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Invite Thirty-Four West Texas Quintets To Enter Tournament

Officials of Annual Meet Expect Best Material Over Section Here February 6-7.

Thirty-four of the best basketball teams within a radius of 125 miles of Floydada, covering territory from all sections of the south plains, have been invited to enter the fifth annual South Plains Basketball Tournament which will be held in this city on Friday and Saturday, February 6 and 7.

Invitations were mailed to high school quintets in the following West Texas cities: Lockney, Silverton, Roaring Springs, Matador, Memphis, Childress, Dickens, Spur, Oton, Hale Center, Abertown, Kress, Tulla, Plainview, Slaton, Quitaque, Littlefield, Lorenzo, Idaho, Crosbyton, Ralls, Lubbock, Post, Paducah, Tahoka, Lamesa, Brownfield, Turkey, Estelline, Petersburg, Amherst, Levelland, Seagraves and Flomot. Eighteen of the above named cities were represented in the annual meet in this city last year, and Supt. Patty expressed a belief this week that twenty or more of the teams would be present for the tournament this year.

An alphabetical list of the teams who accept the invitations will be arranged and a drawing held, according to the plan worked out by Supt. Patty. Team number One will then play team No. 2, team number three will play team number four, and so on. This plan has worked out very satisfactorily in the past and the same plan will be carried out this year, it is planned.

All games during the tournament will probably be played in the Andrews Ward gymnasium, and season tickets admitting the holder to all games will probably be sold at an early date, it was stated. Efforts will be made to furnish rooms for all visiting cagers and coaches while visiting in this city.

County H. D. Clubs Self-Sustaining, Is Report From Council

Great Force For Building Good Citizenship And Sound Economic Conditions.

In the report of the Floyd County Council on the years' activities which have just closed, it shows that the women have had a very successful year work and that they are in fine shape to start the new year. The Floyd County Council has been very active this past year and they have sponsored a number of annual county wide achievements. The County Council is composed of the presidents and secretaries of all fourteen of the women's clubs in the county and is a county wide organization through which the County Home Demonstration Agent carries on all organized group activities related to home demonstration work.

Among some of the outstanding things that have been achieved was the year books which they had printed and which cost them \$56.25. They sent their chairman, Mrs. Will Shell, and one of the winners in the county contest to the A. & M. Short Course last summer at a cost of \$50.00. They sponsored their annual club exhibit, in the fall, which had always been held in connection with the annual Floyd County Fair. The fact that the Floyd County Fair had to be postponed did not dampen the women's spirits and they went right on with their exhibit not with the incentive of winning cash prizes, but for their own joy and the inspiration it might give to others.

The Floyd County Council is now a self sustaining organization. Last year they deposited a total of \$229.18, and have a balance in the bank sufficient to run it for the year 1931. The value of these clubs and the home demonstration work in Floyd County can easily be valued at one hundred thousand dollars. The records disclose that the work is meeting with more success each year there being more women enrolled for the year 1931 than has ever been before. The money that has been raised to carry on the activities of the council has been earned by the women through projects they have sponsored. They have not asked for any donations and have received none from the business men of the county, a record for which they are very proud. Every citizen of Floyd County should feel proud of the fine work the women's clubs are doing. S. W. Ross, C. of C. secretary, pointed out this week, and should give them all the encouragement and support possible for their organization is one of the greatest forces for the building of good citizenship and sound economic conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass made a trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

McCHESNEY NEW MANAGER SOUTH PLAINS, LBR. CO.; WAKEFIELD'S TO CLOVIS

H. G. McChesney, formerly manager of the Slaton yard of the Panhandle Lumber Company, will be manager of the Floydada yard of the South Plains Lumber Company, succeeding R. B. Wakefield, who with his wife, will move to Clovis, New Mexico, in the course of the next week or two. Invoicing and other details of the transfer of the management of the local business are being worked out this week.

Mr. Wakefield will take charge of the business of the Panhandle Lumber Company at Clovis, following his move.

Elder E. B. Mullins Succumbs; Is Buried Saturday Afternoon

Pioneer Texas Farmer and Preacher Laid to Rest in Floydada Cemetery.

Elder E. B. Mullins, 71, for the past sixteen years a resident of Floyd County, succumbed to an illness of fifteen days at 3:45 a. m., Saturday, January 10, at his Floydada home and the remains were laid to rest in Floydada Cemetery late Saturday afternoon following services held at the Wall Street Church of Christ at 2:30 o'clock.

The pioneer farmer and preacher of Texas became ill on Christmas Eve day, when a paralytic stroke was suffered. His condition became worse by gradual stages until Wednesday of last week when it became evident he would not survive long.

The funeral service was conducted by Elder Alvah Johnson, of Turkey, the arrangements being in charge of F. C. Harmon. Pall bearers were J. A. Carruth, J. T. Kirk, N. B. Pace, Clem Barrett, C. D. Walls and J. J. Thomas.

Elder Mullins was born in Tennessee August 3, 1859. He had been a resident of Texas for fifty years, moving first to Waco, thence to Jack County and sixteen years ago to Floyd County.

He is survived by his wife, six step-children, one brother and one sister. The step-children, with one exception, are residents of this county. They are Mrs. J. D. Hart, Mrs. R. F. Finley, E. L. Gaither, Homer Gaither, I. Gaither, and Ed Gaither, the latter of McCamey. He was unable to be present for the funeral services. The brother, Ben Mullins, resides at Waco, and the sister, Mrs. Bet McBroom, resides at Hillsboro.

F. H. S. And Lockney Meet For Basketball Title On February 13

Floydada High School basketballers under the direction of Coach L. T. Barksdale will meet the Lockney Longhorns quintet at the Andrews Ward School gymnasium Friday night, February 13, to decide the county championship for city schools in basketball, according to an announcement made Wednesday by W. E. Patty, superintendent of Floydada schools.

LOCAL CHURCH WORKERS AT CANYON CONFERENCE

Rev. Claude Wingo, pastor of the First Christian Church of this city, presided at the special district evangelistic conference of the First Christian Churches of the Plains area Wednesday at Canyon. The all-day meeting was run on exact schedule under the direction of the Rev. Wingo. Representatives from the local church were in attendance. There were 49 counties represented, 105 people coming to Canyon, two of them out of state; fourteen churches were represented and eighteen preachers were present.

"It was one of the finest meetings we have had in a long time," Rev. Wingo declared. Rev. Jesse M. Baden, evangelistic secretary of the United Missionary Societies of the Christian Churches of America, made the principal address of the day. His morning subject was "New Testament Evangelism and the New Century," his afternoon subject was "The Way of the Burning Heart." The meeting opened at 10 o'clock and closed at 4:30 in the afternoon.

Those attending from the local church were the following: Mrs. Edd Brown, Mrs. Lon Davis, Rev. and Mrs. Wingo, and daughter, Beth and Miss Ruth Enoch. Miss Enoch went to Amarillo from Canyon to spend the week-end as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shaw. The Floydada representatives were accompanied home by Mrs. Irby Carruth of Canyon who will spend the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Lon Davis.

SHIPPING CAR MULES

Kendricks & Shaw today are shipping a car of Floyd County mules, bought locally, to Fort Worth, consigned to Ross Bros.

Mrs. A. G. Smith, of Lorenzo, visited with her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Lattimore and other relatives here last week.

Mrs. C. S. Lowry, 87, Plains Pioneer, Dies After Short Illness

Funeral Services Held Wednesday At 2:30; Interment In Floydada Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. C. S. Lowry, 87, pioneer of the pioneers of the Plains of Texas, were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Grigsby of this city, 615 South Main Street. Services were conducted by the Rev. G. W. Tubbs and interment was made in the Floydada cemetery.

Flower girls were great granddaughters of the deceased, they were Joy and Helen Grigsby, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Grigsby. Pall bearers were grandsons of the deceased, they were Earnest, Albert, Roy, and Charlie Grigsby, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grigsby.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the F. C. Harmon Undertaking Co.

Mrs. Lowry died at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night at the Smith & Smith Sanitarium where she had been receiving treatment for the past week. Death was due to peritonitis.

Deceased is survived by her husband, C. S. Lowry, 84; two children, Mrs. J. A. Grigsby and J. A. Lowry both of this city; a sister, Mrs. S. McGregor of Stamford; six grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowry would have been married 63 years one month from Wednesday. They came to Texas in 1877 and made their home in Bell County. In 1886 they moved to Coryell County. They later resided in Johnson, Swisher, and Martin counties, coming to Floyd County 24 years ago. They have been residents of Floydada for the past ten years.

Mrs. Lowry was born in Warren County, Tennessee, November 7, 1843.

Mrs. Grigsby and Mr. Lowry had been at the bedside of their mother since she became seriously ill last week. Mrs. McGregor of Stamford, sister of the deceased, was unable to attend the funeral because of her advanced age.

'The Nativity' Will Be Given January 25 By Civic Choral Club

Change of the date and place for the staging of "The Nativity," a three-act dramatized cantata with tableaux scenes to be presented by the Floydada Civic Choral Club, were announced this week. No admission charge will be made for the entertainment.

The cantata will be given at the High School Building auditorium Sunday night, January 25, instead of the Palace Theatre January 18, as previously announced. Officials of the club indicated that they thought the extension of time necessary in view of the fact that the Christmas holidays had necessitated the temporary suspension of practice sessions and hence delayed the rounding out of the numbers as soon as originally planned.

Three weekly rehearsals are being conducted by Mrs. W. E. Patty who is receiving praise for the high type of direction and the excellent musical taste which she is displaying in the careful development of the parts. Practices are being held at the First Baptist Church and at the High School Auditorium.

Mrs. Robt. Sone, director of the Floydada Little Theatre, has accepted a place in the cantata and will take the part of Virgin Mary in the tableaux scenes of Parts II and III. Other members of the Little Theatre will assist in the presentation, in response to an invitation extended by officials of the club.

Miss Jean Ayres has been named chairman of the properties and tableaux committee and she is being assisted. Her work by Mrs. A. P. Horn, Mrs. Teague, Mrs. Ohmer Kirk, and Roy Holmes.

Merchants Association Elect Officers Friday

Members of the Retail Merchants Association in their meeting tomorrow morning at the office of Tony B. Maxey, secretary, second floor of the court house, will elect their officers for the ensuing year, according to notice given to members by Ohmer W. Kirk, president this week. In addition to this, the association will also exchange information on delinquent accounts and lost addresses, according to the secretary.

The meeting will be held at 10 o'clock.

R. V. Husky accompanied by little Billy Dallas Husky left Thursday last week for a visit at Kennedy. They will visit Dr. M. F. Husky, R. V.'s father, and his brother, Dallas.

Tom Corr, field representative of the Mistletoe Creameries of Amarillo, was in Floydada on business Tuesday.

MRS. J. E. EUBANK'S SISTER DIES FRIDAY AT HOME IN WHITNEY

Mrs. J. E. Eubank of this city returned home Wednesday from Whitney where she attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. V. E. Eubank, 50, who died at her home in Whitney at 6:20 o'clock Friday morning of last week. Mrs. Eubank was ill only a short time, death being due to an attack of acute indigestion, according to attending physicians. She became ill at the supper table Thursday night of last week and died the following morning. Interment was made Saturday in the Whitney cemetery.

Deceased is survived by her husband, one daughter, two sons, two sisters and one brother, they are: V. E. Eubank, husband of Whitney; Gladys Eubank, daughter, and Charley, son, both of Whitney, and Vernon, son, of Artesia, N. M.; Mrs. L. A. Nowlin of Waco and Mrs. J. E. Eubank, Floydada, sisters; and Geo. B. Cox, of Whitney, brother. All were at the bedside at the time of her death except Vernon, Mrs. Nowlin and Mrs. Eubank of this city.

Mrs. Eubank was visiting relatives in Lubbock and returned here immediately to join Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Eubank of Artesia in making the trip.

Mrs. A. M. Allen, Mrs. W. R. Johnson, and Mrs. Joe Hicks, and Delbert Eubank, all of Lubbock, and Roy Eubank of this city also went down for the funeral. Roy returned home Monday and those from Lubbock returned last week-end. Mrs. Eubank was accompanied home yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Eubank, who continued their trip to their home in Artesia.

Deceased had visited here a number of times and had a number of friends in this city.

Loan Association Has Capital Above \$40,000

Directors, Officers Named at Annual Meeting Members Tuesday Morning.

The annual report of James K. Green, secretary made Tuesday morning to the members of the Floydada National Farm Loan Association at their annual meeting, held this year in the court house, shows an excess of \$41,600 of capital, surplus and reserves at the close of business on December 31, 1930, and this report indicated slightly in excess of \$750,000 outstanding in loans on that date.

One change was made in the board of directors of the loan association for the ensuing year, W. A. Cates, W. C. Hanna, G. M. Bullard and J. R. Readhimer being re-elected to places on the board of directors. R. I. Teeple is a new member of the board, succeeding R. B. Smith.

Officers for the year, as chosen by the directors are W. A. Cates, president, W. C. Hanna vice-president, Jas. K. Green, secretary-treasurer.

The annual report shows that since the organization over \$1,000,000 has been loaned to Floyd County farmers. The Federal Land Bank of Houston, which makes loans through the association in this county, has since its organization, loaned more than \$200,000,000 to over 67,000 farmers and stockmen. The Floydada association to date has not had a foreclosure since its organization.

TEXAS SERVICE STATION RE-PAINTED THIS WEEK

A new coat of paint, inside and out, was given the Texas Service Station this week. The new colors are white and light green on the building and interior of the office.

LOCAL MARKET

Table listing market prices for Turkeys, Poultry, Eggs, Cream, Grain, and Hides.

MAKE LAND EXCHANGE

Details were closed last week for a property exchange between Harry Miller and Chas. Spence by Jno. A. Hollums, real estate agent of this city, the transaction of about \$8,000 involving 280 acres of Floyd County land with improvements.

One New Face On Board Of Directors Named By Floyd County National

Three Banking Organization Stockholders Name Directors, Officials For 1931.

Leslie Surginer, cashier of the Floyd County National Bank for the past several months, was elected a member of the Board of Directors of the bank by the stockholders in their annual meeting at the bank's office in Floydada Tuesday night of this week, no other changes being made in the official personnel of this bank.

In fact, few changes were made in the personnel of three banking institutions of the county by the stockholders. The First National of Floydada, the Floyd County National, and the Security State Bank of Lockney, elected officers and directors. The stockholders of the First National Bank at Lockney adjourned their meeting to this afternoon to name their official family for the new year.

First National, Floydada

J. V. Nelson, of Amarillo, was added to the list of directors in the First National Bank of this city by the stockholders in their meeting Tuesday afternoon, and Chas. H. Bedford, city, was elected to an assistant cashiership in this institution. No other changes or additions were made.

The official personnel of the bank for the years is as follows:

President, E. C. Nelson; vice-presidents, Thos. Montgomery, Mrs. Jno. N. Farris and J. V. Daniel; cashier, O. M. Watson; assistant cashiers, E. L. Norman, Anna Marie Moore, and Chas. H. Bedford; bookkeeper, T. A. Norman; bookkeeper and stenographer, Oleta Jackson.

The directors are E. C. Nelson, Thos. Montgomery, Mrs. Jno. N. Farris, J. V. Daniel, J. B. Jenkins, H. E. Cannaday, O. W. Stroup, J. V. Nelson.

Floyd County National

Officers: C. Surginer, chairman of the board; T. S. Stevenson, president; Jas. K. Green, active vice-president; S. A. Greer, vice-president; Leslie Surginer, cashier; Joe Breed, assistant cashier; Mrs. Vir-tis Smalley, assistant cashier. Directors: C. Surginer, S. A. Greer, E. L. Muncy, T. S. Stevenson, Jas. K. Green, Leslie Surginer.

Security State Bank

At the Security State Bank, of Lockney, Cal McAdams was elected chairman of the board of directors; Geo. T. Meriwether, president; A. C. Wimberly, vice-president; John C. Broyles, cashier; Gip Hudson, assistant cashier. The first four named are members of the board of directors.

'Faints' At Luncheon; No Wonder; 'Surgeons' Remove Plenty Things

J. C. Wester, former Lions boss of the Floydada Lions Club, had a "fainting fit" at the Rotary Club meeting Wednesday and a hurried consultation of "surgeons" determined upon an operation before he could be revived, with the result that all kinds of things were removed from his anatomy right before the surprised eyes of his fellows about the table. O. P. Rutledge and Roy L. Snodgrass qualified as the surgeons and P. D. O'Brien was the nurse. All the paraphernalia for an operation happened to be at hand, including cleavers, butcher knives, and even the anesthesia. It was a fortunate circumstance, it appears. Renovated and resuscitated the patient appeared normal afterward.

Occasion for the illness of Mr. Wester was furnished by a ten-minute educational talk of A. D. Cummings, vice-president of the Rotary Club. What a Rotary Club has a right to expect of its members and what the members have a right to expect of their club fellows was the general subject of the address.

Re-arrangement of the committee personnel was announced by Dr. W. M. Houghton, to meet the needs of the enlarged club as follows: Club service committee: R. A. Sone and R. E. Fry; classification, Wilson Kimble and J. M. Willson; membership, Homer Steen and S. W. Ross; Fellowship and attendance, J. V. Daniel and Robt. McLen; program, P. D. O'Brien and O. P. Rutledge; vocational service, J. C. Wester and L. M. Davis; community service, R. A. Garrett and Robt. McGuire; boys' work, Geo. A. Lidler and P. D. O'Brien; international service, A. D. Cummings and G. C. Tubbs.

Mr. Miller exchanged his improved place in the Carrs Chapel community for the improved land of Mr. Spence of the Center community, the negotiations being handled by Mr. Hollums.

STOCKHOLDERS COMMUNITY SUPPLY COMPANY ELECT DIRECTORS AT MEETING

Stockholders of the Community Supply Company, local merchandising organization, in their annual meeting in the District Court room Monday afternoon, made only one change in the official board. The board consists of nine members, four of whom were hold-overs from last year's board with five to be elected. The hold-overs are W. N. Jones, W. H. Nelson, A. F. Norton and J. T. McLain.

Directors elected to succeed themselves were H. P. Puckett, L. E. Williams, D. H. Widener and A. A. Jones. R. M. Battey was elected in the place made vacant by the expiration of the term of Geo. L. Fowler, recently inaugurated as a member of the Commissioners' Court.

The directors at an organization meeting Wednesday afternoon elected the same officers for the ensuing year. They are H. P. Puckett, president; L. E. Williams, vice president; and W. H. Nelson, secretary.

Date Young People's Banquet Is Changed To Thursday, Feb. 5

Because of the conflict in dates with the Fifth Annual South Plains Invitation Basketball Tournament, the Young People's Fellowship Banquet, sponsored by the Senior Epworth League of the First Methodist Church, will be given Thursday night, February 5, instead of Friday night, February 6, as previously announced.

"We have made this change so that all the young people of Floydada and surrounding communities may attend the banquet," said Hearon Wright, president of the League. "We are anxious to have them all out for the banquet and we did not want anything to conflict with the arrangements as previously made for a real evening of entertainment."

Tickets for the banquet went on sale the first of the week and the price is 50 cents each. All money realized from the sale will go toward the League pledge of \$50 for the annual conference to carry on the league work.

"This is just a good will building affair. It will just afford an opportunity for all the young folk to get together and meet in a spirit of general good fellowship," Wright said.

REAGAN TO ATTEND SALES CONFERENCE OF GLEANER BALDWIN DEALERS FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Reagan will spend this week-end in Amarillo, where Mr. Reagan will attend sessions of the sales conference of dealers of this section of Texas for Gleaner Baldwin combines and harvesting machinery Friday and Friday night.

The meeting will be held in the Crystal Ball Room of the Herring Hotel and will be presided over by representatives of the Gleaner Baldwin Company.

Search Continues For Canyon Bank Robbers

While several suspects have been arrested in connection with the robbery of over \$13,000 Saturday morning of last week of the First National Bank of Canyon, officers have not yet apprehended the two masked bandits. Two state Rangers have been assigned to the case to assist Canyon authorities.

W. C. (Bill) Black, cashier, brother-in-law of Mrs. Lon Davis of this city, was one of the five bank employees bound and gagged by the robbers just before the bank opened Friday morning.

The robbers went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Cole at 5:30 o'clock Saturday morning and at the points of pistols ordered them to dress and accompany them to the bank. Mr. Cole is assistant cashier. After gaining entrance to the bank, the bandits bound and blindfolded Mr. and Mrs. Cole and applied the same treatment to the bank employees as they arrived. Sheriff John Fry, brother of R. E. W. L. and O. W. Fry of this city, was among the early callers at the banking institution and was taken captive along with the others.

After the bank time lock opened at 9 o'clock, the bandits entered the vault and escaped with over \$13,000 in securities and cash.

FLOYD COUNTY BEEVES BRING TOP PRICES ON KANSAS CITY MARKET

Floyd County cattle topped the Kansas City market this week when seven carloads of young beeves were shipped by N. A. Armstrong and sold there at top prices. Three cars were lot fed and four cars were stocker steer calves. The shipment ranged in price from \$8.00 to \$9.50. Only one carload shipment sold on the Kansas City market higher than the Armstrong shipment.

Grover Smith accompanied the shipment to Kansas City and returned home Wednesday.

Study Clubs Sponsor Exhibit Of American Pottery For 3 Days

Articles to Be on Display Saturday, Tuesday and Thursday Afternoons.

American pottery of various types and styles, consisting of about one hundred pieces, will be placed on exhibit in Floydada Saturday afternoon, January 17, in the rear of the Floyd County National Bank building in the room formerly occupied by the Polly Anna Art Shoppe and The Hat Shop, it was announced Tuesday by Mrs. W. C. Grigsby, president of the 1922 Study Club.

The exhibit will open at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon and will be shown at the same time Tuesday and Thursday afternoons of next week. Representatives of the 1922 Study Club and the 1929 Study Club, co-sponsors for the exhibit, will have charge of the display.

At 4 o'clock each afternoon that the exhibit will be open to the public a lecture will be given on the subject of "American Pottery" and on the displayed articles. Mrs. John Meyers will lecture Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Jeff Welborn Tuesday afternoon, and Mrs. I. W. Hicks Thursday afternoon of next week.

Admission to the exhibit will be 10 cents for all school children and 15 cents for adults, the ticket admitting the holder all three afternoons. "We feel that we are extremely fortunate in being able to bring this exhibit to Floydada people," Mrs. Grigsby declared. "Lubbock has had the exhibit this week and it will not be shown any nearer than Amarillo. It is a wonderful opportunity for Floyd County people to see this rare work."

The Federated Women's Clubs of Texas are sponsoring the pottery movement as one of ten of their projects for the year, the two local clubs cooperating by bringing the exhibit here for three days.

All of the pieces to be shown were hand-made and cannot be duplicated, Mrs. Grigsby pointed out. The various pieces will be for sale, it was stated.

A general invitation has been extended to all those interested in this type of art work.

Mrs. Troy Jones is president of the 1929 Study Club.

12 Boys, 6 Girls To Receive Diplomas At Andrews Ward School

Rev. Wingo Will Deliver Graduation Address Friday Night at Auditorium.

Rev. Claude Wingo, pastor of the First Christian Church, will deliver the address at the graduation exercises for the mid-term graduates of the R. C. Andrews Ward School Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. There are twelve boys and six girls in the seventh grade who will receive their diplomas, which will be presented by Troy Jones, principal. The program will be held in the auditorium of the school.

Nina Virginia Ford is valedictorian of the class and Gladys Ruth Brown is salutatorian.

Following is the program that will be given: song, "Flag of the Free," and salute by the class; invocation the Rev. S. H. Young, pastor of the First Methodist Church; salutatory, Gladys Ruth Brown; valedictory, Nina Virginia Ford; address by Rev. Wingo; "School Days" Freeman, song by class; welcome to high school by Superintendent W. E. Patty; presentation of diplomas, Troy Jones; announcements.

Members of the graduating class are as follows: Nina Virginia Ford, Gladys Ruth Brown, Clara Belle Yearwood, Mildred Gordon, Reba Duncan, Addie Barker, girls; Rex Brown, Ben Eddy, Emory Whitfield, Gordon Fussell, James Hammonds, Cap Felton, John McKinney, Lewis Hollingsworth, Russell Rucker, Loy Maddox, Kenneth Stephenson and Carthel Baker, boys.

CALL MEETING OF COUNTY SINGERS AT LOCKNEY SUN.

A special call meeting of Floyd County singers and lovers of good singing, for Sunday afternoon, January 18, at Lockney, was issued this week by J. G. McGuffey, of near Lockney, who is assisting in arranging for the special Sunday afternoon affair.

The meeting will be held in the City Auditorium at Lockney, beginning promptly at 1:30 o'clock, and all county singers are invited and urged to be present, Mr. McGuffey stated.

WINGO'S BROTHER IMPROVING

Rev. Claude Wingo received word this week that his brother, B. P. Wingo, who has been seriously ill in a Big Spring hospital, is greatly improved this week, and will possibly be able to return to his home in Big Spring this week-end. He has been in the hospital for the past two weeks.

Rev. Wingo is pastor of the Christian Church of this city.



# WE HAVE CHANGED ALL THAT

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## THE STORY

**CHAPTER I.**—In the ancient Russian city of Kazan, under Soviet rule, Commissar Vilinsky's investigating squad invades the palatial home of the Krassin family, aristocrats, with the avowed purpose of determining whether the government shall requisition the house. Vilinsky insults Musia, youthful daughter of the Krassins, in the presence of her mother, who is powerless to act in her defense.

**CHAPTER II.**—Commissar Loris, head of the government in Kazan, is urged to confiscate the Krassin home for the service of the people. The family consists of former Judge Krassin, Mrs. Krassin, a son, Ilya, formerly a Guards' officer, and Musia. Loris promises to investigate.

**CHAPTER III.**—In the Krassin salon a small group of aristocrats, among them Vladimir, Musia's acknowledged fiancé, young former officer of the czar, lament the confiscation of their property by the Bolsheviks. Mrs. Krassin admits she fears for Ilya's safety, though he has not participated in any movement against the Bolsheviks. Ilya announces the seizure of his automobile by Vilinsky, whom he recognizes as a former dishonest steward on the Krassin estates. Vilinsky also recognizes Ilya.

**CHAPTER IV.**—In Vilinsky's inspection of the Krassin house Mrs. Krassin personally conducts him through the domicile, cleverly contriving that he shall not see Ilya, though in doing so her actions reflect on the commissar's brutal affronting of Musia. The mother's thoughts are all of Ilya.

**CHAPTER V.**—Musia, indignant over Vilinsky's insult, vaguely feels herself defenseless. She has heard whispers of the "nationalization of women" and tremblingly wonders if she is to be the first victim in Kazan.

**CHAPTER VI.**—In conversation with Vladimir, Musia somewhat bitterly criticizes her brother Ilya's acceptance of the situation. She knows Vladimir is a member of an organization working for the overthrow of the Bolsheviks, and Ilya's attitude seems to her to be a cowardly one. Vladimir, contemptuous of Ilya's weakness, inwardly agrees with her.

**CHAPTER VII.**—Vladimir determines the time has come to join his comrades in arms against the Bolsheviks. That night he secretly takes his departure from the Krassin home. Almost before he has left the grounds he encounters a party of Bolshevik soldiers. In a struggle he kills one of them, but is overpowered and imprisoned. Following the arrest a Bolshevik raiding party breaks into the Krassin home, with authority from Commissar Loris, and in their search for "the incriminating papers" in reality, loot—practically wreck Ilya's apartments and carry off the young man, a prisoner. Musia endeavors to comfort her mother, but the older woman is crushed by the disaster. To Musia she bitterly condemns Loris, blaming him for the destruction of her hopes for Ilya's safety. Of the girl she apparently has little thought.

**CHAPTER VIII.**—Mrs. Krassin conceives a plan which she hopes will save Ilya. She proposes to Musia that they two go to Commissar Loris. The girl agrees to the visit, also to her mother's request to keep the matter a secret.

**CHAPTER IX.**—Sensing the significance of Musia's presence, Loris questions Mrs. Krassin as to why she brought her daughter. In answer to her stammering explanations he bluntly accuses her of offering Musia to him as a bribe for her brother's life. Horrified, the girl urges her mother to come away with her, but she refuses. Loris summons a soldier and orders him to take Mrs. Krassin outside while he talks with Musia.

## CHAPTER X

### The Petition Rebels

Vilinsky would not have known Loris at that moment; for he was no longer the calm and self-contained person who had for so long steered his course safely through the wild currents of the stormy sea of the revolution. Loris stood for a few moments looking down at the sweet bit of Russian nobility which had been placed in his power—no body can account for those things; his impassivity was suddenly swept away. An hour before, or the day after, it might not have happened. "My dear," said he, approaching her, his hands and his lips trembling, a strange unmitigated smile on his face, "you are just wonderful! Fate has sent you to me! I need comfort and solace—and you are exactly that!"

He slipped his arm about her waist, while she stood like a charmed bird. She could not believe that he could do such a thing to her—not this man, who looked so much like the men she knew. It had been different with Vilinsky—he was a loathsome beast; but it was incredible that such a man as this could offer her such an indignity—her, Musia Krassin, who had been respected as something lofty all her life.

The passage between Loris and her mother had been unintelligible

to her. For it was her mother! She could not take in at once the dread implication that Loris believed her mother had made such a degrading surrender of some point of honor which she did not quite visualize. That mother's indescribable stammering admissions of whatever charges Loris was making against her—Musia was not as naive as her mother insisted in believing her; but she was too pure and innocent to comprehend all that was meant.

She stood still as a charmed bird as Loris put his arm about her waist, and stooped to kiss her; but as the little curled mustache brushed her pale lips, she stiffened, turned, escaped from the encircling arm, and in a second stood facing him, her cheeks crimson with anger, her breast heaving with agitation.

He stood, still smiling that strange little smile, his hands quivering as he stretched them out to her. She turned scornfully, her glance passing the place where he stood as though he were a bit of furniture, and moved with unshaking dignity toward the door.

"Oh, no!" he half whispered. "Not so soon, my darling! Not when our acquaintance is only beginning! Not with the advantage all on our side. I will not harm you, little dear!"

He had placed himself across the doorway, barring her way out. She turned and looked around for a way of escape; and her eyes fell on the pistols, and swords, knives and daggers hanging all over the walls. Quick as light, she snatched a Japanese sword from its curved ivory sheath, and, thus armed, faced her peril, moving toward the door.

"Would you!" exclaimed Loris. "You fine creature!"

And in speaking he closed with his little opponent, deftly twisted the weapon from her hand, and pushed her to a seat on the divan, where she sat, shaking as with an ague.

It was most pitiful. Loris sat down beside her, but at a respectful distance, sheathing the sword. "They say," said he, "that this edge will cut a silk handkerchief falling upon it through the air. Even when wielded by that little hand, I imagine that it would affect the health of a Bolshevik seriously. Now, please be calm. I really mean it now, when I say I will not harm you."

She looked in his eyes for a moment, and saw a changed expression there. She saw inquiry there now, mingled with respect.

"Let me go!" she said pleadingly. "Presently," said he quietly. "So you were not taken into your mother's confidence when she laid her plans?"

Musia sat mute. "I do not need to ask," he went on, pointing to the ivory scabbard. "This is my answer." "It is not true!" She flamed up to her denial. "My mother is incapable of such a thing."

"I once thought," he replied, "that I was incapable of many things. In these days we are all the time discovering new things within the range of our capabilities. That is what the trouble is."

"My mother could not—" "But your brother?" he queried. Afterward she remembered that he said it very gently. "To save your brother?"

"My brother," said she, looking him in the face, "would a thousand times rather go to execution." "And he snuffed out by a firing squad," he said. "A man is dead a long, long time." "You"—she was growing more confident now—"you cannot mean what you say—what you seem to say! I know better!"

He sat for a long time looking down at his military boots. For an interview of such exciting inception and of development so tragic in their possibilities, the affair was becoming rather quiet, with the advantage still shifting to Musia's side. How much he was like the young men with whom she had played about in the old days—and just now, she was about to plunge that sword into his body!

"I must not keep you here much longer," said he, looking into her eyes with a sort of frankness which she remembered with surprise afterward. "I owe you amends for what has just happened. I do not believe you can understand it now, but some time you will. . . . You must not think that a commissar of the dictatorship of the proletariat is an eastern despot, to give and take life at pleasure. I cannot say anything about your brother's case. I cannot promise to do anything about it. I can only promise to look into it. I am. . . . but there is no use in telling you my troubles. If you wish to follow up the case of your brother, you may come again—if you dare."

"I dare!" She looked up at him with half a smile on her face; the advantage now was quite with her.

"I wish there were something more dangerous than coming here," she went on, "which I might do to save him. Oh, sir, if there is anything you can do for poor Ilya, do it, and command my grateful prayers forever!"

"And what does 'poor Ilya' call his little sister?" he asked. "Usually," she replied, "he calls me Musia—sometimes Maroosia." He wrote the name down in his memorandum book.

"I can promise nothing," said he. "not even that I shall be here—or anywhere—when you come again. But remember this: you must say nothing of what has taken place here to anyone—especially your mother. I do not care to have it echoed about the Krassin whispering gallery."

Musia reddened. Whenever her mind was recalled to her mother, she felt a passion of shame and indignation swelling higher. Now it overcame her; and she bowed her head in her hands and sobbed. Ris-

ing and moving to the door, she turned and spoke.

"I have no longer a mother," said she. He bowed her out of the door respectfully. As she went out, the next in line, a wringing peasant woman, passed her on her way into the tiger's den. As she brushed her way past Musia, she looked up and noted the traces of tears, the signs of agitation and smiled meaningly. She wished that her petition could be presented by one so young and fresh and pretty.

(To be continued)

## Muncy News

(Crowded out last week)

Muncy, Jan. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Robinson, of Lockney, visited our school Wednesday.

Several of the younger people enjoyed themselves at Jewel Mara's Wednesday.

Several from this community attended the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McDuffie Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Thompson and son, Billie, also Charley and Helen Mara, of Sand Hill, visited Jewel Mara Sunday afternoon.

## Fairview News

(Crowded out last week)

Fairview, Jan. 7.—We regret to report Mrs. L. A. Horton on the sick list this week. She underwent a serious operation at the Smith & Smith Sanitarium last Friday. The last report was that she was resting nicely.

Rev. Dewey Square filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Saturday night and Sunday. He spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bullard.

Several members of the Baptist Church of this community attended the workers meeting at Aiken Tuesday. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Reeves, Thelma Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Culpepper and daughter, Margaret, Mrs. Chatman and baby, Mrs. Lewis Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Guffie.

Several new families have moved into our community and we give them a cordial welcome to take part in every entertainment we have.

The Baptist B. Y. P. U. is to elect new officers for another year Sunday night and we welcome everyone that does not belong to another young people's organization to be present, and we are hoping all the members will be present.

## BLANCO CLUB STUDIES BUTCHERING, CANNING PORK

Mrs. S. E. Brewer was hostess to the Blanco Home Demonstration Club on the first day of the new year from 11 to 6 o'clock and the club witnessed demonstrations of butchering and canning pork.

Mrs. Finkner, of Harmony, kindly assisted and demonstrated the modern method of dividing the pork. Miss Strange demonstrated canning

and utilizing parts that so often are wasted.

At noon sandwiches, pie and coffee were served to seven members, Miss Strange, and six men.

Mrs. R. L. Trice, who was elected to serve as secretary requested that we accept her resignation because of her little daughter's ill health. Mrs. L. C. Wheeler was elected secretary.

Miss Strange enrolled demonstrators for the new year. Mrs. L. C. Wheeler will be the yard demonstrator for the county this year.

Our president, Mrs. Brewer named her committees as follows: Finance, Mrs. P. E. McCarty, chairman, Mrs. J. W. Haney, Mrs. W. B. Trice; entertainment, Mrs. J. B. Turner, chairman, Mrs. R. L. Trice, Mrs. Wm. Snell; membership, Mrs. Daniels, chairman, Mrs. W. C. Cates, Mrs. W. Gilbreath.

Thursday, January 15, we shall meet with Mrs. Wesley Gilbreath at 2 p. m. Let's make this a banner year in club work by each one doing every time possible and boosting our work by being more enthusiastic. Enthusiasm is the father of success.

## Lakeview School News

(Crowded out last week)

Lakeview, Jan. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith entertained a group of young people with a party Friday night, January 2. Many games were played and everyone reported a good time.

G. W. Sparks, R. C. Smith and Williams Smith accompanied Loy Sparks to Abilene Sunday, where he will enter the National Business College.

Five new pupils enrolled in Lakeview School Monday morning, January 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, of our community, are moving to Muncy this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Moseley moved from our community to Mt. Blanco last week.

Orval Poore spent Saturday night with William Barnett of Floydada. The Locust Grove Civic Club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kiker Wednesday night, December 31, from 8 to 12 o'clock. Four new members were initiated and there were several games played. Delicious refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served. The house was beautifully decorated with colored lights. The following visitors were present: Nita Myrl Sparks, Imogene Roy, Price Conway, Orval Poore, Hazel Moseley, Thelma Mosley, Jimmy Brown, Opal Rodgers, Marette Thornton and Glen Hartsell. Everybody reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Fox and children returned recently from Clovis where they have been making their home for the past year. They have moved back to their home place in the Lakeview community.

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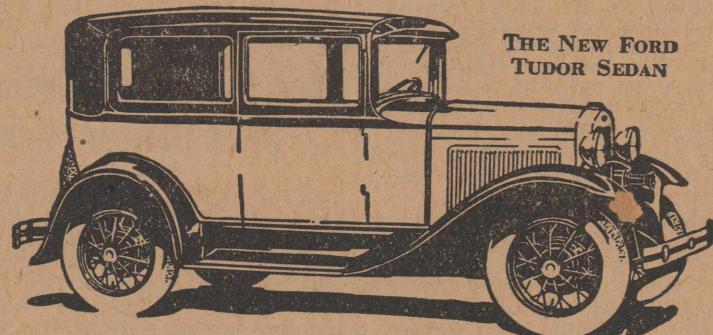
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# SOCIETY

## Mrs. Calvin Steen Entertained Friday Afternoon.

Mrs. Calvin Steen was hostess to friends Friday afternoon at her home, 300 East Kentucky Street, at 3 o'clock.

Chance bridge furnished the amusement for the afternoon. At the conclusion of each game slips were drawn from an envelope telling each player of their chance. At the conclusion of the games Mrs. George Sherrill held high score.

A lovely salad course was served to Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mrs. John Reagan, Mrs. R. R. Cloud, Mrs. Jas. K. Green, Mrs. Billie Standiford, Mrs. E. Fred Brown, Mrs. Joe Day, Mrs. Louise Condra, Mrs. J. B. Bartlett of Plainview, Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. G. P. Groves, Mrs. Carr Surlinger, Mrs. Hazel Hughes, Mrs. Geo. Sherrill, Mrs. Walton Hale, Mrs. Jack Henry, Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mrs. D. H. Hill, Misses Eddythe Walker and Joyce Hopkins.

## Friendship Club Entertained By Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam.

The Friendship bridge club met Friday evening at 8 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam in their regular meeting.

Mrs. Flynn Thagard and A. B. Keim received high score.

Those playing were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mr. and

Mrs. Walton Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine, Mrs. A. A. Bishop and the host and hostess.

The club will meet Thursday evening, January 22 at 8 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale.

## Entertain Friends With Chance Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen entertained guests at their home last Thursday evening with games of chance bridge.

Five tables were arranged for the games to be played.

At the conclusion of each game the players drew a slip from an envelope instructing them in counting their score. Mrs. J. C. Gilliam and T. B. Maxey received high score.

Those enjoying the delightful affair were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fry, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Maxey, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sams, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross, Dr. and Mrs. W. Hubert Seale, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam, Mrs. J. V. Griswold of New York, Miss Adelaide Scott and J. D. Porterfield. The hostess served lovely refreshments.

## Mrs. Collins Hostess to Wednesday Bridge Club.

Mrs. L. L. Collins entertained members of the Wednesday bridge club and other guests at her home in Dougherty last Wednesday afternoon January 7 at 3 o'clock.

Two tables were arranged for the playing. Mrs. Roy Snodgrass received high score for the members

and Mrs. Calvin Steen for the visitors.

Mrs. Leslie Surginer, Mrs. Calvin Steen and Miss Joyce Hopkins were guests of the club. Members present were: Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mrs. J. I. Hammonds, Mrs. Jas. K. Green, Mrs. Jack Henry and Mrs. T. P. Collins.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The club will meet January 21 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. T. P. Collins.

## Mrs. Brown Hostess To Woman's Council.

Mrs. W. Edd Brown was hostess to the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church Monday, January 12, in an all day meeting.

Each one present brought a dish and lunch was served at the noon hour cafeteria style. Two quilts were completed before time for the Bible lesson.

Mrs. E. C. Nelson was leader of the lesson. Fifteen members and five visitors were present.

The council will meet in an all day meeting Monday, January 19 with Mrs. E. C. Nelson. Mrs. L. H. Dorrell will be leader of the Bible lesson.

## 1922 Study Club Elects Officers.

The 1922 Study Club met Thursday afternoon January 8 at 3:30 with Mrs. V. Andrews for a business meeting.

After all old business had been attended to, the club elected officers for the next two years' work.

The officers elected were: president, Mrs. J. M. Willson; first vice president, Mrs. J. H. Myers; second vice president, Mrs. Hazel Hughes; recording secretary, Mrs. Glad Snodgrass; corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. E. Fagan; treasurer, Mrs. Jas. K. Green; custodian, Mrs. O. P. Rutledge; parliamentarian, Mrs. J. B. Jenkins.

Committees were appointed to assist with the pottery exhibit which will be held January 17 to 22 and sponsored by the study clubs.

The club will meet January 15 at 3:30 with Mrs. J. B. Jenkins.

## Presbyterian W. M. S. Met for Bible Lesson.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met at the church last Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

After a short program the Bible lesson from the Book of Acts was studied with E. C. Comfort as leader. A business meeting was held after the lesson.

The society will meet at the church Monday afternoon, January 19, at 3 o'clock for a Bible study.

## Baptist W. M. S. Circles Met Monday.

South circle of the Baptist Woman's Missionary society met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. N. Paschall with eight members present. Mrs. Paschall led the devotional and Mrs. J. H. Myers taught the lesson from the Missionary book "Wandering Jew in Brazil."

Six members of the North circle met at the home of Mrs. E. L. Norman in a Bible lesson. Mrs. V. Andrews was leader of the lesson.

Blanche Groves circle met with Mrs. A. J. Folley in a business and social meeting, at 3 o'clock. They will meet January 26 with Mrs. J. D. McBrien.

The three circles will meet Monday afternoon January 19 at 3:30 at the church in a lesson study with Rev. P. D. O'Brien as leader.

## K. K. Klub Entertained By Mrs. R. B. Wakefield.

Mrs. R. B. Wakefield entertained the K. K. Klub at her home last Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

In the games of bridge played Mrs. H. B. Sams held high score.

A two course luncheon was served to the following: Mrs. R. Fred Brown, Mrs. Louise Condra, Mrs. J. I. Hammonds, Mrs. W. H. Hilton,

Mrs. John Reagan, Mrs. T. B. Maxey, Mrs. H. B. Sams, Mrs. George Sherrill, Mrs. Carr Surginer, Mrs. A. A. Bishop, Mrs. R. R. Cloud and Mrs. Jack Henry.

After the games a short business session was held in which Mrs. John Reagan was elected president, Mrs. George Sherrill vice president and Mrs. T. B. Maxey reporter.

The club will meet Friday afternoon, January 16, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. H. Hilton.

## Mrs. Hughes Hostess To Entre Nous Club.

Mrs. Hazel Hughes entertained the Entre Nous Club last Friday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Edd Johnson.

Three tables were at play during the evening. Miss Eddythe Walker and T. W. Whigham received high score.

Refreshments were served to: Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Odus Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Whigham, Miss Eddythe Walker, Geo. McAllister, Samuel Rutledge and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones will entertain the club Friday evening January 23 at 7:30.

## THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, J. B. Rutledge whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada on the 26th Day of January, A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1930, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2376 wherein Geo. T. Moore is plaintiff and Robert D. Bryant, Murza Bryant, C. E. Carter, J. B. Rutledge, and Auto Equipment Company, a corporation, are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demands being as follows, to-wit:

That on November 25, 1920, Defendants, Robert D. Bryant and Murza Bryant, made and delivered to Plaintiff eleven notes payable to order of Plaintiff, being one Principal Note for \$5,000.00, bearing interest from date until paid at 10% per annum, interest payable annually, according to said ten Interest Notes, each in the sum of \$500.00, due, respectively, November 25, 1921 to 1930,—said eleven notes payable at First National Bank, Floydada, Texas,—said Principal Note containing the accelerating maturity clause, the clause for attorney's fees, and providing for interest on past due principal and interest at 10% per annum; and on said date executed a certain Deed of Trust for the benefit of Plaintiff, creating a lien in favor of Plaintiff on the N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of the S. 5/8 of Sur. 6, Block "T", Cert. No. 1274, BS&F Survey, containing 200 acres of land, in Floyd County, Texas.

That on February 10, 1922, Defendant, C. E. Carter, and wife, conveyed said land to Defendant, J. B. Rutledge, and by the terms of which Deed, Defendant, J. B. Rutledge, assumed payment of the indebtedness evidenced by said notes.

That Plaintiff is the owner of said notes, and that at the maturity of said interest note maturing November 25, 1929, said Defendants refused to pay the same, except a credit of \$320.00; and that at the maturity of said interest note maturing No-

ember 25, 1930, said Defendants refused to pay the same, and that by reason of the refusal of said Defendants to pay the balance of said interest note due November 25, 1929, and said interest note in the sum of \$500.00 due November 25, 1930, Plaintiff has declared said Principal Note due and payable, and said Defendants have refused to pay the same; and by reason of the failure of Defendants, Robert D. Bryant, Murza Bryant, and J. B. Rutledge, to pay the indebtedness evidenced by said notes, Plaintiff has placed the same in the hands of an attorney for collection, and Defendants became liable to pay said attorney's fees, as provided in said Principal Note.

That said Deed of Trust provided that upon failure to pay said notes, or interest, that said property should be sold as the law directs, and the proceeds applied to the payment of said indebtedness; and that Plaintiff is the owner and holder of said notes, and that the lien of said Deed of Trust is a valid and unsatisfied lien in favor of Plaintiff against said property, securing said notes. That said Defendant, C. E. Car-

ter, and Auto Equipment Company, have, or pretend to have some claim to said property, but such claim, if any, is inferior to the rights of Plaintiff.

Plaintiff prays for process, and for Judgment against Robert D. Bryant, as maker, and J. B. Rutledge, as assumptor, for his said debt, principal, interest, attorney's fees, and costs, with foreclosure of his lien against said property, as against all of said Defendants, and for general and special, legal and equitable, relief.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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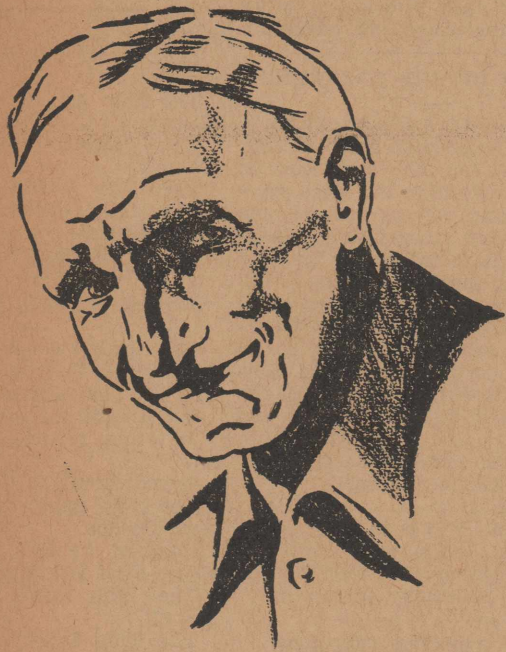
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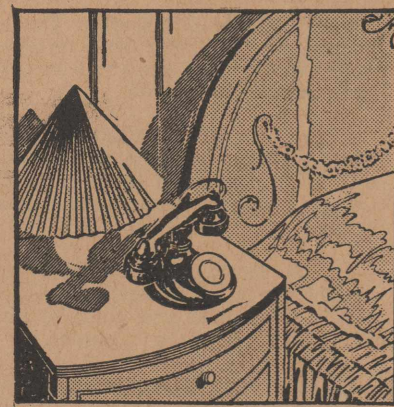
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TROUBLE THE LOAFERS

We'll trouble you to ask to move on, seems to be about the attitude adopted by the city authorities toward the late-night loafers in Floydada, and commendable the attitude seems to be to The Hesperian.

One can but wonder what reason there can be for a man or boy to be loafing about town in the wee small hours, and it is easy to arrive at the conclusion that there can be no good, even for himself in being about town and its more or less petty temptations, for the idle mind and body at such an hour.

Whether or not the loafers about town are having anything to do with the things that are missing from cars parked on driveways and at the curbs we cannot say. We hope not, for the sake of some good average boy who should know that this business of loafing around at nights with an occasional foray into the alley can't be leading in but one direction.

For the sake of the loafers themselves, if for that of no others, it is well indeed the city is taking the attitude it is, which, summed up, seems to be that a man or boy with nothing to do at 2 o'clock in the morning, either is, or ought to be at home.

WHOLE MILK ROUTES

At least one milk route in Floyd County has been in operation the past few weeks and men who are seeking a means of livelihood are trying to hunt out other routes that will help themselves while giving a larger income from the milk sold from the farms of the county. The whole milk plant at Lamesa is the destination of the milk that is being taken up on these routes.

Whether the plan will be feasible in the long run remains to be seen. It, of course, takes all the by-products of the dairy lot from the farm when the whole milk leaves the place and is objectionable in that way. However, the present is the present and that's what we're having to look out for just at this time. The whole milk is bringing practically twice what the butterfat alone would bring. It is increasing the immediate revenues on some farms, and affords somewhat of competition for the packer-handlers of butterfat.

THE STREET BUYER

The Cotton Co-operatives, at least the one we have operating in Texas holding recognition of the Farm Board, has come out openly in a fight on the street buyer of cotton, a recent broadside illustrating the manner in which the street buyer and cotton factor cost more to the producer as handling agencies than does the co-op plan.

Laying aside the question of which co-op should be recognized by the Farm Board and which should not, a matter that is begun to be debated in the minds of people of the state, the drive against the cotton buyer on the streets, which, in Floydada, also means the gin, because the gin is also buying, has its aspects of disadvantage to which attention should be called. Speculation has had a definite place in American commodity commerce ever since business began to be done in this country and too sudden a change eliminating any form of speculation has for the past twenty years, at least, been rather disastrous to the man who raised the commodity. Whether the machinery to supplant the street buyer of cotton, who buys for account of the speculator to a large extent, has been so well developed as to warrant an attempt right now altogether to supplant said street buyer seems questionable. If the old method of handling cotton is wasteful and against the best interests of all concerned it should be supplanted, of course. But these things are learned by trial and the Farm Board and Cotton Co-operatives should be sure the new machinery is mighty near perfect before going too far in their campaign.

SPECULATORS ARE BULLS

The statement that most speculators are bulls on the market and that their tendency is to run the prices up, is one that will likely make some of our readers see red, but nevertheless it is about true. Instances of this fact are contained in the news briefs of the produce trade, where the disastrous egg market of 1930 is shown to have broken lots of the little dealers in food products, who found themselves with carloads and carloads of eggs they had taken off the market in the hope of a later profit that did not materialize. The public did not respond like it should have done according to their logic, to low priced

eggs and so 1930 is added to 1929 as another year in a row that dealers in food stuffs such as eggs and butter took a terrible wallop. It may not be right, but it is true. And while the producer of these products weeps the consumer is happy.

COTTON SEED "BLOCKS"

A part of the grief that has come the way of the southwest in the past few years is traceable directly to the poor staple of cotton that has been produced in the section. It is an unhappy but true statement to make, that a very large proportion of the cotton that has gone out of Floyd County, for instance, has been the kind that had to buck Indian cotton on the open market, the Indian producer having the advantage 20-cent labor and no greater freight rate.

Floyd County farmers, we are glad to say, are taking the matter of a better grade of seed seriously and in instances are thinking in terms of pure-bred cotton "blocks" where uniformly good staple will be assured.

FIX YOUR SCREENS

It's an ill wind that blows, nobody good, and the pilferers about town and country, who are reaching in on the back porch after things to eat, and checking up on the cars on the driveways for possible wearables or eatables, ought to help the dealers in locks, latches and screen doors.

Just as well make preparations, if you haven't already, to give the locksmith and the screen door and latch dealers some business. Bacon and eggs, milk or what have you are specially marked by the pilferers, who, it would appear, are hungry.

FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

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

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During the year 1916 there were more than one hundred immigrants to Floyd County who shipped their effects in carload lots. Immigrants who shipped in carload lots are commonly called "Zulu" Cars. A large per cent of the new immigrants arriving in Floydada and making their homes here are coming from North and Central Texas, and a good share of these are coming by way of Roaring Springs and the Cope Auto Mail Line. These immigrants are not included in the "Zulu" class. The Cope line hauled eight immigrant families last week.

T. A. Caudle, of Cariton, Texas, bought the J. T. Hinkson farm and will arrive here in the next few days to make this his home.

Tom Millican, of Cooper, Texas, bought the O. W. Fry 240 acre farm southwest of town and came in this week to take possession.

I. L. Faulkner, of Vasita, Texas, bought a 320 acre farm near Mickey. G. C. Collins, of Munday, Texas, also bought a 320 acre farm near Mickey.

M. F. Swain, of Munday, has bought the J. W. Freeman 480 acres just east of town and plans to improve the land in the summer.

C. A. Russell, Charley Smith, Homer Bryant and Alfred Russell, started out Sunday to chase wolves on motorcycles. Quite a number of thrilling experiences were related by the four wheeled-huntmen this week.

Jobs in Jest

On Cape Cod, where 100 additional men have been hired to eradicate the mosquito, business is said to be humming.

Tiredness and irritability, says an expert, are caused by the wrong kind of furniture. This sets us wondering about those seats in Congress.

Miniature golf courses are being installed in restaurants in England. Maybe it is to stimulate the demand for five o'clock tea.

Harvard is to give a series of 39 radio talks on dentistry. Talk about your boring programs!

"Girls' Mob Young Bridge Player." Headline. Is it because he is so good at holding hands?

Then there was the imbibor who thought he would sue his bootlegger for label.

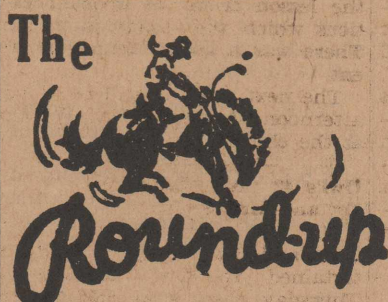
Said the opera director to the star he has just dismissed: "Better ones than you have been given the aria."

Apropos the prohibition victory in Finland, Cynical Sadie wants to know of what use are Fins in a dry country.

Sinclair Lewis declares that American professors like their literature "very dead." They have always favored rather grave reading.

An 80-year-old Iowa farmer is reported to be cutting a tooth. His exclamation of surprise must have been, "Well, by gum!"

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



A Sidewalk Review Mostly About People and Personalities in Floyd County.

By The Cowhand Scribe

(Feel mighty good this week. My three readers missed this line of chatter last week when it failed to appear and went so far as to go out of their way to tell me personally about their disappointment (?). Thanks, folks. Mebbe th' foreman of th' ranch will see fit to let me keep up this throwing act around here—if he don't keep me ridin' th' fence too much).—The C. S.

Tum ti, yi, yippi, yippi, yi! Off we go on 1931! A general spirit of optimism is prevailing over the outlook for the year and rightfully so, unless all the laws of economics are wrong. The trend of things is going to continue downward for the next six months, perhaps to a lesser degree than was true the last three, but you can put it down on the smoke house wall that the last six months of 1931 will bring better business and better conditions on the farm.

Wise men and women will realize this fact and keep fighting with cool, clear heads. There will be no throwing up of hands and hysterical searching for the promised land of milk and honey. The good, solid, substantial folks are standing the test here in West Texas in such a manner as to make their pioneer forefathers proud to claim them as their grandchildren. They've got the stuff in them and they're going to win.

Keep up the good spirit and smile as often as you can. After all, it's the sticker that the world needs today and West Texas is filled with the kind of folks that it takes to win!

Six months from now I'm going to say right here in this column, "I told you so." Smile and fight. Let's go. We shall see what we shall see.

Invoicing has been the order of the day in Floydada stores for the first two weeks of the new year. Weary-eyed clerks are now beginning to catch up on lost shut-eye due to nights of checking, counting, listing—and other things.

Lots of pleasant folks over at the court house. The officers for the next biennium are now installed and getting all lined up to give real service as representatives of the state. A general re-arrangement has been effected and things are mighty fine now—convenient and plenty of room for everybody. The Commissioners' Court made some fine changes, everything taken as a whole.

Do you remember back when the height of th' gals' ambitions wuz to get the bow out of your hat? Some of the best looking dames sometimes had as many as ten bows taken from the top pieces of their "best fellers."

This headline testing law is one of the best ever passed by the legislature. Motorists should co-operate in its observance. "Every car driver

should think, too, of the other fellow's neck and avoid using high power bulbs or drive with one front light out or a tail light with no warning glow. It would be fine if every motorist would have his or her car lights tested at least twice a year to be sure that they were not out of line and that the rays of light were focused properly to prevent glare.

Funny how people, especially writers, get into their noodles that they should have an individualistic name. The writers seem to think that "their public" gets a bigger "kick" or something or other when the writer is semi-anonymous and is hiding behind a pen name.

I have two friends, dandy folks, who are both writers, and peculiarly enough they fell in love and were married. The unique thing about it all was the fact that she insisted on keeping her maiden name insofar as the public was concerned. They moved away to another town shortly after the marriage ceremony and it came to pass that they returned for a visit. I wrote a nice little story about "Mr. and Mrs. So-and-so" being back for a few days and used the hubby's name—his first name to apply to both. And wow! That young lady didn't wait a month to tell me what a dumb bloke I wuz for not knowing that she went by her maiden name.

Well, I knew that to start with but how in this wide world-wuz I gonna say that "Mr. Son-and-so" was visiting in town with his wife, Mrs. Whoozit?

A lot of them solve the matter by using the maiden name plus the hubby's when they get married. But that's their business and at least it's something different.

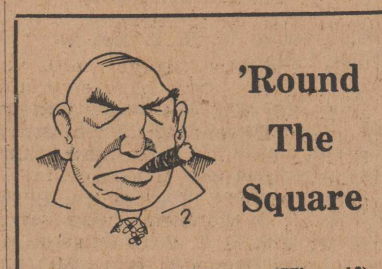
Contemporary Thought

THE FARMER'S SQUEAK

Shamrock Texan: There are very few things or occasions in every day living that have been missed when the older philosophers began handing around their proverbs and adages. What ones were missed by the Greeks, Ben Franklin got around to in his homely wit; where he failed, Mark Twain took up the case, and then if anything happened to be missed by him, some columnist of the present day has found it, turned and twisted until he made a perfectly good proverb again.

Every once in a while one of the old proverbs "hits the spot" and brings about its original purpose, thought. A contemporary magazine dug an old one out the other day which came from a class rarely heard from in the proverb line, the farmer. The proverb was, "The wheel that squeaks loudest gets the most grease."

A farmer's proverb, and a good one. But why not have the same farmers who realize the truth of such to take advantage of it? For quite awhile the farmer has been ignored and legislature wheels went around for every sort of industrial and capitalistic improvement, while the farmer sat and let all four wheels of other wagons squeak louder than his. Only during the last year or two has the farmer caught on. Now, with the drought bills, agricultural bills of several kinds, and both national and state farm aids, the farmer's minor little squeak on the left axle has developed into a whole wagon full, and it is a good sign that the farmer is now to get some attention.



'Round The Square

With Ora Battleaxe (Himself)

Believe it or not, folks, last Friday a whole flock of geese passed over Floydada headed north. These folks who have been predicting a mild winter may be right after all, cause I'll be dog gone if I ever heard of geese flying north over West Texas in January. But in my way of looking at it, folks, these geese were just going north to re-mate, or something like that, and they will fly back to the warm sunny south pretty quick to keep out of the cold weather that we are going to have the remainder of this winter. I may be wrong, but I don't advise any of you to throw away your long winter undies yet cause I just can't believe that our winter is over so quick.

We've got at least one truthful man in Floydada and that is another one of these Believe-It-Or-Not-ers. He called me up last week and confessed his sins, but he shore insisted that I not use his name in the paper. This fellow said that he had discovered that the old saying that "Man can stand anything but temptation" is untrue. He says that the other morning when it was cold enough to freeze the horns off of a Billy goat he was tempted to get up and build a fire for the wife, but through strong will power and common sense, he successfully withstood the temptation. Now, that's the truth if I ever told it.

There's nothing in the world I get a bigger kick out of than listening to little kids talk. A fellow don't realize how quickly they catch on to the talk of the old folks until you listen to them talk to each other when they think the big folks are not around. Well, last Sunday I overheard two little girls talking as they returned home from Sunday School, and one of them was saying: "This depression is gettin' serious. Daddy cut my allowance last week to a quarter."

It's funny, but grown folks are just like kids in that respect. We all like to repeat the things we hear somebody else say. Whether they are good or bad, we just naturally repeat them. Whenever we hear somebody else say something about hard times, everyone of us goes and repeats it to somebody else and who ever we tell it to, goes and tells somebody else, and away it goes. But just like Pandora and her box of Evil Spirits, the good works the same way. Whenever any of us hear something good, we go and tell somebody else about it, and then they, in turn, pass it on to somebody else. It takes a long time for the good things to get the best of the bad things, but eventually they will win out. "Eventually, why not now?"

That's a good plan to work on during times like the present. When you hear somebody say something bad about conditions in general, or somebody in particular, try to do something to remedy the situation. If you can't do anything about it, just forget it, and instead of telling somebody else about some kind of bad luck, substitute something good for it, and tell that to everybody you see. We're all just like kids. We

like to repeat the things we hear.

The other day I asked one of the brats what he was going to do when he grew up. "I don't know" came the prompt reply, "What are you going to do?"

Lots of folks have mis-understood me recently. Some people are so dumb that they think when I preach that talk of good times will help things, they think I mean that talk will remedy the entire thing. I do not. I don't believe any such a thing. It takes more than talk to fill a fellow's stomach. But there aren't going to be many stomach-aches in Floyd County because the people haven't anything to eat. When we think there will be we are just a fooling ourselves. Talk won't remedy the whole thing, but it can help a whole lot. Anyway, it won't cost us anything to try it, and it might help a whole lot.

Here's another Believe-It-Or-Not: J. C. Wester and C. C. Casey have both agreed that a well trained Floydada tummy is one that aches when the owner eats anything but made-in-Floydada bread.

The Amber Amblers and Saliva Slingers are shore having a time this week, trying to do their dirty work in competition with the slush and mud that accumulates on the pavement Round the Square. But mud dries up pretty fast and blows away, but when amber dries up it just stays put, so I kinda figure that the side-walk decorators are going to win out in the long run.

Somebody sent this in with a note saying: "Get that frown off of your face and grin, dern you. It don't cost nothin'." And I figure that the joke and the advice both are worth passing on to my readers:

She: Before we start this ride I want you to understand that I don't neck.

He: You're mistaken.

She: About not necking?

He: No. About starting this ride.

That guy on California Street says that it's fine to dream about the things you are going to do, if you only start to doing them right now.

Halitosis says that she realizes that I am an old man and have gone through lots of troubles, most of which never did happen.

Shut 'er down, George.

CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, January 18. Sermon topic at communion service 11 a. m. "Memory as a Means of Grace." Sermon subject at 7 p. m., "Forgiveness as a means of Grace." Book of Revelation is being studied at Wednesday prayer meetings; Book of Acts at the Ladies' Missionary Society each Monday at 3 o'clock. Pastor leads both studies.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. James G. Atkinson, Pastor. Meeting closed with good interest. The outlook for the year's work is good. Miss Wordlow did some wonderful singing for us. Every one that heard her seemed to be pleased. So we have called her back for our summer meeting that is to begin the first of August. Rev. and Mrs. Atkinson will take Miss Wordlow back to her home at Post, Texas and there spend the week-end. Rev. W. H. Owens will have charge of the services next Sunday. Come and hear him.

Regular Services at the Church Sunday School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. N. Y. P. S., 6:45 p. m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7 p. m. W. F. M. S., Friday, 2:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dick O'Brien, Pastor. Our Sunday school attendance was up exactly one hundred last Sunday over the Sunday before. There were 363 present in time to be counted. But we are not satisfied, we expect well over 400 next Sunday. To those of you who were not present last Sunday and belong to our school, or to no Sunday school, let this be a special invitation for you to be present next Sunday. The auditorium was filled to the doors for the morning preaching service, and a splendid congregation was present for the evening service.

There were 182 present for the B. Y. P. U. meeting one hour preceding the evening preaching. We expect to make this at least 200 by next Sunday. At our church we have made up our minds depression or no depression to go right along with our program.

Next Sunday morning we plan to have our regular services, but will give the evening service for the cantata, "Messiah" which is to be given by the Floydada Choral Club. The "Messiah" is one of the greatest musical compositions of the ages, and we are hopeful that hundreds of our folks will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing it. However, in any event we will have our B. Y. P. U. meetings at the usual hour.

P. S. We learned since writing the above that the cantata will be given at the high school Sunday, January 25 instead of next Sunday night.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Claude Wingo, Pastor. We are glad to report that every department of our church has a

hopeful outlook. The new year begins with great promises. Our Bible school for the last two Lord's Days has been below our average for the past 10 months. We had 95 present last Sunday. Sunday School workers conference Wednesday night worked out plans for the coming months.

We had five to make the confession and to be baptized last Sunday. One other placed membership with us.

Hereafter we will not have the trouble of cold water at the church, a friend has given us a splendid automatic hot water heater. Possibly the name of donor will be made public next week.

This is Go to Church Month in Floydada, get in. Preaching services at First Christian next Sunday will be: morning, "Beginning of Faith," evening "The Early Persecution of Jesus." You are urged to worship with us.

If you are a church member you are under obligation to attend church. If you are not a church member you should be, and you are invited to worship with us.

FLOYDADA METHODIST CIRCUIT

F. O. Garner, Pastor. Our first Quarterly Conference will be held at Dougherty next Saturday, January 17. Preaching at 11 o'clock. The presiding elder will preach at Fairview Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock.

LAKEVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

J. M. Harder, Pastor. Program for Sunday, January 18. Sunday School 10 a. m., preaching 11 a. m.; B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Preaching following B. Y. P. U. hour, subject, "Inspiration of the Scripture." Conference Saturday night.

BOOSTERS' B. Y. P. U.

The Boosters' B. Y. P. U. will give the following program Sunday, January 18:

Topic—How may I be sure I am a Christian. Program material—Clyde Spence. Inner Evidences—Kenneth Stephenson. T. Witness Within—Buster Davidson. Outer Evidences—T. S. Stevenson. By Their Fruits—Ralph Johnston. Will All the Fruits Develop at Once—Mrs. Head. Our Ideal—Coleta Moore. B. Y. P. U. meets at 6 o'clock. New members and visitors welcome.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Program for the Epworth League of the First Methodist Church for Sunday evening, January 18, is as follows:

Subject—The Law of prayer as embodied in the Lord's prayer. Leader—Emma Lou McKinney. Song. Scripture Lesson—Matt. 6:5-15, Luke 11:1-13. Introductory address by leader. Our Father—Inez Switzer. Prayer and petition—Hearon Wright. The First Petition—Audice Norman. The Second petition—Murett Dorsey. The third petition—Elizabeth McKinney. The fourth petition—Wilmina Salisbury. The fifth petition—Clyde Young. The sixth petition—Roy Conway. The ascription—by leader. League Benediction.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

The program for next Sunday, January 18, for the senior B. Y. P. U. will be as follows:

Subject, Who is the Holy Spirit? Scripture reading—Amy McRoberts. Introduction—R. C. Patton. The Holy Spirit in a person—Laverne Jordan. Proof of the Holy Spirit's personality—Etha Williams. The Holy Spirit is God—Faye Newell. The Holy Spirit is the Trinity—Marvin Crow. Why we need to recognize the Deity of the Holy Spirit, Part I—Gilbert Nichols. Part two of the subject just above—Thelma Crawford.

SENIOR LEAGUE MEMBERS GO TO HALE CENTER MEET

Plainview was designated as the next meeting place of the Ansil Lynn Union of the Methodist Church at the district session held Saturday and Sunday at Hale Center, which was attended by members from the Senior Epworth League of the local church. Miss Emma Lou McKinney of Floydada, secretary of the district, made a report on the past work and discussed plans for the year.

About one hundred league members were in attendance for the two-day session. The Plainview meeting will be held about April 1, the exact date not having been set.

League members from Floydada who attended Sunday, returning home Sunday afternoon were the following: Misses Maurine Hay and Madge Dorsey; Messrs. Hearan Wright, president of the Senior League here, Alpha Boothe, Jodie Boothe, and Carl Young. Miss McKinney went over Saturday for the opening day of the meeting.

Mrs. Carrie Lee and son, G. D., of Memphis spent Saturday and Sunday here as guests of J. S. Collins and other relatives.

Mrs. E. P. Nelson went to Lubbock Tuesday where she will spend the week visiting with her sister Mrs. W. S. Posey and Mr. Posey.





# SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Fry Entertain With Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fry entertained last Sunday evening at 6 o'clock with a four course dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Day, who will leave soon for Long Beach, California, to make their home, and Miss Joyce Hopkins of Miami, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Henry.

Sweet peas in bud vases formed the center pieces for the tables. Those enjoying the lovely affair were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. Calvin Steen, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Day and Miss Joyce Hopkins honor guests, and Kenneth Henry.

Mrs. Joe M. Day Honor Guest At All Day Party.

Mrs. Bill Dally was hostess to guests in an all day social at her home Tuesday honoring Mrs. Joe M. Day, who will leave soon for Long Beach, California to make her home.

A bountiful dinner was served at the noon hour buffet style, each one present having brought a dish. The honor guest was then presented with a suit case filled with lovely gifts as a token of love and friendship for her. The afternoon was then spent in playing bridge at which Miss Joyce Hopkins won high score.

Those enjoying the day were Mrs. Audrey de Cordova, Mrs. A. A. Bishop, Mrs. Faye Maxey, Mrs. LeRoy McDonald, Mrs. Jeff Welborn, Mrs. Polk Goen, Mrs. Jack Deakins, Mrs. Leslie Surginer, Mrs. Ray Clements, Mrs. Rip Snodgrass, Misses Honora Childers and Joyce Hopkins, Mrs. Day, the honor guest and hostess.

Mrs. L. T. Bishop Hostess To 1929 Study Club.

Mrs. L. T. Bishop was hostess to the 1929 Study Club last Thursday afternoon at her home at 3:45.

Subject of the lesson for the afternoon was: "The Beginning of the English Stage of Today." Jones

and Pinero were the dramatists studied. Mrs. Loran Liebfried led the lesson and discussed the English stage of the nineteenth century.

Mrs. Robt. McGuire discussed works of Jones and Pinero. The discussion of the drama, "Second Mrs. Panquary" was led by Mrs. Flynn Thagard who also read the last act of the play.

In the business meeting which followed the lesson, plans were made for the pottery exhibit which will be held here January 17 to 22 and sponsored by the 1929 and 1922 Study Clubs.

Mrs. J. V. Griswold of New York was a visitor of the club. The hostess served lovely refreshments. Mrs. Faye Maxey will be hostess to the club Thursday afternoon, January 22, at 3:45 at her home 303 West Virginia Street.

East Ward P. T. A. Plans 'Get-Acquainted' Social.

East Ward P. T. A. met Wednesday afternoon, January 7, at 3:15 o'clock at the school building and a good program was enjoyed by everyone. Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church, made a very interesting talk. The solo by Miss Bertha Wordlow of Post was enjoyed very much.

Plans were made for the "get acquainted" social which will be held the first Tuesday evening in February at the school auditorium at 7:15 o'clock.

A special invitation is being extended to parents of students of the East Ward School to attend the social and get better acquainted with the teachers.

The program for the social will be arranged by Mrs. Hazel Hughes, Mrs. T. W. Whigham and Mrs. Lester and will be announced later, it was stated.

FLOYDADA REPRESENTED AT PLAINVIEW C. C. BANQUET

J. B. Jenkins, president of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce was among those from this city who were guests at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet held at Plain-

## Social Calendar

**Monday**  
Woman's Missionary society of the Baptist church will meet January 19 at 3:30 at the church.

Woman's Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet January 19 at 2:30 with Mrs. Wilson Kimble.

Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church meets January 19 at 3 o'clock at the church.

Woman's Council of the First Christian church will meet January 19 in an all day meeting with Mrs. E. C. Nelson.

Porterfield Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet January 19 at the church at 3 o'clock.

**Tuesday**  
Ace bridge club meets January 20 at 7:30 with Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Sone.

**Wednesday**  
Wednesday bridge club will meet January 21 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. T. P. Collins.

**Thursday**  
1922 Study Club meets this afternoon with Mrs. J. B. Jenkins at 3:30.

Pla-Mor club at 7:45 this evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sams.

La Noche club meets this evening at 7:30 with Mr. and Mrs. Polk Goen.

**Friday**  
K. K. Klub will meet January 16 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. H. Hillton.

view Thursday night of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. A. Sone and Roy Snodgrass were among the others who attended from this city.

Josh Lee, head of the school of public speaking at the University of Oklahoma made the principal address of the evening. A snappy program was carried out immediately after the introduction of all the guests. R. Q. Silverthorne was master of ceremonies.

Joint Hosts at 42 Party.

Dr. and Mrs. George Smith and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Linder entertained friends with a 42 party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Smith last Friday evening 7:30. Mrs. Carl Minor received high score in the games played.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Grigsby, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bain, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Randerson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fred Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Nass, Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Minor, Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Hicks, Dr. and Mrs. Lon V. Smith and Mrs. A. J. Welch.

"42" Party Enjoyed Saturday.

Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Ross Henry and Mrs. G. A. Linder were hostesses at a party last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Smith at 3 o'clock.

"42" furnished the amusement for the afternoon. Mrs. R. H. Willis and Mrs. E. C. Henry held high score at the conclusion of the games.

Those playing were: Mrs. W. A. Baker, Mrs. N. A. Armstrong, Mrs. Fannie Montague, Mrs. Frank Stovall, Mrs. Dora Reagan, Mrs. Lula Slaughter, Mrs. J. B. Jenkins, Mrs. Lillie Britton, Mrs. J. T. J. Dawson, Mrs. F. P. Henry, Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Mrs. V. Andrews, Mrs. J. D. Starks, Mrs. W. P. Dally, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. R. H. Willis, Mrs. Jennie Bishop, Mrs. W. M. Colville, Mrs. Will Walker, Mrs. E. C. Henry, Mrs. D. D. Shipley and Mrs. R. M. McCauley.

San Souci Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. de Cordova.

Mrs. Audrey de Cordova was hostess to the San Souci Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Rip Snodgrass won high score

for the members and Mrs. Faye Maxey for the visitors.

The next meeting of the club will be Wednesday, January 28, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Terrell Loran.

Guests present Wednesday were as follows: Mesdames A. B. Keim, Faye Maxey, A. A. Bishop, Carr Surginer, T. P. Collins, and Ogie Johnson; Misses Joyce Hopkins and Honora Childers. Members present were Mesdames Bill Dally, Terrell Loran, Rip Snodgrass, Flynn Thagard, Jodie M. Day, Leslie Surginer, Jeff Welborn, Jack Deakins, and the hostess.

Fidelis Matron Class Met With Mrs. O'Brien.

The Fidelis Matron Class of the Baptist Church met Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. P. D. O'Brien with Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mrs. E. L. Angus, Mrs. O'Brien and Mrs. V. Andrews as hostesses.

Mrs. L. T. Bishop presided in the absence of the president. The meeting was opened with the devotional and singing of the class song after which motions were made and passed to postpone the election of officers till in April and to send out cards to absentees each week.

Mrs. B. L. Blacklock of Munday was a visitor at the meeting. Members present were, Mrs. Fred L. Ebling, Mrs. Bell Hill, Mrs. Henry Cox, Mrs. K. A. Osburn, Mrs. Roy Burrows, Mrs. W. L. Barnett, Mrs. C. M. Meredith, Mrs. H. O. Cline, Mrs. H. C. Stanley and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry Entertain With Bridge Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry entertained at five tables of bridge Wednesday night, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Day, who will leave soon for California to make their home, and for Mrs. Henry's sister, Miss Joyce Hopkins, of Miami.

High score for the ladies was won by Mrs. Roy Snodgrass and high score for the men was won by Luther Fry.

Delicious boiled custard and whipped cream and spice cake were served as refreshments at the conclusion of play.

Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Steen, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mrs. R. R. Cloud, Miss Honora Childers, Mrs. Audrey de Cordova, and Messrs. Kenneth Henry, Luther Fry, and Roy Hayes; the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Day, and Miss Joyce Hopkins and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry.

Mrs. Carr Surginer Honors Son at Dinner.

Mrs. Carr Surginer was hostess at a delightful 7 o'clock dinner Sunday evening at her lovely home on South Main Street, honoring her son, Leslie, upon the occasion of his birthday.

Those present for the enjoyable occasion were the following: Misses Geraldine Massie, Adelaide Scott, and Honora Childers; Mrs. Leslie Surginer, and Messrs. Geo. McAllister, Roy Holmes, Carr Surginer, Roy Hayes, Leslie Surginer, the honoree, and his mother, Mrs. Carr Surginer, the hostess.

Crosbyton Visitors Honored With Bridge Party.

A bridge party honoring Van Howard, of Crosbyton, who has been visiting here during the past week with his sister, Mrs. John Reagan, was given at the home of W. I. Norman in south-west Floydada last Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Heaton Wright and Miss Helene Hay were winners of high score for the evening. A delicious refreshment course was served to the following guests: Misses Maurine and Helene Hay, Edna Mae Nelson, Oleta Jackson, Christine Trowbridge and Miss Herma Lea Norman; and Messrs. Heaton Wright, Van Howard, Murette Dorsey, Audice Norman, Roy Conway and G. V. McCaskill.

Porterfield W. M. S. Met at Church.

Porterfield Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met at the church last Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Robert A. Sone conducted the lesson from the book of Leviticus which the society is studying. There was a good attendance present.

The next meeting will be Monday afternoon January 19 at 3 o'clock at the church.

Owl's 42 Club Met With Dr. and Mrs. Smith.

Dr. and Mrs. George V. Smith entertained the Owl's 42 Club last Thursday evening at 6:30 at their home with a four-course turkey dinner.

Bouquets of yellow jonquils formed the centerpiece for the tables. Immediately after the dinner 42 was enjoyed the remainder of the evening. Mrs. A. A. Bishop received

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Spuds	8 lb.,	19c
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Bread	3 For,	25c
Butter	Fresh	39c
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FRESH VEGETABLES		
Turnips & Tops,	8c Bunch	Fancy Large 17c
Mustard Greens,	8c Bunch	Lettuce, 8c
Carrots, Bunch,	8c	Grapefruit, 7c
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Myrtle Rawdon, Adele McRoberts, and Norene Spence, accompanied on the piano by Selma Lider. Various games were played and refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, potato salad, pickles, and hot chocolate were served. After refreshments, Captain deCordova was presented with a check of fifteen dollars to the boys from the pep squad to be applied on the sweater fund.

**Jokes**  
 Donley—If Mr. Patty don't take back what he said I'm going home.  
 Buddy—What did he say?  
 Donley—You're canned.

Mr. Myers—What is steam?  
 Fred—It's water, gone crazy with the heat.

Mrs. Smith—Phrase the word "kiss."  
 Gwendolyn—This word is a noun, but is usually used as a conjunction. It is never declined and more common than proper. It is not very singular, in that it is usually in the plural. It agrees with me.

Little Waldo was much impressed by his first trip through the garden. Coming to the morning-glories he shouted, "Oh, Mother, come and see the vines with the loud-speakers!"

**International Relationship Club**  
 The International Relationship Club met Friday. The members answered the roll call with the name of an ambassador to the United States from foreign countries. The following program was rendered:  
 A Ford Factory in Russia, Billie Joe Welch.  
 What of 1931 in Europe, Marion Heald.  
 An American in Japan, Selma Lider.  
 Why France is Top-dog, Esther Collins.  
 Let's do Scandinavia—Madge Dorsey.  
 Our Million Moslem Subjects, Aaron Williams.

**Athletic News**  
**Lubbock Defeats Whirlwinds at Lubbock Gym.**  
 The Lubbock Hi Westerners defeated the Floydada Whirlwinds last Thursday night, 18-9. The score stood 8-3 at the half and it looked as though the local boys would pull through with a victory, but they didn't seem to click in the last half. The local boys are improving more and more every day and with the coaching of Coach Barksdale they will mould into a real team.

**Junior Class Pins**  
 The junior class pins were paid for and received last week. And Boy Howdy! They surely are pretty! Not elaborate, but just as pretty as any pins you ever saw. An engraving of the front of our school building is on the pin with "Floydada High School" written under it. On the guards is "32," the year in which we graduate. Let these pins always be remembered by our class!

**Society**  
**Pep Squad-Football Party**  
 The pep squad entertained the football boys with a party at the R. C. A. Gym Friday evening, January 9. Two numbers were sung by

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**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED,** That you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 110 Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 110 Judicial District, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you are commanded that you summon J. B. Rutledge whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for Floyd County, at a regular term of the Justice Court for Precinct No. 1 of said County, to be begun and holden at my office in Floydada on the 24 day of February 1931 at ten o'clock A. M., to answer

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ceeds the entire wealth of Switzerland, Chile and New Zealand, and is greater than the wealth of all the Netherlands, by one billion dollars."  
 In 1931, Illinois will pay \$800,000,000 wages to 500,000 factory workers and sell to the world \$3,000,000,000 on new buildings.  
 In fact, Chicago does not see any good reason to weep.

### Andrews Ward News

**Graduation Exercises**  
 Graduation exercises for the High Seventh Grade will be held at the R. C. Andrews Ward School Friday, January 16. Nina Virginia Ford is valedictorian of the class and Gladys Ruth Brown is the salutatorian. Rex Brown is a very close third. Loy Maddox is also a small fraction below the first three.

The Low Third English class, taught by Mrs. Davis and the Low Sixth English class taught by Miss Belsher wrote some letters to pupils in other cities. Following are a few of the most representative letters received:  
 1641 St. Urbain,  
 Montreal, Canada, Dec. 2, 1930.  
 Dear Nell,  
 I am the lucky one in LV-2, my teacher chose me to answer your dear letter. Dear Nell we are taking up English, French, geography, hygiene and spelling.

I am sending you a maple leaf. We have very hot summers and cold winters. It snowed yesterday, and I think the snow will remain.  
 The school I attend has over a thousand pupils. I generally come Rank 1. I live in Montreal, the largest city in Canada. I have not yet studied about your country. I hope you will answer my letter.  
 Your sincere unknown friend,  
 Sylvia Scherer.  
 Riverside School,  
 Salt Lake City, Utah,  
 Dec. 12, 1930.

**Dear Boys and Girls,**  
 Our sixth grade received your very interesting letter. Each one in the class is writing a paragraph in reply.  
 Our school is called the Riverside because it is near the Jordan River. This river flows from a fresh water lake into Great Salt Lake.  
 We have the platoon system in our school with six teachers in our fifth and sixth grades. We go from one room to another with a different teacher for each subject. Our home teacher has six arithmetic classes and her own group in language and penmanship. It is much more interesting than the old way.  
 Salt Lake is called the center of scenic America. It is situated in the valley between the Oquirrh and the Wasatch Mountains. There are many beautiful canyons close which can be reached in a short time.  
 The population of the city is about one hundred forty thousand.  
 It was settled by the Mormon pioneers under the leadership of Brigham Young.  
 Two of the most interesting buildings are the Mormon Temple and the Tabernacle. The Tabernacle was built without nails, wooden pegs being used instead. It contains the famous organ, which at one time was the largest in the West.  
 Salt Lake is one of the best air ports in the West.  
 We have sixteen parks, the largest being Library Park. It has beautiful trees and flowers, also a zoo.  
 One interesting thing about Salt Lake is the wide streets and flowing water on the sides of the streets.  
 Salt Lake is about eighteen miles from Great Salt Lake, one of the saltiest bodies of water on the globe. It is a noted summer resort.  
 Salt Lake City is the capital city of Utah. It is situated on Wasatch Hill overlooking the city. This building is made of marble and contains many interesting agricultural and mining products, also a museum.  
 We mustn't forget to mention the world's largest open cut copper mine at Brigham, Utah. It is really a mountain of copper. One of the largest silver mines in the United States is located at Park City.  
 We enjoyed your letter very much and hope you will write again.  
 Best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.  
 Room 18, Sixth Grade,  
 Riverside School.

### East Ward School News

During last month sixteen little people in Mrs. Whigham's room were neither absent nor tardy.  
 A clever chapel program was given by Mrs. Hughes room Monday morning when all the children appeared as pickaninies. "Old Black Joe" and "Massa's in de Cold, Cold Ground" were sung and dramatized. A negro story, a piano solo and other musical numbers were enjoyed by our student body and a number of the mothers.

Our Mid-term examinations begin Wednesday and all of our pupils are busy preparing for them. Although examinations are being given this week, report cards will not be sent out until the regular time, the last of the month. However individual pupils will be informed next Monday as to their promotions.

Following is the December Honor Roll:  
 Low First—La Nell Harmon, Margaret Holland, Milburn Morton, Norma Mae Harris, Bobby James Eubank, LeRoy Chowning, David Layne Kirk, Winona Bailey, Kenneth Joe Burgett, Ophelia Gilliland, Lelaface Hicks, Billy Clyde Meador, Margie Lee Scott, Winnell Styles.  
 High First—Gilmer Dennison, Eugene Massie, Jimmie Lee Watson, Vernon McNeely, Jean Sams, Jr., Second Grade—H. B. Sams, Jr., Jerry Holland, Jimmy Ruth Wilson, Billy Boy Brown, Merna Beth Scott.  
 Low Third—Sappho Ward, Jack McIntosh, Olin Watson, Jr., Mary Louise Tubbs, J. T. Morton, Adolph Burgett, Dorris Collins, James Burris, Price Scott, Jr., Bonnie Glenn, Erna Fulkerson.  
 High Third—Anita Jo Jenkins, Reid Strickland, Clovine Young, Minnie Cannaday, Bailey Switzer.  
 Low Fourth—Margie Kirk, Thomasine Cox, Francis Probasco, Erma Dean Moore, Marquerite Leonard, Mary Wilson Hicks.  
 High Fourth—Richard Tubbs, Cecil Driggers, Harley Stone, Louise Gilliland, Horace Young.  
 Fifth Grade—Worth Shipley, Marye Cooper, Mary Emma Collins, Evelyn Hicks, Fern Penland, Evelyn Patty.

(Crowded out last week)  
 Rev. S. H. Young conducted our chapel exercises Monday morning giving a very interesting address on "Perfection and Obedience."  
 Many of our pupils are reviewing this week in preparation for the mid-term examinations.  
 We are glad to have the following pupils re-entered after an absence of several weeks: Mary Ellen Hollums, Ruth Hollums, John Phillips, Elmer D. Phillips.  
 Eugene Graham has enrolled in the low fourth, coming from the Campbell school.  
 L. C. Barber and Doyle Wall have withdrawn from the first grade.

R. D. Bryan and Bob Jackson, with the sales department of the West Texas Tractor and Machinery Company of Plainview, were in Floydada on business last week.

raise much of anything, but we raise some things.  
 Our chief industry is mining. Our state is one of the largest mining states in the Union. We have gold, silver, platinum, copper, iron and sulphur.  
 We also raise cattle.  
 Our state flower is sagebrush. I am sending you a small piece of it. My name is Betty Armstrong. I am eight years old and in the third grade. I would like very much to hear from you again.  
 Your Nevada Friend,  
 Betty Nadine Armstrong.  
 Randolph School,  
 Lincoln, Neb.,  
 December 15, 1930.

**Dear Friend,**  
 We have a park. It's name is Antelope. There is a cow there. It has six legs.  
 Your Lincoln Friend,  
 Monnes Levine.

### HONOR ROLL FOR DECEMBER

7-A: Gladys Ruth Brown and Nina Virginia Ford.  
 7-B: Cleo Birch, Mildred Houston, and Nella Frances Faulk.  
 6-A: Kathleen Hodge, Fern Finkner, Fleeta Manning, Jack Stansell, and Nadyne Wood.  
 6-B and C: Minnie Anon Stanley, Ethel Westfall, Marilyn Cole, Mary Evelyn Davis, Eldon Burgett, Tris Christine Kientz, and Malcolm Linder.  
 5-B: Norma Ginn, Nadyne Moore, Dorothy Nell Swinson, Bernice Stephenson, and Billy Stanforth.  
 High Fourth: Melton Hodge and Elizabeth Hardgroves.  
 High Third: Verna Frances Sanders.  
 Low Fourth: Lynn Colville, Vaughn Horn, Neil Stevenson, Audie Noland, Mary Adair and Fred Hanks.  
 Low Third: Robert Scott, Leeman Norman, Martha Lee McCleskey, Emily Sitton, Edward Wester, Mary Katherine Daniel, Clifford Daniel, Bobby Cogswell and Jean Williams.  
 Low Third: H. D. Payne, James Willson, Robertine McIntyre, Nell Patton, Mollie Roberts, Dorothy Dell Stovall, and Frances Williams.  
 Low Third: Helen Fitch, Maydell King, and Viva Lais Stanley.  
 High Second: Esther Finkner, Judson Abernathy, Edna Earl Price, Winnifred Hodge, Juanita True, Mary Frances Copeland.  
 Low Second: L. B. Dawson, Carl Lester Minor, Louis Condra, Mary Louise Medlen, Frances Fitch, and Grace June Hay.  
 Low First: J. E. Williams and Jane Clark.  
 Low First: Jack Cogswell, Kenneth Hodge, and Dorothy Fitch.

### WEEKLY MEETINGS RETAIL MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION WILL BE ORDER FOR AWHILE

Weekly meetings of the Retail Merchants' Association of Floydada will be held for an indefinite period, according to plans made last week in a gathering of this body, when the decision was reached to have the meetings on Friday mornings.  
 The meeting was held in the county attorney's office.  
 According to Miss Wilma Fuller, assistant to secretary Toney B. Maxey, checking up on lost addresses, delinquent accounts and cold checks will have attention in particular at the next meeting or two.

### CARD OF THANKS

The relatives of the late Elder E. B. Mullins wish to express their sincere thanks for the many deeds of kindness and thoughtfulness shown by the friends and acquaintances of the family during Elder Mullins illness and death. The beautiful floral offerings, as well as the beautiful dinner prepared for the relatives, and the many other kind deeds were deeply appreciated.

Mrs. E. B. Mullins,  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hart,  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Finley and Maurie,  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gaither,  
 Homer Gaither,  
 Mr. and Mrs. I. Gaither,  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Finley and family,  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Finley and family,  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jackson,  
 Mrs. F. E. Wampler.

### STARKEY 4-H CLUB


The Starkey 4-H Girls' Club met January 1 and elected officers, as follows:  
 Helen Grigsby president, Lela Parrish vice-president, Hulda Reasoner secretary, and Ruby Joe Atkinson reporter.  
 Four old members and four new members were present. Each girl chose gardening for her project. We each will have the material for our project at the next meeting, which will be January 15.

R. F. Walker of Austin and Franklin Walker of Littlefield came Monday for a visit of several days with Miss Eddythe Walker. Franklin Walker is a brother of Miss Walker and R. F. Walker her uncle.  
 Mrs. J. D. McBrien spent from last Thursday till Monday visiting at Lamesa and Big Spring. She accompanied her brother, Dee Hull, of Lamesa, as he returned home.

W. C. Sims accompanied his daughter, Miss Ina, and Blanche Enoch, and Gertrude Collier of Lockney to Abilene following the holidays where they resumed their studies at the National Business College. Miss Bernice Gresham went to Abilene with them and from there to Cisco where she is a student in Randolph College.

Carl Sammann and H. J. Ratjen of Providence, were in Floydada on business Tuesday of last week.

Haskell Kemp of Pampa spent Sunday of last week here with friends.  
 Dave Standefer and B. P. Woody last week made a trip to Amarillo on business.



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	48 Pound Sack,	
<b>Catsup</b>	Beech-Nut	<b>23c</b>
	Large Bottle,	
<b>Pure Cane Cloth Bag,</b>	10 lbs.,	<b>.59</b>
<b>Sugar</b>	25 lbs.,	<b>\$1.39</b>
	100 lbs.,	<b>\$5.35</b>
<b>Tomatoes</b>	Wapco	<b>10c</b>
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<b>Sardines</b>	Sunkist	<b>25c</b>
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	Per Pound,	
<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b>	Wapco	<b>9c</b>
	No. 2's per can,	
<b>Lard</b>	Compound,	<b>95c</b>
	8 lb. pail,	
<b>Corn</b>	Pride of Bloomington	<b>14c</b>
	No. 2 can,	
<b>Beans</b>	Pintos,	<b>43c</b>
	10 lbs. for,	

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### Tractor Day Program Planned By Stansell & Collins, Jan. 19

Field Demonstration, School, Free Lunch and Motion Pictures Included.

A field demonstration and tractor school will be conducted by Stansell & Collins, John Deere dealers, aided by representatives of the John Deere organization, Monday morning, January 19, beginning at 10 o'clock.

The field demonstration of new tractors and equipment will be held at Mrs. M. F. Swain's farm, two miles east of Floydada on the Matarador highway.

Free lunch will be served at noon at the demonstration, compliments of Stansell & Collins, Walter Collins announced this week.

One of the entertaining features of the tractor school will be motion pictures of several reels, which will be shown at the Palace Theatre, beginning at 2 o'clock. The school will continue until about 4 o'clock.

"We invite every farmer in this section to be our guests at the field demonstration and tractor school," says Mr. Collins. "These two events will be different from any of their kind ever held in this community. There have been great power farming machinery improvements that mean much to the farmer. We are going to demonstrate the latest models of tractors and equipment. Every farmer who attends the demonstration will get new and profitable ideas of what tractor designers have accomplished for his benefit."

Experts to Direct  
"The tractor school will be in charge of men who know everything about tractors. In plain, simple illustrated lessons these instructors will teach what they know. They will demonstrate the easy, money-saving ways of keeping a tractor tuned up for greatest efficiency throughout its life. Since tractors are coming into such wide use in this section and since a clear understanding of tractors by the user is such an important factor in successful operation, it will pay every farmer to attend this power farming demonstration and tractor school."

Among those from the John Deere Company who will be here for the school and demonstration are C. M. Hassall, manager of the power machinery department, of Kansas City; L. D. Stinson, blockman, of Plainview; John Duncan, superintendent in charge of demonstration and school, of Kansas City; Lee Harlan and Tom Chambers, tractor operators and service men, of Kansas City.

### Antelope News

(By Neva Hinsley)  
Antelope, Jan. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinsley and family had as their guests Friday night the following: Rayford and Harlin Palmer, Cecil Ray and Miss Connie Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night.

C. A. Cumble and Robert Hinsley made a business trip to Brownfield Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Palmer and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lane and family of Mt. Blanco.

W. W. Wisdom is moving into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Oden.

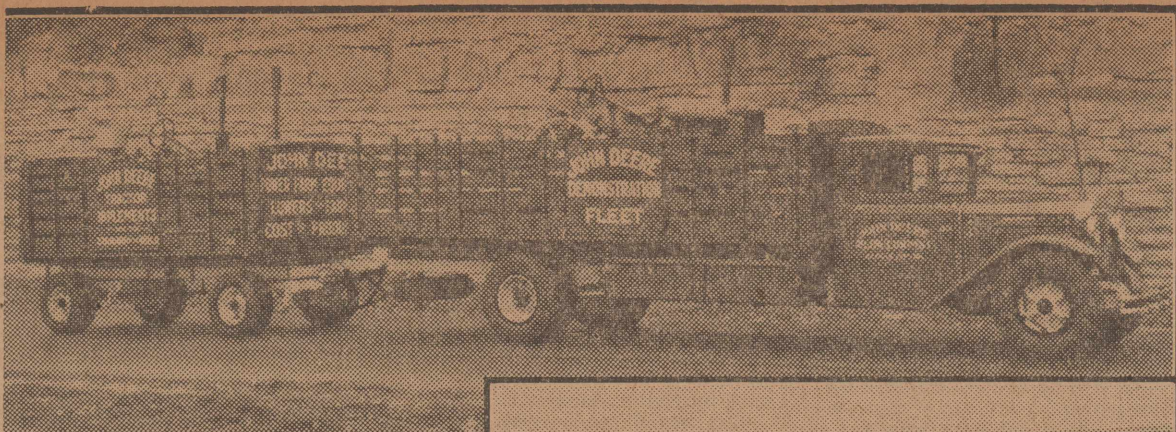
Mrs. Selmon Mercer and little daughter, Billie Francis, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. P. Roe of Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carmack and family are moving into the house formerly occupied by Jim Morrison.

Gwilym Enoch returned to Lubbock Sunday of last week after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Enoch, and other relatives. He is a student in Texas Tech.

Advertise in The Hesperian.

### John Deere Demonstration Fleet Unit



Pictured above is a unit of the demonstration fleet, which carries tractors and equipment to demonstration grounds for the school and field study of the John Deere Company, represented in Floydada by Stansell & Collins. Picture below shows large crowd of interested farmers at a school conducted recently.



### Lakeview News

Lakeview, Jan. 12.—R. F. Luttrell is improving following several weeks illness.

Mrs. H. J. Nelson has been on the sick list several days.

A number of people have been moving the past few days.

Officers of the Baptist Sunday School for the year were elected last Sunday as follows:

Fred Battey, superintendent; R. V. Pratt, secretary; C. A. Cass, adult teacher; O. M. Conway, senior teacher; Mrs. O. M. Conway, intermediate teacher; Mrs. L. E. Kiker, junior teacher; Mrs. J. F. Roy, primary teacher; Mrs. Claude Patton, card class. If you are not attending Sunday School elsewhere you are invited to join with this Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer and family have moved to Muncy. We regret to lose them from our community.

BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Nation, a son, January 5.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Smith, attended the funeral of Mrs. R. C. Smith's father at Post last week.

The boys of Mr. Williams' class are painting the new seats recently installed by the school board in the school auditorium.

Joe Conway is able to be back in school after a weeks absence.

Lakeview, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Cella Ross visited in Floydada over the week-end.

Miss Ruth Smith left Tuesday for an extended visit in Post.

Elwin Gilbreath was absent from school the first of the week on account of illness.

The following were guests of Mrs. Ross and Miss Dixon Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cass, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Conway, Misses Angleen Patterson and Mary Lois Conway, Junior Conway and C. A. Cass, Jr. Games of forty-two and flinch were played.

Miss Dixon's room entertained in chapel Monday morning with the following program:

Song, "Work for the night is coming,"—by school.

Scripture reading, Matt. 25:14-30.

Murillo Gilbreath.

Piano solo, "On the Lake,"—Mary Lois Conway.

"What is Thrift,"—Miss Dixon.

Pantomime in thrift, Silas Marner vs. Benjamin Franklin.—by fifth and sixth grade pupils and Kent Kiker.

Discussion accenting the lessons drawn in the dramatization.—Miss Dixon.

Song, "Get a pass book, boys,"—by eighth fifth and sixth grade boys and girls.

Travis Dun and Ruth Robertson

enrolled with the Lakeview School Monday.

Dean Nelson and Homer Newberry visited in the Mt. Blanco Community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barnett and little daughter, Peggy Jeane, and Mrs. Balkwin spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Bishop of Mt. Blanco, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Thomas of Lone Star, and Mrs. J. R. Evers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Day.

The McCoy basketball girls and boys played the basket ball girls and boys of Lakeview Friday evening. The scores were 10-16 in favor of McCoy girls and 33-11 in favor of Lakeview boys.

"His Irish Dream Girl" will be presented at Lakeview soon.

Civics Club Program

The Locust Grove Civics Club presented a program Friday January 9, at which the parents of the members of the club were elected honorary members of the club and also the club voted an appreciation to Mrs. L. E. Kiker and Mrs. C. A. Cass for their assistance and election of them as honorary members. The constitution and by-laws were read for the benefit of the new members by Alta Lloyd.

A short talk on what the club has accomplished was made by Orval Newberry, and "Texas the Lone Star State" was sung by the members.

A reading, "The greatness of Stonewall Jackson" was given by Myrtle Day and a duet, "Juanita" was sung by Angleen Patterson and Frankie Jones. Ethel Warren gave a reading, "The House by the side of the Road," and Evelyn Roy rendered a piano solo, followed by a quartet by four boys. Following the debates Mrs. Elmer Roy, the critic reporter, made some corrections and suggestions which will benefit the club and its members.

### Center News

Center, January 13.—The threatening blizzard has not come yet and today bids fair to be a sunshiny one.

We hope the good weather continues until people finish with this cotton gathering job.

We had good crowds out each service Sunday to hear Bro. Loyd preach. Perhaps his last sermons to us as he plans to leave soon for Plainview to attend school.

The C. Y. P. Club play was real

good Friday night though the crowd was small.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Meredith, Mrs. C. E. Meredith and daughters were callers out this way Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot and Miss Gertrude went to Plainview Monday on business.

Next Sunday is our regular church day with preaching on Saturday night, also. We expect to have the church roll called and urge each member to come to answer present.

The men of the adult B. Y. P. U. entertained the ladies Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spence. A good crowd was present but several were absent on account of the muddy weather. The men did the entertaining job up just right, even to serving the refreshments of fruit and cake.

Miss Mamie Carson was ill last week and unable to teach but we are glad to report that she is able to take up her work this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan and children took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, of Floydada.

### McCoy News

McCoy, January 13.—Everyone is enjoying these sunshiny days of the new year. Several from our community are moving this week. We regret very much to lose our friends and neighbors and welcome the new ones into our community.

Mrs. W. E. Lowrance, of Lubbock, spent a few days here last week with her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Smith.

A few from our community enjoyed the singing at Floydada Sunday afternoon.

John R. Gray made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Curry spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Curry.

Misses Helen McKinney and Mildred Raley enjoyed a radio program last Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Payne.

Several from here went to the ball game Friday afternoon between Lakeview and McCoy. The McCoy girls won their game by the score of 16 to 10. The Lakeview boys defeated the McCoy boys.

Several enjoyed the singing Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holeyfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Curry moved to Oton Saturday. We regret to lose them out of our community.

C. W. Williamson and daughter,

Naimo, were in this community last week.

Rev. W. H. Strong was in our community Monday visiting.

Miss Mildred Raley and Morris Raley spent Friday in the Lakeview community with their father, J. C. Raley.

Miss Violet Pittman spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pittman. Other guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Smith and Wynona.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Floyd County will consider sealed bids for County Depository and depository for county and county school funds on February 9, 1931, at 10 a. m. for the period of two years from February 9, A. D. 1931 to the second Monday in February, 1933.

All bids shall be deposited with the county judge of Floyd County not later than 10 o'clock a. m. February 9, 1931, and shall state the amount of interest said bidder proposes to pay on daily average balances monthly, on the first day of each month for the previous month.

All funds to be secured by pledge contract as provided by house bill No. 517, as passed by the Fortieth Legislature at the regular session. The commissioners court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Trust Fund Depository  
Also on the same day and hour as above set forth the Commissioners Court will receive sealed proposals from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in Floyd County as may desire to be selected as the depository for trust funds in the possession of the county and district clerks of Floyd County.

Said sealed proposals shall be filed with the county clerk on or before 10 a. m. Monday, February 9, 1931. The proposals submitted shall state the rate of interest offered on average daily deposits of the trust funds of the county and district clerks for the term between the date of the bids and the selection, designation and qualification of another depository; said bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than one-half of one percent of the average daily balances of said trust funds of said clerks during the preceding calendar year, which said amount shall be determined by the county clerk on or before ten days before the date bids herein are required to be filed, and a certified check accompanying the bid as herein provided for shall be filed as a guarantee of good faith that if his or its bid is accepted a bond will be entered into as provided for.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 13 day of January, A. D. 1931.  
(SEAL) J. W. Howard,  
County Judge, Floyd County, Texas.  
474tc.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman returned home last week from an extended holiday visit with relatives at Palo Alto and Los Angeles, California, and at Portland, Oregon. At the latter place they were guests of Mr. Zimmerman's mother.

### WOODMAN CIRCLE INSTALLS OFFICERS FOR NEW YEAR

Floydada Grove No. 1033 of the Woodman circle met at the home of Mrs. J. D. Starks last Wednesday January 7 to install their officers for the year. There was a nice crowd present.

The following officers were installed: Mrs. Willie J. Copperell, chaplain; Mrs. Myrtle McCutley, guardian; Mrs. Ella B. Starks, recording and corresponding secretary; Mrs. James Turner, attendant; Mrs. Bob Smith, assistant attendant; Mrs. Agnes Buchanan, outer sentinel; Mrs. N. A. Armstrong, inner sentinel; Mrs. Myrtle Randsen, advisor; Mrs. Madeline Steen, captain; Mrs. Eula M. Thurmon, music; Mrs. Mary Mowery, Junior supervisor; Mrs. James Turner, reporter; Managers installed were, chairman, Mrs. Mary C. Surginer, Mrs. Eula M. Thurmon, and Mrs. Bob Smith.

After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

The Grove will meet Wednesday afternoon January 21, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. D. Starks.

### Half-Minute Interviews

Geo. L. Fawver: "A good way to keep the roads in good condition would be for everybody to stay off of them for three days following every rain."

J. C. Gilliam: "Our hens are laying lots of eggs. We have seven hens and get eight eggs a day."

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At, 8c

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Men's Dress Pants, \$2.97

At, \$2.97

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At, \$6.95

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At, 3

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BULK COMPOUND, Bring your Bucket, 8 lbs. for, 85c

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BULK COOKIES, Week-end price, 25c

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SALT BACON, Special Price, 15c

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# Dougherty News

(By Mrs. W. D. Newell)

At this time, when we hear so much talk of hard times, no money and a bleak outlook for the future, do we stop to consider the optimistic view of the situation?

Speaking for W. D. the kiddies and myself, it has proved one of the biggest lessons we've ever had and folks! We're grateful for it. The old adage "Circumstances alter Cases" has had its big way in this lesson, but who knows what we are being prepared for?

It becomes a lesson of interest when the family meet together in the "game of life" and know they are forming plans to get by. What better time or setting could we have to teach our children the lesson of economy and thrift.

Conditions seem to be in a deadlock. The farmer cannot buy; because of the low price of his products, the laboring man cannot buy, the cream, eggs, chickens etc., the farmer has to sell because, he cannot get work. The manufacturers cannot give the laboring man work because; he cannot sell his goods to the farmers and laboring men, nor can he buy the wheat and cotton from the farmers because—he cannot sell the manufactured products. Now what are we to do?

I am reminded of a story of a tractor company that sold a big tractor to a mining company to haul the ore from the mine some 12 miles up the canyon, down to the railroad. It seems this mine was the only one in the country that produced this particular kind of mineral, we call it "mineralite".

Everything was going nicely till one day a rush order came in for a shipment of mineralite. The big tractor went roaring up the canyon and hitched on to the big wagons loaded with the ore and started for the railroad when grrrr—and the tractor wouldn't move.

The manager at the mine phoned the tractor company to send a service man at once to determine the trouble. The young man arrived and upon investigation it was found that the main bearing on the drive-shaft, which was a ball bearing had gone to pieces. About this time it began snowing, the manager at the mine phoned the tractor company to send them a bearing No. J718X. The tractor company however found that they were out of this particular bearing and phoned the bearing manufacturer and asked them to send them six of this number. The bearing company was out of this bearing so they phoned the shop and ask them to make 6 No. J718X Bearings. The shop foreman informed them that they were out of that particular grade of steel to make the bearings so they called the steel mill and ask them to send a bundle of steel DX grade. The steel mill reported that they were out of mineralite and could not make this grade of steel. The steel mill then phoned the mine to rush their order of mineralite, but the manager at the mine informed them that the tractor was out of order and because of the deep snow it was impossible to get the ore out any other way, so they called the tractor company and ask for a rush order of the bearing. The tractor company phoned the bearing company to rush their order, the bearing company called the steel mill to rush their order of steel, the steel company called the mine again so round and round they phoned.

The service man for the tractor company grew tired of waiting and hearing the raving of the manager at the mine, because he could not make the shipment, so he put on a pair of overalls, got a few tools and bar of good habbit and started up the canyon.

Within a few hours he had run a good habbit bearing, cranked up the tractor and came roaring down the canyon with the load of mineralite.

What we need at this time is someone to make the habbit bearing to start the wheels of industry moving.

Church and School News  
Rev. Claude Wingo will preach at the Methodist Church at this place next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Union Sunday School elected officers for the following year. Norman Payne was elected as superintendent and C. F. Lincoln as assistant superintendent. Teacher Mrs. W. D. Newell re-elected; teacher class No. 2 Mrs. Lee Hawk re-elected; teacher class No. 3 announced later; teacher class No. 4 Mrs. C. E. Bartlett re-elected; teacher class No. 5 Mrs. C. F. Lincoln. Miss Irene Colston was re-elected secretary of the Union Sunday school.

We will begin Sunday School at the Union S. S. promptly at 10 o'clock. Everyone is especially urged to be on time.  
Norman Payne, Superintendent.

The juniors, with Mrs. C. E. Bartlett as sponsor gave a very spiritual presentation service last Sunday evening in which they presented Sunday school with a Bible.

After the presentation of their part each of the 12 children presented their lives to be used as their class motto suggests "Willing workers for Jesus."

Sunday being the day for the little folks, the juniors presented the following League program Sunday night.

Song: "Stand Up for Jesus."  
Scripture: 1st Cor. 15: 53. R. V. Bartlett.  
Prayer: Bettie Newell.  
Lesson Study: Mrs. C. E. Bartlett.

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Song: We'll Work Till Jesus Comes  
Reading: By Joy Linn Garner.  
Work is Good for Us by Mozelle Patterson.

What we Owe Others by Bettie Newell.  
Consider the Bee by Lerabeth Newton.  
Song: Work for the Night is Coming.  
Benediction—Ila Allmon.

Owing to the weather conditions Dougherty did not have any representatives at the Ansil Lynn League rally held at Hale Center last Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. F. O. Garner preached at the 11 o'clock hour Sunday morning. Using for his subject "The Incarnation" Matthew 22-42.

By the request of a number of friends, Rev. F. O. Garner submits the following of which he is part author. Rev. Garner used this in concluding his sermon Sunday morning.

What think ye of Christ?  
To the Artist, He is altogether lovely; architect, He is the Chief Corner Stone; Astronomer, He is the Son of Righteousness; Baker, He is the Bread of Life; Banker, He is the Hidden Treasurer; Biologist, He is the Life; Builder, the sure foundation; Carpenter, the Door; Christian, Son of God, Savior, Redeemer and Lord; Doctor, The Great Physician; Educator, The Great Teacher; Farmer, The Sower and Lord of Harvest; Florist, The Rose of Sharon Lilly of the Valley; Geologist, The Rock of Ages; Horticulturist, the True Vine; Judge, the Righteous Judge, the Judge of All; Juror, the Faithful and True Witness; Jeweler the Pearl of great price; Lawyer, the great Law giver, councillor, advocate; Newspaperman, Good Tidings of Great Joy, Oculist, The light of the Eye; Philanthropist, the unspeakable gift; Philosopher, the wisdom of God; Preacher, The Word of God; Railroad man, New and Living Way; Sculpturer, the Living Stone; Servant, The Good Master; Statesman, The Desire of all Nations; Student, The Incarnate Truth Sinner, Lamb of God that taketh away Sins of World; Theologian; the Author and Finisher of our Faith; Toller, The Giver of Rest.

What Is He to you?  
The Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. D. Newell. The society started the study of Exodus, studying and discussing the book from a chronological viewpoint.

The lesson for January 19th will be the last half of the book. After these two lessons a careful study beginning with chapter one will be made.

Next Monday, January 19, Miss Thelma McNeil will be hostess to the society.  
Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church will meet in an all day meeting Saturday, January 17th at this place.

Locals and Personals  
Orlan Howard completed his work here and moved to his home in Floydada last Saturday, after having made this place his home for the past 15 months. Mr. Howard has been employed with the Edwards Grain Company and the Newton Gin Company during his stay here.

N. E. Allmon and sons Mike and Chesley made a business trip to Amarillo last week. Mr. Allmon returned home Saturday.  
Rev. Garner and family and Mrs. C. F. Lincoln visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McNeil Sunday.  
Miss Robbie Lotspeich was a guest of Miss Annie McNeil last Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Handley spent

the week end at Crosbyton with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dunn.  
Misses Jewell and Grace McNeil visited Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Payne at Floydada Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Glenn White was a guest of Stokes and Maurice Campbell Sunday.  
Misses Dora Lloyd, Lou Ella Lincoln and Esther Patterson spent Friday night with Miss Irene Kreis.  
Mr. and Mrs. Leon Collins visited in Floydada last Saturday night.  
J. M. Brownlow and son Buck visited Mrs. Brownlow last week at the Milling Sanitarium in Mineral Wells, Texas.  
Mrs. F. E. Pitt was operated on Monday afternoon in the Quannah hospital. Last report was that she was resting well.

Word was received by Mrs. J. E. Newton that Mrs. Martin Duvall, former resident of this place, was recuperating in a hospital at Fort Worth, following an operation last week. Friends of Mrs. Duvall here wish her a speedy recovery.

not emphasized in the preaching of Jesus, though it is a great mistake to think of Jesus as confining his teaching to the appeal of love without any stern denunciation of sin or injustice man with man. One need only turn to the pronouncement of woes in the 23rd chapter of St. Matthew's Gospel to see how sternly and even bitterly Jesus could speak about human wrong. But in the main, the teaching of Jesus emphasized grace and mercy. There was in it a note of appeal to men from the standpoint of a higher life and a higher love.

John evidently sensed the fact that there was a higher stage than that of his own work and preaching. In calling men to repentance he indicated to them that repentance was only a beginning, that the one who came after him would teach them a higher way and give them strength to follow it. He spoke of his own work as essentially a beginning and a preparation, which the Master was to complete in the refining power of his love and in the rich influences of his presence.

Describes Baptism  
His own baptism is described as a baptism of water, but the baptism that Christ was to give would be a baptism in the spirit of holiness and with fire. Fire was itself the symbol of refining and of power. It was the precious thing in the ancient world that man took care to preserve.

But no conception of the higher glories of Christian living should blind us in any way to the greatness of the appeal of John. When religion lacks in justice and consideration for others, in plain elemental honesty and in the simple fundamental virtues, no element of ecstasy, no semblance of orthodoxy in doctrine, and no profession of holiness in living, can save it from being inherently unreal and sham. The lesson of this all might well be taken to ourselves today. We are engaged in vast schemes of social amelioration while too often we neglect the elemental virtues and the chief virtue of honesty.

Starkey News  
Starkey, Jan. 12.—Orlan Howard spent Sunday with his brothers.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard attended the play at Sand Hill Friday night. Marion Moore, Lelia Maye and Eddie Poe also attended. They reported that the play was put over big and everyone enjoyed it.  
S. M. Harrison of Plainview spent Friday, Saturday, and Sunday with Roy Thornton and family.  
Seaton Howard who has been confined to the house because of an infected foot, is able to walk on it again.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Waddington made a business trip to Matador Monday.

Muncy News  
(By Loretta Vandergriff)  
Muncy, Jan. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Shurbet and family left Saturday for the Rio Grande Valley, where they will make their future home.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. B. LaFrance and little daughter, Peggy Marie, are at the bedside of Mrs. LaFrance's mother, who is very ill with pneumonia.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Palmer of the Lakeview community are moving on the W. O. Shurbet place. We welcome them into our community.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gordon have moved from Pleasant Valley community to the place formerly occupied by Keller Holmes.  
Mrs. Ruby Muncy and Paul Day were Floydada visitors Thursday afternoon.  
We were very glad to have Price Scott visit our school Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Smalley spent Thursday afternoon in Floydada.  
Mrs. Gladys Cagle was in Floydada Thursday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sparks of Lakeview spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparks.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shaw of Floydada spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Ivie.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sparks were visitors in Lubbock Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nichols of Pleasant Hill spent Friday night with Mrs. Nichol's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moor.

Irick News  
Irick, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Ernest Miller is on the sick list this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Harkins and family moved to Plainview this week. We are very sorry to lose them from the community.  
The Sand Hill, boys and girls, basketball teams played the Irick teams Wednesday afternoon. The score of the boys' game was 11-8 in favor of Sand Hill. The girls tied with a score of 14-14.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Billington moved to Hale Center Saturday.  
Mrs. J. A. Stegall was called to the bedside of her father Mr. Montgomery, Sunday. He is seriously ill at his home in Abilene.  
Judge Wm. McGehee spent the latter part of last week in Amarillo on business. Wednesday of this week he and Mrs. McGehee went to Olton, where they are spending a few days on a visit.

Sanitarium Notes  
Mrs. L. A. Horton, of Fairview, has been discharged from the sanitarium, following an operation two weeks ago.  
Mrs. Grady Mason is in the sanitarium, following an operation for appendicitis Saturday.  
C. M. Norris, of Mt. Blanco, is convalescing at the sanitarium. He underwent an operation for appendicitis Wednesday.  
Doris Clonts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clonts is resting well, following an operation for appendicitis Tuesday of last week.  
Louie F. and Orval Moore, and Billie Denman, of Lubbock, spent Sunday in Floydada on a visit with kinspeople. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Josie Moore, who will make an indefinite visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Denman.

## Sunday School Lesson

### THE MINISTRY OF JOHN

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Jan. 18. The Ministry of John the Baptist. Luke 3:7-17.

The ministry of John the Baptist is known to us chiefly through his



preaching, and perhaps this constitutes something of its contrast with what we know of the ministry of Jesus. It is true that we have in the New Testament the record of much of the preaching of Jesus, or perhaps we should more properly say that much of the New Testament record is concerned with his preaching.

The gospel story, however, even in its brevity and incompleteness, affords us a rather definite picture of Jesus in the ministry of his daily life and relationships. We see him not only sitting on the hillside preaching the wonderful Sermon on the Mount to the little group of disciples who had followed him, and not only in the telling of the richly suggestive and beautiful parables, but also in the ministry to the needy and distressed, to the troubled in body and in spirit.

No doubt there was much of such ministry in the brief period of John the Baptist's public activity, but his special place was as one preparing the way for the Master who, he said, would be mightier than he. And this preparation came largely through a message of conviction of sin and a call to repentance.

Love and Righteousness  
It might be said that both in its individual, and all its social aspects, religion proceeds from the lower to the higher plane. Love begins in righteousness; and when it departs from the righteousness it ceases to be love, and needs to go back to the place of purification in righteousness, honor, and truth.

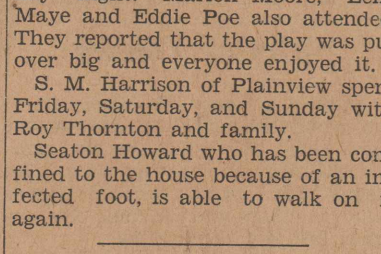
The preaching of John has in it a note that, for the most part, is

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## 'Preservation of Pork Products' January Program For H. D. Clubs

Demonstrations to be Held At Each Club; Recipes Used In Homes.

"Preservation of Pork products" is the January program for the Home Demonstration Club women of Floyd County. A demonstration on preparing the following products are being held in every club, and attention has been called to the fact that when all of these recipes are filled not one edible part of the pork is wasted:

**Recipes for Canned Pork Liver Paste**  
1 medium sized liver (about 3 lbs.)  
1 1/2 lbs. of fresh pork (ground)  
2 tablespoons of salt  
1 tsp. pepper  
1/2 cup water  
1 tsp. cloves  
2 onions (chopped fine)  
6 crackers or the equivalent of bread crumbs.  
3 eggs.

Put meat and seasonings through the meat chopper twice. Add eggs, water and mix thoroughly. Pack firmly into No. 2 cans to within 1/4 inch of the top. Place open cans in a pan of hot water and allow to remain in a moderately hot oven until the heat has penetrated the center of the can. Seal and process No. 2 cans 50 minutes at 15 pounds pressure.

**Sausage**  
25 lbs. (4 parts lean to 1 part fat)  
1/2 lb. fine salt  
1 1/2 ounces black pepper (fine)  
1 1/2 ounces powdered sage  
3 tablespoons red pepper  
1 c. sugar.

Use only clean, fresh pork for sausage, grind meat through a medium plate. Mix seasonings thoroughly into the ground meat.

Fill No. 2 cans with bulk sausage, using a wooden paddle. Pack cans from the side and avoid air spaces. Fill cans to within 1/2 inch of the top. Place the cans in a pan of boiling water. Set the pan in a

moderate oven and allow the heat to penetrate to the center of the can. Seal and process.

No. 2 cans, 50 minutes at 15 lbs. pressure.

No. 3 cans, 60 minutes at 15 lbs. pressure.

When the sausage is opened, it may be sliced and heated or served cold.

### Head Cheese

Cut the hog's head into four pieces. Remove the brains, ear skin, snout and eyes. Use the fat part for lard. Let the lean and bone parts of the head soak overnight in cold water, in order to extract the blood and dirt. After soaking and cleaning the head, cover the meat with plenty of water. Boil until the meat separates readily from the bone. When done, remove all bones. Draw off the stock, strain and save for future use. Chop the meat finely. Return to the kettle and cover with stock. Boil gently for about half an hour. Season to taste with pepper and salt just before removing from the fire. Turn into a loaf pan, cover and weight down to make a solid loaf. When cold, slice thin and serve without further cooking. Avoid getting too much fat in head cheese.

### Scrapple

Prepare and use the head as given under Head Cheese. In addition to the head, the heart, tongue, liver and feet may be used. After all the parts have been cleaned thoroughly, cover the meat and bones with water, cook slowly until the meat falls from the bones. Remove the meat from the bones, drain and strain the stock. Grind all meat except the heart, liver and tongue, which should be cut in large pieces. Heat the strained meat stock to the boiling point, season with salt and white pepper. In preparing the cereal mixture, stir cereals into the boiling stock until the mass becomes quite thick about the consistency of corn meal mush. Equal parts cornmeal, buckwheat flour, brand middlings may be used for a thickening. Scrupple is piping hot, fill No. 2 cans to within 1/2 inch of the top. Seal and process as for other pork products.

### Mince Meat

2 1/2 cups suet  
6 lemons  
6 oranges  
5 cups sugar  
1/2 cup vinegar  
5 cups cooked beef  
2 1/2 cups raisins  
2 1/2 cups currants  
1 tbsp. mace  
2 tsp. cinnamon  
2 tsp. allspice  
2 tsp. cloves.

### Pickled Pig's Feet

Clean the pig's feet thoroughly and boil four to six hours, depending on the size and age, or cook in steam pressure cooker 45 minutes to 1 hour at 15 lbs. pressure. Salt to taste. Pack into a tight vessel (stone jar preferred) and cover with hot spiced vinegar. Serve cold or fry in a batter made of eggs, flour, milk and butter.

### Spiced Vinegar

1/2 gallon of vinegar (pure apple cider)  
1 1/2 tablespoonfuls of celery seed  
1/2 cup of grated horseradish  
1 cup sugar  
1 1/2 tablespoonfuls of mustard seed  
1 tablespoon full of salt  
1 onion ground fine  
1 teaspoon whole cloves  
1/2 stick of cinnamon  
(The whole spices in a cheese cloth bag).

Mix all ingredients, all to vinegar and bring to the boiling point for a few minutes. Remove the bag of spices and pour the vinegar over the meat.

### Curing of Pork

The cure best adapted to Texas is the dry sugar cure. For 100 pounds of meat use 8 pounds of salt; 2 pounds of sugar preferably brown; and 2 ounces of saltpeter. Mix the salt, sugar, and saltpeter together well and divide the cure in half. Using one half of the cure, rub the pieces well packing in a large crock or clean oak barrel, skin side down. Gauge the amount of cure that goes on each piece so that one-half of the cure will cover all the meat the first time it is rubbed. After the meat has been in the cure a

week remove it from the barrel and rub the remaining half of the cure on the meat.

To pieces weighing less than 5 pounds, such as small pieces of bacon or picnic squares, cut from the jaws, no cure need be added the second time. They are ready and should be removed from the cure before they become too salty.

### Length of Cure

To insure the best of quality of cured meat, each piece should be wiped before putting in the cure, and removed after being in the cure a certain number of days for every pound in the piece. Thin bacons will cure in a day and a half for each pound, or a 10-pound piece of bacon will be cured in fifteen days. Ham and shoulders will be cured three days per pound per piece or a 15-pound ham should stay in the cure approximately forty-five days.

### Wash off Salt

After the pieces have cured the required number of days, remove them and wash off the salt. Naturally the surfaces of the pieces are more salty than the average person likes. To reduce this over-salty condition soak the pieces in clean cold water, allowing the bacons to soak one hour, and the hams three hours.

When the pieces are removed from the water, hang them up to dry, leaving them up at least over night. It is a good precaution to hang the meat where no flies can get at it, as many times the egg that develops into the skipper or tiny maggot is laid on the meat at this time, or at the time the meat is being smoked.

Many a well-cured ham has been spoiled in the smoking process. Materials that develop the most

ideally flavored smoked meats are ranked in order of choice. They are green hickory, apple wood, clean corn cobs, green pecan or any other of the hard woods, such as maple or oak. Do not use such woods as pine or mesquite as undesirable flavors are developed. Smoking should take at least three or four days, as the process dries the meat as well as deposits a layer of creosote which has some preservative properties and retards mold growth.

### Use Barrel

A simple and inexpensive method of smoking meat is to use a barrel for a smoke house. Remove both ends of the barrel and transport the smoke to the barrel through a tunnel.

This is done because the fire would be too close to the meat if the barrel were set directly over it. A barrel can be made to hold a great deal of meat if the pieces are hung both high and low. Avoid pieces touching, as they will smoke unevenly. Use several thicknesses of bunny sack as a cover to the barrel. This allows some smoke to escape through the sack during the smoking process. By retaining all the smoke produced, a heavy sooty deposit is made on the meat with a tendency to over-smoke before the meat has a chance to dry.

The keeping of cured meats for late summer use is not practical. This is particularly true of keeping bacons. A rancid flavor develops in very fatty pieces of meat, such as bacon, from the breaking-down of the fat into its component parts of fatty acids. Such pieces as hams can be held with no loss in flavor if cured and smoked correctly.

The best method for keeping meat through the hot summer months has never been found. For the Plains country, where the climate is dry, packing in salt works very well. The only precaution necessary is to have both meat and salt dry before putting away in this manner. A wooden box is best for packing meat this way.

To insure that flies and skippers do not get to the meat when hung away in an ordinary manner, the sprinkling of the meat with equal parts of black pepper, red pepper and borax and then wrapping very carefully with paper should be practiced.

Never hang the meat, after it is wrapped with paper, with the string used during the smoking. Provide another means, so there is not a possible chance of flies getting through the wrapping.

### LOSES TATERS BUT GETS BACK SPARE TIRE AND BLANKETS THIEVES TAKE

Hollis B. Moore is the luckiest victim of the car thieves recorded locally this year of 1931. His car was pilfered Saturday night, but Monday he had back his spare tire and had the promise of the return of two blankets taken from the car. His net loss was fifty cents worth of Irish potatoes and some head scratching.

The same boys who went through the car or cars in Floydada, also did some of the same in Lockney and were later apprehended, the return of the Moore property being done through the offices of the sheriff and county attorney.

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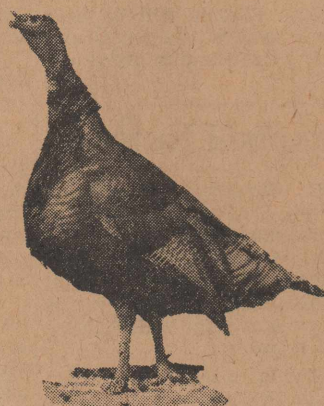
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For City Marshal of Floydada:  
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## Head and Back Quit Hurting

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### Agents of Kansas City Life Meet In Dallas

E. R. Borum, J. U. Borum, and Otis M. Walls of Floydada will attend the annual Kansas City Life conference at Dallas, according to an announcement which has just been received from The O. Sam Cummings Agency. Sessions will be held in the Agency's Home Office Building which was acquired by Mr. Cummings in 1929.

The majority of the Texas field force, which comprises almost 500 salesmen, will be in attendance. The purpose of this meeting, it was pointed out, is to lay before the members of the agency definite plans for 1931. Executives of the Cummings organization have been busily engaged during the last quarter of the old year revising and perfecting the agency's already smooth-running machinery. With the announcement came a letter from Mr. Cummings which read, in part, as follows: "Despite (or because of) the financial crisis from which we are emerging, the life insurance business has given a good account of itself. No one questions the ability of any company to carry out, to the letter, every one of its obligations. Many have had occasion to be thankful that they could number among their securities policies, of varying values, with some Old Line Legal Reserve Life Insurance Company or companies.

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  - CATCHES, Six boxes, only, 12c
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### J. J. FULLER IN RACE FOR MARSHAL'S OFFICE

J. J. Fuller this week announces his candidacy for the office of City Marshal of Floydada, subject to the vote of the people on Tuesday, April 7. He has had some five years experience as a peace officer and feels that he can handle the job if the people see fit to elect him. He will appreciate your vote and influence, and plans to see all the voters of the city before election day, if possible.

Mr. Fuller has had about five years experience as a peace officer and would enter the office with a good working knowledge of its requirements.

(Political Advertisement)

### BOONE HALL CANDIDATE FOR CITY SECRETARY

W. B. (Boone) Hall wishes to announce that he will be a candidate for the office of City Secretary for the coming term. Mr. Hall has resided in Floydada for sixteen years and is well qualified to fill this office.

If elected prompt, efficient service will be rendered. An effort will be made to see each voter between now and election time.

(Political Advertisement)

### BULLETIN ON OFFICIAL U. S. CENSUS RECEIVED

Official population figures on all counties and cities in Texas have been issued on the fifteenth census of the United States in a bulletin received this week by Fred Bell, who made the official check of Floydada.

Floyd County has been placed on the government records as having a population of 12,409 in its 1,011 square miles, or an average of 12.3 per square mile. The per cent of increase was 110.4 per cent from 1910 to 1920 and 27.2 per cent from 1920 to 1930. In 1890 the official records show 529 inhabitants, 2,020 in 1900, 4,638 in 1910, and 9,758 in 1920.

Floydada is listed as having a population of 2,637 in 1930 as compared to 1,384 in 1920; Lockney is accredited with 1,466 in 1930 and 1,118 in 1920.

### BUILDING WAREHOUSE ON EAST CALIFORNIA STREET

Construction began Wednesday on a frame and sheet iron warehouse for the F. C. Harmon furniture store. The structure is located on East California Street immediately east of the Willson & Son Lumber yard and is 24 by 50 feet in dimensions.

W. N. Paschall has the contract for construction and began working the foundation Wednesday of this week.

### 80-YEAR-OLD ARM KNITS PERFECTLY, SAY DOCTORS BROKEN TEN WEEKS AGO

Something over two months ago J. T. Hinkson, 80-year-old farmer of Floyd County, living four miles south of Floydada, sustained a broken arm in an accident and doctors shook their heads as they put it in splints, doubtful whether it would knit properly at that age. Tuesday of this week Dr. V. Andrews removed the splints from the arm and it was found to be knitting quite satisfactorily with every evidence that in due course of time it would be sound and a perfectly good and useful arm again. Mr. Hinkson has enjoyed an outdoor life these many years and continues hale and hearty, handling his farm business capably and energetically.

## Society

### Mrs. Slaughter Hostess to Pastor's Helpers Class

Mrs. Lula Slaughter was hostess to the Pastor's Helpers Class of the M. E. Church in an all day meeting Wednesday.

The forenoon was spent in piecing quilts and quilting. Lunch was served cafeteria style at the noon hour. Each lady bringing a dish. After lunch a consecration service led by Mrs. P. M. Felton was enjoyed.

Mrs. Thelma Slaughter gave two readings. The first, "Somebody Just like You," which Mrs. Lula Slaughter dedicated to the class. The other one, "Ma and the Auto," which was enjoyed very much by all.

Those present: Mrs. T. W. Deen, Mrs. George Dickey, Mrs. W. A. Baker, Mrs. Alice Seale, Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Mrs. J. S. Solomon, Mrs. Lillie Britton, Mrs. R. M. McCauley, Mrs. Will Walker, Mrs. P. M. Felton, Mrs. Ella Johnson, Mrs. W. M. Colville, Mrs. E. C. Henry, Mrs. D. D. Shipley and the hostess. Mrs. Jennie Bishop and Mrs. Thelma Slaughter were guests at the meeting.

### Methodist W. M. S. Has Lesson Study

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. church met last Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church in a lesson study from the Mission book, "The Turn Toward Peace."

Mrs. R. L. Henry gave one part of the chapter and Mrs. J. M. Willson the other. The lesson was followed with a short business meeting.

Mrs. Wilson Kimble will be hostess to the society in a social and lesson study next Monday afternoon at 2:30.

### Campbell News

Campbell, January 13. — Verda Francis Turner, of the third grade, made an unusual record in spelling this month. A 100 each day of the month, except two, and also 100 on her monthly test. Verda Francis also made an A average which places her on the honor roll.

M. C. Fuqua, also of the third grade, made the honor roll. He is also striving for a perfect spelling chart.

Mrs. P. Q. Haney and Mrs. F. N. Ross spent Monday with Mrs. W. H. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Patterson, of Dougherty, and Rev. German, of Spur, spent Sunday evening with Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Owens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Warren and family spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Foster Amburn and family, of Floydada.

Miss Opal Owens spent Monday with Bernice Murray.

Miss Bernice Murray spent Tuesday night with Clara Luttrall and Altha Strickland, of Floydada.

Leon Horn, of South Plains, spent Sunday with Charlie Warren.

Thurman Perry is working on Lett's Ranch, of near South Plains.

### PIE SUPPER, COMMUNITY PARTY PLANNED AT SAND HILL FRIDAY EVENING

"Come and have a good time with us" is the general invitation issued by Sand Hill community this week to the general public to attend the pie supper and community party at the Sand Hill school auditorium Friday night, January 16.

The evening's activities will open at 7:30 o'clock, the announcement from Ed Holmes stated.

### IOWA PARK FAMILY MOVE TO FARM IN FLOYD COUNTY

Noel Troutman and family, of Iowa Park, have moved to Floyd County and this week are taking up their residence on the J. W. Hargroves farm two and one-half miles northeast of Floydada, having bought the farm from Mr. Hargroves. The deal was completed the first of the week.

The Hargroves family are now domiciled in Floydada.

### GLAD GIRLS S. S. CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1931

The Glad Girls' Sunday School Class met Friday evening of last week in a business and social meeting at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Joe Breed. The following officers were elected:

President, Clara Belle Golightly; vice-president, Chlotilde Abernathy; secretary, Mary Fortenberry; service activity chairman, Florine Jeter; reporter, Faye Newell.

Several different kinds of candies were made before the business meeting. After the business session many games were played. Those present were:

Mrs. Joe Breed, Chlotilde Abernathy, Florine Jeter, Virginia McClung, Mary Fortenberry and Faye Newell, members; Esther Collins, Bernice Patton, Josephine Williams, Lera Opal Patton and Lorina Spence visitors.

### E. M. BOND IMPROVING

E. M. Bond, who has been seriously ill since Christmas Day, is much improved this week, and was able to be out for the first time Wednesday. His condition is improving rapidly and it is believed that his complete recovery will be a matter of only a short time. Mr. Bond is the father of G. E. and Hollis Bond, both of this city.

### STANSELL & COLLINS GET CARLOAD NEW TRACTORS

Stansell & Collins Monday unloaded a carload shipment of new John Deere tractors. They received one Model D and six G. P.'s (General Purpose). The new machines will be discussed at the demonstration and tractor school Monday of next week on Mrs. M. F. Swain's place, two miles east of town on the Matador highway. Stansell & Collins, local John Deere dealers, will sponsor the school.

### \$130 SALARIES ALLOWED FOR SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES

The Commissioners' Court in their sessions this week have been studying roads principally, making an extended trip Tuesday through Precincts Three and Four, where the commissioners have road problems to iron out.

During their sessions, also they set the ex officio salary of J. M. Wright, sheriff, at \$83.33, and set aside \$130 per month for him to act as salaries for deputies.

### C. M. WILSON VISITS HERE

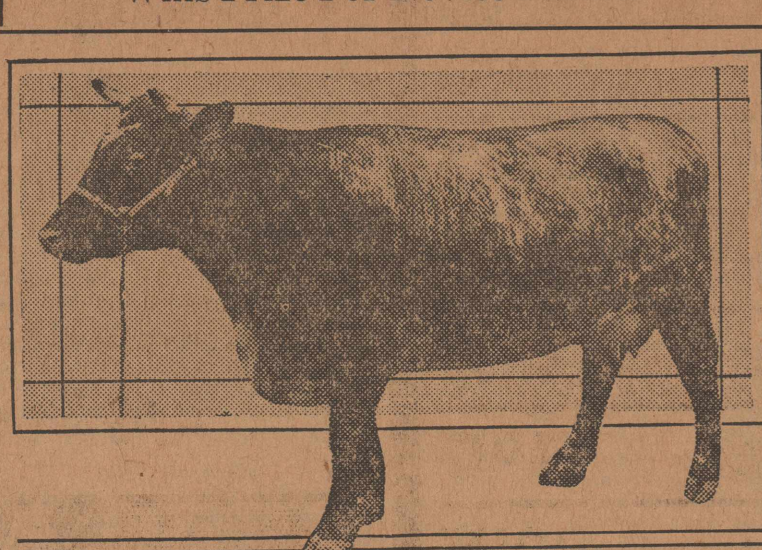
C. M. Wilson, formerly of this city and for the past two years a resident of Huntington Park, California, visited in this city with friends last week-end. Mr. Wilson has been at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. John Wilson, of Lockney, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, but was slightly improved last week-end. Friends here have not received word from her bedside this week.

### Boy Scout News

Troop 20 of the Boy Scouts met in their regular place in the Methodist Church Friday evening for the purpose of passing tests and learning more about scouting. The troop has 41 on roll and E. W. Sulte is scoutmaster. Four new members joined Friday night, making total of 45 on roll.

The troop has five patrols with eight members each. The different

### Wins Prize For Novice Farmer



George W. Borg, who has been a farmer for less than two years, set a remarkable record at the International Live Stock show at Chicago recently when his short horn cow, "Dorothy Dairymaid," above won the grand championship for milking short horns and the senior championship in the same class.

### SAND HILL DEMONSTRATION CLUB ASSIGNS EXHIBITS

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club met at the club room January 7. Ten members were present. The roll call was answered with "My New Year's Resolution to Improve My Club." The assignments for the fair exhibits were made. We are going to have a cheese exhibit at the dairy show.

The club is to sponsor a pie supper January 16. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. M. B. Holmes.

—Reporter.

### ANTELOPE H. D. CLUB

The Antelope Home Demonstration Club met at the club house on

patrols are the Flying Eagle, the Ram, the Owl, the Fox and the Panther.

L. V. Assiter was elected messenger for Troop No. 20.

The patrols are working hard in order to win the contest being sponsored by the scoutmaster. In the contest each test passed counts so many points, each member present counts two points, and each new member adds five points. The contest will close Friday night, January 16. The four losing patrols must furnish food for a hike which is to be taken Saturday night following the close of the contest.

Troop 44 met Tuesday night of this week. There are ten members on roll and seven were present. Fifteen tests were passed by different members of the troop. Even though the troop is small, it is working hard and growing rapidly. One new member, Sam Rutledge, was present and also Mr. McDonald visited the troop.

An invitation is extended to everyone to visit the scouts during their meetings, it was announced.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Meharg and granddaughter, Keith Ann Meharg, of Plainview spent last Thursday here with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Grigsby. They were accompanied home by Miss Virginia Grigsby, who was their guest for the week-end.

T. S. Hanna, Sr., of Oklahoma City, general manager for the Baker, Hanna-Blake & Co., stores, in company with H. W. Wright, manager of Baker, Hanna Co., at Quanah, were guests here Sunday of M. E. Rogers, manager of the local store of Baker, Hanna & Co.

Mrs. P. G. Stegall returned Friday of last week from Waco to attend to business matters. She was accompanied to Floydada by Mrs. Joe P. Williams and little daughter, Joanna, of Temple, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stovall of this city.

Law Making Muddle Congress passes laws, hoping that states will come somewhat close to them. After 20 years the child labor laws are not even close.—Woman's Home Companion.

January 8, with seven members present. The year's program was discussed including the planting of trees at the club house. Demonstrators for the year were also enrolled. The demonstration of canning pork products was given by Miss Strange. Refreshments were served by Mrs. C. A. Caffee and Mrs. C. A. Smith.

### Half-Minute Interviews

Virgil Shaw: (Wednesday morning) "Well, it's about one pair of pants colder this morning. This thin air just runs right on through my trousers."

### America's Scourge

Between May 1 and May 18 in 1930, tornadoes killed 120 persons and did millions of dollars' worth of damage. Our yearly average of deaths from these big winds is 310 in an average of 130 storms.—The Country Home.

### IN 1931

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### WE THANK

Our customers very much for their business last year. We hope you feel like you have had a square deal. If you do, tell others; if you do not, tell us, and we will make it right.

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Over 1000 Suit samples to make your selection from—ranging in price from—  
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## SPECIALS

FRIDAY—SATURDAY

Syrup	Uncle Bob's Large Bucket,	65c
Potatoes	Limit 10 lbs.,	17c
Brooms	\$1 Value Only	49c
Jell-o	Asst. Flavors 3 Pkges.	20c
Kraut	No. 2 1/2 Cans, 2 for	25c
Pork and Beans	Medium Cans 2 For	15c
Macaroni	Gooch's Package	5c
Soap	Hard Water 3 Bars,	19c
Blackberries	No. 10 (Gal.) Each,	49c
Rice	Bulk, 4 lbs.,	25c
Oats	Gold Medal (Premium) Pkg.,	22c
Milk	Small Cans, 6 For,	25c
Prunes	Bulk, 5 pounds,	39c
Lettuce	Large Heads Each,	8c
Coffee	M. J. B. 2 lb. Can,	75c

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