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## Heavy Vote Expected In Floyd County Primary Election Saturday

### Republicans To Hold Elections In Lockney And Floydada Saturday

Statutes Make It Necessary In Order to Keep Organization Intact in County.

Republicans of Floyd County will go through the formality of voting for party nominees for the various offices of the state next Saturday, printing of the ballots and arrangements for the election having been completed under the direction of T. C. Russell, Republican County Chairman the first of this week.

Arrangements have been made to have polls open at two voting places in the County—Floydada and Lockney—and nominees for all state offices, for congressman of the Eighteenth District and for county chairman will be voted upon. The name of E. E. Wells will appear on the ballot for county chairman, and S. E. Fish, of Potter County, will be on the ballot for the congressional nomination.

In most instances two or more candidates appear on the ballot as nominees.

The formality of holding primaries at least two boxes in the county is made necessary in order to maintain the party organization in the county. In all other counties of the state where it is desirable to keep up the organization the primary is necessary. The vote of the Republican party at the last general election passed 100,000 votes in the state, and the statutes require that in such case the party must hold a party primary in the following election year to determine their nominees for office.

The ballot in this county carries the statutory pledge of party fealty. "I am a Republican and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary."

The same rules governing the holding of Democratic primaries and convention on the following Saturday, when the ballots are officially tabulated by the county executive committee, hold good also for the Republican party.

### Co. Board Classifies Schools Of Floyd Co.

Name of Sunset District Changed To South Plains on Petition Of Trustees.

The Floyd County School Board in session Tuesday morning with a full membership present, classified for the forth-coming school year the common and consolidated schools of the county, setting out the maximum grades for which the schools had teaching force and facilities for handling. This classification of the school board, giving the highest grade which different districts may teach, is as follows: Trick District, tenth grade; Pleasant Valley District, seventh grade; Muncy, District, eighth grade; Pleasant Hill, eighth grade; Fairview District, ninth grade; Starkey District, ninth grade; Alken District, tenth grade; Sunset or South Plains District, tenth grade; Sand Hill District, tenth grade; Harmony District, eighth grade; Lakeview District, tenth grade; Fairmont, ninth grade; Center, ninth grade; Lone Star, ninth grade; Cedar, ninth grade; McCov, ninth grade; Roseland, eighth grade; Dougherty, tenth grade; Baker, tenth grade; Antelope, ninth grade; Providence, eighth grade; Blanco, eighth grade; Allmon, eighth grade; Liberty, eighth grade; Prairie Chapel, tenth grade; Campbell, ninth grade; Ramsey, seventh grade; Hillcrest, seventh grade; Edgin, ninth grade; Sterley, tenth grade.

**District Changes Name**  
While they were in session the board passed an order which automatically re-names the Sunset School District, the new name being South Plains Consolidated School District. This was done to make the name of the school district harmonize with that of the town which serves it. Petition for the change in the name was signed by all seven members of the Sunset School board.

**Transfer Time Nears Close**  
The time for the transfer of school children from one district to another for school purposes is nearly over, Price Scott, County Superintendent, pointed out this week. Transfer applications are expected to begin by August 1. Parents who have not made their applications for transfer, who wish to do so, should keep this fact in mind.

Members of the county school board present for the Tuesday morning session were E. C. Nelson, chairman; J. W. Howard, Precinct No. 1; J. F. Dollar, Precinct No. 2; J. H. Upton, Precinct No. 3; and Olin S. Miller, Precinct No. 4. The county superintendent is ex officio secretary of the board.

### Floyd County A. & M. Delegation Totals 41; Group Leaves Saturday

#### S. O. Adams Has 85th Birthday; Gets Two Cakes

S. O. Adams, Civil War veteran and resident of Floyd County for the past 16 years, celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday Sunday, July 20, and in commemoration of the occasion he was given a special party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hollis of Lakeview community.

Those present for the birthday dinner Sunday were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams and son, J. L., Jr., of Amarillo; Fred Denham and family of Lubbock; Mrs. George Smith and daughters, Evelyn and Georgia, of Blanco; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis, and the honoree.

J. L. Adams is a son of S. O. Adams and made a special trip down from Amarillo to attend his father's birthday celebration. The menu for the dinner included among many other good things, fried chicken, pies, cakes, and ice cream, Mr. Adams said. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Hollis each made a big birthday cake for "Daddy Adams."

Mr. Adams came to Texas 25 years ago, moving to the state from Georgia. He first resided in Ellis County. He enlisted in the Confederate Army at the age of 16 and served for four years. The last 18 months of service he spent under General Wheeler.

#### Sterley Bond Issue Not Approved; Delay Of Months Necessary

Declaring the enactment of the legislature which gave county school boards power to create new school districts was not sufficiently clarified in the minds of officials of the Attorney General's Department, the representatives of Sterley District were told last week-end in Austin that the plans for the new school at Sterley would have to await another session of the legislature of the state, when a validating law could be presented for enactment or the status of the county board's power could be more clearly defined.

R. W. Smith, Jr., and Price Scott made the trip to Austin in the interest of the district, when it became apparent that the Attorney General's Department would not approve the recent bond issue voted for the construction of a school at Sterley. "While expressing sympathy with the intentions of the people of the newly-created district to provide school facilities for the children of Sterley and that area of the county, the department said the statutes covering the situation were not sufficiently plain and they could not approve the bond issue until such time as the county board's powers were more clearly defined," Mr. Scott said here Tuesday. Several newly-created districts over the state have the same situation facing them, he said.

The school bond troubles will not affect the operation of the school for the year. The new district of Sterley was created this spring by the county board and following their action people of the district voted a bond issue for the construction of a school building and a dollar tax for school purposes. The district, when eventually made effective, will have an area of slightly more than twenty-six sections.

#### You're Invited

The Hesperian plans to hold its usual election party Saturday night of this week, giving the returns on a bulletin board in front of the office. Returns on county races will be tabulated by precincts as fast as they are received, and bulletins on the state races will also be posted every ten to twenty minutes.

Returns on the state races will be obtained through The Texas Election Bureau, the agency which gathers the returns for all the newspapers of the state, so that Floyd County people will have the last-minute figures on all the races all the time. The Hesperian has been designated as the agency for gathering and compiling returns from Floyd County for the Texas Election Bureau. The local Western Union office will be kept open until a late hour for the purpose of affording telegraphic reports to this office from the Bureau.

#### H. D. Club Women Go On Special Pullman Coach

Sand Hill Band To Play On Agricultural Pageant Program.

Off to tell Texas about Floyd County and to study plans and hear addresses on the making of better homes on the farms Floyd County Home Demonstration Club women, club girls and escorts, 41 strong, will depart Saturday afternoon at 6 o'clock over the Q. A. & P. railroad for College Station to attend the twenty-first annual Farmers' Short Course, July 28 to August 2.

**Club Women Enthusiastic**  
"All of the club women are enthusiastic over the trip and are anticipating a great time in addition to expecting to receive many beneficial ideas and suggestions from the program," said Miss Marie Strange county home demonstration agent, who will accompany the delegates. "The association and the opportunities they will have of meeting club women from other sections of the state and exchanging ideas on home making will be of untold value to the women and club girls."

Two additional club women have signified their intentions of making the A. & M. trip since the list was announced last week. Mrs. C. V. Ford of Roseland club and Mrs. J. C. Simpson of South Plains will accompany the Floyd County representatives. Douglas Watson of Prairie Chapel will accompany his wife on the special.

The Floyd County delegation will have a special reserved pullman, which will be combined with others at Dallas into a special train to College Station.

**Walton To Open Program**  
Dr. T. O. Walton, president of A. & M. College will formally open the Short Course Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Following his address, the regular short course program will commence. Dean E. J. Kyle of the school of agriculture at A. & M. will introduce the farm problem theme of the week with a discussion Monday morning at 10 o'clock on "The Triangle of Agriculture." A complete round of programs on every phase of farm life and work has been arranged for the farmers, the club women, and the 4H Club girls. National authorities on agricultural subjects will take part.

The Floyd County representatives will return Saturday, August 2, at 12:40 o'clock. Those who will make the trip and the clubs they represent are as follows:  
4H Club girls: Misses Lela Mae Poe and Joy Grigsby of Starkey; Misses Annie Jewel Fawver and Annie Graves of Baker, and Miss Pauline Teaff of Prairie Chapel. Mrs. Gladys Adkins of Floydada will act as chaperone for the girls.

H. D. Clubs: Antelope, Mrs. C. A. Smith and Mrs. C. A. Caffee. Roseland: Mrs. F. L. Marble and Mrs. C. V. Ford. Prairie Chapel: Mrs. Douglas Watson and Mrs. Douglas Watson. Campbell: Mrs. A. H. Kreis, Mrs. (Continued on back page)

#### Distribution Starts On Initial Directory For City Of Floydada

Rev. Claude Wingo, Pastor First Christian Church, Worked Up Book.

Distribution started this week on Floydada's first City Directory, compiled by the First Christian Church under the direction and personal supervision of Rev. Claude Wingo, pastor. The book contains 200 pages and contains a complete list of the residents of the city, a street directory, classified business directory, and a list of 1930 poll tax payers in Floyd County in addition to a concise and interesting history of Floyd County briefly by O. P. Rutledge.

Information of a general nature and interest is also given in an introductory section of the book. Advertisements from local merchants are carried, as well as full pages for the churches of the city.

The street directory is in a special section on pink colored paper. All of the work, including the gathering of information, printing, assembling, and binding was done by Floydada people and is strictly a local product.

"Everyone seems to be mighty well pleased with the directory. They express the opinion that it will fill a need that has existed for some time," Rev. Wingo said. "I have only 150 more copies than those contracted for and I would like to urge everyone who wants a copy to see me or phone me at 324 as soon as possible," he explained. The price of the book is \$2.50.

The directories are being distributed as rapidly as they are being completed in the bindery of the Hesperian Publishing Company, printers and binders of the book.

#### Farm Board Poultry And Dairy Member To Visit Plainview Fri.

William F. Schilling, representative on the Federal Farm Board of the poultry and dairy industries, will fill one date in Texas this week-end, when he visits in Hale County, and will make a public address at the annual picnic of the Hale County Dairy Association Friday afternoon at 1:30.

A dispatch from Plainview indicates that delegations of farmers and dairymen from over counties of this section are expected to be present and hear Mr. Schilling.

#### MARVIN JONES A VISITOR

Marvin Jones, Congressman of the 18th District, was in Floydada Saturday on a hurry-up tour of the district, "just touching the high spots," after being detained in Washington while Congress was in session until Thursday of last week. The congressman, who is a candidate to succeed himself, expected to be absent from his home at Amarillo practically all the period until election day.

#### ATTEND SMALL RALLY

Judge L. G. Mathews, Judge F. P. Henry and R. E. Fry, of this city, were among those who attended the Clint Small Rally at Lubbock Saturday night, when a monster demonstration was held honoring the West Texas entry in the gubernatorial race.

#### Meeting Monday Afternoon Will Plan For City Park Play Ground

#### To Move Equipment From School Grounds

Provide Supervised Play For Boys and Girls Of City.

Final draft of the plans for supervised play of boys and girls of Floydada during the remainder of the summer months will be made at a meeting Monday afternoon of next week at 5 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce office, when representatives of various church and civic organizations of the community are to come together for the purpose.

#### Use of Park Granted

Use of the City Park grounds or such part thereof as may be needed was granted by the City Council to a representative committee from civic clubs of the community recently, with the understanding that the play of the children would be supervised by responsible persons. With this basis on which to work these representatives of the civic clubs have evolved a plan whereby it is expected to afford three hours of supervised play daily in the afternoon from 4 o'clock until 7 o'clock of the children of the community, and as much equipment (Continued on back page)

#### Straw Vote Here Shows Small In Lead; 'Ma' Next

Clint C. Small of Wellington will run first in Floyd County in the governor's race in the Democratic primary Saturday, July 26, if a poll taken in Floydada Monday afternoon is a true reflection of the political pulse of the citizenship of the entire territory. Former Governor Miriam A. Ferguson ran second, Tom Love, third, and Ross Sterling, fourth. Here's the way the vote went:

Clint C. Small ..... 106  
Miriam A. Ferguson ..... 44  
Thomas Love ..... 13  
Ross Sterling ..... 5  
Earle B. Mayfield ..... 3  
James Young ..... 3  
C. C. Moody ..... 3

A total of 177 straw votes were cast in the "election" conducted by Dr. H. Z. Pennington for a state newspaper. He worked on the vote for two hours Monday and the results were posted on the front window of the Arwine Drug Company on the south side of the square.

"I made a canvass of the business section asking everyone to vote who would be qualified to vote in the Democratic primary Saturday, July 26," Dr. Pennington said. "If they did not have a vote coming Saturday I passed them up."

#### City Water Supply Approved Pure by Health Department

Floydada's water supplied from the city wells and distributed through the city mains is free from contamination of any kind, according to a report received Saturday by G. R. Strickland, city water superintendent, from the Texas State Department of Health. Six tests were made by Mr. Strickland and samples sent to Austin for an official check. The report signed by Dr. S. W. Bohls, director of the state laboratories, indicated that in every instance the water was free of contamination.

A previous test made by Mr. Strickland from the mains without regard or record of the point and the general test when examined at Austin gave unsatisfactory results, indicating a "dead" fire hydrant or improperly flushed mains.

With the cooperation of the Floydada Fire Department and Burl Bedford, city secretary, all the mains were thoroughly slushed Friday morning of last week with the booster pumps running 60,000 gallons through the entire distribution system, clearing out all possible stagnant points.

Six tests were then taken at widely separated parts of the city and notations made on the samples of the exact point of the test. Samples were taken at the following places: 814 South Main Street, 225 East Crockett Street, 312 West Kentucky Street, 101 West Missouri Street, city well, and 100 Twelfth Street. It was the six tests that were reported 100 per cent free of contamination following the laboratory examination at Austin by Dr. Bohls.

Mr. Strickland stated that he took one of the samples direct from the city wells so that the check would be complete in every respect. "We are well pleased with the results and are glad to make a report to the citizens that the city water is pure and free of contamination and that we are making every effort to keep it that way," Mr. Strickland declared.

During the period extending from June 20 to July 20 this year a decided increase in the consumption of water in Floydada was shown on the city records, Mr. Strickland pointed out. The increase over the same period last year was approximately three million gallons; in 1929 the total was 9,885,500 gallons as compared with 12,560,800 gallons this year in the same period.

"We have pumped more water this year due to the dry weather conditions that have been prevailing than we have pumped during any of the ten years I have been employed in the city water department," Mr. Strickland declared.

#### AUSTIN BUSINESS MAN PAYS VISIT TO FLOYD

H. M. Houston, prominent business man of Austin, was a visitor for a day in Floyd County Monday of this week, his first visit in some three years.

Mr. Houston is interested in three or four Floyd County farms, which he acquired several years ago.

#### Interest Livens As Last Lap Is Reached

Long Ballot Expected to Make Returns Slow Saturday Night.

The heaviest vote in the history of elections in Floyd County is anticipated Saturday of this week, when Democratic voters go to the polls to select nominees for county precinct offices and add their total to that of the other counties in the selection of state and district officers.

#### Interest Is Growing

The interest in the election which on the part of the voting population has seemed to be lacking during practically the entire campaign, came into evidence with a bang Saturday when everybody seemed to realize at the time that election day was only a week away. Local students of the political game declare that all the signs point to a heavy vote, likely the biggest ever.

Work on the farms has been completed, including the harvest, the stubble plowing and row crop cultivation, and the farming population has only to await the voting day to cast their ballots—and then see what happens Saturday night.

#### Long Ballots

The citizen who paid his poll tax this year and will take pen in hand Saturday to begin "scratching," will get a big bargain for money. The total number of names on the ticket is in excess of a hundred and in every precinct the names will have more than 20 names to pass upon. The long of names may also result in slow reports, although some election officials believe they will have it counted ready soon after the polls close. Some experienced election holders, however, are of the belief that these are going to find the a bigger one than they anticipated.

#### Big Election Day Crowd

That Floydada will have an election day crowd is already indicated by the reports that are being sent to the Hesperian office. "We shine, the way the talk goes, going to vote early and come and see the fun." It will be a patient crowd that awaits the incomplete vote that will go to election boards around town Saturday after 7 Saturday evening.

The Hesperian is planning a usual election night party, at merchants on West Calhoun Street, working through The Plain man, have arranged an elaborate board for the county returns and will also flash state returns on screen for the information of the crowds expected in town. Several of the stores that serve the retail trade are planning to stay open all night, including at least two of the drug stores.

#### FUNERAL SERVICES TODAY FOR MRS. A. R. TINNIN, 85

Funeral services will be held this Thursday afternoon for Mrs. A. R. Tinnin, 84, who died at about 12:35 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. M. Goodman, in the Sand Hill community. The funeral services will be held at 4 o'clock at the Sand Hill church.

Mrs. Tinnin had been managing her home with Mr. and Mrs. Goodman and family for the past several months. She had been ill since January, and recently suffered a paralytic stroke which caused her death this morning.

She is survived by four sons and two daughters, all of whom will be present for the funeral services this afternoon. The sons are R. M. Tinnin, of Alvin, Texas, A. E. Tinnin, of Portales, New Mexico, G. H. Tinnin, of near Floydada, and W. B. Tinnin, of the Sand Hill Community. The daughters are Mrs. Goodman, of Sand Hill, and Mrs. W. A. Rice of Estelme, Texas. All of the surviving near relatives and their families have been at the bedside for more than a week.

#### LOCAL MARKET

Heavy hens, 4 lbs and up.....14c  
Light hens, .....10c  
Old roosters, .....5c  
Leghorn fryers, .....13c  
Colored fryers, .....16c  
Guinea, each, .....25c  
Geese, .....6c  
Ducks, .....6c  
Eggs  
Eggs, No. 1 candied, per dozen.....12c  
No. 1 stamped, infertile .....14c  
Cream  
Butterfat, per pound .....29c  
Grain  
Wheat, .....  
Maize heads, .....  
Barley, .....  
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#### Floydada Youths Perched On Elevated Points Strive To Set Records In Novel 'Sitting Contest' Stunts

Scorching rays of a mid-summer sun, chilling nights characterized by the Panhandle Plains, threatening clouds, and flashes of lightning have failed to daunt the Spirit of Youth and two Floydada lads, Jack Johnson and R. L. Barns, are going right on carrying out their respective resolutions "to set a record" in sitting.

And both the local boys have unique ideas, for while the other sections of the entire United States are in the throes of a fad of tree sitting records and chimney sitting records the Floydada youngsters have something different—one is doing his act in a tower and the other on the roof of his dad's house. Starting last Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock Jack Johnson, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, 308 West Olive Street, is rapidly amassing an impressive total of hours spent "in the air." At 4 o'clock this Thursday afternoon he will have been in his tower house 96 hours.

R. L. Barns is "camped" on the peak of the roof of his father's two-story house, also in south Floydada. He is 14 years old and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd O. Barns, 122

West Hallie Avenue. Barns took the materials up on the roof to build his look-out at 12 o'clock Monday and has not been down since, his total today at noon standing at 72 hours, just 20 hours behind his competitor, who is visible from the Barns' home.

The Johnson boy has a screened-in "cabin" suspended 20 feet in the air on high posts and anchored by other wires. The tiny house is about four feet high, two feet wide, and five feet long, affording the occupant just room enough to move about and to stretch out and sleep but not of sufficient height to rest his standing up. A heavy tarpaulin keeps off most of the sun rays and keeps out the chill night air to an extent.

A small opening in front is used for the lowering of a rope and the pulling up of food, magazines, and other items of sustenance and entertainment. Jim Bob Johnson, 12, brother of Jack, is the main "ground crew" and it is his official capacity to answer the bell which signifies that the champion sitter is desirous of something or other. The bell, a large one of the cow variety

(mama cow), is suspended inside the Johnson home between the kitchen and dining room and a cord attached to it runs to the look-out cabin and when Jack gives the string a "yank" the ground crew gets into action.

Jack was all elated yesterday afternoon because his dad, who constructed the tower for him, was going to fix him a platform with banisters to serve as a "front porch" to his aerial home and afford a means of stretching and exercising some tired muscles. During the past week he has had a crawl around on his hands and knees to get his exercise, but he is all fixed up now to "stay up four weeks," he declares.

Mrs. Johnson said that if her son did not come down before Sunday they were going to install a telephone in the tower for him, and even now he is faring splendidly, he maintains. His house is wired and he has electric lights at night. Hundreds of visitors have been to see Jack and several have brought him gifts, which seem to tickle his boyish vanity considerably. The plucky little adventurer glibly talked to his visitors yesterday and answered every question courteously.

Jack's mother said that she was feeding him plenty of fruit, vegetables, and milk. Mary Looper took the record seeker two books Wednesday, "Tillie the Toiler" and "Raggedy Ann." Mrs. C. P. Looper took him a sack of peaches, a sack of oranges, some chewing gum, and a Hershey bar. "The folks have been treating him mighty nice since he went up, and have been bringing him all kinds of things," Mrs. Johnson said.

Over 700 cars have driven by and over 400 people have paid Jack a social call, according to the tabulation of counting, he said. Folks begin to drive by about 6 o'clock every afternoon. Mrs. Johnson said.

Jack has a pair of field glasses and takes a peek at the business section of town whenever he gets tired of close-by scenes. He sleeps fine at night, he maintains, and does not awake in the mornings until around 9 o'clock. He sleeps so soundly Tuesday night that he did not know that lightning and clouds threatened rain for a time and that a slight shower fell.

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# The Mazaroff Mystery

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## SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I.—Mervyn Holt, bachelor world war veteran, is engaged, in London, by a man calling himself Salim Mazaroff, as a traveling companion. After a short tour the two put up at the Woodcock inn, on Mazaroff's moor. They meet, casually, Mrs. Elphinstone, and Miss Merchison, and later, Mazaroff informs Holt that they are his wife and daughter, who have long believed him dead. Mazaroff's right name, he tells Holt, is Merchison. He had left his wife shortly after their marriage, before the birth of the girl, of whose existence he had been unaware. That night Mazaroff falls to return to the hotel, and there is no explanation of his disappearance.

CHAPTER II.—Holt meets Miss Merchison—Sheila—and with her goes to her cousin's (Verner Courtin) shooting box, hoping to learn of Mazaroff's whereabouts. At Courtin's is a man named Armintrude and a London doctor, Eccleshare. They know nothing of Mazaroff. Police Sergeant Manners and a newspaper man, Bownas, question Holt. Mazaroff's body is found in "Reilly's den." He has been shot. The dead man's lawyer, Crole, with Maythorne, private inquiry agent, arrives, Crole having heard of his client's disappearance. He tells Holt Mazaroff carried diamonds worth a large sum, and was in the habit of making a display of them incautiously. Neither the diamonds, nor anything of value, are found on Mazaroff's body.

CHAPTER III.—Mrs. Elphinstone scoffs at the idea that "Mazaroff" is Merchison, and produces apparent proofs of his death. Maythorne finds something at the scene of the murder, and Crole, who had been found near the spot is identified as the property of Musgrave, landlord of Woodcock inn. It had been from there.

CHAPTER IV.—Evidence at the scene proves "Mazaroff" was Mervyn Holt. His wife, leaves all his money, an immense amount, to Holt. Mazaroff had the will in his possession and it is missing. A shiftless character named Parslave is found to have left Mazaroff's moor hurriedly. From Mazaroff's papers it is learned that Mervyn Holt, who had been a close friend of Mazaroff's in South Africa.

CHAPTER V.—Klopp tells Crole Mazaroff had two remarkable diamonds in his possession. It is learned that he had offered to sell them to Lord and Lady Loekle. Lord Loekle says "Mazaroff" had one of the stones and Armintrude the other. Maythorne brings his clerk, Sheila, into the affair as an inquiry. Sheila comes, alone, to Holt's rooms in London. Maythorne there.

CHAPTER VI.—The girl has been missing, which she tells Holt from her mother. Her mother seems to link Mrs. Elphinstone with the murder. Maythorne produces a brooch, the one he had found at the scene of the murder. Sheila does not recognize it.

CHAPTER VII.—Parslave is seen on the street and followed to Eccleshare's house. A watch is kept on the place. Holt and Mrs. Elphinstone come to London. The latter uses to make any explanation as her possession of Mazaroff's will. Armintrude explains he bought two diamonds from "Mazaroff" at Mazaroff's moor, and gives the purchase price to Holt, as "Mazaroff's."

CHAPTER VIII.—Sergeant Manners and a Scotland Yard man, Corderdale, visit Maythorne. Manners tells him Parslave was seen the night of the murder, with Eccleshare, near the Merchison's body was found. Eccleshare's explanations completely exonerate himself and Parslave. Both men, however, declare they saw Mrs. Elphinstone at the scene of the murder, that night.

CHAPTER IX.—Mr. Elphinstone makes the announcement that his wife, Sheila, and Alison Murdoch, Mrs. Elphinstone's maid, have disappeared from their hotel. Short's Elphinstone identifies the brooch Maythorne had found at the scene of Merchison's death, as his wife's. He had bought two precisely alike brooches before, and given them to Mrs. Elphinstone and the brooch Maythorne had found, being identical. Mrs. Elphinstone, putting his clerk, Cottingley, in her track, and with Crole and Sheila, goes to Short's hotel seeking information. They learn a man whom nobody can identify in connection with the case had been seen to follow the three women when they left the hotel.

CHAPTER X.—Nothing is learned of the women for two days. Newspapers announce the finding of a married man, who, in the circumstances, which convince Maythorne the victim is the man who had followed Mrs. Elphinstone and her companions. Holt and Manners recognize the body as that of the newspaper man, Bownas, who had been at Mazaroff's moor. Word comes that Mrs. Elphinstone and Sheila have returned to the hotel, and Holt, immensely relieved, goes at once to get an explanation of their disappearance.

CHAPTER XI.—It seems evident that Bownas had been tracking Mrs. Elphinstone. At Short's hotel Sheila tells the investigators she and her mother were kidnapped and held prisoners by Alison Murdoch, who has disappeared. She also gives them her mother's explanation of her possession of Merchison's will, and relates a story of an old feud between the Merchison and Murdoch families which convinces her hearers that Alison Murdoch is the sister of both Merchison and Bownas. There is a remarkable similarity of appearance between Mrs. Elphinstone and Alison Murdoch, and the brooch Maythorne had found is shown to have been the property of Mrs. Murdoch, the gift of Mrs. Elphinstone. This seems to be conclusive proof of the complexity of Murdoch in the slaying of Merchison.

CHAPTER XII.—The Boat Train. MAYTHORNE hurried out of the room, leaving me, still indignant and glowing, alone with the women. Presently Corderdale, who had been whispering to Manners, came in, and I've no doubt you can see from the half

professionally, half apologetically. "You're sweet on the young lady, as anybody with half an eye can see, and—"

"Leave the young lady's name out of the question, if you please!" I exclaimed. "And mine, too!" "But difficult to leave her out, isn't it?" he retorted, smiling. "After what we've just heard! I don't disbelieve her tale—not I!—though I'm more than a bit surprised that a young woman of her intelligence—clever girl!—should let herself be trapped in that fashion. Trapped she was, no doubt!—but I don't believe her mother was trapped!"

"What?" I exclaimed. "Why, you've just heard—" "I've just heard what we've all just heard," he interrupted. "My opinion is that it was all a put-up job between Mrs. Elphinstone and this woman Murdoch, and that Miss Merchison has been taken in by both. I think that Mrs. Elphinstone went willingly to that house and stood in the detention there—she wanted for nothing. You heard I wanted to know too much and to get dangerous, should be kept safe and quiet while the Murdoch woman got right away! And I'll lay all I'm worth to a penny that Murdoch knocked that chap Bownas on the head in that back alley, and that by now she's somewhere!"

"You don't think that Mrs. Elphinstone knew anything about Bownas?" I said. "Good Lord, according to you—" "According to me, sir, Murdoch murdered Mazaroff, and Mrs. Elphinstone's well aware of it," he said determinedly. "There's what the lawyers call prima facie evidence of that, anyhow, and Manners here agrees with me! And we're not going out of this hotel until that doctor comes back and then we're going to see if Mrs. Elphinstone isn't fit to be questioned. And if she isn't—just yet—then we're going to stay on the premises till she is! So there!"

Before I could say anything the outer door opened and Maythorne stuck half his face inside the room. "Holt!" he said. "I went to him; he drew me into the corridor and closed the door. "Message from Cottingley," he said in a whisper. "He's been carrying on a close investigation of steamship offices this last forty-eight hours, working like a nigger. And at last he's hit on something! This afternoon a woman, closely answering to the description I gave him of Alison Murdoch, booked two passages for New Zealand at the New Zealand Shipping company offices in Cocksour street, by their ship the Rimertaka, which leaves Southampton early tomorrow morning. The boat train is the ten o'clock tonight from Waterloo. Cottingley's down there—he's got a couple of detectives with him from the Yard; to save time he went there and told what he'd discovered. We'll get down there at once—the immediate question is—shall we tell them fellows inside? What do you think?"

"Corderdale's just declared that he won't leave this hotel till he's questioned Mrs. Elphinstone," I replied. "He's going to wait for the doctor's return."

"Then come on!" he said. "It's now about nine-twenty—we shall be at Waterloo in plenty of time. Gad!—I shouldn't wonder if Cottingley's struck the trail at last!—I told you what a sharp chap he is."

We ran down to the entrance hall; outside there were two or three taxicabs standing about. Maythorne made for the first. "We'd better pull up a little short of Waterloo," he remarked as we got in. "Stop in York road, by the hotel there," he added to the driver. "You see, Holt," he went on as we moved off southward, "if this woman is Murdoch, she'll know you from having seen you at the Woodcock; she may know me, though I don't remember her. So we must move warily; if she's accepting a total clear-out, the least thing will put her off. But—she booked two passages, this woman of whom Cottingley's heard. Now, for whom can the other be?"

"Can she have had an accomplice?—if this woman really is Murdoch?" I suggested. "She's had accomplices here in London in that Harrow road affair, without doubt," he answered. "May be the brother she spoke of to Mrs. Elphinstone and Miss Merchison. But as an accomplice in the Mazaroff business—now! If she had—"

He paused there and remained silent so long that at last I asked him what he was thinking about. "I was thinking this," he answered slowly. "This!—that if this woman Murdoch really murdered Mazaroff and had an accomplice, and if Murdoch is the woman who booked two passages for New Zealand this afternoon, and if it's all if, you see!—if the second passage is for the accomplice, why, then, we're probably going to have a very astounding surprise and revelation! But as I say, it's all ifs."

We got out of the cab at the corner of York road and walked quickly toward the big station. Before we were half way up the incline we met Cottingley. He was lounging along with his hands in his trousers pockets and a cigarette hanging loosely from the corner of his queer mouth, and he looked as phlegmatic and unconcerned as ever.

"Thought you'd come this way," he said as we passed. "You're in good time—twenty-five minutes yet. I should say she—they, I mean—won't turn up till the last thing. And all's ready. The only thing is, if this woman is the woman we think—Murdoch—who can recognize her positively?"

"Mr. Holt can," answered Maythorne. Cottingley regarded me with speculative eyes—I fear I was not of any great account in his opinion. "Know her?" he asked. "I know her!" I answered. "Without another word he turned on his heel toward the front of the station."

"What's to be done is this," he said, walking between us. "The Southampton train leaves Number Four platform ten o'clock precisely. I've got two thoroughly dependable men from the Yard—had to go there and tell 'em everything, of course, if I meant to do any good—and they and I'll be on the platform. She'll not know us. Now, then, is there any fear of her knowing either of you?"

"The strong presumption," replied Maythorne, "is that she'll know us both."

"Very well," said Cottingley. "Then, this is what we do. I've already with the detectives, given the tip to the railway authorities—that there may be an important arrest, d'ye see? Now, I'm going to post you two just within the barrier, where you can't be seen. You'll keep there until the passengers begin coming through for the train. I shall be close by—the detectives will be a yard or two further on, in touch with me; there'll also be two or three railway police about, in case there's any bother. Now, if Mr. Holt there recognizes this Murdoch woman, he'll signal to me by lifting his hat the instant she passes him—and you can leave the rest to us."

"All clear!" said Maythorne. "We've got you, Cottingley."

I was amazed at the quickness, the dexterity, the absence of fun, in it. We had the two women into the little office close by, and the door locked, and the blinds down, before I had realized what was happening—as the key turned in the door I heard the whistle of the guard and the shriek of the engine as the ten o'clock sped out to time. And then I turned . . . to answer a question.

"That's Alison Murdoch—yes!" I said. "Yes—without doubt." The senior detective turned to the other woman. She was leaning against a table; her breath was coming in short, sharp gasps; her whole frame trembled.

"Take off that veil!" snapped the detective. "Come on, now!" We stood staring intently as the woman lifted a hand and divested herself of the thick veiling that had completely obscured her features. It fell aside—and it was from Maythorne, usually so cool and collected, that the first excited exclamation broke:

"Good G—d! Mrs. Musgrave!" Mrs. Musgrave burst into tears and turned on Alison Murdoch, who stood close by, grim and defiant. "You said it would be all right!" she wailed reproachfully. "You swore to me that we were safe, this way! You said and said again and again that there wasn't the least chance of 'em catching us—"

"Hold your tongue!" you fool!" snapped Alison Murdoch. "I stood by, sick, wondering, while Cottingley, under the detectives' supervision, unlocked the women's valises and turned out their contents. There was money there in a surprising quantity—bank notes that had been Mazaroff's, of course—and there were diamonds, and Mazaroff's personal properties. And in Alison Murdoch's valise there was a gold hunter watch, within which was an inscription to the effect that it was a present to James Bownas from his colleagues."

"There's always something that these people forget," remarked Maythorne, when, a quarter of an hour later, he and I were driving back to Short's hotel. "Or, rather, some absolutely idiotic mistake they make. If Alison Murdoch hadn't thrown that will into the Elphinstones' library, it would have been hard to get at the real truth about Mazaroff, and if she hadn't been so covetous and grasping that she couldn't refrain from carrying off that poor chap Bownas' presentation watch, we should probably never have convicted her of murdering him. However—there they both are! But . . . Mrs. Musgrave!"

"Which of them shot Mazaroff?" I asked. "Ah!" he replied, knowingly. "That's a stiff 'un, Holt! But—Mrs. Musgrave knows, and Mrs. Musgrave will tell. She'll not face it out like the other."

We hurried upstairs as soon as we reached Short's hotel—to find Corderdale and Manners talking to the doctor and Sheila in an alcove that opened off the corridor. Corderdale was evidently still indiscreet; the doctor looked somewhat annoyed and Sheila was obviously angry.

"You must see, doctor, that it's a question of duty," Corderdale was saying as we came upon them. "I want some explanation from Mrs. Elphinstone—"

"There's no need now, Corderdale," interrupted Maythorne, laying his hand on the detective's shoulder. "It's all over! We've got 'em—they're safe under lock and key."

Sheila uttered a sharp cry of surprise and Corderdale turned quickly on Maythorne. "Got 'em?" he exclaimed. "Who's got 'em?"

"Well, if you want to know, my clerk Cottingley—smartest man in Europe at your game!—he got 'em. With the help of your own people, to be sure. But the kudos is Cottingley's," replied Maythorne. "Top-hole capture."

"And who'd he capture?" demanded Corderdale, almost incredulously. "Who?"

Maythorne glanced at Sheila. "Well," he replied, "there's no secret about it now. Two women! Alison Murdoch and Mrs. Musgrave. And there's no doubt about it, either—they had property belonging to Mazaroff and property belonging to Bownas on them—actually on them!"

Corderdale turned to Manners, who, at the mention of Mrs. Musgrave's name, had opened his mouth and his eyes to their widest extent. "Oh, well!" said Corderdale. "In that case, of course, I think we needn't wait to see Mrs. Elphinstone!"

It was some days before I myself saw Mrs. Elphinstone. At last I was admitted to see her. We exchanged a few conventional remarks about her state of health. Then she sat for some time in silence, steadily staring at me—staring so steadily that I began to feel uncomfortable. Suddenly she spoke. "I suppose," she said, "I suppose that you and Sheila will become engaged—eventually?"

I thought then, that I had better speak. "The fact is, ma'am," I replied, "the fact is—that Sheila and I are engaged already!" [THE END.]

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L. L. Moore of Lubbock with Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company was in town on business the first of the week. He also visited Sterley and South Plains in the interest of his company.

Mrs. Carl Minor and Davis spent Tuesday of 1 Lubbock visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ne spent last week in San A

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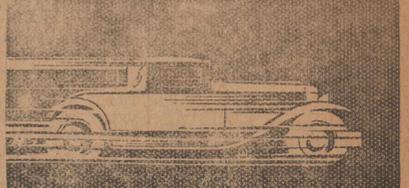
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# Dougherty News

(By Mrs. W. D. Newell)

Dougherty, Texas, July 22—McAdoo—Dougherty roads being repaired. Commissioner Payne has had the road machinery at work on the McAdoo road south of Dougherty the past week. He is raising the grade across the lakes thus making an all weather road between McAdoo and Dougherty. Both communities will be benefited by this work.

Crops in this section of the county are holding up wonderfully despite the dry weather. The early feed of course is suffering worse, cotton however is thriving and beginning to bloom and make squares. We feel encouraged by the threatening clouds that keep coming around. It won't be but a few days until we will all have to dig out our old over-shoes, boots and raincoats, and hear the farmers say "if the rain don't let up the worms are going to ruin the cotton."

Say folks! we have only one more week left to transfer our school children. The Dougherty school board has been receiving a large number of transfers, and several more are expected within the next few days. It's everyone get behind our school this year and strive to make it a better and better school. With the co-operation on the part of the patrons and patrons of the bonding districts, Dougherty will be made one of the important educational centers of Floydada, Floydada and Lockney reporting crowded conditions in schools, so why not arrange to relieve the situation by delegating a school to take care of their needs.

Are you wondering if old Battleaxe ever had the opportunity of listening to his speech on advertising? We'd like to extend an invitation for him to be with us at our public gathering.

**Church News**  
The Baptist meeting will start Sunday night of this week. Bro. Earl Landtroop will be unable to be here for the first two services, ever conference will be held Saturday night and a prayer meeting will be held Sunday morning. Bro. Landtroop will have charge of services Sunday night, continuing each night of next week.

Rev. R. L. Jameson from Whitefield filled his regular appointment Sunday morning.

The ladies of the Methodist church met in an all day gathering Monday to do some work on the windows. They used Santas paint-

ing on them. This will eliminate the needs for shades and beautify the church too. The missionary society had only a short business meeting. Beginning next Monday we will start a new study of the book of Genesis. You are invited to come and take this study with the society.

B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, July 27.

Subject—"The great commission."

Song—"Sending the light".

Prayer—Lloyd Readhimer.

"The proclamation"—Lloyd Readhimer.

"The place and time"—Thelma Crawford.

"The purpose"—Maurice Crawford.

"The plan"—Robbie Lotspeich.

"The program"—Grace Readhimer.

"The performance of the task"—Haskell Stone.

"The practical application"—Russell Crawford.

Song—"If Jesus goes with me I'll go."

Prayer by Cecil Durham.

S. M. Crawford is spending the week in Paducah, assisting Rev. Badgett of Seymour in a revival meeting.

Mrs. J. R. Readhimer entertained a number of children Sunday with a birthday dinner honoring her grandson Earnest Gray who was ten years old. Those present were: Lon, Owen, Earnest, Oliver and Tom Noble; Emert, Charles Eugene, Morece and Dorothy Jo Chilton from Amarillo and the honoree.

Mrs. Maurine Audrey from Lubbock is visiting her mother Mrs. R. S. Moore this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vert Readhimer visited Frank Pitt and wife Saturday night and were entertained with an ice cream supper.

Mrs. S. M. Crawford and family spent Sunday afternoon in Floydada visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Guley and Y. M. Moore.

A number of the Dougherty people attended the ice cream supper at Antelope. The supper was given by the Home Demonstration club and the proceeds went to defray the expenses of the club representative to the A. & M. Short Course.

Roy Crawford spent Sunday with Willard Edwards.

Miss Esther Patterson entertained her friends with a party Saturday night at the home of her parents. The young people reported an enjoyable time.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Newell Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Furrow and children;

and children; Mrs. L. H. Newell, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Newell and son; Misses Faye Newell, Irene Kreis, Esther Patterson and Lou Ella Lincoln and Messrs. S. S. Scott, Lidge Blankenship, Clarence and Mernice Wood and Wayne Furrow.

Miss Dora Lloyd has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Emert returned Saturday from Carlsbad, New Mexico where they have been since Thursday of last week.

J. J. Nettles and grandson M. J. Williams from Meador visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Campbell this week. Mr. Nettles is a brother of Mrs. Campbell.

Frank Pitt went to Quanah Thursday in an attempt to "cut some teeth," however the doctor informed him he would have to wait until he was a couple of months older. While there he visited his brother W. M. and E. E. Pitt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McNeil had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Jack McNeil; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith; and Miss Mable McNeil of Fairview, and Mrs. John Emert returned home from Corpus Christi last week.

Mrs. J. E. Newton has as her guests this week her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. J. White of Bellevue and sister Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gorman and son Warren of Temple, Texas.

J. S. McNeil and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hawk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Crawford and daughter, Selma Louise, spent the first of the week with Mr. Crawford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Campbell and sons Stokes and Maurice visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith at Wake Sunday.

Hardy Graham and G. C. Edwards left Monday for Portales, New Mexico where they will visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Harvey Garner and children from Amarillo are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Allmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fount Byars and children from Afton and Mr. and Mrs. A. Thur Lloyd from Lakeview were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lloyd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson and girls Misses Faye and Coyett are away on a vacation trip where they will be gone two weeks. They expect to go to Alabama before returning home.

Misses Dora Lloyd and Lou Ella Lincoln returned Friday from Dalhart.

Mrs. Prudence Hillyard from Paducah visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pitt a few days ago.

Miss Lucille Hammack left Monday for her home in Quanah after a visit here with her cousin, John Lanier and Mrs. Lanier. Mr. and Mrs. Lanier accompanied Miss Hammack to Quanah.

## Blanco News

Blanco, July 22.—Everyone in this community is up with their work until it rains.

Mrs. Foster Daniels entertained the T. E. L. Sunday School Class Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served and the children enjoyed a swim in the nice concrete tank of Mr. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Otil Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Simpson and children, visited Will Simpson and family of Plainview Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cates and family spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cates of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bennett have relatives from Colorado City spending the week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Badgett and children left Tuesday morning for Whitecourt to be gone several days, visiting relatives at that place. Leroy Cates accompanied them as far as Gainesville, where he will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith and family had an outing on the canyon Sunday. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rodgers carried Helen Millican home Sunday to Acuff, she having spent the last week with them.

Jim Terry spent the first of the week with his sister, Miss Foster Daniels and family.

Mrs. Ham Smith accompanied Mrs. Bob Smith to Roaring Springs and Matador Wednesday of last week.

## Alcino News

Alcino, July 21.—Mrs. D. B. Brown is in Hot Springs, New Mexico, taking a course of baths for rheumatism. We hope she will return home very much improved.

Mrs. John Arnold visited with Mrs. Annie Smith last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Annie Campbell is in Silvertown visiting with her sister, Mrs. Roy Brown.

H. O. Ginn, of Sayre, Oklahoma, was visiting with home folks at Alcino last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith motored to Plainview last Saturday.

Grandma Ginn returned home last Friday from Oklahoma where she has been for sometime visiting with her daughter.

Ocie and Gladys Roberts, of Sweetwater, Oklahoma, enroute to Earth, came by Alcino Friday and brought Grandma Ginn home.

Ruth Ginn went with them to Earth where they visited friends and relatives and returning home Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes Love, of Childress, is here visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Love and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Dozier Dillard and family, attended the singing at South Plains last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dillard and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Love who have been here visiting friends and relatives, returned to their home in Childress last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dillard took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bass Cypert.

## Sanitarium Notes

Mrs. Sam Smith of McCoy, has been dismissed from the Smith & Smith Sanitarium after being in the hospital for medical attention for four weeks. Her condition has been improved.

Mrs. N. B. Stansell was discharged from the sanitarium early last week, following an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Mildred Givens, of Crosbyton, who has been in the hospital since the latter part of June for an appendicitis operation, left for her home Wednesday of this week.

The condition of Margaret Culppeper, who has been in the hospital since July 4 for an appendicitis operation, is improving.

Fred Jones, city, who is in the hospital following a major operation last week, is resting nicely.

Tom Hodge, city, was treated for a fractured arm last week.

Mrs. Ruth Jones, of Oklahoma City, is visiting at the hospital with her mother, Mrs. Dora Crain.

Mrs. Roy Horn was admitted to the hospital Saturday night, and following a minor operation, was discharged Monday.

James Colville, city, underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday at the hospital.

## Center News

Center, July 21.—We are still dry, very dry, but hoping rain will come before it is entirely too late to help crops.

Mrs. Conner spent a few days last week with Mrs. Montgomery and children.

Mrs. Veach returned home Sunday after spending a week with her son, Burley and wife, of County Line.

We are to have a singing school open tonight here at the church, taught by C. M. Lyles. It is to last ten nights beginning at 8:15 p. m., each day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jordan and children, Maxine Ross, Ruby Cook, Charlie Cook, Orville Lightfoot and Horton Sparks, all spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harber and family.

Mrs. Montgomery and children took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spence and went to Campbell to singing in the afternoon.

Miss Georgia Bryant spent Saturday night with Miss Lois Garner.

Young Mr. Chance of Abilene, is visiting his cousin, Dennis Spence.

Misses Eula Mae Gullion and Gertrude Lightfoot spent Saturday

## Fairview News

Fairview, July 21.—The Baptist revival will begin here Friday night, July 25, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Lucy Mae and Pearl, Mary and Emma Grizzle, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Grizzle and children, of Spur, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Grizzle.

Miss Emma Grizzle, of Spur, is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Grizzle.

Mrs. Felix Pierce and baby, of Canyon, are visiting Mrs. Pierce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Rushing.

Misses Edna Beth Wilson and Iris Horton spent Sunday with Jennie Mae Sisson.

The B. Y. P. U. rendered a good program at Whiteflat Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. E. Brown attended the funeral services for her uncle, Sam Harris, at Matador Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Crabtree and son, Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beedy and son, Charles Randolph, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Conner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart, and Miss Bernice Crabtree, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. Tink Carter and daughter, of Campbell, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Timin.

## Campbell News

Campbell, July 22.—This part of the county is still dry but it is cloudy today and we are hoping for a good rain.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stovall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Ross, and Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Murray and daughters, spent Sunday at Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Q. Haney and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McNeill of Petersburg, Sunday.

Bertha and Willie Fae Warren had as their guests Sunday Cleona Fitch, Lauevina Perry, Rena Mae Lyles and Bobby Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hinkle and Irene Hinkle left Saturday morning to visit their grandparents in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Perry spent Sunday with Mrs. Peery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Robertson of Irick.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Burgett and son, Jimmie Lee, are visiting at Hereford.

The young folks will be given a party Saturday night at the home of Claudie Holiday.

The Baptist revival will begin Sunday night. Bro. Burnham, of Whiteflat, will conduct the services.

T. S. Stevenson made a trip to Lubbock one day last week.

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G. N. Shirey and daughter, Juanita, and Miss Lois Sifton spent one day last week in Plainview making arrangements for a room at Matador Hall at Wayland College, where Miss Shirey and Miss Sifton plan to attend school next long session opening in September.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. their guests recently, sister, Mrs. O. B. McMahan, McMahan and little son, They were enroute to New Mexico for a vacation trip. McMahan is with the First National Bank at Waco.

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- BAKING POWDER K. C., 25c size, 19c
- CLEANSER, Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 for, 15c
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# Floyd County Clubs

## SAND HILL CLUB

"Food Preparation and Preservation" was the subject discussed at the meeting held at 2:30 July 16 at the clubroom of the Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. L. V. Rea acted as hostess and she was assisted by Mrs. Standifer. Roll call was answered on the subject of "My Greatest Problem in Canning". "Why Food Spoils and Ways of Preserving Foods", discussed by Miss Marie Strange since Mrs. H. O. Pope and Mrs. H. A. Ballmon were absent.

"Methods of Canning" was given by Mrs. W. M. Knight in a very thorough way. Standard packs of vegetables were demonstrated by Miss Strange and many good points in canning were given.

Sixteen club members and three visitors were present and enjoyed the ice cream and lemonade and cake served at the close of the meeting by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held August 2 with Mrs. Maggie Tinnin as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Glenna Jackson. The subject will be "Children's Clothes". Roll call will be answered by "Simple Finishes Suitable for Children's Clothes". "Points to be considered in cutting and fitting a Child's Garmments" will be discussed by Mrs. Weems.

"Hygiene of Clothing" will be the topic for Mrs. Clara Brock. "Simplicity" will be discussed by Mrs. Womack.

## ANTELOPE WOMEN MEET

Ten members and four visitors were present for a meeting of the Antelope Home Demonstration Club held at their Club House on July 10. "Canning of Vegetables" was the subject discussed. Miss Strange was present and gave a demonstration on canning beans, peas, okra, squash and Swiss chard.

Mrs. Caffee, who won first place in the Butter Judging Contest, and Mrs. C. A. Smith, president of our club, will attend the Short Course for Farm Women at College Station during the first week of August.

The next meeting of the club will be held July 24, at which time we will take up the subject of "Entertainment in the Home."

## STARKEY H. D. CLUB

The Starkey Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Wales on July 17, with fifteen members, two visitors and one new member present. The subject discussed was on the preparation and preservation of food.

Miss Strange gave a demonstration on canning green beans, beet pickles, fried chicken, squash and black eye peas, which every one enjoyed. The Starkey 4H girls met with the women for the canning demonstration.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Everyone is invited to come to the next meeting, which will be held on August 21. The subject for this meeting will be "Children's Clothes." Mrs. Hassel will act as hostess.

## MRS. LEE TRICE HOSTESS TO BLANCO H. D. CLUB

Members of the Blanco Home Demonstration Club were guests of Mrs. Lee Trice at their meeting on the afternoon of July 7. "Recreation for the Home" was the subject discussed. Subjects assigned were "Keeping the play spirit alive in the home circle," Mrs. D. R. Badgett; "Home Games," Mrs. Turner; "Work as Play," Mrs. Snell.

## NOTICE!

After August 1 we will be unable to handle quilts on the 4-for-\$1 special as per former owner's prices.

## OUR PRICES:

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We use soft water in our Plant.

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## SOCIETY

### Host and Hostess To Club Members and Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John I. Hammonds were host and hostess at five tables of bridge when they entertained members and guests of the K. K. Klub Friday evening, July 18, at their home, 129 West Houston Street.

John I. Hammonds and Mrs. Homer Steen received high score for the members and S. W. Ross and Mrs. Wanda Banker were winners of high score for the guests. Pot plants adorned the center of each table and were given as cut prizes at the end of the games.

Guests of the club were: Mrs. A. N. Bratton, of Plainview; Mrs. Wanda Banker and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross.

Members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. K. Green, Mr. and Mrs. John Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Condra, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen, Mr. and Mrs. George Sherrill, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton and Mrs. Fred Brown.

The hostess served refreshments of ice cream and cake.

### Sister Honor Guest At Club Meeting.

Mrs. Joe M. Day entertained members and guests of the San Soule Bridge Club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, naming her sister, Mrs. W. C. Wright, of Long Beach, California, as honor guest.

Mrs. Roy Snodgrass received high score in the games for the guests and Mrs. L. J. Welborn was winner of high score for the members.

Guests of the club were: Mrs. Otto Faulkner, of Long Beach, California; Mrs. W. C. Wright of Long Beach, California; Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mrs. W. L. Fry, Mrs. Ogle Johnson and Mrs. A. A. Bishop.

Members present were: Mrs. Rip Snodgrass, Mrs. Leslie Surginer, Mrs. Polk Goen, Mrs. R. B. Rosson, Mrs. Flynn Thagard, Mrs. Terrell Loran, Mrs. L. J. Welborn, Mrs. Bill Daily, Mrs. Leroy McDonald and Miss Geraldine Massie.

Mrs. Terrell Loran will entertain the club Wednesday afternoon July 30, at 4 o'clock.

### WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met in a social meeting Monday afternoon at the church with Mrs. L. C. McDonald as hostess. There were seventeen members and two visitors present.

Mrs. Wm. McGehee was leader of the program on Korea.

Mrs. R. M. McCauley gave a discussion of "Social Evangelism in Korea" and Mrs. John L. West discussed, "Rural Korea." Mrs. G. R. May and Mrs. Calvin Steen sang a duet, each playing her own accompaniment.

The hostesses served refreshments of punch and cake.

Monday, July 28, will be Bible study day and the society will meet again at the church at 4 o'clock.

### Baptist W. M. S. Met For Bible Study Monday.

Twenty members of the Baptist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the church for Bible study from the Book of Revelations, taught by Rev. P. D. O'Brien. A short business session was held following the lesson. The society will meet in Circles Monday afternoon, July 28.

### Porterfield Society Held Meeting Monday.

The Porterfield Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at the church and completed their study of the Book of Exodus. Mrs. Robert A. Sone conducted the lesson.

Miss Emma Lou McKinney will be hostess to the society at a social meeting Monday afternoon, July 28, at 4 o'clock.

### Business Session of C. P. Society Held Monday.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met in a business session Monday afternoon at the church at 4 o'clock. Mrs. E. M. Eubank conducted the devotional lesson.

Monday, August 4, the society will meet again at the church at 4 o'clock.

### Mrs. Nelson Hostess At Council Meeting.

Mrs. E. C. Nelson was hostess to the Woman's Council Monday afternoon, July 21. Mrs. J. B. Jenkins had charge of the Bible study and conducted a very interesting lesson from the fourth chapter of Judges. Following this a short business session was held. There were eighteen members present.

The hostess served refreshments of punch and cake. Miss Myrtice

## Lakeview News

Lakeview, July 21—R. F. Luttrell has been ill for the past week.

H. J. Nelson and family are visiting in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dickert are visiting in East Texas.

W. N. Jones and O. M. Conway were in Plainview on business Monday.

Mrs. A. T. Pratt is slowly improving from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roy took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Conway.

Rev and Mrs. J. M. Harder visited Mr. and Mrs. Patton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Battey and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Palmer.

Mrs. Claude Patton has not entirely recovered from her recent illness.

Misses Florrie and Mary Conway spent several days last week in Floydada visiting Mr. and Mr. Geo. Gilpin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roy and family and Miss Vida Battey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mr. O. M. Conway and family.

The Rustlers B. Y. P. U. of Floydada, under the leadership of Mrs. D. R. Gresham, presented a playlet at the Lakeview church last Sunday afternoon. The senior union rendered a duet and several piano numbers. The program was under the leadership of G. N. Shirey. We enjoyed having these visitors.

Sunday afternoon is the regular appointment of Rev. Ansil Lynn pastor of the Methodist church.

August first a series of revival services will start at Lakeview Baptist church under the direction of the pastor. All are cordially invited.

Remember the associational B. Y. P. U. meeting in Floydada next Sunday afternoon. All members of Lakeview are urged to attend.

## TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY

In view of the fact that the duties of office have occupied a large per cent of my time during the past several months it has been impossible for me to see a large portion of the voters without neglecting the duties imposed on me by law and which I cannot delegate to any one else.

Therefore I am taking this opportunity to express to each of you my sincere thanks for the support you have given me in the past and trust that the service I have rendered since I have occupied the office of County Judge has met your approval and that you have not in any way had reason to regret your action in this matter.

Floyd County is now a \$13,000,000 corporation with a growing business which I believe needs as its chief officer a man thoroughly familiar with every detail of its activities and thoroughly capable and willing to assume the responsibilities imposed by this position.

If after thoroughly considering each of the aspirants for this honor you see fit to honor me with your vote on July 28th I pledge myself to administer the affairs of Floyd County in a safe, sane and business like manner and along the same lines I have heretofore followed.

Yours For Service,  
Wm. McGEHEE

## TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY

Not having a car, it has been impossible for me to see each voter. Had I had one I would have gone to each of your homes. I desire to be your next county treasurer and, if elected, will do my best to fill the office and be there every day, so you will not be inconvenienced when you have business to transact at the treasurer's office.

Mrs. H. N. Porterfield.  
(Political Advertisement)

## PEOPLE STILL READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS, HE SAYS

People still read the advertisements, Elza Gullion & Son, declares. Answers direct from an ad used in The Hesperian last week were the most prompt he has had from an advertisement since he has been in business, he declared. The advertisement appeared shortly after noon, and before 4 o'clock he had made three tire sales and answered four inquiries, as a result. "People are still reading newspapers, it looks like to me," Elza said. "I never had quicker results from an advertisement even in flush times than I got from that one."

Gullion & Son are Federal tire distributors for this section.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Teple and daughters, Mildred and Wanda, and son, Layton, left the first of last week for Waco where they will spend a few weeks visiting relatives. Clarence Anderson of Silvertown spent the week-end here.

## The Baker Says

"Love~ the tie that binds"

YOU'LL ENJOY OUR PIES

No matter whether you be old or young, you will love the flavor of our fine pies for luncheon, dinner or midnight lunch.

The best pies at the most reasonable prices are found here.

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#### WEEK BEGINNING

Sunday, July 27th

Showing Pictures at their best  
Regular admission 15 and 50c

### Sunday Matinee Monday and Tuesday

Nancy Carroll In

"The Devil's Holiday"

Green Song and Talkartoon

### Wednesday-Thursday

Zane Grey's

"The Border Legion"

With Richard Arlen, Fay Gray and Jack Holt.

Green song and Talkartoon

### Friday and Saturday

Comedially O'Neil and a Notable cast In

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Comedy "Brother for Sale"

Sunday Matinee 2 p. m.

Saturday Matinee 2:30 p. m.

Evening Show 8 p. m.

## YOU ARE INVITED---

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### ALL-ELECTRIC RADIO

The New Philco, with the brand new Tone-Control feature, is really something new and wonderfully different in the radio field.

To appreciate it's clear, mellow tones, you must hear it, and that is just what we want you to do.

### SATURDAY NIGHT

## F. C. Harmon

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There are certain types of Fire, Life and Accident insurance that are really essential to the protection of yourself, your home and your family during Vacation Time.

When you leave on that vacation, be sure that your home is protected, first by a good line of Fire insurance, and second, by Residence Burglary Insurance.

Protect yourself with Tourist Baggage Insurance, Personal Effects Insurance and Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance. The added protection of Travel Accident Insurance protects yourself, your home and your family.

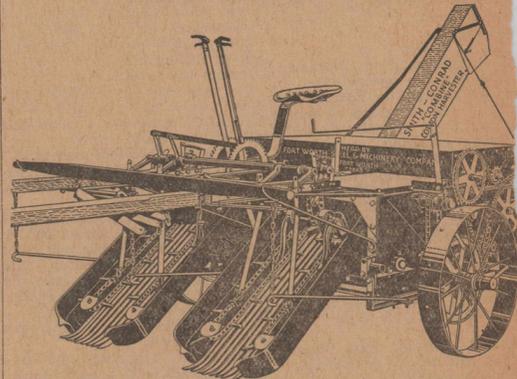
Come in and talk with us before you leave.

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"ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR"

## Constipation Troubles



"I HAVE used Black-Draught as a family medicine for a good many years," says Mrs. Sallie Laughlin, of Huntedale, N. C. "I have found it an excellent remedy for constipation and the troubles that follow it. I have suffered frequently from gas pains, and when I am bothered that way I begin at once to take Black-Draught. Relief follows quickly."

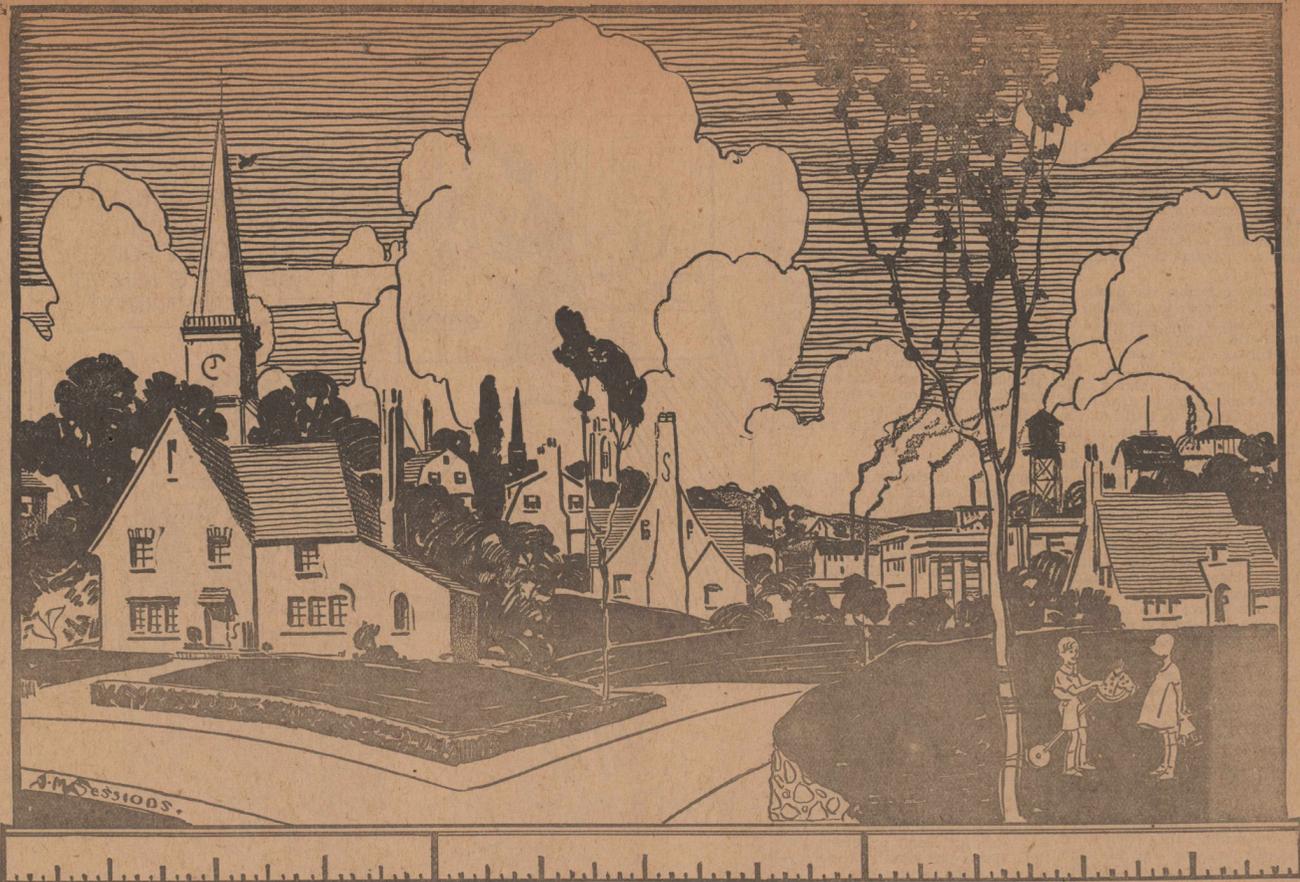
"I give Black-Draught to the children when they are constipated, and it is not long until they are running around again."

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# The Community Yardstick

Is it a good place in which to bring up a child? That is the acid test applied to any town.

How can we find the answer? By using the community yardstick—which provides a three-way test of the factors that have a direct bearing upon child life in the community. It will take but a few minutes to measure our community with this yardstick and ascertain whether or not this is a good place to bring up children. Here are the acid tests

## 1. Do We Give Our Babies a Fair Chance to Live?

**GOOD** In order to attain the rating "Good" the infant death rate of a community should not exceed five deaths, during the first year, out of each one hundred babies born alive.

**FAIR** Any community in which the infant mortality exceeds seven and one-half deaths during the first year, out of each one hundred babies born alive, would be rated as "Fair."

**POOR** This low rating is applied only to communities where the conditions have reached the disgraceful state where there are ten or more deaths of babies, during the first year, out of each one hundred born alive.

The infant of today is the citizen of tomorrow—it is deserving of a fair chance. The safeguard of infant life is the least a community can guarantee. Baby deaths are largely preventable.

## 2. Do Our Children Receive an Education to Fit Them for Life?

**GOOD** This rating is secured by communities who have safeguarded their future citizenship by seeing that at least seventy-five out of every one hundred children of school age are attending schools.

**FAIR** Whenever only sixty children out of every one hundred children are attending schools the community is given a rating of "Fair."

**POOR** This rating is applied to communities where the citizenship has failed in its responsibility to the children to such an extent that less than one-half of the children of school age are attending schools.

What greater handicap can be placed upon a child in its preparation for life, than the lack of an education. Every American boy and girl deserves the chance to go to school.

## 3. Do Our Incomes Provide the Proper Standard of Living?

**GOOD** The rating "Good" may be applied to a community where 90% of the families are enjoying an annual income of more than \$2,000 per year.

**FAIR** A community where 90% of the families receive an income annually of from \$1,800 to \$2,000 is entitled to a rating of "Fair."

**POOR** This rating is given to communities where a low standard of living is found; where the income of 90% of the families is \$1,500 or less.

Every community should seek to provide sufficient incomes for at least ninety per cent of its families so that they may secure the comforts for their children that lead to a healthy and happy childhood and youth.

Folks, these "acid tests" put the problem squarely up to us. Your ideas will be of interest to others. Let's talk it over. No matter how good our standing, it may be bettered, but only through the co-operation of all in

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A BIG ELECTION DAY

Thursday is Election Day and all signs point to the probability of a tremendous vote is going to be cast in Floyd County.

LONG BALLOT

You go to vote Saturday, and up against the longest ballot ever looked over in a prison in many moons.

THESE YEARS DO COME

You have thought that Floyd is alone in the financial straits which are claimed to then you have another ob-

BETTER CREAM PRICES

A few weeks ago The Hesperian occasion to predict a better situation in prospect as regards prices of cream and all the things that

FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

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

THE CHINESE ELM

If the Chinese elm is not as disappointing as some of the other species of trees which have been

cutting stuck in the ground. With the ash and the silver leaf maple, this type of elm, it appears, is going to help make these plains of ours more shaded.

THE COMMUNITY YARDSTICK

The acid test of any community is—"Is it a good place in which to bring up a child?"

We must remember the babies of today are the men and women of tomorrow—those who will carry on when we will have relinquished the

Other nations are making the question of birth and rearing children a paramount issue.

If our rating is above the average as shown in the Community Yardstick Page elsewhere in this issue,

wherein, our business and professional men have made this information possible, well and good—let's keep it there; if it is not up to the standard, by all means we should lose no time in taking steps to put it there.

We must consistently bear in mind the three essential factors in determining what we are doing for child life in this community.

1. Do we give our babies a chance to live?

2. Do our children receive an education to fit them for life?

3. Do our incomes provide the proper standard of living?

On first reading, they seem to be very simple questions. But the more carefully they are studied, the more thoroughly they are applied to our own community, the greater their importance becomes.

For Floydada to succeed and prosper, we should strive to become an ideal community in which to bring up children.

Let us measure our progress with the Community Yardstick and then chart our course.

Let us strive to make Floydada an ideal place in which to bring up a child.

There are many parents in Floydada whose only contact with their children's school is the child itself.

We need an awakening of public conscience in this community toward our schools.

A greater co-operation between school and home means the training of a finer group of our youth has become almost our largest and certainly our most important activity.

Each year has found an increasing interest on the part of the citizens of this country in education.

This is evidenced by the fact that although the population of the nation has increased approximately 8 per cent during the past nine years, we have witnessed a 14 per cent increase in the number of children in our grade schools and a 70 per cent increase in the number of children in our high schools.

In a period of less than ten years we have expanded our educational system from an outlay of twelve hundred million dollars to twenty-seven hundred million dollars.

In spite of this tremendous growth in school attendance and investment, many educators tell us that the adult population of this country are not taking the active interest in educational matters that the importance of the subject deserves.

This week's community campaign deals with this important factor in community life—the school.

It presents some figures that are worthy of study. Equality of opportunity is the right of every child in Floydada, and every adult whether a parent or not, should be interested in educational matters, for the way our young people are trained determines the citizens they are to be.

W. U. White returned last Friday from Austin, where he has been taking a course in pharmacy, obtaining a state certificate while there.

The Floydada Concert Band, organized four months ago and after the past sixty days under the tutelage of Band Master R. N. Riggs, made a quite creditable showing in their first public concert given last Friday afternoon on the square.

F. P. Gibson, of Dallas, is opening a racket store in the First State Bank store room facing on Missouri Street.

From the estimates of local grain dealers the production of wheat during 1916 in the plains trade ter-



With Old Battleaxe (Himself)

Old Battleaxe has for several years done his dead level best to help the Hesperian render the very best service to the public possible.

Saturday is election day, and most everybody will go to the polls and vote agin' somebody.

I don't believe that there ever was anybody that wanted to lose a vote.

Tom Love and Ma. Ferguson are sure to go into the second primary, unless, of course, one or both of them are nosed out by Sterling, Putman, Clint Small, Loven, Barry Miller, "Soapy" Moody, Jim Young, Earl Mayfield or C. E. Walker.

And here's a dead-ringer for the district judge's office. Unless Kenneth Bain, Jeff D. Ayres or H. A. C. Brummett poll more votes than both of their opponents put together, there is going to be a run-off in this race.

Believe it or not, folks, my dear friend, Jack Polley is going to be elected in the very first go-around.

As for the county officers, I never sweated so much in all my life as I did in getting this all doped out for you folks.

To start off with, I'm going to have J. N. Stallbird, M. H. Taylor, J. S. Solomon, D. C. Lowe and R. C. Covington all elected in the very first mix-up.

I've saved you folks a whole lot of worry about this here district clerk's job, too.

For county judge, I've done got it all thinned down to three men, J. W. Howard, W. H. Henderson and Wm. McGehee.

Tom Deen can't possibly lose the county clerk's race, unless J. P. Davidson gets elected in the first primary.

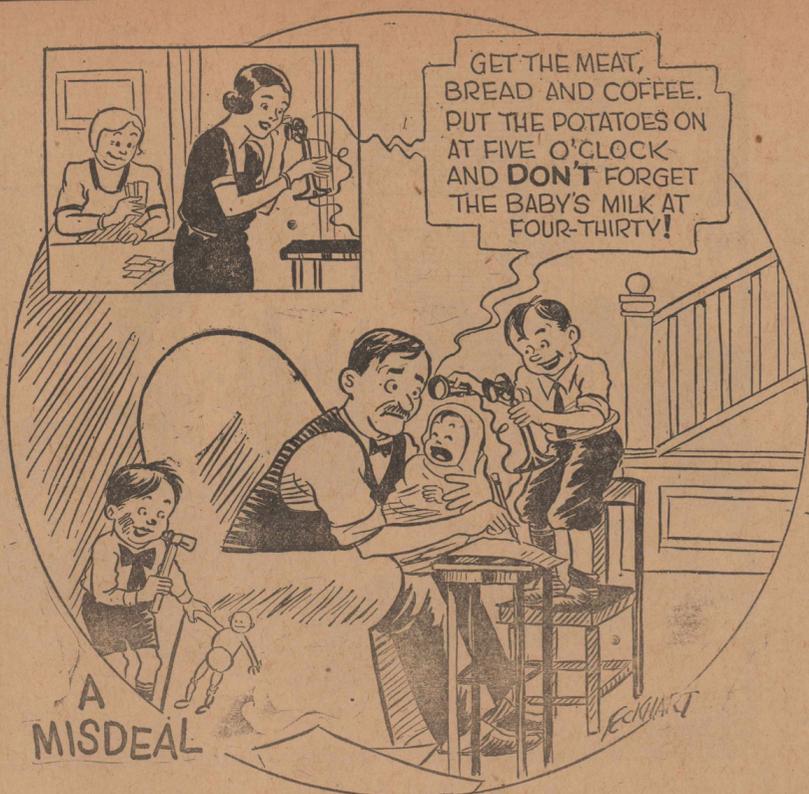
Bob Sone is a sure bet for the County Attorney's office but the

ritory served by Floydada will reach very close to 100,000 bushels. To be exact 24,104 bushels of wheat have been forwarded from Floydada in this writing.

Wells Henry has returned to Floydada and is now working permanently in the post office here.

R. H. Willis last Thursday bought a Maxwell '25" through the Gamma Land and Cattle Company, local dealers.

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



A MISDEAL

chances are fifty-fifty that Tony Maxey will be elected in the first primary.

We're shore going to have a good sheriff next term. I've just about decided to let P. G. Stegall be re-elected to this gun-totin' job in the first round, but still, I may let J. A. Grigsby or Fred Clark be the lucky man.

As for the county superintendent's office, I'm going to relieve you folks of another big worry.

Jodie Day is going to be elected to handle the job as Tax Assessor, if he is not nosed out by A. A. Tubbs or Roe McCleskey.

As I said before, folks, we are always trying to serve our readers, but I just don't think that it would be fair to the government to tell you folks just how to vote for every office, so I just ain't going to tell you how to vote for the commissioners.

Outside of the commissioners, it's all settled, folks, and you all just can't go wrong to vote as I have told you to.

A cynic is a man who became ill the first day of his vacation and the doctor ordered him to spend two weeks in bed.

Many a young man is just a chip off the old block-head.

Reports that George Washington never told a lie may be true, but we bet he never spent his vacation fishing.

A jilted New York girl sued for \$100,000, proving misery loves money.

A Chicago scientist arises at 4 a. m., to work in his laboratory. Up and atom, professor!

"Caught short," is more than a stock exchange expression to the girl who had to wear her last year's dresses this summer.

Mrs. Otto Faulkner who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nelson, and other relatives and friends for several weeks, left Tuesday for her home in Long Beach, California.

Mrs. R. M. McCauley spent last week in Plainview with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Bartley, who has been seriously ill but has shown improvement this week.

The Roundup

A Sidewalk Review Mostly About People And Personalities In Floyd County.

By The Cowhand Scribe

Well, well, well, well, got some good news for the folks.

And cheer us on our way, But we shall miss the old friends Forever and a day.

Our lives are sweet from welcomes And we rise to meet the test, But our battles are easier when we

foreign-make cars in size, small and light.....the candidates are on the home stretch now and this weekend will tell just who is who.....wait and see.....didja ever have your wife give you a good "raking over the coals" for being late to a meal, huh.....didja.

Poet's Corner

OLD FRIENDS ARE BEST (By Mrs. Harper Scoggins)

The smiles upon new faces..... The handclasp that is ours, And welcome come to greet us, Like perfume from the flowers Make our hearts to leap with gladness,

And cheer us on our way, But we shall miss the old friends Forever and a day.

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# SOCIETY

## Mrs. H. O. Cline Entertains In Honor of Visitor

Mrs. H. O. Cline entertained last Friday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock at her home on North First street with a party honoring her niece Miss Reva Mae Sanders, of Blome, who departed for her home that afternoon.

Many games were played, such as gossip, honey moon trip and punch board, after which kodak pictures were made on the lawn.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to: Emma Louise Smith, Ruth Key Green, Francis Smith, Margaret Smith, Dorothy Alice Allen, Mildred Houston, Mary Anna Ross, Virginia Stovall, Mary Watson, Genell Stovall, Mrs. Wayne O'Brien, Marie O'Brien, Dorothy Dell Stovall, Miss Bryan Meredith and Doniece Line, the honoree, Reva Mae Sanders, and the hostesses Miss Vera Meredith and Mrs. H. O. Cline.

## Brotherhood Sunday School Class Social

The monthly social of the Brotherhood class of the M. E. Church was held last Thursday evening, July 19, at 8:30 at the City Park. N. W. Williams and E. E. Hinson arranged the program.

A sing-song was conducted by R. E. Golithly, inspirational talks were made by Rev. Ansil Lynn and Dr. Griswold of Childress and a quartet rendered by J. G. Wood, Earl Rainer, J. P. Davidson and R. E. Golithly. Recreational activities were conducted by Misses Peggy and Elizabeth McKinney. Miss Peggy McKinney is recreational director of the Epworth League for the Plainview district of the M. E. Church.

In addition to the ones named above the following were present: G. A. Linder, C. R. Houston, G. R. May, Will J. Lester, Hal Lattimore, O. M. Watson, Loran Liebfried, W. E. Suite, Z. A. Suite, H. M. McDonald, Rev. G. T. Palmer, Charlie Whigham, Bill Salisbury, B. F. Wobdy, G. V. Smith, L. G. Mathews, C. P. Fulkerson, A. N. Ward, Wm. McGehee, Tom Dean, S. W. Ross, J. V. Daniel and T. P. Jones.

Ice cream, cake and soda pop were served.

## Anderson-Weaver Wedding Performed Saturday

M. Anderson and Miss Ethel Weaver, both of the Goodnight community, were united in marriage at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. W. Tubbs in the office of County Superintendent Price Scott.

## Visitors Entertained With Outing At Roaring Springs

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright and son, Gene, of Long Beach, California, were entertained Thursday evening with a picnic and swimming party at Roaring Springs.

Those enjoying the outing were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Day and son, Keith, Mrs. Lula Slaughter, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wright and son, Gene.

## Mrs. Copperell Hostess At Woodmen Circle Meeting

Woodmen Circle members of Grove No. 1033 held a social meeting Wednesday afternoon, July 16, with Mrs. W. J. Copperell as hostess.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mrs. Jas. K. Green, Mrs. J. D. Starks, Mrs. John Buchanan, Mrs. Marie Turner, Mrs. Jennie Crum and Ruth Key Green.

The Circle will meet with Mrs. Marie Turner Wednesday afternoon, August 6, at 4 o'clock.

## Morning Party Given In Honor of Daughter

Mrs. E. P. Nelson and Mrs. S. W.

## Social Calendar

### FRIDAY

Friendship Bridge Club, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davis, host and hostess, Friday evening, July 25, at 8:15 o'clock.

### WEDNESDAY

San Souci Bridge Club, Mrs. Terrell Loran, hostess at her home 625 West Missouri Street, Wednesday afternoon, July 30, at 4 o'clock.

Porterfield Missionary Society, Miss Emma Lou McKinney, hostess, at her home, 114 East Halle street, Monday afternoon, July 28, at 4 o'clock.

Woman's Council, Miss Myrtice Meador, hostess, at the church annex, Monday afternoon, July 28, at 3 o'clock.

Methodist Missionary Society meets Monday afternoon, July 28, for Bible study at the church at 4 o'clock.

Ross entertained Tuesday morning at Mrs. Nelson's home with a bridge party honoring Mrs. Nelson's daughter, Mrs. Otto Faulkner, of Long Beach, California. A profusion of summer flowers were used in decorating the home.

A lovely salad plate was served to the following guests: Mrs. Joe M. Day, Mrs. Bill Dally, Mrs. Leroy McDonald, Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. E. L. Angus, Miss Honora Childers, Mrs. Flynn Thagard, Mrs. L. J. Welborn, Mrs. Polk Goen, Mrs. R. B. Ross, Mrs. A. A. Bishop, Mrs. John Reagan, Mrs. Faye Maxey, Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. Terrell Loran, Mrs. Bob Eubank, Mrs. C. H. Davis, Mrs. W. C. Wright, of Long Beach, California, Miss Geraldine Massie, and the honoree, Mrs. Otto Faulkner.

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Miscellaneous Shower For Bride-to-be Saturday.

Friends of Miss Beulah Cummings, who was married Saturday evening to Mr. Mark DeHart, honored her with a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. E. Gaither. Mrs. Gaither acted as hostess to the visitors who brought many beautiful and appropriate gifts for the bride.

Delicious refreshments of punch and cake were served to the following guests: Miss Ima Johnson, Mrs. J. E. Eubank, Mrs. L. A. Moore, Mrs. A. S. Cummings, Miss Ima Rhea Cummings, Miss Willie Mae Cummings, Mrs. M. B. Cummings, Miss Gladys Gibbs, Miss Addie Mae Barnett, Miss Grace Adair, Mrs. Dutch Brewster, Miss Helen Sparks, Mrs. Bess Cantwell, Mrs. Velma Pennington, Mrs. P. J. Dehart; and the honoree, Miss Cummings and the hostess, Mrs. L. E. Gaither.

In addition to the many beautiful gifts brought by the guests, Miss Cummings also received a beautiful present from the telephone operators. For the past several months she has been employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company as an operator.

Ace Bridge Entertained By Mr. and Mrs. Whigham.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whigham entertained the Ace Bridge Club Tuesday evening with a motie party. The tables, tallies and score pads were in keeping with that idea, the tables being named for various studios and the tallies naming certain stars as the players' partners.

A. T. Hull and Miss Geraldine Massies got high score for the visitors. Leslie Surginer and Mrs. T. W. Whigham got high score for the members.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBrien, Dr. and Mrs. W. Hubert Seale, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Surginer, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Condra, Miss Geraldine Massie and A. T. Hull.

## Eugenia Hoffman Entertains With Week-end Party

Miss Eugenia Hoffman was hostess at a week-end party held Saturday and Sunday at her country home near Fairview. Present to enjoy the pleasant occasion were Misses Golden Louise Steen, Jessie Mae Wood, Audrey Farris, Katie Lee Thurmon, Doris Smith, Vivian Evens and Ruth Jenkins.

Special Sunday luncheon guests were Messrs. Virgie Shaw, Z. R. Felton, Sanford Shaw and Clinton Pyffe.

## Miss Cummings Becomes Bride Of Mark DeHart

The marriage of Miss Beulah Cummings, and Mr. Mark DeHart, both of this city, was solemnized Saturday afternoon, July 19, at 5:30 o'clock at the Parsonage of Rev. J. M. Hale, at Ralls. Rev. Hale, who is pastor of the First Baptist church of Ralls, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. M. B. Cummings of this city, and has resided here for several years. Mr. DeHart is the son of Mrs. P. J. DeHart, city, and has also resided here for several years.

Present at the wedding ceremony were Mrs. M. B. Cummings, mother of the bride, Mrs. L. A. Moore, Jim Young, Miss Gladys Gibbs, Ott DeHart, Mrs. Velma Pennington, Miss Ethel Hale, and Mrs. L. E. Gaither.

Mr. and Mrs. DeHart plan to make their home in Floydada.

## McCoy News

McCoy, July 22.—Rev. Carr filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kropp and son of Ralls, spent last Wednesday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Puckett.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tardy, Vester Lee and Clareet, Misses Naomi Williamson, Argaree Berry, Lorene Embry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tardy. Afternoon guests were Mrs. C. H. Payne and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tardy, of Matador, Mrs. Patten and children of Floydada.

Mrs. T. J. Embry has as her guest this week relatives from East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wahl, of Floydada, spent Sunday here with Mrs. W. W. Smith.

Miss Lou Berry spent Sunday with Miss Clara Smith.

Rube Gray and family, of Cone, spent last Friday here with Mr. and Mrs. John Gray.

Mrs. Elwood Assiter and children, of Starkey, spent Monday here with Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gray. Miss Bernice Holefield spent Saturday night with Miss Lounette Pharr.

P. H. Pharr and Lovnette spent last Friday in Tulla visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Charlie Berry and family. They were accompanied home by his grandson, Harold Lee Berry, for a few days visit here.

Miss Mildred Raley who has been attending school at Canyon visited in this community Sunday evening. She attended church here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith spent Sunday with her brother, E. R. Lowrance and family of Starkey.

## MRS. RUSSELL IMPROVING

Reports from the bedside of Mrs. T. C. Russell, who is ill in a Lubbock hospital, state that she was resting very well yesterday afternoon, and that her condition is gradually improving.

Mrs. Russell has been ill for the past several months and was carried to the Lubbock hospital last week.

Bolden Renick, of Belton, was a guest of his cousin, Mrs. Bob Smith and family Tuesday.

## Five Double Plays In Plainview Game Here

Floydada Nine Nosed Out 7-11 In Fast Baseball Game Sunday Afternoon.

Five double plays, three home runs, and a score that rocked uncomfortably close for seven innings were the grand-stand thrillers that were all packed into one game last Sunday afternoon when the Plainview nine met the Floydada baseball team at the ball park here at 4 o'clock. Floydada was nosed out in the last three innings, with the resulting "crap game" score of 7-11. At the end of the first six innings, the score stood 6-6, with Plainview scoring three runs in the seventh and two in the eighth, and Floydada scoring one in the ninth.

Jim Curry, Floydada short stop, was named by spectators as one of the outstanding players of the day, with Womack, Holmes, and Wells coming in for honorable mention. Batteries for the day were: Floydada—Wells, Yearwood and McAtee; Plainview—Helm and Garner.

The box score, score-by-innings, and summary of the game, is as follows:

FLOYDADA—									
	ab	r	h	o	a	e			
Womack m	5	1	2	4	2	0			
Curry ss	4	1	2	0	7	0			
Holmes 3b	5	0	2	2	4	0			
Mickey rf	4	0	1	2	0	0			
Wells c	5	0	2	6	0	0			
Hill lf	4	0	0	1	0	0			
Hill 2b	3	1	0	3	3	1			
Smith 1b	4	2	2	10	2	0			
McAtee p	3	1	2	0	2	0			
Yearwood p	1	1	0	0	0	0			
	38	7	13	27	21	1			

PLAINVIEW—									
	ab	r	h	o	a	e			
Chaney 3b	4	1	3	1	1	0			
D. Garner c	4	2	2	2	0	0			
Mays ss	3	1	0	4	6	1			
Helm p	5	2	2	1	2	0			
J. Garner m	4	2	1	1	0	0			
Dodd lf	3	1	2	2	0	0			
Self lb	4	1	2	12	0	1			
Golliher 2b	4	0	1	3	5	1			
Newman rf	3	1	1	1	0	0			
Neale rf	1	0	0	0	0	0			
	35	11	14	27	14	3			

Score by innings: Plainview — 2 0 3 0 1 3 2 0—11  
Floydada — 1 3 0 1 1 0 0 0 1—7

Summary: 2 base hits, D. Garner, Dodd and Self, 3 base hits, Chaney Home runs, J. Garner, Helm and Newman. Double plays, Golliher to May to Self, May to Golliher to Self McAtee to Hill to Smith, Curry to Hill to Smith, Struck out: by Helm 2, by McAtee 1, by Yearwood 2. Bases on balls: off Helm 3, off Yearwood 3. Hit batter: by McAtee 3. Runs and hits, off McAtee 7 and 10 in 6 1/3 innings.

## Sand Hill News

Sand Hill, July 22.—Rev. R. E. Bost, of Floydada, started a protracted meeting at this place Sunday morning, July 20.

We are needing rain badly in our community.

The farmers are breaking their land for the wheat crop, 1931.

W. B. Jones and family, of Dougherty, visited in this community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Hobdy, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Roberts, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Phillips, of the Lone Star Community.

Robert Weems and family took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cates.

Myrtle Bradford is visiting in Plainview this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Stockton and daughter, of Altus, Oklahoma, are here visiting with Mr. Stockton's sister, Mrs. C. L. Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morton have returned from a visit in Ellis County. They report the weather very hot and dry. Crops are late in that section of the state. Miss Matlene Morton, a niece, came home with them.

Truett Hobdy, of O'Donnell spent last week with his brother, J. U. Hobdy.

## SPEECH MAKING CAMPAIGN CLOSED TUESDAY NIGHT

Floyd County's candidates closed their series of public speeches in the interest of their respective campaigns at Lockney Tuesday afternoon and night, after visiting ten or fifteen other communities during the progress of the campaign and presenting their claims for office.

Crowds at both afternoon and night speakings were good, candidates from Floydada who attended said. Several Floydada people drove up either for the afternoon or night speaking. W. L. Fry, who was one of those to go over Tuesday night declared the candidates did themselves proud. "The candidates were just talking right out of their hearts to the folks and they made it interesting for everybody," he said. Quite a bit of wit and good-natured raillery was in evidence. The candidates and the crowd were in good humor.

In the afternoon Col. T. J. Tilson, of Plainview, made more than an hour talk for Thos. B. Love, a candidate for governor, and Judge L. G. Mathews, of this city, pled for the people of the county to cast their vote for Clint C. Small, for that high office.

## Breed Makes Report On Lions Convention

Japan, Cuba, Canada and forty-six states of the United States were represented at the Lions International Convention held at Denver Colorado July 15 to 18, inclusive, and out of all of the states represented, Texas had the largest delegation, according to Joe Breed, official delegate from the Lions Club of Floydada. Breed returned home from Denver Saturday and made his report to the local club at the regular noon luncheon Tuesday.

Earl W. Hodges, of New York, was selected as the new president of the Lions International, and Julian C. Hyer, of Fort Worth, was supported by the Texas delegation, and was elected to the first vice presidency of the club. In speaking of the men who were selected to take charge of the International Club affairs for the coming year, Breed stated that "after close observation, I have about decided that the only difference between big men and little men, is the spirit in which they do their work."

The International organization will meet next year at Toronto, Canada. More than five thousand Lions attended each day's session this year, Breed stated. Breed was accompanied to Denver by C. M. Rice, delegate from the Matador Lions Club.

At the Tuesday luncheon of the local club, Cecil Gibbs, newly elected member of the club, was presented.

## STUDIES CLEANING PLANTS

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Burchfield returned Saturday night from a trip down-state where Mr. Burchfield made a study of cleaning and dyeing plants in the interest of Boothe Tailors. He is in charge of the cleaning, pressing, and dyeing department of the Boothe shop. He visited plants at Waco and Cleburne, taking a special course in fancy cleaning and studying the latest improved methods in cleaning and pressing.

Mr. and Mrs. Burchfield were guests at Meridian of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Word. They were away ten days.

AT THE **Palace** THIS WEEK

Western Electric SOUND SYSTEM

Friday, July 25  
Rod La Rocque, in "Beau Bandit"

A glamorous love epic of the Gun-Ruled Border. Also a good comedy

Family Night  
Bring them all—one or one dozen for, 50c

Saturday, July 26  
Ken Maynard in "The Fighting Legion"

An all-talking Western Picture. Bring all the family. Also good talking comedy

Sunday, Monday Tuesday  
July 27-28-29  
Raymond Novarro in "In Gay Madrid"

Raymond Novarro back with new songs—in a heart stirring drama of Old Spain. Also Fox News and Comedy

Wednesday-Thursday  
JULY 30-31  
Greta Garbo in "Anna Christi"

Greta Garbo in her first talking picture. Don't miss it. Also good comedy.  
Regular Admission 10c and 35c

## TEXAS UTILITIES REMODEL GENERAL OFFICE BUILDING

Remodeling work on the office and store front of the Texas Utilities general office on North Main street began Friday morning, and according to S. M. Cole, manager, will be completed within the next week.

The remodeling work consists chiefly of replacing the frame store front with a new face-brick front, with built-in show windows and a marble tile entrance floor. A solid oak door also is to be included in the remodeling. All of the exterior of the building is being re-painted and a hardwood floor laid inside.

Willis & Walker are the contractors in charge of the work, and W. M. Windsor is in charge of the painting work.

The firm has continued business

## L. B. MAXEY PUTS IN NEW WALK ON WEST MISSOURI

Work was started the first of week on 200 feet of new concrete walk adjoining the curb on Missouri Street on the north side the C. E. Stone Company Store.

L. B. Maxey has the contract and work will represent an expenditure of \$150. The contract was let by a committee of the Masonic Lodge, owners of the building occupied by C. E. Stone Company.

The additional walk will be five feet in width and will extend from Main street westward 150 feet, the rear of the brick building and 50 additional feet of the same width in the off-set to the rear of the building to the alley.

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## The Red & White Stores

### Friday & Saturday

FLOUR, 48 lbs., Amaryllyis,	\$1.35
FLOUR, 24 lbs., Amaryllyis,	70c
SODA, 1 lb. Arm & Hammer, 3 for,	21c
CERTO, Regular 35c Size,	26c
COFFEE, Red and White, 3 lbs.,	\$1.19
COFFEE, Red and White, 1 lb.,	43c
PICKLES, 1 Quart Sweet Mixed,	33c
CLOROX, Per Bottle,	21c
BAKING POWDER, Calumet, regular 35c size,	28c
SOAP, P. & G., 5 Bars,	17c
PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 Can,	18c
PLUMS, Green Gage, per gallon,	49c
VANILLA SNAPS, Toy Barrel, each,	2c
1 pkg. 15c salad wafers free with each barrel Vanilla Snaps.	
BANANAS, Per lb.,	6c

FOR MARKET ONLY

BEEF ROAST, Choice Cuts, per lb.,	22c
BACON, Sliced, per lb.,	31c
BOLOGNA, Per lb.,	19c

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1927 Ford Sedan. New tires and looks good for only,	\$200.00	1 1929 Chevrolet Truck. This truck has just been overhauled and put in first class condition. This truck will give you plenty of service.	\$125.00
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FLOYDADA, TEXAS

# Macyl Burke Writes Graphic Account of Trip to France

## Former Floydada Boy Tells Of Experiences

Exclusive Series of Articles Begin In Hesperian This Issue.

(Editor's Note: Following is a graphic report by Macyl A. Burke of Dallas, former Floydada boy, who is making a sketching tour of France, of the incidents connected with the trip and his experiences. This material was taken from notes jotted down in a notebook and later mailed from France to Manrice Burke, a brother, in Dallas and then direct to The Hesperian as an exclusive news feature.

The account of the trip will be given in serial form, being continued from week to week. This is the first installment and the second will appear next week. Clip the stories out and save them; if you miss a copy call at

the office — they're interesting and certainly worth reading.)

Sunday, May 24, 1930—Came on board the Oxelosund, a Swedish freighter from Stockholm, about 8 a. m., Friday, May 22. Didn't lift anchor until a little after 10 on account of a rain that was falling. We boarded at Port Arthur, Texas, after coming from Austin the day before by train and interurban. Got in touch with a Mr. Baker who works for the Gulf Company at Port Arthur. He picked us up at the hotel at 6:30 Friday morning and took us to the boat, introducing us to the captain and talked him into taking us.

We helped cast off the lines, then the first mate told me I was off until 1 p. m. Not getting much sleep the night before I went to my bunk and rested. At 1 o'clock I went on duty and washed down the outside of the front cabins. Did this for an hour and 40 minutes and then went to the bridge where the third mate showed me how to steer;

did this another hour and 40 minutes and then went back to scrubbing and knocking rust off the beams on the front hatch.

### Eats Three Bites

Then we were off at 7 p. m. Had about 40 minutes just before 5 p. m. for coffee time. For lunch we had some dried meat and a large plate of turnips. I ate three bites and couldn't keep that down. For supper we had some kind of hot cake mixture and preserves that I didn't attempt to eat; just drank water. Went to bed a little before 8 o'clock and had to go on watch at midnight and stay until 4 a. m.

The watch is divided into three periods; first, I went up on the forecastle head 'way up in front. This is for the lookout to see that we don't run into any ships. There is a bell up there. If you see anything on the starboard side you ring one bell—that is the right side. Two bells for the portside and three bells for straight ahead. Time is also kept by bells. 1 o'clock is two bells; then you ring three bells for 1:30; 2 o'clock is four bells; 3 o'clock, six bells; 4 o'clock, eight bells. Then you start over again: 5 o'clock is two bells; 6 o'clock, four bells; 7 o'clock, six bells and 8 o'clock, eight bells. Then 9 o'clock is two bells, 10 o'clock is four bells, and 11 o'clock is six bells and 12 o'clock is eight bells.

For breakfast the second day we had plain rice and some yellow stuff (I found out later that they called it "curry"). One of the boys said it was chop suey. I took one bite of the rice and shot it across the mess hall and it sounded like buck shot when it hit the floor. For lunch we had fish and something; I did not even try to eat it. For supper sausage and baked potatoes. I passed this also.

### Gets Real Meal

Sunday morning we had two eggs, bacon, and American fried potatoes which I went into with much gusto, being the only time I have been able to eat in three days. One of the boys got me three apples. I ate one and am saving the other two in case I can't eat the lunch. They are small cooking apples but they are the best things I ever tasted. My breakfast is staying with me all right, so I guess I will feel better tomorrow.

We only work fourteen hours a day. One day we go on at 8 o'clock in the morning and work until 1 p. m. We are then off until 7 p. m.; on again from 7 until 12 o'clock. We are relieved until 4 a. m. Believe me it is no little job getting up at 4 a. m. We stay on then until 8 a. m. We are then off until 1 p. m. At 1 o'clock in the afternoon we go on duty and stay until 12 midnight; we sleep from midnight until 4 a. m. and then work until 8 a. m. Quite a schedule but there is not much else to do

and you certainly can't quit and go back.

### Rests Some Sunday

I am writing this Sunday morning as this is my morning off. Sunday we do nothing but take turns at the wheel. If anyone had told me last Sunday that I would be steering a steamship I would have told them to go jump in the ocean. The crew are all Swedes with the exception of four and they are Norwegians. Only four of them can speak English. We have the captain, first, second, and third mates. All of them are fine fellows and ask a million questions about our country but I guess I ask as many as they do. The first mate is very proud of Stockholm. He says we must not miss it. It has a population of 500,000 and if it is all he says it is it is some place. He says the Swedes are the highest civilized people in the world. They are all too educated, too many doctors, engineers, etc. He said the average doctor didn't make but \$40 a month. They all ask about the cowboys and Indians. They have all read Buffalo Bill.

Nearly every one put out a washing this morning. Something is getting scrubbed around here all the time and it still doesn't smell so hot.

(Watch for next week's installment in which Macyl tells of seeing a school of flying fish and many other interesting side-lights on his trip to France on a freighter.)



CONGRESSMAN MARVIN JONES

In the coming primary, the Democrats of the Eighteenth Congressional District, composed of Fifty-three Northwest counties, will no doubt show their appreciation of a conscientious, wise and capable servant by voting for Marvin Jones for Congress.

Mr. Jones was first elected in 1917 and has served continuously since that time. By native ability and through industry and experience he has become one of the most effective and highly respected men in the House.

If the entire House of Representatives were composed of men like Marvin Jones the standing of the National Congress would be a source of general pride. Mr. Jones does not seek the limelight. He does not speak merely to get into the record, but when he does speak he has something to say, and the members of the House always listen to him.

Mr. Jones has had very little opposition, and in the few instances when it has developed his opponent has accepted defeat with little surprise, and everybody seemed to have a good time. His merit is recognized, and each added year finds Mr. Jones more strongly entrenched in the confidence and esteem of his constituents. Even those who disagree with him occasionally on national questions are proud of the manner in which he serves all of the people of the district, and of the record he has made.

The people of the Plains are always glad to support Marvin Jones. The Herald-Perryton. (Political Advertisement)

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons having claims against the Estate of James A. Burrus deceased, are notified, that on the 7th day of July 1930, letters of administration on the above mentioned estate were issued to the undersigned, and claims against said estate should be promptly filed with me.

F. P. Henry, Floydada, Texas. 204tc.

Troy Burson of Silverton visited friends here Sunday.

### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between Arthur P. Barker and B. K. Barker, under the firm name of Lockney Auto Company and transacting a general Ford Auto Sales and Service business, in the City of Lockney, Floyd County, Texas, and also operating under the firm name of Barker Bros. and transac-

ing a general Ford Auto Sales and Service business in the City of Floydada, Floyd County, Texas, was on the 5th day of December A. D. 1929, dissolved by mutual consent.

Arthur P. Barker assumes all the liabilities of the said business, of Lockney Auto Co., and is authorized to collect all the debts owing to said Firm, and to make all settlements of whatsoever character or nature relative to the final adjustment of the matter of said partnership.

B. K. Barker assumes all the liabilities of the said business of Barker Bros., operating at Floydada, Texas, and is authorized to collect all debts owing to said firm, and to make all settlements of whatsoever character or nature, relative to the final adjustment of the matters of said partnership.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, this the 8th day of July, A. D. 1930.

B. K. Barker,  
ARTHUR P. BARKER.  
212tc.

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## Revival Meeting Grows In Interest, Numbers

The revival meeting now being conducted by Thos. E. Millholland of Denton, Texas, is growing in interest and numbers at each service. The singing led by the local minister, H. P. Cooper, is exceptionally good. The services begin promptly at ten a. m. and eight thirty p. m. each day. A very earnest desire on the part of the members of the church of Christ in this city is that their friends and neighbors attend these services.

The sermons are delivered in all kindness and spiritual fervor. The evangelist is pleading for a return to the simplicity and love, zeal and spiritual power of the old time camp meeting when our fathers and mothers sang "A Charge to Keep I have, God to glorify, A never dying to save and fit it for the sky." day services are a real feast to the soul.

The local minister, brother Cooper, requests that anyone not having a copy of conveyance, will report to him. It will be a pleasure to furnish a way to all who desire to attend the meeting, the minister said. Evangelist is not of the modern thrasher type. There is no egotism on the part of the preacher to little excite the audience. He is the light to the heart of the church the pure plain old story can be told His Love. The meeting will continue next week.

—Reporter.

## METHODIST CHURCH

T. Paumer, Pastor  
Very grateful for the fine attendance in Sunday school last Sunday was a good mark of encouragement. We appreciate the splendid spirit of faithful loyalty shown by officers and members of the church. Remember that you have an earnest invitation to attend our school bigger and better.

Preaching by the pastor at 11:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.  
The three Leagues meet at 7:30 p. m.  
The young people will have charge of the song service at the evening hour and will render some special music. We shall be glad to have you attend the services of the Methodist Church.

## MT. BLANCO BAPTIST CHURCH

Preaching Saturday night at 8:15 o'clock, and Sunday School Sunday at 10 a. m. and preaching at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U.'s meet Sunday night at 8:15 o'clock, no evening preaching services being held since the pastor will begin a revival meeting at Campbell Sunday night, assisted by H. M. Burnam, pastor of the White Flat Baptist Church.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dick O'Brien, Pastor  
Our slump in Sunday school attendance proved to be only temporary, as there were 438 present last Sunday as against 357 the Sunday before. Also the B. Y. P. U. spirit was up to normal again.

We enjoyed the stay at Ralls for the past two weeks during which time we have been preaching in a revival meeting. The meeting grew in attendance and power from the very first service. Scores were turned away from the church for the last service on Sunday night. There were more than 50 conversions and reclamations during the meeting. The pastor baptized a large number in the beautiful new baptistry at the close of the Sunday night service. The Ralls church has one of the finest and most commodious buildings in the west, with all modern equipment for Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. work.

The pastor, Rev. J. Matt Hale, has been with the church three years and is held in very high esteem by the church and community.  
Next Sunday we expect to have all regular services with the pastor in the pulpit at both hours. In the morning we expect to continue our studies in the book of Genesis and at night the message will be

evangelistic Sunday a high day. We shall expect you in your places at all services.

## LAKEVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 10 A. M.  
Fred Battey Sunday school Supt.  
B. Y. P. U. 8:30 P. M.  
Mrs. L. E. Kiker Director.

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Claude Wingo, Pastor  
Sunday, July 27, Bible school 9:45 a. m. Let's have 150 next time. If one person is absent it will cause the red line for the entire Sunday school to go down. Come.

Morning preaching, "The bird with a broken pinion will never soar as high again."

Junior Endeavor 7 p. m., Gladys Ruth Brown, leader. 35 present last Sunday. Let's have 50.

Senior Christian Endeavor 7:30 p. m. Audrey Farris, leader. Subject, "Missions in a changing China."

Evening preaching services, 8:20 p. m. Subject, "Light of the World."

Many visitors Sunday. We continue to grow.

## HI LEAGUE PROGRAM

Hi League program arranged for Sunday, July 27, at 7:45 p. m. is as follows:

Leader—Bonnie Dell Fyffe.  
Hymn—In The Garden.  
Scripture reading—1 Cor. 3:9-11; I Tim. 3:14-16.—Leader.

Talk—The Holy Catholic Church—Harold Dee Salisbury.  
Prayer—George Palmer, Jr.

Talk—The Protestant Church—Virginia Stovall.  
Hymn.

Talk—The Church in America—Edele King.

## RUSTLERS' B. Y. P. U.

Topic: "The Power of the Cross."  
The Dying Thief—Allen Grisham.  
A Persecutor Becomes a Disciple—Amy McRoberts.

A Tinker Becomes a Preacher—J. E. Crow.  
Modern Examples of the Power of the Gospel—Clara Belle Goughly.

How Christ Changed a Chinese—Juanita Hand.  
The Gospel Work in Argentina—Wilmer Jones.

Members of the B. Y. P. U. who attended the program given at Lakeview last Sunday were as follows: Bernice Patton, Faye Newell, Lola Barnes, Clara Belle Goughly, Lorena Spence, Amy McRoberts, Johnnie Johnston, Allen Grisham, Gilbert Nichols, Lavelle Reid, Wilmer Jones, J. D. Moore, Mrs. D. P. Carter, sponsor, and Mrs. Ray Grisham, leader.

The Rustlers' B. Y. P. U. members met at the church at 7:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon to go to Sand Hill to attend the preaching services. Rev. H. E. Bost is conducting a revival there. The trip was made in a truck and twenty members were in the party of young people.

## JUNIOR Y. W. A. GIRLS

The Junior Y. W. A. girls will meet at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock and will give the following program:

Song, "O Zion, Haste." Prayer. Devotional.

Introduction—Selma Lider.  
Field of activities—Lavern Rimmer.

Method of approach: 1 schools—(a) Genell Stovall; (b) Iva Glen Reid; Thelma Joe Hamilton. 2. Hospitals—(a) Norene Spence; (b) Mardell Mitchell.

Agents of evangelism—Ruth Roddam.

All members are urged to be present and visitors are welcome.

The Y. W. A. will sell ice cream and lemonade on the court house lawn Saturday afternoon to raise funds to send a delegation to the Ceta Canyon Encampment in August.

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM

Program for the Christian Endeavor of the First Christian church for Sunday afternoon, July 27, at 7:30 o'clock, is as follows:

Missions in Changing China. Leader—Audrey Farris.  
Song—"I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go"

Scripture Reading—Kinder Farris.  
Song—"I Love Him Because He First Loved Me"

Prayer—Bro. Wingo.  
What political change has taken place in China within the past twenty years.—Hazel Probasco.

Do you believe that Jesus Christ can help China? How?—Ruth Jenkins.

What religion is most common in China? What is its effect?—Myrtle Meadow.

Piano Solo—Ruth Enoch.  
Which method of evangelism is best, the sending of our missionaries or the use of native evangelists as soon as possible? Why?—Layton Dorrell.

Can the present day plan to build hospitals, etc. take the place of building mission stations? In other words, can hospitalization take the place of evangelization?—Waldo Houghton.

Business.  
Song—"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

Benediction.

Miss Ila Lassiter and Miss Royce Blackwell, both of Spur, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whigham from Wednesday of last week until Sunday, when Mr. and Mrs. Whigham took them home. Mr. and Mrs. Whigham were accompanied home by Miss La Fern Hazelwood who is their guest this week.

## Sunday School Lesson

### WOMAN'S INFLUENCE

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for July 27. Woman's Influence in Community and National Affairs. Judges 4:1-10.



We are apt to think of woman's active participation in public affairs as of relatively late date, coming to its climax only during the last few years. Perhaps, however, few things are more remarkable in history than the way in which, despite the general relegation of women to a place inferior to man, women have, none the less, achieved conspicuous leadership and rendered profound service.

Here is a crisis in the affairs of Israel, in a time of unsettlement, when Israel was surely in need of leadership, it is interesting to find the chief leadership entrusted to a woman. Deborah, we note, was also a married woman. Whatever her personal or home obligations may have been, they had become enlarged by the strength and richness of her character, for she was not only a leader in the civil life—a judge of Israel, but she was a prophetess. It was her prophetic vision and messages that had no

doubt given her her pre-eminence in the nation.

### The Source of Her Power

It is rather a stately picture that we have of her dwelling under the palm tree that had become associated with her name—a notable tree in the hill country of Ephraim, whither the children of Israel came to here for judgment.

The influence of good women has never been greater than when it has been exercised upon men, and Deborah's power seemed to lie largely in her capacity to inspire and guide others. She called Barak and gave him a military commission to go to Mount Tabor and take with him ten thousand men to fight Sisera, a captain of Jabin's army, who had nine hundred chariots of iron, and who for twenty years had "mightily oppressed the children of Israel."

Barak was not altogether ready for his task. He evidently feared the greatness of the power which Deborah was urging him to fight; but he had profound faith in Deborah, so much so that he declined to go without her; but he agreed to go if Deborah would accompany him. Deborah did not depend merely upon womanly influence, she was a woman of decisive action. She announced her readiness to go with Barak, though she also rebuked his lack of manfulness by reminding him that he should have no honor out of the encounter, as Sisera would fall through the hand of a woman.

The upshot of the whole matter need not be fully dwelt upon. Deborah's prediction fell true, and Sisera succumbed to assassination at the hand of Jael whose vigor and determination rather than her womanliness seemed manifest in the driving of a nail into Sisera's skull.

It must be remembered that the whole period was one of unsettlement when the life of Israel was in some measure disorganized, and there was a lack of that patient religious enthusiasm characteristic of the people in their highest experiences. It is against this background of a people lacking faith and courage and weak under oppression that Deborah's own faith and power of action stand out.

Lorraine Nelson of Amarillo spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson. Lorraine is with the City Drug Company of Amarillo and has been employed in the company's store at Tulsa for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shenefelt of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross.

Mrs. B. L. Hall left Sunday her home in Lubbock after a week here with her son, Lattimore and wife.

## Election Time — SPECIALS —

Coffee	Folger's	1 lb. Can,	43c
Corn	No. 2 Standard	2 for,	25c
Flour	Light Crust New Car,	48 lb. Sack,	\$1.69
Raisin Bran	2 Boxes for,		25c
Asparagus TIPS	Extra fancy, per can		19c
SALAD Dressing	Kraft's, per jar		19c
Hams	Picnic, 4 to 5 lbs. av.,	Per lb.,	25c

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All Dresses that sold up to \$3.95, go at	\$1.95
All Dresses that sold up to \$4.85, go at	\$3.19
All Dresses that sold up to \$6.85, now	\$3.95
All Dresses that sold up to \$11.85, now	\$6.95
All Dresses that sold up to \$19.50, now	\$9.95
All Dresses that sold up to \$29.50, now	\$14.95

### WONDERFUL VALUES IN HATS

Ladies' Hats that sold for \$4.50 and \$5.00, go for	\$2.95
Ladies' Hats that sold up to \$3.95, go for	\$1.95
One Lot Children's Hats, Special	98c
Closing out one big table of shoes that sold up to \$6.50, Sale Price	\$1.95
One Big Table of Shoes formerly priced up to \$8.50, Close Out Price	\$2.95

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**O. WARREN IS MANAGER  
LOCKNEY TEXACO STATION**

J. O. Warren, formerly connected with the Texaco Service Station of this city, has been made manager of the Texaco Station at Lockney. The station will not be under the supervision of the Floydada station as has been the case in the past, according to an announcement of Geo. B. McAllister, manager of the Floydada division. Mr. Warren is now making his home in Lockney.

**Local And Personal**

W. W. Mabley and C. B. Harvey of Hillsboro have returned home after visiting with relatives and friends at Mt. Blanco, Floydada, Quitaque, and Paducah. Mr. Mabley has been a rural mail carrier at Hillsboro for 24 years. His nieces, Misses Ruby and Ruth McMurray, accompanied him home to spend some two weeks with relatives at Hillsboro, Dallas, Fort Worth, Austin and Stephenville.

Mrs. A. L. Scoggin and daughters, Merle, Mary Lou and Charlotte Rae of Lubbock spent the week end visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickey and other relatives. Mack Scoggin and Miss Mary Lou Hopper came over Sunday and accompanied his mother and sisters home.

Martin True and Loyd McLaughlin last Thursday accompanied W. E. Patty to Lubbock, where they made inquiries relative to getting Martin and Loyd in Tech College next term. They were accompanied by Misses Amy McRoberts and Gertrude True, who visited with friends in Lubbock.

Mrs. Wanda Banker and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Johnson visited friends in Plainview Monday of last week.

T. W. Whigham of the Radio Electric Co. attended the District Frigidaire Conference at Lubbock Saturday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Whigham and their guests, Miss Ila Lassiter and Miss Royce Blackwell of Spur.

Mrs. Joe Breed returned home Sunday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Rosser, of Blaine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams and L. J. Adams of Amarillo were in Floydada over the week-end. Mr. Adams' father, S. O. Adams, J. L. is civil engineer for the Rock Island Railroad and is stationed now at Amarillo.

Miss Johnnie Mae Lanier, who is employed as a nurse with the Lubbock Sanitarium at Lubbock is spending her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lanier. She arrived July 13 and will return to her duties July 28.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson Mahan and son, Wilson, Jr., of Vernon, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gibbs Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. Mahan is manager of the C. E. Stone Co., of Vernon, being transferred from Floydada. Mr. Gibbs is king his place as manager here.

Mrs. Mary Atwey and daughter, Tommie Lee, of Lubbock spent Thursday night and Friday morning here as guests of Mrs. Alice Hathaway.

**Two-Material Suit Adds Loveliness,  
Individuality to Summer Clothes**

BY HARRIET

Using printed materials in an individual way is a real test of one's imagination.

Some of the loveliest summer things are the result of this two-material idea. Using the print as the body of a dress, with plain touches, or vice versa, is the usual order of things.

Newest of all is the two-material suit that uses plain material for the skirt and makes the jaunty little jacket of figured fabric.

Some of these jackets are gaudy in their designs, using plaids, checks and stripes in sportive effects. Others are demure but richly embroidered in delicate floral pattern.

One suit of handkerchief linen has its skirt white, bordered in lavender, and its entire coat made of alternating strips of lavender and white, fagotted together.

For mid-summer sporting events, the polka dotted and plain crepe suit is new and very smart.

One of these has plain light blue crepe for its gored skirt and a double-breasted jacket of the light blue polka dot material, lined with plain silk to match the color. The jacket is neatly tailored, fits perfectly, has a deeply notched collar, in masculine cut. It is finger-tip length. With this suit a white silk shirt is worn and a polka dotted silk tie, exactly the shade of the suit. Either a plain white or a plain blue beret tops it in style.

One of the newest tricks to make a printed dress individual is use of over-collars and over-cuffs. These are quite a new invention. They are made with finished strips that fit back under the collar line and wrist line and snap onto the frock. No sewing. Just laundering and replacing by snapping. Really, they are a boon to the girl who wants to look her neatest all the time.

A very smart illustration of this idea is a finely printed red and beige crepe frock, made with a bolero outlined with a pleated frill of the same material and a deeper frill posed at low pleum line around the skirt. Below this a deep pleated flounce gives grace to the frock.

W. C. Wright and son, Gene of Long Beach, California, who with Mrs. Wright have been here visiting her mother, Mrs. Lula Slaughter, and other relatives, left Sunday for their home. Mrs. Wright remained for a longer visit. Mr. Wright and son were accompanied home by Melvin Slaughter who will spend the winter with them and attend school.

Mrs. Cella Ross returned Monday from Amarillo where she had spent the past week visiting her daughter Mrs. E. C. McReynolds and family. Her little granddaughter Mary Edwin McReynolds returned home with her.



At the left you see how well blue and white polka dotted crepe combines with plain blue for a sports suit. Red and beige print makes a smart frock with ruffles and lingerie touches, as shown at the right.

The collar and cuffs are made of the impression of a jabot. The cuffs slope upward, almost reaching the elbow on the outside. They fasten shut with little buttons made of the frock's material, on the inside.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Harris and children of Harlingen were here last mid-week visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shurber. Mr. and Mrs. Harris also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harris, of Lockney, former residents of this city. Otis is district manager of the C. E. Stone Company Chain Stores in the Rio Grande Valley district and was here while on his vacation.

T. S. Guilmarin and daughters, Misses Lillie May and Beatrice, of Olney came Tuesday evening for a visit of several days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Guilmarin and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Manasco, Miss Honora Childers and Robert Ashly Childers made a trip to Plainview Sunday.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. D. Ferguson, of Dougherty, a daughter, July 11.

Mrs. W. L. Boerner, who was quite ill for several days, is able to be up this week.

J. A. Conner of Silverton arrived Monday to spend a few days with his son, S. F. Conner, and family of this city.

Miss Minnie Alexander of Paducah has accepted a position with Smith & Smith Sanitarium as nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hale of Ralls were in town with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Small and little daughter of Amarillo were in Floydada a short time Monday. Mr. Small is a brother of Clint Small, candidate for governor.

Mrs. E. W. Holmes and son, Roy, visited L. P. Orsburn and family in Lubbock Sunday. They were also guests at Lorenzo of a cousin, Mrs. E. Smith.

Miss Peggy McKinney, Miss Wilma Deen, and M. L. Solomon spent Saturday in Canyon. They returned Sunday.

**THE FATE OF GREATNESS**  
A movie star on a rampage makes much more noise than a scientist discovering a few million more worlds.—The American Magazine.

**H. J. R. NO. 11  
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL  
AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED  
ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930.**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:  
Section 1. That Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 16, which shall read as follows:

"Section 16. All land mentioned in Sections 11, 12 and 15 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, now belonging to the University of Texas shall be subject to taxation for county purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned; provided they shall be rendered for taxation upon values fixed by the State Tax Board; and providing that the State shall remit annually to each of the counties in which said lands are located an amount equal to the tax imposed upon said land for county purposes."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at the next general election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1930. (A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Floyd,  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, on the 24th day of June 1930, by T. P. Guilmarin Clerk of said District Court of Floyd Co., Texas for sum of Four Thousand six hundred forty-four & 68/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of E. C. Reagan in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2196 and

Witness my hand, this 30th day of June, 1930.  
194tc P. G. STEGALL,  
Sheriff Floyd County, Texas.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF FLOYD.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a certain ORDER OF SALE issued out of the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, on the 5th day of July, 1930, by the Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Eleven Thousand, One Hundred, Seventy-Nine & 78/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of Mrs. Katie Swain, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2235 and styled MRS.

KATIE SWAIN vs. F. J. WHITE and MARIE WHITE, placed in my hands for service, I, P. G. Stegall, as Sheriff of said Floyd County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of July, 1930, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of the W 1/2 of the E 1/2, and all of the E 1/2 of the W 1/2 of Section No. 67, Certificate No. 1246, in Block 1, A. B. & M. Survey, containing 320 acres of land, situated in Floyd County, Texas,—said property being situated on the Lee Highway, or State Highway No. 28, about 1 mile East of Floydada, Texas, and being known as the "M. F. Swain Place," and levied upon as the property of said F. J. White and Marie White, and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1930, the same being the 5th 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 Order of Sale I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said F. J. White and Marie White.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Floyd County Hesperian, a newspaper published in Floyd County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of July, A. D., 1930.  
P. G. STEGALL,  
204tc Sheriff Floyd County, Texas.

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style E. C. Reagan, vs. E. L. Campbell et al, placed in my hands for service, I, P. G. Stegall as Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did, on the 30th day of June 1930, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain 160 acres of land situated in Floyd County, Texas First Tract: being the south 106.6 acres of the U. S. Wilkinson Homestead donation survey of 160 acres designated as Abstract No. 1153, Patented to U. S. Wilkinson, June 25th, 1895 by Patent No. 518, Volume 27, and recorded in Volume 1, page 132, Patent records for Floyd County, Texas, the 106.6 acres being described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of said survey for the southwest corner of this tract; thence east 950 varas to the southeast corner of said survey; thence north 633 1/2 varas to a stake in the east line of said survey; thence south 950 varas to the beginning.

Second Tract: being 35.6 acres off of the U. S. Wilkinson 160 acre Pre-emption survey, abstract No. 1389, patent No. 22, volume 31 and described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of said survey for the southeast corner of this tract; thence north 633 1/2 varas to a stake in the east line of said survey; thence west 316.8 varas to stake in West line of said survey; thence south 633 1/2 varas to the southwest corner of said survey; thence east 316.8 varas to the beginning.

Third Tract: 17.3 acres off of the south end of the north half of the south half of survey No. 337, J. S. Fox, Patent No. 390, Volume 36, and described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of abstract No. 1389, above described for the southwest corner of this tract; thence north 158.4 varas to a stake; thence east 633 1/2 varas to a stake in east line of survey No. 337; thence west 158.4 varas to a stake; thence south 633 1/2 varas to the beginning. The said three tracts containing all 160 acres as aforesaid. And levied upon as the property of H. M. Jones and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1930, the same being the 5th 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 Judgment and order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. M. Jones.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Floyd County Hesperian, a newspaper published in Floyd County.

Witness my hand, this 30th day of June, 1930.  
194tc P. G. STEGALL,  
Sheriff Floyd County, Texas.

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**MUST SELL CHICKENS** this week. If you want chicks, see ours at Floydada Hatchery. SATURDAY will be the last day. Come in and get some cheap chicks. Floydada Hatchery. 221tc

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**FOR SALE** or trade for town lots one 1929 Chevrolet truck. T. T. Hamilton. 212tp

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**REAL ESTATE**  
FOR bargains in lands and town lots see Arthur B. Duncan, Floydada Texas. 401tc

25,000 ACRES, the best ranch proposition west of Olton \$15 an acre, to trade for Floyd County land worth the money. J. B. Downs, office Tourist Park, Lockney, Texas. 212tp.

**FOR SALE**—or trade for land or leity property, brick business rental property, well located, in Vernon, Texas. J. U. Borum. 222tc

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**FOR SALE**—240 acres nice improved farm 6 miles Northwest of Ralls; known as the Vincent Starch place; one third down, balance long term. Also 120 acres, nice level land near Petersburg; easy terms. John F. DuBose, Plainview, Texas. 420tp.

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## Short Course Experts to Discuss Agricultural, Home Making Topics

### O. Walton Will Open Twenty-First Program

Farmers, Club Women, Boys and Girls To Take Part At A. & M.

College Station, Texas, July 22.—Completion of detailed program for the twenty-first annual Farmers Short Course at the A. & M. College of Texas, July 28-Aug. 1, as announced by Extension Service officials, discloses a wide range of discussion in agricultural and home making fields for men and women, boys and girls. Numerous recognized experts, including W. F. Schilling of the Federal Farm Board, O. E. Baker, bureau of agricultural economics of the United States Department of Agriculture, others will contribute to the general programs, while the group programs will be conducted by specialists of much experience in their respective fields.

#### Lasts Five Days

All told, the five day gathering promises a series of addresses and talks covering the general field of agricultural endeavor with emphasis on modern methods and particular attention to timely phases. Attendance is expected to be around 5,000 with the representation of 4-H Club boys and girls equalling last year's record of 1,700.

President T. O. Walton of the college will formally open the short course with an address Monday morning, July 28. Director O. B. Martin of the Extension Service will preside at the opening session.

The program has been so planned as to offer sessions of particular appeal to members of every group. Special group sessions for men, boys, women and girls have been worked out and general entertainment features, including historical and agricultural pageant entitled "Texas, the Magnificent," to be presented Thursday night on the lawn at Guion Hall, will augment the more serious group discussions and talks.

#### Give Lecture Series

A series of general lecture programs dealing with the farm problem from three aspects—efficient utilization of land, efficient distribution of farm products and cutting the cost of production—will be held in the mornings. These discussions are expected to appeal particularly to farmers and county agents. Dean E. J. Kyle of the school of agriculture, A. & M. College, will open this series with a discussion of "The Triangle of Agriculture." Other speakers who will appear in the series of farm problem talks will include: Dr. Gus W. Dyer, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. O. E. Baker, senior agricultural economist, bureau of agriculture; W. F. Schilling, member Federal Farm Board; John C. Burns, manager Texas Livestock Marketing Association, Fort Worth;

Lawrence Westbrook, organization manager, Texas Cotton Cooperative Association, Dallas, and others.

Addresses of general interest, for adults, will be given every night except Thursday night when the out-door pageant with an all-farm cast will be staged. Speakers for these night programs will include Dr. Gus W. Dyer, Nashville, Tenn.; W. F. Schilling, member Federal Farm Board; Mrs. E. E. Davis, Arlington; Hon. Tom Connally, United States Senator for Texas.

Group sessions for subject matter consideration will be held in the afternoons for men, and in the mornings and afternoons for women and girls and for boys. Joint meetings will be held every morning by the boys and girls.

The subject matter programs for men will be given over to discussion of poultry, livestock, field crops and farm engineering and horticulture.

Homemakers programs for women and girls will feature subjects of special interest to farm women and girls. Recognition of Texas Master Farm HomeMakers will be accorded at the opening of these group sessions Monday morning, July 28.

#### Divided Into Sections

For the sake of convenience the groups of boys and girls will be divided into sections, the boys into four sections and the girls into five sections. Each section of the boys group will receive the same program in turn as will be the case with the girls group.

Special meetings to be held during the period of the short course and in conjunction with it include: County Superintendents Conference, direction Prof. W. L. Hughes, department of rural education, A. & M. College; Texas Beekeepers Association, July 28-29, Dr. S. W. Bilsing, department of entomology, A. & M. College, in charge; Agricultural Writers Conference, sessions every afternoon, A. D. Jackson, chief, division of publications, Experiment Station, in charge; Experiment Station Workers, daily in Experiment Station administration building; Extension Workers Conference, daily; cooperative marketing session, Monday afternoon, July 28, with W. F. Schilling, member Federal Farm Board, and directors of Texas cooperative associations taking the leading roles.

#### Providence News

(Crowded out last week)

Providence, July 14.—J. W. Davenport and Aubrey Stockton of Hart came home Saturday night to spend Sunday with Mr. Davenport's family.

J. W. Crawford of Seth Ward spent last week here with his daughter Mrs. Alma Davenport while Mr. Davenport was at Hart working on his new place.

Lavelle Abbott and Miss Dot Pullen of Lubbock were guests of her mother last Thursday evening.

Richard Gilbreath of California spent Thursday evening as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman.

Dave Kennedy and little daughter Annabell left Saturday for Lubbock to spend several days visiting his brother, J. W. Kennedy and wife.

W. A. Boedeker and family visited near Prairie Chapel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Sammons were in Plainview Saturday.

Roland and Hazel Crouch have arrived home from Winchester, Ill., where they have been attending school.

Mr. Smith of Lockney was in this

community on business last week.

Tom W. Deen, candidate for county clerk, and Price Scott, candidate for county superintendent, were in this community last week campaigning with the voters.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edelman were in Plainview last Saturday on business.

Curtis Hibdon played ball at Silvertown last week. He has an engagement with the Silvertown team the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ooley and children of Plainview visited in the community Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman attended the ball game at East Mound last Sunday evening.

Cliff Dameron of Plainview spent Sunday with her parents.

Herman Ratjen, and Bill Bennett were in Plainview last Saturday on business.

#### S. J. R. NO. 19

PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

The Legislature shall meet every two years at such time as may be provided by law and at other times when convened by the Governor. When convened in regular Session, the first thirty days thereof shall be devoted to the introduction of bills and resolutions, acting upon emergency appropriations, passing upon the confirmation of the recess appointees of the Governor and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special message to the Legislature; provided that during the succeeding thirty days of the regular session of the Legislature the various committees of each House shall hold hearings to consider all bills and resolutions and other matters then pending; and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor; provided further that during the following sixty days the Legislature shall act upon such bills and resolutions as may be then pending and upon such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special messages to the Legislature; provided however, either House may otherwise determine its order of business by an affirmative vote of four-fifths of its membership.

Sec. 2. That Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Members of the Legislature shall receive from the public Treasury a per diem of not exceeding \$10.00 per day for the first 120 days of each session and after that not exceeding \$5.00 per day for the remainder of the session.

In addition to the per diem the members of each House shall be entitled to mileage in going to and re-

turning from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed \$2.50 for every 25 miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel, from a table of distances prepared by the Comptroller to each county seat now or hereafter to be

established; no member to be entitled to mileage for any extra session that may be called within one day after the adjournment of a regular or called session.

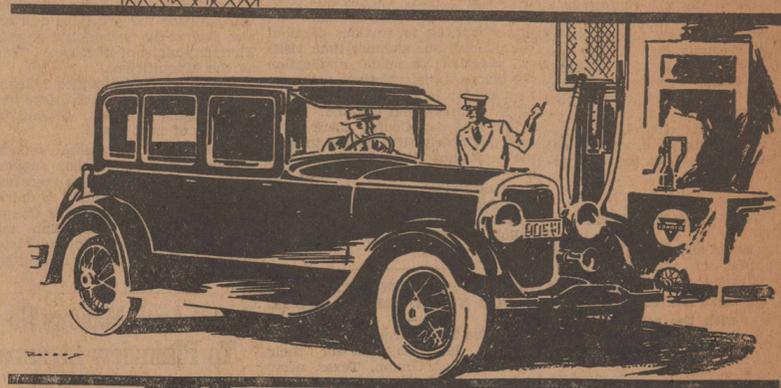
Sec. 3. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this state

qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1930. (A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

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### New \$2,000 Teacherage Constructed At Center

Center School District has a new 5-room Spanish style teacherage, the work having been completed by L. B. Maxey, contractor, Wednesday of this week. The new stucco structure is located just west of the site formerly occupied by the old Center school house which was torn down and was to have been replaced this summer by a new building. The foundation for the new school house has been placed but work has been suspended following the filing of an injunction several weeks ago in which plaintiffs alleged the location of the building should be in a more central point of the district.

The hearing on the injunction will be held here Monday, July 28, with Judge A. J. Fires of Childress presiding.

The new teacherage represents a value of about \$2,000 and is one of the most modern and up-to-date in the entire county, Mr. Maxey believes. The house is 28 by 34 feet; has five rooms and two concrete porches. It was completed twelve days after work was started on tearing down the old school house. Some of the lumber from the old structure was used in the teacherage.

#### CROPS AND WEATHER

Only partial showers in scattering communities of the county have fallen during the past week to relieve the heat and continued dry weather, with the result that in most of the county the need for rain is being reported.

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## To The Voters Of Floyd County

We, the undersigned members of the Lakeview School Board, Heartily Endorse the Candidacy of

**George Gilpin**

—FOR—

**County Superintendent**

Mr. Gilpin having been superintendent of the Lakeview school for the past five years.

W. N. Jones  
W. C. Wright  
O. M. Conway

R. C. Smith  
Brentz Breed  
W. C. Wright

—Old Board

—New Board

An Unsolicited Advertisement

### HATLEY'S ON VACATION, HOME AROUND AUGUST 31

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hatley left Friday of last week for a vacation trip that will take them to Dallas, Corpus Christi and other points during an absence that will last until about August 31.

During their absence Mrs. Hatley is being relieved as manager of the Floydada office of Western Union by O. Gustinger, relief agent and operator of the company, who came to this point from Paducah, where he had charge of the office for a few weeks.

### Heavy Absentee Vote Recorded In County

The heaviest absentee vote in the history of the county was recorded this week at the county clerk's office, when nearly 150 persons either voted at the clerk's office before departing for various parts of the county for summer-time visits or vacations or made application for tickets to be sent them to be returned here to their respective precinct chairmen and counted.

The first day County Clerk Deen sent out nearly fifty ballots to people in distant cities and states and a steady demand kept up until the close of the absentee voting period on Tuesday night. A number of persons also called for absentee ballots on Wednesday, who had to be turned down.

### HARPER SCOGGINS LEAVES FOR NEW WORK AT GROOM

Mr. and Mrs. Harper Scoggins and children left this week for their new home at Groom, Texas, after six years in Floydada during which time Mr. Scoggins has been a member of the faculty of Floydada High School, the last three years as principal. Mrs. Scoggins has been principal of a private affiliated kindergarten.

Mr. Scoggins was elected superintendent of the schools at Groom, Texas, a few months ago and accepted the work there.

### Too Late To Classify

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, Mrs. Josie Moore. 2216

### H. D. Club Women

(Continued from page 1)  
Mal Jarboe and Mrs. R. L. Powell, South Plains; Mrs. Walter Wood, Mrs. J. C. Simpson and Mrs. George Weast.

Blanco: Mrs. D. R. Badgett and Mrs. Will Snell.  
Pleasant Valley: Mrs. P. A. Rivers Trick: Mrs. Ashley.  
Sand Hill: Mesdames A. R. Hanna, W. E. Miller, J. H. Holmes, J. V. Greer, Ed Holmes, W. M. Jeter, Maggie Timm, H. Jackson, Elmer Mickey, W. M. Knight, H. O. Shurbet and Edna Ellis.  
Lakeview: Mrs. Ernest Kendrick. Harmony: Mrs. Will Finkner and Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass.  
Mr. Finkner, Mr. Snodgrass, and Mr. Watson will accompany their wives.

#### Band to Play

The unique Sand Hill Kitchen Band accompanying the delegation will play for the programs and will also play at the agricultural pageant Thursday night of next week, "Texas and the Magnificent."

Mrs. C. A. Caffee of the Antelope Club will take part in the state butter judging contest Wednesday morning of next week.

A series of ice cream suppers, banquets, ball games, box suppers, and social functions have been held to assist in raising funds to defray expenses of the large Floyd County delegation. The Lions Club and the Rotary Club of Floydada have taken an active part in raising the funds.

### Royal Arch Masons Go To Plainview Lectures

Lectures on Royal Arch Masonry were heard by members of the local Royal Arch Lodge No. 227 at Plainview Thursday night of last week. Sam J. Helm of Waxahachie, Past Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons and T. M. Bartley of Waco, Grand Secretary, gave the lectures in the hall at Plainview. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Masons of the Floydada chapter who attended were as follows: J. D. Starks, E. W. Henderson, G. C. Tubbs, H. D. Payne, R. C. Scott, A. L. Bishop, L. B. Maxey, R. L. Henry, L. C. Penry, Dr. Lon V. Smith, Roe McCleskey, and S. B. McCleskey.

### TO THE CITIZENS OF FLOYD COUNTY

In as much as the duties of the Sheriff's office requires practically all of my time it has been impossible for me to make a house to house canvass of Floyd County before the July Primary election. I therefore take this method of asking you for your support.

While I have been sheriff I have done my best to enforce the laws impartially and give the county as a whole the best service possible.

It has been my wish to see and talk personally with everyone in the county but on account of the nature of the duties of the sheriff's office that is impossible. I feel that that should not be held against me.

Thanking you in advance for any support you may give me, I am,

Yours very truly,  
P. G. STEGALL.  
(Political Advertisement)

### GRIGSBYS ATTEND FUNERAL OF RELATIVE AT DALHART

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Grigsby left Tuesday night for Dalhart, after receiving the news late Tuesday afternoon of the death of W. K. Gamble, of Dalhart. Mrs. Gamble is a niece of Mr. Grigsby, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Meharg, of Plainview.

Mr. Gamble had been seriously ill for some time. He is survived by Mrs. Gamble and a five year old daughter, both parents, and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services will be held this Thursday afternoon at Stratford, Texas, former home of Mr. and Mrs. Gamble. Interment will be made in a Stratford cemetery.

### LESSON FOR PACIFISTS

Apparently the American bald eagle believes that the only sure defense is attack.—The Country Home.



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### Picnickers On Flomot Road Find Fresh-Dug 'Grave' Sunday a. m.

What turned out to be some kind of a hoax, creating a furore for a few hours amongst a few hundred citizens of the county, occurred Sunday morning when picnickers on the Flomot road found what appeared to be a fresh-dug grave, that really was fresh-dug but for what purpose is yet undetermined. The well-rounded mound was found as the party was about half-way down the caprock road to Flomot, on a creek bank some twelve feet high and near a big cottonwood tree.

The hole had been dug, evidently, since any rain occurred in the vicinity. Deputy Sheriff J. M. Wright, with W. M. Windsor, A. L. Bishop and J. J. Day, answered the call for officials to the scene.

W. M. Windsor, reporting, said the digging was easy, the dirt being perfectly loose. They dug several feet into the ground, he said, and found several tree branches. "We sure thought we'd find a corpse right under those branches, but we didn't, and now, we're wondering who could have gone to all that trouble these hot days, just digging a hole in the ground, then covering it up again and rounding it off so smoothly and thoughtful-like."

The hole in the ground was smoothly dug as to corners, members of the party said, and might have been the grave of a boy in his teens, had it been anybody's grave at all.

### Local Golfers Tie With Spur Club Here Sunday

Floydada Team Splits Second Contest 12-12; Meet Post Next Sunday.

Spur and Floydada golfers battled to a "draw" Sunday afternoon on the Floydada Country Club course with a score of 12-12 in a matched play, the contest being the second participated in by the local team since the four-cornered series between Matador, Spur, and Post was opened July 13. Floydada lost the initial contest at Matador by the score of 21 to 3.

The winner of the series is to receive a silver loving cup and a similar but smaller trophy will also be awarded the runner-up. An assessment of \$10 from each club was agreed upon to furnish funds for the purchase of the prizes.

In the matches here Sunday the following pairings were made and the winners in each listed: Robbins vs. Clonts, won by Clonts of Floydada; Patterson vs. Randerson, won by Randerson of Floydada; Andrews vs. Tubbs, won by Andrews of Spur; Caraway vs. Harris, won by Caraway of Spur; Dickey vs. Marshall, won by Dickey of Spur; Simpson vs. McCleskey, won by McCleskey of Floydada; Hogan vs. T. Pope, won by Hogan of Spur; Fox vs. Johnson, won by Johnson of Floydada.

Next Sunday, July 27, Floydada will again be hosts, meeting the Post team here. Spur plays Matador at Matador Sunday.

### BEN BROOKS BROUGHT HOME FROM AMARILLO HOSPITAL

"Uncle" Ben Brooks, uncle of Wade Owens and R. B. Gary, of the Harmony community, who has been seriously ill in an Amarillo hospital for the past fifteen weeks, has returned to the home of Mr. Owens near Harmony, and his condition yesterday was reported as greatly improved.

He was brought home Friday of last week from Amarillo in a Harmon Ambulance, Frank Harmon driving to Amarillo after him.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Collins who have just returned from Clovis, N. M., were in the "water spout" that fell in the New Mexico town Tuesday at noon. "Most of the heavy rain was right in Clovis and I never saw as much water in my life fall out of a cloud," Rev. Colling declared. A total precipitation of 3.85 inches was registered in a very short time, the water running over the running boards of cars standing in the streets, and flooding the stores in spite of emergency barricades of sacks and other material, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins went to Clovis to take their daughter, Gladys, who will visit a friend, Miss Zella Mae Pierce.

### Floydada Youths Take Part In 'Sitting' Stunt

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And R. L., the housetop sitter, declares that he is going to stay up longer than Jack. "I've got the advantage over Jack for I can get out and walk around on the roof of the house and I am not disqualified unless I go in the house or go to the ground. I get plenty of exercise and I am going to out-stay that other boy," he challenged with a nod of his head in the direction of his rival.

R. L. has constructed a platform for his bedding on the house top and has placed a wagon sheet over four upright posts and that arrangement furnishes his shade during the day. Lillie Jewell, 11, his sister, is his "ground crew" and she takes his meals to him regularly on a tray. He reads the papers, plays his portable phonograph, and chats with his pals who come to see him regularly.

"Gee, this is great," he said grinning. "I'm going to stay up here rain or shine," he said convincingly.

"All his boy friends keep the house in an uproar continually going up to see him; there are some of them up there all the time," Mrs. Barns said. He has had his share of the callers, too. His record shows that over 130 cars and over 400 people have driven by since Monday.

R. L. wears a pair of tennis shoes so that he will not slip while navigating the shingles on top of the house; he has plenty of quilts and cover and is "all set" for a record, he maintains.

In spite of all adversities Jack and R. L. are keeping Floydada "in the running" in the nation's newest and most unique form of enjoying a hobby—that of record setting, or record sitting—as you will.

### Park Playground

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as possible will be concentrated at the park for the purpose.

Representatives from each church interested, all Boy Scout Troops and their scoutmasters, and all Campfire Girls' groups and their guardians, and all the pastors are expected to be present at the meeting Monday afternoon next. The plan for choosing the church representatives or chairmen is that the pastor of each church will announce the chairmen from his church Sunday morning, according to Mrs. Geo. A. Linder, who is among those representing civic organizations that have been making plans for the playground.

"We are enlisting the aid of every organization we can get to help us," Mrs. Linder said this week. "We feel that the plan will be a great thing for the boys and girls of the town, many of whom are finding time dragging on their hands during the long afternoons."

It is believed that by giving each interested organization an afternoon of responsibility the supervision needed for the playground can be afforded without a heavy demand on any individual or organization.

### WONDERFUL TRIP ENJOYED BY SCOUTS TO YELLOWSTONE

Floydada Boy Scouts and their scoutmaster, E. F. Eastridge, reached home Thursday afternoon of last week from their long trip into the Northwest on an outing, a long jaunt that was thoroughly enjoyed by all, Mr. Eastridge said.

Going by way of the scenic wonders of Colorado and Wyoming, their first stop was at Independence Rock, Wyoming, where they joined in ceremonies July Fourth celebrating the Centennial of the Covered Wagon Trail to Oregon. Several hundred Boy Scouts from over the United States and Canada took part in the celebration. From that point the journey of the scouts from this area took them to Yellowstone National Park and vicinity.

The three Floydada Scouts who took the trip were Samuel Rutledge, Kinder Farris, and Verne Eastridge. Weldon Dodson of Lockney and Weldon Boyd of Petersburg, together with six scouts from Plainview and the Area Scout Executive E. L. Roberts, also made the trip.

### BLAZE DOES \$70 DAMAGE TO GRAIN DOORS TUESDAY

Damage estimated at \$70 was the result of a small blaze Tuesday afternoon at 12:15 o'clock in a stack of grain doors owned by the Santa Fe Railway and stacked near the industrial switch track immediately east of the Joe Boothe Elevator.

### Election Specials

FLOUR, Limited Supply,	\$1.29
SUGAR, 10 lb. Sack,	59c
SPUDS, 8 lb. Sack,	17c
SYRUP, Red Barrel,	75c
PINTO BEANS, Re-Cleaned,	7c
RICE, Full Head,	7c

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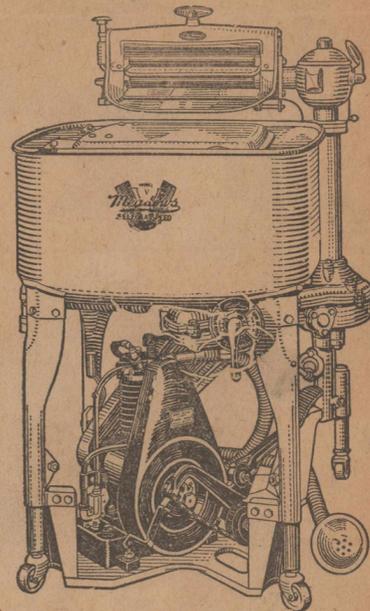
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<b>Vinegar</b>	Pure Apple, Per Gallon,	<b>39c</b>
<b>SALT</b>	Fancy Table Per Box,	<b>5c</b>
<b>PEAS</b>	Empson's Apex No. 2 Can,	<b>15c</b>
<b>Peaches</b>	Yellow Cling, Per Gallon,	<b>59c</b>
<b>Everlite Meal</b>	24 lb. Sack,	<b>64c</b>
<b>Bananas</b>	Large Yellow, Per Pound,	<b>6c</b>
<b>Wapco Tomatoes</b>	No. 2 Can, Foy's	<b>11c</b>
<b>Macroni</b>	Fould's 3 Pkgs. For	<b>23c</b>
<b>SALMON</b>	Fancy Pink Large Tall Can,	<b>16c</b>
<b>Peaches</b>	Yellow Cling No. 2 1/2 Can,	<b>19c</b>
<b>RICE</b>	White House, 2 Lb. Box,	<b>23c</b>
<b>JELLO</b>	3 Pkgs. For,	<b>25c</b>

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