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#### FLOYDADA, FLOYD COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1950

## Backers APRIL SHOWERS OPEN SPRING **SYMPHONY FOR CROP GROWERS** Saturday

ter Trip

entertain and a loud nake themselves heard the month-end rodeo in the association's arena 29 and 30, will make the everal neighboring cities this coming Saturday.

is for the roaco. nnson, president of the

said the party will leave northeast corner of the ptly at 8 o'clock. They as many as will to make

and stop enroute when vertakes them if a good le is found.

no doubt there will be a for all. Two go rounds nd day monies for four being planned with \$1000 offered. Events include

saddle bronc riding, bull and girls barrel race. The ting ... in 'amateurs.' for greater

ors-white, etter come

of Floydada Roping club Silverton Roping club new bunch of calves next rnoon in a roping coniay before last the Silub came to Floydada and ed contest carried off most

sicians to help pull

the home town at 8 o'caravan will tarry briefly Plainview, Tulia, Sil-Turkey, Matador, gs, Dickens, Crosbylong enough to tell

Has Good Stock , the Muleshoe impeswill furnish the stock. aggregation of animals ts of the show and John-

Ferguson place at Starkey. bare back bronc riding, lacking. Campbell, Fairview, Center, Hill-

tot be a RCA event. It e past week chutes at

Rodeo association grounds re-modeled and the pens repaired by association preparation for the

s to Silverton Sunday

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good bet if he fails to

By

Rains in the week since Wednesday night of last week that were Cedar the Sid Browns and the Johnmost partial but also most welcome, ny Lackeys report about an inch helped to moisten and loosen up or more. the soil of Floyd and other West

Texas counties in a four-day period that lasted through Sunday night. At Floydada the rainfall as re-

ported by Fire Chief Carl Rodgers operations and started the ball to at the city hall, was 1.53 inches. but this was not representative of all the area Around Lakeview the moisture left

in the ground was a half inch or so where the heaviest fall occured. It W. O. Simpson, right north of Lakeview school, thought he had even Eastward toward Pleasant Hill less. the rain got a bit heavier with some 80-hundredths at the Kinder Parris say that this acreage of wheat that Dougherty report says an place. inch plu

One Inch at Lockney In Lockney and that general vicinity the fall was about an inch.

according to the rain gauge measured by G. A. Barton. Around Sterley

time the travelers will and Lone Star the general report is in line with this figure, a few less, a few more. South of Lockney the fall was somewhat lighter perhaps)

Toward the west the rainfall was about the same as at Floydada out to the general vicinity of Barwise where it might have been a bit lighter. Starkey, Blanco, a portion of Sand Hill and part of McCoy didn't have so much rain, as little as 4-tenths reported at the W. F.

Measurement reports from the northeast part of the county are

crest, Liberty areas reported vary-

## Annual Spring **Camporee** Set

Boy Scouts from Floydada will join those of the other communities in the district Friday evening as they trek to Crosbyton for the annual spring camporee. Approximately 20 scouts are planning to take part in the activity which is to be held on the L-7 Ranch.

Outdoor cooking will be demonstrated to the scouts from other towns in the area by members of the local troop. James F. Potts, district camping and activities chairman, has planned similar demonstrations by the other scout

Other plans for the affair include a fellowship campfire Friday evening which will include songs, stunts, and perhaps a story by one of the old timers of the area.

Why A Chamber of Commerce Parents of the scouts will be in-

ing amounts up to an inch. Not Enough and Too Early

It was the first rainfall since early October of any consequence. While it sharpened the interest in farm rolling, especially in farm land preparations, the rain was too early for any planting and not enough to wet the ground thoroughly, even

was most helpful where irrigation farming is being practiced. The rainfall gives wheat that is left a bit of a lease on life. Reports is due to produce from little to a lot is something like 80,000 acres out

of a planting last fall of more than 200,000 acres. The rainfall as reported at Floyd-

ada: Wednesday night 14-hunderdths; Thursday night 6-hundredths; Friday night 1.15 inches; Saturday night 18-hundredths.

C-C Campaign **Begins; Bright Outlook Seen** 

Illness and enforced absences have been a hindrance this opening week in the Chamber of Commerce drive

for new members, but efforts to date have been 95 per cent effective for those members of the campaign committee who were in position to work.

So says Robt. H. Crowell, manager of the Chember of Commerce. The goal of the committee is to reach a membership of 300, doubling the present membership of 150.

"There are so many things to do, so much manpower and funds needd to get around to all the big and little matters we need more help' is the point of view. "We are having a number of farmers join up with the organization activities," Crowell said. "Floyd county is an agricul-

tural area and the major, portion of our problems have to do with some phase of this industry, which means we need and must have the farmer point of view to carry on successfully with a county development program."

The membership drive committee is composed of O. M. Watson, sr., Tate Jones, J. G. Wood, W. E. Gar rett, Earl Crow, Russell King, J. W.

will enter the 100-yard dash, also the 440-yard relay team, the mile Most people are already fan relay team, Buster Mooney in the with the work of a Chamber of mile grind, and Don McGuire in Commerce and know WHY a Chamthe half-mile run. ber of Commerce is an absolute es-Win District Volley Ball sential in a truly progressive city. They can usually, without hesitat-Floydada high's volleyball team ion, list the many projects that the won district honors at the contest Chamber has "Spearheaded" to a in Tulia Saturday. This particular succerrful completion; name the interscholastic event is not carried many civic programs it has spon-sored and the ways in which it further than district competition under interscholastic rules. provides assistance to the small and large firms of the community **Curtailed Service** On the other hand the average tax-paying citizen or businessman, not a member of the Chamber of **Forecast For City** Commecroe, knows that a chamber does exist, but may not know why or how it functions. In P. O. Deliveries Almost two hundred years ago, our forefathers recognized a truth in the now famous words of Ben Although an order is expected Franklin, "Yes, we must, indeed. momentarily for the curtailment of all hang together, or, most assureddelivery service in Floydada, ly, we shall all hang separately. Barbara H. Smith, postmaster, said Those men recognized the need for yesterday no order had as yet been cooperation if they were to build received. a strong and independent nation, Postmaster General Donaldson in this new land. Today Floydada said Tuesday in newspaper interfaces that same question, whether views that city mail service would we will continue to go forward. be curtailed and other steps are through the cooperation of our to be taken by the Post Office dep-(See C-C Campaign, back page) artment, due to greatly increased costs, to reduce expenses.

#### LEAGUE SOFTBALL MUNICIPAL CONCERT ASSOCIATION TO BRING TEAMS MAY THIN **RENOWNED MUSICAL ATTRACTIONS TO FLOYDADA** DOWN TO THREE

Floydada Softball association have only three teams in their league when "play ball" is called on the tentative date set for May 8, says Gene Collins, general manager of the league. But good luck may come along and bring with it an entry from McCoy and one from South Plains

Pros and cons of the situation were discussed at a league meeting Monday night.

Teams definitely on the line are REA, Lunch Box and Build-ers Mart. South Plains is debating whether to go along with this league or some other.

If it develops that only three teams play in the local league this will mean that out-of-town games will have to be matched, home and home basis, and it is possible this would see a good brand of baseball on the home grounds even with the handicap of few league entries. Meanwhile the league will plan and study and certainly work out something, said Mr. Collins.

in Floydada is no longer a dream! The Floydada Municipal Concert association has been organized for the sole purpose of bringing renown- with other municipalities throughout ed concert attractions to the com- the nation operating on this same munity and thus enlarging the city's

entertainment, cultural, and social life The Floydada Municipal Concert

An annual concert series present- | attend all the concert presentations | ber of concerts possible. No addiing the world's distinguished artists without further admission charge. There will be no single admissions sold for any individual concert Floydada now becomes affinated

municipal plan presenting outstanding and topflight concert attractions locally. At least three concerts will

be presented during the season, and association is entirely non-profit as many more as the association's and cooperative. Membership pri- budget makes possible. In as much viliges are open to everyone -adults as the Floydada Municipal Concert and children alike. A membership association is one hundred percent campaign week will soon be an- cooperative, the more members in nounced and during that week the the association the larger the oudentire citizenry will be entitled to get, and therefore the greater num-

Orders Moving Ginn New Head Floyd County **Rural Electric** 

> A thousand or more people probably considerably more, attended the annual meeting of the Floyd County Rural Electric cooperative in Floydada last Saturday, representing more than 2,000 homes in all or portions of six counties. J. C. Ginn was elected president to suc-

And apparently all enjoyed the day, from the model kitchen demonstration at the coop headquarters the picnic dinner at the noon hour to and through the afternoon of business and entertainment.

The dinner hour found the people with a penchant for good picnic eating enjoying themselves to the It was hot dogs, chili, utmost. mustard, pickles, onions, potato chips, coffee and doughnuts at the noon-day buffet style dinner for hundreds.

Cars bringing people to the meeting were parked on every side street and on California to the highway four or five blocks westward.

The demonstration kitchen was All the dealers baving part in furnishing the demonstration kitchen were on hand to meet the vis-

itors and answer qustions about the appliances. Movies were shown throughout the morning by Holmes Electric Co. Bouquets of flowers were sent

by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ratheal and boys, Park Florist and Floydada Floral shop. Among the out of town visitors

tional assessments will be made on the members. Funds accumulated from member-

ship dues will be used solely in the presentation of artists selected by the local association's talent committee. The programs presented will re designed to please the varied musical tastes of the local audiences

The number of memberships in the association will, of necessity limited to the seating capacity of the High school auditorium, and memberships will be available only during the one campaign week. At the conclusion of the designated week, the membership rolls of the association will be closed for the season. Everyone, therefore, is urged to watch for the announcement of the campaign week, and all are advised to secure their memberships

then without delay The Floydada Municipal Concert association officers chosen for the first season are to be chosen at a later date to be made known to the public. In order to transact the necessary duties of the organization the membership committee consisting of Olin Watson, jr.,; Mrs. D. W. Douglas; and Mrs. Carl L. Minor, ir., were appointed and Jim Word was appointed executive secretary.

**Fullingim Sixtieth** Anniversary Day

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fullingim of Tucumcari, N. M. celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 2, in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Dyer. All of the Fullingim children were present ex-

cept Earl Fullingim of California. Mrs. Fullingim attended the first school in Floyd County. Spending many years in the Sand Hill and Harmony communities, she and Mr. Fullingim moved to Tucumcari, N M., years ago, where they have made their home

Mrs. Fullingim is the sister of T. McLain of this city.

Interest Grows in Conserving Water Supply

A revival of interest in underground water conservation, and in organizing one or more underground. were H. C. Pruitt, Blair Adams, water conservation districts, is reported by the High Plains Water

**One - Act Play** personnel are busy people this week, **Cast Competes** while they engage in moving some 120 carloads of stored maize and hegira they have been holding since last fall for the order of Commodity Credit corporation. For **Regional** Responsible for the movement of the grain are requested orders from | ceed Mal Jarboe. the corporation, giving shipping instructions on more than 12 million

One-act players of Floydada High pounds of the stored grain. Manager Roe Jones said Tuesday school and their sponsor, Mrs. I. that the huge bins are being em-T. Graves, representatives of Inter-scholastic League District 3-A, will ptied against the possibility of a big row crop of forage feed this vie for regional honors Saturday fall "We don't know how much morning on the stage of the senior feed we will ship but we do know high school in Lubbock. They are the biggest acreage of maize, hegari scheduled to give their "serious' comedy at 9:45 o'clock a. m. "Mr. and kaffir in history is due to be Lincoln's Whiskers", is the title. Other Floydada High school stuplanted. If it materializes we'll need the room to take care of the dents who will be in the regional people," said Mr. Jones this week. scramble include Douglas Whitfill,

While it is some months before a possible maize harvest the shipping orders were asked for now because later storage facilities at the primary markets might not be available, Mr. Jones said

Scholastic Census **Figures Still Below One Thousand** 

Despite the fact that the area of Floydada Independent School district has been more than doubled in the past year, the enlarged disluding consolidations with

**Big Shipments** of Milo Maize Producers Cooperative Elevator

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under the law passed by st month. The applica-be made to the local PMA, of course.

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unty office of Produc-WEL teting administration has ped world without end ssage of the new law. get the information cot-ETS 's want to them, and acreage allotments arthose who desire a 5 now ... en and if the rules will insiderable confusion has m the change in the is helpful to some and

to others. McEntire, administrative e PMA of Floyd county said he and the rest of nel in the office have to rush out informach they have been asked, the fact that cotton ne is close by and a farm needs to know what he

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The general impression ems to be that the new everybody, while the imamong some good cotton is that we want to help

who have made apunder the revised law the rushing out information as it can, and McEntire office will do its utmost all the others who put in n seeking more acreage rop soon to be planted.

#### JONES GAINS GTH AFTER OPERATION MAYO CLINIC

Jones and Lane Decker ame Monday night from Minnesota, where they atisfactorily following an her mother. The two will be taken. ne as soon as Mrs. Jones' will permit.

vited to the troop meeting next ncrease in his permitted Tuesday night at the Scout hut. age allotment and thinks They are to be presented miniature pins of the same rank which their son holds. Also on hand will be riting for the increased officials of the Rotary club, who he thinks he might be enwill receive the charter for 1950.

### **Re-Building Court** House to begin soon

After a month of work with men and machinery, during which many tons of brick steel and rubble have been removed from the old building, A. T. Nesbit, superintendent for Dolph Construction company, said this week see the turning point in the job of re-building the court house for Floyd county

taxpayers. Aside from the removal of several thousand face brick from the west and east sides of the structure, most of the work beginning this week-end will be building instead of tearing down. Nesbit said their tests of basic structure left standing the confirmed those last year of engineers employed by the county that that he can prepare his the remaining portions are sound. The job is expected to be completed

you go by the rules set late this year or early in 1951. the law which is just what o do, you offend some who take such matters **REUES AND MRS. JOHNKE** 

said McEntire yester-ATTEND RELATIVES RITES at every cotton grower or Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Reue and tton grower might well Mrs. W. R. Johnke returned Tuesday his application for more from Brenham, Texas, where they writing and let us see attended the funeral rites of Henry can do for him. About Muller, 65, who died Thursday of n help. The others we last week at his home in Brenham.

He was the victim of a heart ailment Mr. Muller was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Johnke and an uncle of Mrs. Reue. He and his wife were visitors in Floydada in the month of February for two weeks, guests

of the Reue family. Long-time resident of Brenham, former postmaster, and one-time on the advertising staff of the Dallas Morning News, Mr. Muller had just returned from the State of Washington to make his home. Survivors include his wife, one

on, one daughter, and five grandchildren.

#### BOOK REVIEW FRIDAY NIGHT

Mrs. N. S. Daniel, Lockney, will WHIRLWINDS LOSE OPENER review the book, "Star in My Crown" some 10 days. At in the Harmony schoolhouse tomoring Mrs. L. L. Jones was row night at 8:30. The event is being sponsored by the Carrs Chapel last week at Mayo clinic. tker remained at Roches-ther mained at Roches-Refreshments will be served by

the Carrs Chapel women.

### Heart Attack Fatal

### For Doctor Purcell

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Britton attended funeral services in Fort Worth last Thursday for Mrs. Britton's uncle, Dr. N. C. Purcell, a former resident of Floydada. The doctor's death was attributed to a heart attack and came suddenly Tuesday. The final rites read in the Lucas chapel in Fort Worth were followed by burial in the Rock Church

cemetery near Bluff Dale (Erath county) Dr. Purcell, a chiropractor, and his wife lived in Floydada and Floyd county some 20 years before moving to Fort Worth three years Back in the early days, the ago. doctor taught school at Antelope and in Briscoe county. He practiced chiropractic in Floydada a number of years and was active in his practice at the time of his death. Survivors include the widow and

#### two sisters, Mrs. Bessie C. Bell and Mrs Tina Hall, both of Fort Worth. Floydada High baseball team lost their opening game of the interscholastic season to Lockney Long-

horns Tuesday afternoon 10 to 8. Their opening game which was due to have been played against Tulia high, at Tulia, was postponed on account of bad weather.

who is the school's and the district's

first place winner in boys decla-

mation. Boys declamation contest

will be held at the Tech Agricul-

Third, fourth and fifth place win-ners in the typing collect are Floyd-

ada students of District 3-A and are

eligible to contest for honors Sat

urday morning. They will take their

tests for state honors at 10 o'clock

a. m. at the administration building

Track and Field Entries

ada High will have entries in five

They are Turner and Nelson who

In track and field eventsFloyd-

ontests, representing District 3-A.

tural building

of Texas Tech.

#### BROTHER OF A. B. BLOUNT DIED AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE

Edney Blount of Memphis Ten-nessee, brother of A. B. Blount, sr., of Floydada and Mrs. S. E. Brown of Lockney, passed away at 3:30 a. m. Saturday morning.

Surviving are his wife, six children one brother and one sister.

Funeral services were held Sunday Memphis. Mr. Blount and Mrs. Brown were unable to attend the services.

#### Wednesday's Market

ł	Hens	
	Colored hens, 4 pounds and up	21
	Colored hens, under 4 pounds	17
	Roosters, lb.,	8
	Cream	
	Butter fat, No. 1 lb.,	52
	Eggs	
	Eggs per dozen, candled, No. 1	. 25
	Hides	
	No. 1 Hides, lb.,	14
	Bull Hides, lb.,	8
1	No. 2 Hides, lb.,	
1	Grain	
1	Wheat, bushel.	\$2.0
	Barley, cwt.,	\$2,1
	Milo, cwt.	\$1.8
	Hogs	
	Tops 200 - 260 cwt.,	\$16.2
	270 - 300 cwt.	\$15.5
	300 - 325 cwt.,	\$15.0
	Light Packer Sows, cwt.,	\$13.5
	Heavy Packer Sows, cwt.,	\$12.5
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parts or all of seven other adjacent and Mr. McLaughlin of Lubbock; districts, the scholastic population Mr. and Mrs. Edwin "Goose" Ramey, still falls below one thousand.

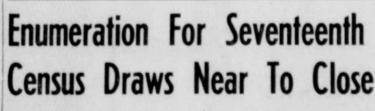
Census enumerators working under the direction of Mrs. V. H. Boteler, district secretary, made their final report this week. This report shows 988 scholastics within the confines of the new and enlarged district. This compares with 849

scholastics last year, an increase of 139 school children. Every additional scholastic means

considerable income to the district president of Floydada Independent and the enumerators pretty well School district board of trustees. He combed the area for any youngsters they could put on the rolls, so there are likely few if any that were miss-

subject to check for duplications and errors before they are made final

tendent Clarence Guffee it was said Moss is vice-president of the figures are not available yet for board and C. L. Hagood is secthe common school districts.



Crew leader Ralph C. Johnston his neighborhood who may have said this week that so far as the been missed should call him (residence telephone 740-J3). Also The towns of Floyd county are concerned the census enumeration has been Hesperian (telephone No. 8) has just about completed. Not many volunteered to take this information more areas of either Floydada or and relay it to Mr. Johnston as has Lockney are yet to be visited by the the Chamber of Commerce, Robt enumerators. The enumerators have Crowell, manager (telephone No. made good speed and the time is 104.) The resident should wait, berapidly drawing near when they'll fore reporting any believed missing indicate their jobs have been done. from the rolls, until after the en-Except for call backs where famiumerators have worked their nei-

lies were not at home the work of ghborhood, before they begin reporting. There are a few call backs the enumerators might alerady be apleted in the town areas said and an occasional spot in most every community the enumerator Mr. Johnston. The agricultural census may require full time up to May has not yet worked but likely will, in the towns at least, within a 1 to finish although very satisfactory work has been done by the short time. Possibility that the figures on the census workers.

#### Want Job to Be Complete

population of both Floydada and Lockney may prove disappointing to Johnston said this week that, some of the residents is indicated whether the numbers of many or this week in a remark made by Mr. few, the crew leader as well as the Johnston. He pointed out that there enumerators want the job to be a are sizeable little communities on thorought one, but Johnston pointthe outskirts of both towns which ed out that telephone calls should are not actually within the corpornot be made to enumerators since ate limits of the towns. Population they are paid on piece work basis guessers could be fooled by appearand to hunt down all the persons ances in this manner, the news whom some of the neighbors or friwriter gathered from the remark. ends think may have been missed would work a hardship on them. The information as to census figures will not be immediately available Rather, says Mr. Johnston, a person who has been missed by any figures on either town or country enumerator or thinks of someone in totals at this time.

of Dimmitt; and Elmo Osborne editor of the Texas Co-op Power (See R. E. A. Directors, back page)

### Hull Elected Head Of School Board

Alva T. Hull succeeds himself as was named last week at the organization meeting of the board, when two new members were qualified.

The two new members are Aaron The figures for the district are Carthel and J. K. Holmes. Five other members renamed in

the April election, besides Hull, are E. L. Thomas, Jno. W. Reue, J. P. At the office of County Superin- Moss and C. L. Hagood.

retary.

With water conservation associations in 14 counties as associate members, the High Plains Association is taking the lead in an educational campaign on conservation. The group estimates that 12,000 wells are now scattered over the 4,000,000 acres of irrigation land which covers one huge reservoir in the High Plains area. The increase in use of irrigation

Conservation and Users Association

wells-it has more than doubled in the past decade-and continued new drilling activities are bringing the pumping figures to a record high.

A lot of farmers think it is time to start conservation, by proper spacing of wells, by re-charging the reservoirs and by preventing waste. the High Plains association reports.

They are talking about organization of districts because they know that it won't do any good for part of the irrigation farmers to save water if the rest of the well users keep pumping what is saved out of th same reservoir. They feel that any conservation program would have to be wide-spread.

The High Plains Water Conservation and Users Association has associate members representing county groups in Lubbock, Lamb, Bailey, Castro, Hale, Floyd,, Swisher, Deaf Smith, Parmer, Randall, Dallam and Crosby counties and the Petersburg Water Conservation Association.

### Floyd Co. Juniors Win In Jersey Show

The following boys from Floyd county and Floydada FFA exhibited dairy animals at the Plainview Dairy show placing Billy Carmack, FFA, 1st. with Junior Yearling Heif-- dropped between January 1 to June 30, 1948; Billy Carmack, FFA 1st. with senior heifer calf dropped July 1 to December 31, 1948. Bobby Carmack 1st. and Donald Farish 3rd, with junior heifer calf dropped. between January 1 and June 30. 1949

These boys then exhibited these animals in the county herd of four heifer calves and won 1st. prize in the county group.

Billy Carmack was judged the first place winner in the showmanship contest.

#### MRS. FOOTE AT AUSTIN

Mrs. C. D. Foote is in Austin for an extended visit with her daughter, Marlene, who is a student at the University of Texas. Mrs. Foote and Mr. Johnston is releasing no will remain in the Capitol city until the school term is completed, which will be sometime in June.

## EDITORIALS

(Editorial contributed by the High Plains | pause to consider the fact that self regulation Water Conservation and Users association.) High plains farmers are on the spot.

They successfully conducted a long fight to win local control of underground water, which supplies 12,000 irrigation pumps scattered over four million acres of farmland in the High Plains. Ostensibly, the fight ended in victory when, in the spring of 1949, the Texas Legislature passed the Underground Water Conservation Law, which gives underground water rights to individual landowners and provides the means for conserving it.

Secure in their ownership of the water. farmers have neglected to carry out the conservation provisions of the law. Decline in the underground water level in some areas has been slight, and the need for conservation regulations is not deemed urgent at this time.

At recent hearings of the Texas Water Code Committee, a group set up to study water laws and report recommendations to the next legislature, proponents of state control have renewed attacks on the present law. At hearings in Austin, El Paso, Stamford and Pecos, many witnesses testified that they thought the state should set up some kind of agency with broad regulatory powers over users, similar to the powers of the Railroad Commission over oil and gas.

Plains farmers rallied, and on March 20 about 400 showed up at another hearing, in Amarillo, and gave a standing vote of support to the present law.

That's how the farmers got on the spot. Their representatives, questioned by Code Committee-men, had to admit that not a single underground water conservation district has been formed since passage of the law. They had to admit that the conservation provisions of the law are in the hands of the district and don't apply unless a district is formed.

The Water Code Committee adopted a "watch and wait" policy, indicating their willingness to let the present law have a chance to prove itself.

Meanwhile, advocates of state control of underground water have dragged out their old arguments: "Water is water" and the same laws which apply to surface water should apply to underground water. They charge that the local control law is unworkable in that its conservation provisions cannot be carried out.

The farmers are now in a position where they must organize a district, they must apply conservation practices - simply to prove that it can be done

By their inaction, High Plains farmers are running the risk of losing control of their water. If they fear regulation, they should | cultivation is practiced.

would be far better than state regulation. They should also ponder the possibility that under state control, underground water might be prorated on a priority basis in the same manner that the state prorates surface water with municipalities and industries getting precedence over irrigation.

At the present time, there is little risk of the water running out-but there is some danger of control being taken away if the farmers don't prove that they can handle conservation without the state's help.

They should get off the spot and on the ball! -0-

One of the interesting experiences the writer had at the press convention in Amarillo last week-end was a brief conservation with a newspaper man who had a three-year experience in a small city with competition. This man is still guessing at what it cost him to put on a successful scrap with a competitor who was a good man, too, in spite of the fact that he cost the town a lot, cost the successful competitor a lot and didn't make any headway himself for the three wasted years. Which prompts us to suggest that any small city which feels it must have two newspapers will find that the burden of it falls inevitably on the people who advertise. If they must have two newspapers they must support two newspapers, either well or poorly. If about half want one of them, the other half the other, then the field is split half and half and, after throat cutting and money-losing there is nothing left for one or the other to go ahead and try to take care of the situation. This newspaper man said it was his idea that, when and if, the people get tired and out of patience with the newspaper man they have, they should see that a good man buys him out at a fair price and get rid of him that way. The old "competition" method as a matter of practice works out to cost the business community a lot and break both of the competitors. Competition is a good thing within reason, but this contemporary thinks there should be reason, and consideration. also, of the fact that sometimes competition costs individual firms and the whole com- \$2.50, six months. \$1.25, four months munity as well as the firms whose fortunes are tied up in the battle of supremacy.

Thought on the Census: Be thankful you live in a country where you are counted-not counted out .--- Pathfinder

Use shallow cultivation for the rose garden. The young feeder roots that are near the surface of the ground may be destroyed if deep

## Professional As A Farm Directory

#### People's Hospital 1100 South 3rd

Wishes to announce to the public visiting hours and clinic hours. Visiting hours for Hospital Patients:

10-11 a.m.; 2-4 p.m. 7-8 p.m

Clinic closed for elective surgery Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m .-- Monday Wednesday and Friday-clinic open 8 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. until 5 p. m. Closed Sunday

Peoples Hospital Clinical Laboratory And Department Of X-ray Approved Clinical Laboratory

Tests. Emergency work done at any hour

Elective Work done by Appointments suitable to patient and Technician.

Visitors wishing to inspect the hospital are welcome at any time



PRESS ASSOCIATION

#### Woman Thinks The words of an unknown poet is the poem for the week and it will be a good one for your scrap

book: Last eve I passed beside a black-

smith's door, And heard the anvil ring the vesper

chime; Then looking in, I saw upon the floor

Old hammers, worn with beating years of time. "How many anvils have you had"

said L." 'To wear and batter all these ham-

mers so? "Just one," he said with twinkling

eye, "The anvil wears the hammers out,

you know. And so, thought I, the anvil of God's Word

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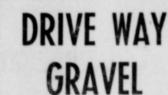
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mers gone. My dearest wish has come true: Ah, yet ere I descend to the grave May I a small house and large

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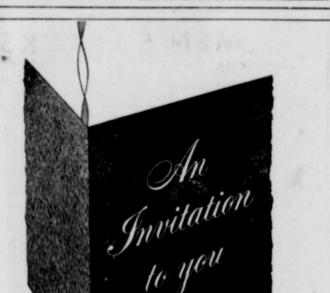


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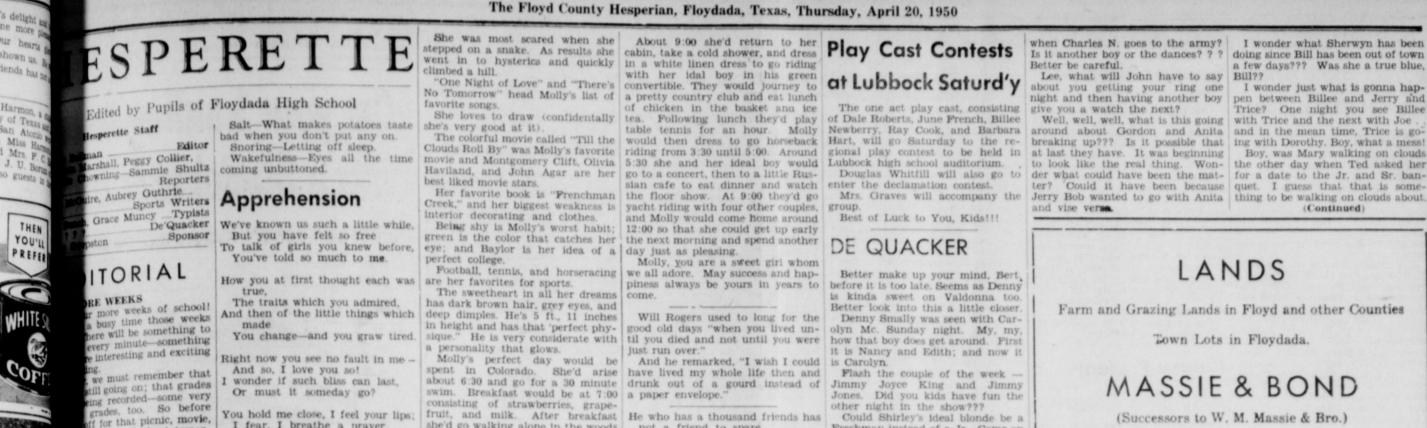
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good books, dramatics, and horses. Her only real dislikes are snakes, hay fever, history, carrot juice, and wearing fussy clothes. The one thing she's always long-

ed to do is to sing in the opera, "Carmen" at the Metropolitan Opera lete Automotive House in New York City. Her greatest ambition is just to be a success at whatever she at-Repair tempts to do. Molly's great thrill came when

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11. The chorus sang "O Life with

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The sextet sang, "Praise the Lord",

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The schools were Spur, Maudor, Tulia, Crosbyton, Ralls, Abernathy, Paducah, and Floydada. For the championship Floydada defeated Abernathy in two straight games.

Those of the first string were: Joy McCravey, captain; Joy Bunch, Gleva and Gloria Ratjen, Joyce Stewart, and Mary Plumlee. Those of the second string who accompained them to Tulia were: Billie Chowning, Clara Jones, Loene Williams, Ann Welborn, and Sammie Vickers, and their coach, Miss Doniece Cline Congratulations Champs!

### News of the Ags

There will be an Ag. meeting Monday night at 7:00 in the Ag, room. Plans are to be made for the F. H. A. and F. F. A. picnic to be held in May.

The Ag. boys are busy making projects for the Soil Conservation Service. The projects will be placed in the dispay windows of the business houses in Floydada. The Soil Conservation trip will be made May

#### DE QUACKER,

Is it true that David has a date with Elayne to the banquet?? What will Clara have to say about this, Elayne?? You better look into

this a little more, Clara!! I am just wondering who is gonna be the luck boy that gets to go with the new girl, Nancy?? It looks as though Dan is though. Come on, kids, make it good, you're a cute couple

Seems as though Dorothy and Sammie had a good time in Canyon. But who wouldn't with Trice, Jr. and Bobby up there.

Pat and Gut sure are making a good go about certain things. That's the way I like to see things go, so why not keep it up a little longer! Joy, did Bill buy you that Fish Supper the other night after you volleyball girls won district?? I heard that he was going to. I hope

you succeeded. Bettye and Earl seem to be getting up quite a case these days. Bet-

ter look into this a little bit more. How about telling us more, Bettye. Mary you are letting Jennie Chowning run away with Bish. You

had better get on the ball if you still want to go with him. Jane, I hear that you met a new

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#### **Center News**

CENTER, April 18-How we did enjoy the rain Saturday night! The puddles and mud sure looked after these months of dry good weather and dust storms. Plant life is greening up almost overnight. Sunday was church day. Rev. and Mrs. Hodges dined in the J. E. Green home and made several com-

tend the meeting of the Sand Hill Farmers Union Tuesday night, acmunity calls in the afternoon. Jerry Hodges was a Sunday guest cording to Mrs. Ed Holmes who the of the Robertson boys.

first of the week asked the Hes-Dub and Jimmy Hartline and James David and Bobby Welborn perian to extend a cordial invitation were dinner guests of Jimmy Dunn. The Junior Reserve boys will have Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ross and daughter, Norma June, dined with Mr.

and Mrs. Ross Green and son. Melvin Robertson, of W. T. S. C. spent the week-end with home folks,

the J. R. Robertson family. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell and Mrs. Jackson visited Sunday afternoon with their brother, Mr. Carpenter of Ralls. Mr. Carpenter is just

home from the hospital. Norma June Ross and June Hartline attended the slumber party Saturday night given by Barbara There were 5 girls present. McAda. Mrs. Hartsell returned home Monday from a Lubbock hospital, where she had been for treatment and an operation for several days.

Mrs. Anna Rutledge, of Groes-beck, is visiting her daughter and family, the C. M. Merediths, of Floydada.

Mrs. Ross Green visited Mrs. C. M. Meredith and Mrs. Rutleds Monday after W. M. S.

Our W. M. S. met with Mrs. R. C. Ross Monday afternoon. There were 6 women present.

Mrs. Clyde Burton has been sick with flu.

Henderson, is sick with flu. The Center Home Demonstration club met in an all day session Fri-

day of last week with Mrs. O. C. Vinson. Leila Petty gave an interesting demonstration on clothing and fashion. Lunch was spread for all. There wast a seconl program and business session in the afternoon. Twenty women were present.

The next meeting of the club will be Friday afternoon, April 28, at 2:30 in the club room. Mrs. Frank

Frank Dunn and J. E. Green made business trip to Lubbock Tuesday. On Friday night, April 28, the club will sponsor a musical program in

bock. The quartet will sing in the Floydada High school auditorium. Tickets are 60c and 30c. Everyone is invited.

Our week-end revival conducted by Bro. Hodges in the Center church will be next Friday night, Saturday, Saturday night and Sunday, April 21, 22 and 23. We hope everyone will make plans to attend.

The next community get-together is to be at the schoolhouse Thursday night, April 27. The recreation period, usually beginning around 8 o'clock, is to be preceded by supper,

banquet style, and after dinner speakers on G. A. and R. A. work. Bring covered dishes and be on hand

by 7 o'clock. Come to the week-end revival.

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Medical patients dismissed this week were Mrs. W. L. Caffee, Saturday, April 15; E. E. Johnson, April 15; C. B. Wisdom, of Hobbs, New Mexico, April 16; Mrs. Carl Rogers, April 16; Mrs. Lula Moore, April 17; Mrs. Jean Ross, Comanche, Oklahoma, April 16.

Major surgery patients dismissed this week were Mrs. Dale Taylor, April 18; Mrs. Layton Dorrell, April

Accident patient dismissed was Charles Holmes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holmes

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Warren are to be congratulated on the birth of a son, Gene Carroll, born at 8:05 m. April 13, weighing four pounds Mrs. Warren was dismissed April 18, but son Gene Carroll is still in the incubator where he will remain for awhile longer.

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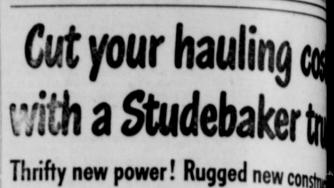
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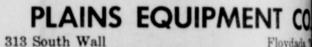
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boy while you were in Canyon over the week-end. I am not sure but I think that they called him "NED" Could he be better than Leroy?

By the way, Billie, what did Jimmy do while you were in Amarillo Dunn will be hostess.

Miss Bevill, accompained by Mrs. D. W. Douglas on the piano, sang, "In the Fashion", "Amada", "What Our club president's husband, Mr. the Old Cow Said", "One Fine Day" from Madam Butterfly, "I Hate Music", "Let My Song Pill Your Heart", and "Smoke Gets in your The entire program was enjoyed

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for consignment to scores of cities and points on the Frisco and connecting lines of the east and south. Richardson was here last week, in company with Quin Baker, vicepresident and general manager of the line and Chas. H. Sommer, of

St. Louis, president. It was a routine study of conditions on the line. together with reports of drouth conditions that brought the railway men here for first hand look see. "Floydada is named every time

we contact a prospective customer and every time we make out a bill of lading covering a shipment by way of this gateway." Richardson pointed out,

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The Quanah route in its advertising offers a through service by way west connection by tak- of Floydada from points west via

the Frisco and connecting line points in a dozen states east of the Mississippi, and conversely from these points to west coast centers. "One of the interesting human interest things about the service

potential opened up some years ago is the ways that people we contact find of pronouncing Floydada. You'd imagine that most anybody could join Floyd, a not unusual name, and Ada, a not unusual name and call it Floyd-ada. But they don't. They call it Flo-dadda mostly and stumble around as though it were a mysterious combination of English pronunciation," said Richardson.

#### WAYLAND PLAY CAST

PLAINVIEW - Pearl Simmons, Roberta Garrett and Dee Cozby, of Floydada, were listed among the members of the cast for the Wayland college presentation of "The Sleeping Beauty" presented during the latter part of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson and family of Hale Center, were re-cent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L Hale

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## **Baptists Drive** To Save Souls



#### J. R. WHITE

First Baptist church of Floydada, in the Baptist simultaneous soul saving campaign, has evangelist J R. White, of Fort Pierce, Florida, here this week in a series of ser-vices that began the first of the week and will continue through April 23.

Twice daily worship includes an early-morning prayer and praise session at 7:30 a. m., and an evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.

Earl Greathouse, of Dimmitt, is song leader during the meeting.

Gospel singing, gospel preaching, is the motto of the local church in its contribution to the simultaneou campaign

### Floyd County 14 Years Ago

(Taken from The Floyd County Hesperian April 23, 1936)

Verna Phillips, Doris Jordan, Gelnna Mae Shurbet, and Almeda Maye Carr, accompanied by Miss Mary Wilbanks, instructor in the home economics department of the high school, left Wednesday for San Angelo, where they are attending the state home economics They will return Sunday. rally. Commemorating its second an niversary in Floydada, open house will be held in Bishops pharmac; Tuesday afternoon, April 28, between the hours of 2 and 5, Baird Bishop, proprietor, has announced.

Elbert Parks who has been visiting in East Texas, returned nome Sunday afternoon. He also visited the oil well at Talco, Texas, and stated that everything was on a boom there but the country was in need of rain.

Mesdames N. A. Armstrong and Sam Abston returned Friday of last week from Coffeyville, Kansas where they had been the past few weeks were accompanied home by Miss Doris Armstrong who has been visiting in Lawrence Kansas with her sister, Mrs. Wanda Banker.

son, Barry returned home with them for a three weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boykin and daughter spent Sunday here with Mrs. Boykin's sister, Mrs. Lon Blassingame and family. Mrs. Blassingame accompanied them to Santa Fe, New Mexico, where they will spend a weeks vacation.

Work of completing topping on the road east from Floydada to the Motley county line has been delayed by continued cold, by detours on the highway in Motley County from whence crushed rock must come for the surface treatment. Crews of Field Bros. are expected to begin to be released around May 1 from their Groom construction job and rock hauling will begin soon thereafter, with probabilities that work on actual topping will start early in June

On Floydada-Silverton WPA pro-ject work is being concentrated this week on Uuit One to the Briscoe bounty line.

Six representatives from the First National bank, Floydada, attended the South Plains Bankers associaion held at Plainview Tuesday. Miss Audrey Farris spent from Thursday evening until Monday in Dallas and Fort Worth. She attendad the horse races while there Charley L. Berry made a busines trip to El Paso this week.

**Rites Held Easter** 

## Sunday for 89-Year

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Generation Sun-Williams, Arizona, spent from Sun-day until Friday here with Mrs. dist church in Quanah. Rev. Lester Hill and Rev. W. W. Cook officiated Hill and Rev. W. W. Cook officiated sell and family. Mrs. Stansell and and burial was in the Chillicothe cemetery

Mrs. Steward was born in Virginia in 1860 and came to Hardeman county in 1887. She succumbed after a long illness while in the home of daughter, Mrs. Nannie Masten at Wellington.

Nearest of kin who survive are Turner, of Barksdale, Louisiana. four daughters, Mrs. Gary, Mrs. Nettie Gorman, of Amarillo, Mrs. H. Counter s les books, adding mach P. Watson, of Hooleyan, and Mrs. Masten, of Wellington. Twelve grandchildren, 23 great grandchild-

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clements of community, were read Easter Sun- ren and one great great grandchild also survive as do two stepdaughters, Mrs. Eva Finch and Mrs. Ina Stephens and a stepson, Jack Steward

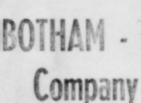
Among the relatives present for the last rites were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wil-liams and family, of Floydada, Miss Reda Mae Gary and James Holcomb, of Lubbock, Mrs. N. Matthews, of Petersburg and Mrs. Estell

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## Floydada Fuel Cooperative Meeting Held

Members of the Consumers Fuel association Monday afternoon named John K. West as a new director and elected E. L. Widener for a place on the board after he had served for sometime by appointment, succeeding B. P. Sandefur, jr.

tended

On the speaking list were Tom C. Jones, controller of CCA, Amaoperatives, and County Agent Bob taking the baths and resting

Gibson. The latter spoke on the Congo, Educated boys program and developments in the Cow-Sow-Hen annual competition among junior farmers of the

C. O. Spence, president of Floydada Consumers, presided at the sessions. Rev. Sidney Johnston said the invocation, opening the ses-sions of the gathering. Entertainment for the afternoon

included group singing led by Mrs. A. Hutchinson with Mrs. D. W. Douglas accompanist; piano nump bers by Mrs. Douglas, and songs by a quartet composed of Floyd John ston, Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson, Earl Rainer and Al R. Fuchs. Reports were had from J. E. Elza,

manager, and from C. A. White, of the auditing company.

The fuel association has had a C. O. Spence presided at the meet-ing held in the American Legion ancial statement indicates and the hall, where some 200 members at- reports of officials reflected this condition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones have rillo; George Blair of the Dallas returned home from Stovall Wells, office of the Texas Federation of co- near Graham where they have been

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Coons big Varmints noon April 13, in the home of the hostess Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass. Roll call was answered with altertion problems.

Miss Leila Petty, county home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on altering and fitting a pattern. She used Mrs. Bill Tucker as a model.

The next meeting will be April 27, in the home of Mrs. Walter

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Losses

Harlan Cage, of east Floyd county, who has to deal with coons and other to the following Mmes. D. S. Bat-tey, M. Carr, Donald Finkner, Walvarmints in the area adjacent to ter Hanna, J. S. Hale, Roy Hale, John Hoffman, Everrett Miller, Glen the caprock in protecting his stock and barnyard fowls from the wily predatory animals which roam, at Pool, M. D. Ramsey, Ted Ruther-ford, Zant Scott, G. L. Snodgrass, Bill Tucker, Miss Leila Petty and night the hostess Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass.

Cage points out that coons weighing as much as 34 pounds have been caught in this county. Cage said a good many men enjoy coon hunting hereabout.

### **Mrs. Harper Hostess** For Dougherty Club

Mrs. Jim Harper was hostess to members of the Dougherty Home Demonstration club Monday when roll call was answered with a sewing The vice-president, Mrs. Claude Ring, had charge of the meeting. Using one of the club members

as a model, Miss Leila Petty showed how to measure and fit a commercial pattern and how to adjust the pattern for various alteration problems. The demonstration proved to very interesting and beneficial to all. Bulletins were given the

members in connection with this demonstration Mrs. Louis Blum led the group in recreation. Game prize winner were Mmes. Howard Drysdale and Tate Jones. Mrs. C. E. Bartlett was awarded the attendance prize. Refreshments were served to Mmes. John R. Tinnin, Ruth Daniels, Bill Smith, Tate Jones, C. E Bartlett, Howard Drysdale, Maurice

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## HAIL INSURANCE

This year in Floyd County your Texas Panhandle Mutual Hail Association is writing \$1200.00 Hail Insurance for the same premium that all other companies charge

This week Jim Jones opened up the season by insuring 241 acres of wheat for \$10 per acre a total of \$2410.00 insurance. Thats an extra \$400 for the same

I'm proud of our record of writing Insurance and paying losses for Panhandle Mutual Hail Association m the past 6 years. I welcome comparisons. Jim has insured with us several years. From experience he knows how we adjust and pay losses.

This week we paid \$75.50 wind damage on Weems Texaco Station. We also paid \$100 fire loss on a brooder

For better service to you I have opened a full time Insurance Office in Floydada. We are next door to Chamber of Commerce at 106 West Missouri St. Come to see us. Our new easy telephone number is 345.

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## **\$100 Deductible Defended** as **Good** Practice

Should the man who buys insurance on his home or business have to pay the first \$100 of loss if a hail or windstorm damages it?

Texans, who like to brag about their capricious weather and berate its consequences, aren't sure. Since the Board of Insurance Commissioners decided on Sept. 1, 1946, that the policyholder should stand some of the minor damage of storms, there have been arguments pro and

Last March 1, in a test case before the Third Court of Civil Appeals, the so-called "mandatory \$100

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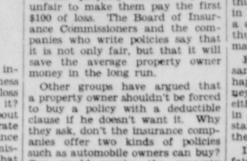
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The court ruled that they

deductible" came to head. The from heavy loss.

One would require the property owner to pay the first \$100 of loss. The other, although costing considerably more in premium, would pay for every penny of loss, regardless how small.

Good principals of insurance, so the underwriters claim, make it fair for the policy-holder to stand the first \$100 of loss. They point out that, after all, the only purpose of insurance is to distribute the burden of a heavy loss.

In simple terms, insurance is a plan whereby property owners join to protect themselves and each other

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The premiums Both property owners and the mor-policies are sm- tgage-holders want to avoid that. court was asked to decide if the paid for individual policies are small, but together they make a sizeable "pot" to which all policy- the mandatory \$100 deductible will duct the first \$100 of insurance holders are welcome in time of claims for hail and windstorm da- need.

When one policy-holder suffers a heavy loss, he collects to the extent of his policy from the fund thus created by the monies paid in by all. What might have been a crushing loss to an individual is thus spread to the shoulders of sult from the expected decrease in thus spread to the shoulders of many people. But if a large number suffer the

same loss at the same time, what happens? There isn't enough money in the till to go around. So either more money must be paid in or else the policy-holders must stand some of the minor losses themselves.

Insurance men believe that the fairest way is to keep premium rates low and let the property owner stand the first \$100 of loss. If the property demands full coverage, ims would be half again as large as they now are and perhaps even more. This would make insurance so expensive that many people couldn't buy it.

As the order now stands, every hail and windstorm policy says that the property owner must stand the first \$100 of loss. Why wasn't this deductible clause made optional, as it is in automobile collision pol-Why can't persons have full coverage if he wants it?

Insurance spokesmen say that the deductible was made mandatory to benefit the property owner, especially the high percentage of persons who have long-term mortgages on their homes. Banks and mortgage companies, because of the large number of real estate loans they make, naturally want the best nsurance protection available. In all liklihood, most of them would require that full coverage be carried on mortgaged property.

home-purchaser's mortgage payments might be increased to a point where they would be prohibitive.

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Lubbock Minister Too, insurance men argue that decrease premiums, particularly on property outside the seacoast area.

By decreasing the number of small claims the companies have heretofore had to pay, the deductible will eventually mean savings in this week. the cost of adjusting claims. Insurance experts say that it costs as much to adjust a \$50 claim as it does one for \$500. With fewer laims to adjust, the resulting savings can be passed on in the form Hesperian office

of lower premiums. Insurance men are generally agreed that some kind of deduc tible for windstorm and hail coverage is a necessity. Had the Board of Insurance Commissioners not ordered it, most companies would have ceased writing hail and windstorm insurance altogether or at least refused to sell full coverage policies.

At any rate, the \$100 deductible seems here to stay.

### **Homers in Tenth** Win for Whirlwinds

Floydada High school baseball squad had anything but an impressive showing in their earlyspring practice games in anticipation of the opening of conference play on April 14. Many of the youngsters are green hands and are having to learn the mechanics as well as the strategy of the game from scratch.

Last week, however, they whipped out a victory over the Silverton High team, when they displayed some considerable power with the bat. The 'Winds came from behind in the ninth to tie up the score at 4-4, and went on in the tenth to such insurance would require, the win 7 to 6. Bill Smith who hit a homer in the sixth repeated in the tenth with two on to tie the score, and Hubert Ring rang down the curtain with a home run after two team mates had fanned out.

Fulton was the winning pitcher, Satterfield the loser. **Conference** Games

North half conference games began on April 14 when Floydada met Tulia at Tulia and Lockney played Abernathy at Abernathy.

#### **OPEN CAMPUS DAY**

ABILENE-"Open Campus Day" is the new name given the 27th annual senior day program April 29 to be held on the Hardin-Simmons campus at which students of Floydada high school are invited. More than 4,000 students from

Texas high schools are expected. Schools within a radius of 200 miles of Abilene are expected to send their seniors for the day of entertainment and education.

#### NEW TAX MONEY BEGINS TO ROLL IN TO TREASURY

AUSTIN, April-One million eight hundred thousand dollars re-ceipts under the ten percent tax increases levied by the Special Session of the legislature rolled into the State Treasury in March. All the raises became effective the first of March, but Comptroller, Robert S. Calvert, stated that the payments on crude oil tax and other major taxes are not due until the full force of the new



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business is being conducted there, but Mr. Morckel pointed out the elapsed time would give his organ-ization time to get on the beam, stock up more fully and make some preparations for what he hopes will be a big event for farmers of the area. The use of the new chemicals in farm operations will continue to grow is his belief.

Morckel announced that John W. Buchanan, who has returned recently from the west coast, will be associated with the business as

## salesman Installation **VFW Officers**

Veterans of the Foreign Wars last night insalled their new officers for the year, with Leon Ferguson as commander. The ceremonies were held at the IOOF hall.

Other officials chosen to serve this year are Eugene Lawson senior vice-commander, W. R. Daniel junior vice-commander and William Bertrand post adjutant.

Post quartermaster is Tom Goslee, post chaplin Wayne Brown, with trustees as follows:

Eighteen-month trustee, Ralph Gee; 12-month trustee E. T. Williams; and Six-month trustee Duncan Hollums

District Commander Coming Thursday night. April 26, is the date set when there will be a joint meeting of the VFW and the ladies auxiliary. The meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock the evening of April 26, Wednesday, at the IOOF hall.

Purpose of the meeting is to organize a ladies auxiliary. All elgible veterans and their wives, sisters and mothers are urged to attend this meeting, whether or not dues are paid.

Present for this important event in the history of J. W. Harrison Post No. 5616 will be J. E. Deen, of Tulia, commander of District 13, together with Mrs. Shaffer of the same city, president of District 13 VFW auxiliary, and Mrs. Vada Lee Humphrey, of Borger, depart-ment chief of staff who will be guest at the banquet.

Local ladies (wives, sisters and mothers) are asked to bring a covered dish. Meat will be fur-nished by the VFW post. Mrs. E. T. Williams has any additional information wich may be needed by ladies of the organization

VFW Equipment Available W. Harrison Post VPW three hospital beds. Two of these beds are not in use at this time. These beds are for the free use of the public, Commander Ferguson points out. All that is required of anyone needing these beds is that they be signed for. Also Ferguson pointed out the post has a number of wheel chairs and crutches, a portion of which are loaned out. Anyone having this equipment at the present is asked to contact the VFW, and ir not in use return it to VFW for the use of others who may be in need of it. Contact Eugene Lawson of Law-son Bros., blacksmiths, on this equipment.

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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN EMILE CARDINAL, A MINOR, OR HIS ESTATE: You are hereby notified that I have on the 19th day of April, 1950, filed with the County Clerk of Floyd County, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make to PLA. Harry Morckel, proprietor of Mor-ckel Farm Chemical company, an nounced plans this week for the formal opening at their new location on East Houston street on Saturday. April 29. The store is already open and business is being conducted there, but Marked a publication will be heard as polication will be heard. The Marked an undivided eleven - sixtieths but Marked a public during the Sixtieths and Sixtieths but Marked a public during the Sixtieths and Sixtieths and Sixtieths and Sixtieths and Sixtieths and Sixtieths and Six

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aid of the stewards of ch the 20 honor guests at thodist church supper in last night served the Marmembers of the Methodist at a fellowship supper. In-formal dedication on that Sunday embers into the church is for the Wednesday night will follow on the same afternoon. On the committee for the arrangethe progress of the church

feasts together have stian high favor since the days of tles," said Rev. R. N. Huckthe church minister. ith Sees New Parsonage

Methodists of the local conon got great enjoyment out mpliment paid them last by Dr. Roy Smith, lecturer in

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man, who is a nation-wide travel-ingly decorated," said the church er. Dr. Smith visited here briefly, guest of J. M. Willson. Rev. R. N. Huckabee, the pastor of the church, smiling behind his hand, suggests he is negotiating for a "long term lease" on the pre-

### **Open House May 7**

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place where sin cannot enter.

of the Spirit of God for they are foolishness unto him, neither can

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Although man has failed to heed God's word, God has not changed.

Sin will keep us out of heaven. The last beatitude tells us "blessed are they that do His commandments that they may have a right to the

tree of life, and may enter in thr-

ough the gates into the city. Rev. 22:14. One sin brings condemnation.

"For whosoever shall keep the law and yet offend at one point is guilty

The world is ever changing. Stocks of great value today may be

worthless tomorrow. Happiness today may turn to sorrow before nightfall. Loved ones leave us and go to their reward, our best laid

plans are changed. But God continues to call right right, wrong

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'Ye must be born again.

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mises.

Following are announced candidates on the Democratic ticket for The Methodist congregation is Floyd county: looking forward with anticipation to the dedication day for the new Representative 120th District parsonage and the visit of Bishop HAROLD M. LA FONT Will C. Martin of Dallas for the occasion. The bishop will be met by

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District Attorney a delegation of the men folks of JOHN B. STAPLETON the congregation at South Plains and have a breakfast preceding the For County Judge: G. C. TUBBS

morning at 9:30. The open house For County Attorney: ENOS T. JONES

ments for the open house will be Mmes. G. M. Armstrong, R. F. Sto-For Sheriff: vall, L. F. Martin, George Sherrill, E. B. Chesnutt, M. W. King, A. B. EARL COOPER LELAND A. HART Keim, Will Snell and Noel Trout-J. R. (Bud) STILL

For County Clerk: MARGARET COLLIER **God Has Not Changed** For District Clerk: MARY L. MCPHERSON

> For Assessor-Collector of Taxes: T. T. HAMILTON

shall receive the reward of their inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ. But he that doeth wrong For County Treasurer: MRS. SAM A. SPENCE shall receive for that wrong that he has done: and there is no respect For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1

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For Commissioner Precinct No. 3 the gift of God to be ternal life W. C. PLUMLEE through Jesus Christ our Lord. God is God and sin is sin. In every generation and in our gene-For Commissioner Precinct No. 4

P. L. (FAY) HART ation sin will blight and destroy For Justice of the Peace, Precincts

the soul of man. "Man looketh No. 1 and 4: upon the outward appearance but O. B. OLSON God looketh upon the heart." Many people wear tinted glasses. The AT EL PASO CONVENTION things of God and the things of

the devil take on a similar hue. In El Paso last week to attend Their eyes are blinded. They canthe convention of the West Texas speak, that can be written about not see this life to be a proving Judges and Commissioners assocground, with those who overcome iation were Commissioners Fred berg's poetry--it is the kind of Clark and P. L. Hart together with film West Texans like and even the wiles of Satin as the only ones to enter heaven - heaven the place where sin cannot enter. Too many hold to their pet sins where sin cannot enter. Too many hold to their pet sins

while calling them other names. The commissioners and their party ager for West Texas Gas company They say their sins are habits, cus- left on Tuesday, making the trip was in charge of the script and dirtoms, or take their natures to task by automobile. Judge Tubbs made ected the making of the picture. for the things they do. "The natthe trip down by plane from Lubural man receiveth not the things bock.

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\* \* \* COLUMN Documented in Floydada and Crosbyton golf club members paired off as usual with lots of enthusiasm and will to win Film and Sound last Sunday afternoon on Floydada golf course -- and as usual a cold shower that wet everybody to the hide and froze them stiff put a Critics have been unanimous in stop to proceedings, just as Gene Collins predicted. their praise of West Texas Gas Company's "FUEL FOR A GROW-The Crosbyton club had some 20 ING EMPIRE", a film document of natural gas and life on the South contestants ready for the paring,

and the Floydada club had about 30. Some played some nine holes, year of unprecedented agricultural others got well teed away when the shower fell and the match was postponed to some future date. The future date will be set for

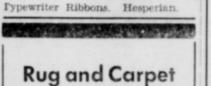
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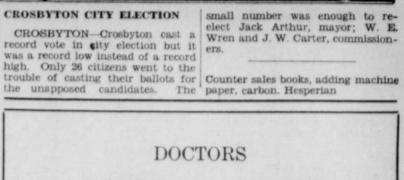
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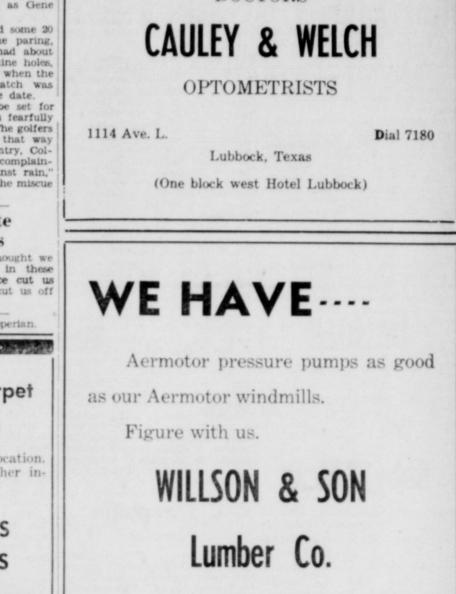


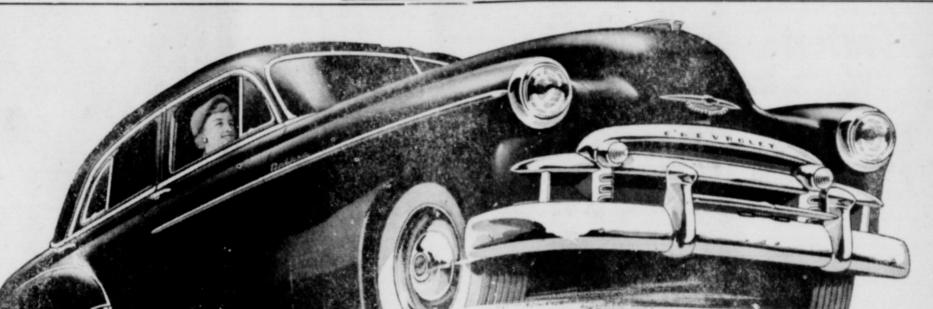
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tion of West Texas served by West

Texas Gas company. What the

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ago to his superior later became a

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The camera lens opens on a familiar prairie dog and his West Texas home scenes of the Canadian

river and the Palo Duro canyon

are then shown, representing the possible trail which Captain Marcy

follower during his trip. Skyline

views of various West Texas towns

appear and as the story progresses

the camera picks up impressive sce-

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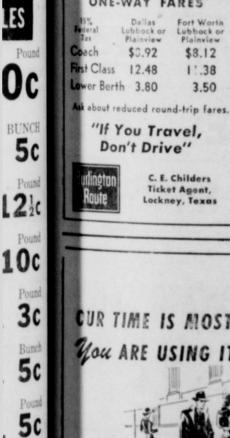
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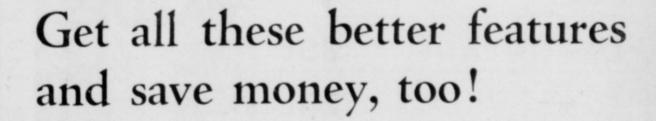
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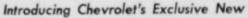


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Floydada, Texas

## Announce Open House For New Plant April 29

April 29.

The store is already open and business is being conducted there, but Mr. Morckel pointed out the elapsed time would give his organ-ization time to get on the beam, stock up more fully and make some preparations for what he hopes will be a big event for farmers of the area. The use of the new chemicals in farm operations will continue to grow is his belief.

Morckel announced that John W. Buchanan, who has returned recently from the west coast, will be associated with the business as salesman.

## Installation **VFW Officers**

Veterans of the Foreign Wars last night insalled their new officers for the year, with Leon Ferguson as commander. The ceremonies were held at the IOOF hall.

Other officials chosen to serve this year are Eugene Lawson sen-ior vice-commander, W. R. Daniel junior vice-commander and Wil-

liam Bertrand post adjutant. Post quartermaster is Tom Goslee, post chaplin Wayne Brown, with trustees as follows:

Eighteen-month trustee, Ralph Gee; 12-month trustee E. T. Williams; and Six-month trustee Duncan Hollums

District Commander Coming Thursday night, April 26, is the date set when there will be a joint meeting of the VFW and the ladies auxiliary. The meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock the evening of April 26, Wednesday, at the IOOF hall. Purpose of the meeting is to

organize a ladies auxiliary. All elgible veterans and their wives, sisters and mothers are urged to attend this meeting, whether or not dues are paid.

Present for this important event in the history of J. W. Harrison Post No. 5616 will be J. E. Deen, of Tulia, commander of District 13, together with Mrs. Shaffer of the same city, president of District 13 VFW auxiliary, and Mrs. Vada Lee Humphrey, of Borger, depart-ment chief of staff who will be guest at the banquet.

Local ladies (wives, sisters and mothers) are asked to bring a covered dish. Meat will be furnished by the VFW post. Mrs. E. T. Williams has any additional in-formation wich may be needed by of the organization

**VFW** Equipment Available

NOTICE ESTATE OF LOUIS B. CARDINAL ET AL, MINORS NO. 772 IN THE COUNTY COURT, FLOYD

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minor, described as follows:

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(11/60) interest in and to the West One Hundred Ten (W. 110) Acres of the Northwest One-fourth (N. W, 1/4) of Survey Number One Hundred Thirty-two (132), in Block Number One (1), Certificate No. 939, Abstract No. 1755, in

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN EMILE CARDINAL, A MINOR, OR HIS ESTATE: You are hereby notified that I have on the 19th day of April, 1950, filed with the County Clerk of Floyd County, Texas, an application under Harry Morckel, proprietor of Mor-Harry Morckel, proprietor of Morckel Farm Chemical company, an- CID OIL COMPANY, a corporation, such County as the time and place formal opening at their new location of Shreveport, Louisiana, as lessee, an oil, gas and mineral lease on that would be heard, and that such apon East Houston street on Saturday. certain real estate belonging to such plication will be heard at such time and place

T. J. Cardinal

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## **Deeds Recorded**

Maud E. Hollums to F. W. Webb, lots No. B, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 in Block G, in Andrews addition to town of Floydada. Herman F. Miller to J. B. Johnson,

E. B. Gilliland to Dick E. Bunnell acres survey. all of lot No. 15 in block 41, in town of Floydada.

W. Melvin Day to Floydada In- Adams Pre-emption survey. dependent School District No. B.

GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON a tract of 2 acres of land out of the 120 acres of land being the north AND ESTATE OF EMILE CAR- southeast corner of the north west 14 of the northeast 14 of survey No. 21

Menard Field to Southwestern Life Insurance company, 240 acres of land being 240 acres off of the west side of survey No. 15, in Block

D-1. Beulah Milton to Raymond Upton 152.9 acres of land being all of the northeast ¼ of survey No. 30, in

L. W. Johnson to R. L. Johnson, Perry of Fairview.

120 acres of the G. W. Ball 160 acres Homestead Donation survey. Goodnight High Grade Cattle company to Arthur B. Duncan, 4 acres of land out of the southeast corner of survey No. 1 in block GM.

L. B. Newman to Consolidated Gas and Equipment company of America, lot 10 in block No. 132 in the town of Floydada,

C. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, and east of Pt. Worth and Denver main line right-of-way. E. B. Gillijand to Dick F. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to forty acres of the G. W. Dub to forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to R. L. Johnson, forty acres of the G. W. Dub to S. B. Patton to S. B. Pat Visitors in the home of Mrs. Bul-40 acres of land being all of south forty acres of the G. W. Ball 160 acres survey. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reeves of R. W. Cudd to R. L. Johnson, 80 Cozby and daughter Mary D., Mr. acres of land known as the S. H. and Mrs. Chil McClure, Benton

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EVERLITE, Pint Jar,	
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TOMATO SOUP,	11°
CAMPBELL Can,	
CHILI,	57°
WOLF BRAND, No. 2 Can,	31.
PEACHES,	210
HUNTS, No. 21/2 Can,	21°
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MEAL,	65°
EVERLITE, 10 Lbs.,	
PORK & BEANS,	25°
BROOKS No 1, 3 Cans,	
CARROTS,	20°
DELCO DICED, 3 - 303 Cans,	20
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	SALMON, ALASKA CHUM, No. 1 Can,	33°
	BABY FOOD,	25°
	APRICOTS,	25°
	HUNTS, No. 21/2, KRAUT,	121/2c
	MARSHALLS No. 2 Can, TREET, .	39°
	ARMOURS, Can, NEW POTATOES,	25°
	DEER BRAND, 2 No. 2 Cans,	23

BREEZE,	25
TOILET SOAP, LIFEBOUY, 2 Reg. Bars,	15
RINSO, Large Box,	25
TOILET SOAP, LUX Bath Size,	12
BABO, Can	12
BLEACH, PUREX, Quart,	15
FRESH FRUITS &	VEGETABLES

W. Harrison Post VFW has three hospital beds. Two of these beds are not in use at this time. These beds are for the free use of the public, Commander Ferguson points out. All that is required of anyone needing these beds is that they be signed for. Also Ferguson pointed out the post has a number of wheel chairs and crutches. a portion of which are loaned out. Anyone having this equipment at the present is asked to contact the VFW, and is not in use to return it to VFW for the use of others who may be in need of it. Contact Eugene Lawson of Lawson Bros., blacksmiths, on this equipment.

Mrs. Ralph White and baby daughter, of Lubbock, visited her father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cantrell, and other relatives here Sunday.



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MARSHMALLOWS,	15°
SUGAR KIST, Package,	13
COCOANUT,	15°
BAKERS, Box,	
CANDY,	25°
MARS Assorted, 6 Bars,	23
MINT WAFERS,	33°
ROCKWOOD, 9 Oz.,	

FIRM HEAD	Pound
LETTUCE, 1	Oc
GREEN ONIONS,	BUNCH 5c
GOLDEN FRUIT	Pound 1212
FLORIDA	Pound 10c
FIRM HEAD CABBAGE,	Pound 3c
RADISHES,	Bunch 5c
POTATOES,	Pound 50
CALIFORNIA GREEN	Stalk
CELERY, 1	Zil

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#### **Open House May 7**

Seven of the stewards of the 20 honor guests at casion. lethodist church supper in y, last night served the Marmembers of the Methodist at a fellowship supper. Inembers into the church is for the Wednesday night uainted occasions which are the progress of the church

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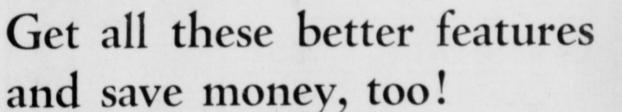
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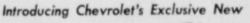


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#### Old Settlers Meet R. E. A. Directors

#### Saturday afternoon

Members of the official family of Floyd County Pioneers association, who planned to have their first planning meeting for the 1950 annual gathering on May 28, ran into conflicting dates and interests Sat-urday afternoon and did not get together. They had planned to meet at the office of Mrs. Maud Hollums at 2:30 o'clock.

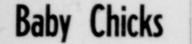
I. C. Surginer, president, said that the postponed meeting will be held next Saturday, April 22. With the date for the annual gathering now only slightly more than 30 days away he said it is high time the old timers make preparations for the event.

Question of where the meeting will be held will be one of the prominent matters for discussion, said Mr. Surginer yesterday. Some have advanced the idea that the pioneers do not have the meeting this year, he said. These and other matters will be threshed out, he said, when those interested gather Saturday. The hour is 2:30 o'clock, the place Arthur B. Duncan Abstract company office.

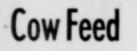
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In the absence of the pastor, Rev.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hopper and

Mrs. Joe Wilson and Mrs. W. B.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walls at-

The community was well rep-

Mr. and Mrs. Holman Owen and children Bobble and Sherry and Mrs. Annie Hambright of San Diego,

California, are visiting in the home

Joe Wilson, who is in a meeting

in Kansas, Rev. Herbert Morrison

Lubbock and Mary Dee Cozby.

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Attendance prizes were given. Prizes were drawn by W. H. Hulsey, Howard Hickman, Wayne Rice, Mrs. John W. Seigler, Mrs. Alton Noland, R. D. Armstrong, Johnny Lackey, Mrs. Lillian Curtis, E. H. Brown, T. J. Campbell, C. H. Ver-ett, J. W. Franklin, O. R. Mooney, Mrs. W. R. Daniel, Mrs. Annie to everyone in the community, to work for the advancement and progress of the community. E. Assiter, Mrs. J. M. Birdwell, Mrs. Lee Rushing, W. H. Ratheal, Roy merce? The Chamber of Commerce Hale, W. H. Sinclair and Mrs. Rob-

ert E. Smith. ganization through which civic min-ded men, and business firms may At the afternoon meeting A. H. Kreis, serving as master of ceremonies, introduced several local entertainers. Floydada High school Commerce in Floydada is only as band helped to entertain the crowd good as the members make it. With

that gathered for the event. the cooperation of even more of the citizens of the community, who The square dance octette of oungsters, the Foster twins, Doris become members, the load is lighter and Dorothy, of Dougherty, daughon all, while the progress of the ters of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster, community makes even greater str-Beverly Thomas, daughter of Glee ides forward. Thomas, and songs by the Floydada Do you belong to the Chamber quartette, helped to entertain beof Commerce? tween more serious matters of the afternoon.

Robert H, Crowell, manager of rairview News Floydada Chamber of Commerce and E. L. Angus, manager of Floyd Creameries, were among the helpful local people who joined in the ceived over the week-end. This community received  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in six-county area

Ginn Succeeds Mal Jarboe

In the election of officers at the pretty green color. afternoon session J. C. Ginn, of Last Monday nig Cedar, was elected to succeed Mal L. B. Cozby home were Mrs. J. R. Jarboe of Floydada as president of Cozby of De Leon, Mrs. Lula Green This territory is still in the the association. Herman King, of of Olton, Mrs. Joe Cozby of Spur Lockney, was chosen as vice-presi- and Miss Alba Cozby of Dickens. and family of Portales, New Mexsucceeds Lee Trice as Secretarytreasurer

Milton Harrison of Lakeview is relatives. a new director for District Two: June Kathryn were Sunday dinner Oliver Harmel from District Six, guests of his mother, Mrs. W. W. and W. C. Snodgrass from District Seven. W. H. Ratheal of McAdoo, Payne of Floydada. Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Perry and Jan were, was re-elected for District One, as director.

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of Plainview preached Sunday. He was accompanied here by Mrs. Morrison and their daughter. They were guests of Mrs. Joe Wilson. to develop this area into something great. Today, just as it was in the family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wilson and early days of our history, there are men, farmers, cobblers, storekeepers family who will ask, "but why should I contribute either my time or my Wilson are visiting in Lubbock a efforts to such undertaking, it won't increase my profits any?" From few days this week. a short range point of view this is tended a birthday supper and get probably true- -they might not see together Wednesday night at Lockany immediate benefit.

ney at the home of Mrs. T. J. Jar-The principals for which our foreboe, the occasion being Mrs. Jarfathers struggled were intangiblesboe's birthday. freedom, independence and self determination. Very few of the men resented at the R. E. A. party who worked the hardest, ever lived to enjoy the fruits of their work. Saturday. To them, it was more important to MCCOY PARTY PLANS chieve these aims for posterity. The monthly party of the McCoy, community is scheduled for next What they did recognize was the fact that as men they had a respon-Wednesday night, April 26 in the sibility to their fellow men, to make schoolhouse. Everyone is invited to this country a better place to live, attend. Refreshments will be served for their having lived. and an entertaining program is The above is a way of explainbeing planned.

#### MRS. VINSON IS HOSTESS ing some of the thinking that is back of an organization like the FOR CENTER CLUB MEETING

Men in

The Center Home Demonstration culb had an all day meeting Friday.

April -14, in the home of Mrs. O. without working to put it there, C. Vinson. organized a Chamber of Commerce Each member brought a covered dish and lunch was served during to accomplish this end. They knew that what the town was, reflected the noon hour to fourteen members, on them as people. Call it pride, one new member and two visitors. It Miss Petty gave a demonstration does remain that it is important on styles.

Mrs. Clyde Henderson gave the council report. Mrs. H. B. Mankins and Mrs. Travis Lightfoot gave "how is your health.". Mrs. Hen-derson announced that the Odis Echols quartet would be here at the high school auditorium on Fri-

day night, April 28. The date of the next meeting will be announced later.

AMBURN FAMILY BIRTHDAYS OCCASION FOR GATHERING A birthday dinner at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Amburn in northeast Floydada Sunday, April

members of the connection who ada Monday shopping.

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were born in the months of April and May. Several members of the family have birthdays in these

months Present for the enjoyable family get-together were Mrs. W. A. Am-burn; Mr. and Mrs. Alva Jackson, their children, Floyd Bob, and Lynn; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Amburn, their children, Ronnie and Jerry; and the hosts, all of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smitherman of South Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keasler of Olton; and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Amburn of Plainview.

#### CENTER CLUB CONCERT

The Center Home Demonstration club will sponsor a consert given by Odis Echols and his quarette from Lubbock, Friday night, April 28, at 8 p. m. at the high school auditorium

Tickets may be bought at the door or from one of the Center club members. Admission 30 cents for children and 60 cents for adults.

Mrs. Frank Pohl and Mrs. Eldrid 16, was to observe the birthdays of Seigler of Matador were in Floyd-

FOURTH SUNDAY SERVICE AT SAND HILL ANNOUNCED

Sparkman, W. T. Culpepe R. Shipley, Wanda O'Neil Kiker, M. J. McNeil, Ma Regular fourth Sunday service to be held at the Sand Hill School house Sunday afternoon, April 23. Mrs. Bennie M. Rose will tell a story from the Bible to the Juniors at 2:30 o'clock. At 2:45 song service will begin.

Mrs. Rose will bring the message for the afternoon.

Everyone is invited to come and worship with us.

#### STARKEY CLUB REPORTS

The Starkey Home Demonstration guessing contest, grand priz club met April 18, with Mrs. G. H. Day hostess. Miss Petty gave an interesting demonstration on altering patterns, which every one en-joyed very much. Mrs. J. T. Myrick, jr., gave a talk on modern art. Mrs. Tomme Assiter had charge of the recreation.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. N. S. Abbott, J. K. Holmes, Doyle Mount, T. R. Assiter, Elmer Cooper, W. W. Blair, Leon Ferguson,

doing!

S. L. Holmes, J. T. Myrick, jr., Paul | kins, of Tech college, Lass

Week-end guests of Mn : Hopkins and Mr. and Mn Henry were Mr. and Mrs. Ken nold and children, Bette and San Angelo, and Joe Cam

the hostess and several chi

The next meeting will b

in the home of Mrs. W.

There will be an ente

CUBS MEET MONDAY NO

Pack 57 will hold their m

The theme is Country Piz.

pack meeting Monday nigh

at the American Legion h

will be a midway, peep sho

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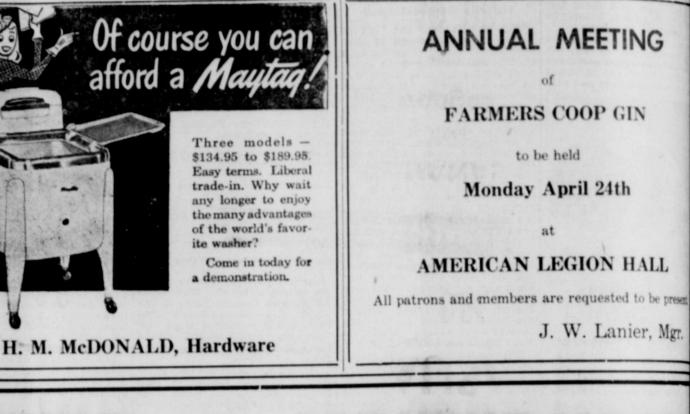
So come one and come a what the cubs of Ployda

test and others.

Friday night, April 21.

come. Bring chairs, don

card tables.





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TUNA, LARGE LIMA BEANS,	39c <sup>2 Lb. Bag</sup> 35c	PURASNOW FLOUR, S 25 Lb. Sack, SHURFINE SOUR	1.89	SHURFIN	Е	FRUITS a	nd VEGETABLES	HUNTS TOMATO S
ADMIRAL- Colored Oleo, PONDS TISSUES,	Pound 39C Box 300 25C	Shurfine Extra Fancy PEACHES, No. 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Can, SHURFINE	25°	3 Lb. Can 69c		Avacados PASCAL CELERY	BANANAS FLORIDA JUICE Oranges	8 Oz. Can 7 c
SOFLIN TOWELS, JELLO,	Rolls 15c 2 Packages 15c	Salad Dressing, Pint, With Plastic Picnic Set EMPSONS FANCY PEAS, No. 2 Can, 2 For	35° FANG		Tall Can 42c	<b>VEL</b> BOX	SALAD DRESSING, 25	
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