home.

The Echols ranch is considered a part of the "best cattle country" in all of Texas. The Lewis are making their plans to occupy the place as soon as the Echols' can give possession.

Bob Echols, who was born and reared on the ranch, had not made any definite plans for a future location last week.

Mrs. W. V. Crow Funeral Rites Held Last Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Willie V. Crow, 83, of Plainview grandmother of Earl Crow, were conducted at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Plainview. Mrs. Crow, a resident of Plainview for almost forty years, died Wednesday morning at her home at 815 Quincey Street.

Rev. B. N. Shepherd, pastor of the College Heights Baptist Church, officiated.

Mrs. Crow and her husband, the late George W. Crow, moved to Plainview in 1909 from Hughes Springs where they were married Oct. 23, 1881.

They were parents of six children. A son, H. L. Crow of Joplin, Mo., survives. There are fourteen grandchildren and twenty great grandchildren.

The body lay in state at the home until time for the funeral. Burial was in the Plainview cemetery. The Roy G. Wood Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Flomot Pioneer Rites Held Saturday

MATADOR, Jan.—B. J. "Uncle Ben" Jones, 77, pioneer of the Flomot community since 1915, died Thursday, January 15. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Flomot Church of Christ with Ministers Covington and Lee officiating. Arrangements were conducted by McDonald Funeral home of Matador and interment made in the Flomot cemetery.

Mr. Jones had been in failing health for approximately one year and January 12 underwent an operation in a Plainview hospital.

Light Snow Falls as Cold Wave Fades

Scrape Bottom of Polio Fund Barrel in '47

Floyd County chapter of the Foundation for Infantile paralysis research really needs the money they are asking Floyd county people for this year.

In 1947 the chapter scraped the

Only two polio canvassing teams have reported to date in the current drive and these turned in approximately \$200. J. E. Elza, treasurer of the Infantile Paralysis chapter of the county, said Wednesday.

bottom of the barrel to meet needs of polio patients and to take care of children sent to Scottsboro hospital although it was put down as a year of low instance of polio in this county. One acute case of polio which had to have individual attention for weeks cost the chapter \$1,200. And there were other instances where considerable money was called for as revealed by the books of the chapter treasurer, Jewel Elza.

Thus does Garland G. Glover sum up the situation in the county as campaign time begins to draw to a close.

In 1946 the county chapter was more fortunate and began 1947 with a balance of \$913.43. To this was added by donations in 1947 a total of \$1,648.60. After sending one-half of the 1947 donations, or \$824.30 to the national research foundation, and spending \$1,743.73 for needs in this county the chapter had \$60 left on January 1.

Polio Always Emergency

"Of course if we have no emergency we will need no money this year. But everything that happens when polio hits, is emergency, so we really do need a liberal replenishment of the chapter's treasury against such a possibility," said Glover.

"The drive campaign suggests that in view of the weather conditions and the possibility that canvassers do not get to see them, those who are willing to help could send checks either to Berry Hooten, chairman at Lockney, or Jewel Elza, treasurer, at the First National bank, Floydada.

Mr. Glover said that a week after January 30 would be allowed for all committees to finish their work and reports are asked to be in not later than February 7. Following is the district committee chairman named for the campaign by Superintendent Clarence A. Guffee and (See Polio Campaign, back page)

Joint Installation I. O. O. F. Officers Held at Matador

Matador IOOF Lodge was host to the Floydada Lodge and Rebecca for a joint installation ceremony of officers and a turkey dinner held Thursday, January 15 in the Lodge hall in Matador. The district deputy of this district, composed of Plainview, Floydada and Matador, was present and installed the officers.

Thirty members of the Floydada lodges were present for the installation when W. H. Jackson was installed as Noble Grand of the Floydada Lodge. Serving with Mr. Jackson will be Otho Sanders, who was installed as vice-grand; Foster Amburn, secretary; David Lagrone financial secretary and G. N. Shirev, treasurer.

Rebecca installed were Mrs. C. L. Berry, Noble Grand, Mrs. W. R. Kirkpatrick, vice-grand and Mrs. Tom Hart, secretary.

Noble Grand and vice-grand officers are installed every six months, the other officials holding a year's term of office.

Today's Market

Colored hens, 4 pounds and up	21c
Colored hens, under 4 lbs.	15c
and all Leghorns, lb.	10c
Cocks, lb.	10c
No. 1 Turkey hens, lb.	35c
No. 1 Toms, lb.	30c
Cream	
Butterfat, No. 1 lb.	80c
Eggs	
Eggs, per dozen, candled, No. 1	38c
Hides	
Free from holes	
No. 1 Hides, lb.	16c
Bull Hides, lb.	8c
No. 2 Hides, lb.	8c
Grain	
Wheat, bushel	\$2.76
Milo, cwt.	\$3.65
Barley, cwt.	\$3.75
Hoes	
Tops, hogs from 180 lbs to 270	\$26.00
Heavies, cwt.	\$24.00
Rucker Sows, cwt.	\$21.00
Alfalfa Hay	
No. 1 Baled at mill, ton	\$25.00
Cotton Market	
No cotton market available locally.	
Cottonseed, ton	\$65.00

Five Generations in Family Group



Here pictured are Mrs. H. M. Bishop and representatives of four generations of her descendants, who gathered recently at Tom Ball, Texas, for a family re-union. Seated by the patriarch is her son, Earl Bishop of Floydada, standing behind him his daughter Mrs. Riley Teague of Floydada and behind Mrs. H. M. Bishop is Mrs. Teague's daughter, Mrs. Bill Tilson of Lubbock. In his great great grand mother's lap is Joe Mack Tilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tilson. He is the first of his generation.

Mrs. H. M. Bishop, who will be 84 years of age on March 18, has nine children living, 43 grandchildren and 71 great grandchildren. Joe Mack is her first great grandchild. The young man is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Teague and the first great grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bishop. The re-union was largely attended.

Other Floydada people who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Holt Bishop and family and Mr. and Mrs. Davis Bishop and family. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Novak and family, of Abilene, were also among the kinsmen present for the event.

Mrs. H. M. Bishop, who visits regularly with her son and his wife, is making her home at Tom Ball, Texas, with her daughter and postmaster husband, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Rose.

Clifton Doyle Cash Funeral Sunday

Funeral services for Clifton Doyle Cash, 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Cash, of Berger, were read Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Harmon Funeral chapel in Floydada with Rev. Lloyd H. Jones officiating. Interment was made in the Floydada cemetery.

The youth died suddenly Friday night at 9:30 o'clock in the hospital at Berger. He had a sudden attack of appendicitis and died before an operation could be performed.

Survivors are the parents, a brother, Ronald and a sister, Jo Ann the grandparents, Mrs. Hattie Cash and Mr. and Mrs. George McPeak, all of Floydada.

Pallbearers were Claud Price, Tom Goslee, Marvin Davis, Lee Howard, C. T. Pope and Ray Jones.

The Cash family are former residents of Floydada, having moved to Berger some five years ago.

MATADOR BANK ELECTION

MATADOR, Jan.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State bank held Tuesday afternoon of last week, J. C. Burleson was added to the list of directors.

Other directors, all re-elected are C. D. Bird, president; Harry H. Campbell, E. F. Simpson, Ralph Standiford and Elmer Stearns, vice-president and cashier.

District 9 WMU Meeting Here Tuesday; Expect 400 to Attend

The 29th annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Union of district 9 will be held next Tuesday, February 2, in the First Baptist church, Floydada. As host, members of the local church will serve lunch at noon and supper in the evening. Approximately 400 members of the women's organization are expected to

be present for the convention. Husbands of the members are invited to be present. The program during the day will be on women's part of the church work. The night session will be devoted to young people and their work. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Earl B. Smyth, state W. M. U. president.

Business Takes 'Holiday' When Gas Runs Low

Two inches of fairly wet snow that fell Thursday morning early, predicted yesterday as a possibility for the South plains area, is not expected to change the general trend toward higher temperatures for the week-end.

The snow fell gently as a front moved eastward from New Mexico. It will be quite beneficial, assuming the weather forecast of thaw and little wind is correct.

Temperature reading above freezing is expected for Floyd county people today for the first time since last Friday, as a mass of warm air is forecast to sweep over the area and bring with it somewhat clearing skies as well.

Climaxing the six-day period of sub-freezing, intense cold clamped down on the area Tuesday and Wednesday, over-taxing the supply lines of West Texas Gas company and resulting in an enforced holiday yesterday for every store, shop

Schools Re-Open Friday

Although the cold wave definitely began receding yesterday, I. T. Graves, superintendent of schools, said no school would be held today. He made this statement after being advised by West Texas Gas company officials that pressure had not been built up in the fuel mains to be sure of adequate service. School will be re-opened Friday, however, unless general public announcement is made to the contrary.

Floydada, Ralls Tied for First Place in 3-A

Bad weather and slippery roads called for postponement of all games Tuesday night that were to have opened the second round of the double round robin of basketball between the seven teams of District 3-A Interscholastic District Chairman I. T. Graves announced here today. Paducah high was to have come to Floydada, Crosbyton to Matador and Spur to Ralls. Lockney had an open date. The Floydada-Paducah game at Floydada will be played on Wednesday night, February 4. Mr. Graves said. Other games in the district also are being re-set.

Weather man permitting the basketball quintets will pick up their regular schedule Friday night. The Ralls Jackrabbits, tied at the end of the first round with the Floydada team, goes to Paducah. Spur will entertain Crosbyton high. The Matador quintet travels to Lockney.

The whirlwinds have an open date. District competition is due to be completed on February 17. There will be no district tournament and a tie for district honors must have been slaved off by February 21. Standings of the teams at the end of the first round:

Team	Won	Lost
Ralls	5	1
Floydada	5	1
Spur	4	2
Crosbyton	3	3
Matador	2	4
Lockney	1	5
Paducah	1	5

Temperatures fell to a low of seven degrees Monday night and again on Tuesday night. Thermometer readings indicate the intense cold continued at lower than 15 degrees for nearly 60 hours. The cold caught the area unprepared and many reports of damaged plumbing from all over the country, with some automotive vehicle damage also, including frozen blocks and radiators.

Snow Is Very Light
Light, dry snow fell from Friday to Tuesday in small quantities and a biting wind blew Monday and Tuesday at about 20 miles per hour out of the northeast to usher in the week most unpleasantly. Total moisture was negligible. Little damage was done to live stock.

No reports of death or injury due to the cold or to the slippery streets and highways in the section were received as travel was reduced to a minimum.

MRS. ANGUS RECOVERING

Mrs. E. L. Angus, shut-in for three weeks while she battled a stubborn case of cold and a gripe, was gaining ground yesterday afternoon and expects to be recovered completely within a short time.

Car License Plates to Go On Sale Here Monday, Feb. 2

Car license plates for the year 1948 will go on sale Monday morning, February 2, at the office of Ethel Graham, tax assessor-collector, and can be applied to vehicles immediately. All license this year are black with gold numbers.

Passenger car plates numbers run from AK9500 to AK9999 and from AL10 to AL2199 in Floyd County. Commercial truck numbers will be MB9500 to MB9999 and farm trucks RB9550 to RB7949.

Deadline for purchasing and applying license plates to cars and trucks is midnight, April 1.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary are sponsoring a box supper to be held on the night of February 16. The time will be announced at a later date in The Hesperian.

Jenkins On Trip East

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins are in Washington, D. C., visiting with their son, Col. Dan Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins and new daughter, Patty Lynn. Patty Lynn was born January 12. The Floydada Jenkins are expected home in about two weeks.

EDITORIALS

Things are not always what they seem, so the contract the State Highway department has with the contractors on the seven miles plus of Lakeview highway tying into U. S. Highway No. 70 east of Floydada a few miles may not be as cheap as the price looks. However, we have every reason to believe that the \$44,850 contract price does actually represent the cost of the highway, aside from the engineering, supervision right-of-way and things of the kind. And if this assumption of ours be correct then cost of highway construction has not jumped anything like in the same proposition as other costs. In the first place caliche and concrete and steel, and asphalt, when bought in quantities is not gone wild wildly like some other costs have gone. And in modern contracting the man operating the job has gone to considerable length to reduce his costs by the use of gadgets that lift and carry to take the place of hand labor. Anyway, \$44,850 divided by 7.16 leaves a figure quite considerably less than \$7,000, which will be the per mile cost so far as actual construction is concerned. So it seems roads still can be built within something like what we used to expect them to be built. This is said in considering the fact that Floyd county people may embark on a road building "spree" soon, depending on what the taxpaying electorate may decide on February 17.

Some of the neighbors report that a radio man ran out of something to talk about the other Sunday morning and took his text on The Hesperian and its editor. The compliment is so unusual it has had us flattered—and resolved to listen for sure next Sunday morning—in hopes. We are so used to saying something about most anything, a sort of a rambling editorial fashion that no good newspaper people follow, and the people so take it for granted that to get a rise out of somebody is most novel indeed. Somebody back in Connecticut not long ago, we also hear, wrote a piece about The Hesperian and the stripe of editors that run the kind of newspaper it is. We are, indeed, coming up in the world.

A straight line may be the shortest distance between two points, but most people find it the hardest way.

The annual loss from weeds in the U. S. has been placed at \$3 billion.

What we think about The Hesperian editorials are that they are written from some basically fair ideas at times but mostly not put on paper, so that they will be interesting, convincing and thought provoking. We are convinced that advective books and lessons in sentence construction and reading after good writers are little or no help if you are a natural born fumbler. Even a new ribbon on the typewriter avails nothing.

The time has come again when we record run away prices of farm and ranch lands. Stories of people who have money who want to get it spent for something they can see and look at and walk around on are on the increase. January, 1948, will go down in history as a month of many and diverse land sales and changes of ownership. If you've lived in Floyd county a long, long time realization that some of the people who are coming in here and buying land are coming from areas south and west where land prices have outstripped these here. In turn the people from Floyd county who sell out often look northwest toward the New Mexico line. Once upon a time while Floyd county land was already selling "a way up yonder" \$8 and \$10 an acre, old settlers tell us they were still picking up suckers in the southwest area, the kind of a sucker that when he bought a section of land they deeded him two while he wasn't watching his business. One hundred fifty dollars and \$200 an acre farm land like now sounds a bit high but at that it may not be as cheap as money.

Incidentally Uncle Sam must be doing a fair to middling good business in revenue stamps in Floyd and other high plains counties. Every warranty deed must bear 55c in revenue stamps for every \$500 or fraction thereof, as we have it in mind. Unfortunately post offices do not get credit in their "postal receipts" column for revenue stamp sales. And that is one tax the revenue man doesn't have to worry about getting away from him. A deed that is recorded not bearing the proper amount of revenue stamps just isn't a deed. It is the seller's job to put the right amount of stamps on the deed and the recorder's to see that he does.

To prevent reinfestation of rats, all piles of rubbish, trash, and brush should be burned; feed concentrates should be protected, barns and cribs should be rat-proofed.

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Floyd County 14 Years Ago

Items taken from the files of The Floyd County Hesperian published fourteen years ago.

(Issue of February 1, 1934)

E. R. (Pete) Lowrance, of the Starkey community, was the victim of a highway accident north of Cone Monday night, when a car he was driving struck the rear end of a wagon driven by Lige Dean.

Collectors of ballots, operating under the general and specific specification of "candidates" will have 3,700 prospects to contact this year in hopeful anticipation. There were 3,100 poll tax receipts paid in Floyd county in 1934.

Remains of Eldon B. Gray, 34, prominent Dougherty farmer who died Wednesday, will be interred in the Floydada cemetery Thursday.

Some twenty-five high school students this week responded the call for the organization of a tennis club and named L. V. Assiter as secretary.

Joe Fulton, of Bastrop, Louisiana, formerly of this city, has been made service manager of the Snodgrass Chevrolet company.

School tax payments have shown an increase over last year, figures in the office of J. B. Houston, board secretary and collector, indicates.

Laquita Beth Burgett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burgett, was reported resting well Wednesday afternoon after a tracheotomy was performed for diphtheria.

Miss Blanche Scott, of Harmony community, has been awarded a prize as one of the winners in the International Canning contest held at A Century of Progress in Chicago.

It was the worst storm on record. Finally the dam burst and a raging torrent forced the townfolks to flee to higher ground. From the hill, as they looked down, they noticed a straw hat float slowly downstream for fifty feet or so. Then the hat stopped, turned around and made its way upstream a similar distance. After this performance had been repeated several times, one of the group asked:

"What makes the hat act so darn funny?" And a boy replied:

"Last night I heard Grandpa say that 'come hell or high water' he was going to mow the lawn today."

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein that the partnership heretofore existing between Tom L. Davis and Burt Flowers, organized about June 12, 1947 was by mutual consent dissolved Jan. 1, 1948, said partnership having been known and operated as McCOY GIN and operated at McCoy, in Floyd County, Texas.

The said Tom L. Davis has sold, conveyed, assigned and delivered to the said Burt Flowers all of his undivided interest in all of the assets, real and personal, of said partnership, including bills and account receivable and choses in action and the good will of the business, and in and to the partnership name of McCoy Gin, which name the said Burt Flowers, at his election, may continue to use. The said Burt Flowers has assumed the indebtedness of the said partnership of every kind or nature, including bills and

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Ray Patton, owner
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PHONE 157 FLOYDADA, TEX.

accounts payable, as of the effective date of said dissolution, and including those secured and unsecured.

All debtors of said partnership are hereby authorized to make full settlement of their notes and accounts with the said Burt Flowers, at the said gin site; and all creditors of said partnership should present their notes and/or accounts against said partnership to the said Burt Flowers, at the said gin site, from and after the 1st day of

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January, 1948, at 6 p. m., the said Tom L. Davis shall no longer be responsible for the debts of said partnership, arising out of the use by said Burt Flowers of the former

partnership name of McCoy Gin. Witness the hands of said partners this January 7, 1948.
Tom L. Davis
Burt Flowers

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WARNING TO CAR OWNERS

You are to register your car in the County in which you live else you are subject to a fine. This money goes for the upkeep of our County Roads.

If you trade for a car, the papers are to be filed within 10-days from date of assignment, else you are subject to a \$5.00 penalty.

When trading for a car, be sure you check papers and see that they are properly filled out before accepting them, as the purchaser is subject to a fine as well as the seller for skipping himself in the deal and giving you papers not properly filled out. No title can be accepted with an erasure on same without having an affidavit properly notarized from person whose signature is on same. You also have to have the current year registration receipt, as this receipt is made a part of your title.

ETHEL GRAHAM

Assessor-Collector, Floyd County, Texas

PAY YOUR POLL TAX Before Jan. 31st



To enjoy all the conveniences and luxuries of modern electric living, you must have adequate wiring. That means large enough wire to operate your electric range, water heater and refrigerator, outlets placed so that you can use your electric cleaner any place you wish.

To help you get ready for better living electrically, your Public Service Company will be glad to send a specialist to your home to check your wiring for you. There is, of course, no obligation—just call or write your nearest Public Service office.

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Your City Taxes Are Due Now...

If you own property within the City Limits of Floydada, including personal property, you are reminded that these taxes are due and payable now and that

THE LAST DAY FOR PAYMENT WITHOUT PENALTY IS

Saturday, January 31

After that date a penalty is required to be added and interest must also be added if the taxpayer does not make payment.

Co-operation of the taxpayers has been a source of gratification, and it is for the purpose of saving you the penalty that must be added that this reminder is given. Payment should be made at the City Hall. For your tax-paying convenience, office will be open Saturday afternoon.

City of Floydada TEXAS

HESPERETTE

(Continued)

Ag Class Leaving Friday for Stock Show at Ft. Worth

Thirty-eight Future Farmers will take the bus at 9:00 o'clock Friday morning, January 30, for Fort Worth and the Southwestern Exposition and Pat Stock Show. The trip is an annual affair with the local aggies. The bus will reach Fort Worth in time for the Cow-boy Parade, then will leave Cow-town about 9 a. m. Sunday for the return trip. They expect to reach Floydada about 5:30 Sunday afternoon.

Harold Norrell, a chapter farmer, is raising registered Berkshire hogs and is planning to improve his herd a great deal through the use of a registered boar pig which he purchased in Kansas and brought back here recently. He has three productive sows and three young gilts from which he plans to select the very best females for breeding. Harold has received many more requests for breeding stock than he has been able to supply up to the present time.

Sweet Sixteen sings For the Rotary Club

The "Sweet Sixteen" of the Floydada High School Glee Club entertained the members of the Rotary Club Wednesday, January 28.

The program was begun by the Glee Club and Rotarians singing "Star Spangled Banner." This was followed by Ruth Elaine Harmon who sang "I'll See You In My Dreams." The chorus backed Miss Harmon in this number. "All Through The Night" was sung in four part harmony by the group. Molly June French, soprano, and Gladys Roberts, alto, sang "Carry Me Back To Old Virginia", with the assistance of the group on the chorus. The program was ended by the "Sweet Sixteen's singing the School Song.

The Rotarians served a delicious meal to the entire troupe. Those who were served were Pat Kirk, Ruthie Harmon, Mollie June French, Mary Maxey, Pauline Denison, Gladys Roberts, Dorothy Bishop, Verna Laster, Fred Conner, Sammie Hale, Joe Walker, Thomas Amburn, Trav Jones, Gene Dale Jackson, Ted Lanham, J. E. Helms, Bobbie Gene Medlen, pianist, and Jack Cogdill, sponsor.

The group wishes to thank the Rotarians for the excellent meal that was served them and also for the

Candid Camera

Exciting and different is Billie Fern Hopper, being born on the beautiful spring morning of April 30, 1930. Her hair is black and her eyes are blue. She is 5 feet 7 inches tall and weighs 122 pounds. She is sweet and has an understanding disposition. Billie is a typist for the Hesperette and she finds it very interesting. Billie takes part in all school activities and she proves herself very popular. Billie is liked by everyone and she likes everyone. You'll always recognize Billie by that smile and "hello" she has for everyone. Billie has often been called Gypsy and William Fern. Billie is oodles of fun and an ideal too. Being a dream girl, she should find life very interesting.

Billie finds her favorite pastime is sleeping and her favorite time of day is night between eight and eleven. This girl just loves to wear skirts and sweaters, wear Tabu perfume, and her favorite lipstick, Russian Sabel in Revlon. Billie's favorite song is "The Serenade of the Bells." Her favorite colors are green and white. Billie's favorite foods are fried chicken (mum) and pineapple pie. Her favorite movie is "They Won't Believe Me" with her favorite stars being Gregory Peck and Ava Gardner. Her favorite subject is English IV and she likes all her teachers. Billie just loves all kinds of people. She doesn't look for just any special kind.

Billie's most embarrassing moment happened when she went to the football banquet in 1946. She wandered around all during the invocation and afterwards Mrs. Cardinal led her over by Kelly. She didn't have a date with him and she felt just so high. Everything finally turned out o. k. though.

Billie's ambition is to become a nurse someday. We know you'll make a good one, Billie, because you're patient, sweet, and understanding. Good Luck.

Among Billie's likes are short-hand, dancing, cooking, blonde headed people, Be, Rose, bubble gum, hams, her daddy's shirts, getting letters, Coach Gresham, Mrs. Jones and listening to records.

Among her dislikes are spinach, yellow, turnips, gossiping people writing letters, and getting ticked in church.

Billie's ideal boy should be six feet tall. He should have black hair and blue eyes. He must have a good personality and he's got to like football. He should be goodlooking and must have a sense of humor.

All in all he must be a pretty swell guy. Billie hasn't found him yet, but she's going to marry him. Her ideal day starts at 11:00 in the morning. At this time she would go swimming and then drink some orange juice and then fool around until lunch; she would have fried chicken and pineapple and she would eat all she could hold. She would then go for a walk and then listen to records until about 6:00. Then she would get ready to go dancing with her ideal boy. She would go home at 2:00, go to sleep and then get up and start all over again.

An incident that Billie will never forget was when her twin brothers were babies and just crawling. She was only four and her mother left Billie in charge of the babies for a while until she got back. Billie led the babies out in the cow lot. When her mother returned, one of them was under a mule. The results were that Billie couldn't sit down for another week. In other words Billie got a spanking. She'll never forget it.

Billie said her most exciting moment was when she got to go to California last summer. She had lots of fun.

We know, Billie, that you've had a very exciting and interesting life; stay the way you are, Billie, because that's the way we, the students of F. H. S. like you. Thank you always have the good luck and happiness that belong to you. We'll always treasure your minutes with us in P. H. S.

house last Friday night was a grand success. \$140 was taken in. This money will go for the benefit of the school lunch room. Eddie Jarrett proved to be an excellent auctioneer. Shelby Calahan took the Bean family back to Dallas Sunday and returned on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Snell, of Lubbock, were here Sunday, guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Snell.

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Campbell News

CAMPBELL, Jan. 26—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Orman and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shurbet.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pratt visited in the Everett Warren home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Head and family attended church at Roaring Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baxter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Campbell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones were called to Amarillo Sunday night due to the illness of his mother.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Lyles were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lyles, Floyd Lyles, Rita McCormick, Marvin Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baxter and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Lyles.

Virgil Warren missed school Friday on account of tonsillitis.

(Crowded Out Last Week)

CAMPBELL, Jan. 19—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Nixon, Fred and Leslie, went shopping in Lubbock Friday.

Kerwin and Waldo Baxter, Virgil Warren and Lawrence Stovall visited A. C. Pratt Sunday.

Maxine Warren spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. T. M. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren visited relatives in Amarillo over the weekend.

Visitors in the W. W. Baxter home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baxter and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hopkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Finley and Mrs. Jeff Hart visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baxter Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones and Harold and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Long, of Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Porter Finley this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Warren and family visited in the Frank Pratt home Monday night.

L. L. Nixon and O. L. Head went to Lubbock on business Tuesday.

The adults better practice up playing dominoes or the young folks will beat them.

South Plains News

SOUTH PLAINS, Jan. 26—We are glad to report that Mrs. Marble has returned from the hospital and is doing nicely.

Mrs. Roy Childress and Mary Louise are home from Canyon between school terms.

Floyd Jarnagin and Charles Beedy were home from Texas Technological college for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown are the proud parents of a son, who arrived January 22.

We extend our sympathy to the Bean family in the death of Mother Bean on January 22.

The pie supper at the school



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Citrus fruits are good to eat and good for you. Eat some fresh every day as long as they are in season, then conserve some for out-of-season use. These recipes are offered by Leila Petty, county home demonstration agent:

Canning Orange and Grapefruit Juice
Wash the fruit. Extract juice from citrus fruit with electric or hand reamer, being careful not to get the oil from the fruit peel in the juice. Screen out seeds and any white membrane which gets into juice. Heat the juice rapidly to between 180 degrees F. and 190 degrees F. Remove from heat. Fill clean plain tin cans full of the hot juice. Seal and invert can for one minute to sterilize the lids. Cool immediately in cold water. The rapid cooling of the juice helps retain its natural flavor. Extract and heat only enough juice to fill 4 to 6 cans at one time. Temperature of the juice should be 180 degrees F. or above when it is sealed.

Canning Grapefruit sections
Wash the fruit. Peel in a similar manner as for apples by cutting deep through outside skin and thin membrane. Remove remaining membrane from between the sections. Discard seed. Pack tightly into containers. Cover with boiling syrup. Process in water bath. Pints and quarts — 7 minutes; No. 2 and No. 3 cans — 5 minutes.

A training meeting for marketing committee chairmen in home demonstration clubs will be held in the home demonstration agent's office in Floydada at 2:30 on Saturday afternoon, January 24.

Half Minute Interviews

Oscar Hewitt: "Irrigation farming is moving right on east from South Plains, with new wells announced every day or so. The old Sunset school house section has a good well on it and I and others are making preparations to put in wells."

The Ohio river is nearly 1,000 miles in length, is 1,500 feet in width in several places and contains numerous islands.

According to Federal statistics the American farmer receives 52 cents of every dollar spent by consumers for his products.

Deeds Recorded

Collins Walker to Claud Hammit, NE 1/4 of survey 28, block G.
T. J. Hudson to Lone Star Baptist church, a lot in survey 9 of the G. C. & S. P. Ry Co., block C-9;
W. E. Taack to Walter W. Taack, E 1/2 of survey 13, block N, T. W. & N. G. Ry. Co.;
J. N. Williams to Zeel Watson, lots 9 and 10, block 12, original town of Lockney;
John C. Fortenberry to John C. Fortenberry, Jr., 106 2/3 acres off the east side of the N 1/2 of survey 91, block D-3;
J. K. Waddington to C. M. Theaker, lots 15 and 16, block 2, West Side Heights addition to Floydada;
Burl Griffith to John Himmel, S 4 1/4 acres of section 25, BS&P;
Leon Wofford to Jim Williams, lots 11, 12 and 13, block 1, Brunson addition to the town of Lockney;
James E. Williams to Loveta Williams, lots 11, 12 and 13, block 1, Brunson addition to the town of Lockney;
J. Edd McLaughlin to Burl Griffith, 320 acres being the N 1/2 of a 640 acre tract known as survey 6, B&B;
Elmer McLaughlin to Frank West, SW 1/4 of section 2, block D-5, containing 160 acres;
Art Washburn to Mauld E. Hollums, lot 10, block 98, original town of Floydada;
F. C. Harmon et al to O. L. Stansell, lots 3 through 8, block 3 section No. 3, 1945 addition to Floydada Cemetery;
Mrs. Alice Paddock Wright to J. F. Colston, S 1/2 of NE 1/4 of a 640 acre tract of land known as survey 23, block D-1;
C. H. Wise to P. D. Helms, SE 1/4 of survey 91, block D-3, E. L. & R. R. Co.;
J. Mose Simpson to C. L. Hagood et al, the E 1/2 of the J. W. White survey No. 9, block 4;
Tom L. Davis to Burt Flowers four acres out of the SE corner of the J. A. Poindexter 169 acre survey and two acres out of the SW corner of the L. T. Mizell 150 acre homestead donation survey;
W. S. Poole to J. T. Huckabay, survey No. 34, block G, T. T. Ry. Co.;
Judson Miller to Mrs. Mary Simmons, 99 1/2 acres of land being the W. part of the N 1/2 of survey 39, block D-2;
Ernest Kendrick to L. A. Doyle et al, a tract of land out of the following surveys: W. R. Vandever 160 acre survey, C. E. Vandever 80 acre survey and the Frank Anderson 152 acre survey. All such surveys lie in the Blanco canyon;
Lue Vina Fowler to Abigail Elza, W. 162 1/2 feet of lot 3 and the E. 162 1/2 feet of lot 2, block 85;
Abigail Elza to Jewell Elza, lot 11, block 46;
Robert A. Sone to Charlie Lewis, N. 80 feet of lots 7 and 8, block 134 original town of Floydada;
D. D. Mahon to C. D. Hall, S 1/2 of section 207, containing 320 acres;
H. E. Cannaday to Robert Fisher, lot 14 and the E 1/2 of lot 15, block 66;
George N. Jeffcoat to W. A. Rushing, S. 55 yards of the E 1/2 of a 10 acre tract out of the N. B. Davis survey;
H. E. Cannaday to Maggie E. Cannaday, lot 12, block 67, original town of Floydada;
Preston K. Bullard to C. H. Wise, 80 acres of land being the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of survey 105, block D-3, D. & P. Ry. Co.;
F. M. Dougherty to Roy E. Crawford, lot 22, block 21, Dougherty;
Herman Cunningham to Udell Cunningham, E. 60 feet of lots 7 through 10, block 4, Potts addition to Lockney;
W. A. Merrell to J. C. Burleson, 113 acres known as the S. part of survey 54, block G. M. G. C. & S. P. Ry. Co.;
W. A. Merrell to Fay T. Taylor, 184.2 acres of land known as the north part of survey 54, block G. M.;
James J. Smith to R. I. McLeroy, 160 acres being all of the J. P. Poindexter survey;
Samuel H. Smith to Ira Lynch, 5 acres being the N 1/2 of the Eastland County School land league No. 4;
W. M. Massie to Robert Richardson, lot 15, block 31, Floydada;
W. R. Childers to V. H. Kellison, 110 acres of land out of survey 15, block N, T. W. N. G. Ry. Co.;
Frank West to E. L. Burleson, SW 1/4 of section 2, block D-5, D. & P. Ry. Co.;
L. J. Welborn to Ralph J. Thayer, 320 acres of land being the S 1/2 of survey 42, block G;
First National company of Lockney to Ross E. Smith, lots 6 through 10, block No. 3, Byars addition to the town of Lockney;
Joe Anderson to Dr. S. Frank Robinson, a part of the N 4 1/2 of the E 1/2 of survey 58, T. T. Ry. Co.;
85 acres of the NW 1/4 of survey 58, block D-2; 10 acres out of the SW part of survey 83, block D-2, T. T.

Ry. Co.;
Floydada Independent School District No. B to Marvin Tingley, lots 1 through 8, block 118;
B. P. Sandefur to O. M. Fowler, 150.911 acres out of the NE 1/4 of survey 88, block 1, A. B. M.;
R. W. Lotspeich to J. T. Poole, NE 1/4 of a 640 acre tract described as survey 5, block 1, original grantee B & B;
Roy Pawver to C. L. Hagood, all of the SE 1/4 of survey 6, block 1, H. & G. N. Ry. Co.;
O. W. Keeter to Archie Phillips, lots 9 and 10, block 7, Moore addition No. 1 to the town of Lockney;
Homer Ray Cypert to D. C. Secrist, lots 14, 15 and 16, block 3, A. J. Byars addition to the town of Lockney.

GREAT GRAND DAUGHTER GUEST OF MRS. KATE COLLIER
Mrs. M. F. Shaw and her daughter, Mrs. Mike Boyd, and Mrs. Boyd's four months old daughter, Janis, of Amarillo, were in Floydada last week visiting with Mrs. Shaw's mother, Mrs. Kate Collier.
The hostess and her guests represent three generations, Janis Boyd being the great granddaughter of Mrs. Collier.
Dale King, of the US Marine Corps, has left for San Francisco, after having spent 30 days here visiting with his mother, Mrs. G. Scott King.

BUSINESS IS GROWING. SAYS STERLEY HELPY-SELFY LAUNDRY OWNER
Business is growing for his helplessly laundry at Sterley as people over a wider area learn of the facilities offered by his plant, said G. P. Nelson here last week-end. The area served by the plant is a large one in the north and east part of Floyd county and the south part of Briscoe.

Mrs. P. H. Silvey and Mrs. Evelyn Osborne have returned to their respective homes in Comanche, Oklahoma and Texarkana after being in Floydada several days to attend the funeral of their brother and grandfather, L. B. Maxey.

Mrs. M. T. Bosley has been in Northwest Texas hospital in Amarillo, where she underwent an operation recently.

Baird Bishop, of Bishop Pharmacy, was in Mineral Wells last week for a vacation and the baths.

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Social Events, Clubs

Lottie Bell Swepton Wed to O. L. Burns In Home Ceremony

Miss Lottie Bell Swepton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Swepton of the Hillcrest community, became the bride of O. L. Burns, son of Mrs. C. A. Wright, of Amarillo, in an impressive ceremony performed Sunday, January 18 at 3 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents.

Dr. Howe Owen, pastor of the First Baptist church, Plainview, performed the double ring ceremony before the glow of burning logs in an open fireplace in the candlelighted living room. The fireplace was flanked with tall candelabra and baskets of white gladioli and fern. An arrangement of white carnations on the mantel was reflected in a mirror over the fireplace.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Hershel Swepton, wore a brown suit with matching accessories and carried a prayer book, a heirloom of a great aunt, topped with tallman roses and ribbon streamers. For something old, she wore a gold wedding band which belonged to her great grandmother something borrowed was a strand of pearls belonging to Mrs. W. M. Houghton and blue garters supplied the something blue.

Sister Is Bride's Attendant

The couple's attendants were E. Fred Wright, brother of the groom and Anne Swepton, sister of the bride. Miss Anne Swepton wore a beige suit with brown accessories and a pink rose corsage.

Mrs. Swepton, mother of the bride, was attired in a black two-piece dress with a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Vance Campbell, organist for the wedding, played "Always" preceding the ceremony and the traditional wedding march by Lehengrin for the entrance of the wedding party. She also played appropriate organ music for the reception held immediately following the ceremony.

For the reception, the dining table was covered with a linen network cloth with pink carnations and pink candles forming a centerpiece. A three-tiered wedding cake topped with a white wedding bell was served to a number of friends and relatives of the couple. Miss Marian Chunn, of Plainview, and Mrs. Bill Colston, of Floydada, assisted in the dining room during the reception.

Mrs. Burns graduated from Floydada High school with the class of 1939. At present she is employed at Kimble Optometric clinic. Previously, she was employed as oper-

Open House Honors Mr. and Mrs. Kinder Farris Monday Night

One hundred and twenty-two guests registered at open house given by Mrs. John Farris, 604 South Third street, Monday night from 6 until 9 o'clock in honor of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kinder Farris, just recently returned from their wedding trip to Monterey, Mexico.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Farris. In the receiving line were Mrs. Farris and the honorees, Mrs. Harry Morckel presided at the register.

The house was beautifully decorated throughout with yellow jonquills.

Tea and coffee were served from the table covered with a lovely white maderia cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow jonquills, yellow tapers and pink stock. Assisting in the hospitalities were Mrs. George Van Wickel, Earl Crow, Rex Brown, Billy Stanforth, Watson Jones and Edward Wester.

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Mrs. Jack Yearry Hostess For Cedar Club Meeting

Mrs. Jack Yearry was hostess to the Cedar Home Demonstration club Wednesday of last week. Miss Leila Pettit gave an interesting demonstration on drapes and curtains. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Rene Yearry, Mrs. H. C. Gilley, Mrs. C. Gilley, Mrs. E. E. Gilley, Miss Pettit, and Mrs. Jack Stansell.

The next meeting will be held February 4 at the home of Mrs. Rene Yearry. All members are urged to be present. This will be an important meeting.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. S. Hale, jr., of Amarillo, spent the week-end here guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sam Hale and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Daniel.

War-dress for the Santa Fe Bellows company for three years. For a few months, she worked in the tax assessor-collector's office in Plainview.

Mr. Burns is a graduate of Quash High school. He served five years in the US army. Two years of this time were spent in ETO in the second Armored division. After his discharge, he attended Wayland college until recently when he discontinued his studies to prepare to enter the Landis School of Mortuary science at Houston. He will enroll February 2.

The young couple made a short trip to New Mexico and are now at home in Floydada.

Miscellaneous Bridal Shower for Lovelle Ginn at Morckel home

One of the colorful social events of the season was a miscellaneous bridal shower honoring Miss Lovelle Ginn, bride-elect of Clyde Owens of Lubbock. The shower was held at the home of Mrs. Harry Morckel at 815 West Missouri Street at 3:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday, January 17.

Hostesses for the occasion with Mrs. Morckel were, Mmes. W. Edd Brown, Arlin Hartzog, J. H. Buchanan, Howard G. Bishop, Syd Brown, E. J. Barker, Ray S. McEntire, George Sherrill W. D. Newell, R. B. Gary, Glenn Armstrong, A. S. Mize, Victoria Asher, P. W. Bell, Audrey Asher, H. O. Pope, Clement McDonald, Carl Muench and J. D. McBrin. Misses Margaret McKinney, Reda Mae Gary and Alice Bell.

Miss Reda Mae Gary, assisted by Mrs. Hartzog served spiced tea and cookies to the guests as they arrived. Mrs. Audrey Asher assisted at the register.

The dining table from which the guests were served, was laid with a white linen cloth. The centerpiece consisted of a low crystal basket brimming with yellow jonquills that was flanked on either side by tall yellow tapers. Small hand-painted palettes on which a ship sailing toward the sunset bore the inscription, "Lovelle and Clyde, January 24, 1948" were used as plate favors. These were made and presented by Mrs. Barker.

Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Muench presented a musical program. "Indian Dawn" was sung by Ruth Elaine Harmon, Molly June French, Norma Jean Carpenter, Dorothy Bishop, Gladys Roberts and Verna Lester under the direction of Mrs. Muench. Mrs. Muench sang, "The Sweetest Story Ever Told". She was assisted by the piano by Mrs. McDonald. Mrs. Edd Brown read the toast, an original poem by Mr. Brown, written for the occasion.

The honoree wore a sheer white tulle gown with a corsage of yellow roses.

Mrs. Owens, mother of the groom and Mrs. Ginn, mother of the honoree wore corsages of red carnations.

Those who attended the shower were Mmes. Jim Conner, H. C. Love, R. G. Dunlap, H. C. Randolph, Glenn Stansell, Kenneth Bain, Guy Ginn, Carl Owens, J. W. Ginn, C. W. Ginn, D. W. Fyffe, A. V. Stewart, Ivy Thomas, C. O. Spencer, Mrs. M. J. Weathers, Eugene Gilly, T. B. Mitchell, C. D. Foote, Mollie Merton, P. A. Denison, G. N. Shirey, Pierce King, F. U. Payne, G. C. Tubbs, H. G. Parker, Misses Mary K. Asher, Maurice Burton, Harmon, French, Carpenter, Bishop, Roberts and Lester.

A number of other friends sent gifts to the shower.

Doniece Cline Leader and Hostess at 1934 Study Club Meeting

The 1934 Study club met Tuesday evening of last week at 7:15 to hear Mrs. Cleveland discuss "New Careers For Women." Doniece Cline was hostess and leader of the meeting.

Mrs. Cleveland told that in past years the age of 44 or 45 years was usually thought of as years to decline, but today that is not true. Some of the many new fields open to women as given by Mrs. Cleveland are different types of sewing, knitting and crocheting, typist at home, front porch library, baby sitting, sitting with older people, different types and methods of cooking, personal service and many others.

Some women search the fields for income because of necessity of care for their family while others need to pass the unused time.

In many of the very interesting instances related by Mrs. Cleveland a huge income or even fortunes have been netted from a "start" of only a very few dollars and much thought, patience and work by women from all over the United States.

Refreshments were served to Jo Hal Wofford, Anne Willson, Anne Swepton, Bernice Stanpton, Elizabeth Armstrong, Irene Sherrill, Polly Cardinal, Mary Shaw, Ruby Cleveland, Leila Pettit, Polrene Crowell, Bernice Hartzog, Flora McNeill, Frances Graves, Diana Gresham, Mary Frances Haden and the hostess, Doniece Cline.

The next meeting will be February 7 at the home of Avis Muench, 411 West Tennessee street.

Baker H. D. Club Meets With Mrs. Neil Hostess

The Baker Home Demonstration club met Monday of last week with Mrs. R. L. Neil as hostess. The new year books were filled in alphabetically. New members are welcome to every meeting of the club.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Floyd Bedford, Claude Pawver, John Smith, Bruce Holder, E. H. Spears, Hershel Green, Poyner Roberts and the hostess.

Next meeting of the club will be February 2 with Mrs. Bradford.

Get the want ad habit.

Ginn-Owens Nuptial Vows taken in Church Ceremony Saturday

Miss Lovell C. Ginn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarence Ginn, of Floydada, became the bride of Clyde R. Owens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Owens, 2308 18th street, Lubbock, Saturday evening at 6 o'clock in a wedding ceremony performed at the First Baptist church.

Rev. Geo. A. Dale officiated, as vows were said beneath a white wrought iron archway decorated in garlands of fern and white chrysanthemums flanked with 12 candelabras containing white tapers. Baskets of white gladioli and fern adorned the pulpit back of which were long garlands of fern and chrysanthemums and tree of woodwardia fern.

Matron of honor was Mrs. DeWinn Fyffe, sister of the bride. The best man was J. W. Tippet, brother-in-law of the bridegroom. Ushers were DeWinn Fyffe, brother-in-law of the bride, and Glen D. Atkins, brother-in-law of the groom. Miss Reda Mae Gary, of Lubbock, and Mrs. Aubrey Asher of Floydada lighted the tapers as the strains of the Rosary preceded the bridal procession, the Bridal Chorus. Before the ceremony I Love You Truly and Always were played by Ray S. McEntire, of Floydada at the organ and Indian Love Call and Because were sung by Floyd W. Webb, of Clinton, Oklahoma, an uncle of the bride. To a Wild Rose was followed by the Wedding March, recessional.

Pretty in Ballerina Suit

The bride was pretty in a light blue ballerina suit with pink accessories. She carried a bouquet of red rosebuds. The matron of honor was dressed in a grey suit with navy accessories, and carried a bouquet of yellow jonquils and maline.

Mrs. Ginn, mother of the bride, wore black with white accessories and her corsage was of gardenias and candy tuft. The bridegroom's mother was dressed in brown. Her corsage was of gardenias and candy tuft.

Miss Reda Mae Gary and Mrs. Audrey Asher of the wedding party had corsages of white carnations.

The couple are spending their honeymoon in Oklahoma and will make their home in Lubbock. After the ceremony they greeted invited guests at the church. The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Reda Mae Gary.

Among the Lubbock friends who attended the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tippet, Mr. and Mrs. Glen D. Atkins, Rev. and Mrs. Geo. A. Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Turner, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Pickett, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sluder, Misses Jimmie Lee Balch, Wanda Attip, Margaret McKinney, Inez Green and Clyde Rodgers.

Relatives present for the marriage were Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sawyer and Leonard Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Ormen Jones and Billy Jones, of Elk City, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. John W. Webb of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webb of Clinton, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ginn and Nelda Rae Ginn of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. F. U. Payne, of Lockney also were invited guests.

Donowho-Standefer Vows Said at Lubbock Sunday Afternoon

A wedding of interest locally was that Sunday afternoon at St. Johns Methodist church in Lubbock, when Miss Billie Jean Donowho, daughter of Mrs. B. F. Donowho, sr., of Meadow, became the bride of Eugene Richard Standefer, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Standefer of Plainview.

The marriage vows were said at 2 o'clock. D. N. Standefer of Seminole, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man and Miss Emma Ruth Standefer, sister of Plainview, assisted in lighting the candles.

Rev. George H. Bryant, of Lorens, performed the double ring ceremony.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio they are to live in Plainview.

The bridegroom is a grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson, pioneer residents of Floydada. After graduating from Muleshoe High school, and studying at Texas Tech college, he spent three years with the armed forces.

Miss Thelma Doyle To Wed February 2

Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Doyle announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Thelma, to Mr. Howell B. Lacy, of Guthrie, Kentucky.

The wedding will take place Monday, February 2 at 7 o'clock p. m. in the First Baptist church. The reception will be held in the basement of the church immediately following the ceremony.

No invitations have been sent out as everyone is invited to attend both the wedding and reception.

FLOYDADA HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. J. H. Exum was admitted January 14 for medical treatment.

Mrs. R. C. Scott was admitted January 16 for medical treatment.

Tommy Brock was admitted January 18 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Ella Johnson was admitted January 21 for medical treatment.

Mrs. R. T. Jones and W. H. Sadler are in the hospital receiving medical treatment.

MRS. BLASSINGAME HOSTESS FOR SUNNYSID H. D. CLUB

The president urged all members to be present at the next meeting.

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Mrs. Asher Asks For Re-Election as County Treasurer

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Treasurer. My experience in this office during the past year has better qualified me to render more efficient service to you. I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the coming election.

Respectfully,
Mrs. James L. Asher
(Political Announcement)

ON NEW MEXICO REA JOB

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chowning left last week for Socorro, New Mexico, where Mr. Chowning is employed as foreman of the Walker Construction company.

The company is engaged in building lines for the REA.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chapman returned last mid-week from a vacation spent at Gulf coast points. They spent sometime at Corpus Christi and Brownsville, among other points.

SANTA FE COUPLE RETURN AFTER FLOYD COUNTY VISIT

Mrs. James E. Burke and children James Lewis and Jessie Margaret returned Thursday to their home in Santa Fe, New Mexico, after having been here the past two weeks, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heim, and her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burke. Mr. Burke came Wednesday to return home with his family.

Mrs. Burke honored her husband with a lovely birthday dinner Wednesday before returning home on Thursday. Immediate families of the couple were guests at the dinner.

Writing Hesperian

Olson Announces For Re-Election as J. P., in 1 and 4

TO THE CITIZENS OF PRECINCTS 1 AND 4, FLOYD COUNTY:

I want to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of these precincts, subject to the Democratic primaries.

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B & PW Club Hears Talk by Judge Alton B. Chapman Monday

The Business and Professional Womens club met at the Hotel Coffee shop the first of the week for a dinner meeting at which time Judge Alton B. Chapman discussed "Good Laws Pay Dividends." Miss Mollie June French sang "Smiling Through," accompanied by Dorothy Bishop.

The following members attended this meeting: Mmes. Ruby Cleveland, E. L. Norman, Thelma Jones, Dona Covington, Lewis Norman, Russell King, Sam Green, Edna Phillips, Kathleen Stewart, Ethel French, C. D. Foote, I. T. Graves, Misses Leila Pettit, Frances Mitchell and Ruth Collins.

A short business session was held with Mrs. Cleveland presiding. A report of the finance committee was made by Mrs. Russell King.

It was announced that Charlie A. Guy, Editor of the Avalanche Journal will speak to the various clubs of Floydada on February 12.

Announcement was also made that the Freedom train will be through Amarillo on May 19th.

The Health committee composed of Mrs. Otto Marshall, chairman, Mrs. Ada Bailey and Mrs. Oleta Pruitt will have charge of the program February 9 at the Legion Hall at 7 p. m.

MRS. B. B. HENRY HONORS SON ON FOURTH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Billy Henry entertained her small son, Bill, with a party on his fourth birthday Thursday of last week from 4 until 6 o'clock.

Movies were taken of the party activities and the small guests.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served from the table decorated with balloons. Plate favors were animal cookies.

Guests were Grace Ann Potts, Vicki Kizer, Randy Hollins, Donnie and Dennis Donowho, Kim, Kim, Mrs. and Ann Word, Denny King, Mike Matisler, and the honoree and his sister, Jennifer Kay.

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Many Relatives Here Last Week at R. F. Hall Funeral

Numerous relatives and friends attended the funeral rites held for R. F. Hall, retired Floyd county farmer, who died at the age of 72 here Tuesday of last week. The rites were held at the First Baptist church Wednesday afternoon and interment was made in Floydada cemetery.

Survivors are his widow, four sons, Tom and Willis of Floydada, W. N. (Buck) of Dallas and Henry of Artesia, New Mexico; and four daughters, Mrs. O. H. Tabor, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Mrs. F. M. Covington, of Dougherty, Mrs. Ruby Jackson of Silver City, New Mexico, and Mrs. Clyde Alexander of Plainview, and several grandchildren. All of these and their families were here during Mr. Hall's last illness and at the rites except Henry Hall, of Artesia, New Mexico.

Among friends and relatives here were late to class.

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for the funeral were three sisters of Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Joe Pulig, of Sweetwater, Mrs. Ben Cunington and son Maxie and Mrs. Clarence Ledbetter of Ranger, a sister-in-law Mrs. S. E. Hall of Grady, New Mexico, a nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall, of Enoch, Texas; and old friends of the family Mr. and Mrs. Benton Lanham of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Peep and Mrs. G. L. Lewis of Amarillo, Mrs. O. B. Vaughn and Mrs. L. B. McElroy of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McBride of Lamesa, were at the last rites, Mrs. McBride being a granddaughter.

Mr. Hall was a native of Groesbeck, Texas, where he was born on April 19, 1875.

Center News

CENTER, Jan. 27—Weather continues to be cold. Every thing is covered with ice. Services were suspended at the church Sunday night due to the severe cold. Besides, the gas tank was empty. We hope it will be full by next Sunday.

Guests in the Travis Lightfoot home last Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jordan and Kathia of Portales, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Roe Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Green attended the funeral service for Mrs. G. W. Crow in Plainview Thursday.

Victor Green spent Saturday night with home folks, who accompanied him on a visit with relatives in Olton Sunday.

Glenna Fave Robertson, of Dalhart, and Melvin Robertson, of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robertson.

Mrs. J. D. Welborn has been on sick list, but is reported to be improving.

Say grade Labeling Practical in Talks to Market Chairm'n

A training meeting for Home Demonstration marketing committee chairmen was held Saturday afternoon, in the Agricultural building in Floydada. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. John Lloyd of the Homebuilders club, who is chairman of the marketing committee of the Floyd County Home Demonstration council, and Miss Lella Petty County Home Demonstration agent.

Mrs. Lloyd gave a demonstration on "Reading Labels of Canned Products" and the federal law "The Food, Drug, and Cosmetic act" and explained the meaning of grade labeling under the seal of "Continuing Inspection of U. S. Dept. of Agriculture."

"Grade labeling is a practical and uniform way of telling consumers the quality they cannot see of canned fruits and vegetables. It permits an intelligent comparison of the price for quality, and the opportunity of selecting a certain quality for a certain use," said Mrs. Lloyd. Three different brands of apricots were compared for quality and price.

Miss Petty discussed buying sheets and how one might decide on the type that would give the most for one's money. Two types of muslin sheets and one type of percale were shown.

These present were Mmes Lloyd Mrs. Art Willis of South Plains; R. B. Gary of Harmony; Lon Blasingame and Meek of Sunnyside; Poyner Roberts and John Smith of Baker; Frank Dunn of Center; W. M. Knight of Sand Hill; Raymond Temple of Lone Star; a visitor Mrs. M. O. Field of Floydada and Miss Petty.

THIRD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Mervin A. Davis entertained her small daughter, Diann, on her third birthday, January 20, with a party from 4 until 5:30 o'clock at her home, 500 South White street. Cake and ice cream were served to the little guests.

Present were Sue Echols, Gayle Gee, Mary Kay Asher, Francis Van Wickel, Jenice Elliott, Billy and Jennifer Henry and the honoree Diann.

Mrs. Bud Warren underwent a major operation Monday of last week in Lubbock Memorial hospital. She was in a serious condition for awhile, but was reported by Mr. Warren to be resting well Tuesday.

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Lakeview News

(Too late last week)
LAKEVIEW, Jan. 29—Since the contract has been let for the farm-to-market road connecting Highway No. 70 with Lakeview school, we are expecting to see work begin on it soon.

Pupils who won the honor of making the honor roll the third six weeks include the following: sixth grade, Patricia Ann Spears; fourth grade, Rena Mae Willis and Pat-sy Johnson; third grade, Mary Newberry; second grade, P. D. Hopper and Wandell Russell and first grade, Anella Thurston, Joy Sparks and Louie Johnson.

All the pupils are very much delighted at getting to hear the Story-Parade hour, school of the air program, heard each Monday at 11:15 over KONG, Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nelms, of San Pedro, California visited Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, of Crosbyton, visited Sunday afternoon in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright.

Little Miss Mary Diane Hill daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hill of Vernon, returned home Tuesday after visiting a few days in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hollums and son, Don, were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bunch and children.

Teddy Ladell Johnson, young son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Johnson, was admitted to the Crosbyton hospital Saturday for medical treatment. At present he is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. William Atkinson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Moore, all of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Langston Jones and daughter, Frances, and Fred Chandler, all of Plainview were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and children.

Fairview News

(Crowded Out Last Week)

FAIRVIEW, Jan. 26—Bill Womack and Dean Walls spent last week-end with Dean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls.

Mrs. W. B. Wilson has been at Lubbock spending a few days visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas McClure spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McClure, at Lone Star.

Mrs. Mary L. Wilcoxan, of Spearman, attended church here Sunday and visited with her son-in-law, Rev. Bill O'Dell.

Rev. and Mrs. Bill O'Dell are the parents of a son born Saturday afternoon of last week in the Plainview hospital. The little fellow has been named Billy Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Welch and Troy, who are moving to Ft. Worth to make their home, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart and Jim Dan, of Floydada, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson.

Half Minute Interviews

Roy Golden: "When you have to decide between a sack of flour and a poll tax receipt you take the sack of flour every time."

PIETS HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. G. B. Treadwell and new baby were dismissed January 20. Ernest Wells is doing nicely.

Wade Warren was dismissed January 20 after undergoing surgery.

W. H. Henderson was admitted January 14 for medical treatment. He is doing nicely.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cantrell, a son, Johnny Dean, January 14.

Norma Jenkins was admitted January 15 for medical treatment.

Orvil Deal was admitted January 18 for an appendectomy.

Mrs. R. P. Graves was admitted January 19 for medical treatment.

Fred J. Jones' daughter was admitted, January 21 for medical treatment.

Mrs. A. S. Yearly, of South Plains, was admitted January 24 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Ada Hinton was admitted January 25 for medical treatment.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Burgett on January 27, a son, weighing six pounds.

Helen Marie Whitehead was admitted January 28 to undergo an appendectomy.

CARD OF THANKS

The thoughtfulness of our friends during the illness and at the death of our mother and grandmother is gratefully acknowledged, with deep appreciation.

The H. L. Crow Family.

A WORD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude for the many acts of kindness shown us during our time of grief.

The Hall Family.

Mrs. W. H. Steen, of Philadelphia, Pa., who spent last week here as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen left Sunday returning home. Mrs. Steen is a sister-in-law of the Floydada Steens. She became ill and had to forego an anticipated extended visit here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clay Willis and children, Patricia Ann and Bobby Clay, were in Floydada recently visiting with Mr. Willis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Willis. The family was enroute to Amarillo to make their

home again after being absent a year while living in Jackson, Mississippi.

Miss Arla Vee Bishop will leave next week for Corona, California,

where she plans to be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass spent last week-end in Jerico, where they were guests of Mr. Snodgrass's sister, Mrs. Will Reeves.

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Crump Reveals New Farm Loan Plan Details

The first insured loan in Texas was made to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Churchwell in San Saba county on December 9, when the check for the loan was delivered to Mr. Churchwell by Mr. Dofflemeyer, president of the San Saba National bank. The new federally insured farm mortgage program of the Farmers Home administration is now in effect throughout the county, James F. Crump, county supervisor, said today.

Mr. Crump explained that this new program supplements rather than substitutes for the agency's direct farm purchase loan program in operation for the past ten years. The insured loans are advanced by private lenders.

Applications are accepted from qualified veterans and from tenants, sharecroppers, farm laborers and owners of inadequate or unimproved farms—provided they cannot obtain needed credit in any other way. The applicant must have farming experience and be of good character. He must know of a suitable place he can buy at a reasonable price, and be able to pay down at least 10 percent of the price of the farm and of the cost of any needed improvements. This 10 per cent investment gives him an equity in the place. He borrows the remaining 90 per cent from a private lender such as a bank, insurance company, investment firm or individual, and the Farmers Home administration guarantees the loan's repayment.

The farmer has 40 years to pay off the loan, if he needs that long, and he pays 2 1/2 percent interest. In addition he pays one percent mortgage charge at the beginning of each year, including the first, to the Farmers Home administration. The farm he selects to buy must be appraised on the basis of long-time average prices for farm products, to be sure it is worth what it costs.

"We lean heavily on county com-

mitteemen for advice and assistance in insuring loans," Mr. Crump said, "just as we do in making direct loans. In the matter of farm purchases the committee certifies as to a farm's sound value, and passes on the applicant's qualifications. Committee members for Floyd County are Robert W. Smith, J. Herschel Green and Ernest Lee Thomas."

MINOR OPERATION PERFORMED

Mrs. V. H. Boteler, secretary of Floydada Independent school district, underwent a minor operation recently in the Plainview clinic. She has resumed her office duties this week.

NOTICE OF ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS: County of Floyd:

To the Resident, Qualified Electors of the County of Floyd, Texas, who own Taxable Property in said County and who have duly received the same for taxation:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Floyd County, Texas, on the 17th day of February, 1948, on the proposition and at the places more particularly set forth in the election order adopted by the Commissioners' Court on the 12 day of January, 1948, which is as follows:

"AN ORDER Calling an Election on the Proposition of the Issuance of \$500,000.00 of Road Bonds and the Levy of a Tax in Payment Thereof.

WHEREAS, there has been presented for the consideration of the Court a petition signed by A. R. Meriwether and 157 other persons praying that an election be held in Floyd County on the proposition of the issuance of Road Bonds of said County in the amount of \$500,000.00 and the levy of a tax in payment thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Court has found that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident, qualified property tax-paying electors of Floyd County owning taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and

WHEREAS, the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Floyd County;

It is Therefore Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed By This Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas:

1. That an election be held in said County on the 17th day of February, 1948, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this order, to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of Floyd County, Texas, shall be issued under Article III, Section 52, of the Constitution in the amount of \$500,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four (4%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed Thirty

(30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Floyd County, Texas; and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said County sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity. The roads thus to be improved are as follows:

(a) East of Aiken from U. S. Highway 70 in a northerly direction approximately 8 miles to Providence Schoolhouse;

(b) East of Lockney from Farm to Market Highway 135 in a northerly direction approximately 10 miles with connections of approximately 1 mile easterly to Lone Star Schoolhouse and approximately 2.5 miles easterly to Sterley;

(c) In a southerly direction from U. S. Highway 70 South of Lockney approximately 4.5 miles to Pleasant Valley Schoolhouse;

(d) From State Highway 207 in a easterly direction approximately 6 miles to Cedar Hill;

(e) From State Highway 207 in an easterly direction approximately 6 miles past the Center Schoolhouse, thence approximately 2.5 miles in a northerly direction to Fairview;

(f) From Floydada in a westerly direction approximately 8 miles along the present procured route to Sand Hill, thence in a southerly direction approximately 3 miles to the Pleasant Hill Schoolhouse; 1 mile, thence Southerly approximately 1 mile, thence westerly 2 miles to the Harmony Schoolhouse;

(g) From U. S. Highway 70 approximately 7 miles east of Floydada in a southerly direction approximately 3 miles passing Baker Schoolhouse and Booth Schoolhouse, thence easterly approximately 1 mile, thence in a southerly direction approximately 3 miles to the Pleasant Hill Schoolhouse;

(h) From Dougherty in a southeasterly direction approximately 1.25 miles, thence in a southerly direction approximately 7 miles following approximately the present road.

If any funds remain after completion of the designated roads they shall be used to construct other Farm to Market roads designated by the majority vote of the Commissioners' Court.

None of the proceeds of this purchase of bonds shall be used for the purchase or clearance of rights-of-way.

The State Highway Department may participate in any roads to be improved with the proceeds of this issue of bonds to the extent and in the order that it desires.

2. That the proceeds of such bonds, if authorized, shall be expended in the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Floyd County, Texas.

3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22, Revised Statutes of 1925, as amended by Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature.

4. All persons who are legally qualified electors of this State and of this County, and who are resident, qualified property tax-paying electors of this County, owning taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence.

5. The ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"For the Issuance of Road Bonds and the Levying of an Ad Valorem Tax in Payment Thereof

"Against the Issuance of Road Bonds and the Levying of an Ad Valorem Tax in Payment Thereof

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

6. The said election shall be held at the several polling places in Floyd County, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed as officers of said election at the several voting precincts as follows:

In Precinct No. 1 at Martin & Company, Implement Store, with the following election officers: Lon M. Davis, Presiding Judge, J. M. Wilson, Judge, B. K. Barker, Clerk,

T. T. Hamilton, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 2 at Starkey Schoolhouse with the following election officers: J. K. Holmes, Presiding Judge, Elford Parrish, Judge.

In Precinct No. 3 at Allmon Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: E. E. Foster, Presiding Judge, Dennis Thorn, Judge.

In Precinct No. 4 at Sand Hill Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: J. T. McLain, Presiding Judge, W. M. Knight, Judge, W. R. Billington, Clerk, Jim Holmes, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 5 at City Auditorium, with the following election officers: J. J. Harris, Presiding Judge, L. M. Honea, Judge, Dee Copeland, Clerk, Guy Allen, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 6, at Aiken Gin Office, with the following election officers: H. L. Stowe, Presiding Judge, Will Cooper, Judge.

In Precinct No. 7, at Providence Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Pelham Clements, Presiding Judge, T. H. Boudelker, Judge.

In Precinct No. 8, at Lone Star Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: G. B. Johnston, Presiding Judge, H. E. Frizzell, Judge.

In Precinct No. 9, at South Plains Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: W. E. Sims, Presiding Judge, G. C. Beedy, Judge, H. T. Bradshaw, Clerk, G. Milton, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 11, at Cedar Hill Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Geo. Stiles, Presiding Judge, Jim Hart, Judge, Herschel Green, Clerk, W. H. Bethel, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 15, at Lakeview Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: W. E. Edwards, Presiding Judge, Thurman Hatten, Judge, Floyd Wilkes, Clerk, William Betts, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 16, at Harmony Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: G. L. Snodgrass, Presiding Judge, Hal Scott, Judge.

In Precinct No. 17, at Goodnight Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Warren Merrell, Presiding Judge, Walter Cobb, Judge.

In Precinct No. 18, at Lockney High School, with the following election officers: T. B. Mitchell, Presiding Judge, Bob Shelton, Judge, Frank Roberson, Clerk, W. C. Wisdom, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 19, at City Hall in Floydada, Texas, with the following election officers: E. P. Nelson, Presiding Judge, J. G. Wood, Judge, L. B. Fawver, Clerk, J. W. Lanier, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 20 at Dougherty Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Jim Morrison, Presiding Judge, Clark Howard, Judge, Bill Norman, Clerk, C. A. Caffee, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 21, at Sterley Schoolhouse, with the following election officers: Bert Bobbitt, Presiding Judge, G. A. McAda, Judge.

In Precinct No. 22, at McCoy Schoolhouse, with the following election officers:

O. L. Beardon, Presiding Judge, Geo. Smith, Judge.

In Precinct No. 23, at County Courtroom, with the following election officers: C. B. Sims, Presiding Judge, Mrs. S. J. Latta, Judge, Clifford Willis, Clerk, D. I. Bolding, Clerk.

In Precinct No. 24, at County Treasurer Office, with the following election officers: Mad Jarboe, Presiding Judge, J. L. Frizzell, Judge, Mrs. A. W. Chowning, Clerk.

7. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the Statutes hereinabove cited.

8. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the "Floyd County Hesperian" a newspaper published in said County, for three (3) successive weeks before the date fixed for holding said election. In addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at four public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Courthouse door for three (3) weeks prior to said election.

9. The County Clerk is hereby directed to publish and post the same as hereinabove directed, and further orders are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by the Court.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of January, 1948.

W. E. GRIMES, County Judge, Floyd County, Texas.

ATTEST: Margaret Collier, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court, Floyd County, Texas. (SEAL)

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400-watt incandescent lamp	10% off
500-watt incandescent lamp	10% off
600-watt incandescent lamp	10% off
750-watt incandescent lamp	10% off
100-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
150-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
200-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
250-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
300-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
400-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
500-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
600-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
750-watt fluorescent lamp	10% off
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This applies to the man who brings home a weekly pay check, to the man with a little savings in the bank or a life insurance policy, and to companies that have to build new plants and buy new machines to fill future needs and provide future jobs. Inflation is a sinister thing. It steals up on a country and its economy in a gradually accelerating two-step of prices and wages—each trying to get one step ahead of the other—and there is no red line to show when the danger point has been reached. Inflation is like a fire. Once it gets well under way, it can never be checked until everything is destroyed.

Do you know what inflation can do to you? As money buys less and less, your savings lose their buying power. Life insurance policies dwindle in value. Money saved to take your wife to the hospital won't pay the bill when the time comes. Pay checks buy less and less. Retirement money won't pay for retirement.

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Show Film in Color February Fifth

Families of this community and those invited to the showing of a motion picture in color which tells the story of agriculture through the ages and the importance to mankind. The film will be shown here on Thursday, February 5 in Palace Theatre, as a part of a program arranged by S. J. Latta, the local representative of the Minneapolis-Moline farm implement company.

The film, titled "Saga of the Soil" and produced by Minneapolis Moline Farm Implement Company, emphasizes the importance of agriculture in the development of civilization and the contribution agriculture has made and is making in stabilizing the welfare of man. Most of the scenes for this film were filmed in Europe, Africa, and the Near East.

Baker Locals

On Jan. 26—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dowdy, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. and R. W. Mr. and Mrs. P. I. and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Neil, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. West and Kay, Mrs. G. R. May Hoover Farmer visited Saturday in the home of T. J. Cardin, Shorty and George.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Riegle and Mrs. E. H. Hopper and Rose Beard visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Payne and Ronnie. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dowdy and Mr. Mrs. R. A. Colston and J. B. and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fawver and family.

Mr. C. H. Brown spent the week-end at her home in South Plains.

Mr. E. E. Amburn returned from his Saturday after several weeks there.

Miss Amburn leaves Tuesday to attend in Wayland college, Ft. Worth.

There were eight present at Sunday School. Next Sunday is regular meeting day.

There will be a "42" social Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

John Adams was the last member of the Federalist party to be elected president of the United States.

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Announcement for office, subject to the Democratic primary in July are authorized to be made by the following:

For County Judge:
TOM W. DEEN

For Sheriff:
LELAND A. HART

For County Attorney:
ENOS T. JONES

For County Clerk:
MARGARET COLLIER

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
CLARENCE A. GUFFEE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
FRED N. CLARK

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 2:
W. H. (HUGH) COUNTS

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 3:
W. C. PLUMLEE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
P. L. (FAYE) HART
CLAUD FAWVER

For County Treasurer:
MRS. JAMES L. ASHER

Guffee Announces For Re-Election as Co. Superintendent

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY:

I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County School Superintendent.

The experience I have had in this office makes me capable of understanding and performing the duties of this office in a capable manner.

If you see fit to re-elect me to this office, I shall continue to use my best efforts to work for the betterment of the schools of our County, rendering prompt, efficient and courteous service called for in the office.

I cordially solicit your vote and influence in the election.

Respectfully,
Clarence A. Guffee
(Political Advertisement)

HOMEMAKERS COMMITTEEMEN MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS

The Homebuilders club met Friday at the home of Mrs. Elbert Parks for a program of the year's work. The following committee chairmen submitted the recommendations of their committee:

Mrs. D. D. Shipley, exhibit; Mrs. W. A. Cates, education-expansion; Mrs. Joe Dunn, 4-H sponsor; Mrs. John Lloyd, marketing; Mrs. D. T. Mayo, a member of the recreation committee. New year books were filled out by each member.

Business included the adoption of the recommendation of the finance committee submitted by Mrs. Dickie Atteberry.

Visitors present for the meeting were Mrs. W. F. Weatherbee and Mrs. John Shipley. Members were Mrs. Raymond Williams, Joe Dunn, John Lloyd, W. A. Cates, T. J. Heard, D. T. Mayo, J. D. Eaves, Dickie Atteberry, D. D. Shipley, P. F. Bertrand and the hostess.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Riley Teague February 13 at 2 o'clock. New members and visitors are welcome.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who assisted us during our recent bereavement, and for the many beautiful floral offerings. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Cash, Mr. and Mrs. George McPeak, Mrs. Hattie Cash, Billie Jo McPeak, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cantrell.

One man walked up to another and asked what time it was. "I'm not going to tell you." "Why not?"

"Well, it's like this. If I tell you the time, we'll get talking. I might become your friend and ask you out to the house. You'd probably fall in love with my daughter and want to marry her. And I don't want anybody in my family that can't afford a dollar watch."

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TISSUE, 8c

8c

BABO

2 Cans

23c

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39c

FIRM HEAD

Lb.
LETTUCE, 12c

FIRM HEAD

Lb.
CABBAGE, 4c

Large Bunch
CARROTS, 10c

TURNIPS &

Tops,

Lg. Bunch

10c

Lb.
LEMONS, 13c

PARD

DOG FOOD

14c

IVORY SOAP

2 Lg. 37c

SPIC AND SPAN

25c

LAVA SOAP

Reg. 10c

Red Pitted

No. 2
CHERRIES, 25c

Heinz

2 Cans
BABY FOOD, 15c

Hunts

46 Oz.
Tomato Juice, 23c

Comet

2 Lb.
RICE, 43c

Armour

Can
TRETT, 53c

Pinto

2 Lb.
BEANS, 33c

Hunts

2 Lb.
RAISINS, 35c

Brer Rabbit

1/2 Gal.
SYRUP, 55c

VEL, 35c

3 Reg.
Palmolive, 29c

Pure Cane 10 Lb.
SUGAR, 89c

3 Lb.
CRISCO 1.19

Krispy 1 Lb.
Crackers 25c

DREFT, 35c

FOLGERS

Lb.
COFFEE, 53c

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FOR SALE—Boehm B flat Star clarinet, silver finish, excellent condition. Phone 334-W. Pauline Denton. 52 1tp.

1937 CHEVROLET coupe, good shape sell or trade for pick-up. D. H. Giddens, 10 miles north of highway, north of Dougherty. 52 3tp.

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FOR SALE—Nice line of O. D. wool blankets, \$3.50 each. Seale Bargain Store. 51 2tc.

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FOR SALE—A complete line of Brunswick Tires. Ford and Chevrolet grills, trailer axles and all kinds of wheels. Floydada Wrecking Co. L. L. Clark. 21 tfc.

Merit Feeds at Boothe and Sons. 44 tfc.

For Trade

FOR TRADE Poland China male hog, with papers, for good bred Glits. Leo Brown, South Plains. 52 1tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1946 half ton Ford pick-up, clean. See Aaron Carthel at Phillips 66. 51 2tc.

Miscellaneous

ANNOUNCING the opening of the North Side Furniture store. We sell and buy used furniture. We now have gas and oil heaters, oil cook stoves, living room suites, kitchen cabinets and various items. O. W. Reynolds, owner, 330 N. Main St. Floydada, Texas. 52 3tp.

1948 Dog License Tax Is Now Due

Dog owners are reminded that the 1948 dog license provided by ordinance in Floydada city limits is now due and payable. Dogs on which license is not paid are required by city ordinance to be destroyed as a safeguard against rabies. Your usual prompt attention to this notice will be greatly appreciated and will be of value to you in protection for your valued dogs. Bob Smith, City Marshal of Floydada. 52 2tp.

TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS—We are moving to the Oliver Building on South Wall Street. Your continued patronage will be highly appreciated. Thanks a lot. Stewart and Martin Auto Repair. L. B. Stewart, sr., Joe Martin and L. B. Stewart, jr. 51 ttc.

We have some chicks on hand, but are sure to supply you if you book "your chicks ahead." Fuqua-Barber Farm Supply. 51 ttc.

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WE BUTCHER hogs on Tuesdays and Thursdays and a beef any day. We solicit your cooperation. Stan Goen Slaughter House, G. C. Hillburn, manager. 50 3tp.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I have bought out my renters, Virgil Tivis, Lloyd Tivis, N. L. Tivis and Tiny Tivis for the sum of \$1295. On Thanksgiving Day, 1947, I hired Arthur Edwards to put their livestock, chickens and household goods back into New Mexico. Mrs. Eva Wagner. 51 4tp.

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Save Money on feeds. See Boothe and Sons. 44 ttc.

PROMPT service on orders for sand and gravel. D. F. Leatherman, East Missouri street, phone 573. 10 ttc.

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The blind or Mystic reader formerly Amarillo, Texas, now in Roaring Springs, Texas. J. W. Hendricks 3552tp

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BEDROOM with kitchen privileges, middle age lady or couple preferred. 211 West Crockett st. 52 tfc.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment, bedroom and kitchen. Cal. 43 or see Earl Bishop at Farmers elevator. 52 2tc.

FOR RENT—2 room unfurnished apartment. Newly finished inside. 1/2 block off paving. See Jewel Elza at the 1st National Bank. 52 1tc.

FOR RENT—Two room unfurnished apartment. 320 So. Fifth St. 50 ttc.

FOR RENT—Bedroom with kitchen privileges, to couple or middle-aged lady. Phone 568-W. 51 ttc.

FOR RENT—Bedroom, 612 South Wall. Mrs. W. N. Paschall. 51 dh.

APARTMENT for rent, furnished or unfurnished. 720 South Main, phone 119-W. 51 2tp.

FOR RENT—Bedroom to two girls, or married couple. Kitchen privileges. Phone 123-M. 46 ttc.

FOR RENT—Three bedrooms, 214 West Mississippi. 50 ttc.

Wanted

WANTED—Ironing at my home. Mrs. Edd Gee, West Lee street. 51 2tp.

WANTED—To make your button-holes & cuffs. Mrs. T. E. Adcock, west side door, 419 W. Kentucky, phone 288-W. 51 8tp.

WANTED—Ironing. Mrs. W. H. Purrow, south town. 51 2tp.

IRONING—13 1/2 North Third street. Mrs. R. L. Pierre. 51 2tp.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. Oden Chevrolet Company. 18tfc

WANTED—I am in need of some farms to sell, large or small, irrigated or dry. Prospective buyers are coming in most every day. I will appreciate your listings if you want to sell. J. G. Wood, Bank Bldg., Phone 236 or 562-W. 36 ttc.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. Oden Chevrolet Company. 18tfc

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120 acres, modern house, other good improvements, on REA, school bus and mail route, 8 miles town, a real home at \$125.00 per acre, possession.
200 acres extra well improved well located, possession, priced right.
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Yellow Traffic Stripe Danger Warning Device

AUSTIN, Jan. 17—Officials of the Texas Highway Department Thursday told the story about the bright yellow lines now being seen by motorists every day throughout the vast 10,000 mile system of paved highways.

The new yellow no-passing line is put down on our highways in double indemnity device," State Highway Engineer D. C. Green declared.

"It gives a flashy and obvious warning of danger to the motorist who wants to protect his own life and the lives of others," he explained, "and it gives the police something definite on which to jail or punish a driver who apparently cares little for his life and thereby endangers the lives of innocent motorists on the other lane."

Last year President Truman's Highway Safety Conference urged the States to concentrate on improvement of highway center stripes as a major attempt to reduce the costly toll of accidents due to head-on collisions and sideswiping. In all States the color was changed to yellow, which texts show is more visible in all kinds of weather than any other type of marking. The yellow color is used also to impress the motorist that where yellow is seen on the road it must not be crossed.

50,000 gallons of yellow paint are being used by the Texas Department's painting crews to mark these no-passing zones. The painting operations have been under way since November and are now moving rapidly toward completion.

Highway Department officials pointed out the statewide yellow striping program for no-passing zones is considered the best method from the engineering point of view for temporarily combating the traffic accident menace on the highway system.

The officials are hopeful the traveling public will soon become "yellow line conscious," since crossing the yellow line is not only an invitation for loss of life and limb, but is a violation of Texas law under the new uniform traffic code making violators liable for a maximum fine of \$30.

"Do not cross the yellow line," is the new password to safer driving.

Permanent Permit Bus to Petersburg

PETERSBURG, Jan.—Roy McDaniel, C. Thorne, Joe Barlow, Art Main and Bill Chandler attended a public hearing of the State Railroad Commission at Lubbock Tuesday. The hearing was to consider the granting of a permanent permit to operate the West Texas, New Mexico bus line through Petersburg.

The permit was granted and the schedule is to change beginning the first of February. The morning bus out of Lubbock will be discontinued. The bus from Vernon will arrive at 10:55 a. m. going to Lubbock. A bus leaving Lubbock at 6:30 p. m. will arrive at Petersburg at 7:20 p. m. and will make connections with buses on into Fort Worth and Dallas, arriving at Dallas at 5:45 a. m.

HAS GOOD WELL

LOCKNEY, Jan.—W. E. Sims has brought in a good irrigation well in what was supposed "dry land" territory.

The Sims place is located on Highway 207 two miles north of the intersection with Farm Highway 135.

Be wise—Advertise.

Conservation District News

The Floyd County Soil Conservation district made their annual report to the Soil Conservation service at their regular meeting held recently, which included several outstanding accomplishments; as noted below.

A "Sure-Stand" grass seeder was purchased during the year that will be available to district cooperators on a rental basis for planting legumes this spring and fall.

In the state-wide contest sponsored by the Fort Worth Press, Ernest Lee Thomas was awarded a plaque for the most outstanding conservation work in the District. The South Lockney conservation group won a state-wide prize of \$200 for being one of the outstanding groups in the state.

The district acquired a one-third interest in a movie projector for the purpose of showing educational pictures on farming and ranching.

The work of soil conservation in Floyd county was estimated by the supervisors as being worth \$900 per farm more than farms without soil conservation practices.

Improved methods of water application have made it possible for one man to handle two and three wells at one time where it once took two and three men to operate one well.

The Soil Conservation service technicians assigned to the Floyd County Soil Conservation district set high points for the following farmers the past few days: D. S. Battey, H. E. Graham and Oscar Golden and R. I. Thomas.

A ditch line was run on the Richard P. Stovall farm for irrigation.

Six miles of terrace lines were laid out for Wayne Pleg in the Edgin community. John Downey is building the large ridge type level terraces for Mr. Pleg.

W. E. Sims had some lines run for ditches to develop his well.

CARLSBAD CAVERN ROUTE NOW BEING ADVERTISED

FREDERICK, Okla.—(Special)—According to the sponsors of the Carlsbad Cavern Route to California, Tom Manning of Frederick and C. A. Holding of Tipton, Oklahoma, tourists are now traveling a new route to California.

For the past six months, these men who are interested in northern and eastern tourists seeing more of the Southwest, have been promoting the new route to California, from Oklahoma City via the Carlsbad caverns to Carlsbad, New Mexico.

By means of large, reflector type road and directive signs beyond Oklahoma City, on Highway 66 and 62 the sponsors are calling attention to the many advantages of their proposed route to California from Oklahoma City, and will furnish interested tourists with printed tourist guides to lead them over the new route.

The men sponsoring the program have run against some obstacles in the way of shortages of material and labor, but report their large reflector type signs now built and being erected. The copy for the tourist guides is in the hands of the printer and engraver and will be placed at points of distribution within a short time.

The promoters have expressed their appreciation of the cooperation they have received from Chambers of Commerce, civic clubs and business men along the new route to California and the patience all have shown in the seeming delay in getting the program under way. They point out however, that the advertising campaign starts from the date the signs are erected and the tourist guides placed in circulation; which will give all sponsors of the program not only the benefit of the 1948 spring and summer tourist travel but that of the fall and winter travel of late 1948 and early 1949—as their route is the ideal one for winter travel, both to and from California.

Building Activity At Lockney Shows Era of Big Gains

LOCKNEY, Jan.—About 25 new houses are being built or have just been completed in this area, 15 of them in Lockney, a survey of the lumber yards shows.

New houses either just started, being built or just completed in Lockney include:

Charlie Gloyna, Weldon Dodson, Albert Dutton, Sidney Reeves, Mrs. W. L. Thomas, M. S. Johnson, Lloyd Wofford, Troy Ray, D. L. Handley, W. C. Watson, Carter Funeral home, Tom Rigdon, W. Ross, Cecil Pinner. These planning houses soon include Udell Cunningham and Edwin Johnson.

In the area surrounding Lockney the following are building or have built: Hershel Carthel, Sid Thomas north of town, O. H. Hucklebee, east of town, Marvin Scheele and Ernest Bucker of Providence, Artie Baker

at Sterley, G. E. Patterson at Sterley, G. D. Turner at Aiken, Remodeling is going on four farms belonging to O. C. Harris and also four farm houses belonging to W. J. Griffith.

Estimates of the number of new houses, either built or moved into Lockney within the past three years run from 200 up.

MORELAND RE-ELECTED PETERSBURG SUPERINTENDENT

PETERSBURG, Jan.—The school board announced the election of Prof. M. G. Moreland as school superintendent for another year and the election of Floyd Sorley as principal of the high school. Principal A. C. Koeninger, announced that he is retiring from the teaching profession and will not be in the schools another year.

Guest of Mrs. Lula Moore over last week-end were her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Flavil Dodge, of Lakeview and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole of Lubbock, a niece, Miss Betty Jean Solomon and Mansen Hawkins, of Lubbock.

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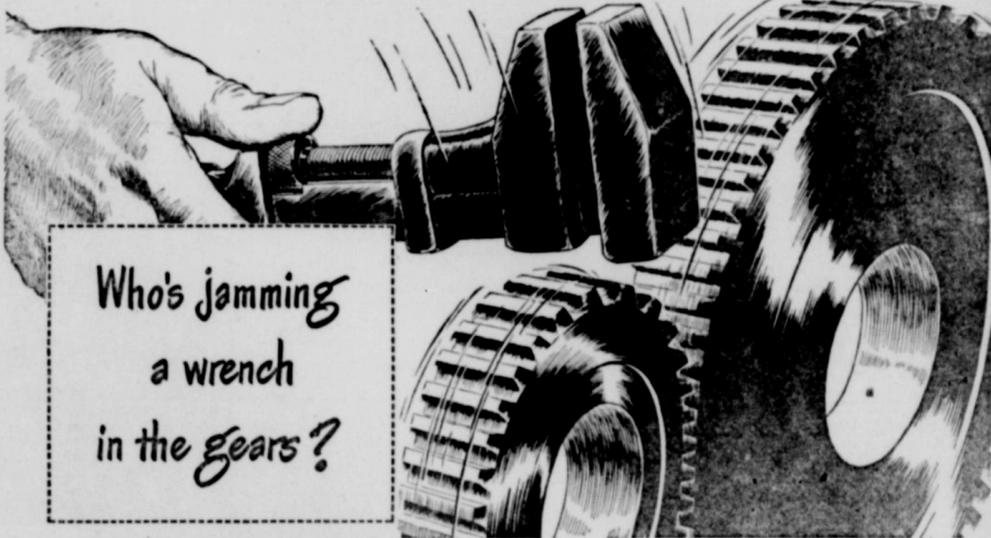
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Who's jamming a wrench in the gears?

3 Unions Block Labor Peace—Refuse Wage Boost Already Accepted by 19 Other Railroad Unions!

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the Switchmen's Union of North America, representing 125,000 railroad employees, have refused to accept the offer of the Railroads of a wage increase of 15 1/2 cents an hour.

This is the same increase awarded 1,000,000 non-operating employees by an arbitration board in September, 1947.

This is the same increase accepted by 175,000 conductors, trainmen and switchmen by agreement on November 14, 1947. Agreements have been made with 1,175,000 employees, represented by nineteen unions. But these three unions, representing only 125,000 men, are trying to get more. They are demanding also many new working rules not embraced in the settlement with the conductors and trainmen.

Incidentally, the Switchmen's Union of North America represents only about 7% of all railroad switchmen, the other 93% being represented by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and covered by the settlement with that union.

Strike Threat

The leaders of these three unions spread a strike ballot while negotiations were still in progress. This is not a secret vote but is taken by union leaders and votes are signed by the employees in the presence of union representatives.

When direct negotiations failed, the leaders of these three unions refused to join the railroads in asking the National Mediation Board to attempt to settle the dispute, but the Board took jurisdiction at the request of the carriers and has been earnestly attempting since November 24, 1947, to bring about a settlement. The Board on January 15, 1948, announced its inability to reach a mediation settlement. The leaders of the unions rejected the request of the Mediation Board to arbitrate. The railroads accepted.

What Now?

The Unions having refused to arbitrate, the Railway Labor Act provides for the appointment of a fact-finding board by the President.

The railroads feel it is due shippers, passengers, employees, stockholders, and the general public to know that throughout these negotiations and in mediation, they have not only exerted every effort to reach a fair and reasonable settlement, but they have also met every requirement of the Railway Labor Act respecting the negotiation, mediation, and arbitration of labor disputes.

It seems unthinkable that these three unions, representing less than 10 per cent of railroad

employees, and those among the highest paid, can successfully maintain the threat of a paralyzing strike against the interest of the entire country—and against 90 per cent of their fellow employees.

The threat of a strike cannot justify granting more favorable conditions to 125,000 employees than have already been put in effect for 1,175,000, nor will it alter the opposition of the railroads to unwarranted wage increases or to changes in working rules which are not justified.

A glance at the box shows what employees represented by the Engineers and Firemen make. They are among the highest paid in the ranks of labor in the United States, if not the highest.

Compare these wages with what you make!

Here is a comparison of average annual earnings of engineers and firemen for 1939 (prev. year) and 1947. Also shown is what 1947 earnings would have been if the 15 1/2 cent per hour increase, offered by the railroads and rejected by the union leaders, had been in effect throughout the entire year 1947.	Type of Union	1939 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings with 15 1/2 cent per hour added
ENGINEERS	Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$3,508	\$6,126	\$6,757
	Road Passenger	3,672	5,309	6,058
	Road Freight (Through)	3,147	4,584	5,119
FIREMEN	Yard	2,749	4,051	4,539
	Road Freight (Local and Way)	2,758	4,653	5,208
	Road Passenger	2,752	4,544	5,185
Road Freight (Through)	2,669	3,460	3,951	
Yard	1,652	3,139	3,553	

Railroad wages computed from Interstate Commerce Commission Statement M-300, Full year 1947 estimated on basis of actual figures for first eight months.



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Lockney Future Farmer Named for Calf Scrambles

HOUSTON, Texas—T. W. Richards of Lockney has been selected to compete in the Calf Scrambles of the 1948 Houston Fat Stock show and Livestock exposition, which opens January 31 and continues through February 15.

This Future Farmer of America was selected by his local agricultural teacher, the Area supervisor, and finally passed by Lloyd V. Halbrook, associate professor of the State Department of Agricultural education as being eligible to participate in the Scramble.

Some 322 farm boys from all over the state of Texas will gather at the sixteenth annual stock show to compete for 161 fine beef calves which will be given to the boys who catch them.

The 161 winners will manage and feed their animals during the next year and then bring them back to compete in the fat steer contest of the 1949 Houston Fat Stock show.

FOODS FOR THRIFT

Carnation or Pet MILK, 2 Tall Cans,	25c
Lifebuoy SOAP, Bar,	11c
RINSO, Large Box,	39c
GLO-COAT, Pint,	59c
Jolly Time POP CORN, 10-oz. can,	21c
Comet RICE, 12-oz. pkg.,	17c
Longhorn CHEESE, Lb.,	51c
Campbell's Vegetable SOUP, 2 Cans,	27c
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 2 1/2 Lbs.,	35c
Hunt's Tender Garden PEAS, 300 Can,	15c
EX-LAX, 25c Size,	19c
TUMS, 10s size, 2 for,	15c
Surfine Pork & Beans, Size 300 can, 2 for	25c
CLOROX, Quart,	15c
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STAR CASH VALUES	
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MILK, Tall can, 2 for, Pet or Carnation	25c
BLEACH, Quart,	15c
Lux Flakes, Large Box,	39c
Regular Size Swan Soap, 2 For,	23c
Lifebuoy SOAP, Bar,	11c
RINSO, Large Box,	39c
VARNISH, Can,	23c
GLO-COAT, Pint,	59c
Comet Long Grain RICE, 12-oz. box,	15c
Longhorn CHEESE, Lb.,	51c
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, Large Box,	35c
Wheaties, Box,	15c
Fresh Fruits & Vegetables	

Truck, Bus Crash Almost Spoils Trip of Childress Boys

A journey of District Clerk E. I. Cato and 13 teen-age young men from their home at Childress was almost spoiled and was delayed for 24 hours in Floydada last Friday morning when a bus belonging to the Scout organization there was in a crash in Floydada with a truck of the Mission Orange Bottle company, of Lubbock, A. T. Watson driver.

The boys and Mr. Cato were enroute to Carlsbad cavern to spend the week-end. They had stopped in Floydada to get gas and coffee and stretch their legs, the Childress official said. Pulling out from downtown on West California they skidded into the highway on Second street on the icy pavement. The bus crashed into the truck coming north on the highway. Both vehicles were damaged, the truck very considerably, as both drivers pulled hard to avoid a smash up the bus rolled hard into the highway headed north and the truck ran across the curb at the R. L. Teeple residence uprooting a large tree and coming to a stop within a few feet of the house.

A. T. Watson, the truck driver was unhurt but his cargo of bottled drinks was splashed around, in addition to the vehicle damage. Cato was the only member of his party hurt. He had slight abrasions on the face.

After a wait of a day while repairs were made and reports cleared on the wreck the journey of the Childress party was resumed to Carlsbad.

Many new Farming Implements Shown at K. C. Convention

Many new ideas are being developed in the farming implement and hardware lines and a giant display hall covering a block was filled with them at the annual convention of the Western Retail Implement and Hardware association in Kansas City last week, said S. J. Latta upon his return home from the convention.

Many of the nation's outstanding implement makers were present at the meeting and several important problems of the industry were discussed by them. Mr. Latta stated. Nearly 7000 dealers attended the four-day get-together.

During the convention Mr. Latta and other M. M. dealers of the area attended a special meeting of their organization and were addressed by W. C. McFarlane, president and general manager of the Minneapolis Moline Power Implement company who also addressed the general convention.

C. A. FOWLER NEW OWNER OF SHELTON SHOE SHOP

LOCKNEY, Jan.—C. A. Fowler, an old time resident of Lockney who moved away, has now moved back here and purchased the Bob Shelton Shoe shop. The deal was made a few days ago and Mr. Fowler is now in charge of the shop. He and his wife are making their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler moved back to Lockney from Stamford. They have been away 25 years.

Moving to East Afton

The Sheltons will move to East Afton, in Dickens county, where a daughter is living and they will put in a grocery store there, Mr. Shelton said. They expect to move around February 1.

Mr. Shelton has lived in Lockney 48 years, moving here in 1900. Mrs. Shelton was reared at Lockney.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd H. Jones and J. M. Willson are in Abilene this week attending the Willson lectures that are being given there.

Orlin Stark Named on Committee by Clinton Anderson

Nine prominent Texas farmers, editors and educators were named by Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson to comprise the State Advisory committee of the Farmers Home administration.

They are Herman H. Bennett, Greenville; Eugene Butler, Dallas; Walter Cardwell, Luling; Ozoro Eubanks, Santa Anna; William Oscar Irvin, Daingerfield; Ervin B. McLeroy, Carrizo Springs; Edgar B. Smith, Lamasas; Orlin Stark, Quitaque and Ide P. Trotter, College Station.

Farmers Home administration is successor to Farm Security administration, which began 15 years ago this month extending financial loans and technical assistance to American farmers. Approximately 123,000 farm families are in the program at present in Texas, according to L. J. Cappleman, state director.

Lockney Locals

(Too late last week)

LOCKNEY, Jan. 19—Two 16 MM movie projectors have been purchased by Lockney organizations. One by Superintendent Sidney Reeves in behalf of the school and the other by the Lockney Baptist church.

Mrs. Verge Hartman, of Kress and Mrs. Gordon Ramsey, of Arizona, visited here last Monday with Mrs. E. M. Whorton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carthel and children, Gloria and Alden, spent last week at Clovis, New Mexico with relatives.

Mrs. Tommie Borland is in Los Angeles, California for a visit with her son, Carl Borland and family.

Mrs. Pearl Prickett returned home last week after a visit with relatives at Abilene.

Gary Don Carthel, of Floydada, spent last week-end here with his grandmother, Mrs. P. S. Byars.

Judge and Mrs. Moss are in South Texas for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Dorothy Carthel and baby spent Wednesday with Mrs. Gladis Hammonds and baby, of Sand Hill.

Marilou Williams Elected 'Best Girl Citizen' of School

Marilou Williams, a former student of the Floydada schools and present student of Plainview High school, has been elected by her classmates as the "best girl citizen" of the senior class. This is the result of a contest sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution. Each state winner is awarded a free trip to Washington, D. C.

Marilou has also been elected by the student council to be a delegate to the annual convention of the state association of student councils which is to convene in San Antonio February 6 - 7.

Participating in various school activities, Miss Williams is editor-in-chief of The Plainsman, school paper president of Quill and Scroll, a journalistic organization; vice-president of the student council; member of National Honor Society; and "girl most likely to succeed." She is secretary of the Panhandle High Schools Press association.

Marilou is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williams, of Plainview, and a niece of Mrs. J. O. Warren, of Floydada.

The combined assets of the American farmers, according to Federal statistics, is 111 billion dollars. Before the last war they were 54 billion.

BOND VOTE SATURDAY FOR CROSBY COUNTY ROAD

CROSBYTON, Jan.—Crosby County taxpayers voters will be called on to decide, on Saturday, Jan. 31, whether \$335,000 in bonds will be issued to construct 48 miles of road in the county. All regular voting precincts will be open this date, Emzy Pieratt, county judge, has announced.

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County Agent A. L. Hartzog: March of Dimes Committees: Irick, Mrs. Melvin Potts; Muncy, Mrs. Robert Muncy; Pleasant Valley, Raymond Rucker; Pleasant Hill, Mrs. O. G. Shearer; Fairview, Mrs. F. O. Conner; Starkey, Ray Ferguson; Aiken, Mrs. Roy Golden; South Plains, Mrs. John Smith-

erman; Sand Hill, Mrs. Claude Jones; Harmony, Mrs. Wesley Carr; Lakeview, Mrs. G. S. Smith; Fairmount, Mrs. Raymond Cobb; Center, Mrs. Travis Lightfoot; Lone Star, Mrs. Clyde Farrish; Cedar Hill, Mrs. Gerald Lackey; McCoy, Mrs. L. A. Pate; Dougherty, Mrs. C. A. Caffee; Baker, Ray Smith; Antelope, Bill Smith; Providence, Ben Quebe; Blanco, Mrs. Ernest Lee Thomas; Allmon, Marvin Shurbet; Liberty, Raymond Ford; Prairie Chapel, Mrs. Herschel Cart-

thel; Campbell, Mrs. Cecil Baxter; Ramsey, W. A. Gilbreath; Hillcrest, Mrs. Lewis Blum; Edgin, Dick Taylor; Sterley, James A. Bobbitt.

LIFE, LETTERS OF PAUL TO BE SHOWN IN PICTURES

Sunday night, February 1, at 6:30 the Dougherty Baptist church will present a moving picture of the life and letters of Paul. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Marjorie Oden will leave today to resume her studies at SMU, Dallas after having been here a week between school terms to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conner Oden.

New Loading Dock

PETERSBURG, Jan.—The Port Worth and Denver Railroad is planning the building of a cotton loading platform here, Mrs. Fannie Meeker, local agent here reports.

The platform will be large enough to facilitate the loading of from 200 to 300 bales at a time. This is a step taken by the rail road to make more accommodations available for the cotton farmers of this area. It has been impossible to ship cotton by rail from this point for the past several years because no loading platform was available.

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COFFEE, Maryland Club, Pound,	49c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46-oz. Can,	15c
OXYDOL, Large Box,	39c
TREND, 2 Boxes,	36c
SPINACH, Del Monte, No. 2 Can,	15c
GRAPEFRUIT, large size, 6 For,	25c
SHORTENING, Fluffo, 4-pound Carton,	\$1.49
ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2 Can,	10c
SPUDS, Red, 10 Pounds,	49c
FLOUR, Any Brand, 25-Lb. Sack,	\$2.19
SALMON, Genuine Pink, Pound Can,	49c
KRAUT, White Swan, 2 No. 2 Cans,	25c
PORK & BEANS, Pecan Valley, 2 Cans,	23c
HOMINY, No. 2 Can,	10c

MARKET SPECIALS

SLICED BACON, Pound,	69c
BACON SQUARES, Pound,	49c
SAUSAGE, Pure Pork, Pound,	49c
VEAL CUTLETS, Tender and Lean, pound,	73c

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LONGHORN CHEESE, Pound, 51c	FROZEN FOODS CONVENIENT-TASTY-ECONOMICAL	
FRANKS, Per Lb., 38c	STRAWBERRIES, 49c	
CLOROX, Quart, 15c	SOUTHERN STYLE FRYERS, Pound, 79c	
SWAN SOAP, Reg. 2 for, 23c; Lge., 19c	LUX and LIFEBOUY SOAP, Reg. Bar, 11c	RINSO, Large Box, 39c
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