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County Committee Makes Plans for Democratic Vote

Three new names for Floyd county people to consider for public office, two of them local Precinct One and Four and one of them of county-wide import, will be on the ticket to be voted upon when the first primary is held on July 22.

The new names are W. E. Grimes, former county judge of the county, who has thrown his hat in the ring for county judge, Walter A. Gound, who is a candidate for justice of the peace in Precincts One and Four, and J. W. Graham, who was appointed public weigher at Floydada last week, and is to campaign for election to the office for the fall two-year term.

The county committee met Monday morning, estimated the costs of the elections (first and second primary provided for), and assessed the costs against the candidates. Highest assessment was \$140 and the lowest \$10. The committee estimates it will cost \$1,700 to 1,850 to hold the two elections. If this estimate is too high and there is any appreciable amount of money left it can be apportioned back to the candidates, it was agreed in the committee meeting.

The committee also drew for places for the candidates on the ballot, all state and district candidates included. No disposition was made of the name of J. E. McDonald for state commissioner of agriculture. When the state committee and the courts and Mr. McDonald get through with their lawsuit will be time enough for the local committee to worry about the matter, local committeemen were agreed.

The county sub-committee will have its meeting to make up the official ballot Monday morning and presumably that will be time enough for them to take some action, obeying the mandate of the higher court.

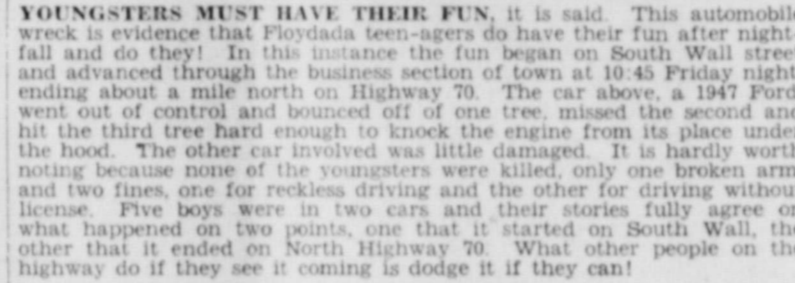
Cotton Slash in Plains Area Is Threatened

Representative George Mahon has reported to the local PMA office that the House Committee on Agriculture is seriously considering the approval of a bill by Congressman Pace of Georgia which would among other things, drastically reduce cotton acreage allotment in West Texas next year. Mahon states that he has been advised by officials of the Department of Agriculture that under the proposal by Mr. Pace the 19th Congressional District would sustain a loss next year of 355,000 acres of cotton. These acres would go principally to Central and South Texas.

Mahon has appealed to PMA officials in Washington and College Station to seek their assistance in preventing this drastic reshuffling of the cotton acreage allotments for Texas. He, also, appeared last week before members of the House Committee on Agriculture to protest the proposed action, and he stated that he will continue to do everything in his power in behalf of the cotton producers of West Texas.

The 25-county 19th Congressional District received an allotment this year in excess of 2,200,000 acres of cotton which is more than one-third of the allotment received by the entire state of Texas. Mr. Pace insists that the acreage this year for the 19th District was too high by about 355,000 acres. Mahon pointed out that allotments this year were based on 1947 and 1948 plantings and that West Texas received a greater allotment because of heavy plantings in 1947 and 1948, and that other sections of the State would have had larger allotments had they chosen to plant greater acreage of cotton in 1947 and 1948.

The outcome of the pending proposal is uncertain, but Mahon pointed out that the threat of drastic reduction in West Texas in 1951 is a serious one.



YOUNGSTERS MUST HAVE THEIR FUN, it is said. This automobile wreck is evidence that Floydada teen-agers do have their fun after nightfall and do they! In this instance the fun began on South Wall street and advanced through the business section of town at 10:45 Friday night, ending about a mile north on Highway 70. The car above, a 1947 Ford, went out of control and bounced off of one tree, missed the second and hit the third tree hard enough to knock the engine from its place under the hood. The other car involved was little damaged. It is hardly worth noting because none of the youngsters were killed, only one broken arm, and two fines, one for reckless driving and the other for driving without license. Five boys were in two cars and their stories fully agree on what happened on two points, one that it started on South Wall, the other that it ended on North Highway 70. What other people on the highway do if they see it coming is to dodge it if they can!

New Census Figures Give Floydada Population of More Than 3,200

Population of Floyd county in the census of 1950 is 10,514, according to L. D. Whiteley, district census supervisor, who will make his report to the Washington office to this effect. The same report will show Floydada at about 3,200 (3,215 is the figure named).

Robert H. Crowell, secretary of Floydada Chamber of Commerce and county board of development thinks that the utmost of population figures for the city of Floydada and county of Floyd has been reached. He will be satisfied when the figures are announced showing the county slightly less than in 1940, the city with about 3,215.

Crowell thinks that the county's population is slightly higher than in 1940 but he points to the fact that college students, who were counted locally 10 years ago are now counted as residents in other communities where they may be attending school. This number may be 150 or more, Crowell said. In 1940 the county population indicated at 10,659. Yesterday L. D. Whiteley, census supervisor for Congressional District No. 19, said the population of the county was indicated in the preliminary report at 10,514.

Floydada Above 3,200

Floydada residents will be indicated in this report at a figure above 3,200 said Crowell this week after a visit with the district supervisor and a study of the rolls in that office compared with the Floyd county rolls.

The increase in population of the city of Floydada will be indicated at about 20 per cent, from 2,726 in 1940, to 3,215 in 1950.

The final and official figures will be given out at Washington after the district rolls have been checked there.

CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY Young Man Could Have Been Right Fellow But He Was Not

A young man by the name of Robt. L. Wilson, who spent two or three days in the Floyd county jail was not the right man after all.

He had the right name, he was in the area, he was everything but the man that the officers wanted. So they turned him loose Tuesday afternoon and they are hunting a young man by the name of Robt. L. Wilson, who did or may have passed a cold check for \$65.

The check was on W. C. Price, who lives near Lockney. The check was given to J. C. Penney company of Floydada. Officers were sure the right man had been found over in Hale county, but it turned out that the Robt. L. Wilson was not the Robt. L. Wilson sought. It was another man.

So Robt. L. Wilson is a free man. He is not the man who is sought.

Grimes in Race for County Judge

To the People of Floyd County: After being urged by many friends and voters to do so, I have decided to enter the race for County Judge of Floyd County, Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

I formerly held this office, as you know, and I earnestly invite your investigation of my record as Judge. I believe in strict economy as well as efficiency in administering the affairs of this office and being an attorney, I feel that I am qualified to sit as Judge of the County Court.

In answer to questions asked me, since I came out, as to where I would maintain my office, if elected, I will office in the Court House.

Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

W. E. Grimes,
Candidate for County Judge
Of Floyd County, Texas.
(Political Advertisement)

Blood Typing Campaign Sees Many Lacking

The blood typing campaign begun last Sunday afternoon has been very encouraging to the sponsors to date.

Up to Wednesday morning 25 people including several R. H. factors had been typed. The interest and the results have been very satisfying, however more should come and have their blood typed and take advantage of this opportunity offered the people of this community.

Several from Lubbock have had their blood typed here.

A bus load of the school children from Sand Hill are to come to the hospital to be typed.

The sponsors are urging everyone to respond. The hours are 7:30 to 9:30 on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The price is seventy-five cents and the place is the Peoples hospital.

VISIT BY GRANDDAUGHTER

Judge and Mrs. O. C. Tubbs have as their guest this week, their little granddaughter, Elaine Tubbs of Lubbock.

Mrs. G. J. Stapleton In Battle for Life Against Heart Ailment

Mrs. G. J. Stapleton, 82, of Lockney, under an oxygen tent battling for life in Floyd County Memorial hospital, maintains a sense of humor and is given a chance to recover from a heart ailment by attending physicians. The children of the family despaired of their mother's life late Friday night, but she has made a great battle for recovery and was reported rallying apparently this mid-week.

The children of the aged mother, and other relatives, have been painstakingly attending Mrs. Stapleton, who however has been taking the situation with good humor and in good spirits, despite the critical situation.

A stepson, Frank Stapleton, of Wichita, Kansas, is one of those, but Frank is not proving too much help. Fact is he suffered a coronary heart ailment on the way to be with his stepmother, and was hospitalized before he was wheeled in to see her. The stepmother, smilingly said "I guess you'll groan and grunt the whole night through." Frank has to battle a blood clot in his circulatory system. His stepmother has a weakened heart muscle that must react to treatment.

Other children of her family who have been hovering about are Mr. and Mrs. John Stapleton of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stapleton of Flomot, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dunn of Goldsmith, Texas, and Mrs. Estes Woodburn of Lockney. There are two other stepchildren who cannot be here on account of illness in their immediate families. Relatives here include a sister, Mrs. Maybelle Jones and her children, of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Stapleton is a very sick woman but a cheerful one, say the reports from her bedside in the hospital.

Gound Candidate For J. P. 1 and 4

Walter A. Gound, long-time resident of Floyd county, is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Precincts 1 and 4. His candidacy was announced last week-end by friends, who ask that his name be given every consideration for the place. He will give what time he can spare from his work to the campaign.

Mr. Gound's candidacy is subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic primary.

(Political Advertisement)

Dougherty Has Good Wheat Crop; Harvest Moves West

The greenbug infestation and dry weather combined to make the crop a pretty complete failure. Brisk shipments of wheat have been noted from Dougherty and Boothe spur in particular this week with considerable movement of grain also from other shipping points in the county. There has been no shortage of railway cars reported.

Baptists Encamp on Blanco For Summer Events

A camp for junior boys, ages 9 to 12 will be held next week from Monday to Wednesday June 26, at the Plains Baptist assembly camp in Blanco canyon for District nine. The camp pastor will be Rev. J. H. Wright of Levelland. Van Earl Hughes, a missionary from Costa Rica on furlough will be a main speaker. The music director will be Sheldon Russell, and the pianist will be Carol T. Aly; the recreation director will be Hubert Hartley and the swimming director will be Glen Wilson.

The intermediate boys, ages thirteen to seventeen will come Wednesday and stay till Friday noon. This is the first of three camps that will be held at the assembly camp within the next month. The general camp will be held July third, fourth and fifth. This camp is for the whole family, then comes the girls camp the second week in July and the last one will be held for the Mexicans in this district.

Last year seven hundred junior boys attended their camp and there were four hundred boys at the intermediate camp. The directors hope that more boys will attend this year. Rev. Earl Allen, pastor of the First Baptist church in Floydada will be one of the camp counselors this year.

Heart Ailment Fatal To Mrs. B. C. Willis Rites Held Yesterday

Mrs. B. C. Willis, who became gravely ill at her home last Friday and was rushed to the Peoples hospital where she died Monday night at 8:45 o'clock. She had suffered a heart attack. She was ill Thursday but was taken to the hospital on Friday after her condition appeared to be serious.

All the children were with her when she died.

Mrs. Willis was born Nora Belle Fawver, daughter of John A. and Melvina Fawver and came with her parents from Missouri to Floyd county in November, 1891. Mrs. Willis was born February 18, 1880. Mrs. Willis was a member of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Willis was married to B. C. Willis on September 7, 1898, in Floyd county.

Mr. Willis preceded Mrs. Willis in death in 1922.

Mrs. Willis is survived by five sons, Clifford, Henry, and Emmett of Floydada, and Edgar and Floyd of Amarillo; two daughters, Mrs. Hugh Alexander, Olton and Mrs. Bernard Harris, Aiken, and by 15 grandchildren. She is also survived by three brothers, George L. Fawver, John A. Fawver and L. B. Fawver all of Floydada, and by four sisters, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Floydada, Mrs. Eli Johnson of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mrs. Adia Pruitt of Farmington, New Mexico.

The funeral was Wednesday afternoon in the First Baptist church with Elder H. Hall of Ralls conducting the service. Interment was in Floydada Cemetery. Pall bearers were her grandsons, Dave Willis, Kenneth Willis, Junior Alexander, Byron Ford, Lloyd Baugh and Garvin Marr.

Tatum Will Preach for Revival

Pastor of the fundamental church announced that the revival held here beginning Sunday and ending Monday will be conducted by Rev. Ray Tatum. Rev. Tatum conducts a sermon Sunday morning at 9:15 over the radio.

The public is invited to attend night services to hear Billy Warren speak from the pulpit the first time.

Five Men Heard Monday at Baptist Gathering

Five men heard Dr. P. D. J. M. from the First Baptist church of Big Spring talk on "The Soldier" when they attended the Brotherhood meeting at the Baptist church on Monday.

Service was served by the members of the Brotherhood and a quartet. The Brotherhood rendered music for the occasion.

GIRLS HAVE PICNIC

The girl's chapter of the G. A. R. journeyed to Macomber park in Lubbock Monday at 5:30 for a special picnic. The picnic was given by the fathers of the girls. Games enjoyed by all were baseball and attending the picnic. A large group made the picnic a success.

BIBLE SCHOOL

A day school, local Lockney highway, opened Monday, with Mrs. Wright and Marilyn as charge.

Feed Box Boys Grab Lead in Local League

Few games were played in the Floydada softball league this week due to harvest and one reason and another. Only one game was played in league competition, that one being the 11-1 mauling Lunch Box gave Builders Mart Tuesday night to end the game in 5 innings. This one game failed to change the league standings, but next week should see the standing change considerably, barring postponement of games that are scheduled.

League Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
REA	3	1	.750
Lunch Box	5	2	.714
Builders Mart	3	3	.500
Ralls	2	3	.400
McCoy Jrs.	2	3	.400
McCoy Sr.	4	2	.667

Outlaws Is a New Team Organized by students who are home to spend the summer.

Line-up for the Outlaws is as follows: Pete McGee, second base and play manager, Bobby Cline, catcher, Pecos Hart, catcher, Van Collins, pitcher, Bill Hale, first base, Travis Jones, third base, Sammy Hale, short stop, Tom Bob Jarboe, out field, Bobby McGuire, out field, Joe Bunch, out field and catcher, Herman Galloway, second base, Harold Norrell, out field, John Parkey, third base and out field, and Don Smith out field.

The out laws were organized too late to enter into the league, but will enter in all tournaments.

The team is sponsored by Rudy's.

Young People of ME Church Plan Programs

Things are still happening around the young peoples department of the Floydada Methodist church. Last Sunday they had a record attendance at their MYF meeting with 21 present. There was an excellent program given by Bobby McGuire, Bobbie Medlen, Van Collins, and Travis Jordan.

The intermediates and the seniors met together for their Sunday morning worship period with Bert Grimes and Aubrey Guthrie furnishing the program. Plans are being made for even better programs and services in the coming weeks.

Last Monday the group went on a picnic on Day's Crossing. A good time and good food was enjoyed by all. After dark the young people and their sponsors enjoyed group singing around the camp fire. A moonlight hay ride is planned for next Thursday and they are hoping for a good attendance. More definite plans will be announced Sunday.

Last Sunday, some of the Sunday school classes took it upon themselves to furnish the new young peoples worship room with a floor covering. This will make the room complete in every detail and can indeed be called one of the most beautiful of its kind.

Wednesday night the first youth choir rehearsal was held. From the looks of things there will be some good music in the evening services before long, furnished by this choir. All are invited and urged to attend these rehearsals every Wednesday evening at 7:00.

Next Sunday evening we are to have the young peoples chorus from Matador Methodist church, who will furnish a most enjoyable and inspiring evening will be had by those who come. The service will start at 7:30 and will be followed by a reception by the young people of Floydada church at 8:30.

FLETCHER CURRYS VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Curry, of Clarendon, were among the friends and relatives present for the recital of Billie Chowning and Joy Bunch last week-end. They were accompanied by Charlie Murphy, an old friend of the family.

Sand Hill Voters to See and Hear Candidates at School Auditorium

A big time is expected Friday night at the Sand Hill school auditorium when the Sand Hill Home Demonstration club will sponsor a candidate speaking, a pie supper and also a quilt will be given away. Drinks will be served along with the pie and a good time is promised. The public is invited.

A box supper and candidate speaking was held at Lone Star last Friday night. A good crowd was present and about \$110.00 was raised to buy uniforms for the baseball team of Lone Star. Hubert Prizzell was the auctioneer at the box supper and he made a good one.

TALKS ABOUT EUROPE

In the meeting of Floydada Rotary club Wednesday of this week program chairman Carl L. Minor, sr., presented the speaker for the day, Dr. Donald H. Pitts.

Dr. Pitts, who has recently returned from Europe, gave some of his views and impressions gained while on the continent and answered questions relatives to conditions, accommodations, travel and others that Rotarians asked of him.

EDITORIALS

In the realm of politics, we wonder what will happen to the candidacy of Mr. J. E. McDonald who has done contrari-wise to all the accepted standards of political activity, but in spite of it has been the state's Democratic Commissioner of Agriculture for years and years. The law suit in progress as this is written may result in a political upheaval in Texas or possibly may just turn out to be a dud. In Floyd county Mr. McDonald's name was not "certified" and the local committee has no idea that it has any authority to take any action one way or the other, barring receipt of some new "certification" from the state committee. Who the three candidates are whose names now appear on the ticket, what they stand for, how they'd get the job done, what they could do as a matter of fact for the good of Texas agriculture, this writer has about as much idea as a South American condor or an Afghanistan dealer in antiques. We do have some friends, however, who are hot as a pistol about J. E. McDonald, some on one side, some on the other.

For state office there are seven running for governor, of whom one is a Mrs. Avowed feminists probably already know about it others will be interested to know her name is Mrs. Benita Louise Marek Lawrence. Her home county is Washington. Washington and Gregg and Upshur, Liberty, Cass, Jefferson and other counties of deep east Texas have spanned many a successful candidate. In the good old days you set your aspirations, then journeyed out to Falls, McLennan, and around San Antonio and Austin to see how the land lay in that part of the state. If you were a provident sort you went out before leaving home and took your stand adjacent to a glen for a few minutes to kill a deer so the family would have plenty of good meat for the table while you were absent for a week or two. If all went well within a few months you would be governor, supreme court judge or something of the kind that you aspired to be.

Possibly but not probably there are readers of The Hesperian who do not know that the State Democratic committee has ruled J. E. McDonald is not entitled to have his name appear as a candidate in the primary on the Democratic ticket, and that the long-time Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas has instituted suit to make the committee certify his name to the county committees, such as in Floyd. Every member of the state committee and all county chairmen have been named as parties to the suit, the latter probably as a matter of form, since county committees have nothing to do with the state ticket except as they are notified by proper certificate from the state committee. The state commissioner of agriculture voted against the national democratic ticket for three successive times, he admits, or rather he declares. But he says he is a democrat and intends to vote the ticket this year. While time seems to run against him it will be difficult for the

state committee to make a case out of what the commissioner intends to do by what he has done in the past. Nobody knows a man's mind better than he knows it himself. In Texas the courts seem to have set it up as a self-evident fact that a candidate or a voter can better testify as to his intent, politically, than any other living man. If he can make it in time Mr. McDonald should be able to force the committee to certify his name for a place on the July 22 ballot. He will have to hurry, and there musn't be any hitches in carrying out his plans.

This week candidates for office in Floyd county are being notified of the amounts they will have to pay to get their names on the ballots for the primary election. Some people do not yet understand the plain fact that in the primaries in this state all of the expenses of the primaries are paid by the candidates, that the state or county has nothing to do with party primaries, except to police them to see there is no fraud, intimidation, ballot stuffing or things of the kind. The county committee of whatever party it may be has to take all responsibility and they take a single shot at the candidates on the third Monday in June for enough money to pay the bill for both the first and the second primary. This single shot by the county committee is fired at county and precinct candidates. State candidates pay the local committee nothing, district candidates \$1 per county. To get your name on the ticket as a candidate for a state office you file your application, accompanied by a fee of \$100 with the state committee.

The Floydadas and the Lockneys of the state may want to take a lesson (to be applied 10 years hence) from such cities as Houston, which two years ago began taking into the city limits areas which extended far out into wilds of Harris and adjacent counties. Dallas did a fair job of this kind, too. Although they had no promises for now that they could make the residents of those areas as to police protection, water, sewer and lights these big cities needed these settlements to count. One city limit sign seen at Houston was a half hour or so journey from Houston. It was away, way out, no houses in sight.

We are reminded by a publicity man who is citizenship conscious that in spite of all the harrowing crises which we are experiencing, half of all Americans are still failing to vote. Thousands are ducking jury duty. And parenthetically, he adds, other thousands are flirting amiably with subversive groups. These latter sooner or later will destroy us unless a militantly vote conscious, responsible citizenship awakens to do its duty and to accept the responsibilities which go with our heritage.

Locate the septic tank where it can be reached easily for cleaning, but not too close to a building.

The People's Forum National Economy Hits Lockney P. O.

(This column is conducted exclusively as an open forum for the citizens. Readers are urged to comment on any subject they desire at any time in this department if they will be careful to avoid libelous statements or personal attacks. If you want to discuss something you are invited to do so in The People's Forum.)

TEXAS SAFETY COUNCIL OFFICIAL URGES UNIFORM ENFORCEMENT OF LAWS

Glad Snodgrass, for many years Texas Safety Council official writes the following: In every great public movement it becomes the duty of citizens to cooperate for the common welfare. The Texas Safety Council was formed in 1933 for the sole purpose of rendering needed public service. It requires intelligently directed efforts. This program is in your behalf and as every great public movement, all violators of existing laws merit punishment, and all fair minded citizens are in favor of impartial law enforcement. We think lack of uniform enforcement is an invitation to careless and reckless driving.

We well know the modern automobile remains the only highly developed machinery in the hands of unskilled operators. 1810 individuals flashed into eternity on Texas streets and highways in 1938. Not one should have died. You might ask yourself, will my child be next? There is only one way the toll can be reduced. We, the people can do it. The Texas Safety Council is pledged to tireless efforts in the cause of public safety. You as a driver—think safety, talk safety—educate for safety—Legislate for safety.

We ask strict enforcement of existing laws.
Glad Snodgrass.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Stansell on the birth of a son June 13 in the Lubbock Memorial hospital, whose name is Craig Tim Stansell, and will be called Tim. He has a sister Sue and a brother Steve. Tim weighed 7 pounds.

Mrs. J. T. Conner and son of Childress visited Wednesday with Mrs. Will Harrison in the Lakeview community.

ADDITION BEING BUILT

LOCKNEY — Lockney Auto Company has under construction now a new 32 x 70 foot warehouse and storage on the lots just back of the auto company's present building.

The new building is a ready-made concrete floor building and work is progressing at a rapid rate. Want ads save money.

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Madador Plays st for Meet Two Assns.

Madador was host to the Green-Water and Sewer Association of the Cap Rock Water and Sewer Association last Thursday night. The meeting was held in the basement of the Methodist church. A style supper was enjoyed. County Judge C. W. Giesbeck was the welcome address. Giesbeck was humorous in his discussion of the census report of the population. Principal Madador was Morris G. Horton of the state bureau of engineering. J. Eagan of Dallas represented the Iowa Vale company.

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Half Minute Interviews

M. B. Johnston: "When we came to Floyd county 24 years ago we had a wagon full of children. Now we haven't got a one left at home."
MRS. GEO. M. FINKNER ILL.
Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Colville and family of Tucuman, New Mexico, are here this week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Colville and Mrs. George M. Finkner. Mrs. Finkner who has been ill with a heart ailment was moved to the Saint Anthony hospital in Amarillo by Harmon ambulance Monday. Mrs. Finkner has another daughter living in Amarillo, Mrs. Fern Lanier.
Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Liebfried are in Port Worth and down-state visiting and on a vacation trip.
Mayor Harmon responded for the Cap Rock Association, Bill Hanamen of Lubbock was master of Ceremonies.
Those attending from Floydada were Water Superintendent Floyd Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, Mayor and Mrs. P. C. Harmon, R. H. Simpson and Mrs. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bennett, Al Pultz; V. H. Boetler, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Pruitt. They reported a good meeting and a fine dinner.

POLITICAL ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ COLUMN

Following are announced candidates on the Democratic ticket for Floyd county:

For Representative 120th District
HAROLD M. LA FONT
H. J. BLANCHARD

For County Judge:
G. C. TUBBS
FRANK L. MOORE
W. E. GRIMES

For District Attorney
JOHN B. STAPLETON

For County Attorney:
ENOS T. JONES

For Sheriff:
LELAND A. HART
J. R. (Bud) STILL
EARL COOPER

For County Clerk:
MARGARET COLLIER

For District Clerk:
MARY L. McPHERSON

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

For County Treasurer:
MRS. SAM A. SPENCE

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1:
LEONARD H. SMITH
W. H. (BILL) BROCK
J. K. (Keller) HOLMES
E. W. (Wheeler) TURNER
C. O. SPENCE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
W. H. COUNTS

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

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
P. L. (PAY) HART

For Justice of the Peace, Precincts No. 1 and 4:
O. B. OLSON
WALTER A. GOUND

Center News

CENTER, June 20—After a week of wind the more quiet days are very welcome. Harvest is in full sway. Because of such a dry winter and spring wheat is short except in irrigated districts.
Sunday was church day and both services were well attended. The offering for old ministers relief exceeded twenty five dollars. It was a good day.
Brother and Mrs. R. C. Hodges and Jerry took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mankins and called at some other homes in the afternoon.
Sunny Green and Roland Sowell of Ira spent the week-end with Sunny's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Green. Warren May of Floydada was a Sunday guest also.
Mrs. Earl Huckabee made a trip to New Mexico last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Beedy and son of Floydada attended church here Sunday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frizzell were Sunday dinner guests of the Beedys.
Mrs. Wade and Mrs. Williams of Mineral Wells attended church services here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wade came Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones visited in the J. R. Robertson home Sunday afternoon.
Melvin Robertson and Bruce Womack returned home last week from a trip east. They toured as far east as Kentucky and Washington, D. C. They returned by the way of Houston where they visited Melvin's brothers, Bobby and James and family.
Mrs. J. R. Robertson and Patsy went to Olton Monday to get the grand daughter, Linda who will visit here for several days.
The regular party at the school house is postponed till the bulk of the harvest is over. The date will be announced later.
The Home Demonstration club will meet Friday June 23 with Mrs. Clyde Henderson in the afternoon, instead of an all day meeting as previously announced. Don't forget the articles for the mental home at Wichita Falls, thread, quilt scraps, etc.
Don Clark Green of Tech was a week-end guest of his parents and sister Margaret.
Victor Green and Travis Allen of Plainview spent Saturday evening in the James E. Green home.
Come to Sunday school and B. T. U. Sunday.

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CUB SCOUTS PACK MEETING MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 26
Pack 57 Cub scouts held their regular monthly pack meeting Monday evening, June 26, at 7:30 at the city park.
Everyone is to bring a picnic lunch. Games will be played and advancements and awards will be given.
All cubs and parents are urged to be present.
Friday afternoon at 2:30 all cubs, parents and others interested are to go to Mrs. Leonard Matlars at 500 South White to see the projects of the month.
Mrs. P. D. O'Brien and daughter, Mrs. Marie Haynes and her two sons Phillip and Johnny of Bib Spring were here visiting friends Monday and Monday night. They accompanied Rev. P. D. O'Brien who was the principal speaker at the Baptist brotherhood meeting at the First Baptist church Monday night.
Miss Roberta Garrett has returned from Ridgecrest, North Carolina where she spent ten days.

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McDONALDS ON DOWN-STATE VISIT FIND REV. AND MRS. I. A. SMITH ILL IN HOSPITAL
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McDonald visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Houston in Hamilton. On returning home they stopped in Big Spring to visit with Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith and found that they both were in the hospital suffering heart attacks. However, they were reported as being better.
The C. R. Houstons and Smiths are former residents. Rev. Smith having been pastor of the Methodist church here at one time, and the Houstons had the Houston Dry Goods store here.
Mrs. J. W. Tally and daughters of Sunset, Texas, are here visiting Mrs. Tally's mother Mrs. W. H. Finley and other relatives. Mrs. Tally was the former Marie Finley.

PEOPLES HOSPITAL NOTES

Medical patients dismissed this week are: Mrs. Paul Williams, June 15, W. W. Byrd, June 15, Mrs. D. Jacobs, June 15, Mrs. Oscar Ford, Petersburg, June 18, Ronnie McCray, June 18, Lee W. Burton, June 20.
Surgical patients dismissed this week are: Mrs. Vernon McPeak, June 15;
Accident patients dismissed this week are: J. R. Hurst, June 15;
Medical patients admitted this week are: Mrs. W. H. Brock, June 19, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown, Jr., are to be congratulated on the birth of a daughter, Rande Lu, on June 20, 1950, at 6:00 a. m., weighing six pounds and 13 ounces.
Addition to Hospital Staff
Peoples Hospital announces the addition to its staff of Dr. Howard H. Bess, a graduate of Columbia University Medical school, who interned at Knickerbocker hospital in New York City, and has just completed a tour of duty in the army at Brooke General Hospital, San Antonio, Texas.
Dr. Bess has a special interest in obstetrics and pediatrics. He is married and the father of one child; his family will join him as soon as a suitable house is available.

W. M. SANDERS' BROTHER SUCCUMBS AT SPRINGTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders, Otho Sanders and sons Roger and Richard, and Mrs. Bob Pierce went to Springtown Saturday to attend the funeral of W. M. Sanders brother-in-law, Cody Bill Thornton, who died Friday night at his home of an heart attack. The funeral for Mr. Thornton was Sunday afternoon.
Also attending the funeral from Floydada were Mr. and Mrs. Loran Liebfried. A brother of Otho, O. R. Sanders and his son, Kil Carson, of Hereford, attended the funeral also.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Battey had as guests on father's day their daughter, Mrs. Shelby Cook, Mr. Cook and children, Janice, Judy and Mike, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harrison, of Corinth, Mississippi, and Mrs. R. C. Waston and O. M. Watson, sr., of Floydada.

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Wheat on East Plains Yields 10-20 Bushels

CROSBYTON.—Mr. R. R. Jones, whose farm is on the East Plains, said Monday that he had just finished harvesting 116 acres of wheat and had averaged 15 bushels per acre. The wheat is in good shape, he said, and graded 62.

Mr. Jones has 220 more acres to harvest, which he said was not quite as good as that just cut. He estimates the balance will make about 10 bushels per acre.

Most wheat on the East Plains will harvest just about as much as his, Mr. Jones said. A 630-acre field just north of his place, belonging to Noble Hunsucker, will make 20 bushels per acre, he believes. Mr. Hunsucker had eight combines in his field Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Moore and Miss Lillie Solomon returned home last week from Fort Worth where they had been visiting their sister, Mrs. G. W. Trussell, Mr. Trussell and family.

Bible School Began at Calvary Baptist on Mond'y Morning

The vacation bible school of the Calvary Baptist church started Monday morning with an attendance of 57. The school will continue until Friday June 30. The sessions are from 8 o'clock to 11 each morning.

The school is in charge of the pastor, J. T. Bilbrey, Wilma Wright and Marilyn Shockley.

All children between the ages 3 to 16 are invited to attend.

The attendance Tuesday was 70.

MOVE TO MINERAL WELLS

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Johnston have moved from Floyd county after 24 years of residence here and will take up residence in the vicinity of Mineral Wells, where they have bought a home.

Mr. Johnston is retiring from the operation of a farm, although he will continue active on smaller acreage, he said, and hopes to fill some long-deferred dates with the fish in Possum Kingdom.

SANDRA KAY NAME FOR NEW DAUGHTER OF PERMENTERS

Sandra Kay is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Permenter of Plainview. Sandra weighed 6 pounds and 15 ounces. The grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Sid Williams and Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Permenter of Floydada and the great grand-parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunlap of Plainview and Mrs. S. V. Williams of Lockney. Mrs. J. W. Permenter was Miss Fay Williams before her marriage.

Father's day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain were Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. Tyler, Betty and Johnny and Mr. and Mrs. James Huguley, Pat and Penny of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brown, Vicki and Joe of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Hollis McLain and daughter of Sand Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Horn and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miner, sr. Monday. They are former Floydadaites, but now live in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Cubert Gray and family of Amarillo were guests of Mrs. Gray's parents this week, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hamilton.

Women Studying Law on Water Conservation

Texas farmwomen in an 18-county area which depends on underground water for irrigation are learning about the water conservation law.

Members of home demonstration clubs in the Plains-Panhandle area are studying a bulletin issued recently by the Texas A. & M. Extension service and titled "The Underground Water Conservation Law." Miss Kate Adelle Hill, home demonstration agent in charge of District 2, estimated that the information would reach 2,000 women.

The law, passed by the 51st Texas legislature in the spring of 1949, has charging project.

First, it recognizes the "ownership and rights of the owner of the land, his lessees and assigns, in underground water."

Second, the law lays the framework for organization of underground water conservation districts as local, independent units, assigning them the power of conserving, preserving, protecting and re-charging the underground water in reservoirs over which they have jurisdiction.

Three major powers are designed to insure a continuing abundance of water: The right to prevent waste, by court injunction if necessary; the power to regulate spacing of wells; and the power to put more water underground in re-charging projects.

The law limits the districts' powers in that they cannot prorate or allocate water and they cannot deny a permit to drill a new irrigation well, so long as the applicant complies with spacing regulations.

The People's Forum

(This column is conducted exclusively as an open forum for the citizens. Readers are urged to comment on any subject they desire at any time in this department if they will be careful to avoid libelous statements or personal attacks. If you want to discuss something you are invited to do so in The People's Forum.)

Perhaps Floydada will never have a youth center and our money will be given in vain, but just the same the Allied Youth organization which has ceased to function is taking its small bank account of \$34.58 and putting it in a special fund to be kept in the bank as a donation to a youth center for Floydada in memory of our deceased youth, Arlen Dean White.

If the people of Floydada are ever fortunate enough to have a long needed and hoped for youth center, then we hope our small donation may lay the corner stone, or be of some special use.

This has been authorized by a past-president and members of Allied Youth and granted permission by Arlen's mother, Mrs. Jack Lackey. —Contributor.

JERRY BATTEY, POLIO PATIENT BACK AT HOME ONCE MORE

Jerry Battey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Battey, who has been in the West Texas Polio center at Plainview for one month was brought home last Wednesday. The doctors do not think that Jerry will be a cripple and he is happy to be home. Jerry is seven years old and was in the first grade at school last year.

Mrs. Lena Campbell of Crosbyton and Mrs. Patty Brady of Fort Worth were visitors Friday and Saturday with Mrs. R. C. Watson and Mrs. Joe R. Evers.

Mrs. G. T. Assiter is home from a visit with her son Harvey Assiter and family of Lubbock.

Airview News

FAIRVIEW, June 20.—Combines are going in all directions these days. Everyone is trying to get their wheat saved before any bad weather comes. Some fields have turned out around 15 bushels per acre, others are only making 5 to 7 bushels per acre. Row crops are looking good.

Everyone is so busy there has not been much time for news this week. Some visiting was done over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bullard and family of Amarillo came Sunday for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. C. Austin is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Walton Wilson and family.

Mrs. Clara Rhodes of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Ritchey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rushing and Dorothy spent Sunday in Lubbock, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rushing. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reeves and family of Plainview were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Perry and Jan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud DuBois and Larry of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Bill DuBois of Floydada spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois. Larry remained for a week's visit with his grandparents.

Mrs. Lee Rushing and daughter Dorothy went shopping in Lubbock Saturday.

Sunday visitors in the E. W. Walls home were Mrs. Doyle Walls and Bessie and little Larry Walls of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Covington of Floydada visited while late Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hepper and family visited in the L. B. Cozby home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell had as fathers day visitors their children Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hale and family, and two sons W. J. Snell and daughter Eloise of Fort Worth and B. W. Snell and wife of Lubbock. W. J. Snell was accompanied by a friend Bob Johnson of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth, junior, and son Somer 4th were here Tuesday visiting friends and relatives. They are living in Midland.

Spur Man Learning How to Floydada

Moving to Floydada and on the job for the first time Monday morning, was J. W. Waggoner, new parts man for S. J. Braselton Implement company on the Lockney highway in north Floydada.

Mr. Waggoner, who has had more than five years experience in the parts department of Godfrey and Smart, Spur firm, plans to move his wife and two daughters to Floydada as soon as he finds adequate quarters, and plans to buy or build here later.

Waggoner has been added to the staff since their addition of the Lincoln - Mercury dealership a short time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovell are the parents of a baby girl born May 10 in Richmond, California. The little miss weighed 5 pounds and 2 ounces and was named Jannis Annette. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DuVall and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lovell, of Floydada.

There will be a meeting of Zone 4, WSCS at the Harmony school house Friday, June 23. The meeting will begin at 10 o'clock.

Women of Carra Chapel church will be the hostess society.

All women of this zone are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman Sunday for a vacation trip to Arizona and California where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sims are on week for Stovall Wells for a week rest and to take the

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Good Handling Reduces Loss From Shipping

(By W. Earl Edwards Jr.)
Heavy losses of livestock in shipping still occur in spite of the improvement in equipment used for shipping and safe handling of livestock says Frank I. Dahlberg, Professor of Animal Husbandry at Texas A & M.
Besides actual death there are other losses resulting from poor condition of the animals, disease, exhaustion, and the animals going completely off their feet. Whether livestock is intended for slaughter or for resale as feeders their condition is important in obtaining satisfactory prices at the market, according to Dahlberg.
Recognizing the importance of the cattle reaching the market in the best condition Dahlberg has recommended the following practices:
(1) Avoid hard driving of livestock to loading pens.
(2) Allow ample time for rest before loading. Do not water but feed dry non-legume hay.
(3) Avoid overcrowding in trucks and cars.
(4) Feed and water the animals at proper intervals if the trip to market is a long one.
(5) Give special care to any animal in an advanced stage of pregnancy.
The common practice of withholding water from animals until they are very thirsty is harmful to the animals. When this is practiced the animal overfills and usually upsets the entire digestive system. Dahlberg recommends that livestock shippers and stock yard men work out an agreement to prevent this practice.
Proper care of livestock during shipping is another phase of profitable management. It is money in the livestock raiser's pocket and well worth the effort needed to handle these animals properly during shipping, Dahlberg concluded.

Judge and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton of Madador were visitors in Floydada Saturday.

As A Farm Woman Thinks

By Nellie Witt Spikes
A Home Prayer
Lord of all pots and pans and things,
Since I've no time to be
A saint by doing lovely deeds
Or watching late with Thee
Or dreaming in the dawnlight
Or storming heaven's gates,
Make me a saint by getting meals
And washing up the plates.

Although I must have Martha's hands
I have a Mary mind,
And when I black the boots and shoes,
Thy sandals Lord I find;
I think of how they trod the earth,
What time I scrub the floor,
Accept this meditation, Lord!
I haven't time for more.

Warm all the kitchen with Thy love,
And light it with Thy peace
Forgive me all my worrying
And make all grumbling cease!
Thou who didst love to give men food

In a room or by the sea,
Accept this service that I do—
I do it unto Thee!
This was written many years ago
by a nineteen-year-old girl who was
in domestic service, and was read
by Dr. G. Cambell at services at
Westminster Chapel, London.

The garden is beginning to top off. Beans are boiling in the pot, lettuce is washed, onions peeled, the beets are about ready to pull and we are already tired of greens. Mrs. Wellmaker gave me some yellow squash and we will enjoy it with our beans. Zinnias are in bud and every morning gay poppies pull off their green caps and wave good morning to all who pass by. Warm summer days filled with growing and blossoming shrubs and flowers, blue skies and snowy white clouds piled into the very heavens. The hum of bees and the song of birds. As we go about the place with a hoe in our hands we are filled with joy at all the beauty and we brush the petals just to smell their wonderful fragrance. Carefully we cut the weeds from the things we have grown from the tiny seed we sowed last March and April with faith in the promise of God of seed time and harvest. But that brings to my mind that all our days are important because of the fruits they produce in the future so—O Thou Guardian of our lives, keep us from sowing fruit that will produce bitter fruit, and keep us faithful in sowing unto the Spirit. Amen.

Brother West thinks if one is active enough and lives long enough he will at least conquer the blue weeds. We know from the good fruit his life bears he has gotten rid of the weeds that man has to fight or let them wreck and ruin his life. We have known Brother West a long time and it is with pleasure we see his welcome smile and shake his hand on Sunday mornings. In early life he heeded the scripture, "In the morning sow thy seed and in the evening withhold not thine hand."

Thought for the week is from The Christian Herald and is:
Alcohol will remove all grass stains from summer clothes. It will remove summer clothes, also spring and winter clothes, not only from the man who drinks it, but also from his wife and children. It will remove household furniture from the house and also eatables from the pantry; the smile from the face of his wife, and the happiness from the home. As a remover, alcohol has no equal.

Flour chicken with some good kind of pancake flour and I think you will be pleased with the result when you eat the fried chicken.
We went to see my mother, Mrs. J. M. Witt of Lubbock and my sister, Mrs. Henry Tubbs of west of Lubbock. My sister has lived in Lubbock since she was a girl. I lived on the farm. Now I live in town and buy butter and she lives on a farm and churns butter. She was very thrilled over receiving her first cream check. She would not consent for me to show her how to milk a cow. She draws the line there and I do not blame her—as very proud when a small child that mother and father taught me how to milk, but as we had so many cows on the farm for so many years, I often wished I had not learned how.

W. M. Spears and R. C. Clem, spent a little time this past weekend on the end of a fishing line in the Crowell city lake. The two fishermen report a fair to middling catch and plenty of sunshine and wind.

South Plains News

SOUTH PLAINS, June 19—Harvest is under way in our community. Some of these who have been threshing are Bryant Higginbotham, Ivy Moore and George West.

P. M. Smitherman who underwent an operation in the Lubbock hospital is improving nicely at this time. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. H. S. Calahan, sr., and Mrs. Gilbert Bean are on our sick list this week. We wish for them a speedy recovery also.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stewart and Dean spent last Sunday in Dickens, Texas, where they attended the Stewart's reunion.

Miss Wynelle Wilhite and Kathleen McLaurey of Plainview spent last week visiting Miss Bonnie Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edzell Hutsell and Mrs. Clay Guest spent Tuesday and Tuesday night of last week visiting relatives in Brownfield. Joe Ann Dickson, a niece of the Guests, returned home with them to visit a few days.

Sunday dinner guests in the Oscar Mulder home were their grandson Don Dell Mulder of Dexter, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Arby Mulder and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McGuffey of Plainview.

Little Mike and Walt Wood of Lubbock are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wood and family.

Miss Helen Upton, Kenney and Murrey Wilhite spent Thursday of last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Garland Foster and children and Mrs. Carl Smith of Floydada, visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Calahan, jr., and Dian Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L. Stewart visited relatives in Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Billy Jackson spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upton and family.

Miss Patsy Childress of Columbus, Georgia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marble and family spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jackson and family at McCoy.

Miss Irene Bean of Dallas, visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dickson and family of Brownfield spent Sunday visiting with Rev. and Mrs. Clay Guest and family.

Mrs. Pierce King and Leora spent Monday and Tuesday of last week visiting the H. L. Marble family.

Mrs. Art Willis, Jerry and Rex attended the funeral of Jerry's aunt at Haskell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Thornton

Butane Dealers Meet in Ft. Worth

High lighting a week in which members of the butane dealers of Texas gather at Fort Worth today, Friday and Saturday will be speakers on subjects of national import discussing future plans for the industry. Problems that any dealer might run into will be discussed as problems of distribution and along those lines.

Attending the convention from Floydada will be Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Foote, of Foote Butane company and Buck Hickerson of Hickerson Butane company.

entertained with a fish fry on the lawn Monday night. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Menard Fields, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Pruitt, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. West and Mrs. Art Willis and Rex.

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Mrs. C. K. Arnold visited her son Carl in Amarillo over the week end.

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Social Events, Clubs

Billie Chowning, Joy Bunch Presented In Graduation Program

Billie Chowning and Joy Bunch were presented by their sponsor, Mrs. Pagan, in a piano recital Thursday evening, June 15, in the First Baptist church.

Rev. Earl Allen gave the invocation and the program was opened by Ted Lanham, director and stage manager, with an inspirational talk on music. He later appeared on the program in an organ solo, and played an organ part in an arrangement with two pianos by Billie Chowning and Joy Bunch.

Others assisting in the program were Miss Jean Porter in vocal solo, accompanist Billie Chowning; Myron Kattner vocal solo, accompanist Georgeann Huckabee; and Everett Powell, coronet solo, accompanist, Joy Bunch.

Joy Bunch and Billie Chowning were presented in six solos each and three piano duos.

One of the beautiful arrangements played by the students was a piano duo composed by Jean Williams, "Concert in A minor."

Diplomas were presented by Supt. I. T. Graves.

Both students took examinations in two fields of music. The "Texas applied course" and "The National Guild" of piano teachers.

Both have their names placed on the national honor roll in the fraternity of student musicians and were given gold pins for winning the honor roll, by the National Guild association.

The dedication was given by Rev. R. N. Huckabee.

Friends and classmates of the girls were ushers and flower girls.

The ushers were Misses Jane Johnson, Mary Plumlee, Peggy Collier, Joy McCravy, Sammie Schultz and Sherwyn Pyffe.

Flower girls were Misses Grace Muncy and Bettie Laminack.

Wesley Girls Class In Monthly Social

The Wesley Girls class had their monthly social in the home of Mrs. V. W. Hennessee, Wednesday, June 14.

A short business meeting was held. The minutes of the preceding year were read by Mrs. J. G. Wood and the group voted to send a CARE box overseas.

Ice cream and cake was served by the hostess, Mmes. V. W. Hennessee, V. H. Boteler, J. G. Wood and Mrs. J. B. Turner to the following: Mmes. Noel Troutman, George Stiles, W. H. Bethel, Bob Smith, Bob Henry, J. D. Colville, E. S. Randerson, Edd Johnson, George V. Smith, D. T. Mayo, E. J. Barker, R. N. Huckabee, W. E. Grimes and Wilson Kimble.

Stitch and Chatter Club Met June 14

Mrs. Lela Price was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club June 14. The afternoon was spent tacking a quilt for the hostess.

Our president, Betty Baker, presided over the business meeting. Robbie Stewart was in charge of the games. Dorothy Campbell won the prize.

Those present were Betty Barker, Laura Campbell, Lillie Mae Johnson, Jewell McCormick, Susie Mooney, Era Norrell, Robbie Stewart, Dorothy Campbell, Vivian Keeling, Dorothy Green a visitor and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Robbie Stewart, June 28. Vivian Keeling will present the game. Roll call will be answered with wise sayings. Gifts will be exchanged.

Matador Youth Choir Sing Sunday Night

The Matador Youth choir will present special music at the Methodist church on Sunday, June 25, at 7:30 p. m.

The choir has 20 members and is under the direction of Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

Miss Modena Hartsell Bride of J. R. Phillips

Miss Modena Hartsell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hartsell, of Floydada, was married to Mr. J. R. Phillips of Amarillo in Tucumcari, New Mexico, last Friday night. They were accompanied by his brother and wife from Amarillo. Mr. Phillips is associated with the Firestone company in Amarillo and the couple is at home at 1115 Jackson Street in Amarillo.

Miss Hartsell has worked in Amarillo, but more recently she worked for the Oden Chevrolet company in Floydada.

Flora Best Girls Met Friday Night

An executive meeting of Flora Best Girls was held at Pioneer Drive Inn at Plainview, Friday night June 16.

Mrs. Sam Green accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Cox of Lockney presided at this meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. B. Luce of Littlefield. After the meeting the group attended initiation ceremonies of Plainview Chapter No. 37.

The Flora Best Girls are composed of 1949-50 Conductresses of the order of the Eastern Star Coinciding with the on-coming Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Flora Best Boone of Littlefield, Texas, O. E. S. State of Texas.

Activities honoring Flora Best were laid for September, 1950 to be held with Littlefield chapter and the last week of October 1950 at Grand Chapter in Galveston.

A monthly meeting of the Flora Best Girls is scheduled.

SEW AND SO CLUB

Mrs. Pauline Webb was hostess to the Sew and So club on June 15 at 3:00 p. m.

The afternoon was spent decorating fly swats.

Mrs. Fay Dell Bradshaw, president, called the roll, and a short business meeting was held.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Alma Rose, Lorene Newberry Josephine Switzer, Betty Horton, Vera Rimmer, Letha Lightfoot, Fay Dell Bradshaw, Bill Bullock, one new member, Captola Davis and a visitor, Mrs. Henry Thompson.

Boyce House "Gives You Texas"

I was the young editor of a weekly paper in a small town. Being a stranger, I wanted to become acquainted and as possible. Most of the people showed a friendly spirit but there was one fellow who seemed to be a natural grouch and he was downright rude.

Finally I got tired of it and one day while a bunch of us were waiting in the postoffice for the mail to be put up, I asked each man his opinion on a subject that is each man but the killjoy. He said, "You didn't ask me for my opinion. I snapped, "No because nobody gives a darn what it is!"

His face lighted in a broad grin; he stuck out his hand and said, "Shake! I didn't think you had it in you."

And he became one of my best friends.

Howard Peak in his book, "A Ranger of Commerce," (Naylor Company, San Antonio) said a traveling man told this story:

"I was stopping at a boarding house and, in the evening, while out on the stoop smoking, I heard a little boy in an adjoining room crying to the accompaniment of a descending slipper. I eased to the open window and, looking into the room, saw the mother with a small boy across her lap, administering a pretty warm chastisement. Nearby was a baby in the throes of laughter. I heard the boy cry out: What are

you whippin' me for mother? I aint done nothin'!" The mother answered, "I know it, sonny but the baby has got to be amused."

A while back, your columnist interviewed an old-timer and then I was talking to a mutual friend and remarked, "he is 79 years old and his mind is as clear as mine." My friend said, "Yes at least that clear."

Mark Twain declared, when in doubt, tell the truth as it will confuse your enemies and amaze your friends.

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Conquering Ills Of Age Aim of Medical Study

Washington, D. C.—The more diseases medicine conquers, the higher looms the challenge: increasing numbers of aging people, with their own peculiar ills. On most of these ills research has been scanty, says Pathfinder news magazine.

But current developments reveal an increasing emphasis on gerontology (the scientific study of aging) and geriatrics (the medical treatment of the diseases of age). The three-year-old Gerontological Society surveyed some of its problems at a recent meeting.

Shock Of Old Age

Most students of the subject think that aging is considered more of a tragedy in our competitive society than it was in past ages—far more so than in China, where old age is considered the best time of life, and individuals are taught to regard the old with special respect and affection.

By contrast, in the West, especially American, the realization that old age has arrived is "perhaps the most profound shock of our life-span, next to dying," Dr. Martin



gumpert, who made this statement, thinks that the old should be persuaded to accept the fact calmly, give up illusions of staying young. Their best psychological allies, he thinks, are intellectual curiosity and absence of worry about security.

Anti-Aging Drugs

Although laboratory study of old-age diseases still is not widespread, some advances have been made. In particular, degenerative conditions like arteriosclerosis and coronary thrombosis have been treated experimentally with two recently re-discovered drugs, inositol and choline. Both are thought to be part of the potent but still mysterious vitamin B complex.

Choline first made its way into chemical literature about 80 years ago. The form now under test is choline bisphosphate, a bad-tasting syrup found in its natural form in egg yolk, animal hearts and kidneys, wheat germ and nuts. Inositol was discovered even earlier about 100 years ago.

None of the dozen or so hospital laboratories working with these drugs has released definite conclusions, but some may do so soon. In a recent Los Angeles test, 100 patients with coronary blood clots were treated with choline. Another group of 100 "controls" were given conventional treatment to enlarge constricted blood vessels. After 18 months, almost half of the control group had died. Only 4 per cent of those given choline died—none after the first month.

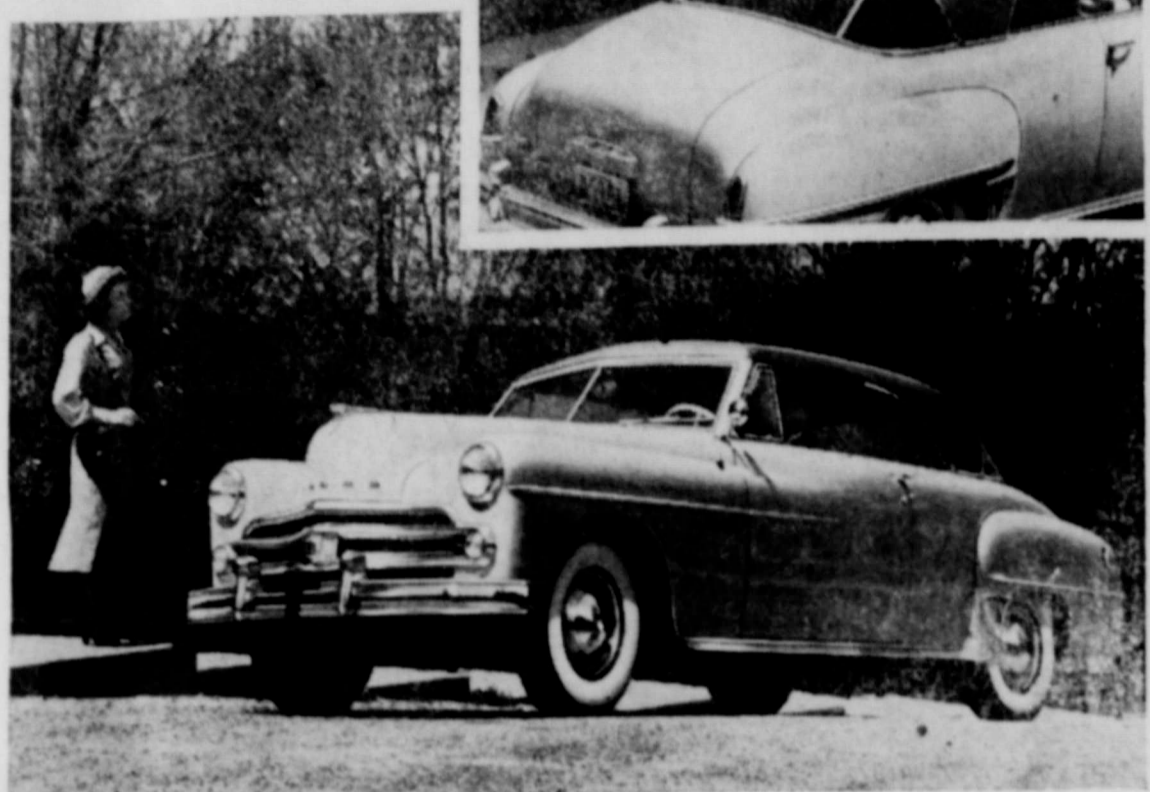
At Texas University, Dr. George Hermann is treating some coronary

NEW INSTRUMENT AID FARMER

FORD TRACTORS now coming off the assembly lines at the Ford Highland Park, Michigan, Plant are equipped with the new Proof-Meter, an instrument which "takes the guesswork out of tractor operation." Actually five instruments in one, the Proof-Meter shows engine speed, tractor speed, power take-off speed, belt pulley speed and total hours worked by the tractor. The farmer in the picture is recording hours of tractor operation for use in determining his farming costs. In the lower right hand corner is an enlarged close-up of the Proof-Meter, which Dearborn Motors officials say is the first instrument of its kind to be made available on a farm tractor.

DODGE INTRODUCES NEW DIPLOMAT

Sweep-around rear window and new roof contour lend fresh styling treatment to new Dodge Diplomat as seen from side-rear view at right.



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Planned Care Brood Sow Yields Profits

By W. Earl Edwards, Jr.

Planned care and management of the brood sow and young pigs is the basis of profitable hog production, according to W. M. Warren, Professor of Animal Husbandry at Texas A. & M. University. Warren says the time to start raising a litter is 100 days before the sow is bred. Warren says Warren. Before the sow is bred she should be in good breeding condition, not too fat or too thin. Sows should be fed a well balanced ration during the gestation period. It is important not to overfeed the sow during this period. In a single litter, Warren believes, a sow should produce 10 to 12 piglets. The condition at the beginning of the breeding should be fed to the sow so that she will produce 75 to 80 pounds by farrowing.

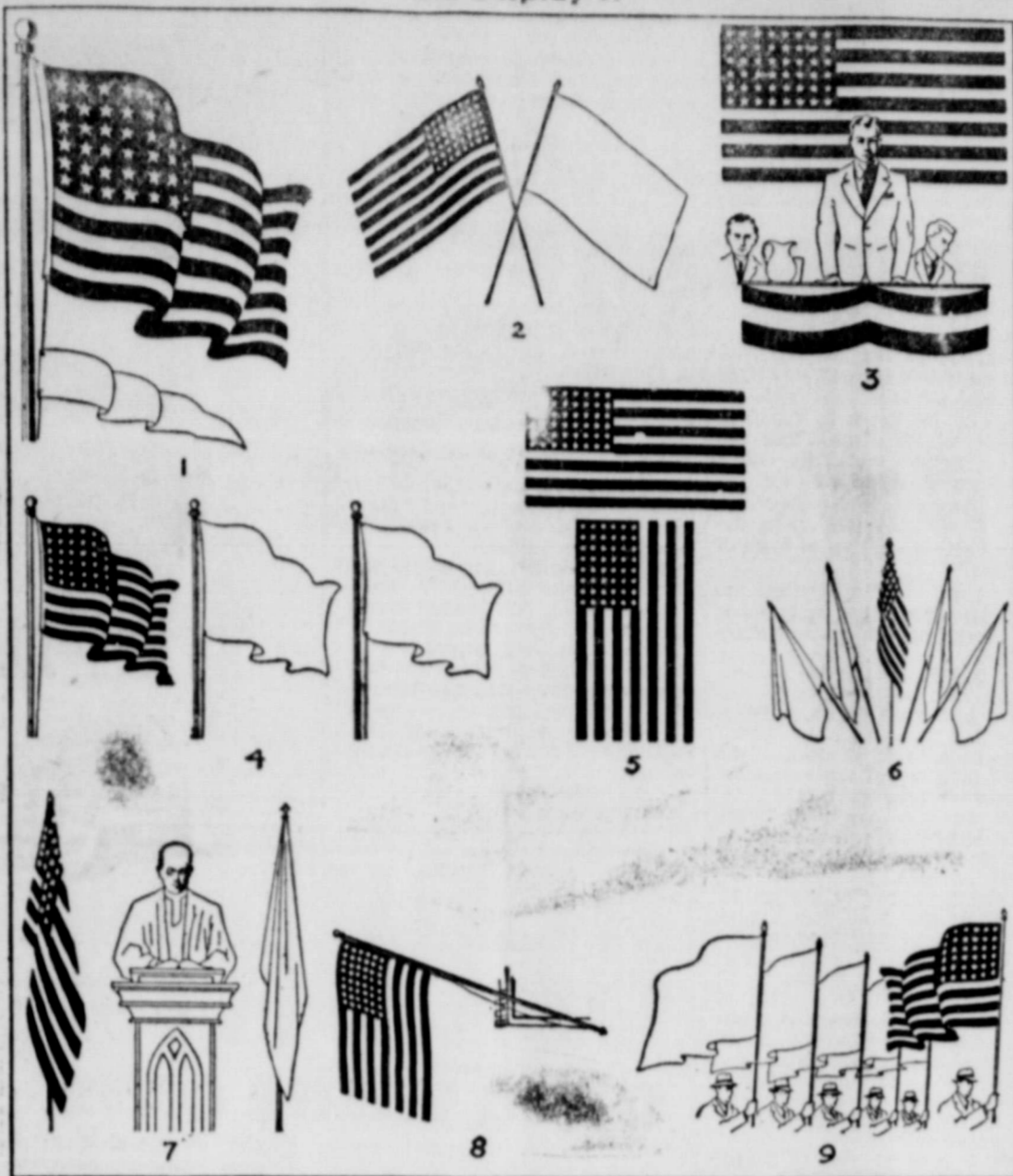
Warren listed the following items as essential to a well rounded, balanced swine program:

- 1—Plenty of clean fresh water and the supply of water readily available.
- 2—An ample supply of salt fed through a self feeder, free choice.
- 3—Add calcium and phosphorus to the ration if there is a deficiency of these elements in the feed where the sow's feed was raised.
- 4—Assure an abundance of exercise during the gestation period.
- 5—Sows may be forced to exercise by being at a point removed from the sow's sleeping quarters.

Care of the sow at farrowing time is very important. The sow should be separated from the rest of the herd at least three days before she is to farrow. Best results have been obtained with individual farrowing houses provided with a guard rail to protect the pigs. These houses may be constructed from most any heavy plank. However, Warren says that the best ones are made by fastening 2" x 8" planks about six to eight inches above the floor of the shed like shelves. These shelves should be around the back and sides of the shed.

Careful attention to some of the small details dealing with sows and pigs, according to Warren, may mean the difference between success and failure of the swine enterprise.

The Flag of the United States of America—How to Respect and Display It



- 1—When flags of states or cities or pennants of societies are flown on the same halyard with the flag of the United States of America, the latter should always be at the peak. When flown from adjacent staffs the flag of the United States should be hoisted first and lowered last.
- 2—When displayed with another flag against a wall from crossed staffs, the flag of the United States should be on the right (the flag's own right), and its staff should be in front of the staff of the other flag.
- 3—When used on a speaker's platform, whether indoors or out, the flag should never be reduced to the role of a mere decoration by being tied into knots or draped over the stand. For this purpose bunting should be used. The flag, if displayed, should be either on a staff or secured to the wall or back curtain behind the speaker with the union to the flag's right.
- 4—When flags of two or more nations are displayed together they should be flown from separate staffs of the same height and the flags should be of approximately equal size.
- 5—When the flag is displayed in a manner other than by being flown from a staff, it should be displayed flat, whether indoors or out. When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be uppermost and to the flag's own right, that is, to the observer's left.
- 6—Whenever a number of flags of states or cities or pennants of societies are to be arranged in a group and displayed from staffs with the flag of the United States the latter should be placed at the center of that group and on a staff slightly higher than any of the others.
- 7—When the flag is displayed in the body of the church, it should be from a staff placed in the position of honor at the congregation's right as they face the clergyman. The service flag, the state flag or other flag should be at the left of the congregation. If in the chancel or on the platform, the flag of the United States should be placed on the clergyman's right as he faces the congregation and the other flags at his left.
- 8—When the flag is displayed from a staff projecting horizontally or at an angle from the window sill, balcony or front of a building, the union of the flag should go to the peak of the staff (unless the flag is to be displayed at half-staff).
- 9—Whenever the flag of the United States is carried in a procession in company with other flags, it should occupy a position in front of the center of the line of flags or on the right of the marching line.

Boyce House "Gives You Texas"

The most remarkable court in the history of the United States was the one that sat in Fort Smith, Ark., back in the days before there was a State of Oklahoma. The federal court had jurisdiction over Indian Territory and there was a period of 14 years when there was no appeal from its decisions. The judge was Isaac C. Parker, appointed in 1875, who served for 21 years. He became famous as "the hanging judge."

Twice during those 21 years, six men were hanged at one time, probably a record in America. And three times five men were executed at one time. In all 88 men were executed after having been tried and convicted before Judge Parker.

Hangings were witnessed by large crowds, sometimes thousands of people, many of whom came from a great distance and camped near the gallows the night before so they would be sure of a good, close-up view.

Although the court was in Arkansas, it had no jurisdiction over crimes committed in that State-only in Indian Territory, the No-Man's Land where outlaws and fugitives abounded. Judge Parker tried 9,500 men who were convicted and the court was known as "the Gates of Hell". Sixty-five United States marshals were killed in line of duty in Indian Territory during the 21 years that Judge Parker was on the bench.

In passing sentence of death the judge usually delivered a scathing denunciation of the prisoner.

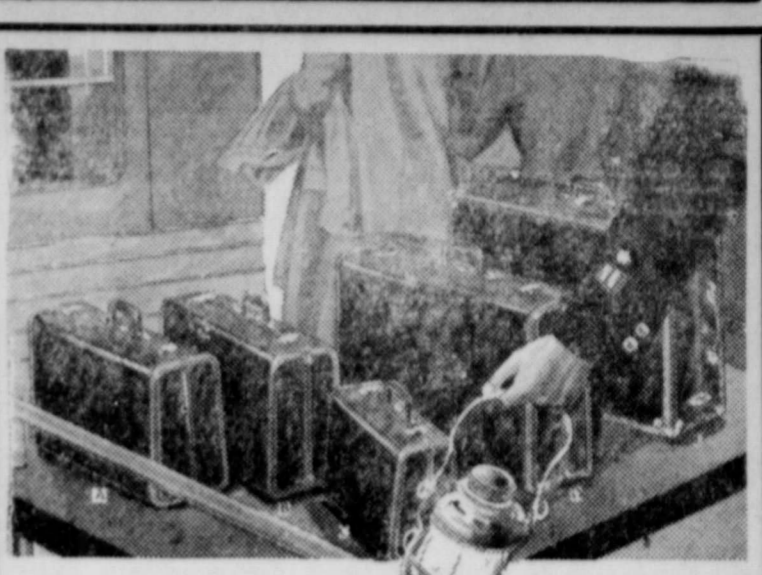
There was one defendant so bold as to interrupt Judge Parker and denounce him in the courtroom. That man was Henry Starr, the notorious bank and train robber. He was accused of killing a man, which he admitted but claimed it was his life or the other man's. Starr was convicted and when Judge Parker began a scorching lecture, the prisoner broke in: "Don't try to stare me down, old Nero; I've looked many a better man than you in the eye. If I am a monster, you are a fiend, for I have put only one man to death, while you have slaughtered scores."

Judge Parker, without more discussion, pronounced sentence. However, the new judge permitted a plea of guilty to manslaughter and a prison term was imposed. Starr served more than half of the sentence and then was pardoned.

Strict and stern though the "hang judge" was, he felt that he was only doing his duty that only through the greatest severity could crime be repressed. Within a short time after he left the bench, Judge Parker died.

Cigarette manufacture will probably continue high during 1950, says the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. U. S. consumption leveled off during the last half of 1949, but in the first quarter of 1950 it ran almost 3 percent higher than the record first quarter of 1949. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, the Bureau expects a total cigarette manufacture of about 385 billion compared with 390 billion the last fiscal year. But the decrease is more than accounted for by smaller exports. Domestic consumption will probably be near 355 billion—3 billion higher than in 1948-49, and a new fiscal year record.

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If war with Russia comes, could you and your family survive? Or can A-bombs, guided missiles, germ warfare, and gas wipe out whole American cities and towns? The Army General Staff aided by scientists, has calculated that bombing casualties for any of our thirty-seven largest cities would be less than four percent, and that an adequate civil defense program should reduce them to less than one percent, according to Donald E. Key. He gives the latest reliable information on each kind of weapon and the panic and unpreparedness. Here are the General Staff estimates of the destruction in life and property, confirmed by atomic bomb tests: More than ninety-percent of the people would be unharmed. Eighty-two percent of buildings would still stand. Sixty-six percent of the city areas would be undamaged. Present civil-defense plans would probably save ninety-nine percent of city dwellers in such an A-bomb attack. Also in a real attack, placing thirty-seven bombs on any city would be no easy matter. It would require at least fifty-five A-bombs. The most conservative authority would tell you that Russia could have a few A-bombs, if any.

There are two real dangers now. First, panic; if war comes, enemy planes may try to stampede city dwellers with rumors of A-bomb attacks. Second, unpreparedness. We are working on a 5,000-mile guided missile. Some of our experts say it will take twenty-five years; with all-out project we might do it in ten or less. Expert opinion is that we are far ahead of Russia, with a planned defense against enemy rockets.

German warfare is a more realistic threat, but the dangers of nationwide epidemic caused by thousands of germ saboteurs have been exaggerated. Disease foci might be established at several separated points from which it might spread rapidly. But public health services are believed competent to check such a spread, with a nation-wide program for quarantine and inoculation.

Should our water-supply systems become polluted, there is a simple remedy: Boil all drinking water.

"A complete surprise air raid attack on our chief cities is almost impossible. Our State Department, Central Intelligence, and the FBI would almost certainly see signs of impending attack at least a few days ahead. It is believed that American cities would have some warning, probably several hours."

"At this writing, no one can more than guess how many bombers might attack us. The odds are for an all-out strike at American bases and cities. If 3000 bombers came over at least 200 enemy planes would probably get close to their targets, many close enough for accurate hits."

"Would the Reds try to gas our cities? Defense planners do not deny that some gas may be used, for panic effect, but there are indications that top planners do not expect gas attacks."

"If we escape war for some time, will our security end utterly when Russia has the A-bomb? There are three ways for Russia to try an attack, once she has the bomb. A few bombs might be smuggled into the country to wreck some highly important target, but the disadvantages weigh against it. However, America will have to guard its borders to eliminate even that small chance."

"The second way to use the A-bomb is to create an atomic cloud, by exploding a bomb in water. Careful patrol and floodlighting of the waterfront areas would make it difficult to plant such a time-bomb."

"So far, there is no solution to the trick of hiding a bomb in a freighter or passenger ship. Until there is some device to reveal a hidden bomb, or plutonium charge, all ships may have to be held in quarantine until they and their cargo have been thoroughly searched."

"The combination of all factors, however, leads some military planners to believe the aerial burst would be most favored by an enemy. You can safely discount any fear of a superbomb big enough to wipe out a large city. According to a report of the Research and Development Section, Army General Staff, a limitation is soon reached where two smaller bombs are more desirable and efficient than one larger bomb."

"We can expect some bombs to

hit city targets, but our long-range civil defense program, if carried out should hold casualties to a fraction of one per cent. This program includes:

1. Gradual dispersal of vital industries and key Government offices, with a trend to reduce large cities.
2. Building of deep shelters where hills and parks make such construction possible without excessive cost. Creation of firebreaks where possible.
3. Blast-resistant building constructions.
4. Dispersal of many hospitals, fire-fighting and rescue services to suburbs or fringe areas of large cities.
5. Organization of all the people for civil defense."

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Lyons Assistant Coach at Lockney

LOCKNEY—Elvin Lyons was elected assistant football coach of Lockney High school at a meeting of the board of trustees Thursday night of last week. Lyons has an M. S. degree from Sam Houston State Teachers college at Huntsville, and will teach biology in the local school.

Lyons is a graduate of Olton High school where he played football three years. He played three years as a guard and tackle at West Texas State College, Canyon and also played three years of football on service teams during his war service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes of Dallas are here this week looking over their farm properties and the wheat harvest and visiting old friends. They formally were Floydada residents.

Lakeview Club Meets

Lakeview Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Farris Wheeler, June 1.

Roll called was answered and business was attended.

The Lakeview 4-H girls gave a program "4-H motto and pledge," a short play on sewing. The group sang a few songs. Mrs. Shearer, sang leader, talked about 4-H work.

Girls taking part were Betty Sue Thornton, Patsy Johnson, Nellie Ruth Neff, Jaunice Shearer, Anella Thurston and a visitor Alice Lafta. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Roberta Russell, Pauline Wright, Evelyn Johnson, Evelyn Gough, Alta Thurston, Opal Estep, Inez Nichols, Elizabeth Shearer, Ona Ruth Neff, the 4-H girls, a group of children and the hostess, Mrs. F. Wheeler.

The club will meet June 15, in the home of Mrs. Leo Dunford.

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VETERANS' Vocational News

Glenn Jarnagin has been selected as the outstanding G. I. conservation farmer of Floyd county for this year, said N. S. Abbott, coordinator of Floyd County Vocational school. This is part of a state wide program sponsored by the United States in the Department of Texas which recognizes the outstanding G. I. conservation farmer of each Soil Conservation district, each region, and the one outstanding G. I. farmer in the state of Texas.

Selection was made on the basis of: proper land use, effective conservation practices applied for protection and improving the soil, and results obtained from maintaining a conservation farming program. Glenn signed an agreement with the Floyd County Soil Conservation district February, 1948, with the assistance of Ralph R. Cogdell, Soil Conservation Service farm planner. His major problem was wind erosion on some 35 acres which is to be seeded to dryland grasses.

Glenn has an extensive farm and home program planned as a part of his training in the Floyd County Vocational school. This program includes: improvements around the farmstead, a swine enterprise of several sows, a small flock of sheep, a poultry flock of 300 laying hens, fruit, vegetables, and milk for home use, Abbott said.

"I am getting information in the Floyd County Vocational school that I could not get anywhere else. I think the school is fine for the boys," said Glenn.

F. M. DOUGHERTY AND GUESTS ENJOY STEAK FRY AT POOL'S

On Thursday evening June 15, in the beautiful flower garden and back yard of the W. S. Poole home in Dougherty, Frank Dougherty of Sulphur, Okla., entertained with a steak fry. Those present for this occasion were his sister, Mrs. Nevelle Stephens and Mr. Stephens of Tucson, Arizona, Tom Boyd of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Caffee and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole.

Kenneth Tubbs, son of Arthur Tubbs, a former resident of Floyd county who has been visiting his uncle Judge Tubbs and Mrs. Tubbs and other relatives, left for his home in China Lake, California, yesterday. Kenneth has been in the navy for 4 years and is being transferred from Cherry Point, North Carolina to China Lake base, California. His parents live in China Lake and he is very happy over the transfer. Kenneth is a pharmacist in the navy.

Mrs. W. A. Shaw who was operated on for gall bladder removal in the Lutbock Memorial hospital Monday is reported as progressing nicely toward recovery. Her daughter, Mrs. Glee Thomas, and granddaughter Beverly Thomas, Mr. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Shaw of Floydada and her daughter Mrs. John Austin of Lutbock have been in attendance at her bedside during the week.

Miss Wilma Deen and friend Miss Bernice Henry and Miss Deen's niece Pat Boothe, all of Albuquerque New Mexico, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Deen.

Deeds Recorded

Mrs. Mattie J. Griffith to Clary Muncy, all of lots No. 7 and 8, in Block No. 8, in Walling addition to town of Lockney.

Mrs. E. B. Rucker to F. Earl Baker, being lot No. 11, in Block No. 103, in original town of Floydada.

William D. Laceywell to Floyd Thomas Terrell, 100 acres of land out of the southwest part of Survey No. 15, in Block N.

Weldon F. Dodson to James A. Newman, being the south 1/2 of lots Nos. 14, 15 and 16, in original town of Lockney.

Fred W. Webb to Newell F. Parker, lot No. 22, in Block G, in Andrews addition in town of Floydada.

George E. Goodgoin to David L. Campbell, lot No. 6, in Block No. C, of the Bowers and Price addition of town of Floydada.

G. G. Glover to Enos T. Jones, lot No. 5, in Block No. 2, in the Bartley Heights addition of town of Floydada.

M. D. Lynn to W. H. Hopson, all that certain lots No. 5, 6, 7 and 8, all in Block No. 1, in town of Floydada.

Maud E. Hollums to Silas Duncan Hollums, being 80 by 140 feet of land out of Survey No. 92, in Block No. 1.

J. S. Hale to D. S. Battey, 45 acres of land out of the northwest of Survey No. 5, in Block H.

Alvin Hamm to Frank S. Webb, the east 1/2 of lot 9, and the west 1/2 of lot No. 11, in Block No. H, of Andrews addition.

Norman L. Jones to Emory H. Cox, all of lots Nos. 7 and 8 in Block No. C, of the Bowers and Price addition of town of Floydada.

H. E. Blender to J. W. Carter, all of lots No. 4 and 5, in south 1/2 of lot No. 3, being the same of south 1/2 feet of No. 3, in Block No. 34, in the original town of Lockney.

Roy D. Baccus to Aubria J. Kent, all of lots No. 4, 5, 6, and 7 in Block No. 6, Brewster addition of town of Lockney.

N. L. Jones to Thomas H. Jones, all of lot 9, in Block No. 9, Bowers and Price addition of town of Floydada.

L. B. Smith to H. F. McClelland, lots No. 17 and 18, in Block No. 4, in Walling addition to town of Lockney.

Jessie Henson to Herschel Green, 633 acres of land, being all of Survey No. 72, in Block No. 1.

B. R. Carthel to Southwestern Public Service Company, all of the 1/2 of Survey No. 59, in Block D-5.

Cleo S. Crawford to Opal Snodgrass, all that certain tract of parcel of land out of Survey No. 59, in Block D-3.

Frank J. Boerner to P. H. Tullis, 640 acres of land, being all of Survey No. 4, of the W. L. Boerner Original Grantee.

Ted Boedeker to County of Floyd, 2 43/100 acres of land, being a strip 40 feet wide across the north west 1/4 of Section No. 104, in Block D-2.

Floyd T. Harmon to County of Floyd, 38 1/100 acres of land, being a strip 40 feet wide across the north west 1/4 of Section of 106, in Block D-2.

T. J. Honea to County of Floyd, 2 40/100 acres of land being 1/4 of section No. 14, in Block C-9.

M. S. Johnson to County of Floyd, 4 3/100 acres of land being the south side of Section No. 6, in Block C-9.

S. R. Jones to County of Floyd, 24 3/100 acres of land being north

east 1/4 of section No. 105, in Block D-2.

D. B. Mathis to County of Floyd, 2 43/100 acres of land, being north 1/4 of Section 105, in Block D-2.

A. L. Moore to County of Floyd, 2 43/100 acres of land, being north east 1/4 of section No. 109, in Block D-2.

R. J. McLaughlin to County of Floyd, 3 05/100 acres of land being south of the southeast 1/4 of Section No. 123, in Block D-2.

Harold McLaughlin to County of Floyd, 2 43/100 acres of land, being the south west 1/4 of Section No. 123, in Block D-2.

R. C. Phillips to County of Floyd, 1 87/100 acres of land, being the north east 1/4 of Section No. 104, in Block D-2.

VACATION TRIP INTO OZARK LAND BY THE MUENCH FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Muench and children, Butch, Pete and Mary have returned from a two weeks vacation trip through the Ozarks in Missouri, where they visited Mr. Muench's sister Mrs. C. V. Winfrey and family and brother Ernest Boedeker of Higginsville, Missouri.

While away they attended the Golden wedding anniversary of Mrs. Muench's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bartlett of Bethany, Missouri. All the children of Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett were present for the homecoming.

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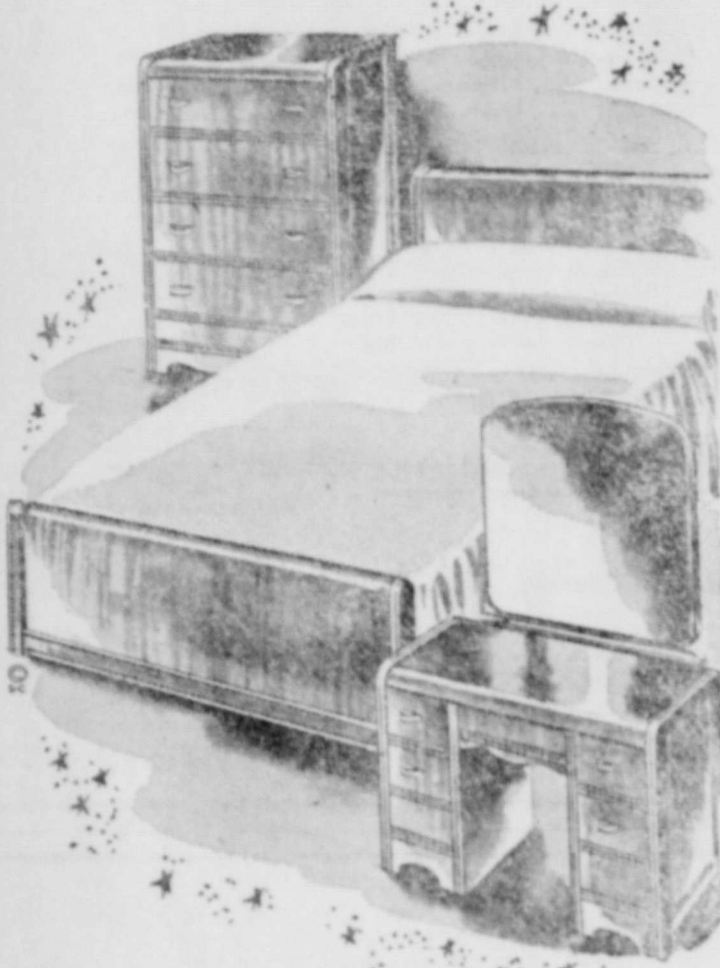
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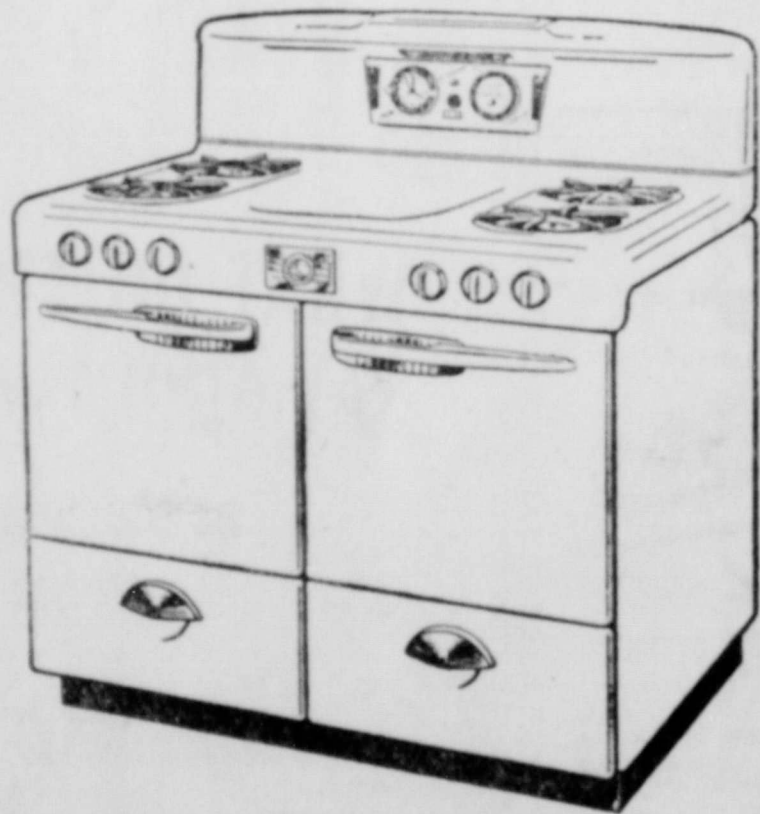
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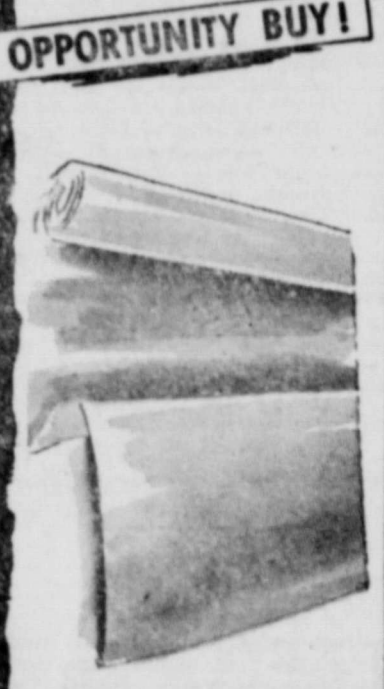
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FOR SALE—46 Dodge 1/2 ton pickup. Excellent condition. 1939 Zephyr with 1947 Ford motor, radio, heater, overdrive and good tires. See Shirley Irwin. 12 miles North East Floydada. 181tc.

FOR SALE—15-foot Farmcrest complete cut about 500 acres. On air-tires, good shape, ready to go. Located 1 mi. west, 1 mi. north of Muncy Elevator. Call J. H. Lockney, or see Paul 193tc.

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FOR SALE—Extra fancy sweet Sultan, re-cleaned and in new sacks, 1/2 miles east of Floydada. Glen Benjamin. 141tc.

FOR SALE—1947 Salisbury motor car. See Jack Cantrell, at Hesperian. 511tc.

FOR SALE—1/2, 3/4, 1 1/2 and 2 ton trucks in stock. Mayo Motor Co. 371tc.

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FOR RENT—Bedroom. 102 E. Jeffie. Phone 469W. 202tp.

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FOR RENT—Furnished house, 3 rooms and bath. 320 South Main. Phone 44. 211tp.

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FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment. 513 1/2 North Third. 211tc.

FOR RENT—Two apartments. See Mrs. Green at 129 W. Georgia. 21 2tp.

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Mission School at Texas Tech July 31-Aug. 4

The Northwest Texas conference Women's society of Christian service of the Methodist church is planning its first conference-wide school of missions to be held at Texas Tech at Lubbock July 31 through August 4. The purpose of the school is to bring to the women of the conference in a condensed form information concerning the program of the society for the year. Clinics will be held each day under the direction of the corresponding conference officer in the following lines of work; President, Secretaries of missionary education and service, christian social relations, missionary personnel, literature and publications, spiritual life, student work, and Wesleyan service guild.

Mrs. T. W. Whigham, Conference Secretary of missionary education has been elected dean of the school. Emphasis is being placed on the courses of study to be presented during the year and each member of the school will be allowed to take one study and receive credit on it.

Membership is open to any member of the women's society of Wesleyan service guild, but anyone desiring to attend is urged to register immediately by writing Mrs. C. C. Coffee 3419 21st st., Lubbock and sending the \$3.00 enrollment fee. A few dormitory rooms are yet available and persons registering should indicate if they desire a reservation.

Local and district officers are especially urged to attend.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB REPORT

The Friendship Home Demonstration club met June 6, in the home of Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

Mrs. Lee Rushing had charge of the recreation for the meeting.

The club voted to pay \$4.00 on 4-H scholarship for district 2. Mrs. W. H. Bethel gave an interesting council report.

Mrs. Stiles and Mrs. F. O. Conner gave a demonstration on finishing garments.

Members present were Mrs. W. E. Grimes, Mrs. J. W. Buchanan, Mrs. A. H. Kreis, Mrs. Lee Rushing, Mrs. George Stiles, Mrs. F. O. Conner, one visitor, Mrs. Smith, a sister of Mrs. George Stiles and the hostess, Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

INTERNSHIP AT ST. LOUIS

Dr. Randolph Rutledge, who received his degree at Tulane university, New Orleans, June 3, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge for the past ten days. He will leave Monday for Saint Louis, Missouri for his internship at the City General hospital there.

POPE IN HOSPITAL AGAIN

H. O. Pope who has been seriously ill for the past few months was removed from his home to the Floydada hospital and Wednesday morning he was reported as being improved and resting easier.

We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends who have been so wonderful to us, during the time we needed them most. Especially do we appreciate the lovely flowers, gifts, and cards that has helped make Jerry's recovery seem shorter. May God bless each of you for your kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Batley, Alvin Lee and Jerry.

Planning Northwest Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Stephens and daughter, and Bill Stephens leave the first of next week for Portland, Oregon where they will be guests for several days of their sisters, Mrs. G. W. Brown and Miss Bobby Stephens.

They will close Curley's Cafe for the period of their absence. Other members of the working force also are planning vacation trips while the cafe is closed.

Lavane Kincheloe, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kincheloe received his degree in civil engineering at Tech in June and he and Mrs. Kincheloe have moved to San Antonio, where he has accepted work with the Barnett Iron Works. Lavane was recently elected president of the Texas Civil Engineers society in San Angelo.

Mrs. W. A. Lovell returned Wednesday from Richmond, California, where she has been visiting in the home of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovell. On her return trip, Mrs. Lovell was accompanied by her granddaughter, Carolyn Jean age seven, who will spend the summer here. Margaret Lovell is spending the summer in Richmond, and San Diego, California.

Mrs. R. L. Nichols had as her guests last Friday her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bill Tidwell of Bonham and a friend Mrs. Billy Barnes of Lubbock.

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4-H CLUB GIRLS GIVE MOST OF PLEASANT VALLEY PROGRAM

Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Roy Wilkes, June 13, with 4-H girls giving most of the program.

Mrs. Lynn Miller, Joyce Pope, Beuna Holmes and Naomi Allen gave a playlet on sewing tips. Eva Dee Pope, Katie Rae Rucker, Eddie Lynn Hammonds, Joan Huckabay, Oall Rucker and Barbara Huckabay gave the 4-H creed. Mrs. Lee Pope read an article on 4-H work and the meeting was dismissed with the 4-H prayer.

Refreshments were served to Misses R. C. Chester, Rhea Mit-

chell, L. K. Sherman, Clark Harris, Lee Pope, A. M. Dorsey, Bill Glover, Vernon Gross, Edwin Hammonds, the 4-H girls and the hostess.

The next meeting will be June 27, in the home of Mrs. Sherman.

Mrs. C. W. Riley, of Harlingen, Texas, who had been guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Thurmon for several days, left on her return home Sunday. Her son Thurmon, who accompanied his mother to Floydada remained to spend the summer with his grandparents.

An expeditionary force is troops sent from their home country to operate in foreign territory.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to The Honorable Mayor and City Council of Floydada, Texas will be received at the office of City Secretary at Floydada, Texas until 2 P. M. on July 7 1950, for the furnishing of materials for thirty four (34) Mercury Vapor Street Lighting Units as per specifications.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, the Owner reserves the right to consider the most

advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. Unreasonable (or "Unbalanced") unit prices will authorize the owner to reject any bid.

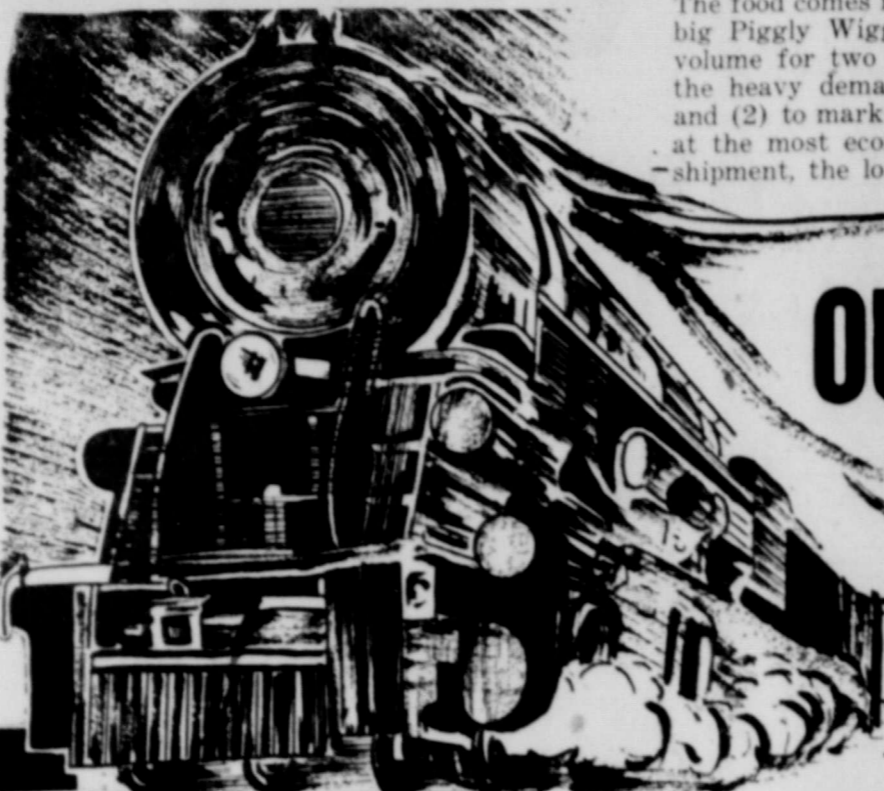
Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file at the office of the City Secretary, Floydada, Texas.

City Of Floydada, Texas
By: F. C. Harmon (signed)
F. C. Harmon, Mayor

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Holmes and daughter of Amarillo are visiting his father S. L. Holmes Sr. and family and other relatives. Mrs. Holmes will be remembered as Manrine Hart of Floydada.

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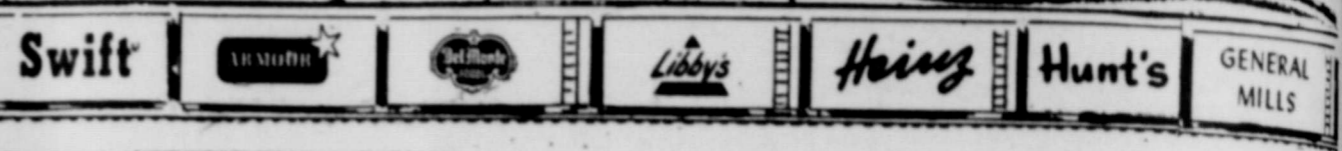
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Check Cooker Before Using for Canning

COLLEGE STATION, June—It's the time of the year. The season for many homemakers will be the pressure cooker and the bath canner to preserve the fruits and vegetables that have been produced in the home orchard and garden. Before the canning equipment is put to use, Louise M. extension foods and nutrition specialist of Texas A. & M. college, says it should all be checked to make sure everything is working properly.

The pressure cooker should be checked in hot soapy water and rinsed well. She says the lid of the cooker should not be immersed in water because the water will likely ruin the face of the pressure gauge. Check the pressure gauge for accuracy with a master tester. Using an inaccurate gauge will mean either over or under processed products, she adds.

Water or food should never be put in the cooker. Aluminum is a gross metal and absorbs flavors and odors. She points out that a pressure cooker should never be used until the safety valve has been checked and cleaned. Serious accidents can result from stuck safety valves. All parts of the valves should be kept shining and clean. If the spring on the safety valve is weak, replace it with a new spring. They are inexpensive.

The products to be canned should be fresh and of good quality. The finished product will be no better than what you started with, she says. The product should be canned so soon as they are gathered for to reduce food values. She recommends the pack raw and steam method is described in detail in "Can Vegetables in a Pressure Canner," this bulletin can be obtained from your local county home demonstration agent. Remember all nonacid vegetables should be processed in a pressure canner. She says it is best to can about what the family will consume between the growing seasons. This will vary with families and individuals but here is a suggestion; one quart of green and yellow vegetables along with the same number of quarts of other vegetables plus additional five quarts of pickles and relishes for each member of the family.

The canned products should be stored in a clean, cool, dark and dry place. She points out here that the food values of canned products tend to decline in storage and this is particularly true when the storage conditions are not good. She says small quantities of vegetables may be canned in a pressure sauce pan so that you can get information on how to do this from your local county home demonstration agent as well as any other information that you might need on home canning.

Community Party

A review is to have a community party Friday night at the school house in the form of a weiner roast. Everybody come and bring enough weiners for your family. Everybody in the community is cordially invited to come and bring your family.

Ralph E. Green, father of Mrs. D. W. Douglas, will leave next week for Litchfield, Illinois, his former home to spend the summer. While away he will visit with his sons at their homes in West Virginia and Indiana.

Mrs. Wilson Kimble left last week for Fort Worth to visit relatives. She was accompanied by Mrs. Glen Johnson and children who will visit her mother, Mrs. A. R. Beedy and family for two weeks.

R. Lee Osborn of Oklahoma City is in Floydada and Dougherty looking after the wheat harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Collins of Clovis, New Mexico visited his sister Mrs. Ruth Collins and brother T. P. Collins this past week end.



SEATOR MORRIS with s. e. cut Senator G. C. Morris, of Hunt county, one of the leading candidates for lieutenant governor of the State of Texas, was in Floydada last week-end on a swing through the high plains country seeking votes and support for his candidacy.

The senator has an outstanding record as a legislator for several years.

Floyd County 14 Years Ago

Mrs. George Smith was named county chairman of highway beautification by the district chairman, Mrs. Gerald Walton of Lobbock. Mrs. Smith is also president of the Floydada Garden club. Landscape artists of the State Highway department will take care of trees and shrubs after the local committees have made their plans and set out their greenery.

Homes to be judged the week in August in the centennial homes contest, sponsored by the three study clubs of the city was announced last week. Awards will be made in three divisions for homes in Floydada, over 250 entries. Many examples of beautification are noted in trip over the city.

Town is flag decked to greet crowds, Saturday for July 4th celebration in this section with open store, polo, baseball, candidate speaking, water fights is scheduled. Lamesa polo team will play Plainview polo team. Senator G. H. Nelson of Tahoka who is a candidate for senator will be principal speaker at the ceremony which will formally open Highway 28 east, a part of the festivities planned for the July 4 celebration.

Miss Oleta Jackson visited in Commerce with Miss Genna Mae Owens and will also visit the centennial while away.

J. M. Wilson, who as governor of the forty-first district of Rotary international, last week attended the convention of the organization held in Atlantic City, and also looked in on the Democratic convention in progress in Philadelphia and visited in Washington with Congressman George Mahon of the Nineteenth district.

News Writers of the Hesperian and the staff and office force were entertained last Friday night at the offices of the Hesperian a tour of the print shop and each guest was given a hot slug from the Linotype machine bearing his or her name. Ice cream and cake was served and the guest were taken to the picture show to see Shirley Temple in "Captain January". Those present were C. A. Cass, R. L. Gibson, Mrs. C. A. Caffee, Mrs. Will Willis, Mrs. R. C. Bird, Mrs. A. B. Muncy, Mrs. J. J. Spikes, Mrs. W. B. Jordan, Misses Jimmie Poore, Juainta Rushing and Ada Foster. Due to the busy season of the year, only a part of the staff were able to attend.

New Grand Daughter

Judge and Mrs. Kenneth Bain are all smiles this week. They have a brand new grand-daughter living in Breckenridge with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Rushing. Mrs. Bain is visiting with the Rushings for a few days.

Hi-Hegari, New Variety Makes Bundle Feed

COLLEGE STATION, June—Seed of a new variety named Hi-Hegari has been released to certified seed growers for increases, R. E. Karper, agronomist in charge of Texas Agricultural Experiment Station grain sorghum investigation, has announced.

It is a tall variety of Hegari bred and developed primarily for forage and silage.

Karper says it has the high quality and palatable forage of Hegari and the same maturity and adaptation, but yields approximately 20 percent more forage.

The first grain sorghums were tall and late maturing, Hegari, one of the more popular, was imported from Africa in 1909 and was first grown at the Chillicothe station. In 1938 Texas sorghum breeders came up with Early Hegari, a dwarf, drought resistant, early maturing type which is still the principal variety of Hegari.

The labor shortage during World War II the demand for grain and the development of the double dwarf grain sorghums brought the combines into the sorghum fields. In 1949, more than 85 percent of Texas grain sorghums were combine harvested.

The popularity of the combine varieties in turn led to a shortage of bundle feed; the supply is expected to be shorter still in the future because of acreage reductions.

Plant breeders of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station foresaw the need for forage and silage and for the past several years have been working on the problem; Hi-Hegari is the result.

The entire supply of seed has been distributed for increase, and a fair amount of Hi-Hegari will be available for 1951 planting through regular trade channels.

The R. E. Frys are entertaining their grand-daughter and grandson Linda and Bob McCullough of Fort Worth this week.

Polio Center Gets Support From Auxiliary

The four county Floyd, Hale, Briscoe and Swisher Medical Society met last Thursday night in Plainview, at the Lacomida Room in the Pioneer Drive-in for dinner. They were accompanied by their wives, Drs. A. E. Guthrie, D. W. Douglas and J. A. Davey were present from Floydada.

After the dinner the wives attended the meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary and joined as new members. All wives of the doctors of

these four counties are invited to join the auxiliary, of which Mrs. C. H. Jones of Plainview is the president. Their project for the year is the Polio center at the Plainview sanitarium, and they are asking for good used sleeping garments or new ones, good toys, books and games. New toys, books and games will be accepted also. The auxiliary has bought a projector and slides and stenoscope, stenoscope slides are also wanted, as the children enjoy looking at the pictures. Mrs. A. E. Guthrie is the chairman from Floydada to attend to the collection of these items and she has placed a box in the Stansell-Collins store and a box is placed on the porch of the Floydada hospital where, within the next two weeks, any of these items you have or want to donate, may be placed and they will be taken to the Center.

Walter Collins is the county chairman of the polio drive for this

county and Mrs. Robert McGuire is the contact chairman for the women's division of the county. These were fifteen wives of doctors in this area present at the meeting and Mrs. Guthrie reports a very interesting meeting. As Plainview

is the nearest Polio center to Floydada, most of the little victims and older ones too, go to Plainview for medical treatment and Mrs. Guthrie hopes that the people of the community will respond to this call.

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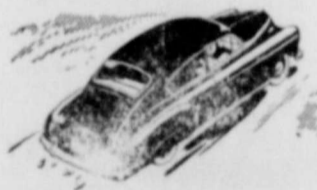


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Gold Treasure Still Sought Legend Says

Austin, Texas—A treasure in Spanish gold is still buried somewhere in West Texas, according to a legend recounted in the current issue of the Junior Historian by Frieda Lucas of Wichita Falls.

Writing for the magazine which has publication headquarters in the Texas Historical Association offices at the University of Texas, Miss Lucas relates that many fortunes have been poured into a futile search for the \$50,000,000 worth of gold and other treasure reportedly buried by the Spaniards between Clyde and Abilene.

The original story according to Miss Lucas, states that leaders of a Spanish pack train transporting the gold to the coast, heard Indians were planning to attack them and buried the treasure.

The map indicating the treasure's location was sent to Spain where it was found many years later in a Cathedral, and returned to Texas. As late as 1937 men were digging at the site where the treasure is believed to be buried, the young author writes.

Other contributors to the current issue are from chapters in schools in Texas City, Fort Worth, San Marcos, Palestine, Baytown, Huntsville, Wichita Falls, Cuero, Dallas, Henderson, San Antonio, and Iran.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rimmer and children left this week for Stockton, California, to visit his mother and other relatives. The Rimmers will be away two weeks.

Mrs. Roy Gough and children of Carlsbad, New Mexico are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Eudy for two weeks. Miss Daisy Eudy spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Eudy.

Bill Hale accompanied his sister, Mrs. Lamar Haines and children to their home at Burnet, Texas, Sunday and returned home Monday. Mrs. Haines and children have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale.

Lafayette presented the key to the French Bastille to George Washington and it may now be seen at Mt. Vernon.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Rex Brown on the birth of a son, born June 16 in the Pitts hospital. The young man has been named Marc Raphael. He will be called Marc.

Mrs. W. I. Cannady had as her guest the past week-end, her sisters, Misses Bess and Lenora Bentley of Dallas.

Sedan Defies Lightning Bolt



SUNNYVALE, Cal.—Using a Chevrolet four-door sedan, the Westinghouse Electric Corp. demonstrated here that a man's best friend in an electrical storm is his automobile. Joseph H. Cox, engineer, sat nonchalantly behind the wheel while a 2,400,000-volt of man-made lightning banged into the steel roof. As shown below, the shock passed around the roof and harmlessly out through the Chevrolet's tires.

The volt was produced by the 25-foot-high "surge" or impulse generator which can be used for a quality control test on big power transformers.

Boycott House "Gives You Texas"

Bat Masterson, one of the most famous peace officers of the old Southwestern days, has been credited with having killed as many as 27 men. As a matter of fact, however according to his old friend, Wyatt Earp, another great peace officer, Bat killed only four men.

This does not take into account, however any Indians he might have killed in the battle of Adobe Walls in the Texas Panhandle for Masterson, then little more than a boy was one of the small force of frontiersmen who beat back the attack of hundreds of redskins, commanded by the celebrated chief, Quanah Parker.

The first man that Bat Masterson killed in a pistol duel was in Sweetwater, Texas, when he was 18 years old. He was serving as a civilian scout with the army and was dancing with a dance-hall girl one night when a man who was inflamed with jealousy entered and drew his pistol. The girl caught sight of him first and threw her arms around Bat to try to protect him. The man fired however and killed her, the bullet passing through her body and wounding Masterson, who shot her slayer

through the heart.

In another pistol battle, this one in Dodge City, Kansas, Masterson killed two men in avenging the death of his brother, Ed.

Ed was acting as marshal and some cowboys created a disturbance in a saloon. Ed and Bat were approaching to quiet the disturbance and one of the cowboys mortally wounded Ed. Bat killed the slayer and when a friend of this man rushed out with a pistol, Bat shot him twice, inflicting mortal wounds.

When another of the Masterson brothers was having trouble, Bat went back to Dodge City and there was some shooting and when the smoke lifted, Bat's fourth man was accounted for.

Incidentally, Masterson later became a sports writer in New York City and died while at his desk writing. Oddly enough the man who had figured in some of the most exciting events of the turbulent Southwest had just finished writing a humorous bit of philosophy:

"There are many in this old world of ours who hold that things break about even for all of us. I have observed for example that we all get about the same amount of ice. The rich get it in the summer-time and the poor get it in the winter."

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blackwell of Plainview were Floydada visitors Monday.

STAR CASH VALUES

PURE CANE SUGAR, 10 Lb. Bag,	89c
FOLGERS COFFEE, Pound,	75c
HI - C Orange - Ade, 46 Oz. Can,	34c
Grape Juice, Quart Bottle,	39c
BRIMFUL PEARS, No. 2 1/2 Can,	32c
DEL MONTE SPICED PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 Jar,	39c
Extra Fancy Shurfine Tiny PEAS, No. 2 Cans, 2 For,	55c
BLUE PLATE Cut Okra, No. 2 Can,	14c
SWEET POTATOES, In Syrup, Large Can,	19c
VEL, Large Box,	25c
LUX SOAP, 3 Reg. Bars,	25c
DUZ, Large Box,	25c
COOKED WHOLE CHICKEN, 3 Lb. Can,	\$1.79
MACKERAL, Tall Can,	19c
FANCY SLICED BACON, Pound,	43c

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moore have returned to their home in Los Angeles, California, after bringing her mother Mrs. T. L. Pittman home. Mr. and Mrs. Moore visited with her sister, Mrs. George L. Smith and Mrs. D. A. Senn of Floydada.

Mrs. Alva Redd and children and her mother Mrs. L. L. Clark have returned from a vacation trip and a visit to relatives in Hugo and Durant Oklahoma. While away they fished in Lake Texoma, and visited Beaver's Bend, a national reserve in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Kiker, of La Junta, Colorado, were among last week's visitors in Floydada. They were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kiker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Redwine of Big Spring spent Sunday till Tuesday with Mrs. Redwine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Culpepper.

Mrs. T. M. Jones of Lubbock spent last week with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Rusking at her home, 521 West Missouri street.

Mrs. Claud Tatum and grandson Andrew Welch of Lubbock and Mrs. Cella Ross of Amarillo were visiting friends in Floydada Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine have returned from a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. J. V. Hamm of Fort Worth is here to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boren and children visited in Leonard recently.

MRS. TYLER VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. N. E. Tyler, Jr., her son Kelly and daughter Nancy, of Dallas, are here this week, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall, and of Mr. Tyler's mother, Mrs. N. E. Tyler, sr. They came last week-end accompanied by Mr. Tyler who returned to Dallas Sunday.

PASADENA VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morgan and daughter of Pasadena, Texas, are here to visit Mr. Morgan's aunt, Mrs. E. F. Stovall and other relatives. Mr. Morgan was in Floydada in 1925 and this is his first trip since that time and he says he sees lots of changes.

THE AMERICAN WAY



The Farmer

Overgrazing Packs Soil

Packing of the soil is one of the results of heavy grazing of range lands in the West, the grazing specialists of the Forest Service have found in comparing the effects of varying rates of stocking of similar ranges in Montana. After 14 years, these U. S. Department of Agriculture workers find that the soils on the heavy grazed areas are much more compact, have less pore space, and are covered with only a light litter as compared with the soils of the moderately and lightly grazed areas. As a result the less

heavily grazed areas were able to absorb water from two to four times as rapidly as the heavily grazed soils. The difference in water absorption, in turn, was reflected in better growth of forage on the less compact soils.

The advantages of moderate stocking show up in larger calf crops, heavier calves at weaning, lower feed costs, and higher salvage values of the breeding cows in the herd.

Moderate grazing, the grazing specialists find, permits greater absorption of rainfall in the soil. This in turn reduces surface runoff,

thus cutting down erosion and loss of the more fertile topsoil. Both the increase in the water supply and the saving of the soil promote better plant growth and more abundant grazing for the range.

Mrs. Hollis Bond and Mrs. McBrien were Lubbock visitors Monday.

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PINKNEY WIENERS, 39c	POUNDS
DRESSED FRYERS, 59c	POUNDS

SWANS DOWN Cake Flour, Package	39c
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GRAPEVINE TOMATOES	
Bananas	

Admiral	Regular, per lb., 25c
Admiral	Colored, per lb., 39c

Shurfine Crushed Pineapple, No. 2 Can	23c
FRANCO Spaghetti, Can	15c
Vermont Maid SYRUP, 12 Oz.	27c
SCRAPPY Dog Food, 3 Cans	25c

WHITE KING SOAP, BOX	25c
BAB-O, Two Cans	25c

SHURFINE TOMATO JUICE, 12 Oz Can	25c
DOLE PINEAPPLE JUICE, 12 Oz Can	25c
OLD ENGLISH GRAPE JELLY, QUART	34c
PATIO CHICKEN TAMALES, CAN	29c

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HI - C Orange - Ade, 46 Oz. Can	32c
Spic & Span, BOX	23c
Kool Aid, 7 Packages	25c
LUCKY LEAF Sliced Apples, No. 2 Can	20c
RICE, 1 Lb. Cello Pkg.	18c
Folgers Coffee, 1 Pound	74c
TREET, Can	44c
Soflin Napkins, Package	15c
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