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Miss Strange Resigns Home Demonstration Agent Work In County

Miss Martha Faulkner, Named Successor, Will Assume Duties of Office June 2.

Miss Marie Strange, for the past two years and a half home demonstration agent of Floyd County, this week resigned as agent in this county, effective June 1, and will enter the College of Industrial Arts at Denton on June 8 to begin a year of college work.

Announcement of her resignation and the appointment of a successor was made Monday of this week, Miss Myrtle Murray, District Agent for District Number Two, conferring with Miss Strange and the Commissioners' Court Monday morning and shortly thereafter with women of the County Council of the Home Demonstration Clubs in a called session at the office of the home demonstration agent. The announcement of the resignation of Miss Strange came as a complete surprise to members of the court and of the county council. Her successor here will be Miss Martha Faulkner, of Granbury, who has been studying at Texas Woman's College the past year. She will receive her degree from that school on June 1 and will leave the same evening for Floydada to take up the work as home demonstration agent. Miss Strange will remain with her for the first week in June to acquaint Miss Faulkner with the details of the office and the set-up of the year's work under way.

Miss Faulkner a distant relation of Mrs. Bob Wilson, nee Faulkner, of Hereford, first home demonstration agent to serve this county, and Miss Murray said Monday she had every confidence the second Miss Faulkner to serve this county, would be equally as successful as the first.

"I feel that the home demonstration work in this county was never on a better basis than it is at this time," Miss Murray told the newspaper man Monday. "And I think it will be in quite capable hands when Miss Faulkner assumes the duties of the office succeeding Miss Strange. While the women of the clubs expressed much regret that Miss Strange is leaving them, they have assured me they will give every possible aid to Miss Faulkner in furthering the program for better homes and better communities in the county. Miss Strange, while resigning the work here, is being given a leave of absence from Extension Work to complete her work for a degree at C. I. A., and will return to home demonstration work in District No. 2, when she completes her work at school."

Miss Faulkner, who was reared at Granbury, Hood County, has been quite effective as a worker in foods and clothing teaching and demonstration, according to Miss Murray, and with the excellently organized body of women in Floyd County, will take up the work turned over to her and carry it on quite as effectively as it has been in the past, Miss Murray declares.

Given Scholarship

Miss Strange's year at the College of Industrial Arts is being made possible in part by a scholarship she was presented recently by the State Scholarship and Loan fund of the Texas Federation of Women's Club. The scholarship was awarded her recently through the committee of which Mrs. L. B. Hall is chairman. The degree will work for will be that of honor of science in home demonstration. She will also do work toward her mater's degree.

Center School Closes Friday Of Next Week

Center School will close on Friday, May 22, and the following week will be rendered by the school next week.

Wednesday evening, May 20, the teachers and the pupils of school will present the play "Path Across the Hill." There will be no admission charged for the play and everyone is invited. There will be a general program at the school auditorium on the evening of the school on Friday evening May 21, at 8 o'clock. At the close of this program there will be an address delivered by the principal at which will be an address delivered at the eighth grade class at which will receive their grammar school diplomas. All parents and children are especially invited to attend this program, as well as all other.

ORAL CLUB PROGRAM WILL BE HELD TUESDAY

Members were beautifully entertained by the Floydada Civic Club Tuesday night in their performance for the season. The club under the leadership of Mrs. G. E. Bond had a very successful evening. The program consisted of presentations. The club was well arranged a variety of entertaining specialty numbers, selections. The club will have the same performance at Lakeview.

8 Escape Injury When Car Turns Over And Burns

Suffering not so much as a scratch eight members of the First Christian Church of this city found for the district Christian Endeavor convention at Canyon Friday miraculously escaped injury when the large Buick sedan in which they were riding overturned, caught fire and burned up eight miles south of Canyon.

The accident occurred about 6 o'clock and was caused by a blow-out on the right wheel. A. D. Summerville, the driver, said that he was unable to control the car and bring it to a stop before it went into the ditch and turned over.

Although the machine caught fire immediately, all the occupants escaped from the car and removed their baggage before the flames reached them.

Insurance totaling \$400 was carried on the car, Mr. Davis said.

Members of the party riding in the auto were as follows: Mrs. Lon Davis, Misses Daisy Lee Gresham, Louise Conner, Mary Louise Thurmond, Wanda Teeple, and Messrs. A. D. Summerville, Rex Brown, and Billie Boy Brown. They were taken to their destination by others from Floydada and by passing motorists. The party returned home Sunday afternoon.

Audit Of City Accounts For Two Years Ordered

Wichita Falls Firm Given Contract Tuesday Night; Council Plans Economies.

Alfred, Lambert & Nichols, a Wichita Falls firm of accountants, was given the contract for the audit of the books of the City of Floydada for the period beginning April 1, 1929 and ending March 31, 1931, by the city council in its session Tuesday night, their bid being one of five submitted, all by out-of-town accountants. The lowest bid offered was \$175, but this bid was not made by a certified public accountant, it was stated at the city office. The bid of the Wichita Falls firm was \$235. The highest figure for the work was \$290.

The work is to begin next week, according to the contract authorized by the council.

Water Consumers Cut Off

Approximately fifteen water consumers were cut off Wednesday, following the meeting of the council Tuesday night. The order of the council passed at their last meeting and set Tuesday as the date for cutting off delinquents, but the rush of payers made it impossible for Secretary S. E. Duncan to make up a list for the water department's men to use on that date. Requirements set by the council for delinquents were that all of the current bills should be paid and a minimum of ten per cent of the delinquent bills. A total of \$5110 was outstanding in water and sewer bills on May 1, Secretary Duncan said. This figure, however, included not only delinquents but all current bills as well. He said collections from this source would run around \$2,500, leaving something in excess of that amount outstanding in delinquents.

A check-up on all outstanding indebtedness showed the city's current indebtedness on open accounts, due and past due, to be \$4,750, according to figures submitted to the council Tuesday night. Of this amount approximately \$2,500 is represented by fire hose purchased more than a year ago. All sinking funds have the proper amounts to their credit in the depository and the city has no pressing claims other than the \$4,750 in outstanding open accounts. However, it was pointed out in the discussion of the council that the only income of the city for the present and possibly for some months would be water and sewer money, out of which must come current running expenses, including street lights, salaries and incidentals. Practically no taxes are being paid at this time to the city, although a penalty has been added and the delinquent taxes plus penalty are bearing six per cent interest. It was pointed out by Secretary Duncan that the law which gave state, county and school tax payers until October 1 to pay their taxes without penalty, did not include city tax payments and the council felt itself without authority to make extensions.

Seek Expense Reductions

Ways and means of reducing the city's overhead expenses are being sought by the council and the session Tuesday night lasted until 12 o'clock considering this and other matters. A conference with officials of Texas Utilities Company will be asked for an early date when a reduction in the number of street lights kept in operation temporarily will be sought. The former council had already lopped off many sources of expenses having effected, among other things, a reduction in the salary list of the official family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy O'Brien and Mrs. C. F. Veach and little daughter, Arlis Dean, returned yesterday from a trip of a week, spending brief visits with relatives in Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Temple, Oklahoma.

FLOYDADA SCHOOLS ARRANGE CLOSING ACTIVITIES FOR YEAR

36 Pupils Will Get Diplomas This Year From Andrews Ward

Program Will Be Held May 21 And P. D. O'Brien Will Make Address

Arrangements of details have been completed for the program of the graduation exercises of the Andrews Ward School Thursday night, May 21, at 8:15 o'clock, it was announced Wednesday by R. F. Stovall, principal. Diplomas will be issued to 36 who will complete the grammar grade work. The class includes 23 girls and 13 boys.

O'Brien to Speak

Rev. P. D. O'Brien will deliver the class address. Cleo Birch has the highest average in the class and is valedictorian. Mildred Houston is salutatorian, holding the second highest average of grades.

The program will be as follows: song, "Hither, Come Hither" by class; invocation, Rev. S. H. Young, pastor of the First Methodist Church; Salutory, Mildred Houston; violin solo, "April Smiles," H. A. Withers; valedictory, Cleo Birch; song, "Our School Days," class; address, Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church; welcome to High School, Superintendent W. E. Patty; presentation of diplomas, R. F. Stovall; announcements.

Graduates Listed

Members of the graduating class from Andrews Ward who will receive diplomas are as follows:

Girls: Cleo Birch, Margaret Evelyn Cogswell, Marie Davis, Pernie Donothan, Nella Frances Faulk, Katherine Gresham, Ruth Key Green, Ruby Belle Harris, Nell Howard, Mildred Houston, Eloise Hill, Mable Moore, Bonita Newsome, Juanita Phillips, Mary Jo Scott, Juanita Shurbet, Mary Smith, Bert Ione Smith, Emma Louise Smith, Virginia Stovall, Mary Schultz, Ruth Troutman and Hazel Wade.

Boys: Melvin Blassingame, Jack Carruth, Wilson Connelley, Lon Davis, Jr., J. R. Dooley, Joe Fawver, John Kimble, Wilbert Mathews, O. P. Rutledge, Jr., Norris Spence, Thomas Wright, H. A. Withers and Bob Moreland.

Judge G. E. Hamilton To Address Pioneers In Floydada May 28

Old Settlers Expect to Eat Once More Around Chuck Wagon When They Gather Here

Judge G. E. Hamilton, pioneer settler of Motley County, and widely known attorney of the district, will make the principal address at the gathering of the old settlers here on May 28, when they celebrated the forty-first anniversary of the organization of Floyd County in their third annual get-together.

Acceptance of an invitation voted to be extended him by the executive committee of the pioneers' association, was received the first of this week by Tom W. Deen, secretary.

A novelty being planned, and which it is hoped will materialize, is to have the old-timers eat once more around a chuck wagon. Henry C. Randolph, of Cedar, still has his chuck wagon at his ranch and the other members of the executive committee are asking that he have it here on the birthday of the county just for the familiar air it will give to the festivities of the occasion. Glad Snodgrass, business manager of the old settlers' association, said this week that if Mr. Randolph had his chuck wagon on the grounds there might be a little cooking done in the range style, however he made it plain that there wouldn't be a general feed and everybody who comes in for the event is expected to have basket lunch with them and make it an old style get-together during the day.

Elder J. J. Day is president of the association. He will make the formal welcome address, and his twin sister, Mrs. Sarah K. Duncan, will make the response. Both of these have been residents of the county for more than forty years. Their talks and the talks of Judge Hamilton, together with a report of the memorial committee will make up the sum total of the formalities of the day. The remainder of the day will be given over to the fun, frolic and reminiscences.

J. C. EDWARDS UNIMPROVED

The condition of J. C. Edwards continues unchanged this Thursday morning and local physicians believe his condition to be very critical. Mr. Edwards has been ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. R. May, for the past several months, the illness taking a serious nature some three weeks ago.

Mrs. Frank Sifton and daughter, Lois of Petersburg spent last Saturday here visiting with friends. Miss Sifton is a student in Wayland College at Plainview.

F. H. S. Popularity Contest Winners



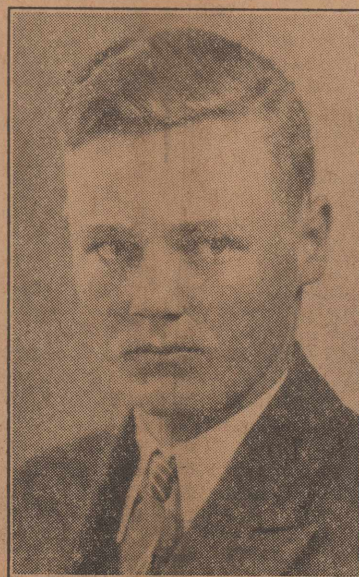
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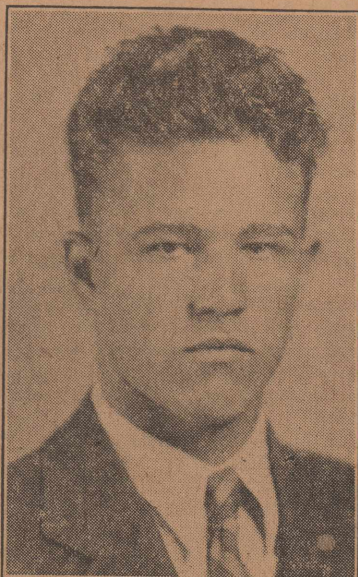
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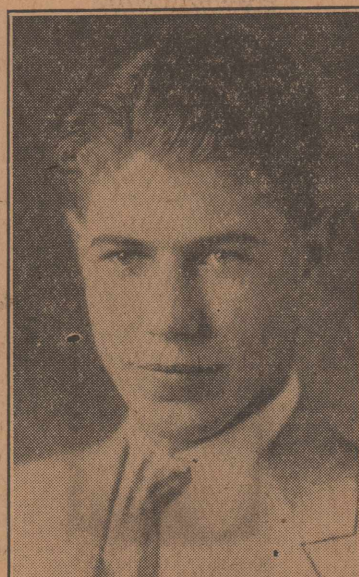
RUTH RUTLEDGE



GORDON LIGHTFOOT



DONLEY STEPHENSON



CHESTER DECORDOVA

F. H. S. Popularity Contest Winners Take Part In All Extra Curricular Activities

Six Students Selected By Vote Of Entire High School Recently.

Climaxing a popularity contest that extended over a period of several weeks, six members of Floydada High School were signally honored by their classmates recently. The contest under the sponsorship of Principal A. D. Cummings netted over \$50 for the Senior class project, the Athletic Field.

The Hesperian takes pride this week in presenting the pictures of the winners of the honor titles that were decided by a vote of the student body. The students selected have taken active part in all school activities, having their fun, co-operating in making F. H. S. a better and more progressive school, and displaying at all times a general all-round spirit of good fellowship.

Most Popular Girl

Hazel Probasco, senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Probasco has been affiliated with the Green Peppers, Home Economics Club, Latin Club, Tennis Club, Girl Reserves, Campfire Girls, Dramatic Club and she is treasurer of the Senior Class, and is an honorary member of the 9th Grade History Club. She was elected the Most Popular Girl in F. H. S.

Lurlyne Clonts, member of the Junior Class, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clonts. She was selected as the Most Beautiful Girl in high school. She has been affiliated with the Girl Reserves, Green Peppers, Tennis Club, Dramatic Club, Latin Club, and has taken part in the High School Follies for three years.

Ruth Rutledge, senior, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge. She was selected as the Best All-Round Girl. She was a member of the Student Council in 1930 and 1931 and was secretary of the council this year. She is chairman of the Ways and Means committee of the Athletic Park Association; editor this year of the Hesperian; a member last year of The Hesperian staff; selected Best All-round Girl in F. H. S. last year for the feature section of the high school annual; secretary of the Senior Class, and has been associated with the following organizations: Dramatic Club, Latin Club, Home Economics Club, Chemistry Club, Pep Squad, Commercial Club, Campfire Girls, and Tennis Club. She has taken part in the High School Follies for three years.

Gordon Lightfoot, junior, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lightfoot. He was elected the Most Handsome Boy in F. H. S. He was

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Hi-Way Patrolmen Throw Scare Into Careless Autoists

State Highway patrolmen, who spent three or four days in Floyd County, Friday to Tuesday last, threw a scare into several automobile owners and drivers, but made no actual complaints in the justice courts of the county.

Driving without proper lights, either front or rear, was the principal matter called to the attention of the drivers, who were parked by the patrolmen and given a warning.

'Harlem Hi-Jinks' Will Be Presented Tonight

"Harlem Hi-Jinks" directed by Honora Childers and featuring local talent will be the stage production tonight at the Palace Theatre in connection with the regular picture program. Thirty-five people will take part.

Music will be furnished by the Gloom Chasers, Floydada orchestra. E. B. Massie will be master of ceremonies.

The regular stage has been doubled in size to accommodate the performance which will present a cabaret scene in Harlem, New York. Rehearsals have been held for the show for the past two weeks.

The special stage performance will be presented again Friday night with a change of picture program.

E. F. STOVALL CONTINUES TO IMPROVE IN MINERAL WELLS

E. F. Stovall, who has been in Mineral Wells for treatment for the past three weeks, continues to show improvement, according to reports received by relatives here. Mr. Stovall suffered a paralytic stroke several months ago.

Mrs. Stovall, who is in Mineral Wells with Mr. Stovall, writes that they are enjoying the stay very much. They will remain in Mineral Wells indefinitely.

W. H. Hilton, city, is slowly improving this week, following an illness that has kept him confined to his bed for the past several days. Attending physicians believe him well on the way to recovery.

Mr. Hilton is proprietor of the Palace Barber Shop.

S. Hoffman Of South Plains Dies; Burial Wednesday; Pioneer

S. Hoffman, 77, for four years a resident of South Plains, succumbed after a long illness from cancer of the throat at 10:45 o'clock Tuesday night and interment was made in Floydada Cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Funeral services were held at 1 o'clock Wednesday at the South Plains Baptist Church and were conducted by the Rev. H. L. Burnham of Whiteflat.

F. C. Harmon Undertaking Co. of this city handled the funeral arrangements.

Moved to Dalhart

Deceased was a pioneer of West Texas, having moved to Dalhart in 1900 where he resided several years. He has made his home at Plainview and Slaton and moved to South Plains from Spur some four years ago. He came to the Plains from Tarrant County.

He was married 46 years ago to Miss Amanda Jackson in Johnson County. He has been an active church member and took part in all Sunday School activities.

Surviving him are his wife, a step-son, William Jackson, both present at the time of his death; three sisters, Mrs. Jane Renfro of Fort Worth; Mrs. Susan East of Burleson, and Mrs. Sallie Birdwell of Novice, near Coleman; a brother, J. J. Hoffman, of Carrizo, N. M.; six nephews, Dr. W. F. Hoffman of Anson; Mrs. Mollie Boyd of Alvarado; Frank, Cliff, and Lennie Boyd of Crosbyton, and Judge A. C. Hoffman of Memphis. None of the sisters or brothers were able to attend the funeral.

Dr. Hoffman of Anson and Mr. Jackson of South Plains were in Floydada Wednesday morning making arrangements for the funeral.

MRS. MAXWELL CONVALESCING

Mrs. Jno. W. Maxwell, city, is able to be out of bed this mid-week, following a serious attack of appendicitis on Wednesday of last week. An operation was contemplated but was postponed, and found unnecessary last week-end. She was successfully convalescing Wednesday.

PATTY'S RETURN HOME

Superintendent W. E. Patty and wife returned home Saturday of last week after several days spent in Dallas and Mineral Wells for Mrs. Patty's health. Mrs. Patty's condition was not greatly improved this mid-week.

Exercises To Begin Sunday For Largest Senior Class, F. H. S.

J. M. Gordon of Tech, and E. C. Comfort Selected for Addresses.

Diplomas will be issued Friday night, May 22, to 68 graduates from Floydada High School, the largest number in history, during the exercises at the high school auditorium at which time Dean J. M. Gordon of Texas Technological College of Lubbock will make the principal address.

Superintendent W. E. Patty this week announced the official list of those students who will be awarded diplomas, marking the close of their high school careers.

Select Honor Students

Thelma Crawford with an average of 94.125 points won the high class honor of valedictorian. Roxie Norton with 93.65 points was second honor graduate and is salutatorian. W. E. Dooley, Jr., is honor boy graduate of the class.

E. C. Comfort, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church will deliver the commencement sermon Sunday morning, May 17, at 11 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. The Floydada Civic Chorus under the direction of Mrs. O. B. Bond will render special exercises and serve as choir for the exercises.

The program for the exercises proper at 2 o'clock diplomas will be presented by Superintendent Friday night, May 22.

There are 37 girls and 31 boys in the graduating class this year. Music by a special quartet and chorus by the entire class will be included on the program Friday night.

'Funny Paper Play

Tuesday night, May 19, is date set for the Senior play, "Zander-Gump Wedding." It is a farce comedy in which will be presented representations of a funny paper characters in a private costume. The cast will include practically the entire personnel of the class. The performance will be something "different" in charge state. Mrs. Lon V. is directing the play.

Admission will be 25 and 50 cents and the proceeds will be used to help defray expenses incident to graduation, including the purchase of diplomas.

Presentation exercises for the new athletic park, the Senior class project this year, will be held Thursday, May 21, at 5 o'clock on the lawn east of the high school building, it was announced.

The class will present the field to the school, Superintendent Patty acting as representative of the school and recipient of the project.

On the occasion will be the following numbers: chorus by class; class history, Hazel Probasco; class poem, Wilma Salisbury; class prophecy, Ross Hanna; class will, Doc Massie and Gwendolyn Snodgrass; presentation of field to school, O. B. Olson, president of Senior class; acceptance, Superintendent Patty.

Mrs. Lon Smith and Odus Stephenson have been Senior Class sponsors during the year.

The annual Junior-Senior banquet will be held Saturday night, May 16, at the Andrews Ward Gymnasium.

General examinations at the high school will begin Monday, May 18, and school will be dismissed Friday, May 22.

The official list of graduates this year as issued by Superintendent W. E. Patty this week were as follows:

Girls—Bessie Mae Brown, Thelma Crawford, Flora Mae Day, Alma Edwards, Daisy Eudy, Winona Felton, Ruth Fuller, Lucille Hammack, Bernice Holeyfield, Johnnie M. Johnston, Pattie Loooper, Clara Mae Luttrell, Dorris Manning, Bernice Estelle Murray, Carline Mooney, Amy McRoberts, Edna Mae Nelson, Roxie Norton, Maxine Norris, Hazel Estelle Parker, Claudia Merle Patton, Hazel Vivian Pendleton, Hazel Probasco, Myrtice Rawdon, Ruth R. Rutledge, Wilma A. Silsbury, Bessie Marie Sherrill, Gwendolyn Snodgrass, Verdine Snodgrass, Donnie Stephenson, Mary Ann Sweptson, Mabel Thornton, Gertrude True, Christine Trowbridge, Lida Bell Wadding, Mildred Welborn, and Launa Cozby.

Boys—J. Floyd Bell, Charles Brown, Preston Bullard, Ray Crabtree, Chester Decordova, W. E. Dooley, Fred Fondy, Garland Foster, Roy L. Hale, Ralph Samuel Hale, Ross A. Hanna, Wilmer O. Jones, Jr., J. Rex Johnston, W. Carl Marshall, E. B. Massie, Jr., Doc H. Massie, O. B. Olson, Johnnie Palmer, Denzil V. Probasco, R. V. Pratt, J. Sherwood Ramsey, David Rutledge, J. Reeves Scott, Donley Stephenson, Arthur Stewart, Herwin Strickland, Jim C. Terry, Alldridge Thomas, Raymond Thornton, John H. Underwood, and Ball Wilkinson.



The Fighting Tenderfoot

By WILLIAM MACLEOD RAINE

THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—Garrett O'Hara, a young tenderfoot lawyer, is on his way to Concho to open practice, not knowing a cattle war is raging in Jefferson county and the only law of that of the gun. As he nears the town, some one fires at him in an ambush. He drops from his horse and crawls through the brush toward the spot where the shot was fired. He hears voices. The desperado who fired the shot, Shep Sanders, is talking to a girl, Barbara Steelman, who thought the shot was directed at her. When Garrett appears, his resemblance to Judge Warner convinces her Sanders ordered at Garrett in the belief he was the judge. The girl warns him not to go to Concho. He insists, and she advises him to see Steve Worrall. He reaches Concho and registers at the hotel. Seeking diversion, he meets night wanders into a Mexican dance. Shep Sanders also bears. He is intoxicated and picks a fight with Garrett in which the lawyer has the best of it. Sanders starts to go for his gun, but is stopped by the voice of a woman. It is Ingram, cattle baron who invites Garrett to visit him at his place.

CHAPTER II.—Before going to Worrall's place, Garrett talks with Steve Worrall. Steve tells him of the fight between Ingram and Sanders, and how each have been in their efforts to maintain control of the cattle-raising business in the district.

CHAPTER III.—Garrett tells Ingram he desires to remain neutral, but the latter declares there can be no neutrality. "Whoever is not for me is against me," Garrett meets Quantrell, youthful killer and friend of Ingram, and an Englishman who has come to buy a ranch, and a-Beresford. He again meets Barbara Steelman and is introduced to her father, the cattle king. Quantrell saves Garrett and the Englishman both unarmed, from being shot by Sanders, and the three become friends.

CHAPTER IV.—Garrett accidentally witnesses a meeting between Barbara and her father's enemy, Ingram, and in seeking to reconcile the two, Barbara has fallen in love with him. Garrett and the Englishman purchase a ranch, with Steelman as a silent partner. At Concho, Fitch, one of Steelman's men, kills an Ingram follower. Ingram's sheriff appoints a posse of Ingram gunmen to capture him. Fitch stops at the "tenderfoot ranch" on his way to Steelman.

CHAPTER V.—The posse appears. In it are Quantrell, Sanders and other Ingram gunmen. Sanders and three others remain to watch the ranchers, the rest pursue capture and hang Fitch. Sanders' hatred for Garrett causes him to start a gun battle. Both "pilgrims" are wounded, but their fire drives the posse from the ranch house and they barricade themselves within. Ingram and Barbara appear to put an end to the fighting. In the battle one gunman is killed and three wounded, one seriously. Quantrell balks Sanders' attempt to put the blame on O'Hara, and his contempt for the bully causes him to change sides and join with the two ranchers. Garrett's wound is slight, but that of the Englishman serious.

CHAPTER VI.—A lull in the cattle war follows and a new respect is born for Garrett. He goes to town and Sanders boasts he will run him out. Garrett hears of the boast and calls Sanders' bluff successfully. Quantrell shoots it out with Sanders and two other Ingram gunmen, killing Shep and one other. The third escapes. Quantrell is unharmed.

CHAPTER VII.—Garrett, in love with Barbara, seeks to end the feud by compromise. Steelman agrees to the terms and Garrett and Smith-Beresford confer with Ingram and his partner, Harvey. A tentative peace is patched up.

CHAPTER VIII.—Quantrell jeopardizes the peace prospects by leading Steelman's gunmen in an unauthorized and unsuccessful raid on Ingram's forces at the Hughes ranch. O'Hara discharges Quantrell and the killer becomes O'Hara's enemy.

CHAPTER IX.—To avert further trouble, Barbara tells Ingram she will marry him. Quantrell seeks his old job with Ingram. Ingram horsewhips Quantrell and the killer swears vengeance. The war is considered to have ended, and Barbara and Ingram marry.

CHAPTER X.—Quantrell joins an outlaw band. O'Hara is appointed sheriff to clear up the county. Quantrell makes good his threat, killing Ingram, and escapes to the hills.

CHAPTER XI.—Several attempts to locate Quantrell fail. Fearing betrayal by his comrades, the outlaw leaves the country for a time, but returns. Time passes and a son is born to Barbara. A "hot tip" sends O'Hara and his deputies after Quantrell.

them know what's up. If too many people know a secret it's not one any longer."

O'Hara did not leave the cabin until darkness fell. By a back way he went to the Steelman-McCarthy store where Worrall and Grogan were to meet him. He was eating a supper of cheese and crackers and sardines when Owen joined him.

"Lo, Amen," he said. "Get all rested from your long ride?"

"Umph! Say, boy, there's a Mexican baile tonight at the Montez place. If you're all het up to meet Bob you might find him among those present."

"What makes you think that?" asked O'Hara.

"You mightn't think it to see me such a stove-up old donker as I am now, but once upon a time I was a kid my own self. As I come down the street I met the Gomez family dressed in their war paint headed for the dance. Includin' Miss Dolores of the black, black eyes. She sure is a right pretty senorita an' I wouldn't blame Bob for wantin' to shake a leg with her. Course I don't say he'll be there. All I'm sayin' is that he might."

"So he might," agreed the sheriff reflectively. "Well, I'm not too old to enjoy a dance. I'll give myself an invitation to be there, too."

Amen Owen grinned. He thought perhaps he had started something. "Uninvited guests ain't always so doggoned welcome," the old cowboy said. "If you go you're liable to get in a jackpot, don't you reckon?"

"It wouldn't surprise me."

"Bob is top hand with his shootin' iron. I'd say take four or five of us with you."

O'Hara cut a piece of cheese and put it between two crackers. "Can't take a posse into the barn with me. That would mean trouble on the street an' I'd be round the subject the least lit' bit. But you know how greasers are. They won't let a thing they don't want to."

"You didn't let him know I was here?"

"Do I look like a plumb fool?" Grogan wanted to know. "Of course I didn't. What I said to Gomez was that I'd heard Dolores' friend was in town, an' when he looked at me real quick I added kinda casual, 'Maria Garcia.' She is, too. Came up from Agua Caliente Tuesday. Manuel was right there with the 'Si, si' stuff, but he was just a mite too late. He'd done give himself away, though I didn't let on for a minute."

"You feel sure Quantrell is in town, then?"

"I'd bet six fat three-year-olds against a plug of tobacco that he's not four hundred yards from us right d—n now."

"If he hasn't lit out."

"Tell you I saw the two Kentucky horses."

"He might leave them here to fool me while he's making tracks for parts unknown."

"What would be the sense in that when he could just as well take 'em along? You know how he loves a good horse. No sir. When he goes those horses go, too. Wouldn't surprise me if he lies low here three or four days. There won't more than half a dozen folks know he's here. He can trust his Mexican friends. They like him, an' they're not civilized enough to betray him."

The last sentence Grogan offered with an ironic grin. Common opinion to the contrary, it is quite true that the Mexicans are as a people very loyal to their friends. During the past year or two as much could not be said of the white population of Jefferson county. While the feud had been in progress most of the ranchmen had not felt any compunction about shifting sides. It was, for instance, not at all remarkable that O'Hara was now depending upon Buck Grogan to help him capture Quantrell, although the two cowboys had fought together against him in the battle at the Circle S O ranch. Yet Grogan was no traitor. The circumstances had changed, and with them his allegiance.

"That sounds logical," O'Hara admitted. "But Quantrell isn't very dependable. He doesn't always do what you'd expect him to do."

"That's so, generally speaking. But he'll stay put here two-three days an' give his saddle a rest. He's been on the dodge a long time, an' he's right fond of Dolores Gomez. I'd say he'll want to stick around for a while, an' he most always does what he wants to do. He ain't the kind you'd call a prudent guy. His friends will be keepin' a lookout to see he's not trapped. Yes, sir. He'll be plumb tickled to lie right here in Concho an' fool 'em."

"Yes, that would be like him," O'Hara agreed. "Will you find out for me whether Steve Worrall has reached town yet? I want to see him."

"Got in late last night—him an' Amen Owen. Their horses were sure whipped out, too."

"Good! Ask him to drop in and see me. He'd better come along the creek and in the back way. Some of Quantrell's friends may be watching him."

"All right. Breakfast first. No sir. You lie right there. I'll fix us up something."

A couple of hours later Worrall reached the cabin. He and the sheriff talked the situation over. It was decided to keep an inconspicuous watch on the Delgado stable from a side window of the Steelman store. Probably Quantrell would not stir out until night. After dark the Gomez house was also to be kept under observation.

"If his gang is here with him some of the bunch will poke their noses from where they're holed up soon as it gets dark," said Worrall. "Good thing to have quite a few men ready for emergencies, don't you reckon?"

"I think so. See Buckskin Joe and Amen and the Browns. You might speak to McCarthy, too, Steve. Tell them trouble is brewin' and may break, but don't let

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"You didn't let him know I was here?"

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"You feel sure Quantrell is in town, then?"

"I'd bet six fat three-year-olds against a plug of tobacco that he's not four hundred yards from us right d—n now."

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SOCIETY

Baptist W. M. S. Hold Circle Meetings.

North circle of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. V. Daniel.

Mrs. I. W. Hicks led the devotional. In the short business meeting held discussions were held on the new mission book the circle will take up.

South Circle met at the church in an all day meeting. Each one brought a dish for the noon hour and two quilts were quilted during the day. The lesson for the afternoon was postponed. Fourteen members were present.

Blanche Groves Circle met with Mrs. L. J. Welborn. Rev. P. D. O'Brien taught the Bible lesson. The hostess served delicious refreshments.

The circles will meet in a joint meeting at the church next Monday at 4 o'clock in a Bible study with the pastor teaching the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin Honor Mother Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Martin was honored with a special Mother's Day dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin, who acted as host and hostess. All of Mrs. Martin's children were present for the pleasant occasion, with the exception of Mrs. Jewel Yandel and family, of Elk City Oklahoma. Many of the grandchildren were present for the day.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Yandell and children, Annie Lee and Billie Martin, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin and family.

Mrs. Thomas To Give Recital.

Mrs. E. C. Thomas will present her pupils in a piano recital at the high school auditorium next Monday evening, May 18 at 8:15. The Rhythm Orchestra will feature novelty numbers.

There will be no admission and the general public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Honor Parents on Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Oggie Johnson were host and hostess at a lovely appointed one o'clock dinner last Sunday at their home honoring Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones on their thirty first wedding anniversary.

A large pyramid cake decorated with the words Mother and Dad adorned the center of the table. Red and white was the chosen color scheme.

On arriving the honor guests were invited into the dining room where the gifts were arranged and dinner served to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and son Rex Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and son Billie, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones honor guests, Miss Oma Johnson, Johnnie Johnson and the host and hostess.

Palace Theatre

FLOYDADA, TEXAS
WEEG BEGINNING

May 14

Thursday, May 14

On the Stage

"Harlem Hi-Jinks"
Featuring Miss Honera Childers.

On The Screen

Larwence Tibbett In
"The Southerner"

Friday, May 15

On the Stage

"Harlem Hi-Jinks"
Featuring Miss Honera Childers

On The Screen

Art Wheeler and Robert Wheeler
Comedy stars of "Rio Rita"

In

Half Shot at Sunrise"
and Mickey House Comedy

Saturday, May 16,
(One Day Only)

at Withers, Loretta Loung

In

Too Young to Marry"
and Mickey Mouse and
His Friends Are Coming" No. 3

Monday, Tuesday
May 17, 18, 19

Picture of the Screen
"Trader Horn"
and Talk Comedy

Wednesday, Thursday
May 20, 21

at Arthur Lake In
"My Weakness"
and Talk Comedy

Social Calendar

Monday

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet May 18 at 4 o'clock at the church.

Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet May 18 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Geo. Smith in a social meeting. Mrs. E. C. Henry will be joint hostess.

Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet May 18 at 3 o'clock at the church.

Woman's Council of the First Christian church will meet May 18 in an all day meeting with Mrs. M. L. Probasco. Mrs. L. H. Dorrell will be leader of the Missionary program.

Porterfield Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet at the church May 18 at 4 o'clock.

Tuesday

Ace Bridge club meets May 19 at 8:15 with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. A. Sone.

Wednesday

San Souci Bridge Club will meet May 20 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Bill Daily.

Thursday

The Owl's 42 Club meets this evening at 8:15 with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Linder.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall will be hosts to the Pla-Mor Bridge Club this evening at 8:30.

1929 Study Club meets this afternoon at 3:45 with Mrs. Robt. A. Sone.

Friday

Friendship Bridge Club will meet May 15 at 8:15 with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam.

Mrs. Green Hostess At Quilting.

Mrs. Jas. K. Green entertained friends at her home last Tuesday with an all day quilting.

A delicious dinner was served at the noon hour, each guest having brought a dish.

Those enjoying the day and quilting were Mrs. V. Andrews, Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. G. V. Slaughter, Mrs. W. A. Baker, Mrs. Fred Brown, Mrs. C. Surginer, Mrs. J. I. Hammond, Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mrs. E. P. Nelson, Mrs. Geo. Smith, Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. H. O. Pope and Mrs. J. D. Starks.

AUTO REGISTRATIONS SHOW SHARP DECLINE

Austin, May 12.—Registrations of automobiles in eight representative Texas counties during April showed a sharp decline from the April, 1930, figures, according to the Bureau of Business Research at The University of Texas. April registrations totaled 3,544 cars, compared to 4,370 in April, 1930. For the first four months of the year registrations have totaled 11,619, compared to 16,582 during the corresponding period of last year. The Bureau's report includes statistics from Bexar, Dallas, El Paso, Galveston, Harris, McLennan, Tarrant and Travis Counties.

S. H. Rook, of Los Angeles, California, is here for an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. J. V. Jones.

Only Four Families In County Reported Smallpox This Week

An epidemic of skin diseases has been going over Floyd County the past week, the most violent outbreak being that of smallpox in a not very serious form, according to Dr. V. Andrews, city and county health officer, who said that cases of smallpox have been in evidence in the county since in February when he reported the first case called to his attention, to the State Health Department.

A total of thirty-two cases have been reported by him to the department since the first of February, this report including cases in four families which are widely separated in the county this week. One of these families is southwest of Floydada, two miles on the Silverton highway north of the city, and one southeast of South Plains. The health officer said he had had heartiest co-operation to date in quarantines established, both on the part of the patients and the families involved and on the part of neighbors and friends. "We rarely find any lack of co-operation on the part of the people where voluntary reports are made of contagion," he said. "We have been hearing rumors of unreported cases for sometime and it is probable there have been instances of cases not actually quarantined during the early part of the year," he said.

Other diseases which make themselves apparent in skin affections include chicken pox and similar affections, confined principally to children.

LOCAL PHYSICIANS ATTEND MEET HELD AT PLAINVIEW

Dr. S. Hubert Seale and H. Z. Pennington spent Tuesday in Plainview, where they attended the regular session of the Hale, Floyd, Briscoe, and Swisher County Medical Society. The society met at the Plainview Clinic and took up a special study of "Treatment of Fractures." Lantern slides were shown and explained by Dr. J. H. Hansen, who is associated with the Clinic at Plainview.

MRS. J. Q. CARPENTER'S CONDITION IS IMPROVED

Mrs. J. Q. Carpenter, of Center, who has been seriously ill for some time, is showing much improvement during the past few days, according to reports.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Cone, of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Robt. Greenway, of Wolfe City, have been here for ten days or more. Mrs. Cone and Mrs. Greenway are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter.

Miss Tincy Carter who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. P. Jones left Friday for her home in Childress.

'Trader Horn' Shows Three Days At Palace

"Trader Horn," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's sensational filmization of the famous book of African adventure, will show Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, May 17, 18, and 19, at the Palace Theatre. It is hailed throughout the country as the biggest undertaking in the filming of adventure films in history. With a motorized safari of a hundred trucks and autos, the troupe pressed into jungles in Africa never before traversed by white men.

They carried the first and only sound recording apparatus ever brought to Africa's jungles, and filmed and recorded the drama, with wild beasts, savage native dances and ceremonies and other details right on the ground.

Covered 25,000 Miles They covered British East Africa, the Belgian Congo, and invaded the dreaded Murchison Falls "sleeping sickness" country, in the 25,000-mile location trip.

The story was adapted from the famous book by Alfred Aloysius Horn and Ethelreda Lewis.

Built Own Roads The picture took two years in the making. Usually the cavalcade progressed from location to location with an army of native laborers building the road ahead of them.

Harry Carey, hero of "Trail of '98," "Silent Sanderson" and many other hits, plays the trader and Edwina Booth, pretty blonde of "Manhattan Cocktail," who volunteered for the arduous trip, is seen as Nina T. Duncan Renaldo, of "Bride of San Luis Rey" fame; Oliver Golden, former Western star, and Mutia, giant Swahili warrior, who plays Rencho, are among the cast.

Thousands of natives appear, as well as thousands of wild animals of very conceivable variety.

MRS. FORMBY UNDERGOES OPERATION AT LUBBOCK

Mrs. Buck Formby underwent an operation in the Lubbock Sanitarium last Monday afternoon. At the last report she was resting well.

Mrs. Formby is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows of this city.

Johnnie deCordova, who has been employed in Amarillo, arrived home last week-end for an indefinite visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus deCordova.

E. B. and Doc Massie accompanied their mother, Mrs. E. B. Massie of Corpus Christi to Pampa Saturday where she will visit her sister, Mrs. P. S. Wolfe. E. B. and Doc returned late Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Colston and daughter, of Slaton, were here over last Sunday visiting Mr. Colston's mother and other relatives.

Herman Ward, former resident of Floydada, who is making his home at Snyder, was here the first of the week.

POW!

Out Goes A Tire! Over Goes The Car!

It happens often, and many times with sad results when the motorist keeps on trying to use the casings, "just a little longer."

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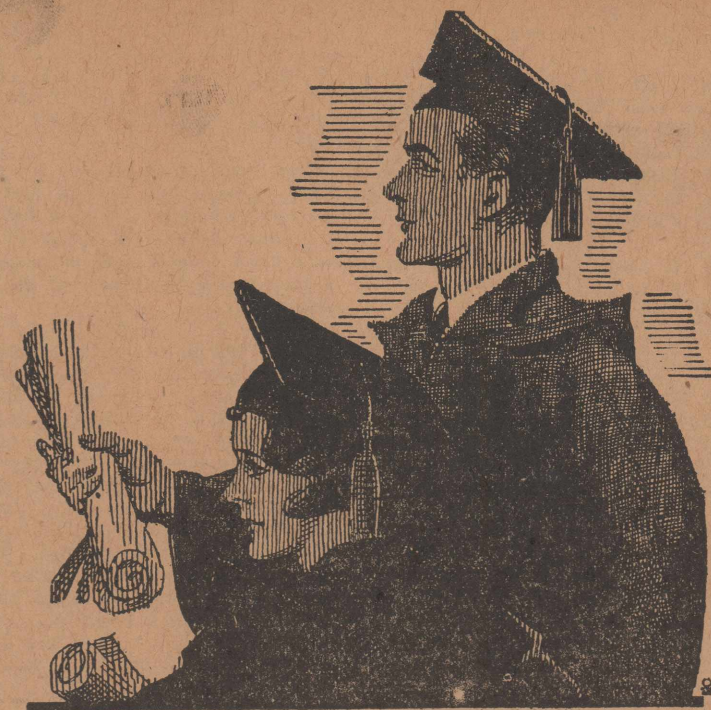
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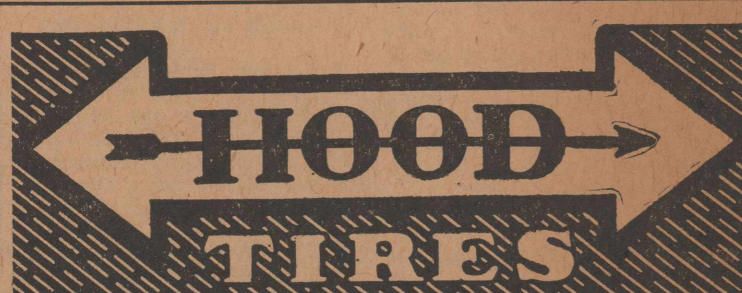
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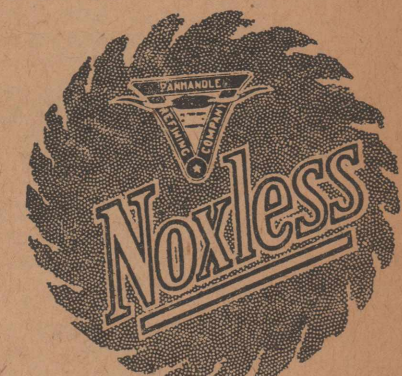
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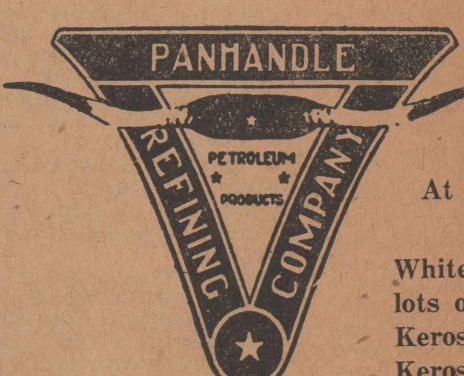
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THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



PEGGY, DEAR! YOU SHOULD SEE THE LOVELY COTTAGE WE HAVE TAKEN OVER FOR THE SUMMER, THE FINEST ON THE LAKE -

THAT SUMMER COTTAGE AS DESCRIBED BY THE WIFE -

BILL, YOU'GHTA SEE THE SHACK WE'RE GONNA BUNK IN THIS SUMMER, LEAKY ROOF, DIRT FLOOR AND IT'S JUST RIGHT FOR FISHING - OH BOY!

-AND AS DESCRIBED BY THE HUSBAND.



The Round-up By The Cowhand Scribe

best way to talk about a woman's age is to keep your mouth shut.

Read a funny lead on a story in a West Texas paper today. The word "noise" had been miss-spelled and the proof reader had failed to catch the error. Here is the way the story read: "Governor Sterling today signed Rep. Anderson's anti-noise bill, designed to prevent trains from blowing loud whistles within cities."

Guess they will have to mount canary birds on the front of the locomotives and when they approach a street crossing the engineer can hop out of his cab and run along the gang-plank and hold a nice fat worm over the bird's head and it can chirp "peep, peep!" That should be sufficient warning to all motorists because many of them won't stop anyway for such a small trifle as a speeding train at a railway crossing.

What the legislature should do would be to pass a law allowing all engineers the privilege to stop at each crossing, get out with a sledge hammer and knock all the crazy drivers in the head that were trying "to beat the train" and then proceed. This would protect the lives of children, wives, and thousands of other innocent victims who die each year because the hard-headed car driver failed to use his dome for something besides a hat rack.

This anti-noise bill is a good thing, though. If we can just get the law-makers to slip in a few extra words making it apply to the radio that forever and eternally is roaring in the other side of the duplex.

Yours for more money and less noise. And so long until next week. -The C. S.

P. S.—Ask J. C. Gilliam if he has gone to putting a lock and chain on all four wheels of his car yet. Some playful individual the other night carried off one of his tires—rim and all. Just jacked up a wheel and snatched the tire. J. C. fails to see the joke—and who can blame him. It may be funny but it takes more than a chuckle to get a new tire and rim from a tire dealer. If you don't believe it just try it.

Irick News

Irick, May 12.—Sunday school was well attended Sunday and a fine Mothers Day program given.

Those who attended the singing at Baker Sunday were J. A. Stegall and family, D. D. Boyle and daughters, Bessie and Alma Faye.

H. H. Harris and family spent Saturday in Floydada with Tom Harris and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Moreland visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Murphy of Ramsey Sunday.

W. E. Taack and family and Miss Maggie Dieter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Chambers of Aiken.

Mrs. D. D. Boyle and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Mike Smith of Sand Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ashby, Grace Jewell Poage, Ruth Feagan, Dorothy Goen, Doris Baker, Dorothy Lee, Mavoline and Frieda Merle Davis took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle of Aiken.

Quite a number enjoyed a birthday party Saturday night with Willie Belle Felty.

Those who spent Sunday in the Walter Robertson home were: Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Perry and Everett Perry of Campbell Mr. and Mrs. Hop Robertson and children of Rose-land.

The senior class of the B. Y. P. U. will present a program at Sand Hill Sunday night May 17.

Mrs. Ida Ingram of Plainview is spending several weeks here as guest of her brother Herman Crow and family and Mrs. W. D. Standefer.

poor native kids out here know that catfish don't have fur on their backs.

Halitosis, for instance, thinks that a Dry Dock is a physician who won't give our prescriptions. That poor girl is actually so dumb that she thinks noodle soup is a kind of shampoo.

Life

Life is a gift To be used every day, Not to be smothered, And hidden away; Don't keep it in niches, And corners and grooves, You'll find that in service It's beauty improves. -Swiped.

There are six F's in the sentence you read at the top of this column. They tell me that an average intelligence recollects three of them. If you spotted four, you're above the average. If you got five, you can turn up your nose at most anybody. And if you caught all six you're a genius and a lot too good to be wasting your time on foolishness like this.

They tell me it's shaky business—this playing with dice.

"Shut 'er down, George, and let's go fishing, 'er swimmin', 'er something."

Contemporary Thought

ARE WE UNGRATEFUL?

The Dalhart Texan: Of all omissions, forgetting to be thankful, appreciative, grateful is one of the worst. Do you turn a friend against you, do you cool the warm companionship of a pal, do you loosen the affection of a comrade just because you forget to be grateful? Gratefulness is one of the greatest virtues. It is becoming in king or in beggar. It is a deserved tribute and the sting of omission often goes deeper than is at first apparent.

A SAFE FARM PROGRAM

Turkey Enterprise: Farmers depending upon the banks of this section to help finance their crops must begin "a live at home program" immediately or financial aid will not be extended.

That, briefly, is the ultimatum handed down by the 20 banks of Hall, Donley, Collingsworth, and Childress counties and the Quitaque Bank in Briscoe county.

The decision, jointly agreed upon by all of the banks, and now being circulated, is as follows:

The present agricultural conditions and the prospect for the prices of all agricultural commodities in the future suggest that a program of live at home for the farmer is imperative.

We wish to point out to the farmers of this territory that from our viewpoint the time has come when it behooves every farmer to grow his food and feed at home, consisting of fruit, vegetables, poultry, meat and milk, and have these products preserved in sufficient quantities to feed a family at least one year, and a two year supply of feed for all live stock. It is an utter impossibility to produce any one crop (particularly cotton) and meet your obligations. One crop programs have always proved disastrous.

We have no disposition to dictate to our farmer customers but it is seasoned judgment and experience that unless a live at home policy is adopted harder times are ahead.

Therefore it will be the policy of the banks to base their farm loans in the future, beginning in 1932, on whether or not a farmer is following the program as outlined above.

This statement is made at this time so farmers may plan their 1931 farming activities accordingly.

OKLAHOMA'S STERILIZATION LAW

Jackson County Chronicle, Altus, Okla.: With the signature of the governor attached, the bill just passed by the thirteenth legislature providing for sterilization of criminals and mental misfits becomes law and Oklahoma again takes the limelight for things radical or ultra progressive.

We doubt the right of society, the state, to deprive a man of a God given faculty just as we doubt the right of the state to administer capital punishment. At the same time it seems that degeneracy on the part of the people sometimes necessitates the inauguration of customs that could hardly be approved by God or man under ordinary circumstances.

The trouble with the sterilization law is going to come in the matter of determining who is to pass upon the case. Given a proposed subject for sterilization who is to determine whether he should receive it or not? In the hands of him or them will rest grave responsibility. One is dealing with the procreative powers—in fact dealing with human life. In this respect it is somewhat akin to birth control, which a certain aggregation of churches have at least approved.

If we were to be given the authority, for instance, to select and furnish a bunch of subjects for sterilization it would just be too bad. We could ship a car load from Jackson county with impunity and with very little compunction of conscience, if any. Of course this authority will not be given any but state officials, medical men and what not. But if the law has a rub in it, that's going to be the rub.

Lakeview News

Lakeview, May 12.—Miss Evelyn Roy visited Miss Maurette Thornton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jones visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farmer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Fulkerson of Sand Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Patterson of Dougherty and Mrs. Luttrell of Lakeview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Riddle.

Ona Ruth Wright spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harry of Amarillo are visiting Mrs. Harry's parents Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Warren of Sentinel, Oklahoma, who have been visiting with their son J. M. Warren have returned home.

Miss Georgie Warren, who has been visiting in Oklahoma for the past month, has returned home.

Mrs. W. B. Trice and daughter, R. C. Smith, Floyd and Ruth Smith visited in Abilene this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pratt and children and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Battey of Floydada.

R. L. Riddle has been very ill for the past week but is reported to be improving.

Miss Dixon visited in Lubbock this week end.

The Lakeview Senior Class presented the play "He's My Pal" at Fairview Saturday night. Those who accompanied them were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cass, Miss Opal Nelson, and Woodrow Martin.

Miss Jewel Woolsey was absent from school Friday because of illness of her cousin. Mrs. C. A. Cass taught in her place.

A large crowd attended the Baccalaureate Sermon which was conducted Sunday evening, May 10, in the Lakeview Baptist Church. Following is the program.

Professional—Seniors, Faculty, and Board of Trustees.

Invocation—O. M. Conway. Scripture—Rev. J. M. Harder. Duet—Mr. Batty and Lena Mae Nelson.

Recessional and Benediction.

McCoy News

McCoy, May 13.—There was a large crowd at Sunday school Sunday and also for the Mother's Day program. The program was enjoyed by all.

There were several from this community enjoyed the program at the high school in Floydada Sunday evening presented by the Simmons Cowboy Band.

Misses Lorene and Eunice Embry had the Girls 4H Club and Miss Marie Strange as their guests last Thursday as it was their regular meeting day.

A. Curry, Homer Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Curry of Olton spent last Thursday in this community. Mr. and Mrs. Emory Curry remained here to visit till Sunday when they were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. A. Curry and Willie May who spent the day with Mrs. E. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jackson and daughter spent Sunday here with his mother Mrs. J. W. Jackson and family.

Miss Argaree Berry of this community and Harvey Bishop of Sand Hill were quietly married Saturday at Clovis, N. M.

Leola Smith spent last week with relatives in Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stapleton had as their guests Sunday relative from Lubbock, Slaton and Petersburg. Ouida Bell accompanied by sister back to Slaton for a visit.

Liberty spent Saturday night here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Hartsell, Mr. and Mrs. Fish are moving to Littlefield.

Mrs. W. V. Smith and child of Allmon and Mr. and Mrs. C. Berry of Tulsa were guests Sunday Mrs. W. J. Berry, Etta Berry spending the week with Luc Smith.

Miss Myrtle Coleman returned her home in the Lakeview community. She was accompanied home by her sister Mrs. Leslie King.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Carmi and children of Floydada spent day with Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Hourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Crawford visiting in this community day. They took dinner with Dalton and family.

MRS. ROSE KELLY WILL OPEN READY-TO-WEAR SHOP HERE ON

Mrs. Rose Kelly will Ladies Ready-to-wear and shop in Floydada in the future, it was announced of this week. The shop will be located on West California at the Manasco Building formerly occupied by the Railway Exchange.

Mrs. Kelly plans to have a complete line of up-to-date wear, millinery and ladies. She will be assisted in the Mrs. Ruth Maske. She opens the shop about May 15.

Antelope N

Antelope, May 13. T school held their closing last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson spent Sunday with Mrs. Jess Glover near G. A. Ray and family to Dougherty.

The Antelope school ing Springs on a picnic day. Every one returned.

A POSSIBLE PROFIT

Every time there is one ready to say anything about the possibility of things looking better shortly, especially in the markets for products of the farm, there are half a dozen ready to laugh at the idea as preposterous. However, there seems to be no doubting the statement that for every hundred chickens sold from the hatcheries a year ago there are now less than fifty, that flocks are being sold down to the irreducible minimum on account of the need for cash with which to buy necessities and the low prices of eggs. Poultry meat has been higher in proportion than most any other kind of farm product with the result that sales have been heavy. This may mean something worthwhile for the many who can hold his flock together. It is one of the possibilities that a farmer with some good pullets coming into production along in September and early October will sell eggs at a fairly good profit. That's another good one to laugh at.

NO REASONABLE EXCUSE

With good rains, and as maintained on every street corner, plenty of time on hand, there will be no reasonable excuse for those residents of city or country not to have a good looking yard with flowers, neatly kept grounds, and all the things that go with them. The same is true of gardens. Just no excuse, only laziness.

FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

News items taken from files of the Floyd County Hesperian published in Floydada fourteen years ago.

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The piano pupils of Miss Anna Trick were presented in recital last Friday evening at the high school. Following were those taking part in the recital: Mary Elizabeth Featherston, Myrtle Oden, Opal White, Ora Lee James, Foy Cannaday, Ora Slaughter, Mary Christine Bruner, Inez Morris, Helen King, Alpha King, Lucille Taylor, Virgie Price, Mildred Flynn, Margerite Brownlee, Mina Steen, Dona Gibson, Hollie Poole, Mozelle Viles, Irene Daily, Melba Gene Holt, May Montague, Cleo Andrews, Velma Moore and Bertha Snodgrass.

Dr. E. A. Hopkins, of Wolfe City, was here over Sunday, making preparations to move his family to Floydada and take up his permanent residence here to engage in practice. He will have offices with the Triplett Pharmacy.

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GIVE THEM WORK

There is a place in Texas where men are going stark mad for the lack of something to do—men who served during the world war for America and have paid with injuries which put them flat of their backs in a hospital with nothing to do but lay there with the horror of their condition to think about. Nothing to do, that is, except that they can make poppies—those little imitation flowers which we are in the habit of seeing annually since the signing of the Armistice.

Checking up on the possible sales for poppies on May 30, Memorial Day, officials who have charge of the hospital in Texas where the poppies are made, declare that the supply is already sufficient to care for the possible demand. And the disabled, bed-ridden veterans are out of a job—a job of doing something to keep from thinking the twenty-four hours through—just lying and thinking of their helplessness. Since poppy day is not many days hence, make it a point to buy a poppy with the thought in mind that you are affording some poor devil a few minutes respite from his troubles and aiding the cause of the bed-ridden ex-service men and their families.

BLOOD WILL TELL

A recent note of appreciation written to O. L. Stansell by S. A. Guy, former owner of the famed Jersey herd near Crosbyton, in which Mr. Stansell's appreciation of the foundation work done by Mr. Guy with purebred Jerseys in this area is noted, reminds us that blood will tell. Practically all of the better herds of Jerseys in the western half of the state of Texas now reflect in some manner the introduction of the wonderful strains of cattle brought to this country from the Isle of Jersey and other places by Mr. Guy.

The Stansell purebred herd, and many other good herds have some of the blood of this famous stock of Jerseys of Mr. Guy. Mr. Guy lost his investment in this section because he was ten to twenty years ahead of the times. But the good he did still follows after him, bringing untold profit to hundreds of dairy producers in this section, to whom it may have never occurred they are indebted to the former Crosbyton man for largely increased production per cow and per pound of feed.

TATTOOING CHICKENS

What has become of the plan begun so admirably a year or two ago to head off the chicken thieves by the use of the tattoo marks, which make identification of a chicken as positive as that of a horse or cow when branded? The plan is being used continuously in many counties, especially where there are county agents to afford the word-of-mouth instructions in the use of the tattoo set.

While it is true that poultry is cheap, the warmer nights and the temptation which goes with easy money, and the further fact that a chicken stolen in Floyd County tonight may be marketed sixty to ninety miles away tomorrow without creating any suspicion or costing much money, could easily cost several farmers all their poultry profits for the year.

Tattoo marks when registered have a record correct, plain and authoritative. They make possible the conviction of chicken thieves just as easily as any other thieves.

AS AN EXPERIMENT

At this time of year the complaint from residents of Floydada, when gardening and yard upkeep are suggested, is that water rates are too high, that the water bill for as much water as is really needed, makes the pretty yard, plenty of grass, shrubs and trees, impractical from a financial standpoint. This is probably true, although there are hundreds of towns in Texas where the residents would like to have a chance at keeping up their yards and gardens with water as cheap and plentiful as it is in Floydada.

E. E. Huskey and family attended the singing at Baker Sunday. The teachers have been employed for the next years work. They are Mr. Wallace formerly of Lakeview and Mrs. Gladys Cagle of Lockney. Mrs. Cagle has taught in this school for the past three years. Jewel Mara, who was principal of our school the past year, has accepted the principals place at McCoy for the next term. We wish him much success in his new location. The "Hoodooed Coon," will be presented by the pupils of the school, Thursday night, May 28. The primary room will render their program Wednesday night May 27.

Jots in Jest

Gandhi says he is not coming to the United States. Perhaps he's heard all about our vanishing Indians.

One of the smartest shades in fashionable colors this spring is "ambulance blue." To be used, we suspect, only in case of emergency.

The War Department is trying to find out the names of 23 living American war aviators. Aces are called for.

When all the blue laws are repealed, that will be a red letter day in American history.

Some folks, buying hats for themselves, says the office sage, usually get something for nothing.

"Keep your hands to yourself," as the bridge player said to his talkative partner.

Muncy News

Muncy, May 13.—The play "A Poor Married Man," was presented at the school last Friday night to a large and appreciative audience.

The farmers are wishing for more rain and warmer weather.

Miss Sallie Reeves of Olton visited her sister Mrs. O. B. LaFrance the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Nichols of Pleasant Hill and Mrs. M. M. Vaid visited in the home of O. L. Miller near Lubbock Sunday.

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SOCIETY

1922 Study Club Met With Mrs. Hicks.

The 1922 Study Club met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. I. W. Hicks in a business meeting and lesson study.

Reports were given by outstanding committees. The report on the year book for the following year's work was read by Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, chairman of the committee, and accepted by the club. Mrs. Rutledge also reported that the books would be printed and ready for distributing at the next meeting.

In the program rendered Miss Rhea Cloud favored the club with a solo accompanied at the piano by Mrs. V. Andrews, Mrs. Hazel Hughes gave a very interesting paper on Cubism and Mrs. L. E. Fagan gave a violin solo.

The book on "Texas Legends and Folklore," by J. Frank Dobie has been lent to some one and if the party who has the book will notify the club it will be greatly appreciated.

The club will meet Thursday af-

ternoon, May 21 at 3:30 with Mrs. Kenneth Bain for the last meeting of the year.

Mrs. Williams Hostess To K. K. Klub.

Mrs. V. Williams entertained members of the K. K. Klub and other guests at her home on West California Street last Friday afternoon.

Three tables were arranged for the games of bridge to be played. Mrs. Walton Hale received high score for the visitors and Mrs. W. H. Hilton for the members.

A delicious ice course was served to Mrs. Walton Hale, Mrs. Sam Berry, Mrs. S. W. Ross, Mrs. Edd Johnson, Mrs. Walter Pennington of Dimmitt, Mrs. N. A. Armstrong, Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth, Mrs. W.

H. Hilton, Mrs. J. I. Hammond, Mrs. Carr Surginer, Mrs. Fred Brown and Mrs. Tony B. Maxey.

The club will meet Friday afternoon, May 22, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Fred Brown.

Party Honors Amy McRoberts On Birthday, May 6.

A surprise birthday party was given at the home of Miss Faye Newell, Wednesday night, May 6, honoring Miss Amy McRoberts, with

Etha Williams and Lorena Spence as hostesses.

After many games were played, refreshments were served to the following Lucille Hammack, Flora Day, Zela McRoberts, Christine Trowbridge, Bernice Patton, Clara Belle Goughly, Selma Litter, Virginia Snodgrass, Claudia May Patton, Adelle McRoberts, Lorena Spence, Etha Williams, Amy McRoberts, Faye Newell, Lloyd Murray, J. D. Moore, Preston Bullard, Floyd Murray, Gilbert Nichols, Marvin Crow, Wilmer Jones, Herwin Strickland, R. C. Patton, Pete Odell, Olan Burrows, Ralph Tubbs, Louis Newell and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Newell.

FULLER-MARRS

Miss Edith Fuller and W. E. Marrs were united in marriage Saturday morning, May 9, at 10 o'clock by the Eder J. J. Day at his residence in South Floydada.

The bride resides near Cone and the groom has been making his home some six miles southwest of the Starkey community.

FEWER BUSINESS FAILURES IN TEXAS DURING MONTH

Austin, Texas, May 11.—Business failures in Texas during April averaged sixteen a week, compared to eighteen in March and thirteen in April of last year, according to the Bureau of Business Research at The University of Texas. Weekly liabilities fell sharply below the March figure and the April, 1930, average. The Bureau's report said. Average liabilities per week during April amounted to \$123,000, compared to a weekly average of \$147,000 in March and of \$226,000 in April, 1930. This decline in indebtedness was contrary to the tendency following the 1921 depression, when liabilities continued to expand after the actual number of defaulting companies began to decline, the Bureau's report said.

IMPROVING 160-ACRE FARM IN VALLEY NEAR PORTALES

Mason Riley was at home for a short time this week from his Portales, New Mexico, farm where he bought land last year and has been busy working on a set of improvements the past few months. "He is highly pleased with his situation at Portales and is making preparations for handling an irrigation proposition there in the valley. He completed his well last week and is preparing his land at this time.

The Riley's left Floyd County shortly after the first primary last year and the family have been living at Las Cruces, New Mexico, where two of his daughters are in school at the state college.

STARKEY DEMONSTRATION CLUB DISCUSSES LIBRARY

The Starkey Home Demonstration Club met May 7 with Miss Willie May Atkinson as hostess. The subject discussed was the Club Library.

There were twenty-three present, nineteen old members, two new members and two visitors. The hostess served dainty refreshments.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hassell Thursday, May 21. The subject will be "Music Appreciation."

A "PLYMOUTH" ROCK EGG

Bert Battey found an "egg" in his lots the other day that had the perfect form and contour of a regular barnyard product. He called it a Plymouth Rock egg, when he showed it at The Hesperian office. It is certainly Rock and possibly Plymouth, although it appears to be Flint.

WILLYS-OVERLAND UNFULFILLED ORDERS SHOW HEALTHY GAIN

Toledo, O., May 11.—Willys-Overland's unfulfilled orders to the night of May 6 showed an increase of nine percent over the same comparative period of April with expectation of further improvements as the month progresses, George M. Graham, vice-president, reported here.

Half-Minute Interviews

M. W. Whitlow: "I was looking through my papers the other day and ran across a receipt for the purchase of a team, wagon and harness I made from Raleigh Scott forty years ago."

S. W. Ross: "Interest in the county in the program of the Public Health Service has been pleasing to the health workers, I think. We have received letters and callers from all sections of the county, indicating much interest."

Fairview News

Fairview, May 11.—A good crowd attended the Methodist Sunday School Sunday. Afterwards a Mother's Day program was presented which was highly complimented by a large audience.

The Dramatic Club of this community enjoyed a picnic on Monday evening of last week.

The "Ever Ready" Class reported a very nice time at their monthly business meeting and social last Wednesday evening.

The Fairview school closed Friday night of this week. The school programs will be given Thursday and Friday night. Thursday night the Intermediate and Primary rooms will give their closing exercises. Friday night the seventh grade will have its graduation exercises. Following this, Mr. Biggs' students will present the play "The Little Clodhopper." Everyone is cordially invited.

Miss Eugenia Hoffman of the Fairview community and Mr. Dorman Clanton, of Plainview, were married Sunday in Clovis, New Mexico. The young couple will make their home in Plainview where Mr. Clanton is employed in the grocery business.

Miss Mary Looper of Floydada spent the week-end with Miss Claudia Faye Teal.

Starkey News

Starkey, May 11.—Misses Roberta Furgerson and Cara Day of Lubbock spent the week-end with their parents.

Miss Mable Thornton of this community spent the week-end with Anna Opal and Beatrice Sparks of Floydada.

Jack Bralley spent Saturday night with Muri Qualls of Cone.

Starkey played Petersburg last Saturday and were defeated by a score of 5 to 4.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Atkinson attended the night ball game held at Plainview Saturday.

Miss Lelia Maye Poe has been visiting at Sand Hill for the past week.

Judge J. W. Howard and family of Floydada visited in this community Sunday.

BOYS HOLD KITE FLYING CONTEST HERE SATURDAY

Kites, kites, and more kites were the order of the day Saturday at the contest staged under the sponsorship of E. C. Comfort, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in southwest Floydada. Woodrow Lanier won first prize of 25 cents for the smallest kite flown. Wayne Underwood won first for the largest kite flown, and Randolph Rutledge was the winner of the endurance division, his kite having remained in the air the longest.

The boys met at the church and then went to a vacant lot in southwest Floydada and had their fun. There were 14 kites and 21 boys took part in the novel event.

Lanier's midget kite was approximately two inches from tip to tip each way and it took to the air like a bird, Mr. Comfort said.

At the conclusion of the afternoon's fun, all-day suckers were served as refreshments. Jack and Tommie McIntosh were the leaders of the side-line rooting.

Boys entering kites in the contest were as follows: Raymond Fanning, Clifford Daniels, Kenneth Bain, Junior Rutledge, Billie Randerson, A. C. Galloway, James Williams, Woodrow Lanier, Bailey Barbee, Travis DeHart, Randolph Rutledge, Thorley Fanning, Wayne Underwood, and Norman Goen.

Roy Ferguson, whose home for the past several years has been in California, left last week after a visit of several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Butler and family spent last week-end in Floydada, the guests of Mr. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butler.

INDIGESTION

"My work is confining, and often I eat hurriedly, causing me to have indigestion. Gas will form and I will smother and have pains in my chest.

"I had to be careful what I ate, but after someone had recommended Black-Draught and I found a small pinch after meals was so helpful, I soon was eating anything I wanted.

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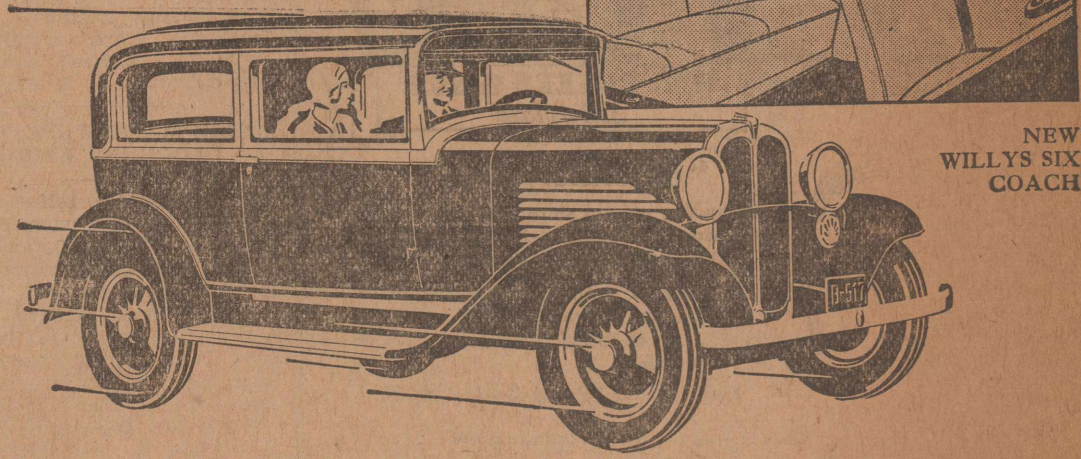
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Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews were hosts at an informal Mother's Day dinner Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goins and baby, Jo V. of Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Delk of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Cantwell and son, Guy Devere, and Mrs. A. P. McKinnon, city.



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Second Run In State Meet

First Floydada High Athlete To Place In Finals At Austin.

Dowell Gamblin, Floydada High School, won second place in the mile run at the state interscholastic league meet held last week at Austin. His time was 4 minutes, 38.8 seconds and he was beaten by a matter of mere inches by Morgan of Alvord who was clocked at 4:38.7. It was the first time in his

story that an F. H. S. entry had gone to the finals at Austin.

Gamblin won first place in the preliminaries the first day and was awarded a beautiful leather pillow cover with the University of Texas seal stamped on one side. He received a silver medal for his fine work in the finals.

There were 32 contestants entered in the mile run at the state meet. Malcolm Bridges of F. H. S. was

entered in the high jump but did not survive the preliminaries. Miss Roxie Norton, the third entry in the meet from Floydada, did not place in the typing event. The contestants went to Austin Wednesday of last week and returned home Sunday night. They were accompanied by Miss Thelma Crawford and Odus Stephen.

Last Little Theatre Play Of Season, 'Her Own Way', Given Soon

"Her Own Way", a comedy-drama in three acts, will be the fourth and concluding play of the year to be presented by the Floydada Little Theatre the last week in May, it was announced Wednesday by Mrs. Robt. Sone, director. The performance will be given at the High School auditorium, the exact date to be announced later, Mrs. Sone said.

Mrs. T. W. Whigham will carry the lead in the production as Mrs. Lewis Alden. Rehearsals have been started and the following members of the cast selected: Lewis Alden, O. T. Williams; Mary Alden, his wife, Mrs. Whigham; Mildred Carr, player by Miss Ima Johnson; Tommie Hazleton, played by Jeff Welborn, Harvey Beecher, played by Joe Breed; Clara Beecher, played by J. D. McBrien, and Rhoda, played by Mrs. J. H. Meyers.

MAJOR MACKEE SPEAKS TO LOCKNEY LEGIONNAIRES

Major MacKee, self-styled "foot-washing" Baptist, member of the Winnipeg "Black Devils" in the World War, battle-scarred veteran of the non-combatant forces of Canada, spent Monday night at Lockney where he addressed members of the Willie Landrum Post, American Legion. A big crowd heard the veteran.

Major MacKee was also heard on the Floydada broadcasting Company's program both Monday and Tuesday. He had been here for a week or more.

SOUTH PLAINS LUMBER CO. REMODELS LOCAL OFFICES

Adopting a policy of "practicing what they are preaching," the South Plains Lumber Company this week completed a job of re-modeling and painting on their lumber yard offices in Floydada. The job includes a complete remodel of the working offices and display rooms.

Plate glass windows have been installed in the front part of the building and large displays built for displaying merchandise. The business offices of H. G. McChesney and C. W. Henderson have been removed from the front part of the building to the rear. A parts department for Gleaner-Baldwin Combine repair parts has also been added and a more complete office arrangement for John Reagan, machinery representative of the company.

The complete office has been painted, inside and out.

PEACE OFFICERS TO MEET AT FREDERICK IN 1932

Frederick, Okla., was selected last Thursday as the next meeting place in 1932 of the North Texas and South Oklahoma Peace Officers' Association. E. T. Smith of Hollis, Okla., was re-elected president.

Sheriff J. M. Wright and County Judge J. W. Howard attended the session held last mid-week at Amarillo.

WINS LETTER IN TENNIS

Robert Ashley Childers, 17 year old son of Mrs. B. F. Manasco of this city, was awarded a letter in high school tennis at Pomona, California, where he is attending school, it was learned this week by his sister, Miss Honora Childers. The tennis team from his school won the high school championship of the Citrus Belt League, it was stated.

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- OATS, New Process, Package, 21c
- SOAP, Crystal White, 5 Bars, 17c
- SOAP, All 5c Toilet Soap, 5 bars for, 18c
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- BIRD SEED, 2 Packages, 25c
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- Old toms, per lb., 10c
- No. 2 Turkeys, per lb., 8c
- Poultry
- Hens, 4 lbs. and up, 11c
- Hens, under 4 lbs., 9c
- Old Roosters, 4c
- Colored Broilers, 18c
- Leghorn Broilers, 15c
- Stags, 7c
- Guineas, each, 15c
- Geese and ducks, 6c
- Eggs
- Eggs, fresh per dozen, 8c
- Cream
- Butterfat, per lb., 13c
- Above prices quoted by Titman Egg Corporation.
- Hides
- Hides, per lb., 1 1/2c
- Hogs
- Top Hogs, per lb., 6 1/2c
- Packers, per lb., 4 1/2c
- Above prices quoted by Armstrong Hog Company.

Pre-School Clinics Arranged In 3 Schools

Arrangements had been made the first of the week for at least three pre-school clinics in Floyd County, two of them being in Floydada and one at Campbell, and the respective dates for the clinics, as announced by Miss Dorothy A. Wentland, Public Health Nurse, are as follows: May 18, East Ward School, Floydada, Mrs. Geo. A. Linder, president of East Ward P. T. A. in charge; May 19, Andrews Ward School, Floydada, Mrs. E. L. Norman, president of Andrews Ward P. T. A. in charge; May 20, Campbell, Mrs. S. J. Latta, Mrs. W. H. Bethel and Mrs. A. H. Kreis in charge. At this clinic pre-scholastics of Baker, Campbell and Dougherty will be included in the examinations.

JOE PENNINGTON ATTENDS HI-Y MEET IN AMARILLO

Joe Pennington attended the called meeting of Hi-Y officers held in Amarillo Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the Silver Grill. Grover C. Good, state secretary, of Dallas was in charge of the meeting and discussed plans for a special officers, training camp to be held September 11, 12, and 13 at Cedar Canyon near Amarillo under the sponsorship of the Dalhart Club.

Pennington stated that he planned to attend the camp. He was accompanied to Plainview Monday by A. D. Cummings and Ralph Eale. He is president of the local Hi-Y for the ensuing year. There were 67 Hi-Y officials present at the supper served Monday night at Amarillo.

LEASES DE LUXE SHOP

L. F. Overstreet of Roaring Springs Monday assumed management of the De Luxe Barber Shop, obtaining the lease from T. C. Russell, owner. James L. Estes will continue as an employe of the shop. Oran Cantwell, who has been in charge, has accepted a position at the Palace Barber Shop.

Mrs. L. H. Shirey and daughter Miss Etta de Lorenzo are spending this week visiting with their son and brother G. N. Shirey and family.

FOOD SPECIALS

Corn	No. 2 Size, Limit, 3 for,	29c
Tomatoes	No. 1 Can, Each,	6c
Syrup	Koo Koo Gallon,	58c
Coffee	San Antonio Maid, Pound,	25c
Steak	Any Kind, Pound,	20c
Roast	Flat Rib or Brisket, Lb.,	12c

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Eleven Year Old Son Of T. S. Hodge Buried

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon for Thomas Melton Hodge, 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hodge of this city, who died Monday evening, May 11, at the local hospital. The child's death came as the result of a ruptured appendix suffered some ten days ago. He underwent an operation at the hospital on Thursday of last week, but his condition continued serious and death came at about 12 o'clock Monday night.

The deceased child was a student of the Floydada Public Schools, and was in the high fifth grade. He was to have been promoted to the high sixth grade at the school closing exercises next week. He was born in Hollis, Oklahoma, on December 7, 1919. Mr. and Mrs. Hodge and family have resided in Floydada for the past eleven years. The deceased is survived by both parents, one brother, Kenneth, and two sisters, Kathlene and Winifred Ruth Hodge, who reside with their parents.

Rev. Claude Wingo conducted the funeral services which were held at the First Christian Church at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. He was assisted by Rev. James Atkinson, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene. Interment was made in the Floydada Cemetery immediately following the funeral services.

DENVER TRAIN HITS CAR; KILLS SIX; DELAYS MAIL

Passenger train No. 107 on the Fort Worth and Denver line carrying mail and papers to South Plains and Lockney for Floydada was delayed nearly three hours Monday due to a tragedy on the main line when Train No. 7 struck an auto and killed six people at 11:20 Sunday night near Alvord. The machine in which the victims were riding had stopped ten feet from the crossing when the whistle had blown but just as the locomotive reached the crossing the car lunged forward into the path of the train.

Fort Worth papers did not reach Floydada until 10:20 Monday morning, the regular mail missing connections on the Santa Fe at Lockney. Those killed in the accident were Charles Collins, his wife and baby daughter, Mrs. Fannie Collins, his mother, Florine Collins, his sister, and Cecil Ferguson, brother of Mrs. Charles Collins, all of Alvord.

SISTER MRS. MARY AWTRY BURIED AT VERNON TUESDAY

Mrs. J. E. Lockett, 39, of Vernon, died at her home at 10 o'clock Sunday night following an operation in a Vernon hospital and interment was made in Eastview Cemetery there at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Awtry, formerly of this city, and now residing in Lubbock. Mrs. Lockett and children visited in Floydada last summer. Mrs. Awtry and daughter, Tommie Lee, were here a short time Wednesday afternoon en route home after attending the funeral. Surviving relatives include J. E. Lockett and two daughters, and a son.

J. M. Willson is spending this week-end in Fort Worth on business. He accompanied T. R. Nichols, of Silverton, on the trip.

SIMMONS COWBOY BAND SCORES DECIDED HIT IN TWO PERFORMANCES

Simmons University's Cowboy Band entertained to capacity crowds Sunday night and Monday afternoon at the High School auditorium in their two concerts given here under the sponsorship of the First Baptist Church.

A religious program was given Sunday night and popular numbers featured the entertainment Monday afternoon. Trick roping and stunts with bull whips by John Reagan, world famous English cowboy, thrilled the audience composed mostly of school children at the afternoon performance. Pupils from Andrews Ward and the East Ward Schools were in attendance.

The band scored a decided hit with their snappy presentations under the directorship of Professor D. O. Wiley.

Row Crop Planting Is Well Under Way This Week In Floyd County

Row crop planting got under way in full swing on Floyd County farms this week. With warmer weather and good seasons on the prepared fields, most of the planters are expecting good germination weather and both feed crops and cotton are being planted on more than a thousand farms.

Few of the early-planted crops have come up to a stand, even crops planted as late as the first of last week not being expected to show up with good stands on account of the cool days and nights that have prevailed, much to the advantage of the wheat crop.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday were favorable days for the planting.

ROTARY CLUB HEARS MRS. HALL AND MRS. BASS IN STORY AND RECITATION

Floydada Rotary Club yesterday at its noon-day luncheon heard a pleasing presentation of the poem "Let Me Live in the House by the Side of the Road and be a Friend to Man," by Mrs. Frank Bass, and preceding it a story by Mrs. Boone Hall, of the incident which inspired the writing of the poem. G. C. Tubbs was also presented by the program committee in a classification talk on fire insurance. The program was arranged and presented by J. C. Gilliam and Robt. A. Sone.

Les Stringer and Dr. L. McKeckney, of Wichita Falls, visited the club and Dr. McKeckney made a brief talk on the early history of Texas, advancing the theory that Sam Houston was sent to Texas by Andrew Jackson to accomplish the freedom of Texas and its annexation to the United States.

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- Gallon, Seven Up Syrup 49c
- No. 2 Pride of Bloomington Corn 10c
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- 48 lb. Gold Crown Flour 98c
- 8 lb. Pail any Brand Compound 94c
- Gallon, Italian Style Prunes 41c

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Specials

- For Friday and Saturday
- FLOUR, 48 lbs. Extra High Patent, \$1.05
- FLOUR 24 lbs. Extra High Patent, 55c
- FLOUR Lily, 48 lb. Sack, 99c
- FIG BARS, 2 pounds for, 25c
- CRACKERS, Browns, 2 lbs., 25c
- PORK & BEANS, No. 2 cans, 3 for, 18c
- TOMATOES, Quart size, per can, 12c
- SUGAR, Brown, 3 pounds, 18c
- SYRUP, Uncle Bob, Per gallon, 60c
- COMPOUND, 8 pounds, 95c

People's Exchange

Bargain

- Friday and Saturday
- FLOUR Golden Crust, 4 99c
- BEAN Mexican, Re No. 1, 1 30
- COMF Bulk, Bring 8 Pounds for 88c
- SPUDS No. 1 White, 10 pounds 19c
- CAKES Fig Bars, 2 pounds 23c
- LETTUCE Large Firm Heads 7c
- COCOANUT Bulk, per pound 23c
- HAMS Country Style, Half or w Per Pound, 24c
- BACON Dry Salt, per pound 13c
- CHEESE Longhorn, per lb 19c
- American Brick, p 27c

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SUGAR, 10 lbs. Cloth Bag,	53c	LETTUCE, Large heads, each,	8c
COMPOUND, Any kind, 8 lbs.,	95c	BANANAS, Nice size, Dozen,	19c
PRUNES, 2 pounds,	15c	ORANGES, Large size,	21c
SPUDS, 10 pounds,	19c	TEA, Lipton's 1/4 lb.,	24c
K. C. Baking Powder, 25c Size,	19c	BACON, Fancy Sliced, per lb.,	25c

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Friday and Saturday

Beans	10 Pounds, Pinto,	29c
Flour	Gold Crown, Made in Plainview,	99c
Syrup	Extra Good, Gallon Can,	49c
Compound	8 lbs. bulk, Bring Your Bucket,	85c
Pickles	Quart Jar,	19c
Plums or Prunes	Gallon, Limit,	39c
Brooms	50c Values,	29c
Peas	Blackeye, eat or plant, lb.,	6c
Coffee	4 lb. Pail,	89c
Candy	5c bars, each,	3c
Jelly	Home Made, Pint Jars,	27c
Spuds	10 Pounds for,	22c
Spuds	New Ones, Per pound,	4 1/2c
Apples	Extra Fancy, Delicious,	29c
Cabbage	Hard Heads, Per pound,	2 1/2c
Beans	Fresh, Per pound,	7c
Lettuce	Large Heads,	7c

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Four-Year Audit Of County's Financial Affairs Is Ordered

Rankin Audit Company, One of Eight Bidders, of Houston, Given Contract for Job.

A four-year-audit of the financial affairs of Floyd County, including every office in the county, which in that time has handled funds of the county or trust funds during the years of 1927, 1928, 1929 and 1930, was ordered by the Commissioners' Court at their Tuesday session, when the offer of Rankin Audit Company of Houston, to do the work for \$975, was accepted.

A contract will be entered into for the work to begin on June 15, or thereabouts, with the Houston firm, which audited the books of the county once previously, for the year of 1924. The bid of the Houston firm who will give the services of a Certified Public Accountant for the job here, was the lowest of eight submitted, according to Judge Jno. W. Howard, the highest submitted for the complete job of auditing being \$3,000.

The procedure follows recent decision of the court to consider the matter when alleged "errors and discrepancies" were said to have been found in the audit completed by A. Cornell & Company, Amarillo accountants, who, it was declared, had "done a measure of work." The audit is designed to determine definitely the state of accounts of every office in the county, who during the period has handled trust funds of the county, according to the advertised plan of the court and at its last regular term, and the purpose of "setting at rest the state of mind of the public."

A session in the court, prior to the audit, was held to have the complete audit, and around the matter of an audit of the affairs of the collector's office, following the receipt of information from the comptroller's office that the amount in the work of former collector P. G. Stegall, now deceased, was the only one showing errors and due the state, excluding minor errors in calculations during the four years.

One of these years, according to the statement from the local collector was that the auditors' figures for the year were not paid the state, and that he had under-paid the state, amounting claim of the collector between \$500 and \$1,000, all of which was paid by the Bennett item.

For the Comptroller spent three weeks while on an itinerary through the county, and in the time of their visitations had no special arrangements.

Required. Several weeks will be required to complete the audit of the county's affairs for the four years period. School funds of the county are not included in the contract for audit.

Mrs. J. C. Winn of Wichita Falls was a guest Monday and Tuesday of her sister, Mrs. Fred Zimmerman. She was accompanied by Mrs. Fulcher Armstrong. They were also guests of Mrs. Jack Henry. Miss Joe Alice, daughter of Mrs. Winn, who has been visiting Mrs. Zimmerman for the past two weeks, returned home with them.

Popularity Winners Are Active In F. H. S.

(Continued from page 1) a member of the Whirlwind basketball team this year and is a member of the "F" Club, high school organization for athletes organized this year.

Donley Stephenson, senior, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stephenson. He was elected the Best All-Round Boy during the popularity contest. He has been a member of the Tennis Club for the past two years, winning first in the county this year and participating in the District Meet at Lubbock. He played end on the football team this year and is a member of the "F" Club. He was captain of the Whirlwind basketball team this year and on the squad last year. He has been a member of the Chemistry Club, the Spanish Club, Declaration Club, and was a member of The Hesperian staff last year. He has been vice-president of the Hi-Y this year and was secretary last year. He was president of his class during his sophomore year.

Chester deCordova, senior, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus deCordova. He was elected Most Popular Boy. He was captain of the Whirlwind football team this year and last year was named the Most Popular Boy in the feature section of The Hesperian high school annual. He has been a member of the Chemistry Club, Spanish Club, and the "F" Club.

THIEVES BREAK LOCK ON TEXAS SERVICE CO. GASOLINE PUMP SUNDAY

Attempt to enter the Texas Service Station at Missouri and Wall streets was made Sunday morning early by thieves and while they did not gain entrance to the office they did succeed in breaking the lock on one of the gas pumps. It was not possible to determine the amount of gas taken. Geo. B. McAllister, manager, told officers who were called to the scene, because a check of the underground tanks was not made Saturday night at the close of business.

The thieves also had attempted to pry open the window on the north side of the station.

Lee Howard, night watchman, stated that he found everything at the station in good condition on his final round just before daylight, indicating that the robbery had been attempted about day-break.

No traces as to the identity of the thieves has been discovered.

MRS. C. E. DELK UNDERGOES APPENDICITIS OPERATION

Mrs. E. C. Delk, nee Maurine Andrews, of Amarillo, is reported this Thursday morning, as resting well, following an operation for appendicitis at about 1 o'clock Wednesday morning at Amarillo. Mrs. Delk was taken suddenly ill Thursday afternoon, and her father, Dr. V. Andrews, of this city, was called to her bedside at about 7:30 p. m. Immediately after Dr. Andrews' arrival in Amarillo, the operation was performed.

Mrs. Delk and husband spent last week-end here with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Carter and family left Saturday for Dallas County, Texas, where Mr. Carter will be employed on a ranch near Channing. They have moved to the ranch to make their home.

Rabbit Hunters Get 27 Head In Hour And A Half

Jake Hill and Doug Maddux, local hunters of wild game, principally jack rabbits, are of the opinion they are pretty good. Rabbits are plentiful in the small grain fields these days and the late afternoon and evening afford good hunting for the boys. Tuesday evening Jake and Doug in an hour and a half got twenty-seven of the jacks.

'Fine Art of Living' Is O'Brien's Subject At Lakeview Banquet

"The Fine Art of Living" was the subject of the address delivered by the Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, at the Junior-Senior banquet served at the Lakeview auditorium Tuesday night.

The banquet room was profusely decorated with cut flowers and four long tables were set for over eighty-five guests present for the enjoyable occasion. Members of the Senior and Junior classes of Lakeview High School, their parents, and the board of trustees were honor guests.

Mrs. O. M. Conway and Mrs. J. M. Lloyd were sponsors of the affair. A special stringed orchestra under the direction of Mr. and Mrs.

L. E. Kiker furnished music during the evening.

Pretty hand-made programs of four pages each that were placed at each table carried the menu, the program and the names of the members of the two classes. C. A. Cass was toastmaster and handled the event in an admirable fashion.

The program was as follows: C. A. Cass, toastmaster; invocation, Rev. J. M. Harder; welcome, Evelyn Roy; response, Frankie Jones; short talks, A. J. Folley, L. T. Barksdale, Joe Breed, and Miss Marie Strange; address, Rev. P. D. O'Brien; music, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kiker and orchestra.

Following was the menu served: chicken a la king, green beans, glazed potatoes, combination salad, beet pickles, caramel pie, rolls, and tea.

County Superintendent Price Scott and Mrs. Scott were also among the special guests from Floydada.

Miss Brown Eyes Hawkins and H. F. Hawkins of Wichita Falls spent the week-end here as guests of their sister, Mrs. Lon V. Smith.

Leland Dawson, B. K. Barker and John Buchanan will leave Friday for Dallas where they will drive three of the new Model A Ford trucks back to Floydada Saturday for the Barker Bros. Ford Agency here.

Burl Bedford returned home Wednesday after an absence of some two weeks, spent in Lubbock, Colorado City, and Big Spring. At Colorado City he visited with relatives. His brother, Loyd, who has been at Colorado City since Christmas, returned home with him.

New Officials Elected At Singing Convention

D. D. Boyles, of the Trick community, was re-elected president of the South Side Singing Convention when they met at Baker for an all day singing last Sunday. The election of the officers for the ensuing year was held in a business session at the close of the singing Sunday afternoon. Other officials elected were J. T. Heard, re-elected vice president, and Cloy Lyles, secretary.

A good crowd was in attendance all day at the Baker singing, and in the afternoon, the Baker auditorium was filled to a capacity. Basket dinner was served on the ground.

Singing in the South Side Convention will meet in their next session at Center, on the second Sunday in October, it was decided Sunday. The Center meeting will be held just in the afternoon, officials stated.

H. E. Smith, Jr., who has been in the East Texas oil fields for the past several months, was here this week on a visit with his mother, Mrs. H. E. Smith, Sr., and his brothers, Drs. G. V. and L. V. Smith.

Joe H. Smith returned this week from a business trip to Oklahoma City, where he had been for some three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Jackson and family, of Tulla, spent Sunday here visiting with relatives and friends.

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SOCIETY

Lowell Gamblin, Malcolm Bridges Honorees at Surprise Party.

Mrs. J. M. Gamblin entertained with a surprise party Tuesday night honoring her son, Lowell Gamblin, and Malcolm Bridges at her home, 625 West California Street. Gamblin and Bridges took part in the State Interscholastic League meet at Austin last week, Lowell having won second place in the mile run, and the party was given in commemoration of his success.

Bridge played at four tables furnished the main diversion for the evening. Fortune telling by J. L. Thomas was also a feature. During the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas uncle and aunt, presented Lowell a beautiful silver loving cup with the words "Track 1931" engraved on the side.

Delicious refreshments of date pudding, ice cream, and fruit punch were served the following: Mrs. J. L. Thomas, Misses Venitta Borum, Genell Stovall, Alice Mae Fyffe, Virginia Grigsby, Faye Houghton, Rhe Clout, Marzelle Hale, Katherine Fitch, and Vela Blasingame; Messrs. J. L. Thomas, Billie Joe Welch, Ralph Hale, Marion Heald, Urnon Borum, Kinder Farris, Malcolm Bridges, Lowell Gamblin, and Waldo Houghton, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gamblin, and daughter, Geraldine.

A Memphis (Tenn.) pastor advises marriage for any young man who has \$5 cash and a girl who really loves him.

family where they...

The oldest living member of Masonic fraternity in the United States is believed to be L. M. Logee, who has just celebrated his 105th birthday anniversary at Charlton, Mass.

So visitors may know that Westfield is the home city of Joseph B. Ely, Governor of Massachusetts, a state flag is flown from a pole in the town's public park.

When his shot, intended to kill an 800-pound hog, went wild, the animal chased George Beatty, of Walsboro, Ind., into a tree where he perched until a neighbor killed the enraged porker.

When he accidentally struck his head on a steel beam of the Chicago (Ill.) bridge from which he was preparing to make a suicide leap, Peter Hanson fell backward unconscious from the railing to the floor of the bridge and died of skull fracture.

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- FREDERICK E. ROBINSON, Coronado Beach, Calif.
- WM. A. SCHRADER, Brent Apts., New Albany, Ind.
- DR. D. H. SOPER, 523 E. Brown, Iowa City, Iowa.

5 Prizes of \$500 each

- F. CARTWRIGHT, Transp't'n Bldg., Washington, D. C.
- EDITH COCHRANE, Glenvale Ave., Darien, Conn.
- BARBARA LAWLESS, Ardmore, Pa.
- JANE PARSONS, 325 E. 79th St., New York, N. Y.
- RICHARD W. VOGT, Green Bay Road, Waukegan, Ill.

25 Prizes of \$100 each

- MARIE ALBERTS, 6252 So. Spaulding Ave., Chicago
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- EUGENE BARTON, 3625 La Luz St., El Paso, Texas
- MRS. EDW. F. DALY, 1133 Louisville St., St. Louis, Mo.
- WM. G. ERBACHER, 308 N. Front St., Conway, Ark.
- LEROY FAIRMAN, 69 Dartmouth St., Forest Hills, N. Y.
- KATHRYN R. FRANCIS, 448 E. 22d St., Baltimore, Md.
- MRS. ALEXIS GODILLOT, 191 Waverly Pl., New York
- C. W. GRANGE, 2316 Central St., Evanston, Ill.
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- JOHN I. GRIFFIN, 1208 Jackson, Pueblo, Colorado
- DAVID C. HILL, Peyton and Arlington Rds., York, Pa.

- ELIZABETH JARRARD, Porter Apts., Lansing, Mich.
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- JOHN KILPELAINEN, West Paris, Maine
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- EDWARD MARTIN, 121 Liddell St., Buffalo, N. Y.
- MRS. L. C. MILLARD, 609 Stockley Gardens, Norfolk, Va.
- EUGENE SARTINI, 745 Chapel St., Ottawa, Ill.
- GREGORY LUCE STONE, 755 Texas St., Mobile, Ala.
- DR. C. L. THOMAS, Mount Airy, N. C.
- LEE R. WOMACK, 448 Tenney Ave., Amherst, Ohio
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Spring time is fly time, and fly time is screen time. We have the screens.

Mrs. Lucian Wheeler of South West of town dropped in Monday of this week to do a little shopping. We are always glad to have our customers drop in on us.

Clyde Irvin of North east of Floydada is building a granary. He was in town Monday of this week and hauled out a load of material. It pays to build a granary, folks and if necessary, you will be prepared to hold your meat if you want to.

We are about to get straightened up again after a week of raining. You will find quite a change in our office and merchandise arrangement. Come in and look things over. We'll be glad to see you.

A man accompanied by his wife visited a tailor to pick out a suit. The wife disagreed with the selection. "Well," she said after a long argument, "please your husband. Suppose you are the one who will wear the clothes." The husband observed the husband and said, "I didn't suppose you were going to wear the coat and hat-bits."

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Sunday School Lesson

CHRIST AS KING

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for May 17, Christ Enters Jerusalem as King, Luke 19:29-42, 45-48.



The story of the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem from almost every standpoint occupies a strange place in the life story of the Master.

This is an affecting and moving story, and one that has special appropriateness, for no one surely was more worthy to ride in a tri-

umphal procession as king, and before no monarch could palm leaves and clothing be more fittingly thrown in the way than before this Galilean carpenter riding into Jerusalem on the foal of an ass.

It was a triumphal procession, moreover, that seems to have depended upon the sheer worth and spiritual dignity of the monarch rather than upon the trappings and pomp of state. It is a satisfaction to have in our New Testament this on presentation of our lowly Master in the kingly role that was in harmony with his true greatness.

A Striking Contrast

One cannot, however, fail to contrast this incident of the triumphal entry with all that went before and with all that so immediately followed in the life of Jesus. In the beginning of his public ministry we have the picture of him as holding aloof from crowds. Occasionally when the multitudes pressed round about him, he spoke to them, and on one occasion the pressure of the crowd was so great that he went into a boat and thrust out a little from the land speaking to the people who crowded on the shore. But that was exceptional.

When the throng wanted to make him king, he eluded them and went into the mountain to pray. Repeatedly when publicity seemed to be too great, he withdrew with his disciples. Possibly Jesus felt, as he expressed it on one occasion, that his hour had not yet come, that to court public approbation and a popular movement putting him into a position of physical leadership, would have been premature and calculated to defeat his real mission, which was one of the ministry of truth, the proclamation of right-

eousness, and the revelation of the saving power of the grace of God.

Just why Jesus should have permitted himself to be brought into Jerusalem with such popular acclaim and rejoicing is not quite clear. From the earnestness of his praying in the Garden of Gethsemane, it would appear that in his human consciousness the Master was not sure just what form the impending events were to take.

Bowed to Father's Will

With agony of prayer he played that the tragedy that he sensed might pass. His only concern was to do the Father's will. But in the very form of words that he used, "not my will but thine be done," he implied that the Father's will had not yet been made entirely plain to him. It is quite possible that at the time of the triumphal entry the Master believed that the impending events, the importance of which he believed in the fulfillment of his earthly mission, were to be brought about in a somewhat different way from the course they actually took. This would seem almost to be confirmed by the words on the cross in the last hour when Jesus felt that he was forsaken of God.

What ever be the truth of these matters, the triumphal entry, as I have suggested, was to stand as an incident in itself in striking contrast with all that went before and with all that came after.

Miss Dorothy Fae King of Abilene was a guest last week-end of Pauline Rogers. She spent from Friday to Sunday here. She was accompanied to Lubbock Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rogers and daughters, Pauline and Maurine, and Jessie Mae Wood.

CEDAR HILL H. D. CLUB ENTERTAINS MEMBERS OF PRAIRIE CHAPEL CLUB

Mrs. Clayton Weathers was hostess at a meeting of the Prairie Chapel Home Demonstration Club on April 14. Mrs. Conner joined our club at this meeting and fifteen old members were present. At this time we made plans for the trip to Cedar Hill and for entertaining the Harmony club. We also planned future programs.

As some of our members desired cooking demonstrations in preference to the regular programs scheduled in the book, some of our club members will give some of the demonstrations when our agent is not present. Miss Strange will make Angel Food Cake for our meeting the second Tuesday in May at the home of Mrs. Frank Whitfield. Club members will demonstrate quick yeast bread at the home of Mrs. Douglas Watson the fourth Tuesday in May.

April 21 was a lovely day for our trip to Cedar Hill and eighteen ladies enjoyed the trip. Club members met "just south of the second light post on Main Street" and made the journey together. We had two men along as mascots to prevent flat tires and balky engines. We went prepared to have a good time and we left all our worries at home.

Cedar Hill met us with a friendly greeting and ushered us to their club room. We felt at home at once.

The Cedar Hill women were charming hostesses. We did not have a dull minute and two ladies, Mrs. Hanna and Mrs. Wright, were the "goats" for many wise cracks.

We enjoyed all the games and believe us, Cedar Hill is sure smart. When we went to bat in that question game, they had a lot of stumblers that Edison should add to his next list. "Thanks, Cedar Hill, for an afternoon of natural, unrestrained laughter, the only tonic in the world that does not leave a bitter taste."

Prairie Chapel ladies making the trip were: Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Quisenberry, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Lovell, Mrs. John Byth, Mrs. K. Bammann, Mrs. Herman Huffman, Mrs. B. W. Davis, Mrs. Paul Cooper, Mrs. William Wood, Mrs. G. E. Tannahill, Mrs. Weathers, Mrs. Conner, Mrs. E. M. Whorton, Mrs. A. C. Shadix, and Misses Pauline Weathers and Annie Laurie Walker, a visitor from Cotton Center, Hale County.

A call meeting was held at the school house April 27 to complete plans for entertaining the Harmony Club on April 30, but our party was rained out.

CAMPBELL CLUB STUDIES APPRECIATION OF MUSIC

"Music appreciation" was the subject of a meeting of the Campbell Home Demonstration Club when they met with Mrs. Joe Smith on May 5. Mrs. S. J. Latta discussed "What is rhythm" and Mrs. W. H. Bethel and Mrs. A. J. Folley spoke on "Why is jazz bad on the nerves." "The difference in effect of America," was discussed by Mrs. R. C. Officer. Mrs. A. H. Kreis discussed "What is the rhythm of a march," and Miss Strange gave us a lesson in music appreciation.

During the business session a motion was made and carried that

each member pledge cooperation with the Floyd County Health Committee in the free health survey now in progress.

After the splendid musical program, the hostess served delicious refreshments to fifteen members, two new members and four visitors. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. J. F. Hart on May 10. The subject will be "Magazine Day."

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Dougherty News

(By Mrs. W. D. Newell)

Surprise Dinner

Last Sunday Mrs. J. H. Lloyd was honored by her children, Mrs. Osborn Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lloyd, with a Mother's Day dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lloyd. Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lincoln, Misses Lou Ella Lincoln and Grace Shelton and Messrs. Wayne Furrow, Waymond Terry and Henry Lee Lloyd, Mrs. Osborn Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lloyd.

Locals

Miss Annie Cumble from Joe-bailey spent the week-end with Miss Jonnie Brownlow.
Mrs. Jameson is in Floydada this week with her sister, Miss Oleta Fox, who underwent an operation Saturday. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Gray and son Earnest and Miss Elizabeth Jones.
Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Owens, Ruby and Jonnie Owens visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross in the Campbell community Sunday.
Mrs. L. H. Newell, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Newell and son and Miss Faye Newell from Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newell Friday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newell and children visited Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Scott and children at Pleasant Hill Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones and family visited E. M. Sisson and family at Petersburg Sunday.
Be sure and see the free play "Because I Love You" in Dougherty next Saturday evening beginning at 8 o'clock.
Miss Ruby Craig of Memphis, Texas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Martain.
Glenn White left Monday for Bellevue, Texas, where he will visit his grandparents and also attend the graduating exercises there.
C. A. Smith of Wake and Norman Payne visited Vellie McNeil Sunday.
Miss Grace Readhimer entertained the young people with a party Wednesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lowe visited in Post Saturday and Sunday returning home Monday.

A Mother's Day service was given Sunday morning at the Methodist church. The following program was rendered:
Opening Song "Faith of Our Mothers."
Address—Rev. F. O. Garner.
Prayer—Rev. W. H. Owens.
Welcome—Little Jean Nelson.
Reading "A Love Gift."—Joy Lynn Garner.
"The Babies Tribute" Reading—Mrs. C. E. Bartlett.
Solo "Where Have The Children All Gone?"—Rev. W. H. Owens.
Reading: "With Love from Mother"—Miss Florence Green.
Special Music "What Shall We do with Mother"—by the Stamps quartet.

Thank Thee exercise by Miss and three boys.
"Don't forget the Promise I made"—Theima and Grace.
Reading "A Picture of Mother"—Owens.
Prayer—Rev. S. M. Crawford.
F. O. Garner preached to a crowd Sunday evening using his scripture lesson Mark 6:42 Matthew 14:24.
District Conference will meet at 8 o'clock, May 20th.
Claude Wingo of Floydada began a revival meeting next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church.

W. H. Owens will preach Sunday morning at the Methodist Church.
There were 91 present in the Un-Sunday School last Sunday.
Folks Play Thursday Evening Sunday evening at 8 o'clock the folks of the primary and intermediate grades will have their annual play.
The Chinese Laundry is in the play given by the late grades.
The acts of the play, a parody of "Auld Lang Syne" by Mrs. and Lerabeth Newton; by Mozelle Patterson; song third and fourth grades, "Pencils." "A Dressed up six boys; reading, "My soul," by Helen Powell; recitations, by seven pupils.

Commencement Exercises beginning the following program arranged:
Prayer—Mrs. J. E. Newton.
Address—Lou Ella Newell.
by the class.
Solo—Irene Kreis.
Prayer—Jonnie Brownlow.
Address—Reynolds.

B. Thompson, Lubbock.
Saturday Evening
"Because I Love You" recited at this time as an entertainment of the school.
Act comedy drama presented by one of the students this year. Below are the characters:
Mr. Leigh—Irene Kreis

Ginger a waif—Esther Patterson. Nance—Jonnie Brownlow. Prudence—Lillian Barker. Horace—Reynolds Sanders. Dink Potts—Alfred Edwards. Van Sittart—Maurice Campbell. Buck Tyson—Nelson Hall. Squire Rippley—Stokes Campbell. Major Duffey—Mr. Blankenship. Lidge, a colored gentleman—Eli-bert Custer.

Last Friday evening the high school students presented the play entitled "Ducks" to a large audience.

This was a comedy play that kept the crowd in laughter most of the time. The characters were rightly chosen as each part was exceptionally well played.

The school faculty expresses their thanks to the audience for the splendid attention and behavior during the play, also for the good music furnished by the orchestra.

Fairview News

Fairview, May 12—The people of this community were kept busy preparing for the Mother's Day programs both at the Baptist and the Methodist churches. The Methodist program was held at the Methodist church Sunday morning and the Baptist program was held at the Baptist Church Sunday night. A large crowd was present at both places, and the programs were enjoyed by every one present.

The associational B. Y. P. U. met at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. A short Mother's Day program was rendered and the meeting will meet at White Flat the second Sunday of June.

Everyone is invited to attend the B. Y. P. U. at the Baptist church each Sunday night.

Center News

Center, May 12—Rev. and Mrs. Merle Weathers spent last Wednesday and Thursday here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lightfoot. Mrs. Lightfoot accompanied them home for a visit of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mankin spent Sunday in Almon visiting her mother Mrs. Ada Burke and her two brothers who also live there.

Mrs. Fred Cone and two children left Sunday after a week's visit with Mrs. Cone's mother, Mrs. Carpenter, who has been seriously ill for the past month. At this time she is greatly improved. Mr. Cone came from Wichita Falls after his family.

Other children who spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Carpenter were Elam, Clifford and Boyd Carpenter of Ralls and Slaton, Mesdames Marvin Jackson of Ralls, and Robert Greenway of Wolf City, together with Claude Carpenter and Mrs. Frizzle who lives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy O'Bryan and Mrs. Veach and Arlis Dean are visiting Mrs. Veach's mother at Evermore, Tarrant County, Texas. They are expected home today or tomorrow.

W. B. Jordan left Sunday morning for Dallas in company with Messrs. J. W. Lanier and John West of Floydada.

Floyd Montgomery was sick and absent from school all last week.

Remember Sunday is regular church day at Center.
Most of the Center folks went to Fairview Methodist church Sunday to attend the Mothers Day program.
A number of folks went to Fairview to the B. Y. P. U. convention Sunday.

Several of the people attended the concert by the Simmons University Cowboy Band in Floydada Sunday night.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of extending our heart-felt thanks to our many friends and neighbors during the illness and death of Little Thomas Melton Hodge. Your kind deeds and thoughtful expressions of sympathy will always remain engraved on our hearts, and we pray God's richest blessings upon each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hodge and family, Mrs. G. C. Miller, Mrs. Sophie Holford, G. M. Woolsey and family, S. M. Woolsey and family, and G. H. Day and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Norman and two children, of San Angelo, spent Thursday of last week here visiting with Mr. Norman's cousin, Mrs. T. B. McPeak. Mrs. McPeak and Mr. Norman met for the first time in twenty-nine years. Mr. and Mrs. Norman had been in New Mexico and other sections, traveling some 900 miles. They were enroute to Sherman where they will visit with Mr. Norman's relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bishop and little son, of Dalhart, spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Bishop. Mrs. Bishop is spending this week in Matador with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Williams, and Mr. Bishop returned Sunday to Dalhart.

Mrs. Walter Pennington left Friday for Scotch Bluff, Neb., to join her husband after spending several days here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton. Mr. and Mrs. Pennington, who have been making their home at Dimmitt, have moved to Nebraska where he will be manager of a Montgomery Ward Store.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Paschall, of Fort Worth, April 16, a daughter.

CHURCHES

C. P. CHURCH WILL HOLD VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Beginning June 8 and closing June 20, the daily vacation Bible School of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church will be held from 9:30 to 11:30 o'clock.

The periods will be as follows: 9:30 o'clock, story hour; 10 o'clock, Bible memory work; 10:30 o'clock, outdoor play; 10:45 o'clock, hand-work; 11:15 o'clock, song service; 11:30 o'clock, benediction.

Each morning a different woman or young woman of the congregation has been asked to take charge of the Bible story telling period. They are as follows:

Monday, June 8, Mrs. O. P. Rutledge; Tuesday, June 9, Mrs. Kenneth Bain; Wednesday, June 10, Mrs. Leach King; Thursday, June 11, Mrs. J. R. Archer; Friday, June 12, Mrs. W. M. Massey; Saturday, June 13, Mrs. B. M. Eubanks; Monday, June 15, Mrs. A. Noel Troutman; Tuesday, June 16, Mrs. Carl Minor; Wednesday, June 17, Mrs. Pierce King; Thursday, June 18, Miss Geraldine Massey; Friday, June 19, Mrs. Henry Hill; Saturday, June 20, Mrs. Rusey Fanning.

At the Presbyterian prayer meeting tonight, Pastor Comfort will discuss the scriptural significance of numeral One. This will be the beginning of a series on the meaning of numerals as used in the Bible.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

James G. Atkinson, Pastor
Mother's Day services closed with great victory. Subject for 11 a. m. services "The Old Fashion Mother." After the message the services were open to all that might tell their appreciation of their mother, the results of this was that two young men came up to the altar for prayer and left with their faces shining with victory.
The N. Y. P. S. gave a splendid program at the 7:30 hour. The subject was Mother. We welcome you to our regular services.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 p. m.
W. F. M. S. Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

FARMER BAPTIST CHURCH

G. W. Tubbs, Pastor
Preaching Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sunday School will be held at 2 o'clock. Everyone invited to be present.

MCCOY BAPTIST CHURCH

Bro. C. H. Carr, Pastor
Preaching Saturday night, May 16 at 8 o'clock.
Sunday school 10:30 a. m.
Preaching Sunday 11 a. m.
Preaching Sunday night 8 o'clock.
The B. Y. P. U. from Floydada is going to render a program at the church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everyone is invited to come.
The Mother's Day program given last Sunday morning by the Methodist and Baptist at the Baptist church, directed by Miss Clara Smith, Mrs. Wm. Snell and S. R. Wright was well attended and enjoyed by all.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Following is the program for the Senior B. Y. P. U. for Sunday, May 17:
Subject—The Holy Spirit and assurance of salvation.
Scripture reading—Olan Burrows. The Basis of assurance—Lorena Spence.

The witness of the Holy Spirit—Bernice Patton.
The conditions of assurance—Gilbert Nichols, Pete Odell, Marvin Crow.

The value of Assurance—Faye Newell.
The cure for doubt—Zela McRoberts.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. meets in the basement of the First Baptist Church each Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Bring someone with you—visitors are always welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Program for Sunday, May 17, at 7 o'clock will be as follows:
Song.
Prayer by leader.

Scripture reading—Matt. 5:43-48. Subject—War, the Enemy of Christian Civilization.
Leader's remarks—Pierce King.

Song.
War, the Enemy of Christian Ideals—Samuel Rutledge.

War, the Enemy of Brotherhood—Audrey Stiles.
War, the Enemy of Independence—Raymond King.
War, the Enemy of Mercy—Jean Bain.

Solo—E. C. Comfort.
Prayer, that our country may promote the ideals of Christian Love.

Offering, song, business and benediction.

Mrs. T. A. Caudle returned home Monday from Austin where she has been visiting with a daughter, Mrs. E. B. Sowell, for the past four months. Mrs. Sowell has been ill for the past few weeks but is considerably improved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Patty returned Saturday from Mineral Wells and Dallas where she has been receiving medical treatment for the past week.

A. & M. Specialists Dairying And Poultry Pay Visit To County

E. N. Holmgreen, poultry specialist, and John W. Luker, Dairy specialist, of the A. & M. Extension Service, together with Sterling C. Evans, District Extension Service Agent of District No. 2, spent a half-day Friday of last week in a survey and study of dairy and poultry production and market possibilities.

Their tour of this section was made as a part of a plan being formulated looking toward a regional co-operative organization for the marketing of poultry and dairy products. They were accompanied by a representative of the Farm Board on a part of the tour. The Farm Board's investigator, however, did not visit in Floyd and Crosby Counties, remaining in Plainview, where according to press dispatches, it is probable the central agency for the co-operative organization will be established.

LOCAL BANK MEMBERS GO TO STATE MEETING THIS WEEK

Representatives of the Floyd County National Bank and the First National Bank of this city are in attendance at the State Bankers' Convention being held this week at San Angelo. Leslie Surginer, cashier of the Floyd County National, and O. M. Watson, cashier, and T. A. Norman, bookkeeper, of the First National left Monday for the sessions which opened Tuesday morning and close today. They will return home Friday.

Mrs. Leslie Surginer also went to the convention in company with her husband and Mrs. Carr Surginer accompanied the party as far as Snyder where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Edd Brown and Mrs. Lon Davis left Tuesday morning for Wichita Falls to attend the convention of Christian churches which is being held there this week. Rev. and Mrs. Claude Wingo and baby, J. N. Johnston and Mrs. Champ Walters left Tuesday afternoon after the funeral to attend the convention.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stander Sunday morning an eleven pound daughter.

D. W. Stander of Lubbock spent from Saturday till Wednesday afternoon with his family. Mrs. Stander and children plan to join Mr. Stander in Lubbock the first of June.

Mrs. S. D. Odon of Weslaco, who has been the house guest of Mrs. Leslie Surginer for the past week, left for her home Saturday.


after spending time while in this state of his father, J. C. Cates.

Mrs. T. T. Hamilton and daughter, Ruth, visited with relatives in Amarillo on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

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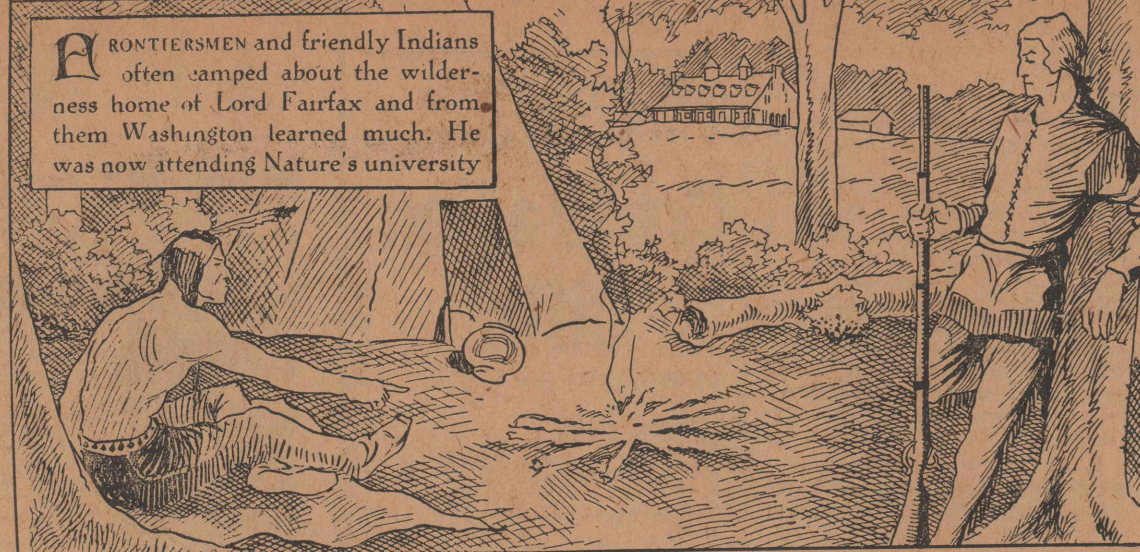
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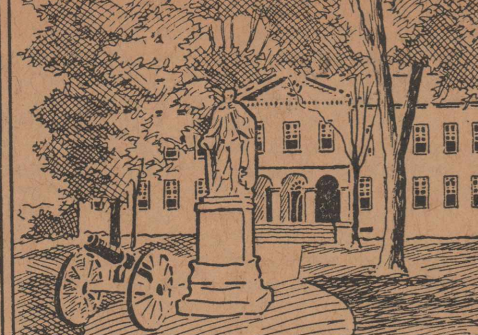
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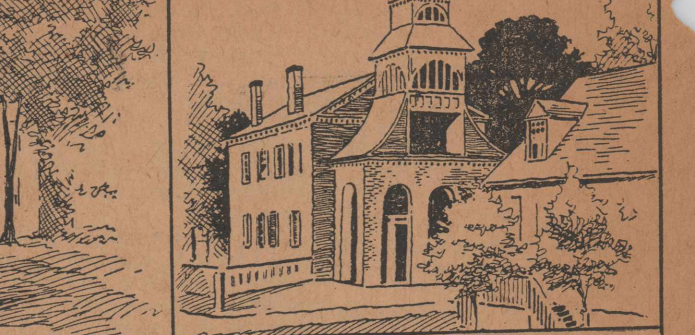
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By James W. Brooks

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IN the old court house at the right, long since vanished and the site of which is now occupied by a department store, George Washington was appointed surveyor of Culpeper County, Virginia, after having passed a rigid examination by the president and masters of William and Mary College, shown at the left.



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Special County Agent Intensely Practical, S. W. Ross Declares

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E. R. Eudaly, former Extension Service Swine Specialist, more recently in business for himself at Waco, and last week again named as an agent of the Extension Service of A. & M. College to serve counties in last year's drought area, will visit Floyd County again on May 25, 26, 27 and 28, he told local farmers and business people Tuesday afternoon, after spending Monday and Tuesday in the county.

Mr. Eudaly has the title of Live Stock specialist with the extension Service, with duties of a state-wide nature. However, during the next several months he will give his time to the counties of this area in an advisory capacity.

S. W. Ross, secretary of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday afternoon expressed his impressions of the special agent who will serve this area. "He is intensely practical and is the kind of a man who can actually be of value to us in the solution of the problems we have at this time," Mr. Ross declared. "He doesn't sit in the parlor and tell somebody what they ought to do, but gets out and looks over the situation and reasons out things to their conclusion," Ross said, following a visit to some of the farmers in the county who have been making efforts in specialized lines. Among the farmers visited were those of Robert Smith, of Lockney; Olin S. Miller of Center, A. T. Swepton of Hillcrest and the Standforth Bros. Hog Ranch near South Plains. At the Smith farm special attention is being given to dairying and dairy stock breeding, and the problem is one of obtaining production at the least possible cost in feed. At the Miller farm special attention is being centered on the production of White Leghorn chickens of a high breed and the production of eggs on a cheap market to carry the flock along until better conditions prevail. A similar thing is true of the Swepton farm, where feeding operations are carried on with sheep and high grade Herefords, along with a general farming program.

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Farmers or communities desiring to have Mr. Eudaly visit them are invited to leave word with Mr. Ross, who is going to attempt to have an itinerary arranged for the special county agent which will keep him very busy every hour he is in this county, when he returns.

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FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Junior Edition

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The Value of Third Year Home Economics

In Floydada High School and many of the small high schools in Texas, they teach first and second year Home Economics but do not teach the third year. This gives the girl a start in this great subject but does not give them enough. It teaches them enough to make them anxious to learn more but our school does not give them this opportunity.

In the study of Home Economics, girls are taught how to build homes on the right foundation and after once having built a home it teaches them how to manage it skillfully and economically. It teaches young girls the value of living clean, wholesome lives with high ideals. It is not possible to have too much of such a study in our high school.

All things begin in the home. Thrift, Christianity, high ambition, all have their founding in the home. That is why we should try

to make better homes. We need homes more skillfully managed. A home should be a haven, and Home Economics teaches the young girls of today how to make it so. A third year of home economics would enlarge the girl's ideas and influence them for the better and nobler things.

Home Economics builds our high school girls of today morally and physically stronger. They grow morally because of the influence on them to read better literature and lead better lives. They are strengthened physically because they are urged to eat healthful foods, sleep enough and form habits of cleanliness.

Floydada High School needs the third year of Home Economics taught to continue this vital and important study. It extends its influence throughout the school and helps exceedingly. We would have a better school if the third year of Home Economics were taught.

Genell Stovall.

Juniors

The Junior class of '30-31 is a class of which Floydada High school should be proud. This is a class of high standing and of many honors. Don't forget the junior play, "And Home Came Ted," one of the best high school plays ever given by a junior class in F. H. S.

Then look at the record of the juniors. The juniors have won the

Follies for three consecutive years, how's that for a record?

Juniors are very well represented in athletics; for an example, Lowell Gamblin, who won second in the mile run at the state meet. There are several juniors who are lettermen in football and basketball. Don't forget that a junior played on the county championship tennis team.

After all's said and done, here comes the invitation to the seniors from the juniors, to be our guests at a banquet Saturday night, May 16. You can't over estimate the juniors. If you want to have a jolly time, be a junior.

Class Prophecy

One day as I was walking down the lane, Tomorrow, I lay down and fell asleep on the cool grass of Memory. I dreamed of dear old F. H. S. in the year of 1931. I resolved to return to the old home town.

The first person I met was Pat Stansell, he had grown tall and had been elected sheriff of Floyd County. As I strolled down Main Street, I saw a curly head, oh who could that be? At last I recognized my friend, Bill Welch. "Why hello, old man," he greeted me. "Come home to lunch with me, Kay is a wonderful cook."

I declined the invitation walked down West California. I saw a beautiful school and standing in the door I saw Alice Mae Fyffe. She told me that she had built, this school for girls so that she might show them how to be dignified.

Alice Mae told me that Genell Stovall was a famous dancer in Hollywood.

I saw a couple coming down the street and recognized them as Carl Young and Virginia Grigsby. "Carl is a wonderfu preacher," Virginia cried. "Yes, and Virginia leads my choir," Carl said.

I saw a wagon passing and on the seat sat Russell King, he had learned to be a successful farmer, thanks to Mr. Williams.

Next I met, J. D. Moore, he was a lawyer and Selma was his secretary.

J. D. told me that Bill Grigsby owned the Hesperian office and Faye Houghton was a reporter for him.

Layton Dorrell had become famous for making a formula for a Hollywood diet.

Leo Jackson was a dignified professor of ancient languages in a junior college.

Blanche Hilton was in Flo Zigfield's Follies.

Venita Borum was an elephant trainer in Ringling's Circus.

Samuel Rutledge had made a fortune by peddling vegetables.

Urnon Borum was a dealer in "Hale" insurance.

Gordon Lightfoot was touring foreign countries giving lectures on "That School girls' Complexion."

Bruce McLaughlin had ruined his health by exerting his extra amount of energy.

Raymond King crooned love songs over the N. B. C. chain.

I wandered to our dear old Alma Mater, she had long since been torn down and a new building replaced it. I ventured inside, there stood Verne Eastridge, the principal. He told me to go visit all the teachers.

I met the dean of women, Pauline Rogers.

Next I met W. A. Amburn the head of the English department.

Lowell Gamblin was the teacher of Geometry.

I left the school and went to a wonderful cafe, the waiter came to take my order, to my surprise I found that he was none other than our President Marion Heald. The cigarette girl came and flirted with me, she was one of my old school friends, Jean Bain.

At last I awoke to find I had been dreaming and all these things were only dreams. But I made up my mind to communicate with all my old friends.

Last Will and Testament of The Junior Class.

We, the junior class of Floydada High School, city of Floydada, county of Floyd, and State of Texas, do make, publish, and declare

this our last will and testament, that is to say:

We give our honorable class name to the Sophomores (They'll need it).

We bequeath to the Freshman class our privilege to run up and down the halls at all hours of the day with the request that they use it to Mr. Cummings' discomfiture.

Virginia Grigsby wills her voice to Woodrow Badgett, on condition that he fulfill all request numbers made by the seniors next year.

Gordon Lightfoot wills his ability to become beautiful to Waldo Houghton.

Layton Dorrell wills his shapely form to Marion Phillips.

Lurlyne Clonts wills her place in the little black Ford with the white wheels to Mary Allene Harris.

Marion Heald wills her wit and humor to John Harold Myers.

Hereby, being of sound mind and consequence, close this our last will and testament with our signatures. The Junior Class.

Chapel Program, May 11

The Floydada High School was entertained Monday in chapel by the Simmons Cowboy Band. Many visitors attended. Andrews Ward and East Ward, dismissed and several mothers and fathers also visited the entertainment. The program was broadcast over the Floydada station. The auditorium and balcony were full of people.

Mr. Cummings announced that from the senior class, Thelma Crawford was valedictorian with an average of 94%, and Roxie Norton was salutatorian with an average of 93%.

Rev. O'Brien introduced the program as follows: "Over There"—Medley of war tunes, "Weary," and "Whistling Farmer Boy."

Mr. John Reagan did tricks with ropes. He is considered one of the best trick ropers in the world.

"You Brought a New Kind of Love to Me," "Stars and Stripes Forever," were then played by the band.

Martin Brown made the final announcements and the program was closed.

Chapel News, May 7

The Hi-Y boys had charge of the program Thursday and David Rutledge introduced the old and new officers. Each one gave a short talk.

Ralph Hale, president of last year; Joe Pennington, president for next year; Donley Stevenson, vice president of last year; Charley Grigsby, vice president for next year; O. B. Olson, secretary of last year; Sam Rutledge, secretary of last year; Marion Heald, treasurer of last year; Fred Fondy, critic of last year; Russell King, critic for next year; Bill Grigsby, re-elected reporter.

Carl Marshall gave a talk on the "Aims and Purpose of the Club," announcements were made by Mr. Cummings.

Society

The Latin classes were entertained with a Latin Festival Friday night, May 8, at the Andrews Ward gym. Everything was carried out in Roman style and all Roman games. Among the games played were: footraces, archery, jacks, ball and boxing. The ones present were divided into groups, Germans and Romans and participated in the games accordingly.

Latin I gave a surprise to the crowd for they presented us with statues. The following statues were imitated and the statues looked very real for they were dressed in white and when a light was thrown on them they were pretty.

Discus thrower, Hugh Ayres; Dying Gladiator, Forest Fry; Gaul and wife, Hugh Ayres and Doris Clonts; Pirate Slayer, Tom Ed Rogers; Dice Throwers, Mable Tubbs and Doris Clonts; The Amazon, Mable Tubbs.

After this the two groups gave plays. The first one was Jack and the Bean Stalk. The following took part: Virginia Welch, mother of Jack; William Barnett, Jack; John Smith, bean stalk; Layton Dorrell, giant; Selma Lider, giant's wife; Bob King, cow.

The second play, "Little Red Riding Hood" was given by the following: Kinder Farris, wolf; Novella Taylor, Red Riding Hood; Waldo Houghton, grandmother; Floyd Murry, wood cutter.

These plays were enjoyed very much and following the plays refreshments were served to the following: Margaret Smith, Dorothy Thurman, Mable Tubbs, Doris Clonts, Louise Conner, Floriene Dorrell, Novella Taylor, Virginia Welch, Mary Anne Kimble, Selma Lider, Mrs. Breed, Elwood Patty, Forest Fry, J. L. Estes, Harvey Howard, Bob King, Floyd Murry, Hugh Ayres, Tom Ed Rogers, John Smith, Carl Young, Layton Dorrell, Waldo Houghton, William Barnett, Kinder Farris, and Billie Welch.

Visitors were Mrs. Olin Fry, Mrs. George Smith, Christine Swepston and Authur Earl Gamble.

Freshman Picnic

About sixty Freshmen went to the seven mile canyon Saturday and spent the day. They were accompanied by Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Clifford Tubbs, Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. R. E. Fry.

Senior Day

A senior day was established last Friday. It is a novelty in this school but is expected to be a permanent event. The seniors went to Silver Falls and spent the day. Mrs. O. P. Rutledge, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mrs. E. B. Massie, who was visiting here from Corpus Christi, and A. D. Cummings, our principal, went with them. It seems that part of the seniors enjoyed the skating rink and Silver Falls.

Sophomore Picnic

The Sophomore class went on a picnic last Saturday to Lingshuf Falls and spent the day. They were accompanied by Mrs. Olin Fry, Miss Daltis Rea, and Miss Wanda Montague. About fifty sophomores enjoyed the skating rink and Silver Falls.

Hi-Y Picnic

About twenty-five Hi-Y boys went to Tule Canyon and spent the night Saturday night. Mr. Cummings went with them but only got part of the way back. After trying to spend the night, there was a sleepy bunch of boys around town Sunday. The boys were very sore trying to run up and down the canyon after dark. But not counting those who fell in cactus they all got back okay.

Locals

Effie Mae Shelton had company from Dougherty this week-end. Miss Vida and Zelta Battey and Miss Adele and Myranell Evers.

Pauline Rogers had as her guest last week-end Miss Dorothy Faye King of Abilene. Jessie May Wood and Pauline accompanied her to Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Gladys Ruth Brown, Rex Brown, Layton Dorrell, Waldo Houghton, Wanda Teeple, Mary Louise Thurmon, and Faye Houghton attended the Annual Christian Endeavor Convention held in Canyon from Friday until Sunday.

Hazel Borum spent the week-end in the country.

Christene Trowbridge and Hazel Parker spent the week-end in Lockney visiting friends.

Miss Pennington spent Friday in Lockney.

Samuel Rutledge was absent from school last week because of illness. Lavern Jordan went to Silver Falls Sunday.

Maxine Fry went to Plainview Friday and Saturday.

Rhe Cloud spent the week-end in Plainview visiting friends.

Mable Thornton spent the week-end in Floydada visiting friends.

Edward Clanton of Plainview visited in Floydada last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall, Genell, Dorothy and Virginia Stovall spent Sunday in Tula.

Roxie Norton, Thelma Crawford, Malcolm Bridges, Lowell Gamblin, and Mr. Stephens spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday in Austin. They arrived home late Sunday afternoon.

Miss Virginia Grigsby visited in Lakeview Friday night where she took part on the program presented by the Choral Club. She sang several songs.

Jokes

Russel: "I have only a dollar to spend. Jan, what do you suggest?"

Genel: "Let me call up another boy friend."

Donnie: "They're saying now that an onion a day keeps the doctor away."

Alice M.: "Yes, but what's the good of that if it keeps all the other men away, too?"

Hazel: "Well, if I do give you a kiss, will you promise not to ask for another?"

David: "Well, you ought to know more about your kisses than I do."

E. B.: "I learned to play the saxophone by ear."

Ross: "Didn't you get an awful ear ache?"

Doc: "I am burning with love for you."

Gwen: "Ah, don't make a fuel of yourself."

Buddy: "During the dance, my suspenders broke."

O. B.: "Weren't you horribly embarrassed?"

Buddy: "Not very. You see Chester had them on."

Mrs. Stovall: "What is mostly raised in damp climates?"

Carl: "Umbrellas."

Faye: "I hear they're starting a new campaign against malaria."

Madge: "My gracious, what have the Malarians done now?"

Doris: "I admire the strong masculine man who knows what he wants."

Blanche: "But what do you want?"

Pauline: "I understand that Buddy kisses weakly."

Maxine: "What! So seldom?"

Joan of Arc was not Noah's daughter.

Remember the event of the season. The Junior-Senior banquet.

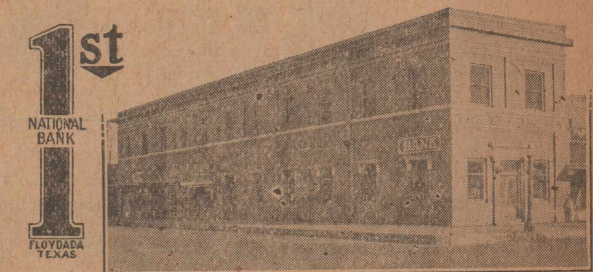
C. D. Gibbs made a business trip to Lubbock Friday of last week.

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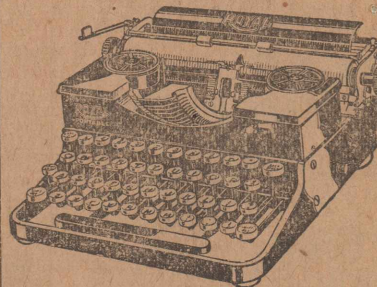
"Tell me—what can I do to improve my lot? Sure, I'm a farmer. I like farming. I was raised on the soil. So were my folks.

"I ought to be able to sell my stuff as soon as it's ready. Well—I'm doing that now. I take my butterfat, eggs and poultry to the nearest Swift & Company produce plant.

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New goods are arriving daily and we do not intend to keep them on our shelves—THEY MUST BE KEPT MOVING and these RED HOT prices on this page tell their own story of how anxious we are to KEEP this merchandise GOING.

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