

FARMERS' SHORT COURSE HELD TUESDAY, AUG. 18

Stage Set At Hank Smith Memorial Park For Reunion of Old Settlers

Grounds Today Present Busy Scene As Workers Prepare For Opening

Registration of Old Settlers At Arbor 10 A. M. Friday.

Grounds at the Hank Smith Memorial Park at Mt. Blanco, Crosby County, present a busy scene this morning as preparations go forward for the opening in the morning of the sixth annual reunion of the West Texas Old Settlers Association.

Registration Begins Friday Registration of the old-timers will begin in the morning at 10 o'clock, according to the plans worked out, with Mrs. W. T. Dunn and Mrs. E. H. Brown in charge of the registration table.

M. C. Potter, vice-president of the West Texas Old Settlers Association, will preside at the formal meeting of the Association tomorrow and Saturday afternoon.

While there are expected to be provided ample entertainment for all those who wish to attend the reunion, plans in particular this year are to feature the old settlers' part of the fun.

As the close of the reunion draws near on Saturday afternoon, the board of directors and old-timers present will be called into meeting to select officers and directors for the ensuing year.

This morning's special points to the whole for the two-day affair and a record attendance is possible.

City To Retire \$8,000 Water Bonds Of 1913

In its regular meeting this week the City Council voted to exercise its option of retiring \$8,000 of a \$20,000 issue of five per cent water works bonds issued by the city in 1913.

At the same meeting the First National Bank of this city was renamed city depository on a bid of two per cent on daily balances.

Reduction in sewer connection charges were voted to be allowed wash racks. Six customers of the city will be affected by the change from a charge of \$3 heretofore made to \$1.50.

Discussions of the city's income and expense accounts followed a report of the secretary, in which it was shown that a deficit in actual operating expenses of approximately \$150 per month for the months of May, June and July had occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Houston left Sunday for eastern markets where they will buy new fall merchandise for the C. R. Houston Company dry goods stores in Floydada and Crosbyton.

Woody Drug Gets Fifth Prize For Gordon's Display

Woody Drug Company this week received national recognition in a window dressing contest for an attractively decorated back bar of the fountain done by Ralph Gordon, employe of the firm.

First place in the contest was won by another Texas store, the Copeland Drug Company of Estelline, Texas. The award was a check for \$100.

Attractive decorations on the bar done with brush and show card paint by Gordon, featuring the Julep drink found favor with the judges.

Change In Boundaries Precincts 2, 3 Made By Commissioners

All of Silverton Highway From Precinct 1 To County Line Now In Precinct 3.

All of the highway from the boundaries of Commissioners' Precinct One, approximately six miles north of Floydada, to the Briscoe County line was placed in Precinct 3 by a change in the boundaries of that Precinct and Precinct 2 ordered by the Commissioners' Court in their sessions in Floydada Monday.

The change was made based on a petition of fifty-four signers in the affected area, the change actually affecting the status of approximately fourteen sections of land lying on each side of the Silverton Road from South Plains south to the boundaries of Precinct One, this particular area now being located in Precinct Three, affairs of which are handled by M. H. Taylor, Commissioner of that precinct.

The old line between the two precincts ran approximately one mile east of the Silverton Road, and put the road in three precincts, the south six miles in Floydada precinct, the next seven miles in Lockney Precinct and the last ten or twelve miles in the South Plains Precinct.

The altered line is described on the map as extending south on section lines a distance of seven miles from the northeast corner of Section 35 and the northwest corner of Section 40, Block D1, to the northeast of Section 85 and northwest corner of Section 84, Block T.

The quarterly reports of Mrs. Maud Merrick, county treasurer, and of Tom W. Deen, county clerk, were received and approved, as was also the monthly report of J. S. Solomon, Justice of Precinct No. 1.

ELECTION AT STERLEY SET FOR AUGUST TWENTY-NINTH

Taxpayers of Sterley School District will vote on two propositions August 29, the date for which an election was called Wednesday of last week by Judge J. W. Howard following a petition presented to him.

The propositions are, first, the adoption of \$1 on the \$100 valuations for the support of the district, and second whether the district will assume an indebtedness of \$9,100 total, which is made up of amounts respectively from Lone Star, Roseland and Prairie Chapel bond issues for school building purposes, which was adjudged the prorated amount the lands in the district owed on the outstanding bond issues.

The district has an approximate total area of twenty-six square miles.

VISITS CARLSBAD CAVERN

Mr. and Mrs. Pleyman Cox and little daughter, Dorothy, of Dallas, and Mrs. Nora Cox and daughter, Thomasine, of this city, spent last Sunday at Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they went through the famous Carlsbad Cavern. In the party touring the cavern Sunday was a total of 801 persons, representing twenty-eight states and one foreign country.

Generous Rainfall Over Wide Area Sunday in Floyd County Brightens Prospect For Feed, Cotton Crops

Municipality's Saving On Electric Current Put At \$3,631 For Year

Head of Texas Utilities Company Announced Emergency Rates Effective at Once.

The municipality of Floydada will effect a saving which was figured in a meeting of the council late yesterday to total \$3,631.36 for the year, on emergency electric light and power rates announced by Judge I. R. Kelso, effective with the September billing and continuing to and including the August billing for the year of 1932, which the head of the Texas Utilities Company said he was making as a uniform offer to all cities and towns in the system served by the company in this state and New Mexico.

The reduced rates came in the form of a statement made orally to the city council in a special session held at the city hall at 4:30 in response to a request of the president of the company for a meeting with the council, and was presented as an outline of his company's efforts to help the municipality meet its emergency needs for the year. With one exception the new rates were promulgated specifically for the one-year period only.

The estimate of the saving that is to be effected was arrived at by taking the consumption by the city last year as a basis, and reducing the candle power of lamps used in the street lights from 250 to 100.

During the year just closed, according to the figures taken from the light company's billings to the city, the city expended for street lighting a total of \$4890, for water pumping \$3595 and the school district for lights \$224.07, a total of \$8,709.07. On the basis of the same amount of consumption for the ensuing year, and using the lower candle-power lights, the expenditure for lights would be \$1,711.50, for pumping \$2,815.80 and for the schools \$44.26, a total of \$4,571.56. From this figure was deducted the city and school taxes paid by the company last year and the estimated city's proportion of the county taxes for the year.

The new rates will be effective the utilities company head said, "regardless of any course that may be adopted by this town. This proposition is now effective in Floydada with your approval."

A formal acknowledgement in the form of a resolution by the council was asked for by Judge Kelso, if the council decided to accept the offer made. The suggestion in the phrase "regardless of any course that may be adopted by this town," had reference to newspaper reports that the local council plans to promulgate new rates for the light company here and now have in progress the drafting of an ordinance that will set out rates which may be charged and other matters with reference to the regulation of the light company's affairs.

It was indicated that the reductions made would be accepted by the council. Members of the council late yesterday declined to be quoted relative to their plans for carrying on the fight for reduced rates for users of electric current other than the municipality.

Judge Kelso was accompanied to Floydada by W. E. Billings, chief engineer of the company, of St. Louis, which is also the home of Judge Kelso.

ROTARY OFFICIALS GO TO DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

J. M. Willson, O. P. Rutledge and S. W. Ross, president, vice-president and secretary respectively of the Floydada Rotary Club, spent Monday night and Tuesday in Breckenridge, where they attended the president's and secretary's district assembly of the Rotary Forty-First District.

They returned home Tuesday night.

Rainfall of generous proportions Sunday afternoon and night last that was heaviest, generally speaking, in the area surrounding Floydada, adds very materially to the prospects for crops of feed and cotton in the county.

Rainfall Sunday afternoon at Floydada was 1.2 inches, and the reports from over the area covered by the rain run as high as three inches and as low as half an inch in spots. West for six miles, south for five miles, north for fifteen miles and east for twelve miles from this city the rain was heaviest. Total rainfall in the city was 1.63 inches for the afternoon and night.

Reports received at The Hesperian office indicate that with very few exceptions farmers over the whole county are expecting ample feed crops to take care of their needs and in many instances feed production will be higher than for the average year.

Cotton crops are good also, reports indicate. But since a low market is in prospect not so great importance is being attached to the cotton crop, except as affording an opportunity to the raiser to make wages gathering it, while the generous feed crop in making will assure ample feed for live stock, dairy and poultry operations to continue on the regular scale on the farms throughout the winter.

Citizenship Can Aid Receiver In Cleaning Up Affairs Of Bank

In a statement Tuesday morning, answering questions of a reporter for The Hesperian, L. B. Withers, receiver of the Floyd County National bank said that the people of the community should keep one thought in mind, namely, that the affairs of a bank conducted under a receivership, are administered directly under the Comptroller of the Currency for the benefit of the depositors and others to which the bank is indebted.

"Some people are under the impression that the cost of a receivership is an enormous amount. If the people of this community will get that out of their minds, and realize that no big fees are paid either to the receiver, his attorneys or the other employees, and that everything being done is solely in the interest of depositors, it will make the job of getting their money for them a much lighter one," Mr. Withers said.

"If I understand my job, the comptroller has not put me here to tear up the community, but on the other hand, he is expecting me to work as fast as possible toward a liquidation."

Those who are in position to know facts of the case can be of great assistance, he points out, toward making the disagreeable job a great deal easier done, and any help along this line the citizenship are willing to give will be beneficial to the receivership, the community, the depositors, and everybody concerned.

Report Of Auditors Approved This Week

The report of the Rankin Audit Company, firm of Houston accountants, which completed in July a four-year audit of the books of Floyd County officials and compiled a financial statement for the county, was approved by the Commissioners' Court in their sessions here Monday of this week.

The report is a voluminous study of all accounts of all officers for the four-year period, 1927 to 1930, inclusive. It had been the subject of the study of officials for the past two weeks. It was done at a cost of \$975 to the county.

A somewhat detailed study of the report will be given in a later issue or issues of The Hesperian.

Milk Prices Drop; 10 Cents Quart Retail

Sweet milk, which has been delivering to the retail trade at twelve and a half and fifteen cents, has come to a new price level this month, dairymen announcing a ten-cent price effective since the first of August.

Short Course Program

Opens at 10 a. m., sharp, at City Tabernacle. 10 to 10:10—Community singing, led by G. C. Tubbs, Floydada.

Invocation by Rev. Sam Young, pastor First Methodist Church.

10:15 to 10:25—Introduction of Short Course personnel by S. W. Ross, secretary of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, master of ceremonies.

10:25 to 11:25—Address by E. R. Eudaly, livestock feeding and farm management specialist, Extension Service of A. & M. College, on "Farm Management."

11:25 to 11:55—"Thirty Minutes of Fun," including stunts, music, and jokes—everybody participating.

12 to 1:15—Lunch hour. Eats served picnic style. Round table discussions on topics of interest.

1:15 to 1:25—Address, "Plans for Relief Work by the Home Demonstration Clubs of Floyd County This Winter" by Miss Martha Faulkner, County Home Demonstration Agent.

1:25 to 1:40—Recognition service for Mrs. W. E. Miller, Mrs. A. R. Hanna, and Mrs. O. W. Fry, Master Farm Homemakers of Texas.

1:40 to 1:50—Address, "Health in the Home," by Miss Dorothy Wentland, district health nurse with the State Department of Health.

1:50 to 2:05—Entertainment by B. C. Ruthven, district sanitarian with the State Department of Health.

2:05 to 2:55—Address, "The 4-H Pantry and Living at Home," by Mrs. Leola Cox Sides, Extension Specialist on Nutrition.

2:55 to 3:25—Talks by Mrs. D. S. Battey on "Housing, Feeding and Marketing My Poultry," and Mrs. W. E. Miller on "Standardization and Marketing of Black-Eye Peas."

3:25 to 4:00—Address on "Poultry" by Mr. Eudaly. Round Table Discussions and Conclusion by Mr. Ross.

\$5 PER BALE AND SEED ALLOWED FOR GINNING, HARVEST BY DEPARTMENT

Persons having loans from the Drouth Relief Fund appropriated by congress early this year, and administered by the Department of Agriculture, will be permitted by the loan committee of the department to use as much as \$5 of the sale price of the staple and the seed to pay for the expense of harvesting and ginning cotton on which the government has a mortgage, according to information received by W. Edd Brown this week.

More than 200 loans of this nature were made in this county this spring through a central committee composed of Mr. Brown, S. L. Rushing and Mrs. John N. Farris.

Encampment For 4-H Girls August 21 To 22

Members of the Girls 4-H Clubs of Floyd County will hold their annual encampment Friday and Saturday, August 21 and 22, on Blanco Canyon south of Floydada northeast of the County Club grounds, it was announced in a letter this week to the girls from Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent.

The girls will meet on the court house lawn at 2:30 o'clock Friday of next week and will go to the canyon to spend the night and the next day in profitable fun and frolic. They will prepare their own meals and will "camp out" for the night.

"I am looking forward to making this the best 4-H Club Girls Encampment Floyd County has ever had and I am expecting the girls to be on time and 100 per cent strong from every club," Miss Faulkner said.

Preparations For Fair Going Forward Rapidly

Preparations are going forward for the Floyd County Fair October 9 and 10, according to S. W. Ross, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, sponsors for the event.

"We are working on arrangements and details for the program," Mr. Ross said this morning. "We hope to have a complete list of premiums ready at an early date. The women are working on plans for their flower and quilt show and this is going to be one of the features of the fair this year."

Study Of Community Agencies For Service Made By Rotarians

Study of the agencies in the community of Floydada and Floyd County which members of the Rotary Club may work for the betterment of civic conditions was made at the meeting of the club held Wednesday of this week in the basement of the Methodist Church, in a program presented by J. C. Wester, chairman of the Community Service Committee of the club.

Geo. A. Linder gave a survey of some seventeen agencies and their respective leaders, and briefly outlined their respective activities, and was followed by J. H. Reagan, service representative of the McDermott Post, American Legion, who talked in particular of the efforts of this national organization to better conditions for ex-service men and gave concrete examples of the work done in this respect by the local post.

A brief talk was made by R. H. Alexander, representative of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, who said among other things that "the attitude of the bank's debtors at this point has been remarkably fine."

A re-survey of classifications represented in the club and of "open" classifications in the community will be made by the classification committee, it was announced. This committee is composed of Robt. Medlen, Robt. Sone and H. G. McClesney.

LOCAL MARKET

Poultry Hens, 4 lbs. and up 11c Hens, under 4 lbs., 9c Old Roosters, 4c Colored Fryers, 14c Leghorn Fryers, 11c Stags, 7c

Eggs Eggs, candled, per doz., 10c Eggs, Stamped Infertile, doz., 12c

Cream Butterfat, per lb., 18c Butterfat, No. 2, per lb., 15c

Hides Hides, per lb., 1 1/2c

Hogs Top Hogs, per lb., 6c Packers, per lb., 3 1/2c

Grain Wheat, per bu., 26c Barley, per bu., 22c Oats, per bu., 18c

Event Given At City Tabernacle; A. & M. Cooperates In Plan

Free Program; All Rural Residents Urged To Attend.

Floyd County's first Farmers' Short Course will be held Tuesday, August 18, at the City Park Tabernacle through the courtesy and cooperation of the Extension Department of A. & M. College of Texas and under the sponsorship of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce and The Floyd County Hesperian. The Short Course will last for one day only and will be staged free for the farmers and the farmwives.

Specialists to Speak Principal addresses of the event will be delivered by Mrs. Leola Cox Sides, Extension Nutrition Specialist, and E. R. Eudaly, livestock feeding and farm management specialist, both of A. & M. College. Talks will be made by Mrs. W. E. Miller of the Sand Hill Demonstration Club and by Mrs. D. S. Battey of the Harmony Home Demonstration Club. The annual picnic of the fourteen Home Demonstration Clubs of the county will be held in connection with the Short Course.

Every family attending will bring a basket and lunch will be spread picnic style at the noon hour. Mus-

Scoutmaster W. A. Gound this morning announced that the Boy Scouts would be glad to cooperate in staging with the Short Course and would police the cars and grounds during the day, assisting the visitors in every way possible and looking after their comfort. Lunches may be left in the cars with safety. Troop No. 29 and No. 44 of Scoutmasters Gound and W. E. Suite will patrol the park.

ic, singing, fun and entertainment will be included to add spice to the program which will open at 10 o'clock and close at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

While the affair is primarily for the benefit of the rural people an invitation is also extended to anyone who would like to attend and hear the talks by the specialists on the subjects announced and it is hoped that a large number of housewives in town will attend. Everybody invited to come and bring their lunch.

Round table discussions will be held during the noon hour and at the conclusion of the program on farm problems and matters of interest to farm residents.

Ross to Preside S. W. Ross, secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, will act as master of ceremonies. He will also have charge of arrangements.

Community singing in the morning will be led by G. C. Tubbs of this city. Special entertainment numbers are being arranged. Miss Dorothy Wentland, district health nurse, and B. C. Ruthven, district sanitarian engineer, will also make talks on the general subject of health on the farm.

"Live at Home" will be the theme of the Short Course and will be the keynote of many of the talks. Interesting facts will be presented on farm management, livestock and poultry raising, food canning, nutrition, and health work.

To Outline Relief Work Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent, will discuss "Plans for Relief Work by the Home Demonstration Clubs of Floyd County This Winter," and also will outline some of the aims of the women during the ensuing months in their club work.

Invocation will be said by the Rev. S. H. Young, pastor of the First Methodist Church of this city. "Farm Management" and "Poultry" will be the subjects handled by Mr. Eudaly. He will bring a message that will be filled with timely and valuable suggestions on farm operations that should prove profitable to every farmer in attendance.

Mrs. Sides will take up the nutrition phase of farm life and will tell the housewives of the proper methods of arranging, preparing, preserving and serving of the family food supply. She will speak on "The 4-H Pantry."

Honor Master Homemakers Special recognition services will be held for Mrs. W. E. Miller and Mrs. A. R. Hanna of Sand Hill and (Continued on back page)

Cimarron

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THE STORY

SO FAR—It was 1889. Yancey Cravat, just returned from the newly opened Indian territory where he had operated in the Run over the border, is describing this adventure to a large family gathering of the Venables. The Venables, ruined by the Civil war, had left Mississippi and settled in Wichita, Kan. Five years before Yancey Cravat had appeared in Wichita and won as his bride sixteen-year-old Sabra Venable. Gossip said of Yancey Cravat that there was Indian blood in him. He is a clever criminal lawyer and editor of the Wichita Wigwag. A born orator, he combines something of the charlatan, much of the actor and a dash of the fanatic. When the Run started, Yancey had raced his pony against the thoroughbred mount of a girl. When her horse fell and broke both forelegs, he stopped to shoot the crippled animal. The girl leaped on his mustang, galloped to the quarter section and got the land by right of claim. Yancey announces he is going back to the Oklahoma country to start a newspaper in one of the new towns. Sabra, defying her mother, says she will go too.

They make the journey in two covered wagons. Isaiah, a little negro servant of the Venables, is found when they make camp the first night, hidden in a roll of carpet. The travelers find the darky youngster almost invaluable in his care and protection of Cimarron, the four-year-old son of the Cravats.

At Osage Yancey immediately begins trying to learn who had murdered a man named Pegler, who had been shot after the first edition of his paper, called the New Day, appeared in Osage. He had been too truthful in calling attention to conditions in the territory. Preparations for the publication of Yancey's paper, the Oklahoma Wigwag, are about completed. Isaiah becomes a member of the Cravat household.

Yancey and Sabra attempt to locate a house that will accommodate the printing plant, the library, and the household.

Finally, a structure is obtained and the printing plant is set up. Yancey starts out to find the slayer of Pegler, a former editor, and declares he will print the true conditions of the country.

Yancey is asked to conduct church services on Sunday and Arkansas Grat Gotch "loans" his gambling tent, which is packed, the novelty of a church service and a sermon by Yancey Cravat being impossible to resist.

Before he starts his sermon, Yancey announces he has learned who killed Jack Pegler.

He stoops just in time to escape a bullet fired by Lon Yountis. Still stooping, Yancey shoots and kills Yountis, then announces that Yountis had shot Pegler in the back. Among the late arrivals at the tent services is a handsome young woman, known as Dixie Lee, whom Yancey recognizes as the girl who tricked him out of his quarter section. With her are six highly rouged girls, whom she has brought with her to Osage.

CHAPTER IX

Sabra's second child, a girl, was born in June, a little more than a year after their coming to Osage. It was not as dreadful an ordeal there in those crude surroundings as one might have thought. She was tended, during her accouchement, by the best doctor in the county and certainly the most picturesque man of medicine in the whole Southwest, Dr. Don Valliant. Like thousands of others living in this new country, his past was his own secret. It was known that he often vanished for days, leaving the sick to get on as best they could. He would reappear as inexplicably as he had vanished and his horse was jaded. It was no secret that he was often called to attend the bandits when one of their number, wounded in some outlaw raid, had taken to their hiding place in the hills. He was tender and deft with Sabra, though between them he and Yancey consumed an incredible quantity of whiskey during the racking hours of her confinement. At the end he held up a caterwauling morsel of flesh torn from Sabra's flesh—a thing perfect of its kind, with an astonishing mop of black hair.

"This is a Spanish beauty you have for a daughter, Yancey. I present to you Senorita Donna Cravat."

And Donna Cravat she remained. The town, somewhat scandalized, thought she had been named after Doctor Don himself. Besides, they did not consider Donna a name at all.

When Sabra Cravat arose from that bed something in her had crystallized. Perhaps it was that, for the first time in a year, she had had hours in which to rest her tired limbs; perhaps the ordeal itself worked a psychic as well as a physical change in her; it might have been that she realized she must cut a new pattern in this Oklahoma life of theirs. The boy Cim might surmount it; the girl Donna never. During the hours through which she had lain in her bed in the

stifling wooden shack, mists seemed to have rolled away from before her eyes. She saw clearly. She felt light and terribly capable—so much so that she made the mistake of getting up, dizzily donning slippers and wrapper, and tottering into the newspaper office where Yancey was writing an editorial and shouting choice passages of it into the inattentive ear of Jesse Rickey, who was setting type in the printing shop.

"... the most stupendous farce ever conceived by the mind of man in a civilized country..."

He looked up to see in the doorway a wraith, all eyes and long black braids. "Why sugar! What's this? You can't get up!"

She smiled rather feebly. "I'm up. I felt so light, so..."

"I should think you would. All that physic."

"I feel so strong. I'm going to do so many things. You'll see. I'm going to paper the whole house. Rosebuds in the bedroom. I'm going to plant two trees in the front. I'm going to start another club—not like the Philomathean—I think that's silly now—but one to make this town... no saloons... women like that Dixie Lee... going to have a real hired girl as soon as the newspaper begins to... feel so queer... Yancey..."

As she began to topple, Yancey caught the Osage Joan of Arc in his arms.

Incredibly enough, she actually did paper the entire house, aided by Isaiah and Jesse Rickey. Isaiah's ebony countenance splashed with the white paste mixture made a bizarre effect, a trifle startling to anyone coming upon the scene unawares. Also Jesse Rickey's inebriate eye, which so often resulted in many grotesque pied print lines appearing in unexpected and inconvenient places in the Oklahoma Wigwag columns, was none too dependable in the matching of rosebud patterns. The result, in spots, was Burkankian, with roses grafted on leaves and tendrils emerging from petals. Still, the effect was gay, even luxurious. The Philomathean club, as one woman, fell upon wall paper and paste pot, as they had upon the covered jars in Sabra's earlier effort at decoration. Within a month Louie Hefner was compelled to install a full line of wall paper to satisfy the local demand.

Slowly, slowly, the life of the community, in the beginning so wild, so unrelated in its parts, began to weave in and out, warp and woof, to make a pattern. It was at first faint, almost undiscernible. But presently the eye could trace here a motif, there a figure, here a motif, there a figure. The shuttle swept back, forward, back, forward.

"It's almost time for the Jew," Sabra would say, looking up from her sewing. "I need some number forty sewing-machine needles."

And then perhaps next day, or the day after, Cim, playing in the yard, would see a familiar figure, bent almost double, gnomelike and grotesque, against the western sky. It was Sol Levy, the peddler, the Alsatian Jew.

Sabra would fold up her work,

brush the threads from her apron; or if her hands were in the dough she would hastily mold and crimp her pie crust so as to be ready for his visit.

Sol Levy had come over an immigrant in the noisome bowls of some dreadful ship. His hair was blue-black and very thick, and his face was white in spite of the burning southwest sun. A black stubble of beard intensified this pallor. He had delicate blue-veined hands and narrow arched feet. He belonged in crowded places, in populous places, in the color and glow and swift drama of the bazaars. God knows how he had found his way to this vast wilderness. Perhaps in Chicago, or in Kansas City, or Omaha he had heard of this new country and the rush of thousands for its land. And he had bummed his way on foot. He had started to peddle with an oilcloth-covered pack on his back. Through the little hot western towns in summer. Through the bitter cold western towns in winter. They turned dogs on him. The children cried, "Jew! Jew!" He was only a boy, disguised with that stubble of beard. He would enter the yard of a farmhouse or a dwelling, in a town such as Osage. A wary eye on the dog. Nice Fido. Nice doggie. Down, down! Pins, sewing machine needles, rolls of gingham and calico, and last, craftily, his Hamburg lace. He brought news, too.

"The bridge is out below Gray Horse... The Osages are having a powwow at Hominny. All night they kept me awake with their drums, those savages... The Kid and his gang held up the Santa Fe near Wetoka and got thirty-five thousand dollars; but one of them will never hold up a train again. Shot in the head. Verdigris Bob by name. Would be a feather in that sheriff's cap, to catch the Kid!... A country! My forefathers should have lived to see me here!"

His beautiful, civilized face, mobile as an actor's was at once expressive of despair and bitter amusement. His long slender hands were spread in a gesture of wondering resignation.

He sometimes talked to Dixie Lee. There existed between these two a strange relation of understanding and something resembling respect. Outcasts, both of them, he because of his race, she because of her calling. "A smart girl like you, what do you want in such a business?"

"I've got to live, Solly. God knows why!"

"You come from a good family. You are young yet, you are smart. There are other ways."

"Y-e-e-e-e? I tried a couple of things. Nix, nix!"

In a year or two he opened a little store in Osage. It was, at first, only a wooden shack containing two or three rough pine tables on which his wares were spread. He was the town Jew. He was a person apart. Sometimes the cowboys deviled him; or the saloon loungers and professional bad men. They looked upon him as fair game. He thought of them as savages.

In the three and a half years of

her residence in Osage Sabra had yielded hardly an inch. It was amazing. It was heroic. She had set herself certain standards, and those she had maintained in spite of almost overwhelming opposition. She had been bred on tradition. If



"A Smart Girl Like You, What Do You Want in Such a Business?"

she had yielded at all it was in minor matters and because to do so was expedient.

Once only in those three years had she gone back to Wichita. At the prospect of the journey she had been in a fever of anticipation for days. She had taken with her Cim and Donna. She was so proud of them, so intent on outfitting them with a wardrobe sufficiently splendid to set off their charms, that she neglected the matter of her own costuming and found herself arriving in Wichita with a trunk containing the very clothes with which

she had departed from it almost four years earlier. Prominent among these was a green nun's veiling with pink ruchings. She had had little enough use for it in these past years.

The visit was not a success. The very things she had expected to enjoy fell, somehow, flat. She missed the pace, the exhilarating uncertainty of the Oklahoma life. The teacup conversation of her girlhood friends seemed to lack tang and meaning. Their existence was orderly, calm, accepted. For herself and the other women of Osage there lay a city, a country, a whole vast territory to be swept and garnished by an army of sunbonnets. Paradoxically enough, she was trying to implant in the red clay of Osage the very forms and institutions that now bored her in Wichita. Yet it was, perhaps, a very human trait. It was illustrated literally by the fact that she was, on her return, more thrilled to find that the scrawny elm, no larger than a baby's arm, which she had planted outside the doorway in Osage, actually had found some moisture for its thirsty roots, and was now feebly vernal, than she had been at sight of the cool glossy canopy of cedar, arbutus, sweet locust, and crepe myrtle that shaded the Kansas garden.

Then the children. The visiting Venables insisted on calling Cim by his full name—Cimarron. Sabra had heard it so rarely since the day of his birth that she now realized, for the first time, how foolish she had been to yield to Yancey's whim in the naming of the boy. Cimarron, Spanish; wild, or unruly. The boy had made such an obstreperous entrance into the world and Yancey had shouted, in delight, "Look at him kick with his feet and strike out with his fists! He's a wild one. Heh, Cimarron! Peceno Gitano."

Cimarron was almost eight now. If it is possible for a boy of eight to be romantic in aspect, Cimarron

Cravat was that. His head was not large, like Yancey's, but long and fine, like Sabra's—a Venable head. His eyes were Sabra's, too, dark and large, but they had the ardent look of Yancey's grey ones, and he had Yancey's absurdly long and curling lashes, like a beautiful girl's.

His speech was strangely adult. This, perhaps, because of his close association with his elders in those first formative years in Osage. His skin was bronzed the color of his father's. He looked like a little patrician Spaniard or perhaps (the Venables thought privately) part Indian. Then, too, there had been few children of his age in the town's beginning. Sabra had been, at first, too suspicious of such as there were. He would, probably, have seemed a rather unpleasant and griggish little boy if his voice and manner had not been endowed miraculously with all the charm and magnetism that his father possessed in such disarming degree.

Even little Donna was not much of a success. The baby was an eerie little elf, as plain as the boy was handsome. She resembled her grandmother. Felice Venable, without a trace of that redoubtable matron's former beauty. All in all, Sabra found herself joyously returning to the barren burning coun-

try to which, four years earlier, she had gone in such dread and terror. She resented her mother's do-this, do-that. She saw Felice Venable now, no longer as a power, an authority in all matters of importance, but as a shallow old lady who tottered on heels that were too high and who, as she sat talking, plected and unpleated with tremulous fingers the many ruffles of her white dimity wrapper. The matriarch had lost her crown. Sabra was matriarch now of her own little kingdom; and already she was planning to extend that realm beyond and beyond its present confines into who knows what vastness of demesne.

She had meant, at the last, to find occasion to inform her mother and the minor Venables that it was she who ironed Yancey's fine white linen shirts. But she was not a spiteful woman. And she reflected that this might be construed as a criticism of her husband.

So, gladly, eagerly, Sabra went back to the wilds she once had despised.

(To be continued)

Elza Gullion spent Monday here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gullion. He has been employed with the Plainview Tire Store at Plainview.

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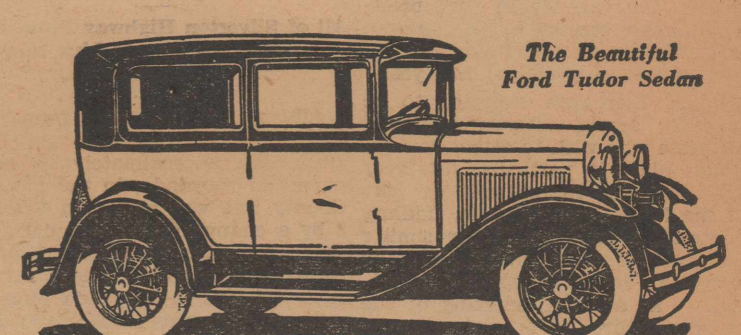
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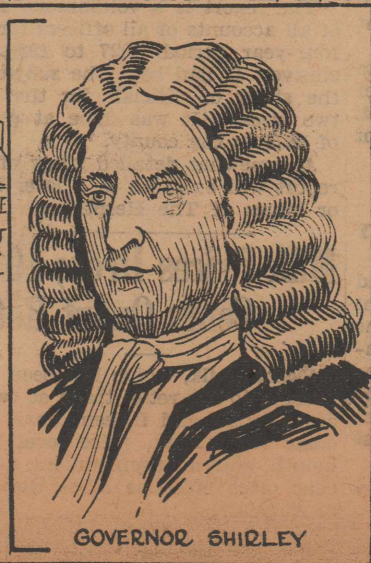
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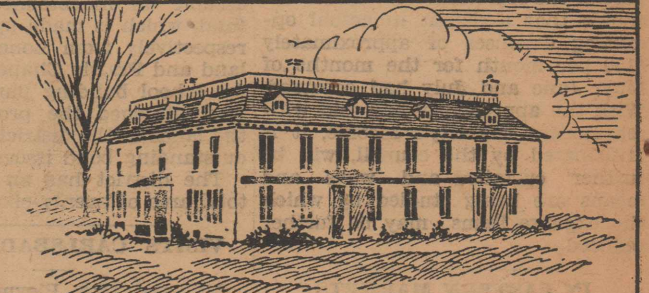
GEORGE WASHINGTON'S TRAVELS 21 By James W. Brooks



MARTIN under disrespect shown by a subordinate, Washington set out for Boston to have his position clearly defined by Governor Shirley of Massachusetts, then the highest military authority in the Colonies. He returned with full authority as Commander-in-Chief of the Virginia forces. This was his first trip to Boston, and for effect he rode in full uniform.



GOVERNOR SHIRLEY



BUT, what winding roads do even heroes sometimes travel! Washington detoured to Philipse Manor, near Yonkers, to pay court to Mary Philipse, a Colonial beauty. It was not an ill-timed call, for was he not resplendent in a new blue and buff uniform with a white and scarlet coat? And was he not accompanied by an impressive military escort? The proper approach, it would seem, for the sudden capture of a lady's heart.

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Resolutions Adopted Praise T. U. Company

Slaton, Littlefield, Tahoka Officials Pledge Co-operation In Working Out Problems.

Resolutions adopted by governing bodies of some of the cities served by Texas Utilities Company during the past week incident to new emergency rates promulgated for water pumping by the company, in order to meet "financial problems now facing many of our towns through no fault of the territory served," highly praise that organization and its officials for their "kindly attitude of co-operation, generosity, fair treatment, and efficient service," and pledge "friendly and mutual co-operation in working out, on an efficient and economical basis, all problems and that affect and concern our mutual interests."

New Pumping Rate

The resolution, nearly identical in wording, point out the "substantial reductions" in rates which the company has promulgated since 1926, the Littlefield resolution declaring the new water rate to the tenth substantial reduction in rates, voluntarily made by the company within the past six years. The cities adopting the resolutions are Hereford, Littlefield, Slaton and Tahoka. The new pumping rate is "hereafter fixed at two cents per kilowatt hour," with the understanding or proviso that should the Legislature of Texas or any other lawful taxing power or authority impose any tax on or affecting said service, increasing the cost of furnishing the same, such tax shall be added to and become a part of said rate and paid by said city.

"Great savings financially" to "our city, schools and taxpayers" are recited in the resolutions. At Tahoka the savings effected in street lighting is put at \$1,050, in water pumping, based on 1930 consumption, at \$577, and the saving to the schools at more than \$80. The company is also pointed to as one of the city and school district's heaviest taxpayers in the Tahoka resolutions.

Generous, Friendly Spirit

At Littlefield, the mayor, members of the council and several other citizens including business men and taxpayers signed the resolutions adopted, which, after reciting the "cordial and honorable dealings" of the company, together with the various reductions made in rates to citizens and to the municipality, sets forth that:

WHEREAS, the aforesaid action by said Texas Utilities Company is greatly appreciated by said City of Littlefield, its governing body, business men, taxpayers and citizens generally, and evidences to us a generous and friendly spirit of co-operation on the part of said Company and its officials, agents and representatives, to assist us in meeting our financial problems, and that said Company is desirous voluntarily to do its full part, not only to render efficient utility service, but also to lessen the financial costs and burdens of its patrons, at a loss to it, during this time of financial, economic and industrial depression; and

WHEREAS, said Texas Utilities Company has in the past contributed, and now contributes, to the up-building, maintenance and stabilizing of our city, is a pioneer in the electrical utility business in West Texas, where it has invested enormous sums of money and has rendered various services, financial and otherwise, that are of lasting and great value to this southwestern section of the United States, and we desire to express to the public and to the said Texas Utilities Company and its officials, agents and representatives, our appreciation in the premises; now

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Littlefield, acting by and through its governing body and Committee of Citizens, in meeting this day held at the City Hall in the City of Littlefield, that we do hereby

express to the said Texas Utilities Company, and to Hon. I. R. Kelso and other officers, agents and representatives of said Company, our sincere appreciation of its and their kindly attitude of cooperation, generosity, fair treatment, and efficient service it now renders and has at all times rendered, and that we, as citizens, taxpayers, business men and officials do hereby pledge to our governing body, to said Texas Utilities Company, and to each other our friendly and mutual cooperation in working out, on an efficient and economical basis, all problems that affect and concern our mutual interests.

Kelso Makes Statement

The only statement Judge I. R. Kelso, president of Texas Utilities Company would make in comment on current activities or conditions was the following:

"We are trying to cooperate with the various towns on Texas Utilities Company lines in the matter of working out emergency relief measures to help take care of financial problems now confronting many of our towns through no fault of the territory served. Many of our towns are suffering temporarily, notwithstanding the wonderful crops being produced in this territory, solely because of a world wide depression for which this territory is in no way responsible."

No comment was made on the announcement that the Floydada council is working on new sets of ordinances to govern the light and power company.

THRILLS IN PARAMOUNT PICTURE COMING THIS WEEK TO PALACE THEATRE

Thrills — tingly, spine-chilling thrills; thrills that make you gasp, and thrills that make your head spin.

This and more is the fare at the Palace Theatre, where that creepy thrill-and-chill murder mystery play, "Murder by the Clock" opens Sunday.

Dies Twice

Herbert Endicott is murdered at 7:00—brought to life again at 7:30 and murdered again at 7:45. Who is guilty of this double crime? Twelve persons are suspected. See and be thr-r-rilled by "Murder by the Clock."

The strange, creepy case of the Endicott family—three of them mysteriously slain—one of them killed twice within an hour—you'll never guess the identity of the guilty person in "Murder by the Clock" until you see it all the way through to the thrill-packed finish.

"Murder by the Clock" is based on a novel plot idea filmed from the original story by Rufus King. The idea is that Herbert Endicott dies twice in the same evening. With this as the hub of the action-interest and with a great number of pulse-hastening incidents as the spokes, "Murder by the Clock" whirls swiftly along at a breathtaking speed, holding the interest till the very last moment when the culprit who has caused all the mayhem and killing is discovered by the detective-hero.

Paramount has wisely changed the story from Rufus King's original. The culprit of the book is not the culprit of the screen version. Therefore those who have read the book will have to begin all over again and see the picture—for the film presents a new "guilty one."

H. Kimble who visited a short time last week with his son Dr. Wilson Kimble here, left Friday returning to his home at Benbrook, Texas.

THE SMILING LIEUTENANT COMING TO PALACE SOON

Paramount pictures, something over eighty in number, booked by the Palace Theatre for showing beginning the latter part of July, have begun to be placed on the schedule of shows to be presented Floyd County people, "Murder by the Clock," the mystery thriller due the first of next week, being an August release to be shown within fifteen days of its first release.

Maurice Chevalier in "The Smiling Lieutenant" which has gone over so big since its release two weeks ago, is among the bookings which the show here will have during the early fall, possibly in September, Mr. Deakins said.

Mrs. E. J. Womack had as her guests last mid-week, her mother, Mrs. O. Wilson, and daughters, Mrs. W. N. McKaig, Mrs. Nolan Terry, Mrs. Lloyd Sparkman and granddaughter, Lona Belle Sparkman, all of Gainesville, Texas.

A. N. BRATTON AND FAMILY HOME FROM INDIANA TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Bratton and children returned home Saturday of last week from Southport, Indiana, where they were called two weeks ago by the death of Granville Yount, a brother-in-law of Mr. Bratton. The funeral for the Indiana man was held at Greenwood, Indiana, where interment was also made. While in the Hoosier state the Brattons were guests of relatives, including A. N. Bratton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bratton. He also has two sisters residing in that vicinity.

Granville Yount was 35 years of age. He is survived by a wife and two-year-old son.

Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth and daughter, Elizabeth and son, Somer, Jr., returned home last week from a two-months visit down-state, being guests while absent from home with friends and relatives at Calvert, Houston, Cameron, Corsicana and Fort Worth.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED; F. L. BOERNER OWNER OF W. CALIFORNIA BUSINESS

The latter part of last week Frank J. Boerner and Flynn Thagard, partners for the past three years in the garage business and Oakland-Pontiac sales agency at 123 West California Street, dissolved their partnership and Mr. Boerner is now owner of the business.

Mr. Thagard had not announced definite plans for the future the first of this week. Mr. Boerner will continue in the garage business.

EXPECT BIG ENTRY LIST FOR ANNUAL SWINE SHOW

Lubbock, Aug. 11. (Special)—An unusually big swine show is expected this year in connection with the Panhandle South Plains Fair, September 28 to October 3, inclusive, according to A. B. Davis, manager. A new barn has been erected just east of the live stock building on the fair grounds and will be used by the

fair for the first time this fall.

Premiums in the swine department at the fair compare with the leading expositions of the Southwest, however exhibitors are expected to be principally interested in the demand for hogs in this section.

The low price wheat and the apparent low price of feed for this fall, with a good feed crop in sight is expected to assure an abundance of feed in the barns and feed lots over the South Plains this fall, and more and more farmers are planning to market this wheat and feed through hogs.

A total of \$2,676.00 is being offered in prizes to winners in this department.

Douglas Pounds, Lubbock County farmer and known as the Mayor of Acuff, is superintendent of the department.

The prizes are offered on Poland China hogs, Duroc Jerseys, and Hampshires.

A district futurity show is to be held, open to swine breeders of

Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico of Poland China and Duroc Jersey hogs. A total of \$1,200 in prizes will be awarded in this futurity, paid jointly by the Fair Association and the Panhandle Plains Swine Breeders' Association.

ARRANGE HEALTHCADE

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hopkins and son, Edmond Kone, of Fort Worth and Austin, left Friday night of last week, going to Plainview and then to Tullia. Mr. Hopkins, special sanitary engineer with the U. S. Public Health Department, assisted with the Healthcade here last week and went to Tullia to make arrangements Saturday for staging a Healthcade in Swisher County beginning August 24. They were accompanied by Miss Dorothy Wentland and B. C. Ruthven, district nurse and sanitarian, who returned to Floydada Saturday afternoon.

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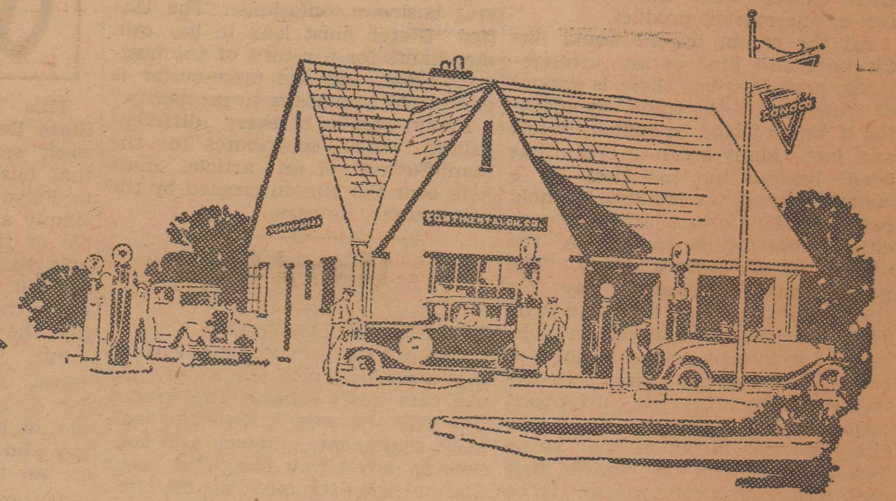
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PREMIUM FOR QUALITY

Quality merchandise of every kind in all the world has a better value than run of the market products, and there is no good reason why good cream should not bring a premium over sorry cream, no reason why the man whose good fortune or good management produces high-grade cream should have to share an equal price with the man who has a poor grade of cream.

Which is to say The Hesperian believes that two prices should be in effect at the farm markets for butterfat—at least two markets. As people who produce cream on their farms get further into the study and practice of the art they, too, are believers in some such plan that will give them a better market for their quality stuff than for their run-of-the-market product.

All the cream buyers would like to have this kind of an arrangement, doubtless, but there is danger of "running off the trade" by adopting it which would be eminently fair and just. Many a can of cream has been bought that had been in a container used, for instance, to hold coal oil. This cream after its purchase, had to be dumped in the sewer, as all dealers know. The public must, inevitably, pay for these practices and the man who sold the cream that couldn't be used for human consumption took the loss along with his neighbors, although he, doubtless, felt at the time he was ahead of the game. The same is true as regards first class and second class cream. Good cream bought at the "hog around" price loses the premium it should have and the sorry grade gets more than it is worth.

FEEDING A FEW CALVES

Wheat in the bins and a fairly good supply of roughage and maize heads in sight—all mighty cheap—makes the venture of getting into feeding as a side line on the farm a tempting one.

And the only objection that could be raised against the average farmer on the average farm getting into such a proposition for the next few months would be that of wanting to operate on too big a scale. The average West Texan isn't satisfied with ten calves and a few hogs fattening in the pens that he could give attention in a total of an hour or two a day. He would have to have a carload or two carloads and operate big, buy him a big feed mill and spend a lot of money one way or another—or just not get into it at all.

Experience is all against the big operations for the little man, feeders who know declare. The little man can make as much money in proportion as the big man and continue to carry on his regular farming operation, if he will keep a balanced idea of proportions. Five thousand head of calves and an equal number of hogs could very profitably go on feed, ten head a lot, on Floyd County farms during the next sixty days, they tell us. How to finance it? Well, folks generally get done what they want to do. There is \$2,000 to \$5,000 worth of machinery on most every farm in the county and most of that couldn't be done, but it was.

HOG FEEDING OPERATIONS

Many Floyd County farmers believe that feeding hogs during the next few months on cheap wheat and maize is going to be a more profitable venture than trying to realize under present market conditions, on these products sold on the open market. Accordingly, a demand has arisen for young hogs that will fatten out about right, and a lesser demand for pigs that will fatten out later.

Hog feeding operations have proven highly profitable in previous years, even down-market years showing more profit as a rule than would have been realized on feed-stuffs at the ordinary prices. Feeding hogs has an additional value in that it creates jobs on the farm, of no small economic value. Hog feeding at present price levels, of course, would be highly profitable. How long it will remain so is another

matter, but it seems to be a fairly good business gamble, according to some of the better students of market outlook.

NEW FEED PENS AND OLD

An effect low prices of wheat tends to be having, according to the trends of the thought of people in the wheat belt is that of putting new feeding pens in the wheat raising states into competition with those of the cornbelt, and thus make more competition for the stocker cattle raising in the stocker areas.

Ordinarily one would argue that cheap wheat is going to make cattle feeding in this new area a profitable undertaking and to some extent, at least, this is going to be true. But the additional production that will ensue is liable to have a boomerang effect in the long run on the price of fat cattle by putting too many of them on the market.

But for the present at least there seems to be every reason to think that a man with stored wheat could profitably run a few calves and hogs in the fattening pens and get two or three times the market value of his wheat for his efforts.

TO ABSURD LENGTHS

Lengths to which business is going in an effort to "meet competition" in these days of small volume is indicated in newspaper advertisements from Lubbock, where tailors have been quoting suits cleaned and pressed for 15 cents. This means seven suits for \$1.05. Handling costs alone are that high, of course, without putting the clothes through the cleaner or the press. It means a "dog eat dog" situation, where the public is getting too much for its money, and, in fact, is not benefiting. No part of the community can engage in suicidal practices without hurting the rest of the community. Tailors, like any enterprise, can take too much profit, doubtless, but they can also take too little for their efforts and do equal, or even more damage.

A HANDICAP?

N. A. Metzger, advertising manager for one of the big manufacturing concerns of the country with a product that is sold in practically every city and town in the country says of the price-cutter:

"In the last analysis, price-cutting is manifestly harmful to general business conditions. The United States must look to its own merchants for a return of the business boom, and the price-cutter is one of the handicaps to prosperity. Every family of every different calling which contributes to the manufacture of an article, must help bear the burden created by the price-cutter, he says.

Clipped Quips

THE FISHERMAN SAYS:
You can't expect to make a catch if you don't go near the water. And one cast won't exhaust the stream. But with thorough knowledge, complete equipment, patience and consistent effort you can land your share of the little ones, the big ones, the easy ones and the hard ones.—Exchange.

A whole lot of people will be very unhappy in heaven when they find out they can't be the boss.—Mortley County News.

There are people in the United States worrying about Russia, and paying no attention to what's happening here.—Turkey Enterprise.

The ambition of some people is to get distance on the radio, while what others long for above everything else is distance from it.—Roanoke Times.

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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Harry Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. J. Dawson, city was commissioned second lieutenant in the National Army according to reports received here indicating ranks obtained by student officers in Leon Springs training camp.

Wilson Kimble, jeweler and optician, moved this week from the Woody Drug Company store on West Main Street to the First National Bank building, occupying the store room between the former Racket Store location and the corner of Main and Missouri Streets.

Thurmon Bishop left this week for Amarillo to enlist in the Medical corps of the army service. He will join the colors with his brother, Stokie, at El Paso.

O. P. Rutledge returned Sunday from a short visit in Dallas.

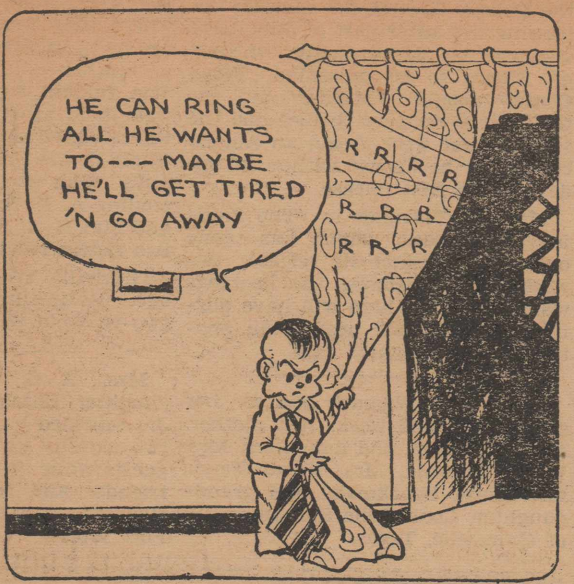
The Floyd County Exemption Board has received notice that the first twenty per cent of its National Army quota will be called into the service of the United States on or about September first. These will be taken from the first thirty-five men certified to the District Board. Twenty per cent of Floyd County's quota is eighteen men.

Dr. R. C. Andrews, 82, for twenty-seven years a resident of Floydada, passed away quietly Monday evening at 8:10 at his home here after an illness lasting from Friday night.

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That's Telling Him!



By Munch

They tell me that a man that is not public spirited is pretty dern near out of a spirit. It's the truth, too.

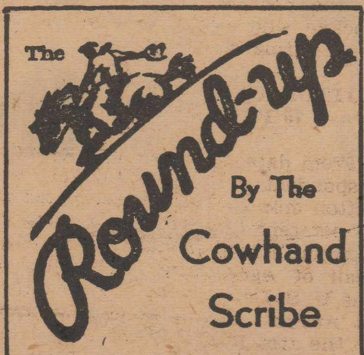
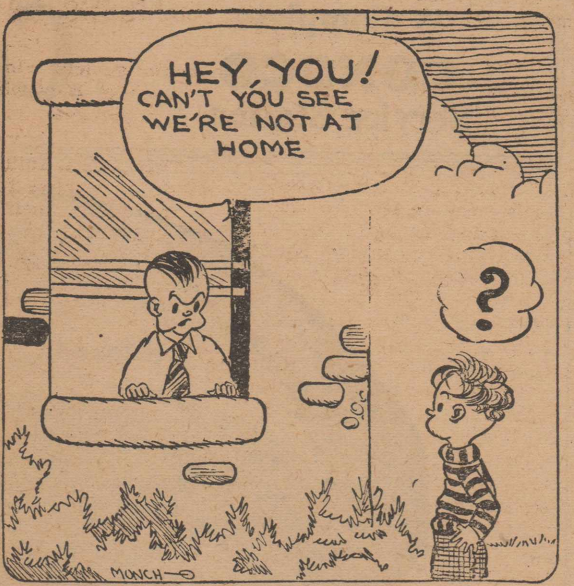
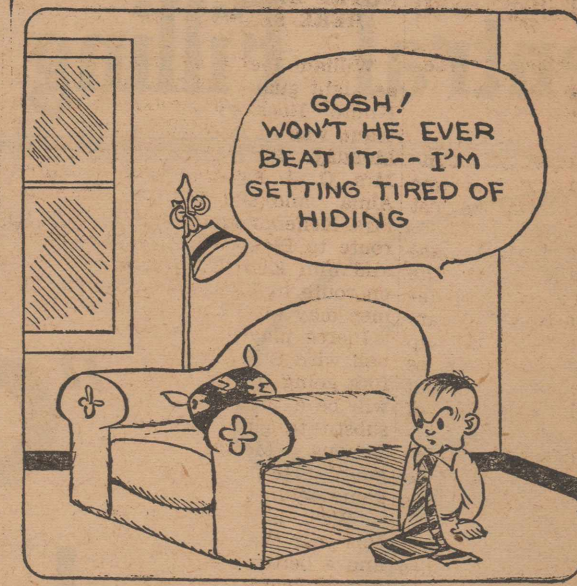
I guess I had just as well forget this charity or community chest idea (for the present at least) and start arguing with the folks about canning their garden stuff and home grown products. I might want something to eat this winter myself.

Dutch Brewster told me last week that coffee, to be really good, had to be "As pure as an angel, as clean as heaven, as strong as the devil and as black as hell."

Me and Haltosis have got the brats all cleaned up (and cleaned out) and everything is all set to mount old Betsy Ann tomorrow morning and go down to the Old Rock House to help the Old Settlers get this thing all settled up again down at the Pioneer Reunion. Haltosis has killed a couple of our oldest roosters and we plan to pitch our camp down there for a couple of days. The old timers are absolutely right when they say that we sling a sure enough, old time shin-dig and picnic without spending a lot of money. Me and my delegation will share be there—and we're expecting to have a big time, too.

While they are sitting around on the streets, cussing everything in general and nobody in particular, a lot of these blankety-blank Saliva Slingers and Back Yard Gossipers seem to forget that the good Lord had a reason for giving us two ears and just one mouth. And it's funny, too, how much a story can grow from the time it hits a fellow's ears until the time it comes out his mouth. Just remember that the next time that you start to tell something that begins with "I heard..."

Well, we'll be seeing each other at the Old Settlers' Reunion. "Shut 'er down, George."



For the stamp stuck to the letter "Till it saw it safely through. There's no one could do better. Let's keep sticking and be true. —James Wells in Knickerbocker Press.

I wuz over to Punkin Flat last week and Si Simoleon wuz talkin' to old man Ezra and this is whut I heard:

Si—"Mr. Ezra, I reckon as how I want to marry yer dawter."
Ez—"Have you seen my wife yet?"
Si—"Yessir, but I still prefer yer dawter."

Got my boots all shined up and my saddle bag packed ready to go down and have a big time with the old settlers at the Hank Smith Rock House Friday and Saturday. Mr. Bob haz promised more fun for them that air qualified old settlers and less hullabaloo for th' regular herd. This here annual meetin' is mighty fine and th' folks enjoy git-tin' together and talking about the long ago. No place in the State of Texas can claim a more interesting historical spot than th' Old Rock House and I shore do like to go down thar.

Hope ter meet all of you folks down to the big round-up of the old timers.

WORRY

Worry is an unhealthy condition of normal mind and is a direct manifestation of fear. Probably one of the richest gifts with which we are endowed is the power of imagination. Yet imagination is a most prolific source of fear.

The chronic worrier usually has an over-active imagination—an imagination out of control. Our specific worries may be slightly different, but in the main they have the same basic characteristics.

I listen to the troubles of others and they seem to be largely imaginary and trivial. Then I think of my own and I realize that my troubles can be correctly classified about the same way.

We do not rid ourselves of worry by evading our responsibilities, nor by crawling out from under our normal load. The first step away from worry is to courageously and honestly face our problems and to segregate the real from the imaginary. As the prospector must learn to distinguish between gold and "fool's gold" so must we learn to distinguish between real problems and worries.

Thus we take stock of our so-called "troubles" and see how many we can discard. First in this list should come the worries in anticipation of events possible to happen and which usually do not. The remainder can be classified in the order of their importance and eliminated as fast as possible.

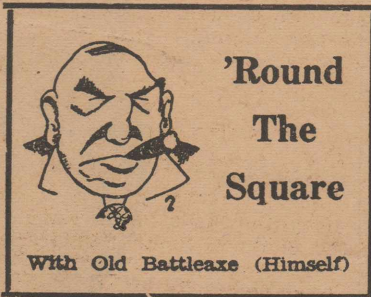
There is a message for us in the parting words of advice of the aged father to his son. "I have had a great deal of trouble in my life—a great deal of trouble—but most of it never happened." Irrespective of ages most all of us are like th' old man.

In these times the successful man has no time to worry. He is too busy thinking and working out constructive ways to solve his problems. He has learned to control his thoughts—which is the secret of the elimination of worry.—John T. Thomas, President, The Lloyd-Thomas Co. in Angles of Business.

CUT YOUR OWN PATTERN

If one really wishes to be superior in mind and character, he must follow the ideals he has set for himself, and not follow those of the mass.—The American Magazine.

In the United States Army there are more than 4,000 enlisted negroes.



This matter of paying bills on the first of the month is getting to be quite a problem. When a fellow has a limit on his resources (as well as his money) like Old Battleaxe always has, there ain't nothing to do about it but work out some kind of system to pay just as many as possible. I've got a system that I find is working out mighty good except for some of my creditors. Some of them don't seem to like it so dern well.

Every month I put all my bills in a basket and then figure up how much money I've got to pay on my accounts. Then I blindfold Haltosis and she draws out as many bills as I have money to pay for. The rest of the boys are just out of luck, as far as I'm concerned.

This system has its advantages, too. Several times I've had some of my creditors get mad and actually be insulting over this system, and that makes me mad. So to get even with them when they make me down right mad, I don't even put their bills in the basket. I guess I know how to run my business and if any of you fellows I owe don't like it, it's just a case of too bad.

Say, folks, do any of you all listen over the radio to the Mother and Seth Parker program over the National Broadcasting Chain each Sunday night? That's one of my favorite programs, and take it from me, they preach some real, honest to goodness gospel. They don't preach any denominationalism or anything of the kind, but more from the standpoint of "you worship in your own way and me in mine." This program is supposed to represent an old fashion singing and gathering at the home of Seth Parker. They mix comedy with it, and just have a dern good time, and at the same time preach a good sermon in actions. Let me urge you to listen in next Sunday evening at 8:45. You'll like it.

That guy on California Street says that his oldest boy is now at the "Dry-Neck" stage of life. He's too old for his mother to wash his neck and he hasn't fallen in love with the girls yet.

Hot dog, folks, wasn't this rain a hum-dinger? We're shore going to have wonderful feed and cotton crops in Floyd County this fall. Things are shore beginning to pick-up already. And even if cotton don't bring more than a nickel, we're bound to feel a pick up in business and conditions in general. Fact is, folks, we've got something to rejoice over and right now is the time to look at the world through rose colored glasses.

Believe it or not: Haltosis makes me drink three or four cups of coffee before going to bed when she's right mad at me, so that I won't go to sleep while she's getting me told what's what.

Did you ever have the rain grins? Rain grins are something like sun grins, except that they're different. Rain grins come from feeling good deep down on the inside, while sun grins come from feeling bad up on the outside. An inch and a half down pour like we had in Floyd County this last week starts an epidemic of rain grins that actually make Old Man Depression feel plumb sick. Now instead of having a relapse from the rain grin epi-

demia, if all of we folks will just start an epidemic of Good-Time grins Old Man Depression will completely succumb.

perience the thrill of flying at a minimum of risk.

RACIAL ANTIPATHIES

Quannah Tribune-Chief: Some Mexican newspapers are greatly aroused over the killing of two Mexican youths in Oklahoma, and the subsequent acquittal of their slayer.

Mexico, of course, has a right to resent injustices to her nationals but should not forget that half a million Mexicans are finding asylum in the United States from labor or political troubles, and are not molested in this country.

Americans in Mexico have been robbed, imprisoned, mobbed and held for ransom and but little has been said about it as the American government knew about the troubles facing the Mexican authorities, and did not wish to add to them. And American newspapers have been wonderfully kind and tolerant about these outrages.

THE BELYAKER

Clarendon Leader: Around the small towns one sometimes hears some fellow aching about his line of business being overdone, but this same fellow wants some one else to get out of the way to make room for him.

The fact that the "acher" is howling is proof that he failed to supply the needs or to meet the expectations of the public. His "yelp for help" goes unheeded.

SAVE THE BUFFALO

Southwest Plainsman: A storm of protest has arisen all over Texas and even across the borders in Oklahoma and New Mexico, against the proposed dissemination of the Goodnight herd of buffalo at the hands of eastern sportsmen. Certainly it would be a sad mistake as well as a great pity to have the animals so long cherished by Colonel and Mrs. Goodnight, thus ruthlessly slaughtered. It was Mrs. Goodnight, her tender heart touched by the piteous cries of the baby buffaloes whose mothers had been wantonly killed by the hunters of that early day, who pleaded for the preservation of some of the calves. From the few animals saved at that time, the herd has grown and now numbers about two hundred. During the lives of Colonel and Mrs. Goodnight, many of the young buffaloes were sold to parks and individuals and others given away but to them the animals were a charge to be guarded and watched for the benefit of posterity. If we remember right, Colonel Goodnight, during his later years, tried a number of times to interest the State of Texas in the acquisition of the buffalo but nothing was ever done about it. Now that extinction threatens them, the State game commission has decided to investigate the matter, and next Sunday will meet at Goodnight with representatives of the various chambers of commerce and interested citizens, to work out some plan by which the herd may be saved. Since the Palo Duro canyon is the native haunt of these buffalo it is hoped that it may be possible to get the canyon designated as a State park and the animals thus left in their original grazing grounds. The people of the Panhandle are not alone in vigorously protecting the extinction of these sole survivors of the millions of buffalo that once roamed the Southwest although it seems that the citizens of this section should feel themselves obligated to perpetuate this memorial to our most outstanding and best loved pioneer. Surely some way will be found to save the Goodnight buffaloes.

Roseland News

Roseland, August 10.—The shower of rain Sunday afternoon was very badly needed but wasn't sufficient to be of much help to the row crops which are rather late on account of the dry weather.

Most of the women of the community are very busy canning vegetables for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bybee of Lockney are visiting their son Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bybee this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gross and relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Umphrey of Sand Hill spent Saturday night in the breaks. John H. Nix of Clovis, N. M., spent the past week end visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitlock and other relatives.

Miss Ethel Gilbert of Lockney spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Whitlock and Lon Marble spent Thursday night in the breaks and spent Friday grape hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Rose and little son Roy Neal, Miss Lou Fern and W. A. Rose of Blair, Oklahoma, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wicker this week.

Miss Ora Bell Calahan of South Plains spent Saturday night with her sister Mrs. Hilburn Casey.

STARKEY WOMEN HOLD ALL DAY MEETING, AUGUST 6

Mrs. Elwood Assiter was hostess to the Starkey Home Demonstration club in an all day meeting at the Assiter home on August 6. The subject of "Food Preservation" was the topic of discussion for the day.

Miss Roberta Ferguson and Mrs. Hassel gave a demonstration on how to make watermelon rind preserves, jams, pickles and relishes. Thirteen members and two visitors were present for the day. The demonstrations were enjoyed by all, and all learned something from this meeting.

Duplicate scale books at The Hesperian Office.

Health Worker Urges Balanced Diet; Warns Against Spread Of Pellagra; 'Is Not Contagious'

Miss Wentland Suggests Yeast For Treatment

District Nurse Says Many Cases Found in Floyd County; Lack of Proper Food Is Cause.

Pellagra has increased rapidly in West Texas in recent years and the disease has far too many victims in Floyd County declares Miss Dorothy Wentland, district health nurse with headquarters at Floydada.

"I find new cases every week and it is time that the people began to take notice and guard against this dreaded malady. It is not a contagious disease but one of diet. It is preventable. It is caused by what you don't eat rather than by what you do eat," Miss Wentland explained.

"The reason that we find more than one case very often in the same family is due to the fact that they are all on the same diet and lack of a balanced menu causes the disease to develop in several members of the family at the same time.

Milk Needed Daily

"Protect yourself from pellagra by eating plenty of milk, lean meat, poultry, beef, liver, fish and tomatoes. Use milk in some form daily. Eat often the following: cheese, eggs, peas, beans, whole cereals, and some leafy and other vegetables. The garden, the cow, the pig, and the hen provide most of these at little cost.

"This old idea of meal, molasses and fat meat are taboo. A diet of only these foods will cause pellagra. Children should have some good, clean milk at every meal, a little tomato juice every day, and several eggs in some form every week. The younger children will need less than the grown-ups. Give each child three cups of whole milk and a little tomato juice every day," Miss Wentland said.

Following is the "Week's Market Basket for One Grown Person" as suggested by Miss Wentland which is expected to be of especial interest to the individual who buys his food. It will keep a grown person in good working condition at very low cost.

Milk, fresh, 2 1/2 quarts, or evaporated, 2 1/2 pounds, or dry skim, 1/2 pound; canned salmon, lean meat, eggs, cheese, 1 pound; potatoes (Irish or sweet) 5 pounds; onions, several; cabbage, greens, carrots, turnips, etc. 3 pounds; canned tomatoes, No. 2 can; dried beans or peas 1 1/2 pounds; fat meat, lard, bacon, etc. 1 pound; cornmeal, flour, whole wheat, rice grits, 5 or 6 pounds; molasses, 1 1/2 pints, or molasses 1 pint, sugar 1/4 pound.

If skim milk is used, add 3 ounces of butter or 1 tablespoonful cod-liver oil.

Provide the same kinds of foods for the children, it was suggested.

Recommend Brewers' Yeast

Treatment for the disease was also suggested by Miss Wentland. "Ordinary brewers' yeast in the dry powdered form is highly recommended. The dry Fleischman's yeast put up in the two pound packages and sold at the drug stores is the best, we believe.

"If used for prevention a teaspoonful three times a day dissolved in water is suggested; if for treatment then two teaspoonfuls are recommended. The treatment is urged for members of the family where one individual is suffering with the disease, for the others have been on the same diet very likely and they should begin use of the yeast at once," Miss Wentland said.

"In almost every community we visited last week on the Healthcade we found people suffering with pellagra. We had no idea that there are so many cases in Floyd County.

"We would be glad to have anyone who has this disease in their family to get in touch with Dr. V. Andrews, county health officer, their local physician, or myself and we will be glad to help all we can," Miss Wentland said.

The alarming increase in the number of cases of pellagra occurring in certain sections of the country, coupled with the fact that the disease is preventable, would seem to indicate that a more wide-spread knowledge of the prevention of pellagra would be highly desirable.

Through study of this condition by the U. S. Public Health Service and other investigating agencies it has been shown conclusively that pellagra is caused solely by lack of a well balanced diet. "Indeed, for the prevention and cure of pellagra the only medicine we have is food," says Dr. Joseph Goldberger of the U. S. Public Health Service.

"A well balanced diet includes milk, lean meats, eggs, fish, vegetables either fresh or canned, and fruits all of which are rich in pellagra preventive properties. It is worthy of note that families plentifully supplied with milk and butter, eggs, a good garden, and even a small orchard never develop pellagra. In order to prevent the occurrence or return of pellagra, diversified farming, ownership of good milk cows, and the cultivation of more and better gardens should be encouraged.

"The Texas State Department of Health is greatly interested in the pellagra problem in Texas and has arranged for the free distribution of literature on the subject through the county health officer, Dr. V. Andrews. Brewers' yeast has a very beneficial effect in the treatment of pellagra, due to its high content of Vitamin D or the Pellagra Preven-

tive Vitamin. Its use for this purpose is urged by the U. S. Public Health Service," it was added.

Councilman Points To Errors Of Editorial

Not Desirous of Injuring Corporations, But Must Have Rates That Can Be Paid

Mr. Homer Steen, Editor of the Hesperian, Dear Sir:

In your editorial last week you seem to imply that the city council is using bad judgment in employing a lawyer to assist the council in securing lower rates from the Texas Utilities Co. and West Texas Gas Co. You also state that the West Texas Gas Co. and the Texas Utilities Co. have said unequivocally that "new rates are in the process of making for this community and others that they serve."

Judge Kelso, Pres. of the Texas Utilities Co. met with the council, after several requests, and told them that new rates were in the making but he was very indefinite as to whom the rates would apply and when they would be in effect. The West Texas Gas Co. hinted that possibly new rates would be in effect in the fall but this information was vague and indefinite. The West Texas Gas Co. and the Texas Utilities Co. may have told you more clearly when and how their rates would take effect but they certainly didn't give the city council any definite information.

You state, also, "meanwhile, people of the community can be thankful their council has rolled its sleeves up to slay the 'monsters of greed' after the 'monsters' got to town and got their money spent and can't leave even should they want to do so."

This is not true. We appreciate the excellent service the Texas Utilities and the West Texas Gas Co. has given us. They have sent desirable citizens to manage their local offices. They have advertised constantly and generously in our local newspapers. We do not want to drive the public service corporations out of Floydada neither do we want to do them injustice but we want them to give us lower rates which will be in keeping with our financial ability to pay and the low price of our products and income. The rates were made, I believe, when Floydada was in an apparent prosperous condition. Farm products were bringing a fair price, labor was high, business was good. Steel, iron, copper, wire, lumber and all other building material was high. The Public Service corporations evidently figured their rates in keeping with the prosperous conditions of the country and in anticipation of a continuation of same.

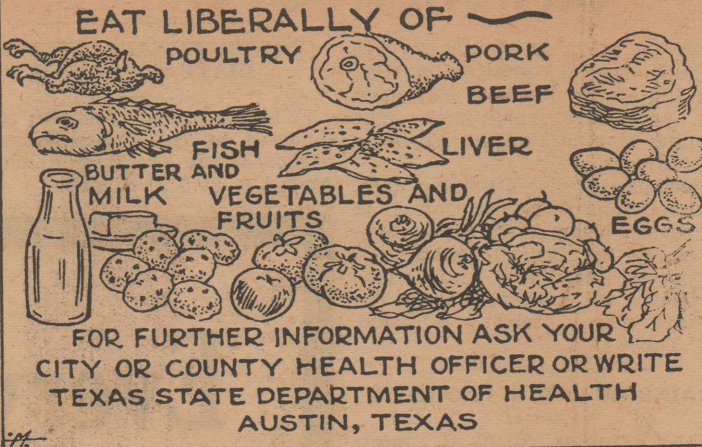
Why shouldn't we demand a lower rate? Many of us are in debt; many without employment. Many business houses and residences vacant. The city of Floydada heavily in debt and high taxes staring us in the face. Wheat, cotton, cream, eggs and almost every commodity our county produces being sold below the cost of production.

If the Telephone Co., The Texas Utilities Co. and the West Texas Gas Co. want to be fair why don't they reduce their rates at once and reduce them generously. We can't continue to use their conveniences at the present rate. Many of us will be compelled to discontinue their use unless they give us a liberal reduction. Winter will be here shortly and we simply cannot pay the high bills that were paid last winter. We can do without our telephones but it would be better, I think, for the Telephone Co. to give us a reduction in their rates rather than have the phones removed.

You say there will be "hair in the butter" unless some kind of settlement is reached. There is already hair in the butter and the sooner the Public Service corporations gets their rates down to fair basis in keeping with our financial condition the better we will feel.

You seem to be wondering where we are going to get the money to pay our lawyer and other possible costs. The city of Floydada spent money with a lavish hand in times gone by. Very few of us raised our voice in protest then: Now that we are in dire need of help why

PELLAGRA - IS CAUSED BY NOT EATING THE RIGHT FOODS.



General Fund Script Should Be Registered

Commissioners Find Former Practice of Borrowing For Fund This Year Impracticable.

The general fund of Floyd County does not have funds at this time to pay script being issued against it. Although it is anticipated that the county's securities under the contract pledge with the former depository will be released at an early date, none of the funds tied up by the failure of the bank will be available for the general fund, out of which comes the expenses of running expenses of the county's affairs, and the cashing of the pledge securities will not afford relief to the holders of general or third class fund script.

Under this head comes ex officio salaries of county officials, supplies for the offices, and the various and sundry expense items not properly chargeable to other funds.

Successive Commissioners' Courts, during the past several years, have found it necessary to borrow money sometime during the latter half of the year for the general fund expenses, the amount borrowed varying somewhat. This year the court had to begin borrowing earlier than usual on account of the emergency measure passed by the last legislature which made it possible for taxpayers to defer payment of taxes until October 1 of this year without penalty, except a ten per cent interest charge. Their first loan was obtained from the Floyd County National Bank on June 4, when they obtained \$1,500 on a registered warrant due February 2, 1932. At the time the depository failed to open its doors negotiations were under way for a further loan contingent of tax payments, but these financial difficulties made it impossible to obtain further loans at this time, and the general fund, it is anticipated, will be short of cash until taxes begin coming in after the fall harvest starts.

Sanitarium Notes

Among the out-of-town patients in the Smith & Smith Sanitarium this week were Mrs. F. W. Sadler and Mary Lois Sadler, of Mt. Blanco, and M. G. Brotherton, of Silverton. They underwent tonsilectomy operations Wednesday.

Tom Ferguson, Roaring Springs business man, is convalescing this week at the sanitarium, following an operation performed in the latter part of July. He has been seriously ill but his condition continues to show improvement.

George Quirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Quirk, was among the patients at the hospital last mid-week.

WEST TEXAS PRESS MEETS AT LUBBOCK AUGUST 14-15

Lubbock, Aug. 11. (Special)—Two full days of activity await delegates to the West Texas Press Convention here, Friday and Saturday August 14 and 15.

In addition to addresses and discussions on newspaper advertising, features, news appeal and other vital questions, a golf tournament, a couple of dinners, a dance, an inspection trip to the Textile Engineering building at the Texas Technological College and other features are on the program.

The newspaper men will likewise get a chance to get a glimpse of the largest coaching school being held in the Southwest this year. The Wade-Phelan school in progress at the Tech has an enrollment of 312, the largest attendance of any school in the United States this year.

The scribes will be guests of the Avalanche Journal at a luncheon Friday at noon, of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce at a banquet and dance Friday evening and of the Lubbock Country Club at a golf tournament Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. D. Summerville, Sr., in company with her daughter, Mary Alice, and son, A. D. Jr., returned home Tuesday from Hot Springs, N. M., where they spent the past five weeks. Mrs. Summerville took the baths and treatment and her condition is slightly improved.

G. V. Slaughter returned this week from Nogales, Arizona, and points in California where he has been for the past two months.

W. C. T. U. MEETS TUESDAY AT CHURCH OF NAZARENE AT 4

W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday, August 18, at 4 o'clock at the church of the Nazarene. The following program will be given:

Devotional—Mrs. N. E. Tyler.

Is there as much drinking now as there was before prohibition?—Mrs. Edd Brown.

Are the young people drinking more now than before prohibition?—Mrs. Myers.

Are moral conditions worse now than before prohibition?—Mrs. E. C. Nelson.

Is there more poverty and misery today than there was when we had open saloons?—Miss Kate Stiles.

These questions will be answered from the standpoint of the welfare workers and statisticians. "If you are interested in these questions come prepared to enter the discussions," it was stated.

Election of permanent officers will be held soon and nominations will be called for at the next meeting, it was announced.

NOTRE DAME PLAYER VISITS HERE SHORT TIME MONDAY

William Pierce of Sherman, Texas, right guard last year on the late Knute Rockne's wonder football team, was in Floydada a short time Monday. He was in company with Mrs. C. J. Kelleher and daughter, Alma, and son, Jim of Sherman. Mrs. Kelleher and daughter were en route to Plainview to visit relatives and Jim Kelleher and Pierce were en route to Lubbock where the former may attend school this fall.

Pierce played four years of football with Sherman High School before going to Notre Dame where he will be a junior this year. He was substitute guard last year for the famous Mettger, all-American guard. He played about half of the game against S. M. U. last fall.

"We'll have even a better team this year than last with bigger men and a better line-up. We will have a good team if we can 'get going.'" Anderson will be the senior coach in the position formerly filled by Rockne who was killed last spring in an airplane accident.

COTTON CROP PLACED AT 75 PER CENT OF NORMAL

From data furnished by crop correspondents, the condition of the cotton crop in Texas is estimated at 75 per cent of normal, according to a report issued Monday by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Austin. The total yield applied to the area in cultivation July 1 indicates an estimated production of 5,018,000 bales this year, the report states.

The general stand is reported better than in 1929 and 1930 but not as good as in 1926. Boll weevil infestation is considerably less than reported in 1929 but more than in 1930. The 1931 damage from boll weevil promises, at present, the report states, to be similar to 1926.

The state condition figure of 75 per cent of normal is the highest reported in Texas since 1920, when condition was approximately 77 per cent of normal. Allowing for some cotton left in the field in 1926, the 1931 crop prospects are for a crop of from 81 to 85 per cent of the record 1926 production, the bureau said.

For the United States a crop of 15,584,000 bales is indicated from a condition of 74.9 per cent of normal.

TERRACING DEMONSTRATION AT PLAINVIEW AUGUST 17

Farmers of the southeast are being given immediate relief in demonstrations of how to make quick, cheap terraces to stop washing away of their top soil that has already "virtually destroyed more than 17,000,000 acres of formerly tilled land in this country," according to West Texas Tractor and Machinery Company, who announces a terracing demonstration with "Caterpillar" Tractors and the new "Caterpillar" Terracer, to be held at Plainview Monday August 17.

Friday and Saturday SPECIALS

- PEACHES, Apricots, No. 2 1/2 cans, each, 18c
- Kraut, Tomatoes, Hominy, No. 2 1/2 cans, ea., 12c
- TEA, 1/4 lb., 15c
- JAR RINGS, 2 dozen, 8c
- COCOANUT, per lb., 18c
- COMPOUND, Bulk, per lb., 10c
- COFFEE, bulk, per lb., 11c
- CREAM MEAL, 20 lbs., 37c
- FLOUR, Lily, 48 lbs., 79c
- FLOUR, Lily, 24 lbs., 40c

We have a supply of all size jars, and cans. See us before you buy.

People's Exchange

Half-Minute Interviews

G. I. Dunavant: "We had better than an inch of rain at our place. We're going to have good feed."

G. W. deCordova: "Things look a whole lot better out at my farm this year than they did this time last year."

W. F. Weatherbee: "This August rain will bring up part of the volunteer wheat on my place. We finished plowing it under recently. Part of our row crops look good."

Floydada Merchant: "If you don't think fall merchandise prices are down, think on this—a woman can dress up in Floydada—crepe dress, shoes, full-fashioned hose, purse, suit of underwear, pair kid gloves, new fall hat—everything for \$10, and be nicely dressed."

Irvin deCordova has been spending here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. deCordova. He will leave this week-end for Dallas.

Mrs. H. P. Shrader and daughter, Betty Jean, have been here since Thursday of last week visiting Mrs. Shrader's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Guimarin, and her sister, Mrs. J. G. Wood.

Miss Gladys Covington, of Olney, arrived here last Thursday for a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Covington.

Wilford Cothran returned home Monday after spending some two weeks with relatives at Wellington. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Ruthven and Miss Dorothy Wentland were guests Friday night of last week at a bridge party given in Plainview by Miss Nell Ayres, Hale County health nurse.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker and daughter, Mary Lee, accompanied by Miss Peggy McKinney, left Saturday to spend a few days on a visit with Mrs. Thacker's parents at Big Spring. They expect to return home this week-end.

Miss Melba Williams of Crosbyton arrived Saturday for a visit with Miss Louise Conner.

MID-MONTH SPECIALS

- MEAL, 20 lbs., 35c
- SOAP, P. & G., 5 Bars, 17c
- OXYDOL, For, 19c
- KRAUT, No. 2 1/2 can, 10c
- TEA, 1/4 lb., 19c
- Maxwell House, EL FOOD Mayonnaise, 16 oz., 29c
- GALLON FRUITS, For, 49c

Canning Supplies

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS

- COFFEE, 3 lbs. for, 31c
- COMPOUND, Per pound, 10c
- FLOUR, 48 lbs., Golden Sheaf, 99c
- MILK, Baby Carnation, Each, 4c
- SUGAR, 10 lb., Cloth Bag, 53c
- SOAP, Toilet, 4 bars, 24c
- CRACKERS, 2 lbs. Supreme, 24c
- BANANAS, nice ones, per lb., 5c
- JARS, Quart size, per dozen, 80c
- TEA, 1/4 lb., White Swan, 21c

M SYSTEM

Cash Specials

Red Potatoes

Fresh, 10 Pounds, 19c

Corn No. 2

12c

Coffee

Special, Pound, 25c

Pears

No. 1 can, Sunkist 15c

Toilet Soap

4 Large Bars 25c

Cakes

15c Packages 9c

Crackers

2 Lb. Saltines 29c

Steak

Per Pound 19c

Beef Roast

Pound, 14c

Veal Loaf

Fresh Ground Pound 12c

FELTON-COLLINS GRO. CO.

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Friday and Saturday SPECIALS

See Our Store Friday and Saturday for RED HOT BARGAINS

OUR GROCERY AND MARKET

Armstrong and Howard PHONE 130

STAR CASH GROCERY

Everything for Canning

BARGAINS

- FLOUR, Gold Crown, 48 lbs., 80c
- HOMINY, No. 2 1/2 can, 10c
- VINEGAR, Pickling, Gallon, 20c
- CHERRIES, Red Pitted No. 2, 22c
- CHERRIES, Gallon, 89c
- CRACKERS, Graham, 2 lbs., 25c

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sam H. Young, pastor
The General Board of Lay Activities of the Methodist Church has recommended that September be observed as the period of particular emphasis upon the Christian doctrine of self-denial in the interest of the sacred causes represented in our conference collections. This movement will be sponsored by the Board of Lay Activities of the Floydada Methodist Church. These are well organized and have the work in hand in a fine way.
Good rains have come to water our thirsty land and gladden our hearts. May we give expression of our gratitude to a kind Heavenly Father by a renewed resolution to render a more willing and larger service to Him and His cause.
All regular services at the Methodist Church next Sunday. A welcome awaits one and all at these services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dick O'Brien, pastor
A plan has been adopted by the church in conference to use Rev. C. E. Meredith as supply pastor for the First Baptist Church for the next three or four Sundays while the pastor is away for revivals. I am to be with the church at Rochester, Haskell County, for two weeks then two weeks with the First Baptist church at Lamesa. Brother Meredith will supply the pulpit, look after the prayer-meeting, and all other matters of the church program. He is too well and favorably known in Floydada to need a special introduction or boost from me.
We hope the church members and heads of the different church departments will co-operate with him a hundred percent to make his work both pleasant and fruitful.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Claude Wingo, Pastor
Good services at First Christian Church last Sunday. We had only 102 in Bible school and we were greatly disappointed. To have 18 good people absent looks bad.
We are checking up on ourselves to see about our fall program in the Bible school. Hope to be able to make full announcement next week.
We have gone over our present active rolls and find that we have:
Class No. 1 Mrs. Claude Wingo, teacher, 7; Class No. 2 Mrs. J. N. Johnston, teacher, 11; Class No. 3 Mrs. E. C. Nelson, teacher, 6; Class No. 4 Mrs. V. H. Boteler, teacher, 7; Class No. 5 Mrs. W. Edd Brown, teacher, 8; Class No. 6; Mrs. Zell Probasco, teacher, 7; Class No. 7, Mrs. L. H. Dorrell, teacher, 6; Class No. 8 Daisy Lee Gresham, teacher, 11; Class No. 9 Myrtice Meador, teacher, 6; Class No. 10 to be re-organized, Oct 1st; Class No. 11 Mrs. J. B. Jenkins, teacher, 16; Class No. 12 Mrs. Claude Wingo, teacher, 16; Class No. 13 Mrs. Len B. Fawver, teacher, 19; Class No. 14 W. Edd Brown, teacher 12; Class No. 15, Home Department, Mrs. Walters, 3; Total enrollment, 135.
Bible school workers conference Wednesday night taking stock of our teachers, equipment, materials, etc.
Be in services somewhere every Sunday it will give you needed strength for the coming week.
Sunday morning 8:00-9:00 a. m. broadcast—local station if same is in operation.
Morning regular preaching services 10:55—Subject "From Bondage to Liberty."
Afternoon—Dougherty 3:00 p. m. Evening 8:30—Subject "Counted Seed."
You are invited, you are wanted.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Elder Alva Johnson, of Turkey, Texas, will hold the annual meeting of the Church of Christ on South Wall Street, at the City tabernacle, beginning Thursday night, August 20.
Everybody cordially invited to attend.

BEGIN MEETING AT FAIRVIEW

Our meeting at Dougherty closed Sunday night. Good attendance at each service.
Will begin a meeting at Fairview next Sunday. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.
F. O. Garner, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCHES WILL HOLD CONVENTION IN SEPT.

The District Convention for Christian Churches of District Number Two will be held at Plainview on September 10 and 11 it was announced this week by Rev. Claude Wingo, pastor of the First Christian Church of this city, who is district president.

District Number Two includes the following West Texas Counties: Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Cottle, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, King, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Kent, Stone-wall, Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Scurry and Fisher. The program for the district meet will be announced soon, Rev. Wingo said.
Members of the local Christian Church are urged to plan to attend this convention.

BLANCHE GROVES CIRCLE MET WITH MRS. MEREDITH

Blanche Groves circle of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. M. Meredith for a business and social meeting.
In the business meeting officers were elected for the new year

work. Mrs. Boone Hall was elected chairman, Mrs. L. J. Welborn vice-chairman, Mrs. E. L. Angus secretary, Mrs. H. O. Cline treasurer and Mrs. Frank Bass appointed reporter. Mrs. E. L. Angus and Mrs. J. M. Gamblin were appointed to act as a sunshine committee.
After the business meeting an interesting program on the "Fine Art of Living," was given with Mrs. Boone Hall as leader. Mrs. E. L. Angus, Mrs. E. C. Thomas and Mrs. Frank L. Moore gave very interesting parts on the program. The hostess served delicious refreshments.
The next circle meeting will be Monday afternoon, August 24 with Mrs. J. L. Thomas, 211 East Crockett Street. Every one is urged to be present as the society will sew for the orphans home at this time.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Subject for the Senior B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday evening, August 16 at 7:30 at the Baptist Church is, "The Holy Spirit Our Helper."
Scripture reading—Bernice Patton.

Introduction—Jewel Grundy.
The Comforter occupies Jesus' place—Lola Mae Grundy.
The Holy Spirit Our Helper—Mrs. G. A. Linder.
He helped us to be Spiritual—Etha Williams.
The Holy Spirit helps us to overcome sin—Herwin Strickland.
The Holy Spirit empowers us for service—W. A. Amburn.
Helping our Helper—Faye Newell
Visitors and new members are always welcome.

Y. W. A. GIVES PROGRAM

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist church met at the church Tuesday evening, August 11. The program was opened with two songs after which a short business meeting was held. The following program was given:
Notes and impressions of a Brazilian colporter in a journey in February 1930—Bernice Patton.
The changeless enemy of God's work—Orlene Copperell.
Make me a blessing—Verdene Snodgrass.
The meeting was closed with prayer.

PASTORS PARTNERS B. Y. P. U.

The Pastors Partner B. Y. P. U. has arranged the following program for Sunday evening, August 16, at 7:30 o'clock.
Subject: "By Faith Moses Forsook Egypt."
Introductory talk—Evelyn Jenkins.
By faith Moses' life was saved—Gilbert Shirey.
By faith Moses forsook Egypt—Roberta Abernathy.
The call of Moses—Miss Meredith
Moses in the presence of the king—Thelma Jo Hamilton.
Journeying toward Canaan—Frances Shirey.
The Ten Commandments given—Mary Smith.
What Moses' act of disobedience cost him—Evelyn Jenkins.

BOOSTERS B. Y. P. U.

The Boosters B. Y. P. U. will meet at the church Sunday afternoon at 7:30 o'clock to give the following program:
Introductory talk—John Phillips.
By faith Moses' life was saved—Ralph Johnston.
By faith Moses forsook Egypt—Mayble Moore.
The call of Moses—Naydine Wood
Journey toward Canaan—Willie Marie Crow.
Moses in the presence of the king—Mrs. Heald.
What Moses' disobedience cost him—Coleta Moore.
All visitors are welcome and so are new members 13 years of age.

RUSTLERS B. Y. P. U.

The following program has been arranged by the Rustlers B. Y. P. U. for Sunday, August 16, at 7:30 o'clock. Group II will have charge:
Subject: "By Faith Moses Forsook Egypt."
Introductory talk—Pat Stansell.
By faith Moses' life was saved—Verne Estridge.
By faith Moses forsook Egypt—Rex Johnston.
The call of Moses—Don Thomas.
Moses in the presence of the king—Bonnie Lloyd.
Journeying toward Canaan—Marion Heald.
The Ten Commandments given—Chlotilde Abernathy.
Forty years in the wilderness—

Florence Jeter.
What Moses' act of disobedience cost him—Marion Phillips.
All members are urged to be present and to bring someone with you.

SPECIAL SERVICES SUNDAY HELD AT JOEBAILEY

Rev. G. W. Tubbs of this city will conduct special services Sunday morning at the Joe Bailey church, it was announced this week. The morning hour of worship will begin at 11 o'clock.
Concluding services Sunday night at the Campbell Baptist Church in the revival being conducted by Rev. Tubbs and Rev. Arthur Jordan were postponed because of rain. One conversion was recorded during the meeting, which probably is closed, Rev. Tubbs said.

RAINBOW B. T. S. PROGRAM

The Rainbow B. T. S. meets Sunday, August 16 to render the following program at the Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock:
Topic—"By faith Moses forsook Egypt."
Leader—Mooris Moore.
By faith Moses life was saved—Mooris Moore.
By faith Moses forsook Egypt—Opal Patton.
The call of Moses—Walton Henderson.
Moses in the presence of the king—Lois Newsome.
Journeying toward Canaan; Crossing the Red Sea; Ten Commandments given—Dr. Hicks.
Forty years in the wilderness—Nolan Rucker.
What Moses' act of disobedience cost him—Selma Linder.
Rainbow Union is the union. Try us at 7:30 at the Baptist church. Visitors and new members always welcome.

SOUTH CIRCLE BAPTIST W. M. S. WITH MRS. TUBBS

Seven members of the South Circle of the Baptist Woman's Missionary society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Clifford Tubbs.
Mrs. Tubbs presided in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. Edwin Heald, while new officers were elected for the next year's work which begins September 1. Mrs. John Myers conducted the lesson

from the mission book, "Stewardship in Missions."

The circle will meet next Monday at the church in a joint meeting of all the circles. The circle meeting will be Monday afternoon, August 24, with Mrs. E. C. Wood, 119 W. Crockett Street.

PRESBYTERIAN INTERMEDIATE ENDEAVOR

Following is the program to be rendered by the Intermediate Endeavor of the Presbyterian church, August 9, at 7:30 o'clock:

Subject—"How my Bible helps me."
Scripture—James 1:22.
Leader's Talk—Blanche King.
To Understand Jesus—Maydele King.
To teach us obedience—Kenneth Bain.
To trust in God—James Williams
To know what Jesus wants us to do—Katherine Daniel.
Bible Story—Ruth Troutman.
Business, Bible drill, benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Paschall had as their guests last Sunday Mrs. Paschall's mother, Mrs. J. E. Greer and sister Mrs. Jack Raymond and Mr. Raymond and son of Tulia.

J. H. Mosley of Plainview spent last week-end with his brother-in-law, T. B. Mitchell of the Pleasant Valley community.

Miss Inez Paschall returned home Sunday from Lubbock where she spent a week as a guest of Mrs. Chas. Files.

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4. Poultry Raising.

E. R. Eudaly, swine and livestock specialist with the Extension Service of A. & M. College, and Mrs. Leola Cox Sides, state nutrition specialist, will bring you interesting messages. Others prominent in farm activity will also take part in the program.

Mrs. D. S. Battey of Harmony Home Demonstration Club will speak on "Housing, Feeding and Marketing of Poultry." Mrs. W. E. Miller of Sand Hill will speak on "Standardization and Marketing of Black-eye Peas in Floyd County."

You perhaps wanted to go to the Short Course this year and were unable to do so—perhaps you have wanted just such an opportunity as this. Be sure and plan to attend and bring the family.

PLENTY OF FUN AND AMUSEMENT ON THE PROGRAM

There'll be plenty of ice water and we'll all spend a profitable and enjoyable day together.

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SOCIETY

nes and Miss Thelma Smith in Pretty Home Wedding.

Jones of Lakeview and Miss Smith of the McCoy came were united in marriage at home wedding Sunday at 3 o'clock. The services conducted on the front porch some of the bride's mother, W. Smith, of the McCoy city, with Rev. G. W. Tubbs officiating.

Wedding march was played by Eldred Raley.

Bride is a daughter of Mrs. Smith and has been reared by Mr. W. N. Jones of this city. She was graduated from the Lakeview High School in 1930, and Mrs. Jones will make home at the old homestead at Lakeview.

Friends and relatives were present for the ceremony, including Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jones of Floydada; Mrs. W. W. of McCoy; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. of W. M. J. R., of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Payne son, Leon, of Floydada; Mr. Geo. L. Smith and daughter, Wynona; Mr. and Mrs. Lovell and daughter, Lavine; Mr. L. H. Smith and sons, L. E. and Edward; Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Hardy; Mrs. Holland C. Mitchell in Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. John Bray of Floydada; Mrs. G. A. of Floydada; Mrs. J. B. Tar-Beville; Messrs. M. L. Solo-A. J. Cline, and Clifton Payne his city; Alvis Day of Ralls; Rainer of Floydada; Misses McKimney, Mildred Raley, et. Tardy, Bonnelle Payne, a Smith; Misses Bozenna and la Day of Ralls.

Partners B. Y. P. U. in Weiner Roast.

ne Pastors Partners B. Y. P. U. entertained at a weiner roast the home of Rovena Johnston lay evening at 8 o'clock.

ames were played before and the roasting of weiners. Those ending the party were as follows: Misses Maudie Meredith, Vera redith, Thelma Jo Hamilton, iline Williams, Frances Shirey, ein Smith, Mary Smith, and the tress, Rovena Johnston; Messrs. bert Shirey, Ralph Johnston, ster Davidson, Ray Chatman, Pat ussell, Marion Heald, Rex John- n, Jonnie Johnston, and stridge, and Bonnie Lloyd.

Missionary Society Meets Monday in Study.

Ladies of the Methodist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon of this week at the church in a study meeting. Mrs. Clay Johnson was leader and conducted the very interesting lesson.

The society will meet next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. B. P. Woody for a social meeting.

Miss Meador Hostess to Woman's Council.

Miss Myrtle Meador was hostess to the Woman's Council meeting Monday afternoon at her home on South Main Street.

A box was packed for Jarvis college at Hawkins. Mrs. Lon M. Davis had charge of the lesson. The following program was given:

Devotional—Mrs. Claude Wingo. Leaders talk—Mrs. Lon M. Davis. Topic—America's small towns and villages.

A woman preacher in a village pulpit—Mrs. Davis.

A growing church in a mountain country—Mrs. W. Edd Brown. What the Christian church has done for our Canadian cause—Mrs. J. B. Jenkins.

A playlet—"Find God in the Census"—Mrs. R. Fred Brown, Mrs. L. H. Dorrell and Mrs. M. L. Probasco. After the program a short business session was held and the hostess served lovely refreshments.

The meeting next Monday, August 17 will be held at the church with Mrs. J. B. Jenkins as leader of the Bible study.

Mrs. Shirey Honoree at Birthday Party.

G. N. Shirey and daughter, Francis, entertained last Friday evening with a birthday party honoring Mrs. G. N. Shirey on her fortieth birthday.

Various games and other forms of amusements were enjoyed till a late hour when refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Widner, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Widner, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Lidner, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows, Rev. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, Mrs. L. A. Shirey and daughters, Misses Ida and Etta of Lorenzo.

Alathean Class Holds Social Meeting.

Members of the Alathean Class of the First Baptist Church met in their regular monthly business and

social meeting at the church last Thursday afternoon, August 6.

The meeting was opened with a song, "When they ring the Golden Bells." During the business meeting that followed, it was decided that no refreshments would be served in the social gatherings for the next three months. Following the business meeting, a short program was rendered, as follows: "I don't want to be an Angel," reading by Jean Sims.

"Jolly little raindrops," song by Sonny Boy Bishop and Harold Franklin Estes.

Several hymns were sung by Mel- oise Estes, Nell Swinson, and Dorothy McClung.

A delicious refreshment course of punch and ice cream was served to the sixteen ladies present. Group Number Two served the refreshments.

J. O. C. Girls Club Holds Last Meeting.

Members of the J. O. C. Club met Tuesday afternoon of this week at the home of Miss Madine Raley. An interesting reading program was given and each member brought sewing. Following the club work, games were played and chocolate fudge served as refreshments.

Those present were Era Sue and Jean Edwards, Odessa and Ruby Poore, Dorothy and Ona Dell Odams and Madine Raley. The club members decided to discontinue the club, because of school work.

Mr. and Mrs. McBrien Hosts to Ace Bridge Club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBrien were hosts to the Ace Bridge Club in their regular meeting Tuesday evening at their home on South Main Street.

Three tables were arranged for the games of bridge played in which Mrs. L. J. Welborn and A. T. Hull received high score.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Welborn, Dr. and Mrs. W. Hubert Seale, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. A. Sone, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bass, Miss Helen Miller, A. T. Hull and the host and hostess.

The club will meet Tuesday evening, August 23 at 8:30 with Dr. and Mrs. Seale as hosts.

Mrs. J. H. Green Entertains Pastors' Helpers Class.

Members of the Pastor's Helpers Sunday school class of the M. E. church and other guests were entertained by Mrs. J. H. Green at her home Tuesday for the regular monthly business and social meeting of the class.

The devotional meeting led by Mrs. Geo. Dickey was held in the morning. Mrs. D. D. Shipley gave two songs, "I love to hear the songs of the Old Church choir," and "Mother Calling" which were enjoyed very much. Lunch was served at the noon hour, each mem-

ber having brought a dish. The afternoon was spent in quilting and visiting as several old members of the class were present.

Visitors enjoying the meeting were Mrs. R. L. Henry, Mrs. Addie Thaggard of Los Angeles, California, Mrs. Geo. Klebold, Mrs. S. P. McPherson of Vineyard, Mrs. Lela Hubbard of Denver, Colo., Mrs. J. M. Wright, Rev. S. H. Young, Misses Cleo Birch and Verna Olson; members present were Mrs. Lillie Britton, Mrs. W. L. Boerner, Mrs. W. A. Baker, Mrs. R. M. McCauley, Mrs. J. E. Appling, Mrs. J. S. Solomon, Mrs. S. H. Young, Mrs. O. B. Olson, Mrs. D. D. Shipley, Mrs. El- la Johnson, Mrs. Tom W. Deen, Mrs. E. C. Henry, Mrs. Walter Birch Mrs. P. M. Felton, Mrs. J. E. Eubank, Mrs. W. M. Colville, Mrs. W. C. Hanna, Mrs. Geo. Dickey, Mrs. J. E. Courtney, Mrs. J. J. Mc- Kinney, Mrs. Lula Slaughter and Mrs. Ida Thomas of Plainview. All enjoyed being entertained in Mrs. Green's home.

The class will meet the second Tuesday in September with Mrs. S. H. Young as hostess.

Starkey News

Starkey, August 10.—We had a good rain again last Sunday night.

Miss Lela May Poe spent last week with her sister at Barwise.

Roy Thornton returned home from Randlett, Oklahoma, where he has been visiting.

Everett Moore returned to Pampa last week where he will start working again. Mrs. Moore, Marion, Thulia and Corene accompanied him and will return home Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Marley from Lorenzo is visiting with Miss Lela May Poe this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard, Or- land and Nell have gone to Pueblo, Colorado. They will return the latter part of this week.

Pete Woods entertained the young folks of this community with a party last Thursday night.

Theo and John Woods from Lit- tlefield, visited with M. A. Woods Sunday.

312 REGISTERED DURING LUBBOCK COACHES' SCHOOL

Lubbock, Aug. 11. (Special)—With a registration of 312, the Wade-Phelan coaching school at the Texas Technological College, August 3 to 15, is the largest in the United States this year.

While the bulk of the attendance is from Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, there are a few registered from California, Tennessee, Arizona, Ohio, Louisiana, Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, and North Carolina.

Fundamentals, plays, and theory of football and basketball are being given at the school by Wallace Wade Duke University coach; Jimmy Phelan, Washington University coach; S. D. Burton, West Texas State Teachers College, and Jimmy Kitts, Athens High School.

Plans are being laid to make the school an annual affair. Pete W. Cawthon, head coach, Dutchy Smith and Dell Morgan assistants, have charge of the school.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hartrick of Wayside spent last week as guest of Mrs. Hartricks sister Mrs. W. H. Sharp and family.

W. B. Hall and R. Fred Brown spent last Tuesday and Wednesday at Ft. Sumner on business.

Elder J. J. Day returned Tuesday from Ralls where he spent several days visiting his son, W. M. Day, and family.

Miss Kathleen Snodgrass returned Sunday from Amarillo, where she has been visiting for the past two weeks with relatives.

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Dougherty News

(By Mrs. W. D. Newell)

Good rains fell over the Dougherty territory Sunday afternoon and night which measured one half inch here and a heavier rainfall southwest. Three inches with some hail damage was reported at Claud Ring's place five miles southwest of Dougherty.

Crops as a whole are doing fine and a bountiful harvest is expected. Lots of maize is in full head and with the moisture we now have it should fill out and make good grain.

Well, we didn't get much response from the weed cutting proposition last week. If we would keep our community pride, this work should be done. There is very little work to be done in fact, the park is in need of attention badly. It appears the Townsite Company no longer looks after the Civic conditions of our town and it becomes a duty of the citizens to attend to these needs.

Are you in favor of a municipal organization to look after such affairs? If so let us tell our neighbors and talk this thing into existence.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cumble left Tuesday for Athens, Texas, to visit with relatives for a few days.

J. M. Brownlow made a business trip to Stratford, Texas, last week-end.

Miss Nannie Mae Burrus from Tucuman, New Mexico visited her relatives Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lot- speich the past week. She was en- route to Stamford, Texas where she will make her home.

Miss Dorothy Wentland, State Health Nurse, wishes to meet all women who are interested in organizing a Home Nursing School. She will be in Dougherty Tuesday, August 18 at three o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Hanley returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with her parents at Lorenzo Texas.

J. P. Eckstine from Wichita Falls Texas arrived last week to make his home with his uncle Lee Robbins and Mrs. Robbins. He will attend school at Pleasant Hill this year.

Wayne Ross from Lamesa is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robbins this week.

Messrs. J. E. Newton and Luther Hicks left Saturday on a business trip to Dallas, Sherman and other points east. They are expected home Wednesday.

Miss Faye Newell from Floydada spent the past week with friends and relatives at Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blankenship and little son left Saturday for Clayton, New Mexico to be gone several days.

Church News

The revival meeting held by Rev. Smith of Tulla and the local pastor, Rev. F. O. Garner closed Sunday evening.

There was good attendance at each service and splendid preaching. There was but one conversion and much good was accomplished.

Sunday school services each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at both churches.

Rev. Earl Landtroop will start a series of services here beginning Friday evening at the Baptist church. The meeting will continue through next week.

Rev. Claude Wingo, pastor of the First Christian Church at Floydada will fill his regular appointment here next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Methodist Church.

A good League program was presented last Sunday evening. The subject of "Friends" was discussed. Mrs. U. E. Cook is leader for next

Providence News

Providence, August 10.—L. A. Hannan left last week for Fort Worth for an indefinite visit with his daughters.

Mrs. Pete McLaughlin of the Wil- son Community was here the past week visiting with her mother, Mrs. V. C. White.

Mrs. Ooley and daughter of Plain- view were visiting in this commu- nity the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crough of Bovena spent last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crouch.

A fine shower fell here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newman and son and daughter of Kress visited relatives here last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele last week a baby girl. Mother and baby are both doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boedeker are entertaining a niece from East Tex- as this week.

W. A. Boedeker and wife were in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dameron and family were in Plainview last Satur- day on business.

Mrs. Rambo is expected home this week from a three weeks visit with relatives in East Texas.

Mrs. Fred Sammons of Plainview visited at the Marvin Scheele home last week.

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How to Solve The Cross-Word Puzzle

- HORIZONTAL**
- Last name of man pictured
 - A pointed weapon
 - To come back
 - A minister
 - Dye
 - Mattress covering
 - River in North Italy
 - To take wing
 - Poor Mexicans
 - Encountered
 - A cross-word puzzle ruler
 - To lose color
 - Strokes gently
 - South American Indian
 - Measure of land
 - To harvest
 - To pare
 - Glass for cut flowers
 - Upon the ocean
 - Irritates
 - Nail for clenching
 - To bathe
 - Boy
 - To lift up
 - Also
 - Old landmark (abr.)
 - Presbyterian minister of Floydada.
 - Railroad (abr.)
 - First name of man pictured.
 - Irregular
 - Editor of the Hesperian
 - Leases

- VERTICAL**
- Where plains people get water
 - That thing
 - Shell fruit
 - A tight hold
 - One time
 - To whirl
 - Broad vessels
 - Unit of work
 - Just like
 - Lassoed
 - Floated logs
 - A short letter
 - Knocks out (abr.)
 - Young America (abr.)
 - Mama
 - School district East of Lockney
 - School in East part of Floyd County.
 - Pa
 - Great aviators
 - Woody plant
 - Close by
 - Liquor barrel
 - Tailless monkeys
 - Political group
 - Large town in Crosby County.
 - Sales display in a paper
 - Close to
 - Ulcers
 - A cows weapon
 - Did ride
 - Last word of prayer
 - Perhaps
 - Not sweet
 - Sea eagle
 - A billiard stick
 - Two fives
 - Right near
 - State west of New Hampshire.

In the Kitchen

Useful hints that are of interest to the housewife are presented from time to time in this column. If you have a favorite recipe send it in to "The Kitchen Editor" and it will be published with proper credit given. Perhaps you will find new ones here—clip them. Women readers are invited to make this their open forum for the kitchen. Anything that interests you interests others—contribute something—you are invited to chat with your neighbor "In The Kitchen."

Mrs. G. R. May, who resides east of Floydada, has the honor and distinction of being the first to contribute home recipes to this special column conducted for and by housewives. She gives this week some excellent ginger bread and cake recipes using whole wheat flour. Try them.

Ginger Bread

- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 cup butter
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 cup dark molasses
- 2 teaspoons soda in hot water
- 1 teaspoon each of cinnamon and cloves
- 2 1/2 cups whole wheat flour not sifted
- 2 eggs well beaten, added last.

Layer Cake

- 2 cups sugar
- 1 cup butter
- Cream sugar and butter well together
- 1 cup sweet milk
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 4 eggs—yolks and whites both used.
- 3 cups whole wheat flour, not sifted
- 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Filling for Layer Cake

- 2 cups sugar
 - 2 eggs
 - 1/2 cup sweet milk.
 - 3 bananas.
- All the above cooked together in double boiler and spread between layers.

German Dishes Appetizing

The thrifty and culinary skill of the German housewives are in themselves sufficient to recommend their special dishes to all persons living by the low cost food guide developed by the Bureau of Home Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture. In addition to being appetizing, the typical German meals are especially nutritious and filling, three necessary requisites when the food budget is restricted, the bureau points out. Although there are many German dishes that delight the fastidious taste of the gourmet, there are also many of homely origin and consequently inexpensive and simple to prepare.

Whether the food is elaborate or plain, German housewives watch expenses. They also give meticulous attention to the preparation with cleanliness as the foundation on which they begin to work. Hands, kitchen, pots and pans, and tableware all come in for their share of scrubbing and polishing, and all washable foods and ingredients are rinsed and scrubbed before the meal is started.

Noodles and dumplings are served frequently and in many different ways, including soups, meat dishes, an desserts. German desserts are, as a rule, very sweet and rich with nuts, spices and fruits. At times, they serve small pan cakes much as we do, but most recipes call for baking them in butter in one or two large cakes. "Berlin Pfannkucken" is not a pancake at all as we know it but really a doughnut with jelly on the inside. After cooking, these are dusted with powdered sugar and cinnamon.

All Recipes Tested

The following one-day menu is truly German, from the coffee cake at breakfast to the cottage cheese cake for supper. Most persons will find the cabbage and mutton combination entirely new and especially appetizing. When this meal was tested in the bureau, as are all recipes before being recommended, the tantalizing odors which came from the kitchens brought many members of the staff into the laboratory to see what was being cooked. This particular dish is native to Mecklenburg and once it is eaten, it is bound to be a favorite with all who are fond of cabbage and lamb. The spices and seasonings, with which it is cooked, blend with the other ingredients and result in a flavor which is distinctly different. The sour potatoes with bay leaves is a dish probably not so alien to the American table but it offers a pleasant contrast to the usual boiled or creamed potatoes.

All of the lamb broth is not used at noon, so some of it is utilized for the evening meal for cooking the carrots. It lends a distinctive flavor to the carrots and has the additional advantage of doing away with the necessity for adding butter or making a cream sauce.

- Recipes are included for all those German dishes serve five persons.
- MENU FOR ONE DAY**
- Breakfast**
- Green Apple Sauce
 - Coffee cake
 - (Cooked cereal)
 - Coffee
- Dinner**
- White cabbage with mutton (Mecklenburg style)
 - Sour potatoes with bay leaves

- Supper**
- Carrots in broth
 - Lettuce with oil and vinegar
 - Cottage cheese cake
 - Coffee

RECIPES

White Cabbage with Mutton or Lamb.

- 2 pounds breast mutton or lamb
- 1 quart water
- 1 large head cabbage
- 3 long thin slices salt pork
- 3 teaspoons salt
- 1/2 teaspoon white pepper
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped onion
- 8 or 10 cloves.

Wipe the meat and cut in medium pieces. Add to the water, partly cover and simmer until the meat is tender. Drain and reserve the broth. Cut the meat from the bones in small pieces and discard excess fat. Remove the outer leaves from the cabbage. Wash and cut the head in eighths, leaving a rim of the heart to hold the leaves together.

Lay the three strips of pork in the bottom of a large heavy pan and heat the pork for a few minutes to fry out the fat. Over the pork, make an alternate layer of cabbage and meat. Season with the salt, pepper, onion, and cloves. Continue until all ingredients are used and have a layer of the cabbage on top. Pour 1/2 cup of the broth over the cabbage. Cover tightly and cook over low heat or over an asbestos mat for 30 minutes or until the cabbage on top is almost tender. Remove the cover, turn the cabbage slices on top and cook a little longer until most of the liquid has evaporated. Watch carefully to keep from burning. Turn onto a platter and remove the salt pork before serving; if preferred. This dish may also be cooked in casserole.

Sour Potatoes with Bay Leaves

- 1/2 cup finely diced salt pork
- 1/2 cup finely chopped onion
- 1 pint boiling water
- 5 pared potatoes, cut into quarters
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Pepper
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 tablespoon vinegar
- 3 tablespoons browned flour
- 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley.

Fry out the salt pork until brown and crisp. Remove the pork and cook onions in the fat until lightly browned. Add to the water and potatoes with the salt, pepper, and bay leaves, cover and boil gently until the potatoes are done. Remove the bay leaves and stir in the vinegar, the browned flour, and crisped pork. When well mixed, serve with parsley sprinkled over the top.

Carrots Cooked in Broth

- 2 to 5 cups mutton or lamb broth
 - 5 or 6 medium sized carrots
 - Pepper
 - 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley.
- Heat the broth to boiling. Wash, scrape, and cut the carrots into thin lengthwise pieces. Cook them in the broth from 10 to 15 minutes or until tender. Season with salt, pepper, and parsley. Serve with a me of the broth.

Mrs. Dutch Brewster and daughter, Ruedel, Mrs. Brewster's mother, Mrs. Hattie Sessions, with Misses Mildred Welborn, and Venita Borlund, and W. E. Stone and son, Harley, went to Munday Friday of last week, returning home this mid-week.

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ially should be considerate one or another.

- Questions for Discussion**
- Who wrote the Scripture of our lesson?
 - Where was Paul at the time of writing?
 - What does he say should be done with a man caught in a fault?
 - What did Paul say about people who think too well of themselves?
 - How do you think a man may prove his own work?
 - Do you not think we often deceive ourselves?
 - Can one deceive God? Why?
 - Why was alcohol outlawed?
 - Do you advocate the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment? Why not?
 - If our country sows alcohol what will it reap? Why?

Irick News

Irick, August 11.—Sunday school was well attended Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bayler Byars and family and Mrs. J. F. Dollar and son, Waylon, visited in Plainview Sunday.

Mr. Shook of McKinney is visiting his daughter Mrs. P. A. Rivers. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Murphy and son, C. W., of Ramsey visited their daughter Mrs. Lawson Moreland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Glass of Alken were Sunday guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ashby.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mournay of Oilton are visiting in the John Holmes home this week.

Miss Lillie Mae Taack had as her Sunday guests Misses Eathyl and Gladys Murphy of Ramsey.

Miss Ida Lou Worsham of Plainview is visiting her sister Mrs. G. H. Davis.

Miss Vivian Stegall of Floydada spent on Wednesday till Saturday last week with her uncle J. A. Stegall.

H. A. Harris and family made a business trip to Shamrock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grigsby of Starkey.

BLANCO CLUB MEETS

The Home Demonstration club of the Blanco Community met with Mrs. Lee Trice on August 5. There were six members present. Mrs. Trice reported on the recreation committee. The club will give a musical reading or stunt as our part of the entertainment for one night of the Fair.

Mrs. Turner gave a fine report on her trip to A. & M. Short Course, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The club will meet with Mrs. Snell on September 3. Following is the program: What the fair means to Floyd County—Mrs. Brewer. How does the fair help the Home Demonstration Clubs—Mrs. Cates. How can our club help to make the fair a success—Mrs. Smith. Putting up exhibits—Miss Faulkner.

Dr. Don C. Peterson, director of the Healthcade in Floyd County last week, left Friday morning for Snyder for a health meeting.

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LOST—Last week on Fairview road, jumper, two pillows, other items. Notify Hesperian. Reward. 252tc

Sunday School Lesson

SOWING AND REAPING (Temperance Lesson)

Lesson for Sunday, August 16. Golden Text:—Be not deceived; God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap. Galatians 6:7.

Lesson Text:—Galatians 6:1-10 is here printed.

1 Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted. 2 Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ. 3 For if a man think himself to be something, when he is nothing, he deceiveth himself. 4 But let every man prove his own work, and then shall he have rejoicing in himself alone, and not in another. 5 For every man shall bear his own burden. 6 Let him that is taught in the word communicate unto him that teacheth in all good things. 7 Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. 8 For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.

9 And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not. 10 And we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.

Time and Place.—The epistle to

the Galatians was written in Corinth to the Christians of Galatia in central Asia Minor, about A. D. 57.

Bible Readings
Gal. 6:1-10; Prov. 23:15-23; Matt. 13:24-30; Titus 2:1-8; Rom. 14:13-23; Rom. 2:1-11; Isa. 5:11-15.

Introduction
Galatia is a section of country in central Asia Minor. It was settled by the descendants of the Gauls who came in from Europe some three centuries B. C. Paul evangelized in this region on each of his three missionary tours. The main purpose of his letter to the churches of Galatia may be stated as follows: (1) to defend his apostolic authority (Gal. 1:1-2:14) and (2) to defend his teaching that justification is by faith (Gal. 2:15-5: 12). The letter was occasioned by the teachings of Judaizers who had come into their midst seeking to overthrow Paul's doctrine of salvation. The part of the epistle used in this lesson emphasizes the brotherly spirit that should control Christians, and the law of sowing and reaping.

Questions
Wherein had the Galatians departed from Paul's instructions? Chs. 3:1; 5: 1.

What special message did Paul give them? Ch. 5:1.

What is the proper attitude for Christians to take toward those who have fallen?

In what ways can we help to destroy the liquor traffic?

Compare and contrast the message of verse 2 with that of verse 5.

State some of our obligations to our spiritual teachers (verse 6).

Discuss the relation between the seed and the harvest.

State the meaning of "sowing to the flesh" and "sowing to the Spirit."

Can we escape the fruits of our physical, mental and moral conduct?

Why should we "be not weary in well doing?"

State some reasons why members of "the household of faith" espe-

Healthcads Message Goes Direct To 1,043 Floyd County Residents As Workers Visit Communities

Officials Are Pleased With Good Receptions

People Are Urged to Call on District Nurse and Engineer For Free Services.

Outlining the free services of trained workers available at the expense of the state and national government departments the four-day healthcade last week in Floyd County carried a resume of the program of health directly to 1,043 individuals in 29 rural communities. Sanitation, prevention of disease, and school inspections were the major points stressed by Dr. Don C. Peterson, director of the healthcade, and his co-workers in their tour of the entire county which opened Tuesday and closed late Friday afternoon.

Expect Good Cooperation
Response in every community was enthusiastic and officials indicated that they were expecting full cooperation in every phase of the work following the good reception given at every stop.

Tuesday and Wednesday the motorcade of health workers included a tour of the eastern half of the county and Thursday and Friday the western section was visited.

Attendance at the meetings held at the school houses in the com-

munities was as follows: Baker, 8; Pleasant Hill, 10; Antelope, 50; Dougherty, 20; Campbell, 24; Fairview, 48; Center, 20; Lakeview, 25; Cedar, 36; Fairmont, 65; Edgin, 66; South Plains, 188; Roseland, 10; Liberty, 24; and Ramsey, 10; Irick, 45; Aiken, 32; Prairie Chapel, 54; Sterling, 20; Lone Star, 26; Providence, 10; Muncy, 19; Pleasant Valley, 17; Sand Hill, 75; Harmony, 25; Allmon, 33; McCoy, 18; Blanco, 26; and Starkey, 30. Night meetings were held at Lakeview and at Starkey.

U. S. Engineer Assists
Assisting Dr. Peterson in the program were E. D. Hopkins, special sanitary engineer with the U. S. Public Health Service; B. C. Ruthven, district sanitary engineer; Miss Dorothy Wentland, district health nurse; S. W. Ross, chairman of the county health committee and Secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce; Price Scott, county school superintendent; Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent; Kenneth Henry, with the South Plains Lumber Company; Dr. Hubert Seale, local physician, and Roy Haynes, Hesperian representative.

The healthcade was the second held in West Texas and the second in Texas. The first healthcade was held last spring in East Texas reaching from Houston to Texarkana. A healthcade was held early this summer in Crosby County and one is to be held the week of August 24 in Swisher County.

Floyd County Leads
Floyd County virtually took the initiative in this section in a new program that is destined, officials declared, to become one of the greatest moves ever conducted in the United States in the promotion of better health in the rural communities. The services heretofore

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have been directed in cities but this year for the first time are being extended to the rural residents. Officials were enthusiastic over the response given by Floyd County people and were elated over the success of the "introductory step" of health building.

During the first three days of the healthcade, Dr. Peterson outlined the services of the department of health at Austin, stressing the ease in which the spread can be checked of the preventable diseases. Dr. Seale discussed these points Friday, the concluding day, handling the subject authoritatively and clearly for his audience.

Ruthven Entertains
Mr. Hopkins used in most instances a blackboard illustration of the health department and its various branches. He explained in detail the sanitation division with which he is connected. Mr. Ruthven and Miss Wentland, who will carry forward the program in this county, made short talks in which they told of the ways they can be of service. Mr. Ruthven entertained the kiddies with rope tricks and sleight-of-hand stunts while he told his audiences of his work.

Mr. Ross acted as master of ceremonies at each stop, introducing the speakers and explaining the purpose of the healthcade. Mr. Scott urged the people to cooperate with the program which he declared that he heartily endorsed as of great value to every community.

"This health work is being conducted in only 93 counties in the state and this is the first time that the services of a nurse and engineer have been made available to the people of the rural communities of Floyd County," Mr. Ross said. "Call on Miss Wentland and Mr. Ruthven. Invite them out to help you. Their services will be continued at government expense for only seven more months so take advantage of this opportunity while you have it," he urged.

"The rural sanitation program work is entirely advisory. We are interested in stamping out preventable diseases which are costing you thousands of dollars every year," Dr. Peterson declared. "Typhoid fever, often termed our 'national disgrace,' can be wiped out in Texas in 60 to 90 days. Typhoid vaccination protects the individual but the other important step is to destroy the means of transmission of typhoid germs."

Prevention of diphtheria, pellagra, and summer sickness of infants were the other subjects stressed. Importance of 100 per cent sanitation was the topic of Mr. Hopkins. He explained in detail the construction of the approved type of pit toilets and stressed the fact that no expenditure of money was necessary in having them on every farm. A protected water supply, protected milk supply and other foods are most important, Mr. Hopkins said.

"Destroy the vehicles of transmitting disease such as flies, the open privies, open wells, and the mosquitoes and you are on your way to a 100 per cent sanitized community," he pointed out.

"In Texas in the last 30 days we have aided in passing ordinances in 33 towns in which provisions are made that all toilets must be of the approved type. A total of 6,895 of these toilets have been constructed in the rural communities.

"An extensive survey in this state made by the Rockefeller Institute shows that hookworm infection, spread by the open 'alley castle,' varies from 20 to 70 per cent of the population. Records show that there were 3,630 deaths in Texas last year from typhoid fever—a disease transmitted from human excreta. The figures show that 11.8 per cent of every 100,000 people died with this disease last year. "Just to give you an idea what one little old female fly can do for you: she can produce during her lifetime 680,000,000 flies!

"We must destroy the disease transmitters—the open privy and the breeding places such as the cow lot manure, refuse matter from the table, and the other place of filth."

Miss Wentland explained that her work was with the women and children. She outlined plans for holding physical examinations in the schools and also plans for home nursing schools. Food, diet, infant care, hygiene, handling of contagious diseases, first aid, etc., were listed as matters which are included in her division.

To Set Dates
Residents of the communities were urged to get in touch with Miss Wentland and Mr. Ruthven and carry forward the work of sanitation at home and prevention of disease by arranging a definite date for community visits.

"A county 100 per cent sanitized," is the slogan being urged for Floyd County.

It was pointed out that the first community in the county to be classed as 100 per cent sanitized will receive national recognition since no community has attained this honor anywhere in the United States.

A roll of honor, carrying the names of the farmers having their homes 100 per cent sanitized, will be run in The Hesperian each week, it was announced.

Mr. Scott called attention to the need for prompt action on the part of the rural residents. "We endorse this fine program and want you folks to remember that these health workers are going to be with us only for a limited time and you should make every effort to get their services while they are available," Mr. Scott urged.

Health workers expressed appreciation to the South Plains Lumber Company for furnishing a model pit type toilet which was taken on the healthcade for detailed explanation.

Miss Mary Leta Stone of Abilene arrived last mid-week for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Maud Merrick.

Sand Hill News

(To late for last week)

Sand Hill, August 6.—Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Hobby and son Cecil and Milton Weems returned Sunday from Houston and other points where they visited relatives. Mrs. Weems accompanied them to College Station where she attended the short course.

Misses Lou Dell Rose of Clovis, N. M., and Maxine Hall of Idalou visited J. V. Greer and family Saturday night.

Greer McCleskey of Floydada visited Melvin Phillips Sunday.

Mr. Kirk's mother from Sherman is visiting them.

Mrs. Glenn and sons of Dimmitt are visiting in the J. H. Holmes home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Glenn and daughter of Dimmitt are visiting Mrs. Glenn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pace and other relatives.

Mrs. M. B. Holmes and son Riley visited Mrs. Ernest Grisby and family of Starkey Tuesday.

Rev. Hayhearst is conducting a revival at the Christian church. The attendance and interest are good. Sunday school was attended by a large crowd Sunday. Everyone is invited to attend.

SEVEN-FOOT EAGLE BAGGED BY LOCAL BOY HUNTERS

A Mexican eagle of seven-foot wing measure, fourteen pounds in weight, with talons two or three inches long and a beak that could tear up a small animal in a few licks, was captured alive Friday of last week by four Floydada boys who were adventuring about to see what they could see.

The boys were Ralph Tubbs, Gilbert Nichols, Wendell Jenkins, and E. T. Williams, and the capture was made two miles east of town. The boys were driving in a car when their attention was first attracted to the monster of the air. The eagle, meanwhile, was intent upon a rabbit, which he swooped down, caught and ate on the spot. After he had ravenously filled up the boys gave chase in their car. Being so full the eagle could not fly well and soon tired down. As the boys approached he lay over on his back with his talons protecting his body, too vicious to attack with the bare hands. A lick across the head with a tire pump reduced the bird's vitality enough that the boys could tie his feet up with wire and grab him by the wings to capture him.

When they were showing the eagle in town late the same afternoon the eagle was still full of fight. The bird measured thirty-three inches from beak to tip of tail.

SAND HILL H. D. CLUB STUDIES FOOD PRESERVATION

Food preservation was the subject discussed by the members of the Sand Hill Home Demonstration club when they met last Monday afternoon at the club room.

Mrs. Miller discussed experiences in weighing and measuring and Mrs. Knight gave a very interesting discussion on the value of fruit in the diet. Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Tinnin gave a demonstration on watermelon rind products.

Sixteen members and three visitors were present for the meeting.

TRI-STATE FAIR CATALOG IS BEING DISTRIBUTED

Distribution of the catalog of premiums for the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo on September 21 to 26, was started last week, two or three thousand having been mailed to date.

Approximately \$15,000 in cash premiums will be distributed this year. The fair has a free gate.

STATION IS ROBBED

Woodrow Tawwater, former Floydada boy, was the operator in charge of a Gulf Filling Station at Quanah that was robbed of the contents of the cash drawer Monday morning of last week by a lone bandit. \$7 was taken.

Tawwater was forced to lie on the floor while the robber rifled the cash drawer.

COL. THOS. MONTGOMERY VISITING AT FORT WORTH

Col. Thos. Montgomery, of the TMBAR Ranch, is in Fort Worth this week on a visit with friends and relatives at his former home.

The cattleman left Saturday intending to be absent from home for two weeks or more.

Half-Minute Interviews

W. N. Jones: "Two miles out of town between McCoy and Floydada we came through one of the biggest rains I ever saw Sunday. The water in the road for about half a mile in one stretch was almost up to the runningboard of the car."

E. L. Gary, Harmony: "I have the best row crop I have had in three years. Cotton looks good. I have 50 acres of mighty good feed and a little corn but it is the best I have had since I came to the Plains."

S. W. Ross: "Contrary to anything you may hear in Floydada, our county has a good row crop this year."

J. C. Bolding: "Folks can feed this wheat to their chickens, hogs and cows and get more for it than ever before. A quarter's worth of wheat is worth more today than a quarter's worth four years ago when you feed it."

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Will Have Passenger Planes At Reunion Of W. Tex. Old Settlers

Among the entertainment features at the annual reunion of the West Texas Old Settlers' Association at Smith Memorial Park Friday and Saturday will be passenger plane service for joyriders who want to take a ride and view the grounds from the air.

W. L. Stringer, of Wichita Falls, was given the concession last week-end and will have three planes here for the purpose. One of these is a cabin plane, the other two being open-type machines.

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O'BRIEN AT ROCHESTER

Rev. P. D. O'Brien and family left the first of this week, the minister planning to spend the next two weeks at Rochester in Haskell County in a meeting with the Baptist Church. His family will visit at Munday and Cisco during an absence of several days from home.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Floyd County, Texas, will consider sealed bids for County Depository and depository for county school funds of said county on August 20, A. D. 1931, at 10 a. m., for the period ending the second Monday in February, 1933.

All bids shall be deposited with the county judge of Floyd County not later than 10 o'clock a. m., August 20, 1931, and shall state the amount of interest said bidder proposes to pay on daily average balances monthly of said accounts, payable on the first day of each month for the previous month; said county funds to be secured by pledge contract as provided by House Bill No. 517, as passed by the Fortieth Legislature at the regular session; and said school funds to be secured by personal bond, all in good and sufficient amount to make the county secure in the said funds. Said bids to be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of one-half of one per cent of the county revenue for the year of 1930, as a guarantee of good faith that if his or its bid shall be accepted a bond will be entered into as provided for.

Also on the same day and hour as above set forth the Commissioners' Court will consider sealed proposals from any banking house, association or individual banker in Floyd County as may desire to be selected as the depository for trust funds in the possession of the county and district clerks of Floyd County. Said sealed proposal shall be filed with the county clerk of Floyd County on or before 10 a. m., August 20, 1931. The proposal submitted shall state the rate of interest offered on average daily balances of the trust funds of the county and district clerks for the term between the date of the acceptance, qualification and designation of another depository; said bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half of one per cent of the average estimated daily balances of said trust funds of said clerks during the preceding calendar year, which said amount shall be determined by the county clerk on or before ten days before the date bids herein required to be filed, as a guarantee of good faith that if his or its bid is accepted a bond will be entered into as provided for above. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 28 day of July, A. D. 1931. (SEAL) J. W. HOWARD, County Judge Floyd County, Texas. 233tc.

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Event Given At City Tabernacle; A. & M. Cooperates In Plan

(Continued from page 1)
Mrs. O. W. Fry of Pleasant Valley as the Master Farm Homemaker of Texas, who have brought distinctive honors to Floyd County.

Mrs. Batten of Harmony, county poultry demonstrator, will tell of her experiences with her poultry flock and will present facts and figures showing how she carries on her operations at a profit. Her message will be based on actual work in Floyd County. Proper feeding and housing methods will be explained in detail.

Mrs. Miller, who has recently been awarded a contract for canning 1,800 gallons of black-eye peas for A. & M. College will point out the value of standardized products and methods for marketing products canned on the farm. Her remarks will be of timely interest due to the fact that farmwives are becoming rapidly more interested in establishing an outlet for food supplies prepared in their kitchens and through their own efforts.

Concluding the program will be roundtable discussion on farm topics and answers to questions by the Extension specialists and others taking part in the program.

"We are making arrangements to have a big time and spend a profitable day," Mr. Ross said. "We want every farmer and farm wife in Floyd County to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity and attend this one-day Short Course. Owing to the circumstances in this section this year many were unable to go to College Station for the Short Course. And there are many others who would like to obtain the information such as is given out at the A. & M. Short Course every year.

"Many of the folks who do not go to the Short Course so through the courtesy and cooperation of A. & M. College officials we are bringing the Short Course right to their doors and we are anxious that they receive full benefit from it. Everything will be free and no one is being out any expense for this fine program.

"These specialists are giving their time and coming at our invitation and we have asked them to come with the belief that the people would appreciate such a service particularly at this time. We hope that everybody will come—we're counting on them for they realize that this is all done just for them and for nobody else. You will all be welcome. We want you all to come," Mr. Ross declared in issuing a general invitation to the farmers, their wives and children to be the honor guests at the Short Course next Tuesday at the City Park Tabernacle.

COUNTY BOARD DECLINES FOR PRESENT TO CHANGE BOUNDARIES OF STERLEY

The County School Board in a special session Thursday of last week declined "for the present" to disturb the boundaries of the recently-created district of Sterley, which was made up of territory taken partially out of three districts—Prairie Chapel, Lone Star and Roseland.

The decision was made following an oral hearing of John Cooper, formerly a resident of Prairie Chapel, and E. G. Livesay, formerly of Lone Star, who asked that their lands be transferred back into their former districts on account of location and proximity of the schools. The law under which the change was made in the districts is known as House Bill No. 386, which, Superintendent Price Scott says, seeks to make possible the creation of new districts out of territory already having bonded indebtedness. The law has not been tested out in the courts.

MRS. ASHTON TO HAVE RUG IN DALLAS FAIR DISPLAY

A hooked chair mat and a hooked rug made by Mrs. R. H. Ashton of Campbell Home Demonstration club will be shown in the Home Industry Shop sponsored by Texas A. & M. College at the State Fair in Dallas October 10-25, it was announced this week.

The industry shop will be under the direction of Misses Mamie Lee Hayden and Zetha D. McInnis of A. & M.

An article will be sent from each county in the state having standardized work.

The rug which will be shown was also displayed at the Short Course last month. It is a pomegranate pattern with perfect harmonizing of colors. Mrs. Ashton dyed the rib ends of wool at home. Eight pounds of wool were required in its manufacture.

FALLS STYLES REFLECT SECOND EMPIRE SAYS MRS. A. J. WELCH

"Styles for women this fall are certainly distinctive. The new creations are simply beautiful," commented Mrs. A. J. Welch who returned Tuesday night from Dallas markets where she made purchases for Miladies Specialty Shoppe of which she is proprietor.

"Dresses, coats and hats carry out the Second Empire period styles. The hats are chic and very different. They are patterned, as are the other items of apparel, along Princess Eugene lines.

"Many new materials make their bow this fall and the coats have luxurious fur collars and cuffs of a new type," she said.

Mrs. Welch was accompanied from Lubbock by her daughter, Virginia, who spent the week visiting with relatives. She was also accompanied by Misses Mary Lou and Merle Scoggin, of Lubbock.

CAMPBELL H. D. CLUB ENJOYS ALL DAY MEETING

The Campbell Home Demonstration Club met in an all day meeting August 5 with Mrs. George Stiles as hostess.

A demonstration on watermelon rind products was given in which pickles, preserves and jam were made. After the lunch was served a short business meeting was held.

Mrs. S. J. Latta and Miss Mabel Teague gave a report on the trip to the short course.

Visitors and new members are always welcome at the meetings and are urged to come.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mal Jarboe August 19 and Miss Dorothy Wentland, county health nurse, will be present.

Those attending the all day meeting were Mrs. N. Williams, Mrs. Jim Hart, Mrs. J. W. Chapman, Mrs. S. J. Latta, Mrs. R. L. Powell, Mrs. Mal Jarboe, Mrs. Ray Badgett, Mrs. R. H. Ashton, Mrs. Clarence Ashton, Mrs. A. H. Kreis, Miss Mabel Teague and the hostess.

NEON SIGN INSTALLED AT WHITE DRUG THIS WEEK

A neon sign, the first in the city, was installed this week in a show window of the White Drug Company, in the Palace Theatre building. The novel Neon gas-electric sign is eighteen by thirty inches in size, and is fitted to be placed in the show windows. The glass tube containing the red Neon gas forms the border for the printed sign.

This novel attraction is put out by the McKesson Drug Company and advertises McKesson products.

MRS. HAZEL HUGHES HAS OPERATION IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Hazel Hughes, teacher in the East Ward School, is in the Lubbock Sanitarium this week convalescing from an operation which she underwent last week, according to advices received here by friends. Her condition is improving satisfactorily and she will be able to take her classes in the local school in September, reports stated.

Boy Scouts

BOY SCOUT CAMP AUG. 17-22

Claude Wingo, Scoutmaster Troop No. 4

To find a suitable place for a summer camp for scouts is a job. Since we have been talking summer camp in troop No. 4 I have been on a look out for a suitable place for said camp.

Will not take boys to a place where drinking water is questionable or where swimming water is bad.

(1) I have twice inspected Lingoish Falls. This place is fair. There is no road nearer than about 1 1/2 miles to swimming hole. This place is more private than any place visited on account of its being so inaccessible. Spring water for drinking is fine, natural scenic beauty is par excellent, shade is satisfactory, water for swimming is very good. The greatest objection is the difficulty to reach and the engineering feat necessary to get camp equipment back on top of the ground.

(2) Ceta Canyon is almost out of the question. The main swimming pool will be in the possession of another troop of Camp Fire Girls next week. Such water as I saw on visit Tuesday of this week was not of the best. Scenic beauty is fine, very good drinking water, splendid shades, road right into camp, established caretaker on the grounds always. A temporary dam would have to be built which might hold and which might not. With only five days at our disposal we feel that time could not be spared to build satisfactory dam.

(3) Boy Scout Camp Post, Texas. Have been unable to connect by telephone with scout executive as he is away on vacation. There is no assistant executive and we are unable to get information concerning the camp or the possibility of getting said camp.

(4) Silver Falls. Visiting Silver Falls late Wednesday evening to find out about its possibilities.

(5) By a visit to Roaring Springs and two telephone calls we can announce the following:

Roaring Springs is accessible, is near to town if assistance should be needed. Good spring water is at hand for drinking, a pool of water, cleaned I understand every night, is available at \$1.00 per boy for the week. 20 boy scouts can use the pool as much as they care to for full week for \$20.00 or 15 scouts for \$15.00.

Call 324, Scoutmaster, Claude Wingo, register your preference. Any help that any person interested in boys can give will be greatly appreciated.

If you can assist a boy to go to camp it may mean a great deal in that boy's life. If you can furnish a tent or a cot or know of some one that may be available let a scout know it.

Scoutmaster would like to have a large dutch oven, and a large gridle, and a sizable American flag.

Provisions needed for 20 scouts for one week outing approximately: 9 doz. oranges, 10 lbs. smoked bacon, 20 doz. eggs, 9 doz. loaves bread, 10 boxes pancake flour, 5 lbs. butter, 1 1/2 doz. tall can milk, 6qts. syrup, 50 lbs. spuds, 15 lbs. cabbage, 20 lbs. pinto beans, 18 lbs. hog jowls, 40 lbs. beef or chicken, 9 doz. lemons, 9 doz. flat cakes, 4 gals. preserves, 20 lbs. meal, 1/2 gal. lard, 10 gals. fresh milk, 4 lbs. apricots dried, 4 lbs. prunes dried, 4lbs. raisins dried, 4lbs. peaches dried, 20 lbs. sugar, 3 lbs. salt, 1 lb. baking powder, 1 small can pepper.

Handy receipt books at The Hesperian Office.

Joe Breed Secretary Floydada N. F. L. A.

Succeeds Jas. K. Green, Resigned To Take Collection Desk in Land Bank at Houston.

Joe Breed, former assistant cashier of the Floyd County National Bank, Saturday was elected secretary of the Floydada National Farm Loan Association to succeed Jas. K. Green, resigned, and will take active charge of the affairs of the office as soon as he is checked in, which is expected to be this week-end. He will be located temporarily in the office with A. H. Manning over the First National Bank, he said yesterday afternoon.

The selection of Breed for the new position as secretary of the local loan association came following the resignation of Jas. K. Green and the announcement that the latter would go this week-end to Houston to begin work preparatory to taking over the collection desk in the Federal Land Bank there. He is expected to assume his new work on Saturday. However, illness has prevented his giving attention to details of his affairs here during the first of this week. He became ill Sunday afternoon and was not out until late Wednesday.

Green's record as secretary of the Floydada National Farm Loan Association since early after its organization in 1918, has been an outstanding one, and is credited by his friends here as making possible the opening at the Land Bank at Houston. Following the closing of the Floyd County National Bank here in July, in which he was an active official, the offer of the place at Houston was made to him by the committee in charge of the affairs of the Land Bank's Collection Department.

The loan association had assets in excess of \$40,000 at the close of its last fiscal year, and had loans outstanding in excess of \$750,000.

Canvas From Floydada Entered In Art Contest

Many Texas artists have entries in the \$500 purchase prize contest of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, among these being Mrs. E. J. Barker, of this city, whose drawing "Palo Duro Canyon," will be among the contest entries, according to announcement in July Texas Federation News.

The canvasses in the contest will be displayed and the prizes awarded in November at the annual convention of the federation to be held in Lubbock from the ninth to twelfth inclusive of that month.

Red Cross Sends \$75; May Buy 2,000 Cans

Telegraphic notice that the Floyd County Chapter of the American Red Cross would receive \$75 with which to purchase cans for preserving garden foodstuffs for the needy this winter was received Wednesday by S. W. Ross, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, who was active in assisting with this work last winter.

"We will be able to purchase about 2,000 cans with this money," Mr. Ross said. The telegram from Wm. M. Baxter, Jr., manager of the midwestern branch of the Red Cross at St. Louis stated that instructions for placing the cans will follow by letter.

STARTS CANNING WORK

Mrs. W. E. Miller of Sand Hill started work last Saturday on filling her contract order with A. & M. College to furnish 1,800 gallons of black-eye peas this year.

Miss Grace Switzer of Dallas, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. M. Massie for the past two weeks, left today for Lubbock to visit before returning to her home in Dallas.

Just Received

Ladies' New Patent Leather Belts and All-Over Laces. New Fall Felt Hats.

Oxfords, New Fall Shipment for Men in Blacks and Tans.

We Have A Real Clean-up Price on all Summer Merchandise. Visit Our Store to Make Your Purchases.

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Grandpoppa 'Whoopie' In Person



Folks, you are now looking at "Old Whoopie" who merely bats an eye and tells you that he is the largest living terrapin in captivity. He came through Floydada Tuesday afternoon en route with his owner and keeper, C. E. Miller, to be one of the features at the Old Settlers Reunion at the Rock House Friday and Saturday. The stout fella weighs 175 pounds in his bare feet, has a neck 18 inches long, and is fifteen inches from basement to attic. He'll be on display at the reunion and he's the biggest money's worth of dry land navigator you ever saw. Biologists fall out with each other in trying to set his age—some say 400 years and others make it one grand—1,000.

'Whoopie' Was Youngster When Columbus Arrived

Giant Emydosaurian Has Teeth; Eats Hay; Caught In Texas.

You've always heard that old expression about being "a little duck in a big pond"—well, "Old Whoopie" is a terrapin in a big way. That is, he may be a terrapin and he may not but that's what he represents mostly in appearance.

Talk about goblins, and dragons and monsters! Well, "Old Whoopie" is a whopper and he is as old as Old Methusalem—he has to be for it's bound to have taken him years and years and years to grow so big. He was captured, capering around over a West Texas ranch nipping at buffalo heels when Columbus discovered America.

He was just a kid in those days and virtually unknown but he later became famous in the race that set the world talking when he outran the hare.

The mammoth terrapin was found in 1929 on the O Bar B Ranch in Maverick County near Eagle Pass. The ranch was then owned by the late Pat O'Brien, according to C. E. Miller, who now has the terrapin.

But wait a minute! You're all wrong if you think "Old Whoopie" is a terrapin. So sree. He's an emydosaurian—that's what he is, so be careful or you might hurt his majesty's feelings by calling him the wrong kind of names. Now an emydosaurian in a first uncle of the pre-historic animals like the professors with horn-rimmed spectacles like to dig up after they have been dead a couple billion years (the animals—not the professors) and have a nice fit over their bones.

"Old Whoopie" is absolutely a 1931 model with a body in one piece. Unlike regulation dry land terrapins his shell is one solid covering and his legs, head and tail just stick out at convenient holes. His hide is black and carries out the latest fashion trend in plaids. The "Checks" on his back are almost a foot square.

He is a hay burner model. He eats hay, grass and vegetation. He just loves to guzzle watermelon, cantalopes, and cucumbers. And strange of all, he has teeth! O. W. has four in his upper jaw and four below. My, my, my, what a big neck you have, granddama! When she stretches her neck, (guess it's o. k. to call O. W. "she" whenever it's convenient for he may be a grandmamma for all you know); again, when she stretches her neck

out for a little refreshments there's eighteen inches of it. My, my, my! What a pleasure it must be to taste anything so long! When he drinks he submerges his head up to his eyes and gulps and gulps.

O. W. measures 38x36 inches, minus the neck, from front to back an from right to left. She eats from two to three pounds of food twice or three times each week.

When O. W. sleeps, she stretches her neck out as far as convenient and snoozes. She is not a bit bashful and does not "sull" as the modern terrapins are wont to do when approached by a stranger.

He has four heavy legs as large as those of a man just above the ankle. He has five claw-protected toes on each fore foot and four on each rear propeller.

"Old Whoopie" has been going places and seeing things with his keeper. Last week he was at Tulsa. He has been shown only in Texas and Oklahoma and at a college in Kansas. He has been exhibited at several colleges in this state. Biologists claim he is one of the most unusual discoveries of the present age.

O. W.'s home is a large truck and one of his playmates is a live Australia cuddle bear—and he's a freak

all his own. The bear has fur like a bear, hands, feet, and legs like a monkey. A face like a dog, wedge teeth like a squirrel, and to top it all off—grunts like a hog!

Mr. and Mrs. Miller with their menagerie in one truck and their home mounted on another left Floydada late Tuesday afternoon for the Rock House to be there during the reunion of pioneers this week.

Practices by the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department will be held twice monthly instead of each week, it was decided at the last meeting at which time two new members were accepted.

The drills will be held the second and third Tuesday afternoons of each month. Regular meetings will be held every first Tuesday night, as in the past.

Clinton Fyffe and Virgil Shaw were the new members added to the organization.

LUTHER DORREL HAS 35 ACRES OF GOOD MAIZE

Luther Dorrell has a crop of dwarf maize on his farm four miles east of town raised from certified seed that is going to make a mighty fine yield this year. One of the heads brought into the office this week by John Gamble weighed three fourths pound.

The maize has matured without rain from June 8 to August 9, Mr. Dorrell said. He has 35 acres in the field.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TO HOLD TWO MONTHLY PRACTICES

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DIPHTHERIA IMMUNITY FOR LIFE OF CHILD POSSIBLE

Use of toxoid immunization about the time a child reached the age of twelve months makes the child immune from attacks of diphtheria for life, it was pointed out by Dr. Don C. Peterson of Austin and Dr. W. Hubert Seale of this city in talks delivered during the Healthcade last week in Floyd County.

"The toxoid represents only a very small expenditure of money and does not make the children sick nor their arms sore. Every child should be immunized by the time it is one year old," the physician said.

WATCH and JEWELRY REPAIRING Gift Jewelry

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Miss Mildred West came this week for a visit with her sister Mrs. Robert A. Sone and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bain of Silvertown spent Wednesday and Thursday morning visiting with their son Judge Kenneth Bain and family.

NEW ARRIVALS FOR FALL WEAR

With Style and Individuality all their own—

Chic New Hats

There is always something mighty exciting about the first fall hats, but this year they are smarter than ever. Starting with a graceful dip just over the right eye, they sweep back in the flattering lines of the Second Empire period. They are in velvet, or felt and velvet combinations, with dashing feather ornaments and gay ribbon bows. Priced at—

\$1.98 to \$5.95

Lovely New Dress Creations

The latest creations in fall wear for women and misses have just been unpacked. They embody the rich fall colorings and their style correctness is unquestioned. Stylish, economical, sensible, these are the keynote of the new Fall dresses.

The New Travel Crepes and satins in all the latest colors, Priced—

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Little Knitted Suits for Sport Wear

They're Chic!

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BOLOGNY 14c
Per Pound

FRUIT JARS 75c
1 Doz. Quart Size

VINEGAR 18c
Gallon, for pickling

SYRUP 85c
Sorghum, made this year

SUGAR \$1.39
25 Pound Sack

COFFEE 39c
3 lbs., extra Good Peaberry

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