

## F. C. AGRICULTURAL LOAN COMMITTEE IS NAMED

### Ex-Service Men Urged To end Legion Meet Tonight

Ex-service men in Floyd County are urged to attend a meeting of the American Legion to be held at McDermott Post in Floydada Thursday night. It was announced by Roy Snodgrass, chairman of the publicity committee. There are some very important men coming up that every ex-man should know about and a vote in, Mr. Snodgrass said. It is possible we want a 100 per cent attendance. It makes no difference whether they belong to the legion or not we want all ex-service men present," he declared.

### Free Play To Be Given At Muncy Friday Night

Muncy Dramatic Club will present "The Gay Pretender," their first play of the year, Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Muncy school. It has been announced. The play is a three-act comedy with eight characters. Admission will be free. Bruce Blackford is directing the cast which includes Katherine Harris, who plays Irene Tully, the young married lady; Clark J. Harris plays Richard Tully, her husband; Johnnie Race plays Charles Jones, owner of the house occupied by the Tullys; Robert Byars, appears as Richard's uncle; Margaret Sandusky takes the part of Irene's aunt; Leroy Blackford plays the part of the negro maid, and Bruce Blackford is cast as the negro butler. Everyone is invited to see the performance. Special music and singing will be given as between-act features.

### WILLIAMS ATTENDS MEAT DEMONSTRATION AT LUBBOCK

Principal O. T. Williams of Floydada High School attended a meat demonstration conducted at Lubbock Monday and Tuesday by specialists of A. and M. College. Methods of killing, cutting and curing were demonstrated. While in Lubbock Mr. Williams obtained 100 pounds of pedigreed mulo seed and 100 pounds of pedigreed kaffir seed for use by his boys in the vocational agriculture projects. The seed was secured from the Experiment Station at Lubbock. About one hundred vocational agriculture teachers, citizens and farmers were in attendance at the two-day conference.

### NEW CAR FOR SHERIFF IS BOUGHT BY COMMISSIONERS

The Commissioners Court Tuesday morning purchased for the use of the sheriff, E. S. Randerson, a new car, the purchase being made by Arthur Barker, Lockney Chevrolet dealer, in competition with two other car dealers. A used car belonging to the county was taken in exchange.

## Farmers Organize League Friday; Jno. West Is Elected President; Plea Made for Time and Leniency

### Board of Directors Named to Manage Organization; 33 Members Join Group.

Organization of the Floyd County Farmers and Home Owners Protective League was perfected Friday afternoon with Jno. L. West elected president and 33 affiliating themselves as charter members at a meeting attended by 200 farmers and citizens in the district courtroom.

Other officers include a board of directors of five men, W. B. Jordan, R. B. Gary, S. A. Greer, J. D. Christian, and H. P. Puckett, who will manage the affairs of the league. Wm. Finkner was elected vice-president and Ed Holmes was elected secretary-treasurer.

**Outline Purpose**  
Speakers during the afternoon outlined the purpose of the league as "organized for the purpose of protection of our homes and our rights under the Constitution of the United States."

Judge L. Gough, of Amarillo, president of the Farmers Protective League of America, with which the Floyd County organization is affiliated, M. D. Ramsey, of Harmony community, vice-president and director of the national league, and J. W. Hays, of Hale County, with Jno. L. West, city, who presided, were

### Cooper Crain, Flomot, Shot Monday Night, Is Believed Recovering

### Bullet Wound in Hip Sustained in Fight on North Main Street.

Cooper Crain, of Flomot, is in the Smith & Smith Sanitarium this week, suffering from a bullet wound in the left hip, and a flesh wound in the left wrist, and Fred Jones, of this city, has been put under \$1,000 bond to await the action of the Floyd County grand jury, when it resumes sessions February 15. The charge on which he is being held is assault with intent to murder. Examining trial was waived and the bond set by Justice J. S. Solomon. The shooting occurred on North Main Street, near the west entrance of the Barrow Building, and Jones is alleged to have done the shooting.

I. D. Roberts who made a statement to District Attorney A. J. Foley said a quarrel arose over a telephone bill and that Crain struck Jones. Jones fired at close range and Crain fell to the ground wounded. An x-ray picture of the hip wound, made when the probe failed to find the bullet, located it about equal distance from the pelvic and the femur bone in the front part of the body. Apparently the bullet struck the pelvic bone and glanced downward. The x-ray showed it not to be mashed but to have the original shape of a steel ball. For the present it will not be removed, Dr. G. V. Smith said.

The wound is draining well and physicians are hopeful that infection will not set up. The wound in the wrist pierced the skin but did not strike the wrist bones, the doctors said.

Mrs. Dora Crain, of Ralls, mother of the wounded man, is here, with him this week, having arrived Tuesday. His wife arrived Tuesday night from Flomot.

Crain was carried from the scene of the shooting to the Woody Drug Company by I. D. Roberts, who was assisted by Dr. Wilson Kimble. Later he was taken to the sanitarium.

**Demands Ride Home**  
From the scene of the shooting Fred went to Continental Service Station No. 1 at the corner of California and Fifth Streets where he demanded that R. C. Henry, manager of the station, take him home, showing a pistol which Henry said was cocked. He did not point the pistol at him, Mr. Henry said. He took Fred home in a car belonging to Jim Hardgrove, which the latter turned over to him for the purpose. About 12 o'clock Monday night Jones was arraigned before Justice J. S. Solomon and made the bond set by Judge Solomon, after waiving a hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Canyon as guests of his brother, John Fry and family.

the principal speakers for the afternoon.

"We are here today to form an organization that will form as a 'bumper' between the holders of mortgages and the men who made them. We want men of good judgment to act for us as mediators," Mr. Ramsey said in responding to a request of Chairman West to explain the purpose of the meeting.

"We want to eliminate the trash in our road so we can meet our obligations. Beginning in 1930 a movement was started to foreclose on farmers. By gambling in futures and unscrupulous practices and methods our homes and farms have been put in jeopardy," he continued. He expressed the opinion that such drastic steps as had been in northern states by farmers on mortgage foreclosures would not be necessary "For we feel the machinery men and mortgage holders in Floyd County will be more lenient with us," he said.

**Vote to Organize**  
Following the reading of the Hale County Farmers and Home Owners Protective League's constitution by Mr. Ramsey, discussions were opened on formal organization of the league for Floyd County. On a move made by W. B. Jordan, Center, and

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### Building Trade Shows Renewed Activity Here

Building and improvements in Floydada and vicinity underway during the past two weeks indicate decided activity, giving employment to carpenters, contractors and painters.

B. A. Daniel is building a 5-room modern house on the old Duncan place 10 miles south of town. Will Walker is contractor.

W. S. Poole is remodeling his home in the Antelope community. R. V. Payne is contractor.

C. D. Gibbs has been re-finishing his home on West Kentucky Street which was damaged by fire several months ago. G. V. Slaughter, Tom Goslee and Frank Dudley have been doing the work.

H. M. McDonald is building a garage at his place on West Tennessee Street. Work was started Tuesday.

E. E. Boothe is remodeling his residence on East Virginia Street. W. A. Gound is doing the work.

New windmills were put up on their farms recently by H. D. Bloodworth and O. R. Golightly.

Dr. C. M. Thacker's office in the Readhimer Building of West California has been refinished inside during the past week. J. E. Wilkins did the work.

The People's Building and Loan Association is re-finishing two houses in Floydada this week.

C. M. Meredith has been doing extensive improvements on his farm north of town, including a new barn and new fences.

### Meredith Hands County Check For \$1,784.70 With His Final Report

### Final Reports Filed by Officials Show Incomes of Varying Amounts.

Along with his final report, handed to the Commissioners' Court which was in session Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, C. M. Meredith, who retired from the tax collector's office on December 31, handed the court a check for \$1,784.70, the amount of excess fees earned by his office during the year of 1932.

Total fees collected by the office were \$7,830.69, the report shows. Of this amount \$1,218.50 was spent for deputy hire, \$250 for surety bond premium, \$361.94 for telephone, telegraph, postage and other incidental expenses of the office. He retained as his fees \$4,215.55.

Other reports of fees of office and ex-officio income were made by Tom W. Deen, ex-county clerk, J. W. Howard, district clerk, J. W. Howard, judge, and Justice J. S. Solomon and D. C. Lowe, of Precincts One and Two respectively, all for the year of 1932.

County clerk's fees collected from all sources, as indicated by his report, totaled \$2,078.20, and he was paid by the county \$250 as ex-officio salary, \$250 for keeping the county's finance ledger and \$100.00 for keeping the indexes, a total of \$2,378.20. Of this total he paid out for deputy hire \$905, for surety bond \$25 and for postage \$99.75, a total of \$1,029.75, leaving his net income from the office for the year at \$1,648.45.

District Clerk Roy O'Brien had a net income of slightly less than the county clerk with \$1,542.22. His total fees were \$825.05 and his ex-officio was \$799.92, making gross \$1,624.97. From this he deducted clerk hire and postage totalling \$82.75.

Fees of the county judge's office for the year were \$314.43 according to the report filed by Judge J. W. Howard. As ex-officio salary he received \$2,250, a total of \$2,564.43. From this was deducted \$12.50, leaving a net income from the office of \$2,551.93.

Net fees as an income of the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, were \$241.58. Justice Solomon's report shows, and the receipts of Justice D. C. Lowe at Lockney were \$169.95 for the year.

Other reports to be filed include the sheriff's office, the assessor's office and the county attorney's office.

**CHEVROLET COMPANY REPORT  
RECORD JANUARY BUSINESS**  
Snodgrass Chevrolet Company of Floydada had the best business during the month of January the firm has had during any January since establishment in 1913, according to a statement made this week by Roy Snodgrass manager.

A carload shipment of four 1933 model Chevrolets was received Tuesday. In the shipment was a new special coach for the dealer, a similar model of which is to be used by every Class A dealer in the United States. The car is painted blue and has a Chevrolet emblem on the side.

## Put Floydada Trade Script Into Circulation Saturday

### Mild Dose Inflation To Stimulate Business

### Local Retailers in Meeting Tuesday Night Pledge Support To Move

A mild, local treatment to obtain inflation of the medium of exchange in Floydada will be applied this week-end at the instance of ten business men, working co-operatively with practically a unanimous business district, when they will put into circulation \$100 in trade script, backed by \$100 in currency in the First National Bank.

Plans for the "inflation" were made at a meeting of thirty-five local retailers Tuesday night in the Chamber of Commerce office, at which time the \$100 guarantee fund was subscribed. Backers are R. B. Rosson, Joe H. Brown, W. Edd Brown, W. U. White, S. W. Ross, J. B. Bishop, E. E. Boothe, O. P. Rutledge, Wilson Kimble, J. G. Martin whose respective firms underwrote the issue, and they will have the unanimous backing of the others present in putting over the plan. It has been found to be workable in many other communities over the southwest.

The plan adopted was brought home by R. B. Rosson, who found it working advantageously in Perryton, Wichita Falls and other points which he makes as a salesman for one of the leading tire makers of the country. Rosson was awarded a \$750 cash prize last fall for leading the sales force of the company in the southwest in total volume. The plan briefly is designed to add business volume into the local channels of trade. The trade script to be issued will, after completing its cycle, be redeemed for the underwriters. It will be put into the channels of trade through the Chamber of Commerce Saturday and will be in general circulation thereafter for an indefinite period. It will be issued in two denominations only—fifty cents and one dollar.

Local retailers who join in the plan will accept the script at face value for merchandise at their stores and shops, and will pass it on to their trade, except in cases where the customer is unwilling to accept it. A stamp, according to the idea devised and found to be entirely workable at other points, will be affixed by every merchant through whose hands one of the pieces of "currency" passes. This stamp will pay the cost of administration. None of the customers of the associated merchants will be required to stamp the script and hence, it is anticipated by the sponsors, will be readily accepted throughout the territory at its face value. The \$100 script to be put into circulation is expected to do \$3,600 worth of business before it returns to the place of issue for redemption.

**Many Firms Pledged**  
Wilson Kimble Optical & Jewelry Co., Joe H. Brown, Continental Oil Company distributor, Hesperian Publishing Co., Snodgrass Chevrolet Co., M System Grocery and Market, Floydada Drug Company, Woody Drug Company, Malloy Grocery, Marvin's Grocery, Boothe Tailors, Triangle Garage, White Drug Company, Martin Dry Goods Company, Felton-Collins Grocery Company, Arwine Drug Company, J. C. Jenney Company, Rutledge & Company, South Plains Lumber Company, Looper Cash Grocery, Patton's Dairy, Stansell Dairy, Del Rue Cafe, Wester's Quality Bakery, and others, were represented at the meeting and pledged co-operation at the time. Other retailers have indicated they will fall in line although not represented at the meeting.

**Agreement Outlined**  
The agreement between the various co-operating business and professional men who will "sign up" on the script plan is a brief and simple one. It states:

1. We agree to accept script money as issued by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce in 50c and \$1.00 denominations and when received by us for merchandise sold, payment on account or services rendered to attach a 1 1/2 cent trade stamp on each 50 cent note and a 3 cent trade stamp on each \$1.00 note, stamps to be purchased from the Chamber of Commerce and can be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce for cash.

2. Script will be received by us at face value. No change will be given nor will script be converted into cash for anyone except a co-operating member.

3. In event co-operating member has an excess accumulation we agree to assist in redistribution by

## Floydada Population 2758 Is Count of L. G. Withers

That Floydada's population the last week in January of 1933 is greater than in the month of 1930 when the Federal Census was taken, is indicated by a close count made of occupied and unoccupied houses by L. G. Withers, of the Floyd Post-er Advertising Company. The figure is 2,758 according to his count.

The impromptu census was taken by the local advertising poster manager at the instance of the National Billboard Association, which keeps a close tabulation on the number of persons in communities which their members serve.

There are 613 occupied houses in the community, his figures show, which tallies closely with the indicated number of occupied homes as indicated by the records of utilities companies serving Floydada and the city water department. The census for 1930 gave Floydada a population of slightly more than 2,600, a figure much below the population for 1928, when the population approximated 4,000. Present population estimates of the census bureau, according to Mr. Withers, are based on an assumption that four and one-half persons are in each family on the average.

At the present time there are 79 unoccupied houses in Floydada all told, including shacks and every type of building used for dwellings, Mr. Withers said.

### COUNTY WAGE SCALE SET BY VOTE OF COMMISSIONERS

Members of the Commissioners' Court this week in their special session set the wage scale for road work in the county, naming 20 cents per hour as the rate of pay for single hands. For one man and two horses 35 cents per hour will be paid, for one man and four horses 50 cents, and for two men and four horses with the little graders in the brakes 85 cents per hour.

The court completed its work of clearing up payment on the right of way east of Floydada on Highway No. 28. Payment of \$25 was made R. Fred Brown, \$10 to the Southwestern Life Insurance Company, \$50 to the Plainview Compress and Warehouse Company, \$476.01 to the Federal Land Bank at Houston and \$23.99 to Mrs. Kate Martin. Agreement had been reached previously on the tracts involved.

### J. S. REASONER TAKEN TO HOSPITAL IN LUBBOCK

J. C. Reasoner, Route 1, was taken to the West Texas Hospital at Lubbock Saturday to undergo treatment and an operation. He is suffering from a mastoid trouble. He was accompanied by his uncle, A. H. Matthews, of Center, C. W. Burton and Mr. Reeves of Fairview.

buying script from this member. In such instances we agree to handle not exceeding \$..... in script when called upon providing we do not already have a supply on hand.

4. Script will not be accepted from any firm or merchant unless a co-operating member.

5. The success of the campaign depends on keeping the script in circulation and when customers will accept script give it in change.

This constitutes the whole understanding and agreement as pointed out by Mr. Rosson to the retailers present at the Tuesday night meeting.

### Local Market Today

<b>Poultry</b>	
Hens, 4 lbs., and up.....	7c
Hens, under 4 lbs.....	5c
Old Roosters.....	2c
Colored Fryers.....	2c
Leghorn Fryers, and all black	2c
legs.....	2c
Stags, per lb.....	2c
<b>Turkeys</b>	
No. 1 Turkeys.....	7c
No. 2 Turkeys.....	4c
<b>Eggs</b>	
Per dozen, (candled).....	6c
<b>Cream</b>	
Butterfat, per lb., Station.....	10c
Butterfat, direct shipment.....	12c
<b>Cotton</b>	
Cotton, middling per 100 lbs.....	\$5.15
Cotton Seed, per ton.....	\$6.00
<b>Grain</b>	
Wheat, per bushel.....	29c
Maize, per ton.....	\$3.50
Threshed Maize.....	2c

### Loans To Farmers Only Contemplated In Plan

### Every Phase Farming Operations to Be Included In Loan Program Successful

Announcement was made last night that a committee had been named in Floyd County for the purpose of making Reconstruction Finance Corporation loans to farmers of Floyd County for general agricultural purposes, the committee named by the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation of Fort Worth being J. V. Daniel, Lon M. Davis, W. N. Jones, Calvin Steen, of this city, Artie Baker and Geo. T. Meriwether of Lockney, with O. M. Watson of Floydada as secretary.

J. V. Daniel, of the committee, said that all application blanks and forms are in the hands of the committee now, but that an inspector had not been named by the regional bank. Nor has a date been set for the first meeting of the committee. The presumption is that a local man will be named as inspector, Daniel said, but he was not positive on that point. Weekly meetings of the committee are contemplated, when paper submitted for loans will be passed upon.

**General Purpose Loans**  
The loans under the plan of the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation, which has been functioning several weeks, differ apparently from the federal seed and feed loans made in that the proceeds may be used for general purposes, whereas proceeds of the other loans must be used for specific purposes. Among the purposes listed for which loans are authorized are for the production of crops, for the purchase of needed live stock or farming equipment and for the payment of debts and other eligible purposes of a farmer.

Loans cannot be made by the (Continued on back page)

### INFANT SON OF MR. AND MRS. RAY CLEMENTS DIES AT FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA

Burial rites for Johnnie Raymond Jr., seven-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ray Clements, of Flagstaff, Arizona, were held Tuesday afternoon of last week at 2:30 o'clock at Flagstaff, according to advices received here by relatives.

The baby died at 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, January 22, it was stated in the letter received here this week by Mrs. N. B. Stansell, Mrs. Clements' sister. The child had been ill since birth and its death was not unexpected.

Mr. and Mrs. Clements formerly resided in Floydada. She was formerly Miss Mabel Willis.

### ATTEND LAKEVIEW PROGRAM

Those from Floydada who attended the program at Lakeview Friday night sponsored by the P. T. A. were as follows: Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews Misses Mildred Strickland, Rhe Cloud, Bonnie Fyffe, Adele McRoberts, Amy McRoberts, Lois Covington, Fleeta Manning, Oleta Jackson, Robertine McIntyre; Messrs. Charles Mathews, Kyle Glover, Verner Norman, Guy Ginn, Harold Salisbury, R. C. Patton, Bill Marmon, G. B. Glover and Roy Holmes.

### WARD P. T. C. TO SERVE LUNCHEAS AT TOURNAMENT

The Andrews Ward Parent Teachers Association will serve hot lunches and sandwiches at the basketball tournament to be held at the Andrews Ward Gymnasium Friday and Saturday of this week. The proceeds will be used for some worthy project for the school.

## South Plains Basketball Tourney Opens Friday; Finals to Be Held Saturday Night at Andrews Ward

### Special Trophies Will Be Awarded To Winners

Event Is Sponsored by Coach R. P. Terrell and Superintendent A. D. Cummings.

Basketball quintets of this section will make Floydada their mecca Friday and Saturday and local officials in charge are expecting 16 teams to participate in the South Plains Basketball Tournament to be staged at the Andrews Ward School gymnasium.

Six teams were listed Wednesday and others are expected to enter the competition for trophies, it was announced by Coach R. P. Terrell who with Superintendent A. D. Cummings is sponsoring the tourney. The schools that had signified early in the week that they would compete are Turkey, Matador, Ralls, Lakeview, Dougherty, and Floydada.

**Need More Rooms**  
An appeal to local citizens to cooperate in furnishing rooms for the boys was issued by Coach Terrell. He indicated that additional accommodations would be needed and asked that those who would have a place for the visitors to notify him or Mr. Cummings. Those fur-

nishing the rooms will not be asked to furnish breakfast for the boys, it was stated.

If as many as 12 or 16 teams enter, the contests will begin at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Registration and drawing for places is being held today. If the tournament starts Friday morning the next round will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon. If no more than eight or ten teams enter then the first round will be played at 2:30 Friday afternoon, and the next at 7:30 Friday night.

**Season Tickets On Sale**  
Admission will be 15 and 25 cents for each session. Season tickets are on sale for 50 and 75 cents for admission to the entire series.

Quarter final rounds will be played Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and the semi-finals Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The finals will be played at 7:30 o'clock Saturday night.

Day, of Ralls, W. T. S. T. C. will referee the contests and Noel Thomas, city, will assist.

A beautiful gold statuette will be given the winning school and to the individuals of the victorious team will be given gold basketballs. To the members of the team winning second place honor silver basketballs will be presented.

Investigation Fails To Reveal Motive For Burning Vacant House

Investigations by officers of Floydada and Floyd County and fire marshal last week have failed to date to establish motive for the series of six which occurred here, mostly vacant, non-resident dwellings, the slight clues left on which officers are working do not lend encouragement to the belief that the persons who set the fires will be apprehended. The belief is general, however, that the fires were incendiary.

State Fire Marshal Reagan spent four days here last week and this, but left without adopting any definite idea as to the origin of the fires. Four out of six buildings burned or damaged by fire and water were property of non-resident owners and were vacant. One of them was owned locally but was vacant. The other building belonged to the school district and was located on the campus of the high school. \$1,400 insurance was carried on the school building. Little insurance was carried on any of the others.

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ANOTHER OPINION

"At least two harvests must pass before agriculture can come back. The Farm Board must stop poisoning it. We must find new industrial uses for farm products. We ought to stop all irrigation projects for at least five years. The 160-acre farm is doomed. The future will see either industrial farms of 1,000 acres or individual farms of eighty, with ten-acre farms in industrial areas."—H. H. Heineman, President National Credit Men's Association.

OUR FUNNY WAYS

People are funny. They go to extremes in drives. Only the occasional man is an extremist by himself. The rest of us have to have the bunch with us. We can't even get mad without some help in taking it up.

The present "depression" offers such an example of the way we are. Whereas, formerly it was the rule to speak hopefully of our affairs, first and last; to hold our heads up and take wallops smiling, the new rule is to admit nothing good or hopeful. Be pessimistic is the slogan. Although there is plenty in the larder, and the creditors are taking a most reasonable attitude, although perhaps we've hit a good streak of luck somewhere, it won't do to admit it. Because there are a lot of people who are hard hit, then the rest must act that way, too. Our suggestion is that you don't believe everybody you talk to who says he is dead broke, hasn't got a cent and "don't see how we are going to make it." There is more money on the hips of Floyd County men this January than there has been in all told, in banks everywhere in the county, in any a January that has gone over our heads.

AND THUS THEY GO

So far have we gone with our life of hard times that even who are having it all right, debts paid perhaps, and their incomes at present price getting them twice as much of the good things of life than they formerly could get at former price levels, talk to you in mournful tones. They've got to go along with the bunch.

Which is why we say we have gone too far in our hysteria of hard times. People are that way.

NOT ON FULL STOMACHS

Never in the history of the world has there been any serious revolt of the people who had full stomachs. Speeches about revolt do not mean exactly that, although they do mean that the people who are taking losses are not taking them lying down, that they are fighting back at conditions and that they are going to demand a chance to make good on their obligations.

Present price levels will not permit a person to pay debts made on former price levels, but revolution means to get a gun and go out to shoot somebody. Not anybody to amount to anything ready for that yet, although there may be plenty ready to manhandle their hard boiled creditors.

WANT A CLEANING OUT

The suggestion has been made that an entirely new congress and an entirely new legislature would be a most helpful thing toward getting the new point of view of the people in power at Washington and at Austin.

In the nature of things, this argument goes, these men who have been in office during the boom days, some of them since before the war, who have been responsible for appropriations mounting skyward year after year, with money going through the treasuries in millions, can't have the viewpoint of the man who knows that profits have dwindled to the vanishing point and that the government must quit spending, too. Whether the idea is good or bad, the men who are "ins" ought to take the thought to heart and search themselves.

WATER STILL PLENTIFUL

However difficult money matters may be, and we are assured they are tough, water and elbow grease to keep trees and shrubs and lawns in good condition are still plentiful, and hard times is no excuse to let your place run down, especially if you owe on it.

Your creditors will be much more inclined to be patient under the conditions if they find you still

have that pride of home ownership, that determination to make your surroundings pleasing to the eye and a credit to the community in which you live. After all, civic righteousness can best express itself through means that don't cost money than in any other way. You may not be able to finance the painting of your house, but as plentiful as water is and as badly as you need exercise you can keep your grounds looking good. Some people have been so hard up, we are told, they couldn't even burn the tumble weeds and have let them blow down their own and their neighbors' fences. That's getting too hard up. That is going too far into the doldrums. Let's loosen up enough at least to keep our own premises.

FLOYDADA'S FIRE BUG

The firebug who operated in Floydada last week and got everybody's nerves on edge, when he is finally caught in the net, will feel terribly hurt. He has bothered about empty houses and thought on how the wealthy will begin putting their houses into condition, giving work to the unemployed and start business going again, until the solution has appeared simple. He'll just burn a few houses, says he.

The fires had to be incendiary. So many of them in a row didn't start by spontaneous combustion, nor can there be any probability of faulty wiring and things of that kind that we usually credit to fires that are otherwise unexplained.

Far from taking the attitude of the fire insurance adjuster who takes for granted that all fires are dishonest until they are proved honest, there are many fires which are naturally unavoidable. But the fires in Floydada last week were not that kind. They were the work of an unbalanced mind.

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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W. H. Darrow, County Agricultural Agent, will conduct an orchard pruning demonstration Saturday morning at 10 o'clock on trees in his yard in town.

J. B. Green, son of J. H. Green, city, will probably be home in the course of two weeks, he wired last week from New York City, where he has been in a hospital since returning from France.

Geo. T. Moore, of Kansas City, is spending the week here, having arrived Monday on business.

Miss Pauline Bishop is in Amarillo this week visiting her sister, Mrs. T. W. Young.

W. J. Burke, of Hedley, has been here since the latter part of last week on business. Mr. Burke has been in the grain business at Hedley for the past season.

Sterley News

(Crowded out last week) Sterley, Jan. 24. Sunday school at both churches was well attended Sunday.

Rev. Melvin Shaw filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and Sunday evening at the Baptist church.

Several from his community attended the singing at Sand Hill Sunday.

Noel Day was visiting in Plainview Saturday.

Mrs. Sparks and Mrs. Levart were shoppers in Lockney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rexrode are on the sick list this week with the flu.

Miss Delamay and Calvin McWhorter and Clinton Hill from Westover are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Davis and family.

Mrs. Glenn Richardson and baby of Amherst are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hays.

Miss Ona Laura Worker from Hale Center is visiting her sister, Mrs. Huffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family have moved into our community.

Miss Ona May West of Munday visited Miss Audrey Dutton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Hart and son, Tommie, are visiting Mrs. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hays and family.

We had six new pupils to enter school Monday.

Miss May Foster from Texas Tech is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Foster this week.

Mr. and Mrs. McElyea are back home again.

The Floydada quartet sang at the Baptist church Sunday and was enjoyed by all.

Leon Horn of South Plains attended church here Sunday.

Rev. Shaw and wife visited in the L. A. Claborn home Sunday.

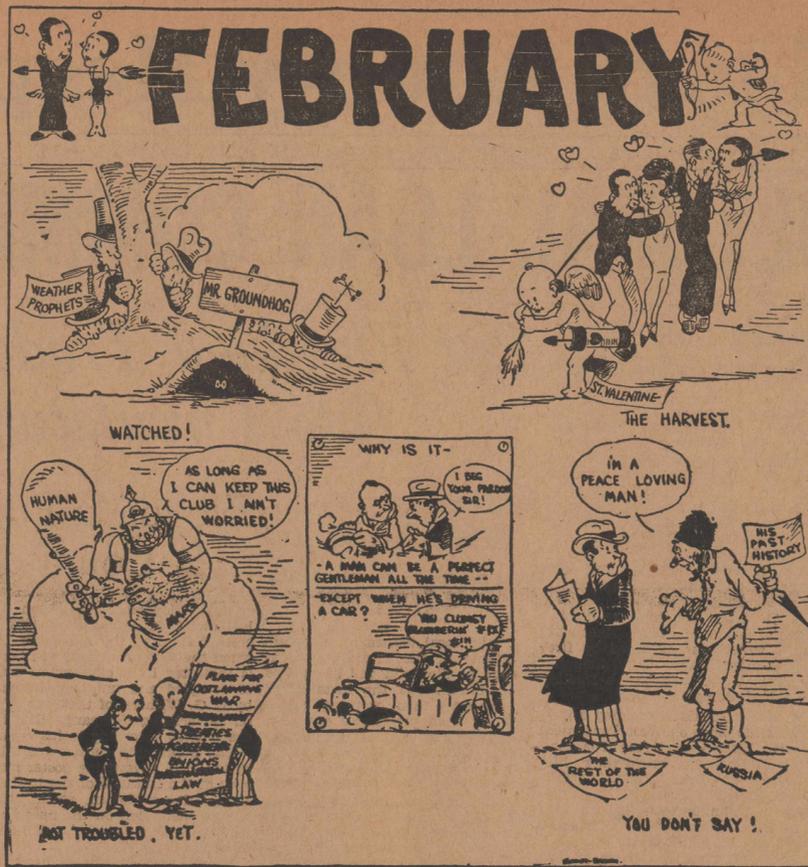
Mrs. Henry Hollis in company with Misses Evelyn and Georgie Mae Smith, were in Floydada Saturday. Mrs. Hollis and Miss Evelyn are teachers in the Crosbyton schools.

R. M. Randerson, of Abilene, left for his home Sunday after a visit of two or three days here with his brother, Sheriff E. S. Randerson and family.

E. F. Readhimer and wife completed moving this week from their home near Dougherty to Finney in Hale County.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Moreau, City, January 24, a daughter.

Little Pen-o-grams



"They say" this is a funny world but I have not found it so amusing.

There's another point I want to bring out in regards to my proposed division of Texas into five separate states of South, North, East, West and Central Texas. You see we have got such a big crop of politicians in this state that they don't all get to legislate so under my plan we could elect four more governors, 500 more representatives and 160 more senators. After all those officials got places for all their friends on the state payroll then all our worries will be over for we can all be in on the "gravy." And then we would have more places in the national congress and that would give us all a cinch on a job.

This is one of the finest ideas that has been proposed by the C. S. and one that should meet with popular approval. All graft and pork barrel rolling would end for we would be cheating ourselves if we passed any laws that did not suit us.

And we would all at least have an opportunity of seeing a few of our lawmakers for they would be our neighbors. Under the present system, we are like Will Rogers—about all we know about Austin and the Legislature is what we read in the papers.

Last week I promised to tell you how I qualified for membership in the proposed Nutt Club for Floyd County. It was simple. I saved and raked and scraped and finally got enough shekels together to pay my delinquent city taxes and the state taxes of the same variety. I couldn't see how it was humanly fair to make a feller pay a penalty because he could not meet his obligations, let alone interest on that penalty. So I paid my penalty under protest.

About two weeks later along comes the officials and they decide to extend the deadline for payment. They did that to encourage the others who had not paid off to do so. But what about my penalty. Refund it? No siree! Not on your life. "You just should not have paid up when you did" is the substance of the answer I get.

Such a plan for the city and the state to follow is unjust. My contention is that the penalty should never have been charged this year at all. We have had tough sledding and how well we know it. Taxes have been top-heavy without any additional penalty and interest and that a man can't pay he just can't, if that's all. If they keep on piling on more penalty and more interest how in the world do they ever expect that famous "budget" to balance.

This budget business is getting as bad as these blamed Russian thistles. One fellow came down to his store the other day and had to clean the weeds from in front of his door before he could get inside. Several farmers have reported that their fences have been uprooted by a big army of these rolling nuisances.

It's getting so now you don't hear anything but "budget," "budget," "budget." We gotta pay our taxes so we can balance the budget so don't forget that.

me that it's mighty

poor business to set a deadline for payment and then if a feller works his head off and meets the obligation before more penalty is added he "pays off" and then is told in a few days that if he had just fooled around and not worked and saved so carefully he would not have to pay the extra penalty and would have had more time.

Perhaps it does encourage the ones who have not paid but it would be good logic on their part to figure that if they will ignore the last deadline that another will be set later and so on until the city and state will be doggone glad to settle at face value without penalty or interest in order to get anything at all. And that's just what will have to happen.

And that's forgetting the poor devil who paid his penalty in good faith while trying to co-operate with his governing bodies.

So I know now that I am a sap and perfectly qualified for the Nutt Club. You can just put me down as opposed to this penalty idea in times of stress. I'm a Nutt and I wanta join the club.

Several bachelors have registered complaints about the membership of the proposed Nutt Club and want to exclude the women. I vote against this proposal for it would be a complete "flop" without them. You just can't do anything without the fair sex and I don't propose to try.

I was over at a meeting at the courthouse composed mostly of farmers the other day and two of the speakers stressed the fact that the people on the farms have plenty to eat and are not worrying about starving but that the thing they need is money. That's just it—that's what we are all short on.

Then, if that's the case, why not issue script money here in Floydada and get some more in circulation. Somebody, somewhere up the line has got all our regulation stuff in the bag so why not issue some of our own and then we can trade, swap, and barter right here among ourselves.

This script can be issued and used as a medium of exchange and that's just what we need today. What do you think?

I am busy this week getting my name and slogan for Conoco's new gasoline all figured out. Have you tried a tank of this new gas? It's good stuff and gives the old bus plenty of pep—just like new monkey glands.

Get in on the fun and enter this contest. Somebody is going to win some of that \$10,000 and we got folks right here in Floyd County who are just as smart as they make them. An entry blank is available at any Conoco dealer's office.

Buck Sims is a student flyer under direction of Lee Wilkinson and he soloed in 6 hours. How's that? Buck looks like a real up and coming aviator to me.

If you haven't seen the silhouette work done by Mc Parker over at Roy Holmes Studio you have missed something. Mr. Parker does the work free-hand and he's an artist. He's a carpenter by trade but cutting out the silhouettes is his hobby and he just does it when a notion strikes him.

His work offers something "different" for a picture for your home. Some of his finest pieces were given his sister, Mrs. D. D. Shipley, who resides south of Floydada, where Mr. Parker makes his home.

Here's a dandy little item that has come to my attention:

How to Preserve a Husband Be careful in your selection. Do not choose too young. When once

selected give your entire thought to preparation for domestic use. Some insist on keeping them in a pickle, others are constantly getting them in hot water. This may make them sour, hard and sometimes bitter. Even poor varieties may be made sweet, tender and good by garnishing them with patience, well sweetened with love and seasoned with kisses. Wrap them in a mantle of charity. Keep warm with a steady fire of domestic devotion and serve with peaches and cream. Thus prepared, they will keep for years."

We got a letter this week from Col. R. P. Smyth, mayor of Plainview, in connection with the discussions we have been having on the subject of who dug the first well on the Plains. Mighty glad to get it. Here it is:

"I have received your marked copy of The Hesperian article on who dug the first well on the Plains.

"You are right, go ahead. Uncle Hank has many the time talked to me about the time he had digging this well. In a paper I read before the Historical Society at Lubbock I gave Uncle Hank credit for this work.

"Thanks for the paper. I will cut this out for my scrap book."

My good friend, A. Nonymous crashed through with a personal letter to the Cowhand this week and I'm quite puffed up over getting a letter all by myself. Here it is: "Dear Cowhand,

"Many thanks for the jokes and also the write up about them. "As you appreciated them so much am sending some more. Hope you like them."

Hot diggedy dog! I'll say I did. And here's some more for you folks, too—

Then There's Mining "Always remember," said Tommy's father, "that whatever you attempt there is only one way to learn. That is by beginning at the bottom. There are no exceptions to this rule."

"None at all?" queried Tommy. "No."

"Then," said Tommy, "how about swimming?"

The Bird Lovers "Old Lady (to boy with slingshot): "That's a thing I could never do. Hit a harmless little bird!" Boy: "I can't, either."

Give Him Something Else Teacher: "Give me a sentence with the word 'avaunt' in it." Pupil: "Avaunt what avaut when avaut it."

The Traitor Alligator There was a young miss from Decatur. Who was given a pet alligator. But through ignorance sweet Gave him nothing to eat. So later, the traitor, he ate 'er!

Something to Bite on In a game it's grit. In spinach it's terrible.

We Usually Manage, Though Teacher: "Who can define indignation?" Pupil: "It is the failure to adjust a square meal to a round stomach."

BITS O PHILOSOPHY Dean E. V. White Texas State College for Women (CIA)

A person is not likely to find himself while he is asleep.

Expect ill treatment when you make a jackass of yourself.

Keeping yourself miserable makes you unfit for the next world, wherever you expect to go.

Contemporary Thought

ANOTHER BOOM DUE

Amarillo News: Most of the people of the United States are "standing right up to the lick log."

This is an old-time expression that applies to a man who has plenty of nerve and courage. But just what is a lick log? Will someone please inform me.

But anyway, folks, there is every reason to have hope and plenty of it as we have passed the crisis. Within a comparatively few months we'll be well on our way out of the woods.

Personally, I have great and abiding faith in Babson who is right more often than any other economist in the United States. And he stakes his reputation on the prediction that 1932 was the bottom and that 1933 will go down in history as the year when we started to come out of it and shake ourselves loose.

And Babson says, and he is just as right as he can be, that the people of the United States have more money than they will admit. Talk to a man you know to be well fixed and he will swear by everything he can place his hands on that he is plum broke. It is popular and the thing to do is talk about how hard up you are. But once it starts back it will come back with a rush. There will not be years of gradual, painful recovery. We'll have another country-wide boom in two years just as certain as the sun will rise in the east tomorrow morning.

Now is the time for everyone and everybody to keep their spirits up as the worst is over.

GAS EXEMPTION IN DANGER

Plainview Herald: Citizens of the Plains particularly should zealously watch developments in the Texas Legislature on revision of the gasoline tax laws. A bill has been filed that would eliminate all gasoline tax refunds.

The gasoline tax has long been considered an equitable tax for highway building and maintenance, on the theory that in proportion to the gasoline used there is wear and tear on the highways. The man who uses the highways a lot, pays proportionately for the use he makes of them.

However, the gasoline tax is construed as an occupation tax. By constitutional provision one-fourth of it goes into the available school fund.

Efforts are now being made to divert the gasoline funds from the highway usage, by increasing the percentage going into the available school fund, and by diversion of another part of the fund to the state's general fund.

This is entirely beside the matter of killing refunds on gasoline not used on highways, but is itself highly important. There are many who feel that gasoline used in farm tractors and otherwise, not on the highways, should not be exempt from the tax through rebate of tax paid. There are others who attack the rebates merely to make war on the general tax on gasoline.

Every citizen of the Plains, where thousands upon thousands of gallons of gasoline are used in tractors and other farm machinery, and have no bearing in any manner upon the use or abuse of highways, should zealously watch developments at Austin.

Our immediate section has an able advocate of its rights in the person of A. B. Tarwater, representative from this district, who has been a leader in previous fights to create exemption for farm used gasoline and to maintain that exemption. Senator Arthur Duggan of the 30th District, in the upper house, is also thoroughly advised of the economic benefit of this exemption to Plains farmers, as well as to other farm and industrial users.

There are a lot of legislators, who are luke-warm, however, and the suggestion is made that every citizen, who has a good contact with legislators from other districts should write or otherwise communicate with them to impress upon them the importance of the tax exemption of farm and industrial gasoline.

THE DEFICIENCY JUDGMENT

Dallas News: The deficiency judgment, prominent in the farmer boy rule of Middle West foreclosure sales, draws the attention of Texas to the bill introduced in the lower house by Representative Harlee Morrison who seeks to prohibit it. As the constitutionality of legislation impairing an existing contract is not in issue, the Morrison bill could not apply to present mortgages and, like most well intentioned measures of this nature, would increase the difficulty of borrowing on real estate as a security, if enacted.

The regrettable truth of course is that all too few persons who purchase property with money borrowed on the security of liens, or who assume such obligations, understand the nature of the transaction. The average man who buys a home understands that a lien of so many dollars is placed against it, but to him the lien, not the money, is the debt, whereas the former is only the security. If he has promised to pay \$5,000, fails to meet his payments, and the property at Sheriff's sale realizes \$4,000, the creditor is entitled to obtain a judgment of \$1,000 against him for the remainder. It seems unjust to the debtor who has lost his property, but on the other hand, the creditor is entitled to his full amount. Where the property is bid in by the creditor, there is less to be said for the justice of his position. But with property values of the present, many lien holders are taking over property not worth in the market the full amount of their

A Farmer

"As He LI" BY ED HO (Station C. E.

Good business me budget—decide what is, then make your plan and that etc, and no Sounds fine doesn't it mer do that under u tem? If you can, I'll you can be successful, here is one reason why ago I traded 2 dozen eg of sugar. Yesterday dozen for five lbs. of s farming be successful and like conditions exist? man that sets the price products keep you in the he wishes? Would the k ply and demand move a 80 per cent in 14 days? ing for information. I am other farmer that don't h enough to set the price of morning.

Get hold of a Farm an dated February 1 and read ticle on "The Domestic All Plan" by Fielding Helm. He to be the author of the ( plan and in this article has t ideas to make this plan work best interest of every u broad minded farmer. If you take that good farm paper, r article in your neighbor's r you can see your way clear him a card in favor of his t ideas being added to this p have. His address is Clifton, as.

I now am a firm believer i moon. Last year I trusted t and got three heifer calves o fifteen cows. I took a tip fr mer Shackleford and this year e ed them to be bred only when calendar showed dark of the n Only three have arrived thus and all are heifers! I didn't k I could be so happy in a depress You don't have to be lucky, watch the moon.

Bud Collins says there should a law to force farmers to burn thistles after they have enough seed their own farm, not let the roll and seed in their neighbors field. Under the allotment plan that ne not be what he is supposed to grov Bud says he can do as much work in a day now as he ever coul It just takes more hours. For th average man, 24 hours a day would n't be enough to get so much done. He admits that he will do anything that you can get him to.

I just yesterday realized that my lister had a seat on it made for me to sit on pretty regular about this time of year. The ground sure does list fine. In this county we have a fine season in the ground, wheat is fair grazing and we have a good chance to make a good wheat crop.

This job of secretary-treasurer f the farmers, Home Owners Protective League of Floyd County, has got me going. When I am at home on this farm, working and watching fine pigs and good crops growing, tending to my own business with seemingly not a worry, the world seems fine and dandy. When I sit in a meeting, see gray headed men who have lost their homes after working their entire life away, see them shed tears while telling of some of the corrupt conditions that appear to be the cause, when I realize that this may come to me, I get not headed and are ready to fight right now while I am able. I had much rather stay at home and work but if I am seeing straight now, if farmers are ever to be prosperous, they must themselves take charge of things a little farther up the creek, and not trust to gamblers for our prosperity.

Glenn Jones left last week for Phoenix, Arizona where he will his wife and son who have been iting there with her parents, and Mrs. B. M. Gamble, the month. They plan to make t home in Phoenix.

B. M. Gamble of Phoenix, A zona, was here recently on busin and visiting A. L. Bishop and fa ily.

Forbearance between creditor and debtor today has in it more of wisdom than of charity. It is being widely practiced and in most cases salvages more for both sides of the debt problem than care foreclosure. Tinkering with the situation by legislation is utterly impracticable; the Constitution is on hand to prevent retroactive debtor relief; interest rates would be raised and the canny lender frightened away by restricting future liens.

WHY NOT USE A CURB? Lynn County News: The prodigality with which we praise dead Presidents leads us to wonder why we are so intemperate in our denunciation of living ones. Washington, our first President, was bitter and persistently assailed. Lincoln was hated and abused. Wilson was the victim of the most invidious and vicious criticism from enemies within his party as well as without. Almost a whole people, it seems, has united in condemning and ridiculing President Hoover. Yet, if Hoover were to be stricken down today, we have no doubt but that Democrats, as well as Republicans would join in giving him lavish praise. Why not curb our hatreds and prejudices? Why not be sensible in our criticism of political leaders? Why not reserve some of our flowers for the living? Personally, we love the man who is big enough to see the good in a political foe and brave enough to recognize it. Any little fool can hate and nurse prejudices. Love and generosity are badges of greatness.

## End 2-Day Assembly Young People Group

April Meeting; Fine  
Joyed Saturday  
Sunday.

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he local groups in  
endance the quar-  
ere Saturday and  
Methodist young peo-  
nview District devel-  
of the finest assem-  
local church history  
of out-of-town Ep-  
e and Sunday school  
estimated at 200 dele-  
stration started Satur-  
on at the First Metho-  
where the sessions were  
s Nora Smith, Elizabeth  
and Veda Wooten had  
the registrations.

D. Denison, of Olton, was  
of the recreational and  
eting held Saturday af-  
Rev. Joe Strother, of Sil-  
nducted a 45-minute mus-  
er service.

ew was given the next  
ce of the young people to  
the latter part of April, the  
date for which is to be set

charge of the afternoon session.  
One of the features of entertain-  
was a musical reading by Mrs.  
Chester Strickland, of Kress.

A business meeting concluded the  
two-day session. Olton with a score  
of 96 points was declared the win-  
ner of the honor of having the most  
perfect secretary's record book.

District officers of the organiza-  
tion are Bishop Bailey, Plainview,  
president; Wesley Carr, Floydada,  
vice-president; Nora Smith, Floyd-  
ada, secretary; Emma Lou McKin-  
ney, Floydada, assistant district  
secretary, and Ralph De Bard,  
Muleshoe, treasurer.

Appreciation was expressed by  
members of the local leagues for  
the splendid spirit of co-operation  
manifested by the citizens of Floyd-  
ada who opened their homes to the  
visitors Saturday night, and at noon  
Sunday, to the members of the  
church and the members of the Mis-  
sionary Societies for assisting with  
the banquet and furnishing homes  
for the delegates.

## Connie Bennett Don's Daring Gown Creation For Hollywood Film

es from the following  
re represented here at the  
aturday and Sunday: Hap-  
Center, Plainview, Kress,  
y, Silvertown, Lockney, Mat-  
erfield, Tulia, Olton, Pet-  
and Floydada.

view had the largest out-of-  
legation present.

**Building is Theme**

main theme of the conference  
building," which was carried  
the series of programs.

Norman, Floydada, presided  
master at the banquet served  
people Saturday at 7 o'clock  
members of the Women's Mis-  
Societies of the Methodist  
with Mrs. Geo. Smith in  
of the general arrangements.

Tittle, of Plainview, district  
ng elder, delivered the main  
at the banquet. Two spec-  
ts were given by the Hester  
Missionary Society of Floyd-  
Mrs. Robby Archer Owen,  
a, gave a reading.

uctions of officers of the  
and visitors were made by  
Bailey of Plainview, district  
t of the young people's or-  
on. Following the regular  
y, Rev. Wm. H. Wallace, of  
delivered an address. He  
wed excellent moving pic-  
at he had taken of the an-  
te rally last spring at Mc-  
College at Abilene, a trip  
esa league workers to Dal-  
scenes of the T. C. U.-Rice  
game.

inquet was given by the Ep-  
eagues of the local church  
ir guests. Assisting Mrs.  
as general chairman and  
f the young people's group  
edames G. R. May of the  
e and Lorin Leibfried  
termediates.

morning the program  
ith vesper services at 8:45  
nd continued for an hour  
rd Hemphill, of Littlefield  
The subject for his dis-  
was "Character Building,"  
tal songs were rendered by  
field group, and an excel-  
ing was given by Mr. Rus-

That Hollywood is rapidly displac-  
ing Paris as the fashion center of  
the world is evidenced by the dar-  
ing new gown creation Constance  
Bennett wears in "What Price Hol-  
lywood," coming Saturday midnight,  
Sunday and Monday to the Palace  
Theatre.

The gown is a complete departure  
from the customary evening dress.  
The short bodice and skirt, of white  
and silver lame cloth, are complet-  
ely divorced, with a band of very  
thin flesh-colored souffle cloth at  
the waist.

This gown at once brings to mind  
the early Egyptian woman's cos-  
tume of the abbreviated bodice and  
separate skirt which left the waist  
bare. It also hings of the South  
Sea Islands where the girls manage  
to get along for years with only a  
tapa cloth and lei.

"What Price Hollywood" is an  
absorbing insight into the film  
Capitol. This David O. Selznick  
production was directed by George  
Cukor from a story by Adela Rog-  
ers St. John. Others in the cast  
are Lowell Sherman, Neil Hamilton,  
Louise Beavers, Gregory Ratoff  
and others.

### MR. AND MRS. SNYDER LEAVE

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snyder, who  
have been in charge of the Speer's  
Variety Store, left Thursday of last  
week for the Rio Grande Valley.  
Their son, James, who has been at  
Spur, will manage a new variety  
store to be put in at Palfurrias and  
their son, Rudelle, will manage  
their store at Pearsall.

After the boys get started in their  
businesses, Mr. and Mrs. Snyder  
plan to go to Florida.

Dick Speer, owner of the Floydada  
store, was here last week-end. He  
returned to his home in Spur Sat-  
urday and was accompanied by his  
brother, Leon, who with Miss Ruby  
Nolan will be in charge of the store  
here temporarily. Mrs. Speer, who  
had been visiting with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Snyder, accompanied  
them Thursday as far as Spur.

### CARD OF THANKS

The Young People of the Metho-  
dist Church wish to thank those  
who contributed in different ways  
to care for visitors here for the Dis-  
trict League Rally held Saturday  
afternoon and Sunday. We great-  
ly appreciate the services of the  
ladies who helped with the banquet  
and also the courtesies extended by  
the people of Floydada.

Young peoples senior and Inter-  
mediate Leagues.

## Novelist Works On Book During Visit In County

Act natural and use your best  
native language for you may be  
breaking into a new kind of print.  
It may be possible that Floyd Coun-  
ty folks will have the honor of fur-  
nishing some of the "local color" in  
a new novel which is in the process  
of getting underway via the pen or  
pencil, or perhaps the more  
modern method of typewriter keys  
operated by Morrow Mayo, who is a  
guest at Dougherty for some four  
weeks.

Mr. Mayo is a regular contributor  
to about six of the leading magazines  
and occasionally prepares features  
for newspapers. He is a former  
newspaperman and calls New York  
City his home. He arrived from  
California just recently in company  
with his brother, John Mayo, and  
Mrs. Mayo, who have extensive in-  
terests at Dougherty.

His first book, an historical study  
of the City of Los Angeles, will be  
off the press March 1, and he has  
started on his second book which is  
to be a novel, he said while in  
Floydada the first of the week.

With his wife and Mr. and Mrs.  
John Mayo he spent Christmas at

Dougherty. His father is one of the  
outstanding journalists of America.

## H. D. Club Programs For Month Of February

The Home Demonstration Clubs  
of the County have arranged the  
following program to be studied for  
the meetings during the month of  
February:

- School lunches.  
Roll call—My favorite sandwich.  
1. What shall we include in the  
lunch: (a) Food for growth; (b)  
Foods for vitamins; (c) Foods for  
heat and energy.  
2. Special discussions; a. Sweets  
for the school child;  
3. Packing the school lunches;  
4. New suggestions for sand-  
wiches.

The program for the second meet-  
ing will be on "The family garden."  
1. Soil preparation.  
2. Recommended varieties of  
seed for Floyd County.  
3. Planting berry vines and grape  
vines.  
4. The important garden deserves  
eradication.  
5. Important garden pests and  
their eradication.

Hesperian \$1 per year in Floyd  
or adjoining County.

## Mrs. N. A. Williams, Mother Of Mrs. Pace And Mrs. Smith Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. N. A.  
Williams, age 72 years, 5 months,  
and 22 days, mother of Mrs. N. B.  
Pace, Floydada and Mrs. Carl W.  
Smith, Sand Hill, who died Friday  
morning at 5:30 o'clock at her home  
in Mineral Wells, were held Sun-  
day afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the  
Church of Christ in Lockney. El-  
der Geo. Mickey conducted the ser-  
vices.

The remains arrived in Floydada  
over the Q. A. & P. Railway Satur-  
day morning and were taken to the  
F. C. Harmon Funeral establish-  
ment, which handled the details for  
the burial in the Lockney ceme-  
tery.

Death was due to inflammation of  
the intestines and hypostatic pneu-  
monia. Mrs. Williams had been ill  
about two weeks.

She was born August 5, 1860, in  
Iowa and was first married to W.  
L. McCune. They made their home  
at Tulia and later at Lockney in  
1908. Mr. McCune died in 1909 and  
his remains were buried at Lock-  
ney.

In 1921 she was married to N. A.  
Williams, a pioneer settler of Hale

Center in Hale County, later moving  
to Mineral Wells.

Surviving relatives include the  
husband, N. A. Williams; one son,  
Floyd McCune, of Tulia; four  
daughters, Mrs. N. B. Pace, Floyd-  
ada; Mrs. Carl W. Smith, Sand Hill;  
Mrs. E. E. Young, of Kress, and  
Mrs. Pearl Conn, of Barry, Texas.

Two sisters survive, Mrs. Dee Pace,  
of Mineral Wells, and Mrs. Ettie  
McCune, of Tulia.

All the children were present and  
one of the two sisters were at the  
services. Mrs. Pace was unable to  
be present.

Pallbearers were as follows: Henry  
Pace, Aden Glenn, Buster Davis,  
Walter Knight, Jack Hollingsworth,  
and Jack Smith.

Flower girls were: Willie Faye  
Hollingsworth, Evelyn Smith, Erma  
Young, and Opal Knight.

### NEEDS SCHOOL CLOTHES

Rev. N. E. Tyler is asking the  
public for clothes suitable for chil-  
dren to wear to school as he has a  
needy family in the community  
where the children are forced to  
stay out of school on account of in-  
sufficient clothes.

If you have something suitable  
that you can not use at home he  
asks that you bring it to his home  
or call 239J and he will be glad to  
call for it.

## Mothers Of Boy Sco Guests At Anniversa Party Tuesday Nig

Scouts of Troop 44, Boy Scout  
of America, will hold an anniver-  
sary party in the basement of the  
M. E. Church Tuesday night of next  
week, when their mothers will be  
guests at a general jollification and  
good time.

The anniversary to be celebrated  
is the twenty-third of Boy Scouting  
in America, which comes on Wed-  
nesday, W. A. Gound, Scoutmaster  
of the troop said there would be no  
special or set program, just a lot of  
fun and getting acquainted.

W. E. Rawlings, who has been  
making his home at Slaton the past  
few months, was here last week vis-  
iting his daughter, Mrs. G. C. Collins,  
and giving business matters his at-  
tention.

### TRENCH MOUTH HEALED

Your friends dare not say so but  
your sore gums and foul breath  
don't make folks like you any bet-  
ter. Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy heals  
worst cases if used as directed. It is  
not a mouth wash or paste and is  
sold on a money back guarantee. 4  
Arwine Drug Co.

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**KC BAKING POWDER**  
**SAME PRICE today**  
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**25 ounces for 25¢**  
**CONOMICAL and EFFICIENT**  
**MILLIONS OF POUNDS USED BY OUR GOVERNMENT**

**No Increase in Price!**

# CHURCHES

## C. P. Church Observes Denominational Week

Climax Will Be Reached Sunday With Observance of Anniversary; Rally Held.

Opening the Denominational Week program of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, the regular fifth Sunday rally of the young people of the Amarillo Presbytery was held at the local church with representatives present from five other towns.

The largest delegation present was from Lubbock. Other towns with representatives here were Ralls, Petersburg, Olton, and Shamrock. About one hundred were present for the rally which was led by Herbert De Shazo, of Lubbock. There were 75 visiting delegates.

"Making an All-Round Christian" was the general subject for the meeting which began at 2:30 o'clock. A number of the visitors remained for the evening services. Rev. O. N. Baucom, of Lubbock, delivered the sermon on "Guidance of the Holy Spirit."

The next rally will be held at Petersburg in April. During the business session which closed the activities for the rally in the afternoon here, Edwin Sluder, of Olton, was elected vice-president to succeed Horace Stovall, of Ralls, who had resigned since moving to Oklahoma.

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- SPUDS, 10 lbs. Choice, 15c
- LUX, Soap, 2 Bars, 15c
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- COCOA, 1 lb. Can, 15c
- PORK & BEANS, 2 for, 15c
- K. C. 25c Size, 18c
- CHILI BLEND, makes regular chili, 1/2 lb., 25c
- CATSUP, Large Size, 14c
- APPLES, Nice Size, dozen, 15c
- STEAK, Per pound, 15c
- ROAST, Per pound, 10c
- SAUSAGE, pure pork, 3 lbs., 25c

**Felton - Collins Grocery Co.**  
PHONE NO. 4

## Anniversary Service Sunday Morning At 11

Cumberland Presbyterian Church to Observe Founding; Communion Follows.

The local Cumberland Presbyterian Church will observe the one hundred-twenty-third anniversary of the organization of the church, on Sunday, February 5, at 11 o'clock. This service will be followed by communion.

Sunday School at the usual hour, 9:45. The Young peoples service will be at 6:30.

The evening preaching service will be at 7:30.

This evening at 7:30, the pastor will preach on the subject "Who-so-ever-will." This will take the place of the regular prayer meeting each week, and is in connection with the program of Denominational Week, now being observed by the local church.

The programs for Monday and Tuesday night of this week were instructive in nature and well received by the audience each evening. The public is given a cordial invitation to each of these services.

### PASTOR'S PARTNERS B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

The program for the Pastor's Partners B. Y. P. U. for Sunday evening, February 5 will be as follows:

Subject "In the secret of His presence"

Program material—Mari Lynn Cole.

Prayer, a habit—R. C. Henry, Jr.

Jesus prayed about His work—Francis Davis.

Jesus prayed in great emergencies—Lucille Burrows.

Jesus prayed for others—Geraldine Gamblin.

Jesus believed in the power of prayer—Dorothy Allen.

### COUNTY EPWORTH LEAGUE TO MEET HERE SUNDAY AT 2

"Lives of Great Men" will be the general subject for the quarterly meeting of the county organization of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church to be held here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Miss Elizabeth McKinney, Floydada, is president.

Following is the program that will be given by the Floydada group:

Leader—Miss Emma Lou McKinney.

Devotional.

Life of Lincoln—Lee Mayhew.

Anecdotes of Lincoln—Miss Peggy McKinney.

Quartet—Roy Holmes, Mrs. T. W. Whigham, Miss Helene Hay, and T. A. Norman.

Story—Mable Smith.

Letters of Washington—Ray Terrell.

Reading—Mrs. Whigham, assisted by Misses Maurine and Helene Hay.

Business meeting.

### J. H. NEWBERRY HOME PARTLY DESTROYED BY FIRE FRIDAY

Floors in the front part of the J. H. Newberry home in the Lakeview community were partially destroyed by fire Friday night of last week.

The blaze is thought to have originated from an oil burner in a heater. Fuel from an outside tank had seeped under the floors and was quickly ignited when the fire started.

Timely arrival of neighbors made possible the extinguishing of the blaze. No insurance was carried on the home.

### YES, COLDS ARE CATCHING

"Mary had a little 'cold' She carried far and near, This 'little' cold—a monster old Became a Pet to fear."

The little cold, which Mary told Her friends was naught to fear, As lion bold—in fable old—Roars forth the moral clear.

Why 'gambo' with the little colds? Why take a chance? Take care. Stop all these colds—these 'common colds' Infections and despair." —Department of Health Bulletin

## M SYSTEM

Grocery & Market

- SUGAR, 10 lb. Cloth Bags, 42c
- MEAL, 20 lb. Sacks, 25c
- SPUDS, No. 1 White, 12c
- BEANS, Pinto, 35c
- FLOUR, Pillsbury's 48 lbs., 99c
- APPLES, Rome Beauty 10 lbs., 35c
- SYRUP, Pure Ribbon Cane, per gal., 49c
- CHEESE, per pound, 16c
- PECANS, per lb., 5c
- OATS, 3 1/2 lb. Package, 15c
- TOMATOES, No. 2 Wapco, 3 for, 25c

PHONE NO. 4

## Billy The Kid's Ghost In New Mexico Program

It is said that the ghostly voice of Billy the Kid, one of the most dreaded characters in the history of the old Southwest, will be heard next Wednesday night over 23 N. B. C. stations when Carveth Wells, Continental Oil Company radio entertainer, goes exploring into New Mexico's past and present.

Wells begins the broadcast with an interesting description of many of the state's scenic highlights. One apartment in Carlsbad Caverns would provide standing room for the entire population of Detroit, says this famous teller of tall but true tales. Then comes the scene in which Wells meets the shade of Billy the Kid in a moonlit graveyard at Ft. Sumner, and hears how the bandit met his death at the hands of Sheriff Pat Garrett.

The Conoco program may be heard by local listeners who tune in on stations WFAA, KOA, KTHS or WOAI Wednesday night at 9:30 o'clock.

### PASSION PLAY FEATURE AT PALACE THEATRE FRIDAY

"Christus" which is the Latin term for Christ, opens at the Palace Theatre for a one day run Friday, February 3, matinee and night.

The picture is on the same order as the play which was given in Wichita Falls some time ago. In the original the life of Christ is depicted by a time ago. In the original the life of Christ is depicted by a foreign cast who speak in native tongue, making it difficult for one to understand and enjoy it as one would were it in English. The picture was actually filmed in the old country. Thousands of persons have traveled to Oberammergau to view the original Passion Play which is presented by a picketed native cast every ten years in the little village of Oberammergau. To participate in this play is one of the highest honors a Bavarian can be paid, since it is purely an act of worship and with little or no pecuniary gain to be realized from the play.

"Christus" opens with the birth of Christ in a humble manger. When he is born the old tumble down stable is diffused with a heavenly glow, and the Star in the East guides the shepherds to the new born Savior. Christ's early life is pictured in detail, where he amazes the sages with his profound wisdom. His miracles are shown and His betrayal by Judas, who forsakes his friends for thirty pieces of silver. The picture follows him from pure childhood to perfect manhood, showing his trial before Pilate, his crucifixion, his resurrection and his being raised from earth to heaven. It is the play sublime—the picture of all time.

The picture is being brought here through special arrangement with Miss Louise Worley of Shamrock, Texas.

### DAUGHTER OF I. A. SMITH PATIENT IN HOSPITAL HERE

Mrs. C. V. Rogers of Memphis, is a patient in the Smith & Smith Sanitarium here following a major operation performed Sunday afternoon. Her condition is satisfactory, physicians report. Mr. Rogers is here with her.

Mrs. Rogers is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith, of this city.

### ORAN CANTWELL'S FATHER IS ILL AT FORT WORTH

Oran Cantwell, barber at the Palace Barber Shop, left Thursday of last week for Fort Worth to be with his father, Lee Cantwell, who is in ill health. He is suffering from high blood pressure.

Ben Morton, who has been making his home at Plainview for the past several months, is employed at the barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer S. Sanders, of Quitaque, were in Floydada Friday.

### Three Free Features, Inquire

## SPECIALS

- 10 lbs., 10c
- Spuds, 30c
- 10 lbs., 30c
- Pinto Beans, 2c
- ONIONS, No. 1, lb., 2c
- CABBAGE, Colorado, 1 1/2c per lb., 2c
- Sweet Potatoes, per lb., 2c
- Delicious Apples, per dozen, 15c
- Rome Beauty Apples, Each, 1c
- Texas Oranges, dozen, 15c
- Large Bananas, dozen, 17c
- Grapefruit, 2 for, 5c
- LETTUCE, per head, 5c
- Bunch Vegetables, per bunch, 5c

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### "WINDOW" BAG HELPS SELL FARM PRODUCTS

The "duplex" or "window" bag, developed by the United States Department of Agriculture about two years ago, is proving popular for marketing many farm products. One side of the bag is woven closely and the other in mesh, thus giving the consumer a chance to see the contents.

"Consumer demand has increased the use of these small cotton bags for potatoes, onions, and other vegetables and fruits. This increases cotton consumption and makes the farm products more attractive, the department says.

Citrus growers in Florida are turning to mesh bags for marketing their fruit. They find it ships as well in bags as in crates and the bags make attractive selling packages for stores. Retailers have found that a

### Month-Opening Feature

## FOOD VALUES

- SUGAR, 10 pounds for, 43c
- FLOUR, Guaranteed, 48 lbs., 75c
- OATS, Quick Quaker, 3 lbs. 7 ozs., 2 for, 25c
- MATCHES, 6 boxes for, 23c
- SALT, Plain Blocks, 45c

For other bargains come to

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Marvin Williamson, Prop.  
Phone 55

## First-O-Month SPECIALS

- SUGAR, 10 lb. Bag, 44c
- SHORTENING, 8 lbs., 49c
- TOILET TISSUE, 6 Rolls, 25c
- COFFEE, Maxwell House, 3 lbs., 79c
- COCOA, Mother's, 1 pound, 15c
- BLACKBERRIES, 2 Cans, 25c

We Redeem Canova Coupons

## STAR CASH GROCERY

Carl Minor Skace Stanley

## SPECIALS

- Sugar, 10 lb. Cloth Bag, ?
- Lard, Pure, 8 lbs. Bulk, 48c
- Flour, Tulia's Best, Every Sack Guaranteed, 65c
- Cabbage, Hard Head, Per lb., 2c
- Mustard, Quart Jar, 14c
- Peanut Butter, Quart Jar, 22c
- Mothers Oats, Any Kind, 19c
- Beans, 5 lbs. Pinto, 15c
- Coffee, 3 Pounds, That Good Kind, 39c
- Country Sausage, Per Pound, 8c

## LOOPERS'

red mesh bag heightens the color of oranges.

Increased consumer bag use has been especially marketed for potatoes. It jumped from 550,000 to 1928 to more than 10,000,000 in 1931. The 15-pound bag is most popular for potatoes, with the 25-pound bag next in favor.

"So when you wuz on yer holidays where did you stop at?" "Nothin', dearie, nothin'!"—Goblin

Quite I Traffic Policen't you hear me stop?"

Motor Friend: yelling? I thought somebody I had

Nurse entered the and said softly: "The professor looked, 'Well,' he said, 'he want?'"

## THE RED & WHITE STORE

**Nuts** Peanuts, lb., Walnuts, lb., Almonds, lb., Mixed Nuts, lb.,

**Candy** Horehound, lb., Dinner Mints 1/2 lb., Hershey Nut, 3 bars,

**Seasoning** Sausage, Chili, large, Chili, small,

CIGARETTES, Wings, 2 pkgs.,

**MEAT** Michigan 70 lbs., \$1.20  
Michigan, 35 lbs., 67c  
**SALT** Cumberland, 70 lbs., 93c  
Cumberland, 35 lbs., 49c

**SUGAR** Morton's, 10 lb., 67c  
**CURE** One 1-lb. 2 oz. Can, FREE

BLUEING 6 oz. bottle, good and cheap,

OATS, large size, best grade, 2 for, 25c

**Milk** 8 small or 4 large, for 25c

MEAL, box fancy, 2 for, 15c

TOILET TISSUE, Red & White, 4 for 25c

PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 can, heavy syrup, 2 for, 25c

**Corn** Red & White No. 2, Fancy, 2 cans for, 25c  
Big M No. 2, 4 Cans for, 25c

**Coffee** 2 lb. Can Red & White Coffee and Cereal, 2 lbs., 25c

RICE FLAKES, White House, 2 packages, 15c

SHORTENING, 4 lbs. Advance, 48c

BEANS, large white, 5 lbs., 25c

LEMONS, Dozen, 25c

EXTRACT, 2 oz. Pure, 25c

## CREAM SEPARATOR

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## EASY TERMS

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- Cold Cream, 9c
- Hair Tonic, 19c
- Face Powder, 9c
- Bath Salts, 23c

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# SOCIETY

**Mr. and Mrs. Sams Hosts Club.**

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sams were hosts to the Round Dozen Bridge club Thursday evening of last week at the club's regular meeting. At the conclusion of the games played Mrs. Sams and H. B. Sams held high score. Dainty refreshments were served Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fry, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Hammonds, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Maxey, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Sams and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnson played as guests to the club. Mr. and Mrs. Condra will entertain the club Thursday evening, February 9 at 7:45.

**A. D. Cummings Elected President 1929 Study Club.**

A. D. Cummings was elected president of the 1929 Study Club for next year at a meeting of the club on January 26, at the home of Mrs. Folley. Other officers elected were Mrs. J. D. McBrien, vice-president; Mrs. Boone Hall, second president; Miss Jean Ayres, dining secretary; Mrs. Richard H. corresponding secretary; Claude Martin, treasurer; Miss E. Bolding, reporter; Mrs. L. McDonald, parliamentarian; E. L. Norman, custodian; Mrs. Fred, critic.

**Miss Zelma Chambless and V. A. Amburn Jr. Married.**

Miss Zelma Chambless and V. A. Amburn, Jr., were married Sunday evening, January 22 at 6 o'clock at Clovis, New Mexico, at the first Baptist Church with Rev. J. F. Nix officiating. They returned to Floydada Monday.

**Miss Chambless is a cousin of Mrs. Robert McGuire and has been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. McGuire since the past summer. W. A. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Amburn of this city and has been reared here. He graduate from the local high school with the class of 1931.**

The couple will make their home here.

**Miss Katie Lee Thurmon and Cullen Riley Married.**

Miss Katie Lee Thurmon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Thurmon, city, and Cullen Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Riley of Lockney, were united in marriage Saturday evening, January 28 at 7:15 in Tucumcari, New Mexico by Rev. Samuel Mayne, pastor of the Presbyterian church there.

**The bride was born and reared in Floydada finishing the local high school with the class of 1930 and later attending West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon for one year. Mr. Riley has been reared at Lockney where he attended school completing his high school education with the class of 1930 and at present attending Fleming's business college at Amarillo.**

**They returned to Floydada after a wedding and will be in Amarillo and Floydada till he completes his business course.**

**A. R. B. Rosson Bridge Club Hostess.**

**rs. R. B. Rosson was hostess to Friday afternoon at her home on West Virginia Street with two teas of bridge at play.**

**Delicious refreshments were served Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mrs. C. L. Mr. Mrs. Luther Fry, Mrs. Calvin Steen, Mrs. J. A. Arwine, Mrs. Jo Reagan and Mrs. Walton Hale, played a substitute hand.**

**Steen will entertain the club Friday evening February 7 at 2.**

**eh B. Rainer Marries Elvhuw Girl.**

**in B. Rainer, city, and Miss O. Beatrice Jones, of Plainview, we united in marriage Friday morning of last week at 12:30 o'clock in Portales, New Mexico. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Clide A. Loits, pastor of the Gospel Chh, at his home.**

**in Redd, city, and Miss Gladys Wds, of Plainview, went to Portales and were present for the ceremony.**

**and Mrs. Rainer returned to Floydada Saturday morning and will make their home here. They are residing at the Crum apartments on South Main Street.**

**T groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rainer, of this city, and has been reared here. He attended Floydada High School and is now employed with the Floydada Crenery.**

**The bride is a daughter of A. K. Joni, of Fort Worth. She has been reared in Plainview by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hill. She was a junior this year in Plainview High School.**

**Miss Byrta Glenn Becomes Bride of New Mexico Man.**

**Ms Byrta Glenn of the Baker community and Glen Miller of Ricardo, New Mexico, were united in marriage last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. McKennly in Clovis at 8 o'clock. Rev. Weaver performed the ceremony.**

**Mr. McKennly is an aunt of the groom. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glenn of the Baker community. She is a former student of the Floydada high school.**

**The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Miller of Ricardo, New Mexico, but formerly of this city. The young couple plan to leave soon for Tucson, Arizona, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter and family. Mrs. Porter is a sister of the groom.**

**They will make their home at Ricardo.**

**Miss Martha Faulkner Is Honored at Farewell Party.**

**Mrs. I. C. Surginer and Mrs. Magie Holmes were hostesses at a farewell party Saturday evening honoring Miss Martha Faulkner, who had announced that she would leave within a few days for her home in Ft. Worth after having resided here for the past 18 months while employed as county home demonstration agent.**

**The lovely event was given at the**

**Antelope School News**

**Antelope, Jan. 30.—Everyone has enjoyed the last few days of still sunshine.**

**Several met at the school house Friday afternoon for the purpose of selecting characters for a play.**

**The honor roll for the month of January consists of: Athalee Reznicek, Ima Nell Jones, Drew Cumble and Charlie Nickels.**

**Hot lunch is no longer a problem are keeping their weight to see if arranged their own menu. They but a pleasure. The children have it really pays.**

**Many young folks in our community spent Sunday in the canyon kodaking.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Truman Cumble visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holt of Dougherty Sunday.**

**Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nickels visited J. A. Nickels of Littlefield Sunday.**

**Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reznicek are**

## Social Calendar

### MONDAY

**The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet in a business meeting at the church February 6 at 3 o'clock.**

**Woman's Council of the First Christian church meets at the church February 6 at 3 o'clock.**

**Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet in the regular monthly business meeting at the church February 6 at 3 o'clock.**

**The Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the church February 6 at 3 o'clock.**

**Porterfield Missionary Society of the Methodist church meets at the church February 6 at 3 o'clock.**

### TUESDAY

**Clover Leaf Club meets February 7 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Glad Snodgrass.**

**Owl's 42 Club meets February 7 at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. W. Edd Brown.**

**Ace Bridge Club meets with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cummings February 7 at 7:45.**

### WEDNESDAY

**San Souci Bridge Club meets February 8 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. A. D. Cummings.**

### THURSDAY

**1922 Study Club meets this afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. Lon V. Smith.**

**Pla-Mor Bridge Club will meet this evening at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen.**

**Kure Kare Contract Bridge Club meets this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Lorraine Britton.**

### FRIDAY

**The Friendship Bridge Club will meet February 3 at 8 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine.**

**Surginer home on South Main Street in the form of a bridge dinner.**

**A three-course Spanish dinner was served. The main course consisted of real Mexican tortillas, enchiladas, and tamales, served with Mexican beans and chili sauce.**

**Novel cakes stuffed with date pudding were wrapped in 'snucks' and served as 'tamales' with coffee as the second course.**

**Punch to represent the 'Benedictine' concluded the unique dinner.**

**The Spanish theme was cleverly carried out in the decorations and tallies. Tiny cactus plants in Mexican pottery were used as center pieces on each of the three tables.**

**At the conclusion of the games, the honor guest, Miss Faulkner held high score for the ladies and Jack Scott for the men.**

**Those present for the evening were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Pilley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. C. Austin Smith, Misses Adelaide Scott, and Dorothy Smith; Messrs. Jack Scott, Kenneth Henry, C. M. Evans of Plainview, I. C. Surginer, and Roy Haynes; the honoree, Miss Faulkner and the hostesses, Mesdames Surginer and Haynes.**

**Triple Four Club Play at Arwine Home.**

**Members of the Triple Four Bridge Club and other guests played at the regular meeting of the club Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Arwine. The Valentine motif was used in decorations, appointments and refreshments.**

**Those enjoying the games and afternoon were Mrs. E. L. Angus, Mrs. A. P. Horn, Mrs. H. B. Sams, Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mrs. J. L. Thomas, Mrs. C. J. Hollingsworth, Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mrs. Frank L. Moore and Mrs. C. L. Minor, members; Mrs. E. P. Nelson and Mrs. Rex Westerfield, guests. Mrs. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Nelson held high scores.**

**Mrs. Bishop will be hostess to the club Tuesday afternoon, February 14 at 3 o'clock.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Whigham Ace Bridge Club Hosts.**

**With four tables at play in rooms decorated stressing a patriotic theme the Ace Bridge Club met Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whigham. The patriotic theme was also stressed in the appointments and refreshments.**

**At the conclusion of the games Mrs. G. L. Kirk and A. D. Cummings held high score. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas played as guests at the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hollingsworth, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Odus Stephen and the host and hostess were the members playing.**

**The club meets February 7 at 7:45 with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cummings.**

**H. D. Club Women Give Party For Former Agent Friday Night.**

**Members of the Home Demonstration Clubs of Floyd County entertained with a '42' party honoring their former county home demonstration agent, Miss Martha Faulkner, at the club room in the City Auditorium at Lockney Friday night.**

**A group of readings were given on a special program arranged by Mrs. C. J. McCollum that was presented during the evening.**

**After conclusion of the games, Miss Faulkner was presented with a lovely silver compact as a token of esteem from the club women.**

**Sandwiches, cake and coffee were served as refreshments.**

**Carr's Chapel Missionary Society Has Social Day.**

**The Carr's Chapel Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. M. D. Ramsey, Tuesday, January 24. The day was spent in embroidering the names that the society had secured on a quilt that had been previously pieced.**

**Each guest brought a dish for the noon meal and a delicious buffet luncheon was served.**

**A very pleasant social day was spent by the following members and friends: Mesdames L. E. Williams, Grandma Carr, Mather Carr, Mack Carr, L. A. Williams, R. B. Gary, Erx Williams, D. S. Battey, Perry Tipton, Kate Powell, C. O. Spence, V. W. Hennessee, Everett Miller, Seth Waddill, J. W. Waddill, G. L. Snodgrass, Norman Matthews, Zant Scott; Misses Ruth Carr, Anna Carr, Imelda Tipton, Dorothy Jean Battey, Mary Eunice and Patty Jo Hennessee and Master Billy Dave Scott; Messrs. Zant Scott, J. W. Waddill, Erx Williams, Markham Waddill, Sherwood Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey.**

**visiting her relatives at Petersburg this week.**

**C. L. Robbins is now on his farm near Plainview getting ready for the spring planting.**

**Mrs. S. L. Smith is leaving this week for Plainview where she will undergo an operation.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Woody and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. Roe, who have recently moved here from Dougherty.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morrison from Dougherty visited in the C. A. Cumble home Sunday.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reznicek and family spent Sunday with his father, John Reznicek of Dougherty.**

**Sterley News**

**Sterlye, Jan. 31.—Sterlye was well represented at the fifth Sunday meeting held at Lockney Sunday. Sterlye was selected as the next meeting place for the fifth Sunday meeting which will be in April.**

**Rev. Melvin Shaw and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Byars.**

**J. G. Kirk was in Plainview on business Monday.**

**Louis Buth is in the Valley prospecting this week.**

**Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown and Pete moved to South Plains last week. We are sorry to lose them in Sterlye.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Veach and family from Center have moved into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Brown. We welcome them to Sterlye.**

**Mrs. Louis Buth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirk, this week.**

**Mrs. Doc Stovall is on the sick list this week.**

**Little Betty Moss Wingo has just returned from the scarlet fever.**

**Billy Wingo, who is attending high school in Plainview visited home folks last week end.**

**There will be singing at Sterlye Sunday evening, February 5. The Floydada quartett will be here to sing some. Everyone is invited to come.**

**Antelope News**

**Antelope, Jan. 31.—Visitors in the Antelope school Friday were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nickels, Mrs. Jess Watson, Mrs. Pete Roe and Misses Neva Hinsley and Ovie Burrows.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright spent Sunday with his parents, S. H. Wright and family of Floydada.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Selman Mercer and children visited C. A. Cumble and family Sunday.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hinsley spent Sunday afternoon visiting in the J. A. Burrows home.**

**Miss Neva Hinsley visited Mrs. R. L. Ardry Monday.**

**Baker News**

**Baker, Jan. 31.—Dick Graves of the Campbell community spent Saturday night with Moody Williams.**

**A basketball game was played here Friday afternoon between Center and Baker. Baker defeated Center with a score of 11 to 13.**

**Miss Macel Jones of the Dougherty community spent Saturday night with Jewell Williams.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren entertained the young people with a party Saturday night. A large crowd was present and every one reported an enjoyable time.**

**Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Teague of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Riley Teague of Mt. Blanco spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Teague.**

**Those making the honor roll in the ninth grade are Jewell Williams, Gertrude Colston, A. J. Roberts. In the seventh grade Marie Finley.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gound of Floydada spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owen.**

**Roseland News**

**Roseland, Jan. 21.—The Roseland Dramatic Club met at the school house on Monday night, January 23, to re-organize. Ernest Smitherman was elected president; Irvin Bennett, vice-president and Miss Elizabeth Easley, secretary. They will meet again on February 6 and we want everyone in the community to come as we will select the characters for our first play. Mrs. Frank Roberson is play director. The tickets will be fifty cents per family. Let everybody get their tickets and see six and maybe eight plays. We have some splendid material and a dandy good auditorium. Watch the paper for the first announcement.**

**Mrs. J. W. Sims and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wicker, Eugene, W. M. and Celia May, Mrs. C. H. Brown and children attended the fifth Sunday meeting and Associational B. T. S. meeting at Lockney Sunday.**

**We have some new residents in our community. Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Wilson are moving to the Moss place. We welcome these young people to our community.**

**Mrs. R. L. Casey spent Monday with Mrs. Kate Collier of Lockney.**

## Sand Hill Times

### Chapel Program

**Program given January 13 by Miss Hanna's room: reading 'Dad, here's to you', Loveta Mae McFarland Play 'The Minister's Daughter' by seven girls. Play 'Johnnie goes to school' Tilda Duncan and Elmer Novial.**

**Song 'I'm going to tell you ma on you'—Glenna Holmes and Erma Fulkerson.**

**Historical characters—Given as a contest by fifteen pupils.**

**Program given January 20 All rooms combined, Friday afternoon program—Third and Fourth grades Song 'Which way was better?' second grade. Play 'Jenny's visit'—Ovelene McLain and Cleo Kirk.**

**Reading—Billy Joe DuBois. Song—Loueta Mae McFarland and Mildred Barrett.**

**Play—Miss Hanna's pupils. Reading—Mildred Burke. Song—Dot Smith, Agatha O'Neil, Lurene Weems, Audra Barrett and Francis Goode.**

**Yells and songs—high school pupils. Program given January 27, by Mrs. Strickland's room. Devotional reading—Granville Lee Mooney. Prayer—Miss Meredith.**

**Song—Sand Hill Choral Club. Reading—Audra Barrett. Play—'According to Proverbs' Lurene Weems, Orba Miller, Dot Smith, Granville Lee Mooney.**

**Song—'Freckle Face Sal'—Woodrow Cates, Agatha O'Neil, Dot Smith and Granville Lee Mooney. Reading—Thelma Lee Golleher. Song—'When you and I were young'—Agatha O'Neil, Dot Smith, Lurene Weems, and Mildred Burke.**

**Sports**

**Both the basketball girls and boys teams of Sand Hill played Irick January 13, on the Irick court. The scores of the girls' game was 6 to 1 in favor of Sand Hill.**

**The scores of the boys' game was 10 to 12 in favor of Sand Hill. Friday of the same week Harmony's basketball team came to the Sand Hill court and played our junior boys. The scores were 12 to 2 in favor of Sand Hill.**

**Wednesday, January 25, Aiken came to Sand Hill and brought the senior girls, senior boys, and junior boys ball teams. The scores of the girls' game were 31 to 8 in favor of Sand Hill. The score for the senior boy's team was 28 to 0 in favor of Sand Hill. The junior boys played both basketball and baseball. The scores of the basketball games were 12 to 0 in favor of Sand Hill. The scores of the baseball game were 14 to 2 in Sand Hill's favor.**

**On Friday, January 27 Irick came to Sand Hill and brought the Senior boys and girls basketball teams and the junior boys' and girls' baseball teams. The scores were as follows: senior boys 19 to 10, senior girls 20 to 10, junior boys 21 to 6, junior girls 27 to 12 all in favor of Sand Hill.**

**McCoy came over the same afternoon and brought their senior boys basketball team. The junior boys and girls baseball teams. The scores were as following: Senior boys 22 to 4, junior girls 29 to 11, junior boys 20 to 10. All these games were in Sand Hill's favor.**

**Class Reports**

**Teacher, Miss Meredith. Reporter—Kenneth Cates. The attendance has been fairly good this month.**

**Mrs. Jeter, Mrs. Kirk, Mrs. Walden and Mrs. Du Bois were visitors in our room Friday afternoon. We invite all patrons to visit our room.**

**The best story selected in the second grade English work for this week was written by Ovelene McLain. It follows:**

**The Whistling Boy**

**One day a little boy wanted to go fishing. Jack asked his mother if he might go and she said, 'yes.' Jack walked and walked until he came to a creek. He thought it would be a good place to fish. He only caught two fish. He fished until noon; then he lay down to rest. When he woke up, he fished some more. He threw his line into the water, and it began to sink. He knew that he had another fish. Jack started home whistling. He had a long way to walk, and was very tired and hungry when he got home.**

**Honor Roll**

**First grade—Helen Mickey. Second grade—Flora Jeter, Ovelene McLain and Kenneth Mickey.**

**Third and Fourth Grades**

**Reporter—Sammie Box. Visitors in our room last week were Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Genevra Knight.**

**The honor roll for this month shows that some of us are improving. Those who made 'A's' and 'B's' were: Melvin Phillips, Sammie Box, Eddie Brown, Hollis McLain, and Kenneth Mickey.**

**We are sorry that Kenneth Mickey and Hugh Lowry had to be absent this week from school because of illness.**

**The pupils who received prizes in reading this month were Etta Swafford and Melvin Phillips in the third grade, and Hollis McLain in the fourth grade.**

**Fifth and Sixth Grades**

**Reporter, Loveta Mae McFarland. The fifth and sixth grades have been very busy this week as it is examination week.**

**Marguerite Horton is visiting at Plainview this week. The fifth and sixth grades are learning how to make book reports. They handed in their first report Wednesday.**

**We had as visitors this week as follows: Mrs. Sanders, Miss Rhoda Mae Duncan, Mrs. Jeter, Mrs. Weems, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Oliver Holmes.**

**Seventh and Eighth Grades**

**Reporters: Granville Lee Mooney**

**and Verna Phillips. We had a number of visitors this month: Mrs. Weems, Miss Mar Smith, Mrs. Dodson and Haskell L. brand.**

**Those on our honor roll are: Orba Miller, Verna Phillips, and Frances Goode.**

**Locals**

**Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hollums and family spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Elvis Gill of Center community.**

**Ola Mae Morton spent Wednesday night with Elva Glynn Mooney.**

**Historical characters—Given as a party Tuesday night. Everyone reported a good time.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Vert Brown and son, Eddie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Strickland and Miss Joe Martin of the Aiken community spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strickland of this community.**

**Mr. McLain visited the high school rooms one day last week. We were very glad to have him. Visitors are welcome at all times.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Walter Travis, Mrs. Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strickland attended a play at Cone Thursday night.**

**Mrs. Gilbert spent the week visiting her daughter in Plainview. Those visiting in the J. T. McLain home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Luttrell and family, Vergie, Clara, Paul, and Mildred, Roy Tyler, Ralph Tubbs, Ruth and Willene Tyler, Ester Herring and son Jimmie and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McLain.**

**P. T. C.**

**The Cone Dramatic Club will present their play 'Adam and Eve' at the Sand Hill school auditorium on Friday night, February 3. This is a modern three-act comedy, and a good play. There will be specialties between the acts. Everybody come. The admission will be your season ticket or the usual admission price of ten and twenty cents.**

**Program Thursday Night**

**There will be a program Thursday night, February 2, at the Sand Hill auditorium. The program will consist of a one-act play and several readings. The public is invited. Everyone come. No admission will be charged.**

**New Pupils**

**We have several new pupils this week. They are: Mabel and Mildred Roberts, Ida Tom, Helen Fay and Ernest McAlpine, and Pauline Roberts.**

**Miss Martha Faulkner, who served as Floyd County Home Demonstration agent for the past 18 months, left Wednesday morning for Fort Worth where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Faulkner for an indefinite period.**



# THE HESPERETTE

PUBLISHED BY THE STUDENTS OF FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL

say  
the kindest  
courtesy in all  
We shall need  
with people of  
in is courteous,  
ow like a high-  
furniture or an  
own to something  
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ag common and  
atement is also

y. "Why bother  
teous at school?"  
ch a rush that he  
ice." But is that  
ever in too big a  
ce when one is dis-  
a lack of courtes-  
y in discourtesy. You  
y your actions, and  
may rank you al-

o say, "Thank you"  
sk permission before  
Don't slam a door in  
but hold it open for  
Be courteous to your  
eing on time to check  
Give your undivided  
b others while they are  
udy. Be friendly. Don't  
class, friends, enemies,  
r school down with talk  
only lowering yourself in  
imation of you. Be as  
you can.

**E. Club Organized**  
E. Club of girls was or-  
Tuesday afternoon at the  
Miss Rhea Cloud. Many  
purposes were discussed  
llowing officers were elect-

Comrade, Mary A. Kim-  
councilor, Comrade Mar-  
ulk; secretary to Kaiser,  
Edelle King; chief scribe  
Mac Fry; comptroller of  
comrade Rhea Cloud; criti-  
de Virginia Welch; com-  
rade Lattie Hale, court-  
e Kreis.

who are full-fledged mem-  
Kimble, Faulk, King, Fry,  
elch, Kreis and Hale.

**Whirlwinds Win**  
the Whirlwinds have won

another basketball game. Last  
Thursday night at the R. C. An-  
drews gymnasium, the Floydada  
boys nosed out the Dougherty, Cag-  
ers to the tune of 34 to 33. Al-  
though the final score was very  
close, it was evident from the start  
that Dougherty was outclassed. The  
Whirlwinds piled up a heavy lead  
during the first half but could not  
hold it in the last half. The score  
at the half was 24 to 15 in favor of  
F. H. S. "Little" Murray went out  
of the game in the first half on  
personals, and from there on Doug-  
herty seemed to hold the edge. The  
local maple-court boys were too far  
ahead however, to be overtaken.  
Gamblin was the outstanding play-  
er of the evening. His shooting eye  
was in perfect condition, and he  
looped the basket from all angles  
of the court. Jackson's dribbling  
and J. C. Powell's defensive work  
seem to be much improved, if  
these boys hit their stride in the  
tournament Friday and Saturday.  
Floydada may go far toward win-  
ning high honors.

The starting line-up was consid-  
erably shaken up in this game—  
due to the inability of two of the  
first stringers to pass the mid-term  
exams; nevertheless there is plen-  
ty of basketball talent left for Coach  
Terrell to work with. The starting  
line-up is now: F. Murray and  
Gamblin at forwards, Badgett or  
Powell at center, and Jackson and  
L. Murray at guards.

**South Plains Tournament**  
At Andrews Ward gymnasium all  
day Friday and Saturday.  
See the best teams on the plains  
in action. See Plainview, Ropes-  
ville, Ralls, Whirlwinds, Lockney.

**Locals**  
Miss Lola Mae Groundy, of Tur-  
key and Dorothy Hart, of Fort  
Worth, visited friends in Floydada  
last week.  
Marion Cram and Jimmy Pern-  
ken of Plainview visited in Floyd-  
ada during the week-end.  
Maxine and Marilynn Fry spent  
the week-end visiting in Canyon  
and Amarillo.  
Manola Rae Gilbreath went to  
Plainview Saturday.  
Price Conway spent the week-end  
visiting in Lakeview.  
Mary Kay Smith spent the week-  
end in her home at Bianco.

Rhe Cloud went to Plainview Sun-  
day.  
Adeline Hutchinson spent the  
week-end with Helen Grigsby.  
Frankie and Ernestine Jones spent  
Sunday in their home at Lakeview.

**Campus Mudslingers**  
Should anyone wish to send a  
letter out on the Q. A. and P. train  
see Wendell Jenkins or Malcolm  
Bridges. They'll do the errand in  
a handsome fashion. If you don't  
believe this just ask Coach or Mr.  
Cummings.  
Otho Johnson says that he'll get  
out of high school yet, in spite of  
algebra, because he isn't turning  
grey yet.  
Mr. Stephen sure thinks a lot of  
a few senior boys. He likes to be  
around them so well he has them  
come down to his commercial room  
nearly every evening.  
Mozelle says, apologetically, that  
she would have more dates but she  
doesn't believe in letting the boys  
monopolize one's time.  
Several girls in F. H. S. are wish-  
ing that the football sweaters would  
arrive in a hurry. We wonder why?  
Kinder Parris is looking forward to  
the day when he will become Prin-  
cipal of F. H. S.

**Thank Ad Column**  
Found—a heart but former owner  
is willing to keep it—Ruth Trout-  
man.  
For Sale—a girl's second hand  
hat good as new; owner's head has  
outgrown it—Maxine Fry.  
Wanted—A ride to Lubbock at any  
time—Virginia Stovall.  
Wanted—A boy going to F. H. S.  
wearing a military uniform—Lois  
Covington.  
Found—A girl no taller than I am  
—Norris Lee Morman.  
Wanted—A town near Floydada  
more like Chico—Emma Louise  
Smith.

**Boost Lakeview!**  
Columbus is supposed to have  
discovered America—but it's up to  
us to discover Lakeview. We must  
discover our resources—our advan-  
tages—our opportunities which we  
have failed to find heretofore. We  
must discover the many ways each  
of us can help to develop these re-  
sources to the advantage of Lake-  
view community. We must become Lake-  
view-conscious and Lakeview-mind-  
ed. We must put our shoulders to  
the wheel of progress and help push  
it up this hill. If you are a citizen  
of Lakeview community, concen-  
trate your efforts and your money  
to the one purpose of keeping busi-  
ness growing here. Don't sit back  
and wait for someone else to do your  
part of the work and boosting.  
How do you expect this communi-  
ty to improve unless you do your  
part? Prove your faith by your  
works!

**Did You Know That?**  
Mrs. Cass was agreeably surpris-  
ed Monday evening when Mr. Cass  
returned from Floydada with a new  
dress for her.  
When Mr. Cass asked Lorene how  
much Spanish she knew she replied  
"Oh, not quite all of it."

There was a big crowd at the P.  
T. A. program. The following pro-  
gram was rendered:  
"Why the Minister didn't propose"  
the minister, Roy Holmes, Little  
girl who entertained him until her  
mother came, Robertine McIntyre.  
Plano solo—Miss Scoggin.  
One act play—a sweetheart and  
I think you'll do—vocal duet. Kyle  
Glover and Rhea Cloud.  
Something?  
"Sis Hopkins and her beau—Bon-  
nie Dale Fyffe.  
Reading, Ara Sue Edwards.  
"Sparkling Peggy Jane," Oleta  
Jackson and Roy Holmes.

**Stop! Look! Read!**  
The seniors will present the play  
"Beads on a string" the 10th of Feb-  
ruary. Who is zezezee? Come and  
see for yourself.  
The P. T. A. will present a play  
entitled "The Antics of Andrew" the  
23rd of February.  
What were the antics of Andrew?  
Uncle Isaac, who is he?  
Roy Wilkes name has been omit-  
ted on the honor roll the last two  
months.

Wit-  
Texas, described as follows, to  
wit:  
An undivided One-Half (1/2) Inter-  
est in Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9,  
in Block No. 93, in the Town of  
Floydada, Floyd County, Texas, as  
shown by the Plat of said Town  
recorded in Book 2-F, Page 294,  
Deed Records of Floyd County, Tex-  
as and levied upon as the property  
of Defendant, Honerhea Childers,  
and that on the first Tuesday in  
March, 1933, the same being the 7th  
day of said month, at the Court  
House door, of Floyd County, in the  
City of Floydada, Texas, between  
the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.,  
by virtue of said levy and said Alias  
Execution and said Judgment I will  
sell said above described Real Estate  
at public vendue, for cash, to the  
highest bidder, as the property of  
said Defendant, Honerhea Childers.  
And in compliance with law, I  
give this notice by publication, in  
the English language, once a week  
for three consecutive weeks imme-  
diately preceding said day of sale,  
in the Floyd County Hesperian a  
newspaper published in Floyd Coun-  
ty.  
Witness my hand, this 1st day of  
February, 1933.  
E. S. Randerson,  
Sheriff Floyd County, Texas.

**Floyd County Cotton  
Crop Above 20,000**  
The Floyd County cotton crop for  
1932, ginned prior to January 16,  
was 20,844 bales, according to the  
report of the Bureau of the Census  
issued this week. The figures count  
round bales as half bales.  
This figure compares with 11,795  
bales ginned on the same day a year  
ago.  
Miss Veva Swinson librarian in  
Floydada High School, who has  
been quite ill at the home of her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swinson,  
is improved this week.

## Center News

Jan. 24.—We have a windy  
next a calm day; will the  
e is variety is the spice of  
life.

Volia Kneirim and Verdine  
spent Saturday night and  
until afternoon with Mrs.  
ery and Floyd and all of  
at to the B. T. S. at Lock-  
iss Kneirim to her school  
Dougherty and Miss Snod-  
South Plains for a few  
it.

nd Mrs. C. M. Meredith  
aturday night in town with  
er, helping care for the sick

erver is home now and re-  
Love improving fast.  
killed hogs today.  
laude Carpenter had as  
day her sister, Mrs. Hugh  
nd family of Tulla, and  
er brothers, Darold Smith  
ly of Tulla, Russell Smith  
ly of near Lockney, and  
ith and family of Lock-  
report a most pleasant  
r.

thryn Dickson visited  
elvey Sunday afternoon.  
hose in attendance en-  
e Gough's talk at the  
e Friday night of last  
with the rest of the pro-

to welcome Mr. and  
family to our com-  
e to Sunday School  
again is our in-  
t.

Center attending the  
m at Lockney Sunday  
Mr. and Mrs. Light-  
ghter, Nadine, Mrs.  
and Floyd, Mr. and  
erson, Miss Estelle  
Coltharp, Mr. and  
dan, J. B. and Ruth

S. Miller and W. B.  
led County Council  
ay afternoon.  
Brien visited in the  
Wednesday afternoon.  
rs. Ewell Crawford  
inner with Mr. and  
Everyone enjoyed  
s sermon at both

Center girls and  
played on Center's  
fternoon. Fairview  
etball boys played  
The score was 11  
Baker.

Lightfoot spent  
Lockney visiting a  
attended school  
book last summer.  
nderson had the  
ing his arm bro-  
wrist last Satur-  
le he and some  
e playing with a  
hold of the ton-  
the trailer ran  
the ground. He  
ground and the  
the arm, break-

is hopping about  
caused by stepping  
last week.  
ted her daughter,  
last Tuesday.  
obs spent Satur-  
day with Miss  
A. Tubbs enter-

## Lakeview Eaglet

Staff:  
Editor in chief—Noami Hodge.  
Assistant editor—Florence Pratt.  
First, Second and Third grade  
editor—Madine Raley.  
Fourth and Fifth grade editor—  
Mary Bell West.  
Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grade  
editor—Mary Lois Conway.

**School News**  
Mr. Carter conducted the chapel  
program Monday. Bros. Tyler and  
Garner were the leaders of the pro-  
gram. Bro. Tyler read several ver-  
ses from the book of Isaiah and  
made an interesting talk. He  
showed us how much our character  
was worth and the importance of  
honesty. Bro. Garner led the pray-  
er.

**School Gossip**  
Why does Mary Lois make eyes  
at a certain senior? Watch out,  
Leonard.  
Charlie likes tall girls. We're  
sure of that.  
Imagine, Alma Ruth has actual-  
ly smiled twice.  
Marie had better stop making eyes  
at a certain junior.

**School Scandal**  
We wonder where Mr. Carter goes  
after the ball games.  
We wonder why Fannie Ruth  
came to watch the seniors practice  
Monday night.  
It seems that Charlie would make  
a good "model T" as he never gets  
anywhere in geometry.

**Boost Lakeview!**  
Columbus is supposed to have  
discovered America—but it's up to  
us to discover Lakeview. We must  
discover our resources—our advan-  
tages—our opportunities which we  
have failed to find heretofore. We  
must discover the many ways each  
of us can help to develop these re-  
sources to the advantage of Lake-  
view community. We must become Lake-  
view-conscious and Lakeview-mind-  
ed. We must put our shoulders to  
the wheel of progress and help push  
it up this hill. If you are a citizen  
of Lakeview community, concen-  
trate your efforts and your money  
to the one purpose of keeping busi-  
ness growing here. Don't sit back  
and wait for someone else to do your  
part of the work and boosting.  
How do you expect this communi-  
ty to improve unless you do your  
part? Prove your faith by your  
works!

## Political Announcements

The following announcements for  
city office are made subject to the  
municipal election to be held in  
Floydada on Tuesday, April 4:

**For Mayor:**  
W. C. HANNA.

**For City Secretary:**  
S. E. DUNCAN

**For City Marshal:**  
BOB SMITH  
H. L. (Lee) HOWARD

school several days on account of  
illness.  
Agnes Riggles is back in school  
after a long spell of sickness.  
The community will devote the  
22nd of February to cleaning the  
cemetery.  
Mr. Carter spent the weekend at  
his home in Fairview.  
Mrs. W. J. Gilbreath, who has  
been in the Plainview Hospital, has  
returned home.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Morris and  
family visited Mr. and Mrs. G. N.  
Gilbreath Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gilpin spent  
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John  
Conway.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McMurray  
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.  
Wylie Rogers.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Raley spent  
the week end in Hamlin with Mr.  
and Mrs. Van Raley.  
Mrs. J. C. Edwards is spending  
several days with Mr. and Mrs. W.  
E. Edwards.

## Miss Clara Tubbs Wins Two Free Guest Tickets

Miss Clara Tubbs, Silverton Star  
Route, was declared winner this  
week in the Hesperian Limerick  
Contest and will receive two free  
guest tickets to the Palace Theatre  
to see "What Price Hollywood,"  
starring Constance Bennett. It  
gives a real insight into the life at  
the heart of filmdom.  
Second place was awarded to R.  
V. Bartlett and he gets one free  
guest ticket to the Palace.  
The winning limerick written by  
Miss Tubbs is as follows:  
"M is for Motorbikes  
They will go mighty fast,  
Use Hesperian Want Ads  
Their service is first class."  
In this issue the Limerick starts  
with the letter "M" and will con-  
clude the series for an indefinite  
period. Get busy and see if you  
can win this time for this will be  
your last opportunity to get a free  
pass to the show in the Limerick  
Contest for several weeks, perhaps.

R. C. Scott, Jr., who has been  
making his home in Austin for the  
past three years, returned home the  
first of last week for an indefinite  
visit with his parent, Mr. and Mrs.  
R. C. Scott.

**BORN**—to Mr. and Mrs. W. M.  
DeHart, City, January 24, a daugh-  
ter.

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## F. G. Hudson Residence Burned Last Thursday

While relatives of the late Mrs.  
Felix G. Hudson, whose remains  
were interred here Wednesday of  
last week, were engaged in cleaning  
up the rooms of the family resi-  
dence, fire which caught in a flue  
of an upstairs room completely de-  
stroyed the two-story frame resi-  
dence Thursday afternoon at 4:30  
o'clock.  
Neighbors rushed to the scene and  
assisted in saving a part of the fur-  
niture and personal effects but the  
house was a total loss and was not  
covered by insurance.  
The small truck of the Floydada  
Fire Department and seven members  
of the department answered the call  
and with water from a concrete  
stock tank extinguished a windmill  
tower located immediately north of  
the house.  
Fanned by a high northwest  
wind, the flames made quick work  
of the 8-room house. Members of  
the Fire Department going to the  
scene were Lace Martin, Hal Drace,  
Kenneth Henry, Jess Lanier, A. L.  
Duncan, Bill Sisson, and L. V. Rog-  
ers.  
Relatives at the Hudson home  
when the fire occurred were Mrs.  
J. W. Gooch, of Shamrock, Miss  
Dora Oliver, of Abilene, W. T. Oli-

ver, of Shamrock, and Felix  
who had been making his  
there.  
The fire was the eighth that has  
occurred in and near Floydada since  
January 18.

**Joe Hawkins Freed By  
Jury In Hale County**  
Joe Hawkins, of Crosby County,  
charged with the murder of his  
father-in-law in Crosby County in  
1929, was freed by a jury in Hale  
County last week, the fifth time the  
case had been tried. On the first  
trial in Crosby County the jury re-  
turned a verdict of fifty years. There  
was a hung jury in two trials here  
before the case was carried to Plain-  
view on change of venue.  
Judge L. G. Mathews, of this  
was one of the attorneys represen-  
ing the defendant in the case.

**CAMPBELL H. D. CLUB TO  
MEET FEBRUARY**  
The Campbell Home Dem-  
onstration Club will meet Tuesday  
noon, February 7, at 2 o'clock  
Mrs. W. C. Sims.  
All members are urged to  
present to help plan the year  
work.  
Read The Want Ads.

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Here At  
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We are Exceptionally well prepared to show you Quality Goods  
that are Desirable at the Very Lowest Prices.

**Phoenix DulSheer Hose**  
Lace Top, 4 Strand, High Twist,  
Reinforced all silk heel, toe and  
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run stop tops, pair, **98c**

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Ladies' Superior quality, all silk  
hose, peecot tops, full length, all  
popular colors, **49c**

**Premium Sheets**  
Size 81x90, wide  
selvage edges that  
prevent tearing, ful-  
ly tested in every  
way, Each, **54c**  
Size 81x99 for  
**59c**

**Track Pants**  
Full cut, fast color  
Broadcloth, balloon  
seat, fancy patterns,  
wide elastic sides,  
Each, **25c**

**Men's Sox**  
Fine yarn, extra good  
10c sox, blues, tan,  
grey, brown, 2 pair,  
**15c**

**Fancy Vat Dyed  
broadcloth shorts,  
Ballroom Seat, Elastic  
side, Each, **15c****

**House Dresses**  
New Color combinations, new puff sleeves, new  
cotton weaves, absolutely fast colors.  
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**Spring Prints**  
New dainty designs, plaids and stirpes, colors that  
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**Our Own New Spring Patterns**  
**15c**  
We also have new Spring Butterick Patterns.  
**81x90 Boulevard Sheets, 39c** **98c**

**New Shirts**  
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Entire Shirt has been  
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THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Floyd  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
That by virtue of a certain Alias  
Execution issued out of the Honor-  
able District Court of Floyd County,  
on the 31st day of January, 1933, by  
the Clerk of said District Court, for  
the sum of Three Thousand Seven  
hundred Fifty-One & 55/100 (\$3,-  
751.55) Dollars and cost of suit, un-  
der a Judgment, in favor of Geo. T.  
Moore in a certain cause in said  
Court, No. 2506 and styled Geo. T.  
Moore vs. B. F. Manasco et al,  
placed in my hands for service, I,  
E. S. Randerson as Sheriff of Floyd  
County, Texas, did, on the 31st day  
of January, 1933, levy on certain  
Real Estate, situated in Floyd Coun-

### Farmers Organize

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seconded by Wm. Finkner, Harmony, the group voted to form a similar league.

Chairman West then asked that Judge Gough "explained why this league should be organized."

"There are many reasons but there is just one main reason," Judge Gough said, "and that is that is the only way we can protect our homes as provided by the Constitution of the United States. We will organize every county and every school district and then go into a state organization. You can study the U. S. Constitution and become informed in this educational plan with who controls your income. He said he expected to have a membership of 10,000 in Texas by spring, reaching under our banner."

"People are being called radicals who are only seeking their rights under the Constitution," declared.

Called for the hands of those who were dissatisfied with the income from their farms and the response was practically unanimous. He then launched into a quotation "facts from the records to show how manipulations controlled the grain and cotton markets." He quoted investigation reports and judgments of the Secretary of Agriculture, Supreme Court President Hoover, and Congress all pointing out, he maintained, that injurious sharp practices of speculators controlled the prices on farm products to the detriment of the producers.

In answer to a query from the audience as to "why nothing has been done about it if the courts and congress admit these crimes are being committed" Judge Gough stated that he had written Senator Morris Sheppard on that very point and that the substance of the senator's answer was "That no one yet has been able to devise means that have been effective in stopping these practices."

#### Hays Speaks Again

Mr. Hays, of Hale County, followed with additional information of what we are doing up in Hale County. As was Judge Gough, he was here for the initial meeting leading to the formation of the league which was held Monday of last week following a session of the Floyd County Farm Bureau Federation.

"We are going to try to protect in every legitimate way. We will take the legal way but if a man is entitled to fair play we want to see that he gets it," Mr. Hays said in his opening remarks.

"We are going to try to protect those who want to stay with their homes and who have worked and done everything they can to meet their obligations.

"I explained to a man the other day that we do not propose to violate the courts. Who elected that judge? Our courts are fair and our judges in most every instance are honest. They will not kick out a man unfairly and neither will the sheriff if he is doing all that he can to pay his debts.

He stressed the point that no radicals were wanted in the organization. "We want good, sane, level-headed men who will say, 'No, we will not stand for that' if their neighbor is not getting a square deal.

"Up in Hale County we have a committee to investigate every man in difficulty and if he is found worthy and has been trying to meet his obligations we will see that he does not lose his home.

"It is not fair for a man to pay two-thirds or more on his farm and then get kicked out because he can't pay the balance during these times. We are pleading for leniency and time until we can get adjustments.

"We don't want more money, we want more for what we raise," he shouted. "Until you cut the throat of this grizzly giant who is setting our prices in the gambling pits, we cannot pay our debts.

He urged the farmers to be peaceful and honest and to "let the fight start on the other side."

"We're not wanting to fight. We are pleading for the thing that is right. It's justice that we are pleading for.

"In a health survey of the cities published five years ago 62 per cent of the children in the cities were undernourished. Overproduction! Maybe so, but we'll be looking for

bread in 18 months if things do not change.

#### Want 100 Per Cent

"Let's put this organization over 100 per cent throughout the state. The business men will be for you when they understand it.

The speaker then related an incident to show the power of farm organization for controlling the prices of eggs in California.

In concluding he declared, "Our property has been confiscated by manipulators. Let's get these practices stopped and protect our homes. Following Mr. Hays' talk, Mr. West called for a standing vote on those favoring organization and he declared the motion passed to organize.

In the opening formalities Mr. West was named temporary chairman to preside and was elected permanent chairman. Hoy Haynes served as temporary secretary.

"This is the second happiest day of my life," announced Mr. Ramsey at the meeting was concluded. "I am happy to see the people of Floyd County 'wake up' to their rights."

Mr. Ramsey has devoted years of his time in the interests of farm organization and maintains that he will carry out his pledge to the letter of "being" carried out first before he will give up in his right for the rights of the American farmer."

Floydada citizens and Floyd County farmers, totaling 33, who joined the league as charter members Friday were as follows: Lon Blasingame, O. N. Nelson, M. D. Ramsey, Marion Bosley, G. W. Williams, J. D. Christian, J. E. Tivis, Jno. L. West, C. J. Smith, J. P. Sims, H. M. Thomas, H. L. Barton, W. B. Jordan, L. E. Williams, D. C. Day, L. C. Wheeler, J. J. Day, H. N. Ritchey, R. B. Gary, Benton Ritchey, H. R. Patterson, H. P. Puckett, J. U. Hobby, T. E. Brook, V. W. Jenness, J. M. Bumgardner, J. J. Davis, Wm. Finkner, Wesley Carr, R. S. Harless, Geo. Worsham, W. E. Sims, F. C. Harmon.

At a meeting of the officers and directors of the Floyd County League Saturday afternoon committees were appointed by Chairman West in each of the four commissioners' precincts of the county to arrange for meetings of farmers at the school houses for discussions and further organization.

The first of the meetings planned to be held within the next two weeks was held Tuesday night at Sand Hill.

Committees appointed were as follows: R. B. Gary and Wm. Finkner, precinct 3; H. P. Puckett and J. D. Christian, precinct 1; Jno. L. West and W. B. Jordan, precinct 4; S. A. Greer and Ed Holmes, precinct 2.

It was voted at the meeting Saturday at the court house to send 50 cents of each dollar for membership dues to W. B. Dennison, of Farnsworth, Texas treasurer of the national league of farmers.

#### MRS. KARL SAMMANN MAKES \$133.59 FROM POULTRY IN NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER

Mrs. Karl Sammann of Providence community, who has been making an outstanding record with her flock of Rhode Island White chickens as poultry demonstrator in the Home Demonstration work, is still showing excellent results in her profit-making enterprise.

With a flock of 400 hens during November and December she made a profit of \$133.59 above feed costs. During the month of November she sold 360 dozen eggs for \$80.90 and her feed cost was \$8.50, clearing \$73.40. The next month she sold 303 dozen eggs for \$71.09 and her feed cost was \$9.90.

She culled 55 hens from her flock Monday and last Saturday began the sale of eggs to hatcheries which give her a special price for her high quality produce, according to Mr. Sammann, who was in town Tuesday on business matters.

#### MRS. A. B. KEIM'S FATHER IS IMPROVED THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim and daughter, Frances, returned home Wednesday afternoon from Waco where they were called last Friday on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Keim's father, J. E. Laughlin. His condition was considered serious for several days but was greatly improved when they left for home.

### Loans To Farmers Only Contemplated In Plan

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committee other than to farmers or others dependent solely on farming as a livelihood, and will have to be adequately secured by all crops and additional collateral such as live stock, implements and other personal property. The applicant will have to pay a reasonable application fee and take care of recording fees and other necessary expenses incidental to the closing of the loan.

All collateral offered for a loan will have to be inspected, after being passed by the committee, by an inspector representing the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation of Fort Worth and finally approved by the Fort Worth office.

Applications will be made at the banks of the county, where blanks will be available, Mr. Daniel said, beginning next week some time. Maturities of loans will be set to conform to the usual marketing time for the crops of the section.

Landlord Lien Question.—Two matters of importance which the committee desires to work out before undertaking to accept applications are the landlord lien matter and the question of whether all crops means all row crops and all small graincrops or just the crops which are currently being financed. The matter of the landlord's lien has been a thorn in the side of the seed and feed loan committees in the county for two years, the regional seed and feed loan office of the Department of Agriculture making the flat requirement locally that the landlord must waive his lien before a tenant could obtain a loan.

While the committee has not begun functioning and consequently has formed no opinions in this connection, the hope has been expressed unofficially that some loans may be included in those made in this county which will release some of the frozen assets of the community. The county will be considered as a unit in the consideration of loans.

#### J. A. JONES HAS FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY; FRIENDS MAKE SURPRISE CELEBRATION

(A contributed story)

J. A. Jones of the Antelope community was pleasantly surprised Sunday morning when many familiar faces drove up to his door to remind him that he was fifty years of age on January 25, but that this was their convenient day to celebrate.

The brothers and sisters, nieces and nephews burst into a royal surprise, for each one brought presents and birthday dinner, as well as hearts full of cheer. Mr. Jones had thought that the day which marked his half century mark was only another sandstormy day, but found that it has meant a lot to many.

The day was full of discussions, kodaking, eating and games that were enjoyed by all. In the evening the visitor's went to their homes wishing Mr. Jones many more, fiftieth birthdays.

Those present besides the immediate family were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stewart, son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones of Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jones and family of Wake; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Wooten and son, Donald, of Pansy; Mrs. Lillie Smith and children, Moody, Wallace, Anna Pearl and Mozelle; Mrs. Mattie Martin of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Martin Ralls; and Arthur Martin of Slaton.

All of the brothers and sisters were present except one sister, Mrs. Joe A. Land of Oklahoma.

Mr. Jones is an old settler of the county and has spent most of the time in Antelope Community where he homesteaded.

#### QUITAQUE WOMAN CHARGED WITH MURDER AT RHOME

Charges of murder were filed Tuesday at Decatur against Mrs. Ida Hunsucker, of Quitaque, who told officers conducting the search for the slayers of Deputy Sheriff Joe Brown of Rhome, who killed him while he stood at the telephone in his office after arresting Mrs. Hunsucker and two men.

At the same time charges were filed against Glen Hunsucker, her son, and John Stanton, sought in the slaying. Mrs. Hunsucker told officers that her son slew the deputy sheriff.

The similarity in the killing of the Rhome deputy and that of the Swisher County sheriff, John Moseley in Tulla about one week prior, and the fact that a woman and two men companions were involved in each case, has led officers to connect the two in their speculations on the identity of the Tulla slayers and efforts to unravel the mystery. Late yesterday the two men, whom Mrs. Hunsucker said, she had let out of the car in the vicinity in Lake Worth, had not been apprehended.

Mrs. Hunsucker operates a tourist camp at Quitaque and was arrested at Childress Monday. When she was taken into custody she was accompanied by E. C. Hawthorne of Memphis, Texas and Faye Pennington, 16, of Dallas. Mrs. Hunsucker said she had been to Huntsville to visit her husband and was returning home when she was arrested. She visited with her husband Saturday morning and told him of the shooting, she related to officers. Hawthorne was a hitchhiker, and the young girl is a former resident of Quitaque.

Mrs. Hunsucker is the mother of five sons.

Judge Geo. W. Foster, of Lubbock, spent Friday of last week here on a visit with his father, J. J. Foster.

A. M. Lay, of McAdoo, was in Floydada Friday on business.

### Pleasant Hill News

Pleasant Hill, Jan. 31.—Miss Abbie Lee Woolsey was hostess with a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday, January 25, honoring Mrs. Orville Custer, nee Miss Lucille Evers, a recent bride.

A number of games were played then a treasure hunt was started at certain places there were notes telling where to look for the treasure. The last note found said for the bride to look on the dining table. She met a great shower of rice but found many beautiful gifts.

A delicious plate lunch was served to Mrs. Dan Day, Mrs. Joe R. Evers, Mrs. R. M. Battey, Mrs. J. C. Custer, Mrs. W. H. Furrow, Mrs. Lee Nichols, Mrs. Clyde Nichols, Mrs. Leon Landers, Mrs. C. T. Camden, Mrs. T. J. Cardinal, Mrs. B. B. Wilkes, Mrs. H. D. Bloodworth, Mrs. C. A. Caffee, Mrs. F. J. Wilkes, Mrs. C. D. Kelley, Mrs. O. Z. Smythe, Mrs. Everett Wallace, Mrs. S. D. Scott, Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey, Misses Edna Loe, Vida Battey, and the honor guest, Mrs. Custer.

Miss Lena Katherine Smith spent the week end with her cousin, Miss Bettie Francis Newell of Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Frost, Mr. and Mrs. George Fawver, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Peek and daughter, Glenna Fae, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wallace spent the week end in Lubbock with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reynolds.

There will be church here at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and everyone is invited.

#### 'SERVICE' DISCUSSED BY LOCAL PASTOR AT CLUB

"Service" in its biblical application was discussed by Rev. N. E. Tyler at the Rotary Club meeting here Wednesday, the pastor of the Nazarene Church giving a brief but eloquent discussion on the subject.

Commercial bribery and its effects on the business structure of the country, was declared by Carl Minor to be one of the things, which, in his opinion, have brought on the financial chaos through which business is wallowing.

The program was presented by Lon M. Davis.

### Paul Foster, Service Man, Accepts Sentence

Paul Foster, one of the early recruits from Floyd County in the World War, and who saw service in several battle fronts during the latter part of 1917 and in 1918, Tuesday pled guilty before Judge Kenneth Bain of the Floyd County District Court, to a part in the burglary of the Panhandle Service Station, at the end of the pavement on South Main Street the night of December 25, and was given a penitentiary sentence of two years.

A statement made by him also implicates three others in the offense, two of whom are under indictment in connection with the burglary.

Judgment was rendered in several civil cases during the week to date. No jury has been used in the court this term to date.

Next week civil cases are set for Monday and Tuesday, and a jury panel has been summoned to report on Monday, February 6. Wednesday the criminal docket is set. The venire summoned for jury service Monday are as follows:

R. C. Smith, Quitaque; R. H. Horn, G. D. Watson, W. T. Hopper, Francis Carthel, C. J. Roach, J. J. Thomas, C. W. Gordon, S. A. Guffey, R. C. McGilvary, W. H. Smith, Robert Jones, W. C. Wright, E. W. Marler, Bert Bobbitt, E. C. Cox, R. B. Gary, J. O. Dudley, S. J. Latta, B. R. Lybrand, Walter Griffith, R. W. Lopspeich, E. H. Rankin, J. F. Tiffan, F. M. Covington, Geo. Stiles, M. Carr, C. C. Hackney, S. M. Woolsey, C. A. Caffee, W. S. Rexrode, C. M. Martin, H. F. Jackson, Harve Pennington, W. H. Hilton, and Harry Morckel.

#### TAX COLLECTORS GIVE DIFFERENT VERSIONS ON MATTER OF TAX PAYMENTS

Tax collections during last week-end and the first two days of this week, representing the last minute "rush" period of tax payments to avoid penalty and interest charges, were variously described by the three collectors in Floydada.

At the county collector's office, Collector Frank L. Moore said business at the property tax windows and at the auto registration windows had been "good." School District Collector J. T. J. Dawson said collections had been "only moderate," while at the city office Secretary Duncan described business as "poor."

Definite figures are not available at either the county or the school collector's offices on totals or percentages as yet. City collections were 32 per cent or slightly less than \$9,000 from a total roll of \$24,705, Secretary Duncan said.

#### LIBERTY DRAMATIC CLUB TO PRESENT PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT

Liberty Dramatic Club will present "When Jane Takes a Hand" Friday night at 7:45 o'clock at the Liberty school house, it was announced this week.

Demonstrated Young Housewife: Are you sure this cleaner that you are selling will really take out dirt?

Agent: Will it? Say, lady, yesterday I rubbed it on a copy of "Sensational Stories" and when I got through, I had the Sunday School Gazette.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

### Floydada And Lockney Quintets Win Battles

By Buster Smalley

Playing much improved basketball, the Lockney Longhorns defeated the Lakeview Eagles 36 to 24 and the Floydada Whirlwinds defeated the Dougherty club 34 to 33 in two games played at the R. C. A gym last Thursday night. The Longhorns had the situation well in hand but the Whirlwinds had to strut their stuff to defeat a fighting bunch of ball players from Dougherty.

In the first game the all-round work of the Longhorns and the sharpshooting of Carthel was too much for the Eagles and they were hopelessly defeated. The Eagles put up a stiff fight and showed some brilliant playing during the game. Carthel of the Longhorns was high point man with 22 points and Nelson of the Eagles followed him with 11 points. The score at the end of the half was 21 to 11 in favor of the Longhorns.

In the second game the Whirlwinds found it tough going and they eked out a 34 to 33 victory over the Dougherty club. The Whirlwinds showed some wonderful improvement and should go far in the tournament to be held here soon. Furrow of the Dougherty club was high point man with 17 points and Gamblin of the Whirlwinds followed him with 16 points. The score at the end of the half was 19 to 12 in favor of the Whirlwinds.

#### Starting Line-ups

Floydada	Dougherty
Gamblin	Furrow
F. Murray	Sanders
Powell, J.	W. Hall
L. Murray	N. Nall
Jackson	lg Crawford

#### EXPRESS APPRECIATION TO FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

We take this method of extending our heartfelt thanks to the dear friends and neighbors who so generously and lovingly did everything possible in our time of sorrow; in the death of our loved wife, mother and grandmother.

We thank the church for the lovely floral offering, also the Harmon Undertaking Company for their kindness and efficiency. We only wish for you every one that if you are ever in sorrow you may have the loving sympathy, service and help that was extended to us. God bless each and everyone of you in our prayer.

B. A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Pace, F. S. McCune, Mrs. W. C. Coon, Mrs. E. E. Young, Mrs. Carl W. Smith, and Her Grandchildren.

Miss Selma Linder, who is attending Wayland College at Plainview, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Linder. Miss Lorene Ham, of San Jon, New Mexico, accompanied her. Miss Johnnie Johnston, also a Wayland student, was a week-end visitor in Floydada.

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### PALACE THEATRE

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

### H. D. Cubs To Continue With Work Temporarily

Women in the majority of the Floyd County Home Demonstration Clubs will continue with a program of work this year in spite of the fact that the services of a county home demonstration agent has been discontinued, according to a decision reached at meeting of the County Council Saturday afternoon. It was voted by 11 of the 18 clubs to make every effort to keep the work progressing temporarily until "the women could see what is to be done about the work." It was explained.

In order to effect economies, it was claimed, the services of the agent carrying on the work for the farmers and their wives were discontinued by the former Commissioners Court October 1. Miss Martha Faulkner, home demonstration agent, remained to assist with the work due to the fact that the clubs were just planning on their year's program and it was well to the interest of the clubs that she assist at that time.

The county portion of the agent's salary was discontinued but she remained here under a special arrangement, working with about a sixty per cent cut in salary to cooperate with the club women.

Action by the present court was postponed at the last meeting. A committee of women from the clubs met with the members and have been appealing to the court to continue the Home Demonstration work by co-operating with the A. and M. Extension Service in the employment of an agent.

At the council meeting Saturday it was voted to arrange two programs for the clubs for February, the first to be on "school lunches" and the second "The Family Garden." These programs will be found on another page in this issue. The Council will meet again the last Saturday in February.

#### HIGHWAY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED HERE NEXT WEEK

Offices that have been retained here by the surveying crew on Highway No. 28 through Floyd County will be closed next week, it was stated by Project Engineer T. B. Ingram this morning. Final plans on the survey were taken to Lubbock last Saturday and the paving plans on the west division will be taken to Lubbock this week-end, Mr. Ingram said.

Mr. Ingram and E. F. Pilley plan to leave next week for Crosbyton where caliche base is being applied on the highway in Crosby County. Final check on the caliche supply beds in Floyd County was completed this week by the field crew, it was stated.

Mrs. Wilson Kimble is expected to return home today from Aledo where she has been for the past three weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. E. M. McGlinchey, who has been ill. Mrs. McGlinchey's condition is reported to be much improved.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Payne, of McCoy, January 21, a son.

### NIGHT

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