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## \$1,000 Raised Within Few Hours For Annual Floyd County Fair In September

Renewed Vigor Displayed in Preparation For Classic Of Year.

The Floyd County Fair will be held in Floydada September 26, 27, 28 and 29, it was decided this week by officials of the fair after more than \$1,000 of \$1,500 necessary to finance the event, had been subscribed by Floydada business men in less than ten hours time.

Important Changes Made. Plans that for sometime had been halted on account of the opinion that it would not be possible to secure money enough to finance the fair, have been taken up again and everything will be in readiness for the annual county fair.

Some very important changes were made during the re-arrangement of the plans. Many of the competitive features that have been a part of the past fairs have been eliminated in an effort to secure a more representative exhibit of products from every community in the county. With the exception of the parade to be held on Saturday there will be no competition between the various communities.

The new arrangement calls for the payment of fifteen dollars to every community that fills the score card in the agricultural exhibits. The same amount is being offered to the exhibitors of home demonstration clubs, thus making it possible for every community entering both exhibits to win \$30 in addition to any money won by individuals in the general exhibit or the communities in the parade. Miss Blanche Bass, county demonstration agent, is this week issuing a letter to the members of the county clubs requesting that they prepare their exhibits at once and encourage the preparation of the agricultural exhibits. Contracts for space in the fair building are being mailed out this week by the secretary. Previous plans for the Grand Champion Community Contest have been dropped and that event will not be a part of the 1928 Fair.

Several Entries Made. In the parade a special inducement to every community to make an entry is being offered in that a prize of \$5.00 will be given to every community entering the parade and a premium of \$15 will be given the winner of this event. Only one premium will be given and the judges will be selected from disinterested people.

Already a number of communities have announced their intention of entering both agricultural and home demonstration exhibits and it is believed by the fair officials that the new plan will enable the county to have the largest and most representative fair ever held. With every community assured of winning either fifteen or thirty dollars the interest in both events is much greater than in the previous plan where only those winning the leading places were awarded cash prizes.

The catalogue, which will include the score cards for both the agricultural and home demonstration exhibits, will be printed next week and mailed to interested parties immediately after coming off the press.

## Court of Honor Friday For Local Boy Scouts

The regular Floyd County Boy Scout Court of Honor will be held Friday night at the Court House, with District Executive E. L. Roberts in charge. This will be the second Court of Honor conducted by Roberts in this city, since this county was added to the Central Plains Council Area. Executive Roberts is urging general attendance by the public, especially by the parents of the scouts. S. N. Tawwater will act as chairman of the Court.

The Court of Honor Friday night will mark the closing of the three day encampment this week at the Central Plains camp at Claude Crossing in Tule Canyon. The encampment is being held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and the troops will return home Friday afternoon. Scout troops from Floydada, Matador and Silvertown are encamped at the Crossing this week. Several members of each troop are attending, although the attendance is being cut because of the annual district encampment which was just completed last week at the C. W. Post camp.

## Landmark Moved to Make Room For New Building

This week workmen, under the direction of H. E. Cannaday completed the removal of the Cannaday residence at the corner of Main and Fifth Streets, the site recently purchased by Martin Dry Goods Company for their \$30,000 department store.

The residence was constructed a portion of it—in 1900 by W. S. Posey at that time a resident of Floydada and in the mercantile business with Frank Montague. An addition was built to the house in about 1909 by John W. Harmon, a brother of F. C. Harmon.

### BOY BITTEN BY MAD DOG

Bigham Veach, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Veach, was bitten by a mad dog last Thursday. He is receiving Pasteur treatments this week from Dr. W. M. Houghton.

## Floydada Schools Open First Monday In Sept.

1928-29 Term Will Begin September 3. Superintendent W. E. Patty Announces.

Monday, September 3, has been set by the Floydada School Board of Trustees as the date for the opening of the three Floydada public schools. Everything will be in readiness for the opening, Superintendent W. E. Patty stated this week, and the faculty and student bodies will start in for the nine month's course, probably better prepared this year than ever before.

Teacher's Institute for the city schools will be held on Friday and Saturday preceding the opening. The faculty bodies of the three schools will meet at the High School building on these two days to work out the schedules and minute details of the school term. August 31, and September 1, are the dates for the institute.

Coach Troy H. Jones, new leader of the Whirlwind high school athletes, is due to arrive in this city next Wednesday to begin the organization of the local athletes. The Whirlwind Football team will probably be organized next week end, and work out will begin in the near future, Supt. Patty stated Wednesday. Coach Jones has been at Ann Harbor, Michigan during the summer, attending a special coach's school.

All faculty vacancies have been filled with but one exception, that being the vacancy created this week by the resignation of Miss Fayola Warren, fifth grade teacher at the Andrews Ward School. All assignments have been made and everything is ready according to Superintendent Patty.

## Two Gangs At Work On States Telephone Lines

Two gangs of men are at work and have been for some weeks on the toll lines of the States Telephone Company, the first gang having erected the new poles of the company from points east of Silvertown, through that city and South Plains to Floydada, and are now at work putting new poles up toward Ralls for the copper circuit that will take the place of the present circuit in use from Floydada to that point.

The second gang is stringing copper lines on the poles and are now in the vicinity of Silvertown, R. B. Fairly, general manager of the company said Tuesday. They are running the lines toward Floydada. He said he couldn't be sure when they would be able to inaugurate direct service into Floydada from South Plains and Silvertown. During the past few weeks they have been delayed as much as two to five days at a time on account of the weather, and lack of material has also caused some delays, he said.

When the lines are completed through Ralls, it is their intention to begin at once on the construction of a copper toll circuit to Dougherty and to a connection with their lines at Matador and Roaring Springs. It is necessary to be indefinite about dates, however, he pointed out, on account of conditions over which they have no control. Two large gangs are at work and everything possible is being done to push completion of the lines.

Local business people are watching the operations with much interest, since the new circuits are expected to relieve a serious lack of communication lines from the north, south and east.

## JOYCE HOPKINS SERIOUSLY ILL AT SANATORIUM, TEXAS

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Hopkins, and daughter Elizabeth Ann, of Miami, Mrs. W. B. Henry of this city, Maury Hopkins of Plainview, and C. D. Hopkins, of Munday, are in Sanatorium this mid-week with their daughter and sister, Miss Joyce Hopkins who has been seriously ill following an attack of appendicitis, and is still in a critical condition.

Miss Hopkins entered the sanatorium some three months ago for treatment for tuberculosis and her condition has been hopeful. However, attending physicians told members of the family the patient is too weak to undergo an operation for the abdominal trouble, and that her recovery is doubtful.

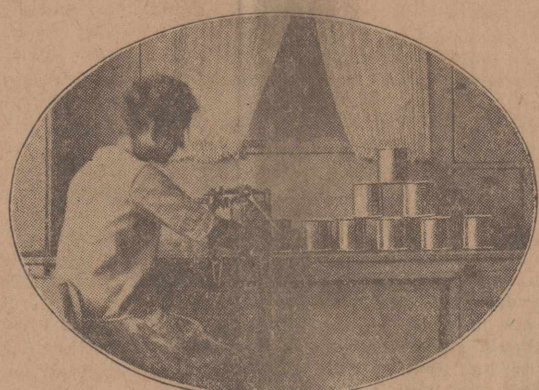
## NO GAS LINES EAST LIKELY UNTIL SOMETIME NEXT SPRING

There is no likelihood that the West Texas Gas Company will begin construction at an early date of their lines eastward out of Floydada to take care of Dougherty, Matador and Roaring Springs, R. F. Hinchey, vice president and general manager of the company, told a reporter for The Hesperian over the telephone Tuesday.

People of the three cities named had hoped to be able to use natural gas for fuel the coming winter. Promise of service to other cities and towns that will keep the construction gangs busy right up to winter time are in the way of the program of building eastward just now, Mr. Hinchey said. Hereford, Littlefield and Post are among the towns to which the company is giving its present efforts to reach with service lines.

West Texas Gas Company is completing one of the biggest projects in West Texas in the line extending southward from Lubbock to Midland, serving a number of towns of the lower plains country.

## Specially Honored at A. & M. Meeting



Mrs. W. E. Miller, Sand Hill Clubwoman, here shown in her model farm kitchen preparing some of the fine canned fresh field and garden products which bear her name and for which her fame is spreading, was accorded signal honors at the A. & M. Short Course on August 1, when she with four other women, were designated as Master Farm Home Makers for 1928 by The Farmers' Wife, national farm life magazine, in co-operation with the Extension Service of A. & M. College. To receive the award and designation it was required that, in addition to giving attention to the duties of the farm home, the recipient of the honor must have to her credit an outstanding accomplishment during the year.

## Old Settlers and New Comers Gather By Thousands at Mt Blanco Picnic

Attendance Figures Surpass All Previous Records of Association.

Old settlers by the hundreds and new-comers by the thousands swarmed in to Smith Memorial Park on Blanco Canyon for the picnic and Old Settlers' Reunion at the Old Rock House yesterday, visitors at the event declaring that thousands of automobiles were parked around the grounds, while the huge crowds took part in the milling about and howding, amidst the ballyhoo of the concessionaires, and apparently the numbers had not abated last night.

Formal Program Today. Fun of every kind that goes with a picnic and reunion of old timers was indulged yesterday, the feature of the afternoon being the Great Plains Round Up staged by Jack Armstrong and Claud Armstrong. Last-minute disappointment in the failure of the Indians from Oklahoma to appear at their old stamping grounds to add color and life to the gathering, did not affect the enthusiasm of the crowd that attended the afternoon performance of the Round Up. Some of the best riders and ropers of this section of the state were on hand to take part in the competition, and the crowd was a big enthusiastic one.

Today the first and only formalities in connection with the gathering of the Old Settlers will be held, when they gather at 11 o'clock for the speechmaking the enrollment and the election of officers of the West Texas Old Settlers Association. Several old-time settlers who have become leading lawyers and professional men are expected to make talks. R. C. Scott, of this city, has been acting as secretary of the gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Smith, who live at the Rock House built by his father fifty years ago, are playing the part of hosts to the immense throng assembled on the grounds. Mr. Smith has given two weeks of effort to the preparation of the grounds of the Memorial Park for the entertainment of the throngs, including the throwing together of a large arbor, under which the old timers will gather this morning.

Visitors to the picnic declare the gathering huge, the square dance of old timers highly fascinating and enjoyable, the carnival attractions above the average, and everything in general is excellent. Literally thousands of people who were not present yesterday are expected to attend today's gathering, which will without doubt mark the biggest assemblage of its kinds in this area.

Floydada Municipal Band is furnishing the music on the grounds for the occasion.

Figures on estimates of the crowds present yesterday and last night ran from 8,000 to 14,000 people, with expectation that at least a fourth larger crowd will attend today.

## HARLEY SADLER AND COMPANY WILL PLAY HERE NEXT WEEK

The Harley Sadler shows will pitch their tents in Floydada next Monday morning, and will furnish Floyd county amusement seekers to a week's performances. The show under the management of Harley Sadler is not the "average" tent show. It is so far above the average that it makes the ordinary show resemble a 1910 model Ford.

All theatre men who know Harley Sadler respect him and frankly admit that his show is one of the best of its kind, if not the best, on the road today. This show makes a tour of the state every year and is well known in practically every section of Texas.

Harley Sadler, a born showman tolerates nothing but the best in equipment and personnel. Thousands have had the pleasure of seeing the show each year and eagerly anticipate a return show. Out of the show company Sadler can organize a baseball team, band, orchestra or most anything else of an amusement and entertaining nature. The baseball team boasts 31 games won and 8 lost this year; the orchestra is of 14 pieces and the performances are clean and of a high type.

## Popular Show Owner



Harley Sadler, one of the most popular show men in Texas, who will be in Floydada all next week with his own company of players.

## Complete St. Marking In Floydada This Week

Marking the streets of Floydada with ornamental name plates mounted on steel poles is being completed this week after a delay of many weeks during which time the arrival of plates and materials for the job have been awaited. 119 street intersections are being marked in the program, the intersections in the west and northwest part of the city being the last to go in. The poles are mounted in a cylinder of concrete set two feet in the ground. The street names are white on a blue background, the plates being enameled. Numbering the houses, which was expected to be completed about the same time as the street marking, was completed during the spring.

## REPAIRS TO COURT HOUSE ROOF WILL BE MADE SOON

Contract for the repair of the roof-deck of the court house with gum cement and ridge roll and the repair and cleaning out of drain spouts from the roof, was let this week by the Commissioners' Court in their regular session to E. C. Thomas of this city at a price of \$152.

In the session the court approved the monthly reports of Mrs. Maud Merrick, County Treasurer, and Tom W. Deen, County Clerk, as well as the quarterly reports of J. S. Solomon, Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. One, and D. C. Lowe, Justice of the Peace of Precinct Two.

The court did not finally adjourn at the close of its Tuesday session, but adjourned to meet again on Monday of next week, August 20. One matter that will have to be disposed of this session is that of setting the county tax rate for the ensuing year. This matter was taken up Monday and a vote taken. However, the following morning the tax rate was brought up for re-consideration. Meanwhile W. C. Hanna, Commissioner of Precinct One, had left the county and final decision deferred until his return, which will likely not be before Saturday.

## TYPHOID NOW UNDER CONTROL IN FLOYDADA, OFFICERS SAY

Typhoid fever in Floydada is practically under control, and with the cooperation of the citizens, it will be completely stamped out, is the belief expressed this week by the City Health Officer. A few cases are still known in the city, but all persons coming in contact with the sick are being vaccinated to prevent the spread of the disease. The City Health officer reported this week that some ten or twelve negroes would be vaccinated the latter part of this week, to prevent the spread of typhoid in the negro flats. It is feared that a negro woman who died in the flats Tuesday had contracted the disease.

## Grade Stakes Set For First Block of Paving On California Street

### Many About Town See Stars 'Fall' Saturday Night

Many Floydada people—more than you'd think—were more curious than they were sleepy Saturday night last, and stayed up late or got up early to see the heavenly display. It was a bright clear night and most of them report were not disappointed.

Stars "fell" in all parts of the heavens, the shooting comets or comet fragments, making bright paths across the skies and leaving tails as they skimmed through space toward the earth.

The phenomenon was anticipated by astronomers who advised the public of the expected heavenly visitors.

## 11th Annual Reunion Of Featherston's Held

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Featherston Hosts To Relatives And Friends At Ranch.

Coming by automobile, airplane, train, horseback and walking, the Featherston family gathered at C. H. Featherston's ranch for the eleventh annual reunion, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Featherston as hosts. Two hundred members of the family were present at the noon hour Saturday, Mr. Featherston said.

The rodeo Saturday afternoon to which the public was invited was one of the feature attractions of the event. Prizes were given to the winners of the contests in calf roping and bronco riding. In the calf roping contests, John Lewis took first prize, tying his calf in 32 seconds. He was riding Old Ball, the Featherston cutting horse. Fred Miller did the trick in 33 seconds and Walter Baxter in 37. Because of a pitching horse which he was riding, Glad Snodgrass failed to get a prize but made a very nice ride.

In the bronc riding, Marvin Stevens, E. F. Hanley and J. C. King won first, second and third prizes respectively. Fast pitching horses from Floyd and adjoining county ranches were used.

Darkness prevented the finish of the inter-state baseball game, with Texas members of the family, pitted against Oklahoma members. The score was tied when the game had to be closed. Sunday school and church were held Sunday morning with preaching by E. B. Featherston of Aspermont.

The reunion was brought to a close when the last of the guests left for their homes Monday morning. All except Mrs. Phillip McBride of Blanchard, Oklahoma, of the six brothers and sisters who started the reunions, were present. Four generations of the family were represented in E. B. Featherston and his great-granddaughter, C. M. Featherston's daughter of Beaumont. The other brothers and sisters present were: W. A. Featherston, Trickham; Mrs. Mattie Boatwright, Featherston, Oklahoma; Mrs. J. C. Hubert, Electra; H. B. Featherston, Blanchard.

W. A. Featherston and the children of J. E. Featherston will entertain the family in Coleman county next year.

## Home Grown Products Featured By Grocers

Farmers in Floyd County are finding a ready sale for their surplus garden products in home markets. Grocers report that practically all their fresh vegetables are home grown. This proves of value to both the producers and consumers, as the retailers make very little profit from truck products and the consumers are supplied with fresh vegetables at a reasonable cost.

Beans lead the list in quantity produced and sold, the average price paid being from 6c to 8c per pound. Peas are 7c; beans 75c per dozen bunches; squash 5c; corn 25c per dozen ears; spinach 71-2c; peppers, 15c per pound; turnips \$1.00 per dozen bunches; carrots and radishes, 75c per dozen bunches.

Home grown products are superior to those shipped in and the benefits received from their sale tend to help the growth of Floydada and Floyd County.

## Reunion of J. W. Lester Family Held August 12

All nine living children of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lester met last Sunday at the Lester home 12 miles north of this city, in their fourth annual family reunion. For the past four years, the family have been holding their reunion on the 12th day of August, and this year's gathering was the first ever held in Floyd County.

The nine children gathered at the home with Mr. and Mrs. Lester were: Mrs. B. J. Milner, of Milner, Ark., Miss Francis Lester, of Milner, Mrs. Jamie Talley, of Miami, Texas, Mrs. H. E. Rogers, Vernon, Mrs. Robert Wilson, Paducah, T. E. Lester, Hedley, S. M. and J. W. Lester, Jr., who reside at the parental home, and W. J. Lester, city. All of the married children were accompanied by their families, who joined in the reunion.

Mrs. Eula Malone, of Paris, Texas, a niece of Mr. Lester, was also in attendance at the family gathering Sunday.

## Contractors Unload Machinery And Excavations Begin This Week.

Grade stakes for the first block of the paving program in Floydada, launched early this summer, by the city council following the presentation of a widely signed petition from property owning citizens, were set this morning by Engineer A. F. Daniel, associated with Engineer Geo. A. Lider in the capacity of engineers for the paving project, the first block west of Fifth on California Street being the location for the beginning of the program.

Missouri Street Next. Four blocks on California Street are included in the present project and when this is completed four blocks on Missouri Street will be undertaken next, details of the legal procedure on these two streets having been completed, with the expectation that only a few "leave outs" will be found on either street.

Machinery for the work arrived last week and is being set up on a temporary location on the right-of-way of the Quallah, Acme & Pacific Railway Company's lines where materials will be easily available for unloading from the cars and mixture, and rapid completion of the blocks to be paved by L. H. Lacy Company, the contractors, is expected as soon as the work gets under way. Construction superintendent Carl Anderson, of Amarillo, is here in charge of the preparations to begin the actual paving.

The value of the new line of railway into Floydada is making itself apparent on the civic undertaking of the city officials and citizens. A deposit of sand and gravel of high grade, which has been approved following laboratory tests by the State Highway Department and by the cement company's engineers, has been located on land closely adjoining the Quallah Route's lines in Motley County, and this deposit will be made use of to effect a big saving in hauling charges to the community.

Paving Price Close. By means of this saving and the fact that the contractors made a close bid on the job, the citizens here whose streets are to be paved, will have advantage of one of the lowest prices made in recent years on a contract. A check up on contracts let this year indicates that the job here is being handled on a closer basis than similar work is being done this year in Dallas. The rigid specifications which mark the local contract make it even more desirable in point of excellence of work that is expected to be received for the expenditure to be made. The contract price is \$23.37 per square yard on the basis of six-inch steel reinforced concrete paving.

Hearing on the block of Fifth Street north of Missouri Street, the Block of Virginia west of Main and three and a half blocks of Mississippi Street east of Main, extending to the site of the Quallah, Acme & Pacific station, and the half block of alley between the Floyd County National Bank and Barker Block was held by the council Friday of week. Two property owners gave notice of protest against the assessments of one of them having holdings on Virginia and Mississippi.

Tomorrow morning the hearing on the new assessments on South Main Street, revised by the council in an effort to meet objections raised by the property owners on that street at the July hearing, will be held at the city hall. At the same time a hearing on an additional block of California, west of First Street against which assessments have been advertised, will also be held.

## GRASSHOPPERS WIN OVER FROGS IN BASEBALL GAME

The Grasshoppers team of the American Legion Auxiliary hopped off with the big end of the score in a fast and exciting baseball game Tuesday afternoon at the City Ball Park. The score was 14 to 7.

Despite the heavy shower that fell about four o'clock, the game was well attended. J. R. Yearwood, umpire, called the game at 5 o'clock. Mrs. John Reagan, captain of the Frogs, was pitcher, assisted by Mrs. Henry Edwards. Mrs. Jim Houston and Mrs. Thurman Bishop pitched for the winning team.

The Grasshopper lineup included: Mesdames Thurman Bishop, captain, Fred Jones, George Smith, Jim Houston, John McCleskey, Elmer Wood, Robert Sone, Ray Dickey, A. D. White and Misses Frankie Doris Smith, Ruby White, Garnet White and Geneva Shipley.

Playing for the Frogs were: Mesdames Oggie Johnson, Dave Standefor, Oliver Allen, Henry Edwards, G. W. Watson and John Reagan, captain, Misses Virginia Lewis, Golden Louise Steen, Cecil Covington.

Stepper Bishop of Dallas was score keeper.

The members of the Auxiliary wish to thank each one who assisted them in putting on the game.

## MATTRESS FACTORY REBUILT

Floydada Mattress Factory is in operation again this week, following a fire last Tuesday that completely destroyed the plant on South Main Street. The factory is now located in the Enoch and McClung sheet metal building on the East Side of the Square. L. S. Buchanan, manager of the plant, completed the installation of the new machinery this mid-week.

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#### A HISTORIC PERIOD

The news last week that the Wells interests had purchased the Hall County Herald, and that that plant would be consolidated with the Memphis Democrat, closes the story of a long family ownership of one newspaper establishment.

The Hall County Herald was established by a young fellow named W. A. Johnson, who "came west to grow up with the country" thirty-eight years ago, when Hall County along with the rest of the plains and panhandle was a new and raw country, indeed. He was one of those early-day men who built on faith in the future of the country and the belief that the westward sweep of empire would bring its reward. He passed out of the picture a few years ago, leaving a long heritage of more than ordinary achievement, among other things serving his state for four years as its lieutenant governor.

Since Mr. Johnson's demise the newspaper property has been owned by his wife and operated by his son, Earl C. Johnson. Mr. Johnson's years with the newspaper cover a most romantic period, the like of which will never be seen again in Texas.

The new owners are the "up and at 'em" type and, while their plans are declared to be not definite, the Herald will be continued for the present as a Tuesday publication and the Democrat continued as a week-end publication.

#### CONNALLY THE MAN

It is to be hoped that the tide of affairs politically is as really flowing toward Tom Connally as it appears to be. Perhaps there is no more capable man for the place of United States Senator in all the state.

Voters of Floyd County who have not definitely made up their minds for either Mr. Mayfield or Mr. Connally will not regret in after years if they decide to cast their votes for Mr. Connally. Whatever to the contrary one may be told, his record in Congress as a capable servant of the public is outstanding.

#### COTTON TOO SAPPY

Cotton in Floyd County, or a very generous portion of it, at least, is too sappy at the present and the outlook accordingly not so good as it might be had a little less rainfall occurred during the past ten days. In the immediate vicinity of Floydada this is, perhaps, not true. Of course, this excess moisture may come in handy a little later should a dry period occur, especially where the lakes are full to the brim and the wheat land will be needing the moisture for the fall sowing.

What the cotton crop will do will be determined largely by the kind of weather prevailing during the remainder of August. Dry weather will mean a big yield. What wet weather would mean, remains to be seen.

#### AUGUST TWENTY-FIFTH

Floyd County voters are reminded that August 25 is the date of the second or run-off primary in Texas. Four state nominations are to be made. They are U. S. Senator, Lieutenant governor, Independent of public instruction, Commissioner. Besides these in Floyd County a nominee for Commissioner from Commissioners' Precincts One, Three and Four, are to be made, and in One a nominee for Public Weigher.

Choose your candidates and do your voting. If you are a democrat don't cuss if the nominees don't suit you and you haven't cast a ballot. The same rules as to absentee voting apply in the second primary as in the first.

#### WORTH OF AN IDEA

Gene Howe, publisher of the Amarillo News-Globe, says L. A. Marshall's "Ride the Waves" idea, first undertaken at Floydada and recently established in the Tri-State Fair grounds at Amarillo is a winner, that it is bound to make money, because of its simplicity, the ease with which it may be patronized by thrill-hunters. He says hundreds of automobile drivers are going out to the park at Amarillo and getting a taste of the new-fangled thriller every day.

What the idea may prove to be worth to its originator is yet to be proven. It may bring more than ordinary wealth to him, or for some reason it may "flop." Barring something now unforeseen it is going to be a wow all over the country.

After all, ideas are what have made America. No telling what an idea is worth. And sometimes the simpler ones are the more worthy. And we all have a chance at it—the ideas are not all taken up.

#### BUILD FROM WITHIN

After all is said and done any town that hopes to become greater and more populous must learn the lesson that, at least up to a certain point, building must come largely from capital within the confines of its own limits. Working along the lines of telling outsiders of the advantages and opportunities in one's community is highly commendable, desirable, necessary. But this work must go hand in hand with the investment of local capital in local enterprise. Faith without works, you know, does not get much results, as we are told in other words from a reliable source.

The example being set by Martin Dry Goods Company is a good one. Their faith and their efforts are going along

hand in hand. A \$30,000 investment in a place to do business is a big one. It is backed by a long record of usefulness in serving portions of several counties. There are others who might follow this example. We don't mean by this that every retailer in Floydada ought to build himself a business house—for there are numerous other enterprises that could well be backed by Floydada money to the immense enrichment of the community with a satisfactory return for the investor.

### 'Round The Square

By Old Battleaxe

Hot dog—gee whiz! Boy, page the fellow who claims that he doesn't believe in evolution. Floydada has evolved! It has evolved from the "little town" class into the "city" class. Announcements were made last week for a large department store for this city—and it wasn't an out of town concern, either. Martin Dry Goods Company who announced plans for a \$30,000 department store, was established in this city nearly twenty years ago. It has grown as Floydada has grown—so when Martin gets "up town", then Floydada moves up a notch, itself.

One fellow Round the square believes he is in his second childhood. He caught his 18 year old son wearing his new tie.

O. B. may be old fashioned, pessimistic, or otherwise unbalanced, and his pride may be the height of something or other, but there's one thing that sure gets his goat. That is to speak to someone on the street and have that person pass on without speaking. Grr-r-r.

"Hell hath no fury like the wrath of the Floydada man who refused to pave in front of his residence lot, and then finds that his good neighbors are going to pave their part of the street in spite of his cussing."

And worse than that, Doc Smith has it figured out that the way to a man's pocketbook is through his appendix.

Well, folks, we are going to let you in on a little secret. O. B. is figuring

on building a house. In making our plans, we first planned one of these up-to-the-minute breakfast nooks, until we heard of a certain heavy set, very influential who ate a little too much toast for breakfast and was three hours late getting to his office.

Our prize for the nerviest guy of the month goes to the man who honks his horn for his wife to come out of church. He receives the prize of a handpainted celluloid monkey wrench.

But then there is the case of the salivator slinger Round the Square who spits right in the middle of the sidewalk and then looks up to see if anybody was in the way. He takes the prize of the genuine asbestos muzzle for use during hot Smith-Hoover arguments.

Plainview Herald: "I got to Crosbyton Wednesday and all business houses were closed, having a holiday to clean up the town. Several offered me the hoe or rake, whichever I preferred. Got to Ralls and everything looked clean as they did the same thing about two weeks ago. Then on arrival at Floydada had my eyes open and saw they had a cleaning. I will say if anyone should go to these three towns and try to buy several cars of tin cans, old autos, etc., they are wasting gas and time going to these towns."

Say, there's a real compliment, folks. Floydada is not such a bad place after all, is it?

"Preparation" is our middle name. In case O. B. gets fired soon, we don't suppose any of you don't know of nobody what don't want to hire nobody to do nothing, don't any of you? And if not—why not?

B. L. Blacklock returned Friday from St. Louis where he spent two weeks buying merchandise for Baker-Campbell Company.

Mrs. J. M. Baggett and children and niece, Miss Kathryn Baggett of Ozona left Monday morning for their home after a two weeks visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boerner and other relatives. Mr. Baggett left last week.

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### 14 YEARS AGO IN FLOYD COUNTY

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

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The Mathis-Martin Dry Goods Company last week made the purchase of the Old Joe Bowers Stock on the north side of the Square and took charge of the establishment this week.

Robert Menefee and sister, Sidney, returned Wednesday from Tahoka where they had been for about a week visiting with relatives.

Roy Bruner bought a new Studebaker "Four" in Amarillo last Friday and sold his Maxwell to G. W. Gilley who in turn sold his "10" Buick to the agency.

Ohmer Kirk, who has been taking post-graduate work at Canyon Normal this summer, will teach during the ensuing school term in the Lockney Public School. Miss Ruth Pitts will teach at Fairview, Miss Ethel Tubbs at Center, Miss Massa Petty will teach in Red River County.

Increased taxes on beer, liquors and tobacco to make up the war deficit, caused by the loss of tariff revenues was settled at a conference between the Secretary of the Treasury and Congressional leaders in Washington, D. C. today.

Messrs. McMillan and Younger are pleased with the first tests of the lighting effects in the new building of the Meandy theatre, and the wiring was found perfect. The last of the seats are being placed today and the painting was completed Wednesday. Regular night programs will begin the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Duke Turner of Hillsboro came Sunday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Pope and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Burley Callahan of Amarillo left Sunday for a short visit to Carlsbad Cavern.

### Campbell News

Campbell, August 7.—Charlie Smith of Runningwater is visiting his brother, Joe Smith and family.

W. H. Owens and daughter Ethel, returned Saturday from a two weeks visit in Denton county.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Murrey and children, P. Q. Haney and daughter, Mrs. Verna Lee Cardinal visited Mr. and Mrs. Roberts of Sand Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cross and family, all of Collinsville, Texas, and Robert Powell of Van Alstyne are visiting W. H. Owens and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robertson and family are visiting at Lewisville, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Golightly of Crowell are visiting his sister, Mrs. Glover. Misses Armelia and Arma Lee Fuqua have returned from attending the Short Course at A. & M.

Mrs. P. Q. Haney and Modell were called to the bedside of her father, Mr. Neighbors in Comanche county, last Monday.

The revival meeting to be held by Brother Tubbs was postponed until fourth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Preston came Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clark.

Mrs. Nannie Brown of Lockney spent from Tuesday until Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brown and children.

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A bottle of Herbine on the shelf at home is like having a doctor in the house all the time. It gives instant relief when the digestion gets out of order or the bowels fail to act. One or two doses is all that is necessary to start things moving and restore that fine feeling of exhilaration and buoyancy of spirits which belongs only to perfect health. Price 60c. Sold by

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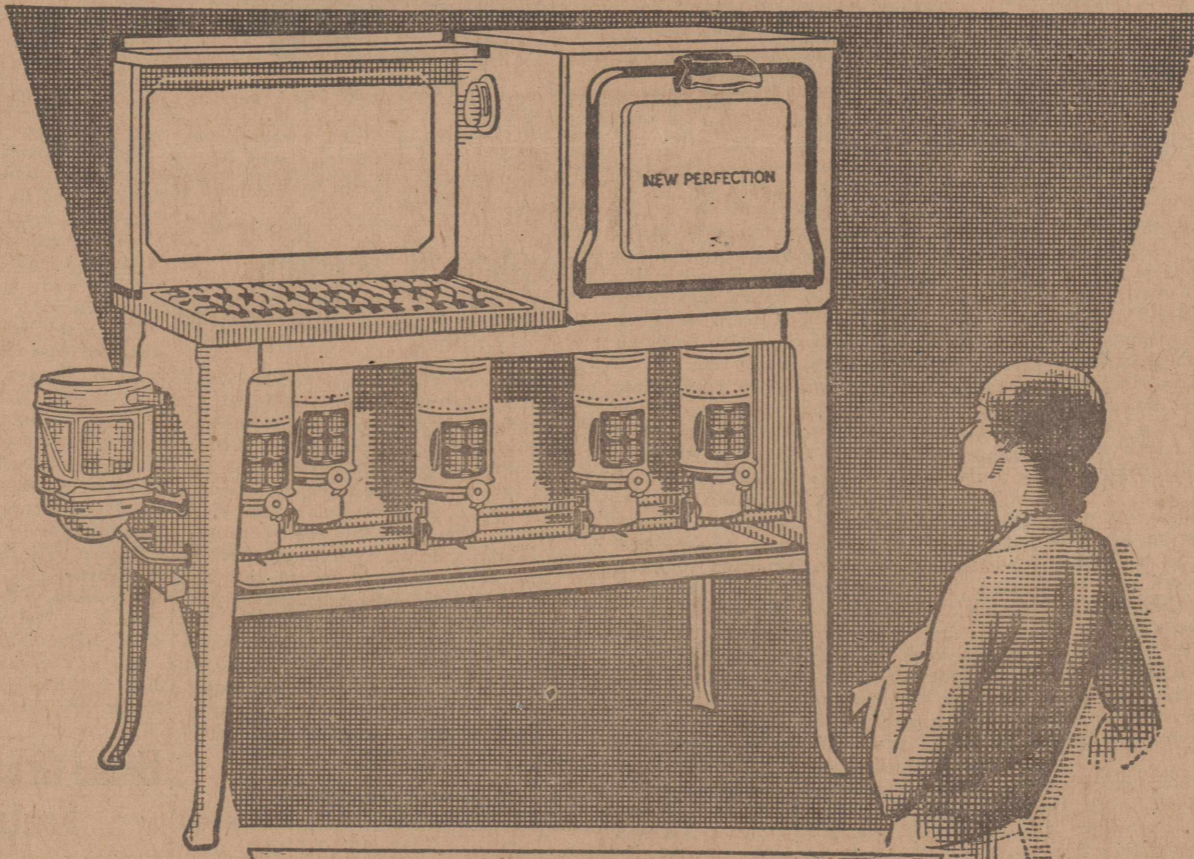
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### Lot Auction Next Week Creating Much Interest

South Heights Addition Is Latest Sub-  
Division in Residence Section  
Of Floydada.

J. B. Couric, San Antonio, Texas, realtor last week announced plans for the latest sub-division of the city of Floydada, when it was given out that ten acres of the tract purchased from the Bartley heirs recently by The Floyd National Bank would be cut up into building sites and that it would be disposed of in an auction sale beginning Wednesday of next week, August 22. The new sub-division has been named South Heights Addition.

City Engineer Geo. A. Lider, who has been intrusted with the job of platting and staking the new addition began work the latter part of last week, and this week the work of staking the ground is being completed.

South Heights Addition is located six blocks south of the business section of town, its northern boundary being marked by Ollie Avenue, which runs east and west immediately south of the high school grounds. "It is logically in line for development," Mr. Couric said in discussing plans for the sub-division. "And there is no reason why it should not prove popular with those who are prospective home owner or desire to make an investment in good residence property. The town has grown wonderfully in the past five years; there are new residences being built right up to the addition as a trip out to the site will prove."

Col. A. W. Thomas, a Chicago auctioneer, has been employed to conduct the auction sales. Mr. Couric will be the sales manager. Col. Thomas is widely known in real estate auction circles.

The new sub-division is one block wide and three blocks deep. It is being cut up so as to make extensions of the streets and alleys to conform to the present lay-out of the city, and will consist of forty building sites fifty by one hundred and forty feet in size.

#### TECH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Lubbock, Texas, August 10.—Nine football games, two with leading teams of the Southwestern conference are on the schedule for Texas Technological College for the coming season, a completion of the card here shows.

The Matadors will meet the University of Texas for the first time this year. The game is to be played in Austin on October 6. T. C. U. will be the other Southwestern team which the Matadors will meet. October 27 will be their third encounter.

The schedule follows:  
Sept. 29—Schriner Institute at Lubbock.

Oct. 6—University of Texas at Austin.

Oct. 13—St. Edwards University at Lubbock.

Oct. 20—McMurray College at Lubbock.

Oct. 27—Texas Christian University at Fort Worth.

Nov. 3—Daniel Baker College at Brownwood.

Nov. 10—Abilene Christian College at Lubbock.

Nov. 17—Simmons University at Lubbock.

Nov. 29—W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon.

The Hesperian \$1.50 per year.

#### FOR HOME AND STABLE

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Dr. M. J. Shaw, of Tulia, has been here since last Friday for a visit with his son, W. A. Shaw and family.

Mrs. J. A. Arwine and son, Jo Jr., left last Thursday for Ft. Worth. They were accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Thomas and son, Donald, who have spent a month visiting here and at Lubbock with their son, Herman, and at Farwell with another son, J. D.

#### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

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, C. L. Newport, Eva Newport, J. N. Hairgrower, Eva Hairgrower, James B. Price, Caroline V. Price and J. K. Gwynn and the legal representatives and heirs of the above whose names and residences are unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Texas on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1928 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 31st day of July, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2073, wherein J. E. Swinson is plaintiff and C. L. Newport, Eva Newport, J. N. Hairgrower, Eva Hairgrower, James B. Price and wife, Caroline V. Price, and J. K. Gwynn, and the heirs and legal representatives of the said C. L. Newport, Eva Newport, J. N. Hairgrower, Eva Hairgrower, James B. Price, Caroline V. Price and J. K. Gwynn, whose names and residences are to plaintiff unknown, are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

## DIZZY Lost Appetite

Mr. M. F. Fink, of Harrisburg, N. C., says: "It must have been fully twenty-five years ago that I began taking Black-Draught regularly.

"I was in town one day, and while talking to a friend I stooped over to pick up something. When I straightened up, I felt dizzy. I spoke to him about this and how I had not felt like eating.

"My friend told me to take some Black-Draught. I knew my mother had used it, and so I bought a package. When I got home, I took a good, big dose, and the next night, another. In a few days I felt much better.

"A good many times I have had this dizziness and a bad taste in my mouth, or headaches, and then I take Black-Draught and get better. I do not have to take it very often. We buy from five to seven packages a year." Try it!



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## MOTOR INN

Floydada, Texas

1.  
That on or about the 15th day of July A. D., 1928, the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in Floyd County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple to-wit: All of Lot Number Nine (9) in Block Number Eighty-Seven (87) of the town of Floydada (Floyd City) in Floyd County, Texas as shown by the plat of said town of record in the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas, Volume 2-F, page 294.

2.  
That on the day and year aforesaid the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected the plaintiff therefrom, and now unlawfully withhold from him the possession thereof, to his damage in the sum of One Thousand and no/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars.

3.  
Plaintiff would further show to the court that he and those whose estate he has and under whom he claims, claiming the above land and premises under deeds duly registered in the Deed Records of Floyd County, Texas, has had peaceable continuous and adverse possession of

the above described land and premises cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes due thereon for a period of more than five years next preceding and before the commencement of this suit, to-wit, July 31, 1923, and for a period of more than five years before July 15th, A. D. 1928, and for a period of more than five years after defendants' cause of action accrued, if any, and this the plaintiff is ready to verify.

4.  
Plaintiff would further show to the court that he has had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the above described land and premises, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, having the same enclosed by fence, for a period of more than ten years next preceding and before the commencement of this suit, to-wit, July 31, 1923, and for a period of more than ten years before July 15th, A. D. 1928, and for a period of more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, if any, and this the plaintiff is ready to verify.

Wherefore plaintiff prays the court that defendants be cited to appear and

answer herein, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title and possession of the above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, for damages and costs of this suit, and for such other and further relief, both general and special, as in law and equity he may be justly entitled.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day

of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this, the 31st day of July A. D. 1928.

(SEAL) T. P. GUMMARIN,  
Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 234c

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# ELECTRIC SERVICE---

do we appreciate it?

We wonder how often, here in Floydada, we stop to count our many blessings.

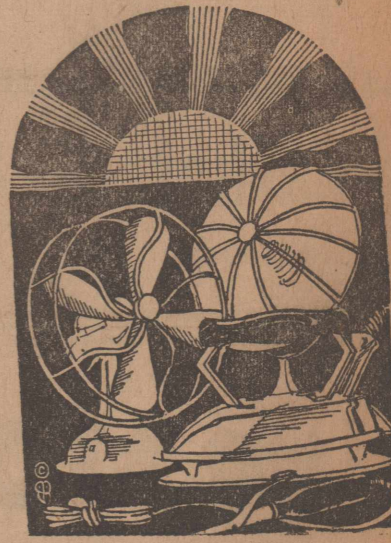
Take for instance the matter of gas and electricity. We take them for granted now. Yet, remove these conveniences from your home and you would feel hopelessly handicapped.

And since we've mentioned electricity, here is another thing we've noticed: We never appreciate our electric lights until they go out. Even then we don't express our appreciation. We simply complain about the service.

Here in Floydada we have excellent electric service. Seldom is it interrupted. Rarely does it fail us.

We are not employed to sing praises to the Texas Utilities Company, but isn't it just and right that we recognize good service?  
We think so.

Floyd County Hesperian



Mrs. C. H. Davis returned home Sunday from Lubbock, where she underwent an operation Saturday, August 4. Mr. Davis went over after her. She is reported to be quite improved.

T. P. Guimarin made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday, returning Friday afternoon.

J. W. Huey left Thursday for Munday where he will visit relatives.

Mrs. Bill Daily returned Sunday from Altus, Oklahoma, where she spent last week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kizzer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Watson returned Sunday from a week's visit in Dallas and other East Texas cities.

Mrs. W. H. Sharp went to Olton Monday to spend the week with her mother, Mrs. A. S. Erb.

### Compromise Reached; Road Will Be Opened

A compromise agreement was reached last week by the Commissioners' Court and E. F. Stovall, whereby the latter is allowed an additional \$138.05 more than the \$10 assessed by the jury of view and allowed by the court, and as a result the suit filed last week by Mr. Stovall has been dismissed, and a temporary injunction granted by District Judge Charles Clements raised. The road opened runs on the north side of the northwest quarter of section 44 in Block 1, A. B. & M.

An additional \$65 was also allowed J. M. Smith in addition to a \$10 damage assessed and allowed recently for the same road on the south side of southwest one-fourth of Section 13, Block 1.

#### MARRIAGE RECORD

Marriage license were granted the following couples since July 14 by County Clerk Tom W. Deen:

F. Darden and Miss Mayme Hackney, July 14.

R. A. Briggs and Miss Olive Armbrister, July 21.

A. D. White and Mary Helen Johnson, July 23.

Rufus C. Burleson and Miss Eva Oneta Elliot, July 24.

Joseph L. Henson and Miss Jessie Green, July 28.

R. L. Smalling and Miss Elna Bedingfield, July 28.

Bob Douglas and Mrs. Jimmie Douglas, July 31.

#### SANTARIUM NOTES

Mrs. Bob Echols has been in the sanitarium receiving treatment since July 23rd.

Mrs. J. C. Burleson of Matador is recovering from an appendicitis operation performed Sunday, July 5.

Charles Nichols who was operated on for appendicitis August 2, was dismissed Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Henson was operated on Tuesday for appendicitis.

Miss Daisy Lee Gresham had an appendicitis operation last Saturday.

#### FLOYDADA-MILL AND ELEVATOR COMPLETES STORAGE ADDITION

A storage room to care for the surplus stock of products made by the Floydada Mill & Elevator, was completed this week at the mill and was immediately occupied. The room is in the form of a two-story addition, 18 by 28 feet, annexed to the south side of the mill.

Growing demands for flour, meal, and feed products made in Floydada, made the addition necessary, A. S. Cumings, owner, stated.

#### WASHINGTON'S BIBLE SEALED IN GLASS

Fredericksburg, Va.—The treasured Bible, the property of Fredericksburg Masonic Lodge, on which Washington took his oath of Masonry, has been sealed in a glass case, a gift from Trinity Lodge No. 41, of Washington, D. C. The gift was made at the institution of O. A. C. Oehmler, a member of Trinity Lodge. His mother made the cushion upon which the Bible rests in the case.

Sometime ago, when Trinity Lodge visited the Lodge in Fredericksburg, Oehmler with others was shown the Bible, which at that time was covered with netting. He was deeply impressed and decided it was practically sacrilegious to have this relic lay under such inauspicious surroundings and with the ever-present danger of mutilation from relic seekers. He learned also that the Bible was considered precious by the lodge and that almost fabulous sums had been offered for it. As a result of his interest and as a gesture of fraternal love Trinity lodge presented the glass case in which the Bible has been hermetically sealed.

#### MODEL TRAFFIC LAW WOULD CLEAR TRACKS AND SPEED UP TRAVEL

Steps to remedy the practice by motorists of operating vehicles upon street car tracks is one of the most important measures included in a model municipal traffic ordinance which has been tentatively drafted by the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, reports the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

The ordinance would make it unlawful for the operator of a vehicle immediately in front of a street car to fail to turn off the tracks as soon as practicable after signal from the street car operator.

"It is highly desirable that proper regulation prevent, as far as possible, conflict between street car and other vehicular traffic," is the explanation, in part, which accompanies the ordinance. "Street car movement is, of course, limited to rails located in the street. This is one of the most important factors to be considered in adjusting the relationship between such cars and other vehicles.

"While it is recognized that street railway companies are not granted exclusive right to the use of a portion of a public street, nevertheless, motor vehicles should not be permitted to interfere unduly with the free use of the track area by street cars."

The ordinance also provides that when a street car has started to cross an intersection, an operator of any vehicle shall drive upon the tracks within the intersection in front of the street car. This provision is intended to prevent accidents which many times occur when motor vehicles proceed ahead of a street car moving in one direction, only to be struck by a street car coming in the opposite direction.

#### TREADING ON BUNIONS

Why swear because one thing happens to tread on your particular bunion, asks the gentle philosopher in the Woman's Home Companion.

Examining a writing desk that was to be sold, an auctioneer's assistant at Inverurie, Scotland, recently found in a hidden drawer documents valued at \$1,000.

### Locals and Personals

While returning home from Lubbock Wednesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Glad Snodgrass were in a car accident which caused considerable damage to their new Hupmobile car, the bumper and one fender being torn off. The other car which was driven by W. J. Feazel was completely demolished, according to Mr. Snodgrass. None of the occupants were hurt. Mrs. Snodgrass underwent a tonsil operation in a Lubbock sanitarium Monday and they were returning home when the accident occurred.

J. G. Deakins, manager of the Floydada Theatres, left Sunday for Richard City, Tenn., where he will visit with relatives for about two weeks.

Mrs. Jim Lawlis left last Friday for Moran, where she attended a reunion of her family, and San Angelo and Snyder to visit relatives. Her sister, Mrs. Darwin Sayner of San Angelo will return with her Friday and remain for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. King and family left this Thursday morning for points in Central Oklahoma where they will visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Scott King and family Mrs. Tom Deen, Miss Viola Norris, and Mrs. Roscoe Cook of Plainview left last Thursday for Hot Springs, New Mexico. Miss Norris and Mrs. Cook will go from there to San Bernardino and other points in California. They plan to be gone about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Norman and daughters, Clara Lee and Ella Francis, of Lubbock, came over Sunday for a visit of a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Norman, and his brother, E. L. Norman and family.

Mrs. Odessa Pearson and children of Lubbock, and her brother, R. C. Reese of Vinson, Oklahoma, spent the past week with Mrs. J. W. Halford and Mrs. T. S. Hodge of Floydada.

W. S. Poole of McAdoo was a business visitor in Floydada Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hadder of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hadder of Roswell, New Mexico, arrived in Floydada Monday to visit Mrs. T. F. Hadder's nieces, Mrs. J. W. Halford and Mrs. T. S. Hodge.

Mrs. Herbert Ralls and daughter Ruth, of Lubbock, spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. H. Davis.

### SWORD OF INQUISITION NOW OWNED BY LODGE

Durant, Okla.—A Toledo steel sword, made in Spain in 1792 and which first saw action during the Spanish Inquisition, has been presented to Durant Masonic Lodge No. 45 by Dr. J. C. Muerman, P. G. M., director of rural school education at Southwestern State Teachers' College here, to be used as the Tyler's sword.

The sword was presented to the seventh Spanish regiment of infantry and saw service in the reign of Charles IV, in the campaign in Southern Europe. It was taken to the Philippines in 1800 by this regiment, and was carried by different members of the Jaurez family, officers and always loyal to the Spanish government. The sword was worn last by Don Frances, just before the American occupation of the Islands in 1898. In 1901 Captain Jaurez gave the sword to Dr. Muerman, who brought it back to America when he returned last year.

A Chinese couple in Chicago named their child One Long Hop after Lindbergh's feat.

## Clean-Up Time!

Do you have a few maize heads in your bin that you want to clean-up? If so, bring them in and lets clean up the old crop and get ready for the new one.

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10 lbs., limited, 12c  
10 lbs. for  
**PEACHES**  
2 1-2 Size Y. F. in Syrup, per can 15c  
**MACRONI**  
or Spaghetti, 4 boxes for 25c

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FOR SALE—Fresh thoroughbred or highgrade Jersey cows at Freeman-Dale Jersey Farm, one mile south of Dougherty. 20tc

FOR SALE—Used water heater and tank. See Homer Steen. 23dh

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HEMSTITCHING, Mrs. J. D. Weatherly at McGuire & Weatherly's Store. 17tc

BARGAINS in fancy work at Thrifty Nifty Shop. 16tc

BRING your hemstitching to the Thrifty Nifty Shop. All work guaranteed. Hemstitching also done in gold and silver thread. 35tc.

For plumbing and gas-fitting call 168-J or No. 3. T. E. Lemons, licensed plumber and gas-fitter. 2752tp

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FOR SALE—Some nice residences and lots. E. R. Borum, Phone 178W. 24tc

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe. Good condition, good rubber, cheap. Call at Rev. F. L. Davis at 321 W. Georgia St. 251tc

FOR SALE—A few nice young cows. P. D. McBride, 3 miles east Floydada. 25tc

BARGAINS in used furniture at Harmons. 251tc

FOR SALE—Extra good milch cow. Arch Muncy. 24tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One second hand J. I. Case engine with new Bosch Magneto. T. S. Stevenson at Floyd County National Bank. 18tc

I'm still giving the best bargains in monuments. See me before you buy. S. B. McCleskey. 2tc

DON'T give your order to a transient agent. We will have a car load of trees and shrubbery here this fall. Hollums, Floydada Florists. 17tc

Let us upholster and repair your furniture. John McCleskey. Top Shop. Phone 220. 24tc

FOR SALE—Good grain drill, 18 hoe with press wheels, \$45. E. N. Muse, Box 295, Floydada. 242tp

FOR SALE—Ten foot tandem disc and ten foot drill; Allis-Chalmers 18-36 engine and row crop tools, and hegrira and maize bundles; also ten head work stock and young stuff. Fred W. Nickels. 243tp

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey sow and pigs. F. L. Moore. 24tc

FOR SALE—One Kochs barber chair, mirror, and other equipment, nearly new. See M. W. Ellis, Floydada, Texas, Rt. 4, Box 16. 244tp

ALFALFA SEED—Home grown, re-cleaned, for only 15c per pound. Geo. M. Finkner. 23tc

FOR well drilling see C. A. Mullins or phone Rutledge & Co. at 57. Might handle some trade on drilling. Also well equipped to do well and windmill repairing. 25tc

**For Rent**

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Mrs. Josie Moore. 14tc

FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished; suitable for two school girls. Mrs. John Wahl, across street west of High School. 252tp

FOR RENT—Modern new Duplex with garage. Call Mrs. M. B. Cavanaugh, Phone 187. 251tp

FOR RENT—Seven room house on south Main street close to High School; also furnished apartments. Call 185. 252tc

FOR RENT—September 1, five room residence, good location, modern conveniences. J. U. Borum. 24tc

**Miscellaneous**

THE FLOYDADA MATTRESS FACTORY is back into operation with new and better machinery on the East side of Square. L. S. Buchanan, Manager. 251tc

Get our new prices on Living Room Suites before you buy. F. C. Harmon. 251tc

Mid-Summer Royal Society Embroidery packages. Thrifty Nifty Shop. 25tc

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WHY pay more than 10 1-2c for inch and a quarter gas pipe? T. E. Lemons, Plumber. 256tp

NEVER in the history of Floydada do I believe you have bought fresh Irish potatoes at 50 pounds for 50c, which is less than wholesale price. A. D. Summerville, first door north of Angus Produce. 251tc

Why pay 75c for 50 lbs. spuds when you can get them at 50c. If that is too many, give your neighbor 25c worth then you won't be any worse off and you will have done a good deed besides. A. D. Summerville, located first door north of Angus Produce. 251tp

**NOTICE**

My ranch land, located in the northeastern district of Floyd County and on the Quitaque River, is again POSTED and the road closed by lock and chain. Owing to the fact that my cattle are grazing on this land, we have found travelers and picnickers are a nuisance. The scattering of cans and papers which is endangering the stock as well as causing more flies, and the difficulty of keeping fences in shape, make it necessary to stop the public from entering said land. Hereafter, any person found therein will be prosecuted accordingly. The Flomot road or Quitaque road leads to the tunnels. The River road is private and CLOSED to travel. All business matters handled at headquarters. N. A. Armstrong. 20tc

**Real Estate**

FOR SALE—Improved 240 acres, one mile West of Aiken; 200 acres cultivated; good tank, trees, fair house; wheat land plowed and possession now; priced right with one-third cash. John F. Dabose, Plainview, Texas. 239tp

See Floyd County Abstract Co., for improved and unimproved town lots. We represent the owners of more than 200 lots in Floydada. R. C. Scott, Mgr. 39tc.

FOR SALE—Three residence lots near the Andrews Ward school. See J. G. Wood. 261tc

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FOR SALE—Nice building lots, three of which are best in town. See S. B. McCleskey. 17tc

For bargains in lands and town lots see Arthur B. Duncan, Floydada, Texas. 40tc

FOR SALE—Near Olton; a fine section of wheat land; also have several tracts sandy land 160 acres up; price is right with good terms; John F. Dubose, Plainview. 236tp

**Lost and Found**

LOST—Rim and casing off Chevrolet car. M. B. Martin, the Raleigh man. Finder please return to Hesperian Office. 242tp

Found in a car in Wichita Falls, Texas, in February. A new light Top Coat label in collar "Glads \$35.00 Special" owner can get same by calling at Glads Store, describing coat and writing parties in Wichita Falls, paying for this adv. 351tc

**Wants**

Lady Cook wanted at the Hanks Hotel. 251tp.

**Locals and Personals**

Mrs. W. O. Jones and children returned Tuesday of last week from a visit of six weeks with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Watson, of Jonesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Bell and children, who have been here for two months visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Leonard, left Monday for Las Vegas, Nevada, where they will make their home this coming school term, Mr. Bell being a teacher in the schools there.

V. A. Leonard left Thursday for Glenrose, where he plans to spend several weeks for the benefit of his health.

J. H. Wilson, manager of the Alexander Grain Co., of Ralls, was a business visitor in Floydada Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gullion and daughters, Annie Ruth and Eula Mae, and Mrs. Gullion's niece, Miss Ella Watson, of Clarksville, left Tuesday for Carlsbad Cavern.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton left Monday for Temple, where Mr. Horton will go through the clinic. He has been in poor health for several months and they plan to remain at Temple until his health is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Eubank of Kress, and Mrs. Ben Hardy of Floydada, returned Sunday night from a vacation trip of a week spent at San Antonio.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Opel Cypert, Cedar Hill, August 5, a girl.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan, city, August 6, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Watson and children of Jonesboro, arrived Saturday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. W. O. Jones, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Neil and son, C. E. Jr., returned Thursday from a two weeks vacation trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, El Paso and San Angelo.

J. G. Martin returned Wednesday from New York where he has been on a buying trip for Martin Dry Goods.

J. A. Martin of Weatherford came Tuesday for an extended visit in the homes of his sons, J. G. and Claude. He was accompanied by his son, Bernard Martin of Wichita Falls, who returned Wednesday.

C. R. Hutchins, Plainview, former Floydada plant manager for Southwestern Bell, and daughter Carnette, were business visitors in Floydada Monday. Mr. Hutchins is recovering from injuries received a few months ago when he fell from a line pole, breaking an arm and foot.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lider and children went to Lubbock Tuesday for a few days visit. Their daughter, Selma Louise will attend the Campfire Girl's encampment.

Misses Prebble and Anna Lee Durham and Worth Durham, of Sterling City reached Floydada today for a visit with their sister, Mrs. C. H. Davis. Mrs. J. S. Cole, also of Sterling City came with them to visit in the home of Mrs. Jeff D. Ayres.

Miss Myrtle Terry spent last week in Claude visiting with Miss Lucille Hunt. She was accompanied home Saturday by Miss Hunt who spent last week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cathey, and family, of Dallas, spent last week-end here visiting with W. C. Grigsby and family.

Arden Brown, who has been attending a business college in Amarillo, arrived Saturday to spend several days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Delk, of Amarillo, spent Sunday here visiting with Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Meharg and family, of Plainview, spent Sunday here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Grigsby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKinnon and family, returned to their home in Austin, after a week's visit in this city with Mr. McKinnon's mother, Mrs. A. P. McKinnon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wimberly Butler and little daughter of Ft. Stockton left Monday after a four days visit in the home of his cousin, H. D. Butler.

Miss Gladys Covington of Olney came last Thursday to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Covington.

Miss Ethna Green returned last Tuesday from C. I. A. where she has attended school since last September. She will spend the remainder of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Green.

Miss Lucy Ross of Plainview is here for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Henry.

H. N. Porterfield returned Sunday from McGregor where he was called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. D. Porterfield, who died last Wednesday. His daughter, Mrs. Earl Edwards and Mr. Edwards met him at Spur and accompanied him home.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bass of Munday left for their home after spending two weeks in the home of Mrs. Grace Bass.

Misses Cleo and Grace Norman and Virgil Norman of Canyon came Tuesday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Julian Roberts.

W. B. Partain of Olney is in Floydada this week on business.

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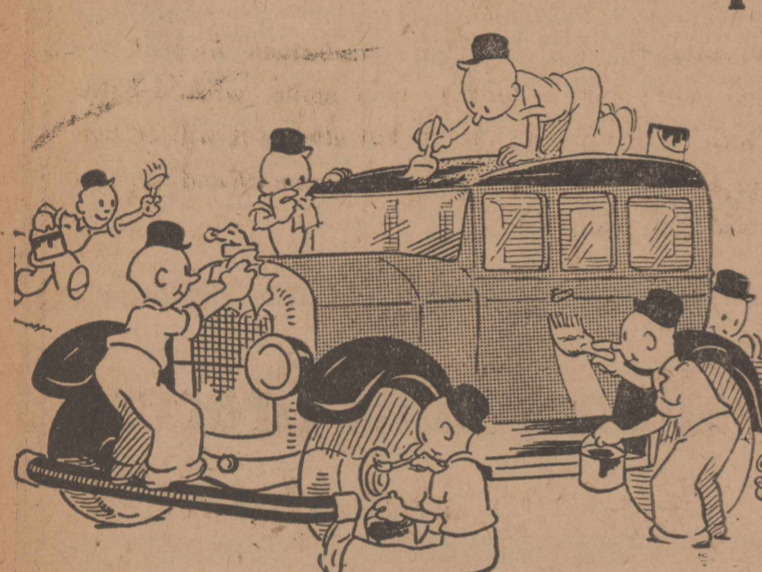
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## Poultry And Cream Big Factor In Local Trade

\$475,808.72 Given as Conservative Figures for Produce Sold in Floydada, Following Survey.

A careful survey of the poultry, egg and cream business that was handled through Floydada during the year of 1927, was recently made by Ed Bishop, secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, and the resulting figures, conservatively made, show a tremendous growth has been made in this type of industry in this section recently. A total of \$475,808.72 in dollars and cents was paid producers residing in this territory during that year, and the industry has really broadened out and during 1928 is becoming more thoroughly established as a year-round producer of revenue from the farms and backyards.

The figures were obtained in response to "several demands for new and accurate figures on the revenue from chickens, eggs, cream and turkeys," Mr. Bishop says in a recent statement issued through the Chamber of Commerce News. "The best and poorest months of the several buyers in Floydada was taken, for an average of the twelve months," he says in giving an explanation of the figures. The average price was furnished by a local dealer.

An itemization of the total reads as follows: 19,000 pounds of butterfat per average month, at 37 cents per pound, \$7,030.00; total for the year 228,000 pounds butterfat at 37c average price \$84,360; 67,017 pounds of chickens at 18 cents per pound, \$12,423.06; total 704,204 pounds at 18 cents, \$124,756.72.

62,112 dozen eggs at an average price of 25c per dozen \$16,028 per month; total for the year of 1927, 745,344 dozen eggs at 25 cents, \$186,336.

Grand total for cream, chickens and eggs, \$425,080.72.

To this should be added \$50,000 received for 225,000 pounds of turkeys that were sold during November and December, bringing the total receipts from these sources up to \$475,808.72.

## Local Legion Head On Important Committee

San Antonio, Aug. 5.—Walton D. Hood, commander of the Texas Department of the American Legion, today announced the appointment of L. T. Bishop, of Floydada, on the state entertainment committee for the Legion national convention at San Antonio October 8 to 12.

Mr. Bishop is commander of McDermott Post of the Legion. The post under his leadership has grown very considerably and has carried on an active program of service. It has an established position in the civic life of Floydada.

The state entertainment committee will assist in the entertainment of the Legion and Auxiliary members during their visit to Texas for their national convention. Sight-seeing at San Antonio and elsewhere throughout the state will be one of the big features of the committee's work.

Every night during the week of the gathering at San Antonio there will be a dance, on Alamo Plaza. The committee will assist in staging this.

Remington Portable, the student's friend, at The Hesperian Office.

## TECH GRINDING OUT COACHES FOR HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES

Lubbock, Texas August 10.—The destinies of athletic teams of five high schools of the South Plains will be ruled by a new crop of coaches during the coming season. The coaches are former athletes of Texas Technological College. Their appearance this year will be the first of a fast increasing group, next year's graduation to lose a number of other athletes of the College who are planning to coach.

Marlin R. Hayhurst, quarterback for the Matadors for the past three years, is to coach at Brownfield. Winfield Niehaus, fullback and captain of the first Tech squad, will direct the Tahoka high school team. J. R. Dennison, Matador linesman, will be at O'Donnell. Kenneth Hemphill, stellar basket ball man, will coach the Spur high school while Clyde Brown, track star for the past three seasons, will coach at Jayton. Four of the men received their degrees from the College this year.

## 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, W. D. QUILLIN and FRED WALCOTT, whose residence is unknown to be and appear before the Honorable District Court at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada, Texas, on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2060, wherein Guy Jacob and Mrs. Sallie B. Slaton are plaintiffs, and A. H. McGavock and Dimple McGavock, A. R. Meriwether, The First National Bank of Plainview, Texas, W. D. Quillin and Fred Walcott are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiffs' demand being as follows, to-wit: A suit upon ten promissory notes executed by A. H. McGavock and Dimple McGavock, dated September 26th, 1924, for the sum of \$650.00 each, payable to J. H. Slaton and Guy Jacob, or order, on or before January 1st, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935, bearing interest from January 1st, 1925 until maturity, at the rate of 8% per annum, payable annually January 1st, as it accrues, and providing that past due principal and interest shall bear 10% interest, and providing that failure to pay principal or interest when due shall, at the election of the holder, mature all said notes, and providing for 10% attorneys fees, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, and given as part payment for all of the South one-half of Section No. 11 in Block B-2, Certificate 4/591, situated in Floyd County, Texas, conveyed to said defendants, A. H. McGavock and Dimple McGavock by J. H. Slaton and Guy Jacob by deed dated September 26th, 1924, and to foreclose an express and Vendor's Lien against said land securing said notes, and alleging that The First National Bank of Plainview, Texas holds a note for the sum of \$933.33 and that A. R. Meriwether holds a note for the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ and that Fred Walcott holds a note for the sum of \$933.33, given by W. D. Quillin to A. H. McGavock as part of the consideration for the conveyance made by said A. H. McGavock and Dimple McGavock for said land to said Quillin, which last mentioned notes are alleged to be secured by the Vendor's Lien against said land subsequent, subordinate and inferior to the plaintiffs' Vendor's Lien, and praying for judgment in favor of plaintiffs against the defendants, A. H. McGavock and Dimple McGavock, for the principal, interest and attorneys fees on said ten notes, for costs of suit, and for foreclosure of their Vendor's Lien, as same existed September 26th, 1924, and that the interest of the defendants be disposed of, that the Clerk be ordered to issue an order of sale and that it be ordered that the proceeds of such sale be applied first to the payment of the plaintiffs' debt, interest, attorneys fees and costs of suit, and second, to the payment of the said debts of The First National Bank of Plainview, Texas, A. R. Meriwether and Fred Walcott, and the balance, if any, paid over to the defendants, A. H. McGavock and Dimple McGavock.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with

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Floydada, Texas

your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 19th day of July, A. D. 1928.  
(SEAL) T. P. GUILMARIN,  
District Clerk, Floyd County, Texas 224tc.

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Mrs. Fred Brown and children and Edd Brown went to Amarillo Saturday where Mrs. Brown will remain with her husband who is receiving treatment for his eye. Mr. Brown returned home Sunday.

Miss Blanche Newsome of Monday came Friday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blacklock.

Mrs. Herman Thomas, of Lubbock, spent last week here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Meharg and son Grigsby, of Plainview spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Meharg's brother, W. C. Grigsby.

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has been keeping... Campbell the last two... Monday to his home in... clock returned Friday... she spent two weeks... Mrs. N. Broughton.

Mrs. R. E. Fry and children and Mrs. Lorraine Britton left Sunday for Bisbee, Arizona, where they will visit with Mrs. Fry's brother for about two weeks. Glad Snodgrass returned last Thursday from a buying trip to St. Louis and Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McCombs of Denton spent Sunday and Monday with Dr. and Mrs. George Smith. Margaret Smith returned with them and will remain for a visit. Mrs. McCombs was formerly Miss Pearl West and taught in the Floydada schools two years ago.

NOTICE

ALL OWNING OR CLAIMING ANY PROPERTY ABUTTING UPON THE HEREIN-BELOW MENTIONED PORTIONS OF STREETS IN THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS, AND TO ALL OWNING OR CLAIMING ANY INTEREST IN ANY SUCH PROPERTY:

The governing body of the City of Floydada has ordered that the hereinbelow mentioned street be improved by raising, and filling same, and installing concrete curbs and gutters, and paving with six-inch reinforced concrete, and ornamental and appurtenances, and contract has been made and entered into with L. H. Lacy Company for the making of such improvements.

Changes in the plan, extent and method of improvements on the hereinbelow mentioned portions of streets and places are provided for and the necessary action taken in connection therewith, and a new estimate concerning cost of the improvements on said hereinbelow mentioned portions of streets, with amounts, have been prepared and approved, and hearing ordered to be held. Such streets and places, together with estimated amounts per front foot to be assessed, other matters and things, being as follows, to-wit:

In Main Street from the South property line of Kentucky Street to the North property line of Jeffie Avenue, the improvements to be approximately 60 feet wide from curb to curb, but with a parkway thru the center except at intersection with other streets, the parkway to be 24 feet wide, from the South property line of Kentucky Street to the Center of Crockett Street, and the improvements, to be 30 feet wide from curb to curb, and paved solid, from the center of Crockett Street to the North property line of Jeffie Ave; the estimated cost of the improvement is \$32,625.52; the estimated amount per lineal foot to be assessed against abutting property and the owners thereof, for curb, is \$0.40; the estimated amount per front-foot to be assessed against abutting property and the owners thereof for improvements extensive of curbing, is as follows:

From South property line of Kentucky Street to the center line of Crockett Street \$6.25760
From the center line of Crockett Street to the North property line of Jeffie Avenue \$4.93694
The total estimated amount to be assessed against abutting property and the owners thereof, is as follows:

(REVISED) PAVING ASSESSMENT

UNIT 1. 6" REINFORCED CONCRETE PAVEMENT
MAIN STREET FROM SOUTH LINE KENTUCKY STREET TO CENTER LINE CROCKETT ST. ROADWAY 18-24-18

Table with columns: PROPERTY OWNER, LOCATION OF PROPERTY, LOT Block, No. Ft., Rate, Cost, Curb Feet, Cost, Total Assessed. Lists property owners and their assessed costs.

Summary table for Unit 1: Total Cost Improvements (Except Curbs) \$23,203.37; Rates per foot: Paving \$6.25760, Curb 0.40.

MAIN STREET FROM CENTER LINE CROCKETT STREET TO NORTH LINE JEFFIE AVE. ROADWAY 30 FEET

Table with columns: PROPERTY OWNER, LOCATION OF PROPERTY, LOT Block, No. Ft., Rate, Cost, Curb Feet, Cost, Total Assessed. Lists property owners and their assessed costs.

Summary table for Unit 2: Total Cost of Improvements \$7,728.51; Rates per foot: Paving \$4.93694, Curb 0.40.

A hearing will be given and held by and before the governing body of the City of Floydada, Texas, on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1928, at 9 o'clock, A. M. in the City Hall, in the City of Floydada, Texas, to all owning or claiming any property abutting upon said portions of streets, and to all owning or claiming any interest in any such property, or any interest therein, shall be and appear and will be fully heard concerning said improvements, the cost thereof, the amounts to be assessed therefor, the benefits to the respective parcels of abutting property by means of the improvements on the portion of street or highway upon which the property abuts, and concerning the regularity, validity and sufficiency of the contract for, and all proceedings relating to, such improvements and proposed assessments therefor, and concerning any matter as to which they are entitled to hearing under the law in force in the City and under the proceedings of the City with reference to said matters. Following such hearing assessments will be levied against abutting property and owners hereof, and such assessments when levied shall be a personal liability of the owners of such property and a first and prior lien upon the property as provided by the law in force in the city, and under which the proceedings are taken, being the Act passed at the First Called Session of the 40th Legislature of the State of Texas, Known as Chapter 106, of the Acts of said Session.

The improvements on each said portion of street or highway constitute an entirely separate and distinct unit of improvement, all to the same extent as if entirely separate and distinct proceedings had been taken with reference to the improvements and assessments therefor in connection with improvements on each such portion of street or highway, and the assessments against the property abutting upon any street shall be and are in no wise affected by any fact or circumstance relating to or connected with the improvements in other streets.

Of all said matters and things, all owning or claiming any such property, or any interest therein, as well as all other parties in anywise interested or affected will take notice.

Done by order of the City Council of the City of Floydada, Texas, this 27th day of July A. D. 1928. BURL BEDFORD, City Secretary, City of Floydada, Texas.

Safety Deposit Boxes

Ready For Immediate Use

We have just installed 257 New All-Steel Safety Deposit Boxes in our newly completed fire-proof vault.

We are offering to the Floyd County Public, a NEW service, in assuring you

ABSOLUTE SAFETY FOR YOUR PERSONAL VALUABLES AND PAPERS

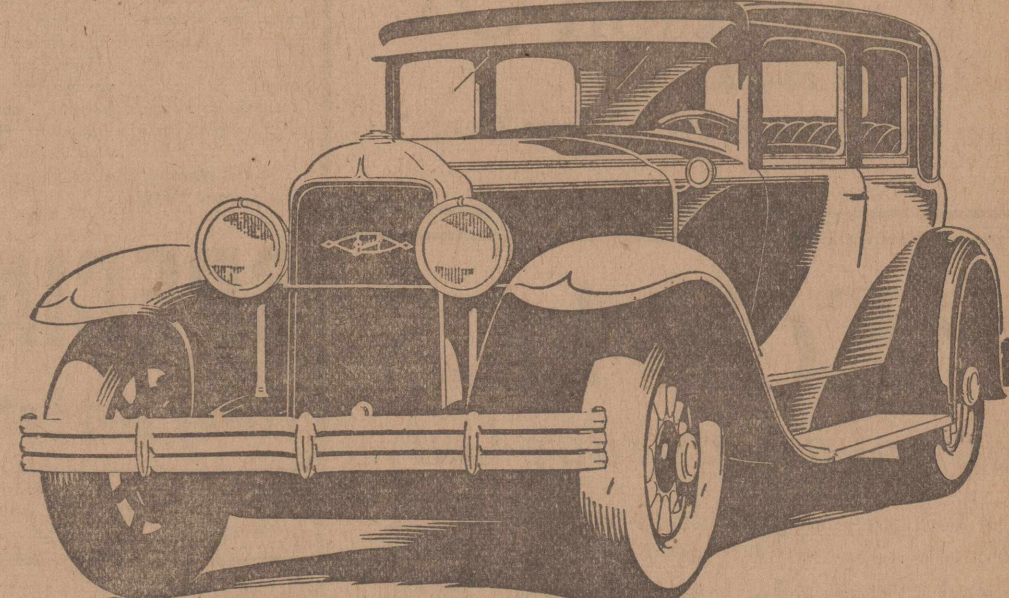
There has been a growing demand in this section for a better protection for personal effects and valuable papers. We have enlarged our banking rooms and have created a special department to care for this situation. We invite you to take advantage of this new banking service.

The annual rental on these new Safety Boxes will be from \$3 to \$6.50 per year.

Come in and let us reserve one of these boxes for you!

Floyd County National Bank
'THE BANK OF FRIENDLY SERVICE'

Just plain wonderful say all who have seen it



Amid all the fanfare of new car announcements, one fact stands out with shining clarity: Owners of cars in every price field are turning to the Silver Anniversary Buick with an eagerness which proves that they regard it as the greatest value ever offered in the motor world! This radically new and different automobile is rolling up the biggest demand ever won by any new quality car. It is drawing more people to the showrooms, day after day, than any other automobile ever drew before. It is focusing the attention of America by quality-standards so new, so advanced and so epochal as to preclude any thought of comparison.

highest degree of dashing, daring, debonaire beauty—thrilling new abilities as unmatched as they were unknown a few weeks ago—new appointments of luxury and convenience never before known to motor car practice!

America has seen plenty of automobiles. But America has never seen an automobile like this. "Just plain Wonderful" is the country's verdict on the Silver Anniversary Buick!

THE SILVER ANNIVERSARY BUICK WITH MASTERPIECE BODIES BY FISHER

CALLAWAY MOTOR COMPANY WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT... BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

Sponsor Appearance of the Harley Sadler Shows in Floydada



Six Sons Pallbearers At C. W. Howard Funeral

86-Year-Old Veteran of Civil War Laid To Rest in Cemetery at Paris Last Thursday.

The six surviving sons of Charles W. Howard, 86, of Paris, Texas, whose death occurred Wednesday afternoon of last week, were pallbearers at the funeral held Thursday from the chapel of the Emerson & Brown funeral home in Paris.

A brief biographical sketch of the life of the deceased as given by the Paris Dinner Horn is as follows:

Born December 25, 1842 in Smithville, Indiana, Charles W. Howard, served the Union Army during three years of the Civil war. He was married on May 25, 1865, to Miss Amanda Raper, and to them eight children were born, six sons surviving: Oscar W., Frank and Edgar of Paris, T. E. Howard, of Charlotte, N. C., J. W. Howard of Floydada, Texas, and Homer Howard of Lockney, Texas.

their residence in Texas, eighteen years were spent in Paris, where they have hosts of friends, who grieve with the relatives in their loss.

MRS. J. D. PORTERFIELD DIES AT HOME OF DAUGHTER

Mrs. J. D. Porterfield, mother of H. N. Porterfield of this city, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Meador at McGregor, Texas, August 8. She was buried at Moody Thursday, August 9.

Mrs. Porterfield was 85 years of age. She is survived by her two children, Mrs. W. S. Meadors of McGregor and H. N. Porterfield of this city, both of whom were present at the time of her death.

Mrs. Porterfield was one of the early settlers of McLennan county, having lived near McGregor with her family since 1873 when she first moved to Texas. Rev. A. Loper of Waco conducted the funeral services which were held at the Meador residence Wednesday afternoon.

HOSPITALITY

The few who treat a courteous caller harshly are mostly those who revel in their own misery and want everyone around to be miserable, too.—Farm & Fireside.

Halifax ships tons of dried blueberries to the United States where they are used in medicines.

Here is the Floydada Municipal Band, organization which is sponsoring the appearance next week of the Harley Sadler Shows. Request that the band sponsor his company's appearance in Floydada was made by Harley after he heard the band in its appearance at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention in Fort Worth.

COUNTY SUICIDE IS NEW KIND OF TRAGEDY

Death from suicide, a verdict given when James County, Tennessee, voluntarily wiped itself off the map of the United States as a separate entity, may become a popular method of saving expenses and improving public welfare in the country.

A tax rate of \$2.60, effective before the voters of that section decided to amalgamate with Hamilton County, was changed to \$1.30 after the amalgamation became effective, the Farm and Fireside magazine points out.

"We got ten times as much for our tax money as we did before the consolidation," says T. J. Smith, one of the oldest residents in what was James County, quoted in the magazine. Where there were nineteen schools in James County alone before the change there now are ten schools, with better equipment, better teaching staffs, and they are operated at less expense.

"Automobiles and telephones" nowadays make a county seat every few miles a senseless encumbrance on the public purse," says the magazine. No one knows how many needless sets of county officers and unnecessary court-houses are keeping farm taxes high and delaying improvements.

LESSONS IN SAFETY ARE SHOWN IN AUTO WRECKS

At the risk of life and limb, trained stunt drivers, deliberately wrecked seven automobiles while filming "Safe Highways," a two-reel motion picture recently produced by the Chicago Surface lines in its campaign to reduce the number of traffic accidents. An account of its production is given by Halbert O. Crews, director of the public relations department, in a recent issue of AERA, the publication of the American Electric Railway Association. The film will be displayed in public schools and before community and civic clubs.

The scenes in the picture vividly illustrate the danger of pulling away from parking space at the curb without looking to see what is coming, passing a loading street car where there is no safety zone, trying to beat the automobile signal by crossing the street on the yellow light, turning in the middle of the block, parking on the wrong side of the street and proceeding through a congested street at an excessive rate of speed.

"Many of the scenes are spectacular," says Mr. Crews. "In the one illustrating the danger of passing a street car going in the same direction by driving around it on the wrong side, the automobile is caught between the two cars and ground into a mass of junk."

Shaw-Walker files and supplies at The Hesperian Office.

SPECIALS

Friday and Saturday

Table of special prices for various goods including Cured Ham, Spuds, Peaberry Coffee, Wilson's Sliced Bacon, Hot Barbecue, Mother's China Oats, and Vienna Sausage.

C. P. Looper Company

Grocery and Market

CERTAINLY A DEAD HEAD

Imagine the surprise of a certain physician who received the following reply to his bill rendered for service:

"Dear Sir:—This bill was put in my box and open by mistake. The party has been dead all of 3 months and was in no way related to me. It is strange how a doctor's conscience will permit him to dun the dead. You must live a better Christian life, live and let live, and try to meet this lady in Heaven which is worth more than \$41.50 to any doctor. Respectfully—"

The city of Tacoma, Wash., has placed its cooperative rat-control work under the supervision of the district leader of rodent control of the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. A special appropriation of \$1,200 has been made for 1928 by the city to use in this campaign. The Tacoma project is to serve as a demonstration on a large scale of the methods recommended by the bureau, the general plan being to organize the work on a permanent basis, which may require several years of effort.

Mrs. Joubert Clements returned Tuesday from Mineral Wells where she has been visiting friends.

M. M. Morris, of Happy, is here for a stay of some three weeks, while soliciting for the West Texas Gas Company.

GETTING HIM TOLD

An exchange tells a very good one concerning a traveling man and a pretty hotel waitress. The yarn is based on the idea, correct or not, that commercial drummers sometimes seek to flirt with girls they meet during their travels.

In this instance it is said that when the waitress approached the traveling man's table to take his order he put on his most seductive smile and remarked: "Nice day, little one." She promptly agreed that the state of the weather was satisfactory, saying:

"Yes, it is, and so was yesterday, and my name is Ella, and I know I am a little peach and have lovely eyes, and I have been here quite a while and don't think I am too nice a girl to be working here. I don't think there is a dance in town tonight, and wouldn't go with you if there was. I'm a respectable girl from the country, and my brother is cook here and he is a 200-pound football player. Last week he nearly ruined a fresh traveling man who tried to flirt with me. Now, what'll you have—roast beef, roast pork, Irish stew or fried liver?"

THE SMELL TEST

All that women want to know, thinks a beauty expert discussing powders and creams, is "how does it smell?"—Woman's Home Companion.

ANY Weld

Large or small. We pair leaky boilers, do pipe, etc., thread large pipe, a machine work.

WAGON AXLES

Skins, Tongues, etc. We wish material for you to work or handle your jobs here in a well-equipped shop, the best Floydada. Come in and see for yourself.

Floydada Welding Works

Opposite Sanitarium

Why Wear Clothes

That don't fit your figure—at a figure that does not fit your pocket, when you can go to—

Wood Brothers

AND get clothes That do fit your figure at a figure That does fit your pocket. Figure it out. New Fall goods arriving daily, in the latest styles and colors. We are not pleased until we Please You.

Wood Brothers Clothiers for Men

South Side of Square



Friday and Saturday SPECIALS

The newest thing in felt hats—if you see them you will buy. Very special at \$1.95 Dresses—Silk crepes, satins, georgettes and flat crepes. They are new.

One lot, special \$4.95

One lot, special \$9.95

Boys and Mens Caps 75c to \$1.95

H. P. Watson Co.

5c, 10c and 25c Store

"Where Your Dollars Have More Cents"

SPECIALS

Friday and Saturday Only

Table of special prices for various goods including Delmonte Peaches, Fancy Dried Prunes, Apricots, Mixed cakes, Lard, Uvalde Honey, Pearl Meal, 1 doz. 9 oz. Tumblers, 5 gal. Cream shipping can, Cream pail, Flour sifter, Good grade Hand Saw, Wilson's Sliced Bacon, Hot Barbecue, Mother's China Oats, and Vienna Sausage.

JUST RECEIVED—New shipment of Crockery.

We Can Supply Your Wants

Floydada Hardware & Grocery

Specials For Friday and Saturday

Table of special prices for various goods including Spuds, Compound, Pineapple, SUGAR, Tomatoes, and CORN.

MARKET SPECIAL

Table of market special prices for STEAK.

Orders of \$2.50 or Over Delivered Free. PHONE 4







### Boy Scouts Report Big Time At C. W. Post Camp

"Did we have a good time?—Boy, I'll say we did!"

This is the enthusiastic reply from every one of the nineteen Floydada boys who returned home Wednesday of last week from the C. W. Post private camp for the Boy Scouts of the South Plains Area. Approximately 275 Boy Scouts from all sections of the South Plains enjoyed the privileges of the Post camp for ten days during the annual encampment of the Boy Scouts.

Everything at the camp was carried out in the regulation Boy Scout camping order. Buglers sounded the call to "crawl out" at an early hour, and then followed the regulation "wash up", "chow", morning hike and other semi-military activities. A portion of each day was given over to class tests and personal liberties. Taps sounded at a regulation hour every evening.

Troops 43 and 44, of Floydada, were represented by nineteen boys, a large percentage of their membership. Scoutmaster E. F. Eastridge accompanied members of Troop 43 to the camp and remained during the entire encampment with them. Kinder Farris, Vern Eastridge, John Farris, Sam Rutledge, Herwin Strickland, Gains Grubbs, Charles Brown, Carl Marshall and Billie Joe Welch were the scouts in this troop who attended.

Harold Porterfield, assistant scoutmaster of Troop 44 was in charge of the

members of that troop during the encampment. Scoutmaster W. A. Gound accompanied the following troop members home from the camp: Arthur Earl Gamble, John Edwards Smith, George Lee Henry, J. R. de Cordova, Fred Porterfield, Waymon Finley and R. L. Stovall, Reeves Scott.

### THREE FLOYD CO. GIRLS RECEIVED W. B. C. DIPLOMAS

Among the Wayland College graduates of the summer session are Misses Vera and Maudie Meredith and Jewel Woolsey. Commencement exercises were held in the assembly room of the college, Wednesday morning, August 8. A. E. Boyd delivered the address.

Rev. J. Pat Horton preached the baccalaureate sermon at the Baptist church Sunday morning, August 4, for the two graduating classes. Nine graduates from the college and eight from the academy.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

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 Mrs. E. C. Hardy and husband J. F. Hardy,

G. H. Overhuls Adolph Fisher, R. M. Emerson, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of said parties deceased, if any, all being parties whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada on the 24th day of August 1928 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 8th day of August A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2075, wherein H. C. Bosley is plaintiff and Mrs. E. C. Hardy, J. F. Hardy, G. H. Overhuls Adolph Fisher, R. M. Emerson and the unknown heirs and legal representatives, of said named defendants, deceased if any, are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff brings suit in Trespass to Try Title to recover of and from defendants the following described land and premises to-wit:

Lot No. Ten (10) in Block No. Sixty-two (62) in the town of Floydada (Floyd City) in Floyd County Texas. Plaintiff by special plea alleges in substance that he claiming said land under a deed duly registered has had peaceable continuous and adverse possession of said land and premises occupying using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes due thereon according to law for a period of more than five years after each defendants cause of action had accrued and before filing of this suit; plaintiff further alleges that he has had had actual adverse peaceable possession of said land, using and en-

joying the same and claiming to have good and perfect title to same for more than ten years after each defendants cause of action had accrued and before the filing of this suit; and plaintiff claims said land under under both the five and ten year statutes of limitation, and prays that he have judgement for the title and possession of the same against defendants with writ of restitution and for damages and costs of suit.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this, the 10th day of August A. D., 1928.

T. P. GUILMARIN,  
Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas.  
(Seal)

### Overdoing Patriotism

It is not patriotic, thinks a student of life writing in The American Magazine, to denounce everything that is foreign.

### OXEN IN FARMING

South African farmers find oxen profitable in farming. A two-year-old steer costs \$25 and after four or five years' work, the butcher will pay \$50 for him.—Farm & Fireside.

Shaw-Walker files and supplies at The Hesperian Office.

### What's Doing In West Texas Today

(By West Texas C. of C.)

RANKIN—The Commission form of government has been adopted at Rankin, and R. C. Harlan elected first mayor.

TATUM, N. M.—Members of the Home Civic Improvement Club are sponsoring a move toward a community park.

EASTLAND—H. O. Tatum, for three years secretary of the Baird Chamber of Commerce, is soon to be Eastland's City Manager.

ESTELLINE—Installation of gas mains is under way here.

BIG LAKE—This town has just completed the laying of a new sewer system.

FORT STOCKTON—The executive board of the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association will meet here October 13.

MARFA—Mexican laborers are available in this section as a result of efforts of WTCC to have an American Consul stationed temporarily at Ojinaga, Mexico.

SPUR—Spur's first three story store building is under construction at this time by W. S. Campbell.

ALVORD—Up to August 1, fourteen carloads of watermelons had been shipped from here this season.

SHAMROCK—The 45th block of Shamrock's paving program has just been completed.

LAMPASSAS—Plans are being completed for the WTCC heart of Texas

District Convention here in September.

TULIA—Tulia High School has recently acquired two additional affiliated credits, making a total of 31.

EL DORADO—Directors of the Scheicher County Fair are now planning for the event which takes place September 11 and 12.

MUNDAY—A credit in general Science, and one in fourth year English have been awarded the high school here.

DE LEON—J. C. Patterson, county farm agent of Eastland County made an instructive talk on the sweet cream industry here August 11.

TRUSCOTT—The opening of the new hotel here was celebrated by a free barbecue and costum concert August 8.

RISING STAR—A vocational teacher has been secured for this community through the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce and business men.

CHANNING—Improvements are being made on the Fort Worth & Denver depot here.

ROSWELL, N. M.—Roswell was voted 1929 host to the WTCC Intermountain district convention at Carlsbad.

PLAINVIEW—Plainview will enter a carload of Jersey pure bred cattle at the dairy show of the Dallas Fair this fall.

### SOLID CITIZENS!

"Leading citizens of New Jersey," says a news item, "disappears with bank funds." Solid citizens sometimes develop loose habits.—Farm and Fireside.

# A U C T I O N S A L E O F L O T S

## The South Heights Addition

Floydada, Texas

SALE BEGINS

Wednesday, August 22, 1928

AT 3:00 O'CLOCK AND CONTINUES EACH DAY UNTIL ALL LOTS ARE SOLD

**Location:** South Heights Addition is located just six blocks southwest of the business section of Floydada, on Ollie avenue adjoining the High School Campus. We Consider this one of the best additions left in Floydada to be developed. We are going to afford you a golden opportunity to purchase these desirable building sites at your own price and on reasonable terms.

There are new residences being built right up to this addition. We invite you to ride out and see the location of property. Floydada has grown wonderfully in the past five years. What will it do in the next five? Will you profit by the history of the past or will you let the other fellow reap the harvest?

**In Case of Rain This Sale Will be Continued Until the Following Day**

**TERMS:** We are going to sell these lots at reasonable prices and on easy terms. One-fourth cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. A 5 per cent discount will be allowed for all cash on the deferred payments.

*We Guarantee a Good Time for All Who Attend This Sale. Don't Forget the Time, Place, and Hour*

## Colonel Thomas of Chicago

AUCTIONEER

J. B. COURIC, Sales Manager

OFFICE FLOYD COUNTY NAT'L. BANK

FLOYD COUNTY NAT'L. BANK, Treasurer











