

Floyd County Teachers Open Three-Day Institute Next Thursday

Whirlwind Warriors To Start Grid Grind Monday At 8 O'Clock

Coach Terrell Will Issue Equipment To Team Candidates at High School Building.

Suits and equipment for the Floydada High School Whirlwind gridiron warriors will be issued at the high school building Monday morning at 8 o'clock, it was announced this week by coach R. P. Terrell.

Practice sessions will probably be held each week-day morning at 7:30 o'clock and in the afternoons at 4:30 o'clock on the lot immediately west of the school house.

"I am expecting boys to report Monday morning," Coach Terrell said.

The morning sessions will be "conditioning exercises" and the afternoons will be given over to the study of fundamentals of football.

The tackling dummy and all training equipment will be ready Monday morning, the Coach said.

Big Election Party Planned For Saturday

Get out the old grey bonnet again for there's to be another big party for you Saturday night, August 27.

Preliminary arrangements are complete to stage another election party in front of The Hesperian office this week and everybody is invited! Results will be tabulated promptly on the big bulletin board just as soon as the returns are received from the election judges.

The Hesperian will furnish the folks at the party with reports on all state and district races by a special wire arrangement with the Texas Election Bureau at Dallas.

Martin Brown will assist again with his public address system and the state race bulletins will be announced over the loud speaker before they are put on the bulletin board.

There'll be music and plenty of fun. Who'll it be—Ma or Ross? Come and see Saturday night.

\$63,570 School Budget Adopted By Trustees

Room Full of Interested Patrons and Taxpayers Discuss Board's Figures.

A budget of \$63,570 for the school year of 1932-33 was adopted Tuesday afternoon by the board of trustees of Floydada Independent School District, following a hearing held in the county court room on the proposed expenditures, which was attended by a crowd numbering upward of fifty taxpayers of the district.

The budget, presented in detail by W. Edd Brown, chairman of the board, and explained by A. D. Cummings, superintendent, J. C. Westerman, chairman of the finance committee and M. L. Probasco, chairman of the buildings and grounds committee, was apparently satisfactory in general to the taxpayers present, numbers of whom complimented the board on the heavy reductions made in the general operating expenses of the district, but took occasion at the same time to point out to the board that income from city and farm property is still low or non-existent.

The board's figures for the year are based on a probable valuation of \$2,800,000 for the year, a figure approximately ten per cent lower than last year's valuations, it was explained by Chairman Brown of the trustees, who asked for a full and free discussion of the budget and of other problems which confronted the board.

Caution Urged In Conduct Of Sat. Election

A letter cautioning election officials in the run-off primary against the possibility of illegal voting Saturday, was issued Saturday by the county chairman of the Democratic party, in which these officials were urged to be "scrupulously careful" that they do not permit "any votes to be cast which are illegal."

On the other hand, it was made equally plain that no election judge should fail to permit a legal vote, where the citizen qualifies under the statutes, regardless of any criticism.

Recent charges that in many counties there was wholesale illegal voting, and the publication of the name of Floyd County as among a list of counties which had exceeded in vote the number of polls paid, was responsible for the warning. At the same time no evidence of intentional failure to observe the election laws in this county has come to light.

Some confusion has arisen as to the rights of "overs" and "unders" to vote without poll tax or certificate of exemption. The rule on this is simple and plain when once understood by the voter and election official.

The date, January 1, 1931, should be kept in mind in determining this question. This year electors are exercising their franchise based on the January 1, 1931, poll tax receipt. If a man was not sixty years of age on that date, he was or should have been assessed a poll tax and would be required to have a poll tax receipt to be eligible for a vote, although he may have attained the age of 60 since that date, and in fact, might be sixty-one years of age at the time of the second primary Saturday.

On this point, pre-election discussion with election judges indicate that they are going to be careful and in some instances are going to require affidavits from all such persons. In this they are clearly within their rights as election judges, the matter being one purely of discretion with the judges themselves. It is not necessary, however, under the statutes the point being that the judge must satisfy himself as to the eligibility of the person who offers to vote.

Unders who offer to vote, on the other hand, are eligible to exercise the franchise if they have arrived at the age of 21 since January 1, 1931. If they were not of age on that date they were not assessable and could not have procured a poll tax receipt. A boy who will be twenty-one years of age on Sunday, August 28, will be eligible to vote on Saturday, August 27, having become of age the day before his birthday.

Any young man having a birthdate between January 1, 1931, and August 28, 1932, therefore should be permitted to vote if he has the other statutory qualifications of a voter.

Some confusion as to the matter of residence has also arisen. In Floyd County, if a man has resided in the state one year and in the county six months, but has changed his residence from one voting box to another recently, the only question for the presiding judge to determine is the actual matter of residence. In the case of a married man, are he and his family now bona fide residents of the new precinct. In the case of a single man, such questions as where does he have his personal effects, and in what voting box is his washing being done, are pertinent to determine the matter.

Few Illegal Votes Members of the Democratic Committee are satisfied that few illegal votes were cast in this county at the last primary, and that none of these were intentionally permitted to vote by the election judges. The county chairman expressed such confidence in his letter last week-end to presiding judges all over the county.

The executive committee had and has full confidence that every election judge in Floyd County will so conduct the election in his precinct that when, and if, there is any manner of investigation into our county's affairs everyone of us can show clean hands in every respect," he declared.

New Rule Effective A new rule made effective at about the date of the first primary, which will be generally observed in the second primary, is one that requires the caller in the ballot counting to endorse the ballot called by him after he calls it, thus assuming by this endorsement responsibility for the correctness of the count of the ballots which he calls.

Manasco Building To Be Scene Of Annual H. D. Club Exhibits

Marketing Booth, Girl's Work Will Be Feature Of Show; Quality Is Stressed.

Annual display of the products and achievements of the Home Demonstration club women and girls of Floyd County will be made this year in the Manasco Building, 117 and 121 West California Street, it was announced this week by Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent.

The exhibit will be held Friday and Saturday, September 23 and 24. To Have Marketing Booth A marketing booth containing an exhibit of the standardized products made by the club women who are permitted to use the 4-H Better Products label will be a feature of the show this year.

Quantity as well as quality is being stressed this year. Miss Faulkner pointed out that it was her desire to have the club women bring in every item for exhibit they possibly could, regardless of the type of container. Letters to all the club women explaining details are being sent out this week.

"We have made arrangements for the club women to begin bringing in their stuff at once," Miss Faulkner said. "The exhibit entries may be left at my office or with S. W. Ross, at the Chamber of Commerce office next door.

Each club woman is requested to bring in 12 standard containers of products as outlined in the year-book, it was stated.

"Only the products in the standard glass containers will be sent to the Dallas if they win in the county but we want the products for the exhibit no matter what they are put up in," she stated.

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Run-Off Primary Ballot Will Have 34 Names for 17 Races

Governor's Race Draws More Local Interest As Climax Nears; Vote Next Saturday.

Climax to weeks of campaigning of varied intensity will be reached Saturday, August 27, the date for the balloting in the run-off primary of the Democratic party. Texas voters have a much more simplified matter before them in the second primary with a total of only 34 names listed in 17 races.

125 On First Ballot In the first primary in July with 125 names on the official ballot, election officials, voters, clerks, judges and newspaper workers were buried beneath the avalanche of figures and names. Hours, days, and even weeks elapsed in some of the races before the outcome was determined.

By far the most interest has been manifested locally in the governor's race between Ross S. Sterling, present incumbent, and Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, former governor.

Interest in all races has become more pronounced as the "zero hour" approaches and the merry chase for votes grows more intense with each passing day.

With a much shorter ballot and the races narrowed down to the two run-off candidates in each instance, returns are expected to be tabulated and reported much more rapidly than was the case in the first primary.

Following is a copy of the official ballot for the second primary next Saturday:

- For governor: Miriam A. Ferguson of Travis County; R. S. Sterling of Harris County. For State Railroad Commissioner (6 year term): C. V. Terrell of Wise County; Lee Satterwhite of Ector County. For State Railroad Commissioner (4 year unexpired term): Ernest O. Thompson of Potter County; W. Gregory Hatcher of Dallas County. For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court: J. E. Hickman of Eastland County; William Pierson of Hunt County. For Congressman-at-Large, Place No. 1: Geo. B. Terrell of Cherokee County; Pink Parrish of Lubbock County. For Congressman-at-Large Place No. 2: Joseph Weldon Bailey Jr. of Dallas County; J. H. Cyclone Davis of Hopkins County. For Congressman-at-Large Place No. 3: Sterling P. Strong of Dallas County; Joe Burkett of Bexar County. For Senator 30th Senatorial District: Arthur P. Duggan of Lamb County; G. E. Lockhart of Lubbock County. For Representative 120th Representative District: M. R. Avery of Castro County; A. B. Tarwater of

Floydada Schools Open Sept. 5 For 1932-33 School Term

Floydada Public Schools will open on Monday September 5, for the fall term of the 1932-33 term, it was voted by the school board, following the close of their budget hearing Tuesday afternoon of this week.

The date for the opening of the school could not be set until after the budget hearing was held, it was stated by W. Edd Brown, chairman of the board. Preliminary preparations for the opening of the school year, including minor repairs to buildings have been under way for several days, expenditures which would be needed regardless of the date for the opening.

Twenty-nine teachers will be employed this year, according to the plans now made. A. D. Cummings, superintendent, said. This is a smaller teaching force by seven than last year.

With this reduced number of teachers, all members of the faculty will have added work, and a reduction in the number of classes will be made. However, pupils now in the high division of a grade in the primary and grammar schools, will be cared for, but no new half grades will be created, as for instance, a child beginning school work in the first grade will remain in the first grade the entire year, and there will be no promotions until the close of school, he explained, hence if a pupil is retained he will be retained for the entire year's work.

School will assemble at 9 o'clock on the opening day, September 5, and the first two days will be given over to enrollment. It is requested that all rural school pupils have their transcripts from the superintendent's office with them on opening day.

In watching the partial eclipse the eyes should be protected by a dark glass, it has been suggested. For even when a portion of the sun's disk remains uncovered, the light may be too strong to gaze at safely for any length of time.

Route for Highway Through City Will Follow Houston and Second Streets, Says State Engineer

Surveying Crew Rushes Work; Hope To Have Work Complete By Xmas Holidays.

Survey was started Saturday morning on the route of State Highway No. 28 through Floydada following selection of a new course by Guy R. Johnston, district resident engineer, which he said he believed would receive the endorsement of the residents if approval is given by the State Highway Department.

Engineer Johnston spent Friday here going over the various proposals and mapping a new route that will enter the town section at the southeast corner, coming into Houston street after curving across the Armstrong property. The highway will then follow Houston Street, crossing South Wall and South Main Streets and will curve northward on Second Street which it will follow out of town to the Santa Fe tracks north and will parallel the railroad to connect up with the present roadbed, according to the recommendation sent to Austin.

It was assumed for some time that the new route would follow Houston Street and curve to the north on South Main which it would follow through the business district before curving northward to the present highway at the northwest corner of the town section.

Since Floydada in the Federal census of 1930 showed a population exceeding 2,500, the federal government will not participate in paving inside the corporate limits of the city, Engineer Johnston pointed out but he has indicated that he is making every effort to get the State Highway Department to furnish 100 per cent of the paving along the route through town.

If the highway, as outlined, is paved in town, it will mean an additional 26 blocks of free paving.

When discussions first began in connection with the paving of the streets on the highway, Engineer Johnston indicated that he thought Floydada had a population less than 2,500 and therefore included in the federal aid proposal of paving in towns of less than 2,500 people.

Later, a check disclosed that the 1930 census showed 2,639 population and therefore not entitled to the federal participation within the city limits.

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Tennessee-Texas Club Is Planned For September 5

Organization of a Tennessee-Texas Club of Floyd County for the purpose of perpetuating the history of the heroes of the two states who helped to make Texas a Republic and State is planned at a meeting called for Monday, September 5, at 10:30 o'clock at the City Park.

Members of the committee making plans for the event are W. B. Clark, W. A. Gound, and J. N. Johnston. All resident Texans who came from Tennessee to this state and who reside in Floyd or in nearby counties are invited to be present and become members of the club.

"This means that all members will assist in collecting literature about Tennesseans who have played a prominent part in building the great state of Texas," Mr. Johnston said.

"Also the social life of both Tennesseans and Texans will be part of the work of the organization. In 1936 a Texas Centennial Celebration will be a general social and historical as well as a patriotic feature for the entire state of Texas. The organization of the Tennessee-Texas Club will assist materially in making the celebration a success," Mr. Johnston remarked.

A large ledger will be furnished for keeping a record and a historical sketch of each member of the Floyd County Club.

Plans are being formulated to appoint a committee to prepare a program for the meeting September 5.

Today's Market

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Poultry (Hens, Old Roosters, Colored Fryers, Leghorn Fryers, Stags), Eggs (Butterfat, Wheat, Maize, Threshed Maize), and Hogs (Hogs, Hogs, Pigs).

Eclipse Of Sun Visible Locally Next Wednesday

Visible to Plains residents will be the partial eclipse of the sun Wednesday, August 31. From all parts of North America the dark disk of the moon can be seen on this day crossing in front of the sun.

In Floyd County about forty-five per cent of the sun's diameter will be covered and the time of the maximum eclipse in Floydada will be about 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon of next week.

The total eclipse can be viewed only along a strip a hundred miles in width running southeastward across Hudson Bay, Quebec, New England, and then out in the ocean where the shadow leaves the earth at sunset.

In this section the moon will pass across the sun, but not centrally across, so that it will not entirely hide the sun. And the fraction of the sun's disk that is eclipsed will be less as the distance from the central line is greater.

At Boston 99 per cent will be hidden, at Denver 49 per cent, at Los Angeles 15 per cent.

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Johnston Asks People To Co-Operate On Road

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State President Will Take Part In Program At High School

J. A. Hill, of Canyon, To Deliver Addresses; Public Invited To Attend.

For the first time in 16 faculties of the city school Floydada and Lockney and the schools will meet in a County tute at Floydada Thursday, and Saturday, September 1, 2. The program will open at 8 o'clock Thursday morning at the school building.

In the past many of the have attended institutes at O. One of the outstanding f. will be addresses by President Hill of the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon and president of the Texas State Teachers' ciation. Appearing on the program will also be a member of the Tech faculty from Lubbock, Bernie Shell, pastor First church, Plainview, and local in the field of education.

Public Is Invited The public will be invited to attend the sessions which will be for the 100 to 125 teachers teachers regularly, employed in school in Floyd County will be pected to be in attendance special invitation to all trustees patrons to attend the Friday noon meeting has been issued officials in charge.

"This is the first Floyd Teachers' Institute held in our ty in 16 years and let's m an occasion really worth our presence, interest, and astic support," was the app sent out by Price Scott, county superintendent, member of gram committee on arrival. Other members of the are A. D. Cummings, chairman, and J. W. Johnston.

Members of the enrolling nance committee are W. N. of Lockney, and O. K. Davi city. An assessment of \$1 expense will be charged each (Continued on back page)

James Hennessee When Barrel Explodes

Series of Accidents at Harn Community to Wonder What Next.

A series of accidents to F people during the past f have put the residents of the munity to wondering what The most serious of these dents was a most unusual one Hennessee, 11-year-old son and Mrs. V. W. Hennessee, one-half mile east of School, being the victim. He a Lubbock hospital with a fr ed skull as a result of an exp of an "empty" gasoline t. With some playmates he was ing under the shade of walnut to the barn at his father's about half-a-mile from the Monday. He struck a match of the barrels. It blew up i trees and a column of smok fire flashed up, witnesses Something struck the lad knocked a hole in the left portion of his skull. Dr. Hou who was called, had the boy ca to Lubbock for x-ray examin and surgical treatment. He w serious condition yesterday.

Neighbors said the barrels been setting under the trees a place since harvest time. P ably heat from the sun wa a slight amount of gas tize and pass out of the barr light of the match was all the needed to cause the explosio

Falls Hand Cut Jean Blackmon, a lad of ten, son of Mrs. Sam Hale, victim of a bad barbed wire across the side of one har wrist for several inches T He jumped out of a barn a hand struck the barbs, cut flesh to the bone. Several were required to sew up th

Mrs. M. Carr, of the smunity, sustained a painf the wrist one day the l of last week, when a jar f she was preserving food, was not thought serious but giving trouble and medica tion has been necessary.

Mrs. Everett Miller, who l ill for several weeks, was tal hospital in Lubbock T will have to remain th cal treatment for som

Mr. Williams l One piece of good not being overlooked is the return home of I much improved, who weeks in a hospital, v taken in July. He w for several days, but has responded to treat is convalescing satisf said. He is up and ab much of the time, B Wednesday.

No Candidates Yet For City Alderman

Up to 9 o'clock this morning no candidates had been suggested for the place of city alderman to succeed O. W. Kirk, resigned, election for which will be held Tuesday of next week.

Mayor Hanna said no petition had been received at his office for placing any names on the ticket and there was not any concerted effort evident to get any names before the public for the job. Whoever is chosen will serve until the date for city elections next spring.

\$1 APPORTIONMENT FOR SCHOOLS IS RECEIVED; \$3.50 YET TO BE PAID

Floyd County schools received a per capita apportionment of \$1 Wednesday of last week and the funds were being disbursed this week. The total received was \$2,057 for rural schools, \$463 for Lockney schools, and \$880 for the Floydada schools. The payment last week "brou the total paid to \$14 with \$50 yet unpaid from state at the \$17.50 per capita apportionment for the past year, according to Superintendent Price S. The next payment is expected until e



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EGGS DID GO UP

Everybody would like to see eggs than they are now, that is, for the producer. But only a few weeks ago all hands were in that nobody was able to put in storage, that all the spot option centers were flooded with eggs and that the price inevitably stayed down. A sixty percent rise in four weeks is not so bad a face of that kind of talk.

In a matter of fact, some eggs are to be going into storage, and in three large cities suddenly they themselves without eggs for trade. The truckers and the and ends buyers began to find let and the price went up.

of which is better news than we have been having to hear many moons. There are definite good signs for the market. Fix the market and your depression the way of the dodo, so far the producer is concerned.

TOO MUCH BORROWED

The answer made to that kind of pessimism is he sees no sign of returning because we owe so much. True enough, we owe money to it. We have borrowed much—more than our good should have permitted us to borrow and more than the good of the lender should have him to loan.

In spite of these adjustments some people are going to wear clothes and go places. They are going to send their children to school and they are going to do something for a livelihood. It means that there is going to be change and barter and active conditions will make new.

Not all the wealthy of the 1920s, era will be wealthy. In fact, many of them poor the rest of their lives. The others who are coming on the returning tide will to make business move.

catastrophe such as we have going through the past three permanently warps a certain percent of the minds, and we witness many strong men who orth will have their faces backward.

to have money to spend, spend. The best thing you can do is to get action on while the bargains are to be.

TEXAS' INVESTMENT LAW

The governor included in the list things he would submit to the legislature in its special session being August 30, the matter of the Robertson Insurance which twenty-five years ago a lot of the big insurance companies to withdraw from the

aim that the law has worked an measurable amount of harm in our money that should have been here for development of the state's resources is made by many, and on the other hand it was conceded that the insurance companies were milking Texas and taking the funds back to the big cities of the east. Our own ideas more with the latter thought, like the idea of forcing companies which write insurance business in Texas to leave some of it in jurisdiction of this state where it be levied upon, if necessary, for the protection of Texas policy holders. It is better to be in position to make a company do what it is than to have to rely upon the goodness and fairness to do so. To the large amounts of money will supposedly flow into the when these big companies are loose here, we are mindful of the fact that they haven't made amounts of money flow in the where they are located all.

In fact, insurance companies tell us, have all the loans more now than they wish they

just let the Robertson Investment Law be as it is.

SEPTEMBER 13?

error expressed the hope that the legislature in its labors by the time Democratic Convention September 13, and yet he sub important matters for consideration and said he it more probably. The will have to act more in ever one has heretofore-completes all that within says, especially when the says he may submit other the session is com-

plete. About the time one begins to get ready to become enthusiastic about Mr. Sterling he starts some fool play that cools you down.

ONE WESTERNER SURVIVES

West Texas people, whose area has increased in population so much as to justify at least two of the three new congressmen for Texas, are being spanked figuratively speaking by down-state people and newspapers, notably the Houston Chronicle, which complains that we varmint are voting for the man from our own section of the country. The Chronicle wants us to be broad-minded and vote for somebody from some other section of the state. West Texans, generally speaking, voted for West Texans though not in sufficient numbers to get more than one congressman-at-large candidate on the August 27 primary ticket.

As it now stands West Texas will have to support for place number two either a man from Hopkins County or one from Dallas, and for place number three either a man from Dallas County or Bexar County. In these places they speak of us as "away out there," as though we didn't belong to Texas. Small sympathy we can hope to have from any of them.

In place number one, the westerner is Pink Parrish and the persimmon country candidate is a man named Terrell down in Cherokee County. Doubtless, the Chronicle and our other critics would have us vote for the Cherokee man, and we make it unanimous for east Texas men to represent our west Texas people in congress.

THE FIVE-DAY WEEK

Industry is talking more and more about the five-day week, largely the kind of talk which agricultural American will not understand, because our conditions are not the conditions which face highly industrialized centers.

The five-day week is being urged not only as a means of holding production down but also as a humanitarian measure. The time was when six full days of at least ten hours a day was considered a work week. More recently that time was reduced in industry and eight hours became the accepted amount of work to consider a day. Then eight hours except on Saturday when four hours were worked.

Of course, none of the conditions which apply to industry apply to agriculture, generally speaking. Machinery having taken the place of men, reducing costs and obtaining mass production has made a real problem in the industrial centers. Anything that may be done to relieve a serious situation as to production will be welcomed by agriculture. However, we cannot help looking askance at the proposal for a five-day week.

BAITING THE OFFICIALS

Responsibility for the rapid rise of public expenditures, paid out of funds for which taxes have to be collected, rests with the people and not with the public officials, according to D. A. Bandeen, manager of West Texas Chamber of Commerce, whose organization has been one of those strongly advocating a revised and lowered taxation program. And the people must bring about the changes they are demanding by ceasing their "habitual cry" of more appropriations. Budget making, he declared, does not mean the "chronic baiting of public officials," but deals more with and can effect more by changing and reforming the statutes under which officials administer their offices.

It takes only a little thought for one to come to the conclusion that a public official cannot change the laws which our representatives in the legislature have passed. Public officials can and have, in most instances, cut that part of the expense over which they have control. The thou shalt mandates of the statutes, however, they cannot control. The people have charge of that part of the program.

U. S. LOTTERY LAW

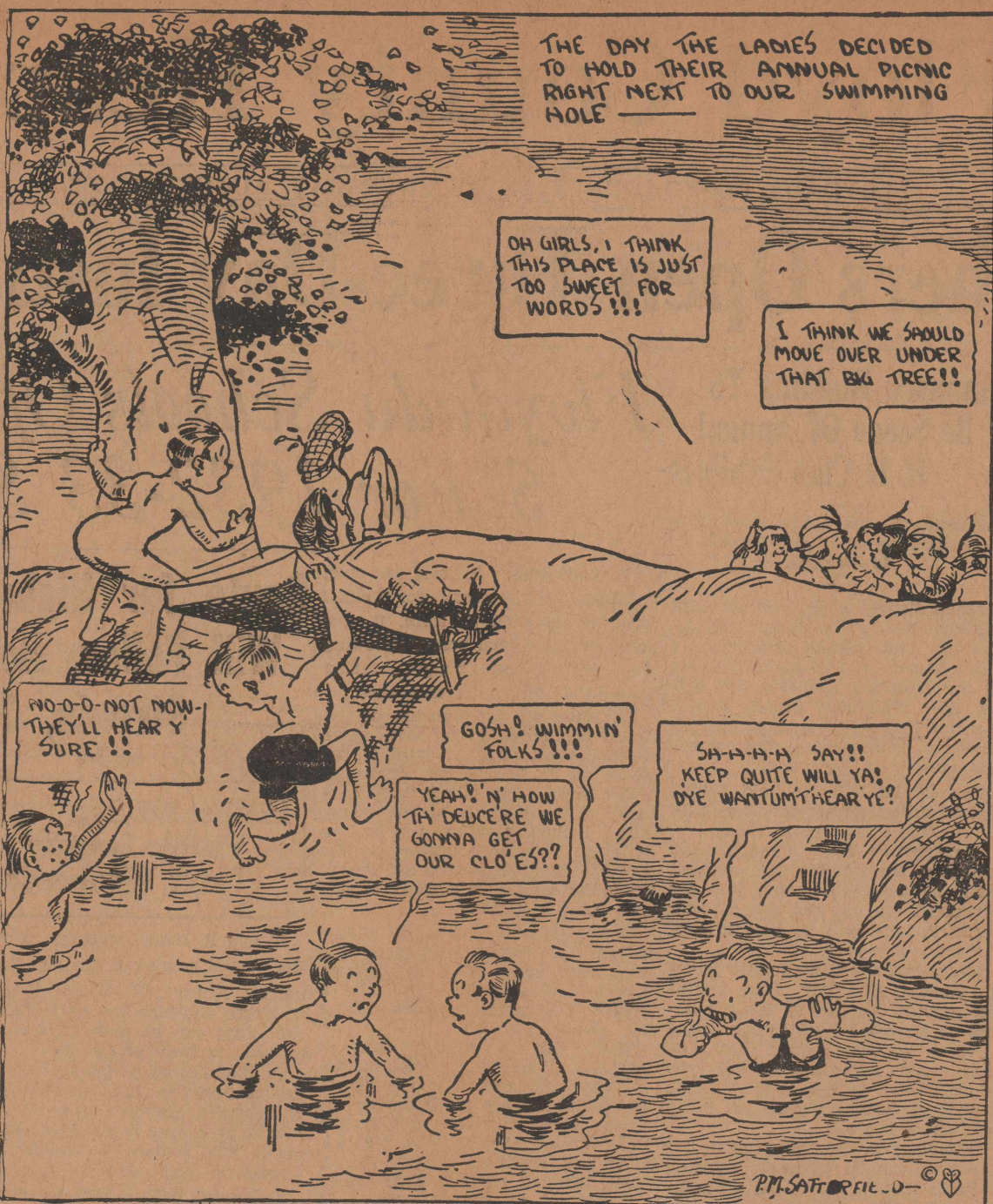
That the lottery law is one which the department of justice is determined shall not be nullified because the best people want it so, is indicated in dispatches last week, in which it is stated that Senator J. J. Davis and six others prominent in fraternal orders, and including a representative of the Western Union Telegraph Company, are indicated for a series of lotteries conducted in interstate and nation-wide manner. Huge prizes were advertised and presumably paid. Many west Texans are said to have purchased some of one series of the tickets which were on sale.

If the lottery law is maintained because it is the law and not permitted to be nullified "by common consent," like a lot of the other laws of the country are, it will be a bit of refreshing news, whether it is according to our fancies or not. Somewhere in the United States nearly any law on the statute books has been violated because it was not a popular law. Observance and respect for the law as such has ceased to be a virtue in this country. We want the law enforced until they try to enforce that part of it we do not like.

Clipped Quips

The of a man depends wholly on his consideration of others. The democratic institution is a of all kinds of

Days We'll Never Forget



The Round-up By The Cowhand Scribe

The Last Fling

Mud slinging has been easy after the rains up until about Saturday and since then us candidates have been having to resort to quite a bit of dust. We are having our last fling this week and next Saturday the voters go to the polls and write down what they are thinking.

It's mighty disappointing to see how the governor's race has stole most of the spotlight from the cow-ketcher's race after me going and working so hard on it, too. I been tempted to withdraw entirely but I got to thinking about the money in the office and how handy it would come in this winter so I'm still in the race.

Bag Worms

If you think very much of your shade trees you had better check them over for bag worms. Look closely and you may find some tiny cone-shaped ding bats hanging from the small limbs. They're hard to see for they are made out of the leaves from your tree and on the inside is a worm and he'll do your trees plenty of damage.

This late in the season about the best thing to do is to get a step ladder and a bucket and just "gather" the worms. Be sure and burn them or pour coal oil or gasoline over them. If you leave them in a can or something out in the back yard the worms will proceed to move right on off with their cone-shaped house of leaves.

One woman here in town gathered several gallons from the trees in her front yard last week. Think of that—several gallons!

Inspect your trees today. Look for the leaf-cone about the size of your thumb. We've been hearing reports for several years of these bag worms in Floydada and this year they seem to be much worse so far as quantity goes.

Noticed that the trees over at the Court House had a supply that would last a town a year.

Next spring spray your trees and if you want a formula then to kill the eggs that later will develop into bag worms just let me know and I'll furnish you with one.

Trees are plenty hard to raise in West Texas and a good shade tree

in Floydada is worth more than dollars and cents—money can't produce the big ones—only care and water and time will do it.

Did you ever stop to picture in your mind the Floydada of ten years ago and the Floydada of today? Notice what a wonderful change the trees are making? Looks more like a place of home lovers now, doesn't it.

Take care of your trees—you're helping to build a little city that will be inviting to every visitor.

Noticed a unique arrangement in the way of a farm wagon last week that struck me as most unusual. It was not necessarily a new idea but it just impressed as never before and I wonder if you had had a similar thought upon seeing anything similar to the "invention."

An enterprising farmer had taken the running gear of an old discarded automobile, placed a tongue in front, pumped up the tires, put on a regulation wagon bed, added some sideboards, hitched up a team of horses and came right to town!

Not a new idea, no. But had you ever stopped to think what such an arrangement represented? It was the old and the new forged together—the old horse-drawn carriage and the motor vehicle combined. Two distinct means of transportation of two distinct ages in the development of progress.

Not a bad idea either, was it? Just goes to show how people can use their heads and their hands to their own good advantage.

A rubber-tired wagon—one with pumped up tires! What an attraction it would have been even 18 years ago. "Too much machinery" some say. Maybe this Floyd County farmer has struck the happy medium between the "good old days" and the modern trend.

Just driving along the other day about 35 miles an hour and must have been day-dreaming or something—anyway, I was out in the middle of the road in my gas buggy and whiz! Some feller flew past me on the right hand side.

Well, that guy should have honked in the first place but even before that I should have been over on the right hand side of the road. But that's not the point yet. That dog-gone feller slowed up after he got past me and filled me so full of dust I ain't got it dug out of my eyes and ears yet. And just kept fooling along right in front of me.

He risked his neck and put mine in a jeopardy just to get past me and then proved that he wasn't in no hurry after all.

Some drivers just can't stand to see a car in front of them and if they can "whip 'er up" enough to pass the other fellow and get out in front themselves they're satisfied.

So am I if I can ever get the dirt outta my ears and eyes.

My but these green fields and green pasture in Floyd County look good to me since the rain.

I gotta go shuck some nubbins. By the way, that reminds me. Floyd County is raising more corn this year than last year and last year I saw more than in any recent years. Gosh, wouldn't it be fine folks, if we could get together and have a good old corn huskin' bee like they used to have and let a feller kiss the purtiest girl in the crowd for every red ear he found.

Boy! Boy! That would be sumpum.

Whoa!

Contemporary Thought

IS IT FRAUD?

Dallas Morning News: In 132 Texas counties the vote in the Governor's race in the primary exceeds the number of poll taxes paid in the county. 359,667 poll taxes were paid in these counties and 397,386 votes cast, the latter figure excluding of course the paid poll taxes of Democrats who remained out of the primary, of negroes barred from it, and of Republicans or other party voters. Two years ago, against a paid poll tax roll of 438,029, there were only 377,942 votes cast in these counties. In other words, with 80,000 fewer poll taxes paid in the 132 counties this year than in 1930, there were 20,000 more votes in 1932 than in 1930. Against the usually accurate estimate that exemptions add 15 percent to the total registration, this year there is a 15 percent vote in excess of registration, one-fifth of which normally goes to other parties than the Democratic.

The figures challenge the election law enforcement machinery of the State. They are too preposterous to be credible. In Gregg County, where the January 21 registration could of course be increased by oil activity transfers from other counties, the public is asked to believe that such transfers plus exemptions supplied a primary vote 73 percent in excess of registration. Yet many of the quiescent oil counties whose floating population could be figured to have transferred to East Texas show a primary vote larger than the poll tax list.

In the run-off, the election officials have the plain duty to exercise extraordinary vigilance in safeguarding the purity of the ballot. If the primary vote is merely chance, it can lose nothing by official scrutiny. If it is, as the State strongly suspects, the surface indication of

successful fraudulent voting, election officials warned by the primary totals can prevent its repetition.

Some district Attorneys over Texas have already taken cognizance of the situation and have promised prosecution. But fraud detection is best secured at the ballot box. All Texas is interested in seeing a full vote cast, but it must be an honest vote.

SUCKER LIST

The Booker News: Every year American citizens lose millions of dollars by purchasing fraudulent and worthless stock. Schemers make a business of fleecing those who are always trying to get rich quick and believing the optimistic prospectus written about any fake enterprise.

The best way to eliminate the fraudulent promoter is by educating the public so that he will be unable to find dunces foolish enough to send him their hard-earned savings in return for a promise to excessive profits. That is the viewpoint of the Post Office Department, which says that prison sentences alone will not eradicate this type of criminal activity.

The postal officials direct attention to the fact that sad experience does not keep a lot of these suckers from biting the second time. This is shown by the fact that there are people who sell what they call "sucker lists," in which the names of good prospects are made available for any crook wanting to dispose of some worthless securities. Sometimes the deception is cruel, as where an effort is made to attract those suffering from disease to purchase some worthless remedy.

A very safe rule for the average citizen to follow is not to purchase except through reputable brokers or firms. If an unknown character offers you some scheme for getting rich by a comparatively small outlay of cash, you have only to think for a minute to realize that if his proposition was honest he could secure all the cash needed very readily. Don't be a sucker and throw good money away.

SUN ECLIPSE AUG. 31

Wellington Leader: An eclipse of the sun, total over a portion of the New England states and partial throughout the rest of the country, will occur on the afternoon of August 31, affording millions of people the opportunity to witness this most striking celestial phenomenon.

The extent of the eclipse will vary from total in portions of the East to only 10 to 30 percent on the Pacific Coast. In the middle West and in the Southeastern states from 50 to 75 percent of the sun's face will be obscured as the moon passes across it.

The earth is the only planet in our solar system with a moon large enough to make a total eclipse of the sun possible. Mercury and Venus have no moons at all; Mars has two, but they are only about five to ten miles in diameter, so would only show as small black spots when crossing the sun's face. The larger planets have several moons, but none are large enough to eclipse more than a slight fraction of the sun.

An endless source of wonder to the layman is the ability of astronomers to predict the occurrence of eclipses with unerring accuracy years and even centuries in advance. It is known, for example, that a total eclipse of the sun will be visible along the southern border of the United States from California to Florida on August 12, 2045—or 114 years hence. The eclipse which will occur this month was predicted and described in great detail in a work published in Vienna nearly 50 years ago.

But if we can not understand how these wonderful spectacles of the skies are predicted, we may witness them as occasion offers and marvel at the mind of man which has discovered so many of nature's secrets.

IT'S ALL IN KNOWING HOW

Quannah Tribune: The great machine had stopped running. The operator, the foreman, the superintendent, and the engineer could not find the trouble. It simply would not run.

An expert was called in. He quickly surveyed the machinery, then took a hammer and tapped the machine two or three times, and told the operator to start it. Soon it was humming as nicely as ever.

The expert's bill was \$250. When the superintendent asked for an itemized statement, the expert gave it to him like this: Tapping Machine with Hammer, \$1.00 Knowing Where to Tap, \$249.00 And, so it is in life. The fellow who knows how steps in when others fail, and he is the one who renders the real service. And he gets paid for doing it, too.

The student in the Quannah schools now should ponder this thought. The person who is older than the school age should ponder that, also. It's worth thinking about.

Political Announcements

The following announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary on Saturday, August 27, have been authorized to be made by The Hesperian:

For State Senator, 30th District: ARTHUR P. DUGGAN

For County Judge: J. W. HOWARD C. J. (JOE) McCOLLUM

For Sheriff: E. S. RANDERSON W. A. (BILL) BREWSTER

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: A. S. CUMMINGS W. A. GATES

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: GEO. L. PAWVER HENRY BLOODWORTH

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND-ED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, M. V. Johnson whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada on the Second Monday in October, 1932, same being the 10th day of Oct, 1932 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 9th day of Aug. A. D. 1932, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2524, wherein Matlie E. Johnson plaintiff and M. V. Johnson is defendant. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows: to-wit: Action for divorce charging excesses, cruel treatment, and outrages of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this, the 9th day of Aug. A. D. 1932. ROY O'BRIEN, Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 254tc

Correct this sentence: "I always study the party platforms carefully before deciding how to vote."

Advertise in The Hesperian.

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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Mrs. S. W. Ross and little daughter are visiting this week in Lubbock with Mrs. W. S. Posey.

Some time within the five day period from August 26th to August 30th eight registered men will be entrained from Floyd County to Camp Travis for military service. The men who have been notified on the call are: Charley Carnes, Dowell, Floydada; Russell Mes Micokey; Jasper Aiken West Lockney; William Andrew Jackson, Floydada; Chas. Perry Fulker, Lockney; Vester Martin Hitt, Hawthorne, Texas; Ivie Oran Payne, Floydada; Jesse Emmett Tierce, Lockney.

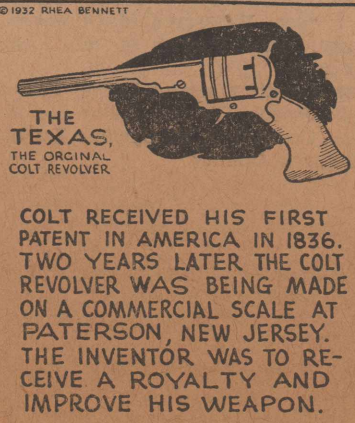
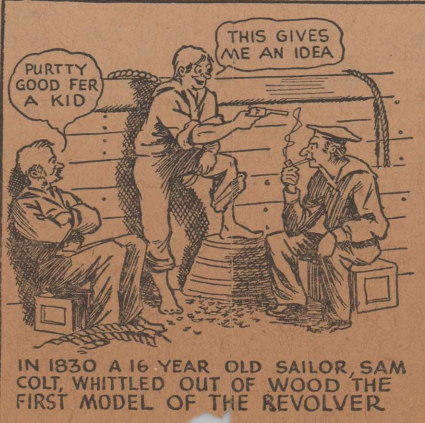
In rapid fire time four wolves were disposed of in the Massie pasture southwest of Floydada one morning the latter part of last week in a wolf chase that lasted for three or four hours. No guns were used, greyhounds chasing down the wolves and killing them. Ott Morris, Oliver Allen, John Hammond and Carl Gordon and their dog captured the coyotes.

E. C. Nelson, Jr., who began his military training as a private at Fort Bliss, was commissioned a short time ago from one of the artiller schools of France. He is a second lieutenant in the heavy artillery.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilhoit, of Knowles, N. M., are here on a visit with their daughter, Mrs. C. Surge ner.

R. C. and O. M. Watson have been spending the past few days at Central West Texas points including Mineral Wells and Burk Burnett.

The Texas Rangers





# Interscholastic League Work Is Closely Associated With Activities of Public School

Director Explains Organization In Detail; Includes Literary, Athletic Divisions.

(By Roy Bedichek, Chief, Interscholastic League Bureau, University of Texas.)

(The following article is one of a series written by Mr. Bedichek on various aspects of the Interscholastic League work in Texas.)

September is a significant month in American life for in this month, generally throughout the entire nation, "school begins." These magic words mobilize the boys and girls on a scale and with a thoroughness unparalleled in the recorded history of past centuries and unknown in any other country of the world to-day. The American free school is at once the inspiration and the despair of aspiring democracies throughout the world. It is the one distinctively American institution; it is the greatest step as yet made towards the great ideal of "equal opportunities for all and special privileges for none."

Associated in Texas with the work of the public schools, organized by them and largely conducted by public school teachers and officials is the University Interscholastic League. Its organization for the current school year also begins in September. In counties where county teachers institutes are held before the classroom work of the schools begins, we usually find a period devoted to the organization of the county league. For many years the constitution and rules of this organization has contained the following paragraph:

"First of all, aim to secure a good live county organization...As the membership of the League increases, emphasis should more and more be placed on county meets, since it is here that the schools as a whole receive the most benefits from the league activities."

### 220 County Organizations

The county organization is formed on a thoroughly democratic basis. The county executive committee (each member of which has specific duties assigned in connection with the different contests and features of the county meet) is elected by popular vote of the teachers assembled. There is one ex-officio officer in the person of the county superintendent of schools who looks after the interests of the rural schools in the meet. Last year there were 220 of these county organizations formed which means that practically every county which contains any schools formed a county league organization.

All of the contests which are thus provided for are directly connected with the work of the schools and so planned that the schools may prepare for them and use them as a stimulus to better endeavor on the part of the pupils without encroach-

ing to any measurable extent upon school time and unduly burdening any teacher with the work of preparation.

The program of the county meet is meant to be broad enough to include the activities and enlist the interest of practically every pupil in the school. If the pupil likes speech-making and desires to learn how to address public gatherings, there is a wide variety of contests in this field which he may enter. If he has a gift for spelling, a contest is provided in which he can show his proficiency and develop his ability. There are contests in music and art for the artistically inclined, a contest for the "wizard with figures," and so on.

### Games of Every Type

On the athletic side, there are games to suit every type. There are group games and individual contests. There are games for girls and games for boys, all organized so as to bring up genuine competition, that is, "competition with a kick in it" for every school. Of course, it is necessary in order to secure effective competition to make many different divisions and classifications, both of schools and of the pupils themselves, but that is too technical a matter to be described herein.

Beginning, then, in September, with the early county institutes, the leagues are formed, all pointing towards the great day of the county meet which occurs in March, usually on Saturdays in order to economize school time. Each school sends its best in the respective events to the county meets, and there under the supervision of the county committee and the individual members thereof, the county championships are determined. It is a great day for the schools and for the school children. It is an "exhibition day in which the interest and attention of the whole community is centered upon the general welfare of the younger generation and upon their accomplishments."

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ford and granddaughter had as their guests recently Mrs. Ford's sister, Mrs. M. W. Pratt, Mr. Pratt and son, V. L. Pratt and his small sons, Glenn and Johnny, of Claude, Texas. They were on business also. It was the first time in four years that the sisters had met.

Roy Eubank left the first of the week on a vacation trip to Corpus Christi and Weslaco, going by way of Abilene in company with Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Carter and children. The party will visit at Corpus Christi with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Eubank and Mr. and Mrs. Quimby Kizzair. The Carter family will locate at Weslaco. Mr. Eubank will return home next week.

## Mrs. Merrick's Chow Chow Is Standardized

Standardization of Mrs. Maud Merrick's chow chow made by her own recipe and approval for use of the Better 4-H Products label was obtained by Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent, while she was in attendance last week at the Home Industry conference at Las Vegas, New Mexico.

The standardization was made by Miss Zetha McInnis, state home industry specialist, who was present for the conference which was attended by agents in District 2 of which Miss Myrtle Murray is district agent.

Mrs. Merrick's name will be included in the list of other demonstrators all over the state that will be sent out before the Christmas holidays with suggestions for filling Christmas gift baskets. Mrs. Merrick plans to place her product on the local market at an early date.

### Method Suggested to Retard Surface Water Evaporation in Summer

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### E. W. HENDERSON'S BROTHER DIES AT JONESBORO, ARK.

While County Commissioner E. W. Henderson was at the home of his brother, J. F. Henderson at Hillsboro last week, he learned of the death at Jonesboro, Arkansas, of his brother, J. V. Henderson, 66. The brother had been in bad health for a year and his death was not unexpected. He leaves a wife and daughter.

The Arkansas brother began work as a boy of sixteen with the Cotton Belt Railway, was an engineer on the road at the age of twenty-one, and had been engineer on a passenger run for thirty years.

His death occurred Monday night of last week and interment was made in a cemetery at Jonesboro.

There are two surviving brothers besides E. W. Henderson of this city. They are R. L. Henderson of St. Louis and J. F. of Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Leonard and daughter, Marguerite, visited Sunday in Matador, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Schweitzer and family.

## Irick News

Trick, Aug. 16 (delayed).—There has been quite a bit of rainfall in this community in the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis and family spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bell of Hale Center. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Moreland and children and Misses Gladys Marie Stegall, Grace Jewell Poage and Gladys Howell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller of Petersburg Sunday.

Miss Gladys Potts, of Plainview, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Potts.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wofford and family, of Lockney, spent Sunday in the Joe Baker home.

Earl Poage who is working near Runningwater, spent the week-end at home.

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## Lee Allmon's Daughter Died At Brownfield

Mrs. Curtis Huckabee, 32, of Pleasant Valley in Terry County, died Friday night, August 12, at a sanitarium in Brownfield, following an operation for appendicitis and complications, the deceased being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allmon of the Starkey Community in this county.

Funeral services were attended by the parents and other relatives Sunday afternoon at the Baptist Church in Brownfield, conducted by Rev. J. M. Hale, pastor of the church. Interment was made in the Brownfield Cemetery.

A husband and a little daughter, seven years of age, survive, in addition to her parents in this county, two brothers, Buster and Bill Allmon, of this county, two sisters, Mrs. Walter Gracey of Brownfield, and Mrs. Aaron Goff of Enid, Oklahoma, two uncles, John and Bob Kropp of Floydada, and an aunt, Mrs. C. W. Gott, of Ralls. All of these with their families were present for the funeral.

Mrs. Huckabee had been reared in Floyd and Terry Counties, the Allmon's having been early settlers here and in Terry County, where the deceased was reared and educated. The Terry County Herald, in a story concerning her death, says Mrs. Huckabee had a most lovable character and made friends and held them and said that she would be missed greatly in the community.

Mrs. Jas. K. Green, accompanied by her son, Starks, and daughter, Ruth Key, arrived in Floydada Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Starks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Watson and son, O. M. Jr., returned last Thursday from their vacation spent in the mountains of New Mexico.

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### State President Will Take Part In Program At High School Bldg.

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er in attendance at the institute.

**Economy Measure**  
Superintendent Scott has previously pointed out that holding the local institute will not only be an economical plan but will afford as well an opportunity for local patrons and trustees to attend the programs. A member of the Texas Tech faculty will likely speak at the Friday night program to begin at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium. Final adjournment will be made at noon Saturday.

All sessions for Thursday and Friday will be held at the High School building. Saturday morning the rural school teachers will meet in the county court room, the Floydada teachers at the High School, and the Lockney teachers at Lockney at a place to be designated by Superintendent J. W. Jones.

The program for the three-day institute will be as follows:

**Thursday, Sept. 1**  
9:30 a. m.—Opening exercises.

Two songs led by O. T. Williams, Floydada.

Devotional—Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor First Methodist Church, Floydada.

Introduction of teachers and others present.

Address—President J. A. Hill, T. S. T. A. and W. T. S. T. C., Canyon.

Recess.

Problems of English—Mrs. Lon V. Smith, Floydada.

Problems of Social Sciences—W. N. Bobbitt, Lockney.

Problems of Primary and Elementary Instruction—G. D. Tate, Lockney.

Noon.

1:30 p. m.—Opening exercises.

Two songs led by Floyd Blankenship, Dougherty.

Address—President J. A. Hill, Recess.

Round table discussion of English, History and other problems of school as pertains to a closer coordination of Floyd County rural schools with the Lockney and Floydada high schools.

**Friday, Sept. 2**  
9 a. m.—Opening exercises.

Two songs led by Louis M. Boyd, Prairie Chapel.

Devotional—Rev. George Turenline, pastor Methodist Church, Lockney.

Address—Rev. Bernie Shell, pastor Presbyterian Church, Plainview.

Recess.

Interscholastic League Activities and the Depression—Price Scott, superintendent of Floyd County schools, Floydada.

Organization and election of officers of Interscholastic League for Floyd County.

Noon.

1:30 p. m.—Opening exercises.

Two songs led by G. D. Tate, Lockney.

What I should like to find in my teacher—Mrs. G. M. Tate, Aiken.

What I should like to find in my patrons—O. T. Williams, Floydada.

What I should like to find in my trustees—J. W. Jones, superintendent of Lockney High School.

What I should like to find in my community—Mrs. A. R. Hanna, Sand Hill.

Recess.

How to meet the present emergency in our schools—a. From the viewpoint of the County School

Board—E. C. Nelson, chairman, Floydada.

b. From the viewpoint of a school trustee—Mrs. Ruby Merrick, Lone Star.

c. From the viewpoint of a school patron—Mrs. Geo. Lider, Floydada.

d. From the viewpoint of a teacher—A. D. Cummings, superintendent of Floydada High School.

**Friday Night, Sept. 2**  
8 p. m.—Educational and inspirational address at Floydada high school. Speaker to be secured, probably from Texas Tech.

**Saturday, Sept. 3**  
On this day local meetings will be held as follows:

Teachers of Lockney schools will meet under the direction of Superintendent J. W. Jones, in Lockney at a place to be designated by him.

Teachers of Floydada schools will meet at the Floydada High School under the direction of Superintendent A. D. Cummings.

Teachers of the rural schools will meet in the county court room, under the direction of County Superintendent Price Scott.

Final adjournment noon Saturday.

**Ivar Bagwell Is Hurt When Plane Is Wrecked**

Ivar Bagwell, of Dimmitt, former resident of the Harmony community in Floyd County, is in a sanitarium at Tulsa where he is convalescing from injuries sustained when his plane fell at sundown Sunday on a farm west of Dimmitt.

Both his angles were broken and one foot crushed. Three of his ribs were broken and he was bruised and skinned about the head. His condition is not considered serious.

T. B. England, a passenger in the plane, was taken to the hospital but he was only severely shaken up in the crash. His home is near Tyler. He will be released from the hospital today.

The accident occurred while Bagwell was attempting to land on the Bagwell farm ten miles from Dimmitt. He nosed the ship down and then, seeing that he was going to fast, decided to soar and try for a slower landing.

The engine stalled but he succeeded in starting it again and had partially pulled the plane out of a nose dive when one of the wheels struck the ground and the plane crashed, reports said.

The Eaglerock plane belonged to Ivar and his brother, George. It was demolished.

Bagwell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell. He is a brother-in-law of Elza Gullion, of Plainview, formerly of this city. Mrs. J. N. Gullion and daughter, Eula, made a trip to Tulsa Wednesday to visit Ivar.

**M. E. ROGERS RESIGNS AS BAKER, HANNA MANAGER; TO GO TO ALTUS, OKLA.**

M. E. Rogers, manager of the local Baker, Hanna Company store since November two years ago, has tendered his resignation, effective September 1, and will go to Altus, Oklahoma, to go into a private retail business.

He will leave with his family probably Wednesday of next week. At Altus Mr. Rogers plans to establish a shoe store. He has business property there.

W. F. Kinnerly, of Quannah, associated with the Baker, Hanna interests was here Monday but stated that Mr. Rogers' successor had not been named.

Mr. Rogers has been with the company most of the time for the past 15 years.

J. A. McKinnon, of Snyder, spent Tuesday night here visiting his mother, Mrs. A. P. McKinnon.

Miss Bonnie Grace Herrington, of Lubbock, spent from Sunday to Wednesday here as a guest of Mrs. Hall Ferguson, nee Gladys Ritter.

**FOOD VALUES**

**6 Lbs. 69c**

SPUDS, No. 1 Colorado Reds, 10 lbs., 15c

BAKING POWDER, K. C., 25c Size, 19c

POST TOASTIES Package, 11c

SALT, 25 Pounds, 34c

SALMON, Pink, Per can, 10c

APRICOTS, No. 2 1/2 Can, 14c

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### Johnston Asks People To Co-Operate On Road

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will South Main and South Wall streets, affording plenty of convenient means for trade reaching the down-town section. This way every business house in town gets an even 'break' and it is fair to all.

Engineer Johnston indicated that it was desirable to widen all streets traversed by the highway in town to 80 feet if possible without destruction of any property.

"We will not destroy a tree in town. We think to much of them," he declared. "We use only 60 feet of the right-of-way in town, the other being used by public utilities and sidewalks."

**To Split Project**

He indicated that it was his plan to split the project in Floyd County and first build east from South Main Street and then from the same point west to the Hale County line.

Location to the county line east will probably be made this week, Mr. Johnston estimated. "It will then have to be cross-sectioned and it will take from five to six weeks to make the plans which will be sent to Austin where they will remain about a week before they are passed on. It will require about a week to ten days for the Bureau of Public Roads to act on the matter.

A month longer is usually required on the Federal contract jobs.

Curve of the highway from West Houston to Second Street will be 10 degrees across an open block, it was pointed out. In the other new route first selected one house on South Main was to have been moved from a corner lot and a 30 degree turn made.

The present routing of the highway through the city is along West Crockett, South Main, along the west side of the square, out West Missouri and First Street to the northwest corner of the town section.

No right-angle turns will be necessary on the newest route in accordance with federal and state requirements.

"We're going to have to 'step on it' if we get the plans ready by October 1," he said.

He praised T. B. Ingram, project engineer, here in charge of the survey, as being one of the fastest plan men in the work.

"He'll prepare the plans and get them out faster than any other man in the organization. I'll give him all the men he can use to rush the plans.

"If we can get the people to give us 100 per cent co-operation on the route and throw in and help us we'll get this highway for them completed."

"I'll have the route clear across the county completed by the Christmas holidays if all the right-of-way is secured. This highway in Floyd County is an important link in our system and we have been trying to get it through for three years. If the folks will just help us all they can we're going to see to it that they get this road," he declared.

**Lubbock Merchant To Speak Friday At 3 In Interest Of Sterling**

E. H. Robertson, Lubbock merchant, is scheduled to speak on the Court House lawn Friday afternoon, August 26, the day before the election, in the interest of Governor Ross Sterling.

The announcement of the engagement for Floydada was made by H. M. Mason, of Lockney, member of the speaker committee of the county division of the South Plains Good Government League. Mr. Mason was in Lubbock Tuesday returning from a vacation trip.

"Mr. Robertson is just a good, sound-headed business man. He is not a typical stump speaker and everyone who hears him will not regret it," Mr. Mason said in urging as large an attendance be present as possible.

Mr. Robertson will speak in Crosbyton at 4:30 o'clock, following his address here, it was stated.

**Contingent Home From T. N. G. At Palacios**

Floydada's contingent to the encampment of the Texas National Guard at the state training camp at Palacios, returned home the latter part of last week and the first of this. The annual training camp was in charge of General John A. Hulen, of Fort Worth.

Judge L. G. Mathews was among those who went from Floydada. He was recently promoted to a captaincy in the T. N. G., and assigned to duty in the quartermaster corps, where he served this year. He reached home Monday.

**SOUTH PLAINS PHILLIPS LOSES CASINGS AND TUBES IN HAUL FRIDAY NIGHT**

The Phillips Service Station at South Plains, Leonard Field operator, lost twelve automobile casings and seventeen inner tubes in a haul made by burglars Friday night of last week. Entrance into the station was gained by prying out a window pane, it was indicated when the robbery was discovered. Efforts at obtaining fingerprint evidence disclosed that the burglars had used tools. No clues had been found.

The night was the third time the station had been rifled in approximately two years.

Local Taxes, 28,476.36

### Manasco Building To Be Scene Of Annual H. D. Club Exhibits

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It was pointed out that due to the fact that no Floyd County Fair would be held this year every effort would be made to make the Home Demonstration Club exhibit as large as possible in order that the people might get an idea of the scope as well as the quality and type of work being done in the county.

The Manasco Building was formerly occupied by the Armstrong Grocery & Market and is directly across the street from the Palace Theatre.

B. T. Manasco will furnish the commodious building to the clubs without charge.

The exhibit by the Girls' Home Demonstration Clubs will be also one of the big features this year. Their exhibit will include clothing, hooked and braided rugs, poultry demonstrators' records and miniature bedrooms illustrating color harmony and arrangement details.

**Labels Received**

Standard labels have been received for the exhibit and will be distributed to the club women Saturday, Miss Faulkner said. There are 543 women in the 18 clubs in the county, and 167 girls in the 10 Girls H. D. clubs, totaling 710 members.

The exhibits of canned products will include vegetables, fruits, green tomato pickles, cucumber pickles, relish, watermelon rind preserves, watermelon rind pickle, two containers of jelly.

Uniform posters will be exhibited on poultry, farm food supply, and wardrobe demonstrators.

Individual club exhibits will include secretary's record book up to date, hooked rug, braided rug, woman's wash dress, boy's cotton suit, girl's cotton dress, guest towel, pillow slip, and dresser scarf.

Women's and girls clubs that will participate in the exhibit are as follows: Center, Liberty, Antelope, Blanco-McCoy, Campbell, Cedar Hill, Fairmont-Edgin, Harmony-Allmon, Trick, Lakeview, Lone Star, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Valley, Prairie Chapel, Roseland, Sand Hill, Starkey, South Plains and Baker.

**\$63,570 School Budget Adopted By Trustees**

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"A man who has not paid his taxes for several years did not and does not intend to pay," one prominent farmer said. "And should be required to do so, because he is imposing on his neighbors who do try to pay."

**Fixed Expense \$31,550.89**

Of the \$63,570 total expense for the year the board listed a fixed expense of \$31,550.89 to take care of debts outstanding at this time. Of this amount \$18,259.89, it was stated, is for borrowed money, \$648 for interest on borrowed money, \$8,900 for interest on bonded debt, and \$3,750 for redemption of bonds, leaving \$32,019.11 as the actual cost of operating the school, paying all teachers salaries and other expenses of every nature.

The taxes which will be collected this year, it was shown in the report of the board, will represent an outlay to taxpayers of only 54 per cent of the total charge made for school district taxes two years ago. The bonded debt of the district is \$183,000.

Complaint on the part of W. A. Cates that lands in the district have been higher in proportion than real estate and stocks of goods in town, was answered by the board with the statement that the proportionate reduction in city valuations had not been so great as the proportion in the landed area of the district. "I have had the name of tearing up schools, but what I have been trying to do was to get equality of taxation and get the school bills on a basis that we could pay and keep the schools open," Mr. Cates said in the course of his remarks. The problem of the farmer with a heavy investment in land was presented by himself, D. D. Shipley and others, including P. M. Felton and S. N. McPeak.

The part of athletics in school was discussed freely, the board permitting arguments pro and con, and the matter of more than one member of a family being engaged in the district's school work also. Members of the board, answering this criticism, pointed out that only a short time since school boards were making an effort to get teachers in the same family so as to reduce the cost of instruction, when there was a surplus of jobs for the manpower available. The about face in the situation as regards labor has changed the situation in this respect, the board pointed out.

All members of the board were present except Mal Jarbo, who was detained from the hearing. Members present were L. H. Dorrell, J. B. Turner, Wilson Kimble, W. E. Brown, J. C. Wester and M. L. Probasco. In addition A. D. Cummings superintendent, and J. T. J. Dawson, assessor and collector of the district, were on hand.

The net financial condition of the district, after taking into consideration all matters affecting the financial status, is approximately \$2,000 better than last year, and arrangements have been made for the opening of the school and its financing for the present, Mr. Brown told the budget meeting.

The budget as reported and adopted in detail is as follows:

**Receipts**

State Available Fund, \$12,416.00

County Available Fund, 1,164.00

Transfers, 724.00

Int. on Investments, 494.84

Local Taxes, 28,476.36

Delinquent Taxes, .....	30,411.82
Tuition, .....	2,300.00
Tuition 1930-31 .....	2,500.00
Tuition, 1931-32 .....	2,160.00
Vocational Aid, .....	1,778.00
Cash in Bank, .....	2,580.50
Due from State 1932 .....	
Apportionment, .....	4,840.00
Insurance (hall) .....	275.00
<b>Total Amount Available for Use During Year, .....</b>	<b>\$90,122.52</b>

**Disbursements**

General Control

Educational Administration (salary of Supt. office supplies etc 1,825.00

Business Administration .. 90.00

Assessing and Collecting tax 900.00

School Elections and Supplies .25.00

Printing, Stationery, office Supplies, ..... 29.95 |

Taking Census, ..... 50.00 |

Other Expenses ..... 50.00 |

**Total—General Control .....** **\$2965.00** |

**Instructional Service—White and Colored**

Salaries of Principals ..... \$3750.00 |

Salaries of Teachers ..... 19,229.00 |

Materials and Supplies for Instruction, ..... 495.00 |

**Total for Instructional Service, .....** **\$22,565.00** |

**Operation of School Plant**

Wages of Janitors, ..... \$1,575.00 |

Janitor's Supplies, ..... 300.00 |

Water and Lights, ..... 450.00 |

Fuel, ..... 1,200.00 |

Other Expenses, ..... 50.00 |

**Total for Operation of School Plant, .....** **\$3,575.00** |

**Maintenance of School Plant**

Repairs on Buildings ..... \$500.00 |

Repairs on Plumbing, Heating, and Lighting, .....



### Political Speakings Saturday Dray Crowds

Saturday afternoon the court house square was turned into a political forum, and a crowd that came and went at the pleasure of the individuals that made it up heard speeches for Sterling for governor by Geo. W. Foster of Lubbock, a speech for Cyclone Davis by Col. T. J. Tilson of Plainview, a speech by Judge M. R. Avery of Dimmitt favoring his own candidacy for state representative and a speech by Judge Julius Dorenfield, of Amarillo, favoring the election of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson as governor.

#### Foster Is Heckled

Judge Geo. W. Foster, in his Sterling speech, was heckled quite a bit throughout his talk by Ferguson supporters. His address began at 2:30, and he made talks also after leaving Floydada, at Crosbyton, Ralls and Lorenzo. Foster supported Hunter in the first primary. Col. T. J. Tilson gave much of his time to a discussion of the monetary situation in the United States, maintaining that the money and credit of the country had been turned over to "the Wall Street crowd." He said the adjusted compensation of soldiers should have been paid to the soldiers as a matter of justice to them and as a means of relief to the people of the country. He praised Judge J. H. Davis as a man of great brain and as the friend of the common people.

#### Avery Makes Talk

Judge M. R. Avery, of Dimmitt, took the situation and the time by the forelock and while a large crowd was gathered awaiting the speech of Judge Dorenfield at 4 o'clock, made an appeal to the assembled crowd for their support in the second primary in his race for representative of the 120th Representative District. Among other things, he said he favored simplifying the law applying to the tax on gasoline used for agricultural purposes, to allow the purchaser to obtain his rebate of the four-cent tax at the time the purchase was made, instead of waiting for the money to be returned from Austin at a considerable expense to the highway department and to the individual purchaser.

Judge Dorenfield stressed the new issue in the governor's race, the now famous Clint Small letter to his friend, Bill Langley, in which Small declared that Sterling "would sign on the line fixed for him," by the big oil companies.

He said he disagreed with the Ferguson's on their plan for division of the highway funds of the state, but minimized the issue, saying the matter would have to be determined by the legislature and not by the governor.

Judge Dorenfield was introduced by Judge Jeff D. Ayres, of this city. He was accompanied here by R. P. Bonner, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Meharg of Plainview. He went on to Spur where he was scheduled to speak at a Ferguson rally Friday night.

### McCoy News

McCoy, Aug. 22.—The Baptist meeting is well under way now, with a somewhat increased crowd Saturday night and Sunday. Bro. Tubbs is holding the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Day spent Friday night with Kasey Day and Saturday night and Sunday night with Mr. Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Day of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith and Opal of Plainview were in the community this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones were guests of their daughter at Becton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Omie Cummings and family and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Griggs visited in the G. H. Day home Sunday.

P. H. Pharr and Miss Lanette and Bro. Tubbs took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Gray.

Mr. Harry and Miss Annie Kelley and Mrs. Holeyfield were among those who took dinner in the Will Snell home Sunday.

Miss Rae Gilbreath, who is employed at town, was at her home Sunday afternoon. Miss LaVerne Weems was her guest.

P. H. Pharr and Miss Lanette made a trip to Brownfield last week.

Misses Lorene Embry and Wanda Day spent Sunday with Misses Erin, Edra and Joyce Jones.

Work on the wheat stubble has begun recently, also maize heading, and the women are canning a great deal, but let's remember the revival is at hand.

#### STANDARDIZED RUGS BRING ADDITIONAL DIVIDENDS FOR MRS. S. M. LESTER, LIBERTY

Mrs. S. M. Lester, of Liberty, is making her standardized hooked rugs pay dividends and at the same time is carrying on her regular routine of household duties.

Last week she completed in two and one half days a new wool hooked rug that brought her \$6, or practically \$3 per day. She used the leaf design on the rug which measured two by three feet.

Mrs. Lester sells the rugs at the standard price of \$1 per square foot. Monday she had another in the frame ready to start to work.

#### WEST LAKEVIEW H. D. CLUB CIRCLE MEETS AUGUST 26

West Lakeview Home Demonstration Club circle will meet with Mrs. Ernest Kendrick on August 26 for a business meeting.

D. R. Badgett and family returned home last Friday after a visit of ten days at Whitewright, Texas, where they were guests of Mr. Badgett's mother, Mrs. J. S. Badgett.

## H. D. Club Girls Will Hold Canyon Encampment Friday

Outing Will Be Staged at Hank Smith Memorial Park; Leave at 5 O'Clock.

Meeting on the court house lawn at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon members of the ten Girls' Home Demonstration Clubs of Floyd County will go to their encampment to be held this week-end at the Hank Smith Memorial Park in Blanco Canyon.

A picnic supper will be enjoyed and games will furnish diversion in addition to a special program that will be given by the various clubs.

Saturday morning a business session will be held and the girls will make plans for their division of the annual Home Demonstration Club exhibit to be held September 23 and 24. Reports will be made on achievements for the past year. Before leaving for the encampment, the girls will turn in their hooked and braided rugs which is a part of their bedroom achievement project for this year.

S. W. Ross, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce will assist in arranging transportation for the club members who do not have cars, it was stated.

The "camp" will be maintained at the arbor in the park. Each club is expected to bring at least two chapters, it was pointed out by Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent, and sponsor for the annual encampment.

After leaving town, the motorcade will go to Lakeview and stop for a short inspection visit at the bedroom of Miss Alta Lloyd, state bedroom contest winner.

The ten clubs that will be represented at the picnic outing are Antelope, Baker, Lakeview, Starkey, McCoy, Irick, Fairview, Liberty, South Plains, and Sand Hill.

The club girls will "break camp" shortly after noon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Day made a trip to Hereford Saturday returning home Sunday following a short visit with relatives. They were accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Adeline Hutcherson, who has been visiting in Hereford for the past two months.

W. N. Brewster returned Monday night from Bledsoe, Texas, where he had been assisting in a meeting, begun by Elder H. P. Cooper of the Church of Christ at Lamesa.

### Sunday School Lesson

#### GIFTS FOR BUILDING THE TABERNACLE

International Sunday School lesson for Sunday, August 28.

Golden Text.—Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the first fruits of all thine increase. Prov. 3:9.

Lesson Text.—Exodus 35:4-36:7. Exodus 35:21-29 is here printed.

Exodus 35:21-29—  
21 And they came, every one whose heart stirred him up, and every one whom his spirit made willing, and they brought the Lord's offering to the work of the tabernacle of the congregation, and for all his service, and for the holy garments.

22 And they came, both men and women, as many as were willing hearted, and brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold: and every man that offered, an offering of gold unto the Lord.

23 And every man with whom was found blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine linen, and goats' hair, and red skins of rams, and badgers' skins, brought them.

24 Every one that did offer an offering of silver and brass brought the Lord's offering: and every man with whom was found shittim wood, for any work of the service, brought it.

25 And all the women that were wise hearted did spin with their hands, and brought that which they had spun, both of blue, and of purple, and of scarlet, and of fine linen.

26 And all the women whose heart stirred them up in wisdom spun goats' hair.

27 And the rulers brought onyx stones, and stones to be set, for the ephod, and for the breastplate:

28 And spice, and oil for the light, and for the anointing oil, and for the sweet incense.

29 The children of Israel brought a willing offering unto the Lord, every man and woman, whose heart made them willing to bring, for all manner of work which the Lord had commanded to be made by the hand of Moses.

Time.—B. C. 1498.  
Place.—at Mt. Sinai.

#### Lesson Comment

When we recall that the Children of Israel spent about 400 years in Egypt, and that Egypt was probably the most idolatrous country on earth, we are not surprised that they were so prone to return to idol worship, an outstanding example of which is seen in the case of the which is seen in the case of the golden calf at Sinai. The presence of God, was as suggested by Moses in Exodus 33:16, their surest defense against idol worship. The tabernacle was designed by the Lord, therefore, not as a substitute for idol worship, but as a symbol of the presence of God, specific instructions for the building of which is recorded in Exodus 25:30. The Lord, instead of trusting any part of the work to the judgment of others, gave to Moses a complete blueprint for the building of this tabernacle and for its furnishings. In other words, the whole program was mapped out by the Lord. Moses had only to know and carry out God's plans.

Up in the mountain, God gave Moses directions for making a place of worship, even to the least detail. He also gave him directions for making the furnishings for the tabernacle and for the garments worn by the priests who should minister to the tabernacle service. The priests were to be from the tribe of Levi—Moses' own tribe. The material to be used for the building and furnishing the tabernacle, must be furnished by the people.

Notice that in the very beginning Moses told the people that whosoever was of a willing heart might bring an offering (Ex. 35:5.) God does not appreciate an offering made just because one is expected to give and it will not look well if he does not give. Money twisted from men and women for the cause of the Lord might just as well remain in the pocket. We should give because we love to do so, because we love our Lord enough to give of what we have to assist in his work.

An old song about this offering taken by Moses says, "Only he whose spirit stirred, willing-hearted at his word, might a gift or treasure bring." No one was asked to give who did not wish to do so. "And they came, both men and women." I am glad he told us about the place women had in this work, even in those days when women were not supposed to be much or to know much either.

But God has always found the women useful, and while their place is smaller than that of the men, while they can never fill the place

of the men, they do have a place, and find great joy in serving. God stirred the hearts of the women of the wilderness so that they spun with their hands and brought the fruit of their toil to the Lord.

You will notice, as we have before stated, that the people gave the best of everything and the most beautiful—the most gorgeous colors were for the tent of worship. They brought precious stones for the ephod and breastplate—twelve different stones, as a representation of the twelve tribes of Israel. They brought spices and oil and sweet incense. Tables and pillars were overlaid with gold and the Ark of the Covenant which held the tables on which God had written the Commandments the second time, after Moses had destroyed the first ones in his anger, was covered both inside and out with gold. The lid of this chest was made of pure gold and was called the Mercy Seat, on the top of this lid, or Mercy Seat, were two figures called Cherubim, and "between them flamed out the awful light of the Shekinah, the visible presence of Jehovah." The

tabernacle and their form of worship were beautiful—just as beautiful as everything conceived by our great Father.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop and children returned home last Saturday from Whitewright and Dallas, at which places they had been visiting during an absence of some ten days from home.

Dr. Geo. Smith made a professional trip to Silverton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bishop children, accompanied by Miss nie Bishop, left Saturday for a vacation trip to the mountains of Mexico and Colorado. At Dallas they were joined by Mr. and Ed Bishop on the trip. They expected home about September

Mrs. T. M. Bartley, of Waco here last week on a visit with father, Judge F. P. Henry, and Henry.

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# Dougherty News

(By Mrs. W. D. Newell)

**Church News**  
League program for Sunday evening August 28.  
Subject—"Life's Turning Point"  
"How the Bible helps in meeting them."  
Leader—Miss Irene Colston.  
Questions for discussion:  
Are young people changed, by turning points? by Vert Readhimer.  
Helps to be used at turning point times by Garth Powell.

What the Bible has done to some people by Miss Thelma Colston.  
Piano solo by Miss Lola Kneirim.  
Special song—arranged.  
Business—Benediction.

Rev. I. J. Lloyd will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.  
Rev. W. H. Owens filled his regular third Sunday appointment here at which time two good messages were delivered.

Rev. Claud Wingo has been delivering some good practical sermons in a series of services being held each evening this past week beginning Monday and continuing through Saturday evening.

Services start promptly at 8:15 each evening.

The Sunday Schools show an increase of attendance the past two weeks.

### S. S. Picnic

The Young People's Classes of both Sunday schools enjoyed a very pleasant outing last Thursday evening at Roaring Springs.

The party chaperoned by their teachers Mrs. Frank Bass and Mrs. W. D. Newell arrived at the springs in time to enjoy a swim after which a picnic spread which included chicken, deviled eggs, rolls, cake and ice cream.

The young people enjoyed the assurance hunt. The game was well concealed.

Directly followed a distance under the sand at a north of a sure was found.

present were Dorothy and Grace Readhimer, Kneirim, Ruby Kreis, Messrs. R. Crawford, Glenn and Maurice Camp, Mrs. Vert Readhimer, J. E. Newton and Mrs. Frank Bass and Mrs. W. D. Newell and

**School News**  
Professor Floyd Blankenship announced this week the name and date of the First School Play of the season. To be given Friday night, September 2. The name of the play is "The Third Customer."

Further announcements and cast of characters will appear in next week's issue.

**Local News**  
L. L. Collins returned home Sunday from San Antonio, Texas where he has been the past three weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ocius Huckabee from Center and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Foster from Olton, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Powell Sunday.

Aug. 16.—(Delayed in the mails)  
—Dougherty received a four inch rain last Sunday night and Monday. This is the finest rain we have had this year. It fell in a slow drizzle all Sunday night continuing up until Monday afternoon.

Tuesday night one-eighth inch of rain fell accompanied by quite a display of electricity.

**School News**  
The Dougherty school opened Monday morning with a goodly number of pupils present and several patrons, in spite of the slow rain that kept falling.

A chapel exercise was rendered composed of a song, invocation by H. D. Bloodworth, talks by the four teachers namely Roy Jameson, Miss Lola Kneirim, Miss Cleo Cowan and Floyd Blankenship.

Professor Blankenship's talk was well worthy of mention, his subject being "Community Personality." At the close of his talk an earnest appeal to the student body and patrons was made to make this school year one of which we will all be proud.

The earnestness of the teachers together with the trustees and patrons in their desire for a good school formed an atmosphere of cooperation that was felt by all those who attended chapel.

**Church News**  
The community meeting that was held here the past ten days came to a close Sunday evening.  
Rev. I. J. Lloyd pastor of the Baptist church assisted by Rev. F. O. Garner, pastor of the Methodist church did the preaching.

The writer is unable at this time to give the number of additions to the churches however much good was accomplished and the services were well attended.

**Local News**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton and daughter Lerabeth, visited Mrs. Newton's parents at Bellevue last week.

Henry Bloodworth returned last Monday from Jacksboro where he attended the funeral of an uncle, Cecil Bloodworth.

Mrs. Della Tate and son Elbert from Wichita Falls visited her nephew H. D. Bloodworth and family last week.

Mrs. Clarence Scott and children from Dalhart Texas are here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lincoln and daughter Mrs. W. D. Newell and children visited relatives in Brownfield last week.

Miss Roxie Norton from the Campbell community visited Misses Thelma and Dorothy Crawford last week.

**Church Crop Worked Out**  
A number of workers met early Monday morning August 8 and hoed the entire Baptist church crop of cotton over being about 48 acres. At eleven o'clock the crowd disbanded and attended morning church services that were held at the Baptist church.

Dinner was served at the church at the noon hour by women of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Powell and sons J. C. and Avon are visiting relatives in East and Central Texas this week.

Visitors in the G. L. Fawver home Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. F. O. Garner and daughters, Misses Grace Readhimer and Thelma Colston, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford and Mrs. B. Marshall and little daughter.

Many people from this place attended the Old Settlers Reunion last week-end.

Leon Collins is at Camp Travis for a couple of weeks. He is expected home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Varley Webb and little daughter Wynell left last week for Mt. Home, Arkansas where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Iriton and children from Floydada visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Webb Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gideon from Winters, Texas, visited their daughter Mrs. Norman Payne and husband.

Mrs. G. B. Marshall and baby daughter Barbara June of Farley New Mexico arrived last week for a month's visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones of Lakeview visited Mrs. G. B. Marshall Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goolsby from Winters visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Payne last week end. Mrs. Goolsby and Mrs. Payne are sisters.

W. D. Newell is working at Floydada where he is employed as preliminary surveyor for the State Highway Department.

Rev. and Mrs. I. J. Lloyd left Sunday for the Fairmont community where he will be in a revival meeting this week and next.

Friends and neighbors of this community extend their sympathy to Mrs. Willie Emert in the loss of her father J. D. Holliday whose death caused a shadow of sorrow over this community.

Louis Boothe from South Plains visited church services last Monday evening. He was accompanied by J. J. Woodard who favored the congregation with a special song entitled "I am Satisfied with Jesus."

H. N. Powell returned home Thursday from Maybank. J. M. Bennington, father of Mrs. Powell accompanied him home. Mr. Powell visited a brother J. H. Powell at Aubrey, Texas, and a sister, Mrs. Noah Adams, at Dallas while on his trip.

Miss Cleo Cowan from Lorenzo and Miss Lola Kneirim from South Plains came Sunday to begin their school work here. Miss Cowan is primary teacher and Miss Kneirim is the intermediate teacher.

Willard Edwards, who was burned while filling a tractor, sometime ago, is able to walk around again.

# CHURCHES

**CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Bro. Strandridge from Plainview will be with us Sunday and will preach both morning and night services.

Bro. Strandridge is now in a meeting at Hale Center, twenty five additional up until Monday night.  
Bible Study Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Preaching at 9; Communion service immediately after preaching.  
Young Peoples meeting at 7:30.  
Evening services at 8:30.  
"Conversation between two of God's children."

Question "Why wasn't your boy at church Sunday?"  
Answer "He went fishing."  
Question "Is that scriptural?"  
Answer "Yes, Peter went fishing."

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church, is assisting in a meeting at Fairview this week. He will preach Sunday morning at the church in Floydada, but will preach at Fairview at night and no church service will be held here.

Other services of the church will be held at the usual time and place.

**BAPTIST CHURCH PROGRAM**  
Sunday School at 9:45 as usual. We were gratified to have an increase in attendance last Sunday. Now since the weather is cooling up we are expecting an increase in our attendance each Sunday.

Some matters of business will need to be taken up at the 11 o'clock hour and then will follow a musical program by the choir and orchestra.

B. T. S. will meet at 7:45 as usual. The attendance for B. T. S. last Sunday was also increased. There isn't a more loyal department of the church than the B. T. S. and the program for the church Sunday evening will be in charge of the B. T. S. Be sure to hear this program. We are sure you will be well repaid for coming. Visitors are always welcome.

**Pulpit Committee.**  
For the evening services a special program will be given by the B. Y. P. U. organization to take the place of the regular services. The program will be as follows:  
Song service; prayer.  
Quartet number.  
Scripture reading and comments by Rex Johnston. Vocal solo—Patry Loopier.

The private life of the B. Y. P. U.—Bernice Patton.  
Violin duet—Mrs. L. E. Fagan and Verdone Snodgrass, accompanied by Mrs. Roy O'Brien at the piano.  
Reading—Clara Belle Goughly.  
Chalg Talk—Miss Amy McRoberts, "The Shepherd of Love," song accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Linder and Mrs. Ruth Brown Hall.  
Benediction.

**PASTOR E. C. COMFORT SERMON SUNDAY NIGHT LAST FOR 4 MONTHS**  
Pastor E. C. Comfort Sunday night will preach his farewell sermon for a period of four months at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, he announced this week.

He has been called for four months by the church at Bolling Green, Kentucky. The local church has called W. H. Cheatham, pastor of the church at Bolling Green, for four months.

Pastor Cheatham is a member of the Assembly Board of Education of the church and is considered one of the prominent men in the church. He will arrive with his wife and child Friday of next week.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM**  
Program for Sunday, August 28th, at 7:15 will be as follows:  
Songs—"Little Brown Church in the Vale," and "So Precious is Jesus."  
Prayer.  
Scripture Lesson—I Cor. 3:1-7.  
Leader's Remarks—Alpha King.  
Subject—Why do some approve of Christ but reject organized christianity.

Short talks: (a) Is organized christianity different from Christ? How?—Mrs. Pierce King.  
(b) Has the church failed since many reject it? Wherein?—John Burgett.  
(c) How can we magnify Christ in our lives and thus keep reproach from the church.—Robbye Archer.  
Hymn—"The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ our Lord."  
Business and benediction.

**MRS. J. M. WILLSON CONDUCTS LESSON STUDY**  
Mrs. J. M. Willson conducted the lesson study from the study course, "Life and Letters of St. Paul," at the meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church Monday afternoon.

The meeting for Monday afternoon, August 29 will be a co-operative meeting with the First Christian church, at 3:30.

**SENIOR ENDEAVORERS ENJOY WATERMELON FEAST**  
Members of the Senior Christian Endeavor of the First Christian church met at the church Friday afternoon at 5:30 and went for a hay ride to the rock corral near the Day crossing of the canyon. They enjoyed a watermelon feast and picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis and

Mr. and Mrs. W. Edd Brown were chaperones for the party. The Endeavorers attending were Misses Blanche Enoch, Daisy Lee and Bernice Gresham, Gladys Ruth Brown, Verna Mae Beard, Florine Dorrell and Christine Wingo, Messrs. A. D. Summerville, Layton Dorrell, Eugene Beard, Elton Goen, Samuel Rutledge, Henry Nabors of Vernon, Lon Davis Jr., Billie Brown and Billie Tad Probasco.

**CO-OPERATIVE MISSIONARY SOCIETY PROGRAM**  
The Ladies of the First Christian church will be hosts to the Co-operative meeting Monday afternoon August 29 at the Christian church at 3:30. The program arranged is as follows:  
Song—congregation.  
Devotional—Mrs. Lorin Liebfried.  
Educational task of the church—Mrs. G. A. Linder.  
Song—Mrs. John Reagan and Mrs. J. N. Johnston.

The church's greatest function—Mrs. Noel Troutman.  
Reading—Ruth Brown Hall.  
Responsibility of Christian Women at the polls—Mrs. Paul Jacobsen.  
Playlet—"The Bookshelf"—Members of the Christian church.

**LIVE WIRE B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM**  
The program for the Live Wire B. Y. P. U. for Sunday evening, August 28, is as follows:  
Subject—Our Chinese Neighbors.  
The country and its people—Dorothy McClung.  
Some things about Chinese—Augusta Fae Osburn.  
Chinese Boys—Dorothy Nell Swinson.

Chinese eager to hear the Gospel—Nell Shirey.  
A Chinese Bible Drill—Miss Hamilton.  
Poem—"No East or West"—Nell Shirey.  
The program is to be given at 7:15 and all members are urged to be present.  
Oneca Hamilton, reporter.

**FAITHFUL FOLLOWERS REPORT**  
The Faithful Followers class of the Intermediate department of the Baptist church met Sunday, August 21, with eight members and the teacher present.

Eleven kind deeds were reported for the week. New members and visitors are always welcome.

**BAPTIST W. M. SOCIETY HOLD CIRCLE MEETINGS**  
Members of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met in circle meetings Monday afternoon as follows:  
Bernice Neel circle met with Mrs. J. T. J. Dawson at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Dawson conducted the devotional and Mrs. O. T. Williams the lesson study. Officers elected were as follows: Mrs. E. L. Norman, chairman; Mrs. J. T. J. Dawson, vice-chairman; Mrs. J. G. Martin, secretary; Mrs. W. I. Cannaday, reporter and Mrs. I. W. Hicks, mission study teacher. The next circle meeting will be held September 12 with Mrs. J. G. Martin.

Blanche Groves Circle met with Mrs. J. D. McBrien with twelve members present. Mrs. E. L. Angus conducted the study on the work of Misses Rose Walker and Bernice Neel, missionaries in foreign fields. A short business meeting was held. Mrs. L. T. Bishop will be hostess to the next circle meeting September 12.

Rose Walker circle met at the home of Mrs. J. T. McClung for a business session to elect officers. Those elected were Mrs. G. N. Shirley, chairman; Mrs. G. C. Tubbs, vice-chairman; Mrs. J. T. McClung, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. J. W. Chapman reporter.

The meeting for Monday afternoon August 29 will be a co-operative meeting at the First Christian church with the Woman's Council as hosts.

**SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM**  
Program for Sunday, August 28 at 7:45 o'clock will be as follows:  
Subject—"Winning by Healing."  
Introduction—Milton Sims.  
Discussion No. 1—Mrs. Geo. Linder  
Discussion No. 2—Laverne Rimmer  
Discussion No. 3—Marvin Crow.  
Song—Noryne Spence.  
Discussion No. 4—Erlie Pierce.  
Discussion No. 5—Josephine Williams.  
Discussion No. 6—Ester Collins.

**ROOFS REPAIRED ON THREE CITY SCHOOL BUILDINGS**  
Roofs were repaired this week on the three city school buildings. The work was done by V. H. Boteler and W. A. Amburn. An entire new coating of tar and paint was put on the Andrews Ward school roof and the East Ward and High School buildings were repaired.

Rev. J. L. Henson and daughter, Marguerite, of Hollis, Oklahoma, were guests Monday night of Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Deen. Rev. Henson was at one time pastor of the First Methodist Church here. Mrs. Henson was formerly Miss Jessie Green, of this city. They are the parents of a son born some tendays ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Norris left last week for Springer, New Mexico, to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Wm. Perrin, of Lubbock, is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. S. L. Rushing, at Fairview.

### J. C. DICKEY ATTENDS REUNION OF STUDENTS OF SCHOOL OF 1891

J. C. Dickey, of this city, the only surviving member of the board of trustees of the first school ever conducted in Armstrong county, was the guest of honor Saturday at Amarillo at a reunion of the students who attended the school back in 1891.

The name of the school was "Lone Star" and was held near Claude. There 27 pupils the first year and 13 of them were present for the reunion, including Mrs. Cella Ross, of this city, and her sister, Mrs. H. H. Hatchett, of Clinton, Oklahoma.

The reunion was held in the automobile building at the Tri-State Fair grounds. Others who went from Floydada were Mrs. A. J. Welch and son, Billie Joe, and daughter, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Horn and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickey.

Miss Cattie Potts, who resides near Dublin, was the first teacher. She is still living and is about 90 years of age. She was not present. The school was named by Mrs. W. R. McInnis, Mrs. Dickey's sister.

### Board Classifies All Rural Schools Monday

Grade Is Added to Center; Seven Others Lowered; Approve Late Starts.  
Classification of one rural school was raised and seven were lowered at the session of the County School Board held Monday afternoon in the office of County Superintendent Price Scott. Dougherty is the only rural school in the county to include 11 grades this year.

Center was raised from nine to ten grades. The schools in which the classifications were lowered were as follows: Frick from 11 to 10 grades, Lakeview from 11 to 10, Baker from 11 to 9, Antelope from 9 to 7, Prairie Chapel from 10 to 9, and Sterley from 10 to 9 grades.

Classification of the other rural schools as approved by the board was as follows: Pleasant Valley, 7 grades; Muncy, 8; Pleasant Hill, 9; Fairview, 9; Starkey, 10; Aik-n, 10; South Plains, 10; Sand Hill, 10; Harmony, 9; Fairmount, 9; Lone Star, 9; Cedar, 9; McCoy, 10; Rose-land, 9; Dougherty, 11; Providence, 9; Blanco, 9; Allmon, 10; Liberty, 9; Campbell 10; Ramsey, 7; Hillcrest, 7; Edgin, 9.

The board discussed the present school situation and gave endorsement unanimously to the present policy being followed by the County Superintendent in recommending a late start and connected school terms.

Members of the board present for the meeting were as follows: E. C. Nelson, chairman; G. L. Snodgrass, Precinct No. 1; J. F. Dollar, Precinct No. 2; J. H. Upton, Precinct No. 3; Olin S. Miller, Precinct No. 4.

### BROTHER OF WILL SNELL DIED LAST WEEK AT WACO

M. L. Snell, 57, of Waco, a brother of Wm. Snell of this county, died Tuesday of last week at a hospital there after an illness of some time, and funeral services were held Wednesday from the Avenue Methodist Church, of which he was a member. Burial was made in Rosemount Cemetery.

In addition to the brother here, the deceased is survived by his widow, two brothers, O. K. of Waco, and Henry of San Antonio; five sisters, Mrs. Lula Brown and Mrs. Lottie Grimland of Waco, Mrs. Minnie Lee Snyder of Denver, Mrs. James Gatin of Howland, Mrs. Ralph Helm of Clifton.

Mr. Snell was a native of Alabama but moved to Tummersle and lived at Clifton for thirty years. He had been representative of the Toledo Scale Company for twenty-five years.

### CAMPBELL H. D. CLUB ENTERTAINS PL. HILL CLUB

The Campbell Home Demonstration Club entertained the Pleasant Hill Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon, August 19, at the home of Mrs. Cleave Sims. Games of various kinds furnished the amusement for the afternoon.

Delicious refreshments, with tiny camels as plate favors, were served after a very enjoyable afternoon.

### TWO TEACHERS RESIGN FROM ANDREWS W. STAFF

Resignation by two members of the faculty of the Andrews Ward School were received recently by the Floydada School Board.

Miss Eddythe Walker has tendered her resignation and will teach this year at Littlefield. The other resignation was from Mrs. Leroy McDonald.

Action to fill the vacancies had not been taken this week.

M. A. Crum, of Friona, was here last week on a visit with his sister, Miss Lucy. He spent on Wednesday to Friday here.

W. A. Gound and S. H. Wright made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday and returned Friday of last week.

Miss Nell Stevenson, of Plainview, visited last Thursday night here with Miss Lucy Crum.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore are spending this week in Lubbock as guests of John Denman and family. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hinkle returned home Thursday afternoon of last week after spending a week with relatives at Seymour.

Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews spent Sunday at Muleshoe where they visited his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Goins, and Mr. Goins.

### PROGRAM FOR ENCAMPMENT OF GIRLS AT SMITH PARK

Mrs. S. M. Lester, county recreational chairman, will have charge of the general program of games and songs.

Following is the program of activities:  
Friday leave Floydada 5 p. m.; leave Alta Lloy's home 6:30 p. m.; pitch camp; visit Rock House; supper; make ice cream, programs given by clubs followed by games and songs, under direction of Mrs. Lester; retire;

Saturday—Swimming; breakfast; business meeting.

### MELBA RUTH SCOTT HAS MINOR OPERATION FRIDAY

Melba Ruth Scott, 14, underwent a tonsil and adenoid operation at the Plainview Sanitarium Friday of last week. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price Scott, accompanied her. Mrs. Scott remaining at her bedside. Mr. Scott went after them Saturday afternoon.

### COUNCIL MEETS SATURDAY TO MAKE EXHIBIT PLANS

Report from the fair exhibit committee of which Mrs. A. H. Kreis, of Campbell, is chairman will be made Saturday afternoon to the County Council which will meet at the Court House at 2 o'clock.

Plans will be made for the annual exhibit of Home Demonstration Club products to be held in Floydada Friday and Saturday, September 23 and 24.

Details will be suggested in a report from the exhibit committee. Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent, will make a report to the council on her trip to the Home Industry Conference at Las Vegas last week.

### SERVICE CLUB MEMBERS HEAR SUGGESTIONS FOR GETTING YOUTH IN SCHOOL

A talk on how to get the boys and girls back in school by O. T. Williams, vocational agriculture teacher in Floydada High School, and a talk on business and professional ethics by E. C. Nelson, Jr., judge of the county court at law in Amarillo, were given at the luncheon of the Rotary Club Wednesday noon. The program was presented by Glad Snodgrass, chairman of the community service committee of the club.

R. P. Terrell, coach of athletics of Floydada High School, was also a guest at the meeting.

Floydada club will present programs at Lockney and Plainview in near-future meetings, and will be represented on Wednesday night of next week at an inter-city Rotary meeting in Lubbock, when they will meet Dr. Bradford Knapp, newly-chosen president of Texas Technological College, and H. A. Anderson, president of the Forty-first District of Rotary International.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Graham left Saturday for Cushing, Oklahoma, where they will spend a week visiting his brother, Chas. Graham. Henry Edwards and Calvin Steen made a business trip to White Deer Tuesday.

A. F. Norton and Roy Horn made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Misses Velma and Wilma Deen returned home Friday from Las Vegas, New Mexico, where they have been attending school this summer. Wilma received her degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Sone are in Beville where they are on business, friends here have been advised.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sharer, of Indianapolis, Indiana, will arrive today for a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Troy Leonard. They will also visit relatives in Crosbyton.

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Initial shipment of 1,000 cans of field peas with pork prepared by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller, of Sand Hill for Texas A. and M. College to apply on their contract for 3,000 No. 3 cans will be made Friday or Saturday of this week, according to present plans.

A special attractive label for the product which is standardized and sold under the 4-H label was prepared by J. P. Dowell, of McKinney, through arrangements made by Miss Martha Faulkner, county home demonstration agent, who has been co-operating with Mr. and Mrs. Miller in standardizing their products and placing them on the market.

The wording "Packed by Mrs. W. E. Miller, Floydada, Texas" will be stamped on each can.

### MAGNOLIA DEALERS GO TO CONFERENCE AT LUBBOCK

C. W. Ginn, wholesale dealer, and H. O. Cline, retail agent, for the Magnolia Petroleum Company, with Cleve McGee, of Lockney, attended a dealers' meeting Wednesday night in Lubbock. The district session was held at the Hilton hotel.

John Buchanan and family left Wednesday on a vacation trip to points in Texas and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Ross, of Amarillo, were guests Wednesday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carruth.

Glad Snodgrass returned home Saturday night from St. Louis at a hay ride to the rock corral near the Day crossing of the canyon. They enjoyed a watermelon feast and picnic.

Edgar Robertson, of Marlow, Oklahoma, is visiting his cousin, Grady Robertson, here last week.







### How To Solve The Cross-Word Puzzle

#### ACROSS

- Struck with horror. (var.)
- Depressions Floyd Co. always has had.
- Canyon running through Floyd County.
- Takes to graze or pasture for a sum (England)
- Pronoun; that thing.
- Delayed; loitered.
- ... Fry, insurance agent.
- To beat, as with a club (var.)
- Lines for guiding a team.
- Given name of this man and his son.
- Large flat kind of beans.
- Open or partly open.
- Mrs. ... Carter, Matador.
- President before Wodrow Wilson.
- Kind of seaweed.
- Always.
- A son of Jacob (Bible)
- Miss. ... Maye Grundy, Floydada.
- Touch; sensation.
- Sole.
- A kind of wolf, maybe, what we call a "loafer."
- Chews and swallows.
- Beer.
- Quickly armed force of citizens.
- Last name of man pictured.
- Clara ... the ... girl.
- Head stalls for horses.
- ... Snodgrass; ... ad Snodgrass.
- Common, Motley County wolf.
- A Motley county river.
- Black man.
- ... tida, bad medicine they used to tie around our necks.

#### DOWN

- Mountains in Central Asia.
- Atlanta is capitol of ...
- Social insect that dens underground.
- Mark left ... wound.
- Past tense ... ear."
- Tom Mc. ... Jim Mc. ...
- Eons; eras.
- ... Parks ... an old Matador cowboy.

## Hesperian Cross-Word Puzzle Number 58

# Harve Bolin, Former Floyd County Officer, Is Killed

## Olton Bank Robbery Suspect Is Charged

### Funeral at Plainview Tuesday Afternoon; Burial at Lockney.

Harve S. Bolin, 53, veteran plains peace officer and former deputy sheriff of Floyd County, shot and killed instantly early Saturday morning at the Pebworth ranch, forty-eight miles southeast of Portales, New Mexico, was buried in Lockney Cemetery late Tuesday afternoon following funeral services held in Plainview.

**Olton Robbery Suspects**  
Rev. J. Pat Horton, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Plainview, was assisted in conducting the funeral by Rev. Geo. E. Turrentine, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Lockney.

Lee Pebworth, 60, seriously injured in the gun battle with peace officers Saturday morning, is being treated in the Baptist Hospital at Clovis, New Mexico, and is expected to recover. He is chained to his bed and guarded while he makes what is better than an even chance fight for recovery. He was shot over the left kidney. He made his escape from the scene of the battle, however, after all the participants had emptied their firearms, only to be arrested about noon of the same day near Tatum, New Mexico, by Sheriff Beverly of Lea County. With Pebworth was Stanley Headrick, who is being held in the jail at Portales. Both will be charged with first degree murder in connection with the death of Harve Bolin, as will Joe Jones, a son-in-law of Pebworth. Officers believe that he, too, participated in the gun fight which resulted in Bolin's death and in which H. L. Hollis was shot down.

He is survived by his widow and 10 children, 9 daughters and 1 son. They are: Mrs. Henry A. Cavetti, Olton; Nell, Farwell; Wyona, Juanita; Gladys, Winifred, Charlene, Dorothy Nell, Constance, and Harvey Samuel, Jr., all of Plainview.

A brother, John Bolin, Salem, Oregon, and a sister, Mrs. A. L. Quillen, Phoenix, Ariz., also survive.

**Olton Robbery Sequel**  
The tragedy which ended the life of Harve Bolin and resulted in the serious wounding of another deputy sheriff, R. L. Hollis of Portales, is a sequel to the robbing of the Olton State Bank at Olton on July 15. Indictments were returned in the 94th District Court at Olton last week. Lee Pebworth, Jack Sullivan, H. C. Huntsucker and Henry Reed were charged jointly with robbing with firearms L. E. Silcott, cashier of the bank, of \$3,850.

Reed was taken on the night of August 18 at the farm of Bob Norfleek, northwest of Plainview, where he was arrested as a suspect in the robbery of a filling station at ... and lodged in the jail at ...

view. Within twenty-four hours he stood under indictment also in the Olton robbery.

Early Saturday morning six officers from Lamb and Hale counties and Roosevelt County, New Mexico, went to the ranch of Lee Pebworth, forty-eight miles southeast of Portales, N. M., with warrants for the arrest of Pebworth, Jack Sullivan and H. C. Huntsucker. They arrived there about three o'clock. In the posse were Sheriff Bob Crim and his deputy, Bob Miller of Littlefield, Harve Bolin, who had been employed as a special deputy by Lamb County, District Attorney Meade F. Griffin of Plainview, and deputies of Sheriff Jernigan of Roosevelt County, Jack Howard and R. L. Hollis.

**Answer With Gunfire**  
They laid in waiting until inmates of the ranch house began to stir about the place. Pebworth left the house and went down to a corn field. He returned to the barn. Others came out to assist in the chores, it is related in a story told by the Plainview Herald.

The officers moved on the barn, hoping to make arrests while their suspects were unarmed. Bolin, Hollis and Miller moved between the house and the barn and an order to "throw up your hands" was shouted by the officers. An immediate volley of shots was the reply. Bolin was shot in the head, over the right eye, and fell dead. Hollis was

shot in the mouth and the right thigh and his condition was critical, although he was expected the first of this week to recover.

The officers opened fire and the besieged took cover behind feed troughs and kept pumping at them. The fire was kept up until officers had exhausted their ammunition.

**Bolin Never Fired**  
Leaving the scene of the shooting Pebworth and it is thought two others, fled in a car. When Pebworth and Headrick were taken by officers later in the day Harve Bolin's 30-30 Winchester and his pistols were found in the car. Bolin, officers on the raid said, is believed to have been killed before he ever fired a shot.

Besides the Olton holdup, Deputy Sheriff Bob Miller of Littlefield, said Pebworth, Sullivan and Huntsucker were suspected of participating in bank robberies at Shawnee, Okla., and O'Donnell, Texas.

**Began Career in 1917**  
H. S. Bolin began his career as a peace officer in 1917, when he was named deputy sheriff of Floyd County by J. A. Grigsby, then sheriff. Prior to that time he had been a deputy game warden for two or three years. He served as a deputy under Mr. Grigsby until January 1, 1925, when he was commissioned under Mr. Grigsby's successor, J. R. Maddox. He resided on his farm north of Floydada twelve miles dur-

### Solution Last Week's Cross-Word Puzzle.

PECOS ABBOT  
TOMATO BRAZOS  
AWP FIDDLER  
PEP SAWED NEW  
ERIC ADDS  
LAGR L  
APOD FLOW  
ZENI HOPE  
EDEN HOVAL  
A NELL  
JAIL S  
OWN ABASE ELLS  
HAF FLORIDA LOU  
NINETY PENCIL  
THEOD SINAPS

ing most of the time he was a deputy under Mr. Grigsby, but during the Maddox administration lived in Lockney, where he also had the duties of night watchman as well as deputy sheriff. Beginning in December of 1926, he moved with his family to Plainview and was on the police force there to June of 1927, when he became a deputy sheriff of Hale County under Sam Faith. After serving to January 1, 1929, as a deputy he returned to the employ of the city of Plainview and served until April of this year. He was a special officer working for the Bankers' Association, assigned to the Olton bank robbery when he was killed.

Mr. Bolin was a native of Virginia and was said to have gained keen knowledge of the shooting of short fire arms, a knowledge which he brought to this state with him as a boy in 1900, when his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bolin settled in this county. In 1905 he was married to Miss Nellie Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harper, prominent north county residents, now living in Lockney. Besides his wife nine daughters and one son survive.

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reach Floydada and are most probably correct, Mr. Bolin and Mr. Hollis, the two of the five officers who were shot, both were carrying winchesters in their arms when the battle began. Mr. Bolin was killed at the first burst without ever firing his gun, it is believed. J. A. Grigsby, former Floyd County Sheriff, who probably knew Harve better than any other peace officer he has served with, expressed wonderment over the circumstance that found Mr. Bolin with a winchester in his hands at a time when close range shooting began. Hollis is a deputy sheriff at Portales. Two of the other officers were from Lamb County and the other from Portales. Small, highpowered side arms were used by Pebworth and his associates. A number of the shots fired by the men whom the officers went to arrest were fired from a nearby barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Loran and son, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine and children returned home last week-end from Ruidoso, New Mexico, after an absence of several days from home on a vacation in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kimble and daughter, Mary Ann, spent from Saturday evening to Monday morning visiting at Frederick, Oklahoma, with Mr. Kimble's brother, W. E. Kimble, and family. They were accompanied by his father, H. Kimble, of near Fort Worth, who will spend a few days at Frederick before returning to his home.

Mrs. Roy L. Snodgrass and son, Tom, who had been on an extended visit at Paragould, Arkansas, with Mrs. Snodgrass' mother, Mrs. Gooch, returned home last week-end.

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Ar. Lubbock	3:30 pm	10:00 pm	1.95	2.60
Connections—				
Ar. Roswell	9:45 pm		7.95	
Ar. Big Spring	9:00 pm		7.00	
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