

Hale's Commitment Is Held Up For Two Weeks

King of the Osage Hills Gets Life Term Again in Federal Trial At Pawhuska.

W. K. Hale, "King of the Osage Hills" so-called because of his wide dealings in cattle in the vicinity of Pawhuska, was given a life sentence in Federal Court at Pawhuska Saturday of last week by a jury in the third trial he has had since government operatives began trying to solve the mystery of the killing of the Osage Indians three years ago.

Commitment on the verdict of the jury was delayed for a period of two weeks, however, by the judge of the court to await hearing on a motion for new trial made by attorneys for Hale.

The charge on which Hale was tried was complicity in the death of Henry Roan, Osage Indian. His alleged accomplice is now serving time in the state penitentiary on the charge. Wide publicity has been given trial on account of the prominence of the defendant and the strong fight he has made in his own behalf. The first trial of Hale resulted in a hung jury. In the second trial, held at Guthrie, Oklahoma, he was given life sentence and has actually served nearly two years time. His third trial was obtained after a fight of more than a year by attorneys.

R. E. and O. W. Fry, of this city, brothers of Mrs. Hale, have been at Pawhuska in attendance at the trial a part of the time. Mrs. Hale visited with her relatives here during Christmas. She has a daughter, Mrs. Willie Oiler, who has also visited Floydada a number of times.

Quintet Defeats Post In Fast Game Tuesday

Fast And Accurate Playing Revise Options Of Local Basketball Fans.

Coming from under a sluggish and one-sided defeat last week, the F. H. S. Whirlwind cagers set local basketball fans in a state of wonderment last Tuesday evening when they took the powerful Post squad under for a 27 to 16 defeat on the local court. Exceptionally fast and accurate playing was displayed by the local boys Tuesday despite the fact that they were up against a strong five.

Floydada's defensive playing was the outstanding feature of the game. The two teams were equally good on the offensive but the local defense prevented many would-be scores by the visiting squad. It may be safely stated that Tuesday's game was the fastest played on the local court, and the fastest the Whirlwind cagers have played this season.

Joe Smith, star Whirlwind forward, scored 15 points of the 27 made by the locals. The remainder of the line-up, Wm. Smith, forward; Raymond Nelson, center; Howard Welbourn, guard; and Ernie Widener, guard, were good Tuesday, also. Porterfield and Holmes were substitutes.

Tuesday was Post's second defeat of the season and Floydada's second victory.

Quitaque To Sponsor Invitation Cage Meet

F. H. S. Whirlwind cagers were extended an invitation this week to a basketball tournament at Quitaque to be held on February first and second. Present plans by Coach Jones and his squad are to attend the meet, and they are urging that local fans accompany the team to Quitaque.

The tournament will be held in the new large gymnasium at Quitaque, claimed to be one of the best in this section. It is well lighted and ventilated and has a hard maple floor. The seating capacity is estimated at about four hundred.

Special prizes are being offered at the tournament. Nine large gold basketball medals will be awarded first prize winners and silver medals to second place winners. Silver loving cups will be presented to runners-up. Free room and beds are being furnished the visiting teams by the Quitaque Chamber of Commerce.

R. N. BURGETT BUYS FARM AND MOVES NEAR FAIRVIEW

R. N. Burgett recently moved to the half-section farm three miles east of Fairview, which he bought from Otis Trulove, of Amarillo.

The farm already had a number of improvements and Mr. Burgett has added a well, windmill and other things to make it complete. Before moving to the farm Mr. Burgett had made his home in Floydada a number of years.

TWIN BABY DIES

Funeral services for Dunane Lewallen, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lewallen, were held Sunday afternoon, Jan. 27 at the home, conducted by Rev. F. L. Davis. Interment was made in the Floydada cemetery with F. C. Harmon in charge.

The child and his twin brother Wayne were born Jan. 14.

Construction Crew Placing Poles For White Way, Signals

A construction crew of the Texas Utilities Company, under the direction of H. A. Anstead, construction foreman, have been working the past several days placing standards for the new white way lights in the business district and putting up poles to carry the traffic signal lights at six of the principal intersections.

The new white way lights, when installation is completed, will increase the total in the business district to seventy.

The traffic signals will swing from steel poles set in concrete on the curbs. Thirty-foot steel poles are being put seven feet in the ground, set in concrete. After the concrete is cured the wiring will be begun. Intersections where the signals will be installed are Main and Mississippi, Main and California, Main and Missouri, Missouri and Fifth, California and Fifth, and California and Wall. The signals are the standard green, yellow and red suspension type.

Work has been interfered with considerably by the changeable weather.

200 AT CROSBYTON FOR ANNUAL C. OF C. BANQUET

Two hundred people of Crosbyton Crosby County, and neighboring towns were the guests of the Crosbyton Chamber of Commerce at their annual banquet held in that city Thursday evening. Dr. Paul W. Horn, President of Texas Technological College of Lubbock, was the speaker of the evening and used as his subject, "The Fundamental Principles of Building a City." R. J. Murray, Santa Fe Land Agent of Lubbock, was also one of the speakers.

Included in the program at the banquet were several musical numbers, the report of the secretary, C. C. Williams, and the response of visiting delegations. Floydada, Ralls, Spur, Amarillo, and Lubbock were all represented by one or more delegates. E. H. Hendricks was the Master of Ceremonies and the plates were served by the Baptist Missionary Association.

'Uncle Tom's Cabin' Is Theatre Headliner

For two years past one of the principal topics in film circles has been the currently reported news of the filming by Universal on a huge scale of the widely known story of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Local theatre managers were interested when the picture was set for release. Announcement is now made by Manager Jack Deakins of the Royal that he has booked the big entertainment for next Monday and Tuesday.

For seventy-five years "Uncle Tom's Cabin" has been played on the stage by innumerable companies of troupers; their offerings ranging from what were scarcely more pretentious than "medicine shows" to larger aggregations, carrying banner bands, "two Topsy's," "two Lawyer Marks," and other forms of ballyhoo that might attract crowds, but that had little to do with the story as written in her immortal book by Harriet Beecher Stowe, in 1850.

Carl Laemmle, president of the Universal Pictures Corporation, makes no secret of the fact that the present production, which cost nearly \$2,000,000 and was two years in the making, is the realization of a dream of many years. Great American classics, he says, have always held a fascination for him; and he is proud of the fact that in this, the first adequate filming of the Stowe story, Director Harold Lloyd has avoided the queer traditions that have crept into the many stage versions, few of which have ever been written, and has spent a fortune in giving a true presentation of the original, that has entertained generation after generation for seventy-five years.

SANTA FE HAS MINOR WRECK WEDNESDAY MORNING RUN

Considerable damage to the track was done and a wrecker out of Slaton had to be used to get a merchandise car back on the rails Wednesday, when the front trucks of a merchandise car of the Santa Fe's mixed train ran off the track and the back end whipped around across the rails, five miles this side of Plainview. The crew brought two box cars and a coal car on in to Floydada less than an hour late.

Ties were burst up considerably for the distance of eight or ten telegraph poles, but the track was put in shape so that the train made its run on regular time this morning.

DEMONSTRATION AGENTS TO ATTEND HOUSTON MEETING

Miss Blanche Bass, home demonstration agent in company with other agents from this district, will leave Sunday for Houston where they will attend a meeting Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, celebrating the Silver anniversary of extension work.

The program will be varied and interesting, many prominent men and women being scheduled to appear in the programs, Miss Bass said. Attendance is compulsory.

New Santa Fe Schedule Effective Monday A. M.

Change Effective on All Branch Runs Monday Expected to Better Service.

New time tables on all branch runs of the Santa Fe on the South Plains were announced the latter part of last week and put into effect Monday morning last, the train crew on Floydada Branch making a Sunday run to Plainview to be ready to start on the initial run Monday morning on the new schedule.

The branch runs in every instance will be made from the main line out to the terminus, whereas heretofore the runs have been made from the terminus and back the same day. The new schedule for Floydada branch calls for departure from Plainview at 6:30 a. m., and arrival at Floydada at 7:45. At Lockney connection is made with the Denver morning passenger west. The Santa Fe train leaves Floydada at 9:30 on the return run. The feature of the new service, according to operating officials, will be a much better freight service from Amarillo and points to the north and east. Twenty-four hour service to and from Amarillo is assured in the change, they said.

Rumely Tractor Class Tuesday Of Next Week

School at District Court Room to Teach Farmers Better Method Of Farming

For the purpose of teaching farmers in this section to obtain the greatest returns from their land at the least cost, and to encourage the use of power farming machinery, D. W. Fyffe, local farm implement dealer is sponsoring a tractor school next Tuesday at the district court room. The school will emphasize the work done by the Rumely tractors, sold in this city by D. W. Fyffe. Three periods will be given at the school, Tuesday morning afternoon and evening.

This year marks the eleventh consecutive year the Rumley school has been held. The classes were first held at the factory for the dealers only. Finally they were extended to the various branch offices over the territory and this year they are being offered by the dealers to the farmers.

C. J. Weiss, assistant manager of the Rumley office at Dallas, will supervise the school. He will be assisted by A. C. Patton, and G. E. Carpenter, of the Amarillo and Plainview branch offices.

Featured at the Rumley school will be a motion picture reel, 15,000 feet of film will be shown, and included among the scenes will be tractors at work on the South Plains. Pictures of the Do-All, the new Rumley all-purpose tractor, will also be shown.

The general public is invited to attend the school, Mr. Fyffe stated.

Waterfowl Season Closes January 31

The open season for the shooting of wild ducks, wild geese, brant, coots, and Wilson snipe or jack-snipe, closes at sunset on January 31, on Long Island, N. Y., and in New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona.

In all other parts of the country the season closed on December 31, January 7, and January 15. This information has been supplied by the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, which administers the Federal law for the protection of birds migrating between the United States and Canada.

The Federal law and regulations permit migratory birds that have been legally killed to be possessed in any state during the period constituting the open season in the State where killed and for the additional ten days immediately following the close of the open season. Thus, waterfowl and the other birds mentioned may not be possessed in any State after February 10. In States where the open season closed earlier under the Federal regulations, the possession of the birds taken in those States was not legal after January 10, January 17, or January 25, depending upon the closing date of the open season, but birds taken in a State where the open season continued through the month of January can be possessed in any State, if allowed by State law, until February 10. The Biological Survey calls attention to the fact that the carcasses of migratory game birds found in storage or elsewhere after the close of these possession seasons not only will be seized, but the owners of such birds will be rendered liable to prosecution in Federal courts.

WILLIAMS AGAIN WORKING

W. J. Williams, who was incapacitated for several weeks during the fall and winter from the effects of injuries sustained when he was in a car wreck near his home at Amarillo, has recovered sufficiently to resume his work.

Last week he resumed field and office work on the Howard Bros. surveying and platting contract which he and Engineer Geo. A. Linder made some months ago. Except for the lost time and the inconvenience caused his clients Mr. Williams said he enjoyed the opportunity his enforced idleness gave him to "get acquainted with his wife once more."

John Deere Tractor School Is Planned Tomorrow Afternoon

Following a custom of several years' standing, the John Deere Plow Company, through its local agent, Stansell & Collins, has arranged for a tractor school to be held in Floydada Friday afternoon, February 1. It will be conducted in the Royal Theatre.

The purpose of the school is to acquaint the tractor owners and prospective purchasers with the operation principles of the John Deere tractor and to discuss with them the problems which may arise in connection with its use.

It has been customary in past years to completely disassemble and reassemble a tractor at the school. This procedure will be only partially followed at the school this year, and the more complicated parts will be discussed with the use of slides.

Essen Price and Lee Harlan, representatives of the tractor factory at Waterloo, Iowa, will be in charge of the school here. Ed Russell, another factory representative, will discuss and explain features of this year's model combine.

J. W. Milley of Plainview, who represents the John Deere Company in this territory, will have charge of general arrangements for the school.

The school will begin promptly at 2 o'clock, but the new model tractor will be on display beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning.

In addition to the pictures of the tractor a comedy picture will be shown. Tickets to the event will be passed out at the local agent's store.

LIONS CLUB WILL URGE BETTER PHONE SERVICE

A special committee for the purpose of "investigating the securing of a better and more adequate telephone service for Floydada" was appointed by the Floydada Lions Club at their regular meeting Tuesday at noon. Members of the club were unanimous in their opinion that a better service is needed in this city and the committee was appointed to co-operate with any other movement to secure a more complete service.

Members of the committee were J. M. Willson, Glad Snodgrass, O. P. Rutledge and Roy Snodgrass.

Call Meeting Monday Of Cream Producers

Cream producers of Floyd County will gather at the court house in Floydada next Monday afternoon at one o'clock to discuss the problem of marketing cream, responding to a meeting called by two Floyd County firms last week. The Community Supply Company, of Floydada and the Merchants Produce Company, of Lockney, issued the call.

A number of competent speakers will be present to help local dairymen to work out a plan to secure a better and higher market for the product, according to Clarence Foster, of the Community Supply Company. Several plans will be presented at the meeting and the plan considered the best by the producers will be adopted, it was stated.

It has been advocated that under one of the plans, from four to five cents per pound more could be realized, from cream sold in this county.

Those sponsoring the meeting are expecting several hundred cream producers to be in this city Monday, unless bad weather conditions prevent attendance.

STOCK AND HORSE SHOW AT THE 'CITY' OPENS FEB. 23

Purebred cattle from all parts of the nation, and a horse show of more than ordinary magnitude are promised for the Southwest American Live Stock and Junior League Horse Show at Oklahoma City February 23 to March 1.

\$30,000 in premiums will be given and purebred and fat cattle sales will be held, according to announcement.

The show will be held under the roof of the \$300,000 coliseum.

DALLAS MINISTER PREACHES SUNDAY FOR LOCAL CHURCH

Rev. Robt. L. Badgett, of Dallas, will preach Sunday morning and evening for the congregation of the First Christian Church here on invitation of the church officials. A telegram to W. Ed Brown church clerk, late yesterday, accepted the invitation.

Members of the church are urged to be present, Mr. Brown said, and the public in general are invited.

WILSON STUDIO BOUGHT BY BORUM AND HOLMES

Purchase of the Wilson Studio by E. Ted Borum and Roy A. Holmes was completed this week, and O. M. Wilson, established of the business, retired from active management Wednesday.

The Wilson Studio is one of the oldest business establishments in this city. Mr. Wilson started the business shortly after his arrival in Floydada in 1911. The business has grown with the town and is now serving a large territory in this section.

Ted Borum, member of the new firm, has been connected with the Wilson Studio for a number of years and for the past four years has had complete charge of the printing and finishing department. Holmes has recently been attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, majoring in the Architectural Engineering department. Both parties are well known in this city.

The firm will operate at the same location on the south side of the square under the same firm name. Mr. Wilson's plans for the present are indefinite but he will probably locate in California.

Bourland Says Change Needed In Land Laws

President of W. T. C. C. Says West Texans Are Threatened by Land Grabbers.

Andy Bourland, of Vernon, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday at noon told members of the Rotary Club of three important bills now before the legislature vitally affecting land and vested rights of West Texans and urged action to aid in the passage of these laws. His talk, a twenty-minute address, was preceded by a short talk on the same subject by E. H. Whitehead, publicity director of the same organization.

Land Grabbers Busy Land grabbers have gotten busy in the right recent years, following a ruling by the attorney general, filing on lands which have become valuable and are proving successful in efforts to take away land also on "navigable" streams in this section of the state, where the streams are as much as thirty feet wide from cut bank to cut bank. Correcting these monstrosities in the law of the land bills are now before the legislature. Mr. Bourland's mission was to arouse interest in backing for the passage of these measures. Serious disturbance, litigation and heavy losses have already been sustained by land owners who had felt themselves secure in the possession of their lands for thirty and forty years, according to the speakers who gave instances occurring within the past year of this kind.

Another thing the organization is fighting and for which support of the people is being asked, is the taking up of water rights in the state by powerful interests that would in turn sell rights which they gain title to people living on streams or water sheds. Domestic and irrigation rights to water that falls on a given piece of property would take precedence of power rights or other rights under the provisions of the law supported by West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Bourland said. Under the present law, a person or any set of persons could file on the flow of the water on the Brazos, to illustrate, and it would then be unlawful for a Floyd County land owner to build a dam on a draw leading into Blanco Canyon for stock water or for irrigation. Even terracing could be prevented on the ground that it interfered with the flow of water that the owner downstream had "taken up." At present the flow of water on the Brazos has not been filed upon, however, it is true that the flow on some of the other streams, the Colorado in particular, has been taken up, and a town or community up-stream that attempted to dam the water for any purpose can be prevented from doing so without paying for the right.

Mr. Bourland and Mr. Whitehead have been travelling over the state for the past two weeks and are continuing on their tour. They spoke Wednesday night in Paducah.

D. W. Fyffe presided at the meeting of the club. Preceding the talks by the visitors, Homer Steen and P. L. O'Brien presented briefly pro and con arguments on the commission form of government to be voted upon on February 26 in Floydada, and its application to local conditions.

Leslie Surginer and H. P. Watson were club visitors. Dr. C. M. Thacker gave a resume of current events.

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TEN ABOVE THURSDAY NIGHT

The lowest temperature of the winter was recorded Thursday night of last week, when the thermometer registered a minimum of ten degrees above zero.

This morning the temperature at 7 o'clock was 22 above, following a cold wave that broke early last night.

Friskish weather has featured the past week, cold and moderate days, with clouds and sunshine, alternating almost with the clock.

Many Teams Accept Invitations To Enter Cage Tournament Feb. 8-9

More Than Eighteen Teams Will Enter Competition Next Week.

With the South Plains Basketball Tournament only ten days off and with definite acceptance from eighteen teams, present indications are that competition, attendance and interest will be greater this year than ever before. Friday and Saturday of next week, February eighth and ninth are the dates set for the invitation cage meet.

Rivalry Will Be Keen Between thirty and thirty-five high school quintets were invited to the unofficial meet and it is probable that as many as twenty or twenty-five will enter competition. The tournament is held annually in this city under the direction of the F. H. S. Whirlwind team.

"We are confident that this year's tournament will meet with the same success as previous tournaments and we are expecting keener rivalry this year than ever before" Coach Troy Jones stated. Coach Jones and Superintendent W. E. Patten, who have been doing the heavy end of the work connected with the tournament, are of the opinion that their work will be well rewarded and that visiting cagers will be well pleased with the meet. Unless bad weather prevents some of the teams from attending, there will be more than two hundred basketball players in this city during the two days and even a greater number of cage fans and boosters.

Among the towns from which teams have sent definite acceptance of invitations to attend the meet are Ralls, Crosbyton, Slaton, Idalou, Monroe, Wilson, Memphis Hale Center, and many others. A number of teams have indicated that they would probably attend the tournament but have not made definite arrangements at this time. Floydada Chamber of Commerce will present to the team, winning first place at the meet, a large silver loving cup. In addition to this award, merchants in this city will present small gold basketballs to the individual players on the team winning first place and silver basketballs to the runners-up.

Because of the large number of basketball players and fans who will visit this city during the tournament, the officials in charge are urging that citizens of Floydada co-operate to the fullest extent to make their visit a pleasant one and one long to be remembered.

Martin Dry Goods Co. Moving To New Home

South Plains' Most Modern Department Store Is Claim for New Location.

With carpenters, painters, electricians, and finishers of various kinds, including shelf and fixturemen, working day and night for the past two weeks and rapidly bringing the store to a state of completion the new Martin Dry Goods store is being put into a state to receive merchandise this week and as departments are finished the stock, including many thousands of dollars worth of new merchandise to go on sale for the first time in the new location, is being moved to the \$30,000 store of the county's oldest exclusive dry goods and ready-to-wear business at the corner of California and Fifth Streets.

The building, begun last fall, has been delayed longer in completion on account of weather conditions incident to the fall and winter months, and the members of the firm have been anxiously awaiting its completion to get settled down in the new home.

The store will present one of the most attractive appearances, inside and out, of any merchandising establishment in the south plains area, the claim of local enthusiasts being that it is the most modern and complete department store in the section, and one of the largest.

While the members of the firm are busy moving, little is being said of their plans for the immediate future. It is expected that moving and getting settled in the new location will occupy the remainder of this week, although the actual sale of merchandise will not be discontinued during the period.

Rehearsals were held every night this week on "The Whole Town's Talking" a three act play which will be given Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the High School Auditorium by the faculty of Andrews Ward school and two high school faculty members.

Selections from the play were given in chapel at Andrews Ward Wednesday morning and at the high school this Thursday morning. Both were well received by the student body.

The play is directed by Miss Katherine Burch and Mrs. Robert A. Sone. It is sponsored by the Andrews Ward P. T. A. and the proceeds will be used for Andrews Ward library and playground fund. Floydada high school orchestra will furnish music.

Those who will take part in the play are: A. J. Cummings, Mrs. Robert A. Sone, Miss Katherine Burch, Dave Waldron, Miss Myrtle Henry, H. H. Cunningham, George McWhirter, Mrs. A. D. Cummings, Miss Sudie Miller, Miss Ruby Norton, Miss Lulu Belsher.

Local Market

The market on various farm commodities were quoted by dealers this morning as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Threshed maize per cwt., Wheat, per bushel, Hens, heavy, etc.

STREET CONCERT SUNDAY AT 2:30 BY LOCAL BAND

Prompted by unusual interest and attendance at their last street concert, the Floydada Municipal Band will give a band concert Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, according to Bandmaster A. L. Lundgren. Weather permitting, the concert will be held in the band stand at the northwest corner of the court-house.

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OCCUPANTS OF CAR ESCAPE SERIOUS INJURY IN CRASH

Mrs. A. J. Welch and her son, Billie, escaped serious injury Sunday evening late on the highway between Floydada and Lockney when their car crashed into a wagon that had been stopped in the road, badly damaging the car. Mrs. Welch sustained bruises and a sprained ankle that are detaining her at home this week. Billie suffered only minor scratches.

The wagon was stopped by the side of the road where a motorist was changing a tire when the Welch car and a car coming from the opposite direction arrived almost at the same time according to reports of witnesses. Billie, who was driving, saw the parked car but in the glare of the lights did not see the wagon until too late to avoid collision.

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BUILDING PERMITS SHOW A MODERATE GROWTH IN JAN.

Building permits issued this month are as follows: C. W. Meredith, Lots 1-2, Block 2, West Side Heights, Five room stucco residence, and 18x18 stucco garage, \$2800.

R. L. Williams, Lots 9 and 10, Block 20, 24x24 four room residence, \$800.

John W. Jones, Lots 11 and 13, Block H, Andrews Addition 22x24 four room frame residence \$1000.

Wilbur Nelson, H. M. Hart tract, 40x60 frame filling station, \$1000.

Street Concert Sunday At 2:30 By Local Band

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Prohibition that prohibits was the  
intended goal of the amendment to  
the national constitution, and at  
least a very large per cent of us  
would like to see that eventuality.  
Hence, the interest that is being  
manifested in the proposal of Her-  
bert Hoover that we delve in and  
get facts on which to base enforce-  
ment plans.

Prohibition such as the country  
now has is not a healthful condi-  
tion. It inspires disregard for all  
law, and certainly does not permit  
the rearing of the coming genera-  
tion with the right outlook on the  
laws of the land. Perhaps present  
conditions look much better to a  
man reared in saloon days than his  
recollection of the old days, but to  
the generation reared in a dry  
country when dry meant dry,—  
well, times have certainly changed,  
to say the least.

**THE DENVER HIGHWAY**

If The Hesperian had the man-  
agement of things, we'd spend in  
the neighborhood of \$100,000 of the  
people's money—borrowed on the  
good faith of the county—to do  
quite a bit of improvement that is  
sorely needed now on the roads of  
the county. We'd fix up the new  
highway down the Denver for the  
people up and down that line, we'd  
run a good road out from Floydada  
to connect with it at Barwise. Then  
we'd put the road from Floydada to  
the Ralls line in condition to be  
turned over to the state, work out  
a plan that suited the Lakeview  
people on the road to Crosbyton  
and fix that road, work up a sim-  
ilar plan for Dougherty, put in a  
couple of bridges in northeast  
Floyd County that are needed,  
work down a couple of caprock  
roads and then build up the road  
from Floydada to the Briscoe  
County line by way of South Plains  
to give those people a better route  
out and in. Of course, with the  
same appropriation we'd get some  
kind of a satisfactory arrangement  
on widening and straightening the  
right-of-way on Highway 28. As  
the job progressed we might add a  
few things to the plan, but that  
much anyhow.

Fortunately, perhaps, we are not  
running things. People of Floyd  
County—more than a third of them,  
at least, don't want to make the be-  
ginning on Highway 28, and we  
have no reason to believe they  
would give an okay to such a plan  
as we would undertake, as indicat-  
ed above.

Which is why the people on the  
Denver Route are going ahead with  
their plans to create a road district  
of their own and hope to make the  
improvement that will give them an  
outlet northeast and southwest.

**ABOUT BORROWED MONEY**

Borrowing money to pay running  
expenses is bad business, of course,  
but borrowing money to make pub-  
lic improvements is not so bad, in  
fact, its common sense, if we may  
take the practice of Big Business  
as a criterion.

For instance, it is not amiss to  
call attention of the tee-total agin-  
ers to the fact that the power and  
light lines that criss-cross Floyd  
County were put there on borrow-  
ed capital, as were the gas lines,  
the telephone lines, the railroads.  
Big Business does not wait for a  
huge accumulation of cash to make  
their improvements but make them

as conditions demand and will per-  
mit, going out and borrowing money  
(they call it selling bonds) from  
whomsoever they can get to take  
the risk, betting on the future of  
the country.

So, when the natural progress of  
the country demands a new high-  
way or a hard-surfaced road or  
something, it is not bad business to  
make the improvement on borrow-  
ed money. The only good argu-  
ment is one of business expediency.  
In other words, has the time come,  
is now the time to borrow, is the  
improvement demanded by pres-  
ent needs, or will it make greater  
improvement and development pos-  
sible. John D. Rockefeller's com-  
panies borrow tremendous amounts  
of money, although we think of the  
oil king as the man who would  
hardly need to borrow.

**FLOYD'S GROWING CITIES**

Floyd County's cities are growing.  
Floydada and Lockney are seeing  
improved business and residential  
districts with every changing sea-  
son, and now that South Plains,  
Dougherty and Sterley are building  
up they will also have all the con-  
veniences and improvements that go  
with modern times shortly. Indeed,  
they have already more than Lock-  
ney or Floydada had to begin with,  
and will be spared some of the  
struggle the two older cities had to  
contend with in times past.

The thing about the country in  
which we live is that we have only  
begun developing, that we will see  
greater and more far-reaching  
strides toward development during  
the next decade than we saw in  
the past decade. And there is  
room enough and things enough to  
be done, for all of us to keep us  
plentifully busy, all working to-  
gether on matters of common interest  
and not falling out when things  
are to be done that are not exactly  
for the common weal but mean  
much to the individual community.

**SHERMAN—INDUSTRIAL CITY**

To the general run of people over  
Texas, to speak of Sherman is to  
think of a good school town, which,  
according to our information is a  
correct appellation. But there is  
another thing about the town which  
is also true and makes it stand out.

Sherman is an industrial city,  
standing fifth in importance in the  
state of Texas, although its present  
population lacks much of being  
fifth in the state. Probably there  
are a score of cities in Texas larger.  
But Sherman, despite its popu-  
lation figures, its proximity to  
Dallas and other big centers has  
not been content to be "sucked un-  
der" but has hit out to preserve the  
investments its business interests  
have made. Nearly sixty industries  
manufacturing plants, have result-  
ed from this determination. Also,  
less than half a dozen of these in-  
dustries were established by fore-  
ign capital which the Shermanites  
inveigled into spending their money  
there.

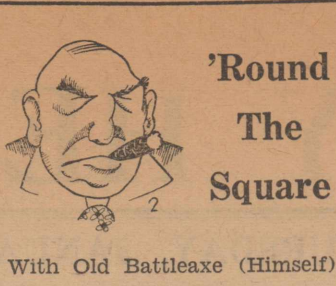
Which fact has its lesson for  
Floydada. If somebody gets some-  
thing done in Floydada the like-  
lihood is that it will be Floydada  
capital principally to do the job.  
At least, for the first score or more  
industrial matters. If we wait for  
the outsiders to come do something  
for us we will be waiting a long  
time. At least, that's according to  
experience for the past fifty years  
in Texas.

Read The Hesperian for the news  
of Floyd County.

**Eats Sauerkraut Now,  
Feels Years Younger**

"Now I eat even sauerkraut and  
sausage and feel fine. Adlerika end-  
ed stomach gas and I feel 10 years  
younger."—Mrs. M. Davis.

Just ONE spoonful Adlerika re-  
lieves gas and that bloated feeling  
so that you can eat and sleep well.  
Acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel  
and removes old waste matter you  
never thought was there. No matter  
what you have tried for your stomach  
and bowels, Adlerika will surprise  
you. Floydada Drug Co.



With Old Battleaxe (Himself)

Sombody wants to know what  
tact is. Well, tact is what keeps  
Old Battleaxe, with his bald head  
and wrinkled face, from reminding  
a youthful looking woman with a  
complexion of a rose that we were  
kids together during school days.

Another example of tact is the  
city council's attitude in keeping  
quiet about that street sweeper that  
we ain't got.

Practically every civic club in  
Floydada has a Boys Committee and  
an outlined Boys Program. Lions  
Clubs, Rotary Clubs, Mothers' Clubs  
and Parent Teachers Clubs, all  
boast of their boys work. Yet Old  
Battleaxe was informed this week  
by a boy scout Master that he had  
never had a word of encourage-  
ment or a visit, official or other-  
wise, from any such clubs or club  
committees. Wonderful co-opera-  
tion the scout officials are receiving  
from the citizens of this city!  
And how!

But because they are not receiv-  
ing co-operation is no reason that  
officials are falling down on the  
job. They are performing a won-  
derful work for the boys in this  
city. Did you know that Floydada  
would soon boast of the first and  
only Eagle Scout in the Central  
Plains Scout Area? To attain such  
a rank, a scout must actually save  
the life of a drowning person, and  
the bestowing of the honor must  
be passed upon by the National  
Council at Washington. Just imag-  
ine, folks, what our boys here could  
do if we would give them some real  
encouragement.

Next week, February 8 to 14, is  
National Boy Scout Anniversary  
Week. Make up your mind now to  
visit the scout meetings and do  
your share.

That guy on California Street  
says that a woman spends a great  
deal of time powdering her nose,  
but the only time a man's nose gets  
any attention is when he has a bad  
cold.

One thing about that court  
house. Even if it is in desperate  
need of paint, it has one (or rather  
four) of those wonder clocks. You  
look at it and wonder what in the  
dickens is the time of day.

Here's some facts compiled by O.  
B. in person last week about that  
court house proposition. "If all of  
the paint that has been put on the  
Court House during the past five  
years were water, and it was wild-  
ly ten thousand times, and Old

Battleaxe was a minnow swimming  
in a one gallon bucket containing  
aforesaid amount of water, the  
Sahara Desert would lose its repu-  
tation for being dry." Now, if you  
don't believe this, just work it out  
on paper, quietly fold the paper and  
mail it to the County Commis-  
sioners. Maybe they can solve it.

Men often boast of their will  
power, but just show us one that  
can stop a sneeze once it gets  
started.

Now, if somebody does not bring  
up the question of which existed  
first, the hen or the egg, we are  
going to sign off for just exactly  
one hundred sixty eight hours.

**FLOYD COUNTY  
14 YEARS AGO**

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

**ISSUE OF FEBRUARY 4, 1915**

The Old "F" Ranch lands be-  
longing to Howard Brothers, and  
consisting of about 150,000 acres of  
land in Floyd, Motley, Briscoe and  
Hall Counties, has been offered  
for sale in large and small tracts to  
settlers. W. M. Massie & Brother,  
are in charge of the land. The land  
was originally purchased by Frank  
Howard, fathers of the present own-  
ers. Many years ago, in the Indian  
and Buffalo days, the "F" Ranch  
was headquarters of Charles Good-  
night. Much of the colorful his-  
tory of the West and its many ro-  
mantic stories is wound around the  
"F" Ranch.

L. C. McDonald, recently moved  
to Floydada from Keyser, W. Va., is  
improving a six-acre tract in the  
southwest portion of town prepara-  
tory to moving his family here with-  
in the next two months.

Mrs. T. M. Cox surprised her sis-  
ter Miss Pauline Bishop, on her  
fifteenth birthday, February 2, by  
having a crowd of jolly school girls  
to come to her home. Those pres-  
ent were: Misses Mamie McPeak,  
Jeanette Steen, Celso Andrews, Ra-  
vanah Morris, Helen Wright, Artie  
Felton and the hostess, Pauline  
Bishop.

The Hesperian \$1.50 per year.

**An Unpleasant Subject**

All of the functions of life are not  
pleasant to consider. Perhaps this is  
why some mothers refuse to think that  
such symptoms as restless sleep, loss of  
flesh, lack of appetite or itching nose  
and fingers in their children, can be  
caused by round or pin worms. Many  
mothers have proven, however, that a  
few doses of White's Cream Vermi-  
fuge, that sure and harmless worm  
expellant, will make these symptoms  
disappear. You can get White's Cream  
Vermifuge for 35 cents per bottle from  
Floydada Drug Co.

**CREAM  
PRODUCERS**

A meeting of the cream producers of  
Floyd County is hereby called at

**Floydada Monday  
Feb. 4, 1 p. m.  
At The Court House**

For the purpose of organizing the

**FLOYD COUNTY DAIRY  
ASSOCIATION**

Through a plan that will be presented  
by competent speakers, we believe we  
can increase the income from the but-  
terfat produced in the county, by get-  
ting our cream sold at a better price.

We want every cream producer in the  
county. If interested, be present at the  
court house in Floydada at 1 p. m., Mon-  
day, February 4.

**Merchants Produce Co., Lockney  
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**Dangerous Business**

Our stomach and digestive systems  
are lined with membrane which is  
delicate, sensitive and easily injured.  
It is dangerous business, then, to use  
medicines containing harsh drugs,  
salts or minerals, when we are con-  
stipated. In addition to the possibility  
of injuring the linings of our digestive  
system, these medicines give only tem-  
porary relief and may prove habit for-  
ming. The safe way to relieve constipation  
is with Herbine, the cathartic that is  
made from herbs, and acts in the way  
nature intended. You can get Herbine at  
FLOYDADA DRUG CO.

**MY GAS BILLS ARE  
TOO HIGH**

VERY OFTEN THEY ARE. We will tell you so and  
tell you why.

YOU ARE PAYING FOR NO MORE GAS THAN  
YOU BURN, but you are burning more than you  
need.

Long, yellow, wavering flames that float along the  
bottom of the utensils indicate the use of too much  
gas.

The United States Bureau of Mines, in a bulletin on  
the correct use of natural gas in the home, describes  
fifteen different ways this fuel is wasted.

All of these are due to faulty apparatus, faulty  
knowledge of how to burn gas, or to carelessness on  
the part of the consumer.

**WEST TEXAS GAS  
COMPANY**

HEADQUARTERS FOR GAS APPLIANCES

**"They Know Their Oil"**

We don't know who originated that  
slang expression, but we rather  
imagine that it started in a filling  
station.

To most people, oil is just oil. It all  
looks about alike. Possibly in the  
test tubes we note a difference in col-  
or, but we don't know whether the  
dark or the light is the better quality.

We drivers of automobiles buy our  
oil on faith, and trust to the integrity  
of the oil man to give us a quality that  
will keep the motor running smooth-  
ly. If we had to learn the technical  
phases of lubricating oil before we  
bought it, most of us would go back  
to the horse and buggy.

It's a wonderful convenience,  
therefore, to have oil and gasoline  
service such as we have here in Floyd-  
ada. The business, generally, has  
been developed to an extremely high  
state of efficiency, and our filling  
stations are up to standard in every  
respect.

Eliminate the filling stations from  
our community and our daily ac-  
tivities would be seriously hampered.  
And there is a distinct sense of se-  
curity in buying oil from a concern  
that has an established reputation  
for honesty and quality products.

*Floyd County Hesperian*

# Dougherty News

(By Miss Lottie Ellison)

## SUNDAY SCHOOL ORGANIZED

A union Sunday School has been organized at Dougherty and is making some progress. Superintendent Allen Peacock of the Baker School was elected superintendent; Mrs. Martin Duvall, secretary. The teachers are: Mrs. C. F. Lincoln, primary; Mrs. Tom Carlton, intermediate; Mrs. W. H. Nelson, adult. The attendance last Sunday was 45.

## BOARD ORGANIZES

The Dougherty School Board organized last week with H. E. Edwards, president and H. D. Bloodworth, secretary. A petition was drawn up and circulated asking for an election to be called for the purpose of voting bonds to the amount of \$28,000, with which to pay off the old indebtedness of the Newland district, and to build a new school house in Dougherty.

## NEW GROCERY

G. C. Brister of Peacock was in Dougherty Monday. He has made arrangements to open a grocery store in this city on the first of the month. This store will be located in the building where the City Drug Store now is. The Drug Store has made arrangements to locate elsewhere. Dougherty regrets the removal of this store.

## M. E. CONFERENCE

The Methodist Conference was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brownlow on the 26th of this month. There were about 25 present besides the members of the family. The building of the Methodist churches at Dougherty and at Lakeview was discussed. The Lakeview church is to be started in the very near future.

## DOUGHERTY PERSONALS

J. M. Brownlow & Son, contractors, are now constructing two modern residences in Dickens. All material is being furnished by the South Plains Lumber Company, at Dougherty. E. S. Foster, Jr., is assisting with this construction. P. H. Thomas of Joe Bailey is beginning a new residence on acreage joining J. A. Hatley's place. Grover Edwards of Joe Bailey has purchased two lots in Dougherty and is beginning work this week for the erection of a new residence on the west side of town.

Burl Holt and Varley Webb spent Sunday in Matador. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ray of McAdoo spent Sunday with Mrs. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brownlow.

Mrs. W. M. Webb has been visiting Mr. Webb's sister Mrs. J. R. Yearwood, of Floydada.

Miss Capp Garner and Luther Jr are now with their mother, Mrs.

Grace Garner. Mrs. Garner has been on the sick list this week, but we are glad to report is some better at this time. Miss Capp and Luther Jr. will enter school at Mayview on next Monday, where they will finish the remainder of this year.

Buck Brownlow came home from Dickens Tuesday afternoon suffering with a case of the flu. Mr. Brownlow is building a new residence in Dickens for Mr. Nickles. Mrs. R. A. McNece is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brownlow.

## Sunset News

Sunset, Jan. 28.—School has been short in attendance the last two weeks. The teachers are hoping the attendance will be better as the "cases of scarlet fever" are getting better.

Brother Nelson, former pastor of the Sunset Baptist Church has resigned and moved away. We regret his going as he has served us well. Little Lee Ray Childress son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Childress died at his home Monday morning.

Misses Eddie Mae Gilliland, Helen Upton and Neva Orman returned to school Monday after spending the week end at home.

Sunset and Sand Hill played a game of basketball Friday. The scores were 25 and 28 in favor of Sunset.

C. L. Knierim and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Childress Sunday.

The Sunset play "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose" will be presented at Baker, Friday, Feb. 8. The cast of characters are: Danie French from the city, Otis Milton; Lester Van Daniel's Chum, Roy Jarnagin; Wade Carver, unwelcome suitor; Eulan Bradshaw; Orphus Jackson, "Native Romeo"; Armon Milton; Uncle Joe George Knierim; Rose O'May, Ruth Childress; Mammy Celia, a black treasure; Lola Knierim, Other characters in the play are Bessie Shearer, Bessie Wood, Geraldine Upton, Ethel Myers, and Pauline Gilliland. There will also be good entertainment between acts.

Armon Milton, Ray Burns, and Pete Edgmon attended the show at Silverton Saturday night.

Pete Gilliland spent Sunday with Orvus Shearer.

Bro. T. P. Nelson has gone to Carlsbad, New Mexico, where he will take up carpenter work. His son, Herschel plans to leave Tuesday to join his father.

Miss Helen Upton who is attending W. B. C. spent the week end with home folks.

## Harmony News

Harmony, Jan. 29.—Mrs. D. T. Scott and daughter, Miss Blanche, left Tuesday evening for Mineral Well where they will spend several weeks for the benefit of Mrs. Scott's health.

Several from this community went to the Negro Minstrel at Floydada Friday night. They gave a very nice program.

Mr. Oldham, of Ft. Worth, state Delco man, was a guest of R. B. Gary and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Clouse returned to their home in California last Thursday after spending two or three months here. Clifford Trowbridge and Ben Letspeich accompanied them back.

Harmony was pretty well represented at Allmon Saturday night and listened to a very fine lecture on the Philippine islands.

Mrs. L. A. Williams spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Dunn near Floydada, who is ill.

Miss Anna Carr is on the sick list this week.

## PROTECTION FORESTS ON PRIVATE LANDS IN FRANCE

In accordance with the provisions of a law enacted April 28, 1923, and known as the Chauveau Law, 28,882 hectares of forest on privately owned land in France has been classified as "protection forest" and put under regulation to protect it from avalanches, erosion, and the encroachment of water and sand. In addition, 24,505 hectares have been listed for classification, making a total of 53,387 hectares. About two-thirds of the total (34,156 hectares) is in the region of the Pyrenees. The law requires the forestry authorities, while making sure that the wooded condition of the land is preserved, to exercise care not to impose on proprietors any measure that will diminish the revenue from the forests and has a provision for indemnities in case of loss to the proprietors. The business has been handled in such a way that so far no proprietor has made application for such indemnity.

## TOAD GOURMANDS FEAST ON INSECTS, STINGERS AND ALL

Toads are commonly creatures that inspire dislike on the part of the beholder. Nevertheless, the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture finds that toads are distinctly useful in fields and gardens and deserve protection. Their usefulness depends on their appetite. They are gourmands, and eat all sorts of insects in great quantities. True it is that they eat some useful insects, but they eat so many more of harmful insects that the balance is much in their favor.

One of the peculiarities of the toad is its habit of eating stinging or poisonous insects and allied creatures as ants, bees, wasps, rose chafers, blisters beetles, millipedes, and poisonous spiders. While they may cause the toad some slight discomfort, the pain evidently is not serious enough to vanquish the toad's appetite. Toads have been known to eat certain plant-eating millipedes, which secrete the highly poisonous hydrocyanic acid.

Of the many kinds of toads living in the various parts of the world today the United States is the home of what is probably the smallest, the oak toad of the Southeastern States, which feeds chiefly on ants. The

Colorado River toad is one of the largest, about 9 inches long, with a mouth large enough to swallow birds, although insects are its principal food.

## GROWING FRUIT AT HOME

"With the exception of citrus, Texas doesn't rank high as a commercial fruit state, but this is no reason why most farmers should not have a small orchard for family use," declares J. F. Rosborough, Horticulturist in the Texas A. & M. College Extension service. "One-half acre planted to fruit trees will supply the average family with plenty of fresh fruit and enough to can for the winter," he adds.

In outlining the essentials for a successful home orchard Mr. Rosborough warns farmers to beware of orchard sites infested with nematodes. "These are small microscopic worms that ruin fruit trees in many parts of the state, and before determining on a site cotton stalks or other host plants of the nematode should be pulled to see if any wart-like lumps are present on the roots. If so, another spot should be selected. The site should also be reasonably near the house, be well drained and a slope to insure good air drainage.

"Fruit trees best adapted for home orchards in Texas are peaches, plums, figs, pecans, and in the extreme south, citrus. Peaches and plums are the most dependable the state over. In buying nursery stock careful inspection should be made to see that diseases are not present, one of the commonest of which is crown gall, usually detected by swelling on the roots.

"A tree should be set in the ground slightly deeper than it was in the nursery row. Too deep or too shallow planting often results in death of the tree. Good sized holes, about 3 feet across and at least 2 feet deep should be dug and filled with water before the tree is set. Planting distances for peaches are from 20 to 30 feet apart, for figs 16 to 20 feet, for pecans 50 to 70 feet and for citrus 25 to 30 feet. The top of the

tree should be cut back severely when setting out so as not to overtax the root system the only exception to this being citrus trees. All branches should be cut off except three or four limbs well spaced alternately around the trunk and these should be cut back to stubs on which are two or three buds."

Clean cultivation and intercropping with legumes is urged by Mr. Rosborough for the young orchard, but intercropping with cotton, he says, is usually injurious.

## SAYS MODERN GIRL IS MISUNDERSTOOD

Fort Worth—"No indeed, the modern girl isn't as bad as she's painted!" emphatically declares Mrs. Sadie Beckman, supervisor of women at Texas Christian University. "Of course," she continued, "we may have to tolerate some things in the girls of today. But it is what they are thinking and doing that counts—and they are doing much more than the girls in my day did."

"The personnel of the girls at T. C. U. is becoming better each year, I have no patience with these persons who say the young people are no good. I'd like to see them accomplish some of the things the younger generation is doing now."

"The modern girl can really take care of herself. I don't have a girl who could not go out into the world alone, get a position, take care of herself and be a gentleman."

"I doubt if many of the girls of other generations could have done these things. Of course there are a few girls who give some trouble—but there were just as many girls like that in the past, and there will be just as many in the future. But taken as a whole the girls of today are finer and are doing more than the girls of 25 and more years ago."

J. H. Hartman, of South Plains, was a business visitor in Floydada one day the latter part of last week.

## RALLS' NEW STYLE SHOP

Mrs. Susie Flanary, who has been in charge of the millinery and ready-to-wear department of the Head-Hargraves Dry Goods Company, will open a ladies' shop in that city tomorrow, according to a news story appearing in last week's Ralls Banner. Her store is located in the First National Bank building there.

## THE STATE OF TEXAS,

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof J. H. Applewhite, Mrs. Mary Applewhite, J. W. Golden, and the heirs and legal representatives of any of said parties deceased, whose residence is unknown, and Tom P. Steen, nonresident 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 4th day of March A. D. 1929 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of January A. D. 1929, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2126, wherein C. W. Mitchell is plaintiff and T. P. Adams, Tom P. Steen, Mrs. Mary Applewhite, J. H. Applewhite and J. W. Golden, and the heirs and legal representatives of Mrs. Mary Applewhite, J. H. Applewhite and J. W. Golden if said parties be deceased are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demands being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff brings suit in trespass to try title to recover of and from defendants title to Lots numbers nine (9) and ten (10) in Block 108 in the town of Floydada (Floyd City) in Floyd County, Texas.

Plaintiff also pleads title by five and ten year statutes of limitation. 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 28 day of January, A. D. 1929. (SEAL) T. P. GUIMARIN, Clerk District Court, Floyd County, Texas. 494tc

"The Whole Town Is Talking."

About What?

SEE

At High School Auditorium

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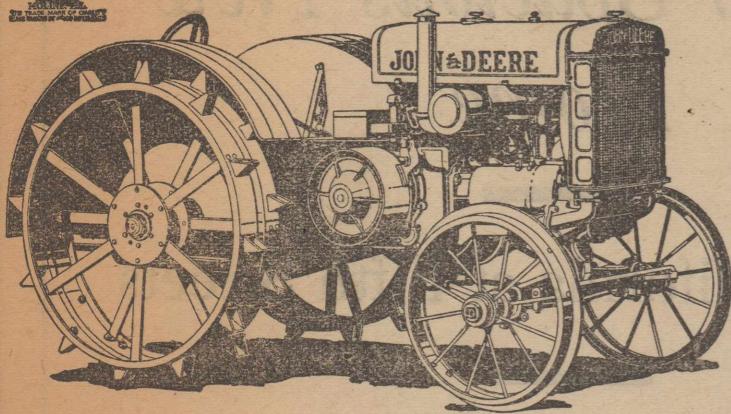
## Round One: Ma Leads With A Right Hook To The Cranium

Pa failed to get Ho-Made Bread.

Ma thinks its better—She knows her bread. She knows our bread has plenty of milk, malt, sugar, salt and yeast to make a well balanced ration. These ingredients are necessary to make good bread. Try it for supper. It satisfies the most particular customers. It will satisfy you.

Birthday cakes, or specialties made to order. Let us plan for you.

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Longer life is assured with this type construction. These 25 superior points stand comparison with any car at any price—The Whippet is the only Low Priced Car Carrying all of the above Specifications.

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# Hesperian Want Ads

Cheapest, Busiest Salesmen In Floyd County

## FOR SALE

OLIVER farming implements at C. Surginer & Son.

SEE those Valentine baskets at Hollums, Floydada Florists. 49cfc

FOR SALE—100 bu. good cotton seed \$1 per bu.; also 1925 Ford touring car, new top, new cushions, or would trade car for two-row P. & O. Lister, cow, cream separator, young mules or coupe. G. I. Dunavant, Route 2, Floydada. 483tp

FOR SALE—At Reduction—\$50 credit on any business course at Lippert's Business College, Plainview. See Mrs. David Battey, Rt. 4, Phone 903F51. 49cfc

COME to C. Surginer and Son for all your hardware needs. North side square.

FOR SALE—Chick brooder, 500 capacity. Oil burner. F. A. Campbell. 482tp

ST. VALENTINE'S Day. — Every thought of this day bespeaks and suggests flowers. 49cfc

FOR SALE—My home on West Mississippi Street, five-room modern stucco. See C. M. Wilson 49cfc.

IF you want trees or any kind of nursery stock, call on Dalmont Nursery 13 miles northwest of Floydada. Route 2, Plainview, Texas. 464tp

Let me take your order for any kind of wind instrument. Orders filled and shipped the day received. Mrs. L. E. Fagan. 482tc

NICE small evergreens suitable for cemetery planting. Hollums, Floydada Florists. 49cfc

FOR SALE—good second hand sewing machine. Mrs. J. B. Houston. 492tp

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14 Inch Tandem	20c
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18 Inch Tandem	30c
20 Inch Tandem	35c
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GET your fruit trees, shade trees, evergreens and shrubbery out this month and next. Hollums, Floydada Florists. 49cfc

ALWAYS on hand, mandolins, guitars, violins and ukuleles, with accessories. New shipment coming all along. Mrs. L. E. Fagan, 316 W. Houston St. 482tc

COME to C. Surginer and Son for all your hardware needs. North side square.

## REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Two nice residences well located, and some choice residence lots. J. U. Borum. 482tc

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. 39cfc

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

FOR SALE—My home on West Mississippi Street, five-room modern stucco. See C. M. Wilson. 49cfc.

CHOICE Building Lots, well located, priced right. Monthly or yearly terms. W. Edd Brown, Owner, Phone 265. 38cfc

FOR TRADE—Nice five room residence for small farm. Julian Roberts. 282tp

FOR bargains in lands and town lots see Arthur B. Duncan, Floydada Texas. 40cfc

## LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—Breeding stock Giant Goldbank Bronze turkeys, finest type, high vitality. Mrs. J. D. Christian, Route 1, Floydada. 42cfc

FEW good milch cows left for sale. Would trade for a good trailer. V. B. Fitch. 482tp

FOR SALE—Few young work mules, also two young mares. One-half mile W. of Floydada. W. H. Hill 482tp

FOR SALE—Three good young mules well broke; also a two room house 12x24. See J. A. or S. D. Bunch, one-half mile southwest of Lakeview. 482tp

## MISCELLANEOUS

THE Spirella Lingerie line is the best made. All garments made to measure. We also have a splendid line of hose at The Thrifty-Nifty Shop. 29cfc

NEW fancy work for spring sewing. Thrifty-Nifty Shop. 481tc

WILL COACH a Limited Number of declaimers both Junior and Senior divisions. Mrs. J. C. Wester. Call 160 W. 491tc

ON Valentine's Day. "Say it with flowers" Hollums, Floydada Florists. 49cfc

IF you need a corset, brassiere-girdle or brassiere, have your measurements taken and be properly fitted in a Spirella at the Thrifty-Nifty Shop. 29cfc

ROOM and board for one or more, front rooms, lights, water and garage, third house west of Presbyterian church. Mrs. T. J. Nance. 49cfc.

FOR SALE—Living room suite, two bedroom suites, dining room suite, piano and other furniture. Phone 165-J C. M. Wilson. 49cfc

## HIGH GRADE COTTON SEED

Carefully selected well Matured from Re-cleaned cotton, which made from 1/4 to 1 1/2 bales per acre; of the Western Wonder variety 40% and better lint, 3/4 to 1 inch staple, germination over 95%. Will mature two weeks earlier than seed grown anywhere in the East or South, free from insects. Price 12 to 48 bushels \$2.25 per bushel. 51 bushels up \$2.00 per bushel, 3 to 9 bushels \$2.50 per bushel, all in new three bushel bags Special prices on car lots. Freight prepaid. Mail orders to Hall County Seed Co., Memphis, Texas. 493tc

FOR SALE—Living room suite, two bedroom suites, dining room suite, piano and other furniture. Phone 165-J C. M. Wilson. 49cfc

WOOD AND KELLY for well drilling and carpenter contracting. Let us drill your well and build your house. 41cfc

TWO year old dormant rose bushes, good varieties, 50 cents each. Climbers, 60 cents. Hollums, Floydada Florists. 49cfc

BRING your hemstitching to the Thrifty Nifty Shop. All work guaranteed. Hemstitching also done in gold and silver thread. 40cfc

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

FOR SALE—Living room suite, two bedroom suites, dining room suite, piano and other furniture. Phone 165-J C. M. Wilson. 49cfc

JUST received a new shipment of Ukeleles, both Hawaiian and banjo style. Mrs. L. E. Fagan. 482tc

PLENTY of strings for your violin, ukelele and guitars. Can save you money. Mrs. L. E. Fagan. 482tc.

TWO year old grape vines, good varieties at 25 cents each. Hollums, Floydada Florists. 49cfc

## WANTS

WANTED—Plain and fancy sewing at my home two blocks north Andrews Ward School. Mrs. C. D. Hart. 464tp.

WOULD like to have some home laundry, ironing or wash. One block west of high school. 484tp

WANTED—Plain or fancy sewing. Mrs. E. Ray Smith, Phone 318J. 464tc.

FOR HAULING or moving of any kind, call 57. C. A. Mullins. 43cfc

## Eggs and Poultry

FOR SALE—Turkeys for breeding stock. Mrs. B. C. Odum, Floydada, Rt. 2. 473tp

GOLDBANK BRONZE TURKEYS A few more good heavy young toms at \$8 and \$10. Mrs. L. C. Wheeler. 497tc.

Bag English White Leghorn baby chicks from hens of 200 to 314 eggs in one year. Chicks 12 1-2 cents up, 15 per cent discount to Feb. 5. Hurry. Free catalog. W. B. Franklin Poultry Ranch, Route 2, Colorado, Texas. 491tp

SETTING EGGS—High Bred White Wyandotte. 75c per setting or \$4 per 100. S. J. Latta, 3 miles east of Floydada, on Matador Highway. 47cfc.

FOR SALE—Young Bronze turkey toms. Phone 298-W. L. H. Dorrell. 493tc.

SETTING EGGS—From yard. Hens rigidly culled for egg production. Cockerels are Star Imperial and choice cockerels. \$3 per hundred in lots of one hundred or more. Eggs from my pen of selected hens and pullets headed by cockerels of M. Johnson's Star Matings, \$6 per hundred. Mrs. David Battey, Rt. 4, Floydada, Phone 903F51. 49cfc.

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Two white pigs, 7 weeks old. Finder please notify Paul and B. Rogers. 482tp

LOST—Federal tire 30x3.5, with rim. Reward for return to L. G. Withers. Phone 270. 482tc

LOST—White bull pup. Trimmed ears and bobbed tail. Reward for return to John Boatman 1 mile south and 1 1/2 east of Pleasant Valley school house. 492tp

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment with oil cook stove and coal heater, close in. No children. Mrs. A. V. Haynes. 491tp

FOR RENT—Three room house, new paper and paint. Nice garden. Close in. See Gamble Land Co. Phone 76. 491tc

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends who through deeds of kindness or words of sympathy tried to comfort our hearts and for the beautiful floral offerings given during the illness and death of our darling baby, little sister and granddaughter. May each look to God for comfort at all times and may his richest blessings rest on each of you. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce King and Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cornelius. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King and other relatives.

## WILSON'S RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson returned to Floydada Friday of last week from Southern California, where they had been visiting since Christmas.

Mr. Wilson said this week they would probably move to California to make their home. Recently he disposed of his photography business here and will also dispose of his other interests here within the next few weeks, according to his present plans.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross visited her sister, Mrs. W. S. Posey, of Lubbock Sunday.

Miss Mabel Mongole, of Clarendon, was a guest of Mrs. James Coiville during the week end.

## HOME THROWN PICNIC

If you just remove the furniture from the dining room, spread the table cloth on the floor, open the windows to admit plenty of insects, and you will have an excellent substitute.—Rushville (Ind.) Republican.

## Floyd County Clubs

### PROVIDENCE CLUB

The Providence club hasn't met in so long some folks think it is dead and are ready to hang black crepe on the door, but let's surprise them by meeting again Feb. 12 at 1:30 o'clock. That is the date Miss Bass is to meet with us and she will have lots of good things to tell us as she always does. Our officers will also be elected on that date. Everyone come and bring someone with you. Let's make this the best club year yet.

### SAND HILL CLUB

Mrs. W. J. Thompson was hostess at the meeting of the Sand Hill Club January 16, the meeting opening at 3 o'clock.

"The Living Room" was the subject for study and discussion during the sessions, Miss Bass giving helpful hints and practical suggestion on the model living room.

"Adequate Diet" is the subject for the February 6 meeting which will be held at the club room.

Let everyone be present and let's try to make the club work grow.

### HARMONY DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Harmony Demonstration club will meet February 6 at the home of Mrs. L. A. Williams. The subject under consideration will be an adequate diet. Miss Bass will give a demonstration on one dish dinners. All members are urged to be present and bring a new member with them.

### Center News

Center, Jan. 28.—We had our coldest night last Thursday night but it only lasted a short time. Saturday and Sunday were warm again.

Mr. Bryant and family are moving from the Fancher place to a farm west of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Gill are to move to Brownfield soon. Wheeler Turner brought a team of horses from W. B. Jordan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jackson have bought a filling station and have moved to Floydada. Earl Sawyer has rented his farm and has moved to it.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bryant have moved to the small home on the Jackson farm.

There is quite a bit of sickness over the county yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Mankin took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gill. Miss Gertrude Lightfoot and brother, Travis, were sick Sunday.

Miss Alma Montgomery was a guest of Miss Bernice Mankin at supper Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Burly Veach, Mrs. C. F. Veach and daughter, Veda, took Sunday night supper with Mr. and Mrs. Gill.

The old members of phone line 918 will begin building a new line next Tuesday.

Mrs. W. B. Crabtree died at the family home last Sunday morning at 1 a. m. She had been in poor health for many years and had alarming sick spells but her last illness began last Sunday when she had an apparent light stroke of paralysis from which she only partially recovered.

She leaves a husband, three sons, Eldridge, Clifton and Leslie who reside in the Fairview community; one daughter, Mrs. Tom Jernigan, who lived on the same farm with her parents. One daughter, Mrs. Harry Young, died ten years ago. There are thirteen grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Grandma Crabtree as we all knew her had lived a devoted christian life since early girlhood and enjoyed nothing better than going to church, though of recent years her hearing had been so bad she could scarcely understand the Preacher's sermon unless he spoke very plainly and loud. She loved her God and longed to go to be with him in the heavenly home.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Monday at the family home, conducted by Rev. R. E. Bost and assisted by Brethren Tubbs, Muncy, Burham, Weathers and O'Brien. Interment was made in the Floydada Cemetery. The floral offering was beautiful. F. C. Harmon had charge.

Weep not friends and relatives for she has not died in truth but has only gone home to glory to await your coming.

Read The Hesperian for the news of Floyd County.

## -Political- Announcements

I am a candidate for the office of Mayor of Floydada and will appreciate your vote and influence in the city election. W. C. HANNA.

As a candidate for the office of City Marshal of Floydada, I will appreciate your vote and influence in the city election. ED. GRIFFIN.

I am a candidate for re-election as City Secretary of Floydada and will appreciate your vote and influence. BURL BEDFORD.

Your vote and influence will be appreciated in my race for the office of Mayor of Floydada in the city election April 2, 1929. L. B. MAXEY.

As a candidate for City Secretary of Floydada in the election April 2 I will appreciate your vote and influence. JOHN E. (Maj.) HORTON

I will appreciate your vote and influence in my race for city marshal of Floydada in the election April 2. R. D. (Bob) Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stephens of Midland left Tuesday after a visit here with his mother Mrs. M. F. Stephens and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Stephens were former residents of Floydada.

Mrs. E. P. Nelson left Sunday for Dallas where she will buy spring and summer hats for the Hat Shop. Reverend and Mrs. W. H. Strong of Lockney spent Saturday night in the Will Snell home.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Linder and children returned home Sunday from Lubbock, where their son, George Fry underwent a sinus operation in a Lubbock hospital Thursday.

WE SOLICIT YOUR

# February Grocery and Market Business

Upon a basis of QUALITY, PRICE and SERVICE.

You are assured of the highest quality groceries, bought fresh and kept fresh, when you trade with us.

Our market department is strictly SANITARY, Modern and our meats are always tender and fresh.

Our quick delivery service and "Come-Again" smile are sure to please you.

WE BELIEVE THAT YOU WILL SAVE MONEY TO TRADE WITH US DURING FEBRUARY

# Felton-Collins Grocery Company

PHONE 27

# We Are Moving This Week

To Our Spacious New Home

Corner California at Fifth Streets

Watch For Our Opening Date Soon

# Martin Dry Goods Company

"The Store With The Goods"

### Would Validate Titles Of Texas Land Owners

A. M. Bourland Makes Tour of West Texas Favoring Conservation Law.

Stamford—(WTCC) During the past week, President A. M. Bourland of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, accompanied by E. H. Whitehead, Publicity Manager, has made a tour of West Texas towns in behalf of the Small and Woodward Bills now pending in the State Legislature.

Mr. Bourland declares the Small Bill which has to do with land title validation is one of the most important pieces of legislation to confront the people of Texas for the last half century. Many Texans who for forty years have thought themselves secure in the titles to their land, have recently discovered that when the old time land maps and surveys are checked by modern instruments that errors are found which make vacant strips in the middle of many of the best farms and ranches in the state. Because of recent oil development in West Texas this land has been very alluring to land grabbers.

Under the old laws a navigable stream is any creek that is 30 feet wide, even if it is dry all year through. The beds of these streams revert back to the state if the land becomes valuable, as in case of oil discovery.

The Small Bill seeks to validate titles held by the present owners, or to give the adjacent property owners prior right to purchase the "vacant" land.

The Woodward Bill would give

the use of water in Texas streams for domestic and irrigation uses to municipalities prior to power companies for hydro-electric power, and other uses. The fight against power companies using the water in Texas when it was needed for drinking and other domestic purposes has engaged the West Texas chamber for over a year. Of several Bills in the Legislature now the Woodward Bill gives the most protection, according to Mr. Bourland.

### What's Doing In West Texas Today

(By West Texas Chamber of Commerce)

One of the major projects of the Rock Springs vocational agriculture class is the construction of kid shelter boxes for ranchmen. This is done with no expense to the ranchmen provided they supply the desired amount of material.

The building of the new modern two-story brick Masonic hall at Ralls is under way, the corner stone having been laid recently. The building is to cost \$20,000, the upper story to be used exclusively for lodge activities and to include lodge rooms, banquet rooms, kitchenette, and modern conveniences.

Guy Powell is the new Wise county County Agent according to the Decatur News. He has had practical and college experience in every department of farm and rural life, having graduated from A. & M. He was manager of the first cow testing association organized in Texas.

A swimming pool to cost approximately \$20,000, is one of the objectives of the Kerville Chamber of Commerce. Visiting engineers assure the city of a supply of water that will be as pure as drinking water. This will be the initial step in the building of a large recreation center.

The work of remodeling and enlarging the showroom for the Morgan Chevrolet Company at Olney has just about been completed, and the new arrangement will more than double the floor space. A hundred foot frontage completely enclosed in plate glass is one of the features of the building.

A \$75,000 school building program is now under way at Stamford, and will be completed by March 1. A Manual Training building, a Home Economics department, a new elementary school, and a keepers cottage are being erected on the campus. An addition is also being built on the high school.

Work is to start on road paving in Fabens according to County Judge E. B. McClinton and County Engineer Fred Wilson. The paving will extend from below the Fabens Compress through town, and to the Hansen road on the Island.

Because there were no destructive fires last year Moran was granted a 3 percent reduction in fire insurance key rate the first of the year. Moran also has a fire marshal and an active fire department.

### MOVES TO HALE CENTER

W. T. Rogers and family who have made their home west of Floydada three miles for a number of years, last week moved to Hale Center, where they have bought a farm from Mrs. A. J. Welch of this city. Their new farm is located about four miles west of Hale Center and consists of 160 acres.

In the trade with Mr. Rogers, Mrs. Welch obtained the 225-acre Rogers farm here.

### Father Sends Grapefruit

Eighteen large pink grapefruit were received recently by Mrs. John L. West and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCarty, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murf from their father and grandfather J. F. McCarty of Rio Hondo, Texas. The fruit is of very fine variety and a cross between an orange and a grapefruit.

Mr. McCarty has been ill for some time but is able to be up now.

C. R. Houston and Mrs. H. O. Pope left Sunday for Dallas where they will make spring purchases for the C. R. Houston Dry Goods.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain order issued out of the Honorable District Court of Floyd County, on the 3rd day of January 1929, by T. P. Guilmartin Clerk of said Court for the sum of Two Thousand, seven hundred, forty-four and 63/100 (\$2,744.63) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of J. L. Donsett in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2034 and styled J. L. Donsett vs. E. C. Brown, placed in my hands for service, I, P. G. Stegall as Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of January 1929, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Number eighty two (82) in block D 2, Certificate No. 626, issued to T. T. Ry. Co., in Floyd County, Texas, as such lien existed on the 3rd day of January 1924, against both defendants, E. C. Brown and Delia Fay Brown, and levied upon as the property of E. C. Brown and Delia Fay Brown and that on the first Tuesday in February 1929, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Court House door of Floyd County, in the town of Floydada, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., by virtue of said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said E. C. Brown and Delia Fay Brown.

a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said E. C. Brown and Delia Fay Brown.

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

Witness my hand, this 4th day of January 1929. P. G. STEGALL, Sheriff, Floyd County, Texas.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY

The State of Texas, County of Floyd

Notice is hereby given that The Commissioners Court of Floyd County, will consider sealed bids for County Depository and Depository for County and County School Funds on February 11th at 10 a. m. 1929, and shall be for two years from February 11, 1929 to second Monday in February, 1931.

All bids shall be deposited with the County Judge of said County not later than 10 o'clock a. m. February 11th, and shall state the amount of interest said bidder proposes to pay on daily average balances monthly, on the first day of each month, for the previous month.

All funds to be secured by Pledge Contract as provided by House Bill No. 517, as passed by the Fortieth Legislature at the Regular Session. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 17th day of Jan. 1929. (Seal) Wm. McGEHEE, County Judge, Floyd County, Texas. 474tc

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Floyd County, Texas, by the clerk thereof on the 2nd day of January 1929 upon a judgment in favor of Guy Jacob and Mrs. Sallie B. Slaton against A. H. McGavock and others, commanding me to seize and sell the real-estate hereinafter described, I, P. G. Stegall, Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did on the 3rd day of January 1929 levy on said real-estate which is described as all of the South one-half of Section Number 11, Block D-2, in Floyd County, Texas, and that I will on the first Tuesday in February 1929, same being the fifth day of February 1929, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. proceed to sell the above described land at the Court House door in Floyd County, Texas, at Floydada, to the highest bidder for cash as I am commanded in said Order of Sale.

WITNESS my hand this 3rd day of January 1929. P. G. STEGALL, Sheriff, Floyd County, Texas. 484tc

### Over a Billion Deadly Germs in a Single Drop of Water

Germs are so small that there may be as many as one billion, seven hundred million of them in a drop of water. And just a few of these tiny germs, if they get into your blood through a cut in your skin, may make you so sick you will be in bed for weeks—may cause the loss of a limb through blood poisoning—may even infect you with that most dreadful and fatal of diseases, lockjaw.

Just because you can see no dirt in a cut does not mean that it is clean. You cannot see germs. The only safe and sane thing to do, is to thoroughly wash every cut, no matter how small, with Liquid Borozone, to kill the germs, and then dust it with Borozone Powder, to hasten the healing. Liquid Borozone costs 30 cents, 60 cents, \$1.20 and \$1.50; Borozone Powder, 30 cents and 60 cents, and can be had at Floydada Drug Co.

### Suffered 15 Years; Then Found Sargon

New Treatment Did Him More Good Than Trip to Hot Springs Says Texas Man.

"For fifteen years I suffered from a complication of troubles that I believe started with an inactive liver. I was weak, nervous and generally rundown. I frequently had sharp, shooting pains in my side. My sleep was poor and I lost weight, strength and energy. Nearly everything I ate caused indigestion. I took a trip to Hot Springs, but got no relief there, and then I visited several health resorts in the North seemingly without benefit.

"A friend of mine told me about the fine results he had gotten from Sargon and Sargon Soft Mass Pills, so I bought a bottle. I could see a difference for the better from the first few doses. I began to sleep better and to eat anything I wanted.

"I now feel like a new man. My appetite is fine. The pains in my side have disappeared. I am not the least bit nervous, and am full of new energy. I have gained weight and my friends are all commenting upon my wonderful improvement.

"Sargon Soft Mass Pills are wonderful. They ended my constipation and biliousness without griping in the least.

### Better Than Whiskey for Colds and Flu

To cut short a cold, cough or the flu and prevent complications, nothing gives such quick and delightful relief as Aspirinal, the new, scientific "Liquid Cold Remedy" that clears the head; relieves congestion in the nose and throat; checks the excessive flow of mucus; banishes dull headaches and that chilly, achy feeling.

Aspirinal is a complete Liquid Cold Remedy, acting gently on the liver and bowels, and your druggist is authorized to refund your money while you wait at the counter if you do not feel relief coming in two minutes. Aspirinal is sold by all druggists. Price 60c.

### FOR A LIMITED TIME

we are taking members in Floyd County Mutual Insurance Co., for \$3.00 for one member or \$5.00 for two of same family.

Floyd County Mutual Insurance Company  
T. C. Russell, Sec.

tion and biliousness without griping in the least. "I wouldn't be without Sargon if it cost twenty dollars a bottle."

The above remarkable statement was made by A. J. Mason, residing

at the Colonial Hotel, Ft. Worth and owner of considerable property, in that city.

Sargon may be obtained in Floydada from Floydada Drug Co., and in Lockney from Stewart Drug Co.

## DOUGHERTY REAL ESTATE

Town or Farm Loans and Insurance IF INTERESTED IN EITHER OF THESE

SEE OR WRITE

Mrs. Martin Duvall  
Dougherty, Texas



## Protect Your Property

by inclosing it with the kind of fence that would be a credit to any farm owner.

The progressive farmer is sure to have a good fence around his property because he recognizes its many values. It means that he is free from the problems of property encroachments, boundary disputes and many others. Save yourself these embarrassments by inclosing your property with the kind of fencing that has a reputation for giving years of satisfactory service.

## Higginbotham-Bartlett Company

"Everything to Build Anything"

# The New Spring Footwear

With "Springy" Steps

There's spring in the air—and there will be spring in your step, too, the instant you walk out with a pair of our comfort oxfords. While ease is important we also want to emphasize the style features so noticeable in two groups.

Men's Shoes and Oxfords  
\$3.95 to \$11.00  
C. R. HOUSTON CO.

ON THE WINGS OF SPRING

Colors for those who like a dash of it to complete the ensemble, and subdued tones for those of conservative tastes—truly a complete Spring selection awaits you here!

C. R. HOUSTON CO.

Moving, Draying, Packing, Etc. Brick Storage Building. Located North Main Street.

## PITTS TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.

EXPRESS AND FREIGHT

### Truck Line to Plainview

We crate and ship to your order. Telephone Nos. 207 and 138

## SUDDEN SERVICE

## An Introduction --

In announcing our purchase of the F. F. F. Service Station, we would like to outline to you the three principals upon which we wish to serve this territory.

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# 44,000 ACRES LAND IN OKLAHOMA STRIP

Surveying Mistake in 1859 May Bring Trouble to a Thousand Home Owners.

(From The Dallas Morning News) Higgins, Texas, Jan. 26.—The 100th meridian that forms the northeastern Panhandle boundary line of Texas has been found at last, but with its finding may come trouble to a thousand home owners who are situated along it.

These families now find themselves in Texas instead of Oklahoma, and they are without legal title to the more than 40,000 acres of land they occupy in the strip 132 miles long, extending from the extreme northeast corner of the Texas Panhandle to the southeastern corner where the Red River begins its task of forming the boundary between the two states.

**New County Probable**  
At the same time Texas may find it necessary to create a new county of the narrow strip of land because legal bounds of the present counties of the Panhandle preclude their extension. All that is what the Supreme Court of the United States did when it sent new surveyors into Oklahoma to survey it and properly to determine the exact line of the 100th meridian. It wasn't the fault of the Supreme Court, however, because Texas as a State had filed a suit to determine the exact location of the 100th meridian, as a retaliation of the famous Red River suit of the State of Oklahoma.

The dispute over the Texas-Oklahoma east-west boundary has been one of long standing. It started back in 1859 when the first survey was made. At that time a party under the direction of A. H. Brown and H. M. C. Jones went into the field to establish the eastern boundary line of Texas. The survey was begun at the north fork of the Red River and carried north, supposedly to the extreme northeast corner of the Panhandle, with the final work by John Clark in 1860. He is said to have placed

four markers on the twenty-three mile north of the Canadian River, which splits the Panhandle. In later years they could not be found.

**Panhandle Divided**  
In 1876 the Panhandle, being without subdivision, was ordered by the State Legislature to be split into counties. A man named Darling was employed to make another survey along the 100th meridian. He picked up the 107 milepost, which is on the south bank of the Canadian River, but from that point he declared he could find no northern markers.

He surveyed out the remaining twenty-five miles and set a monument at the northeast corner, which later was said to vary some from the actual corner. This was attributed by old timers to his failure to properly set his watch before leaving Kansas City and a result of his astronomical observations, thereby throwing the surveyed line of the 100th meridian off slightly. The Panhandle was subdivided, however, and markers of the 100th meridian used as corners for nearly a dozen counties. Attorneys now declare that the boundaries of these counties having been set by an act of the Legislature and established by engineers tax on the additional land gained by the State in moving the 100th meridian line a few hundred feet east, can not be claimed.

**Technically Trespassers**  
Meanwhile the occupants of the strip, mostly persons who settled on the land as homesteaders, acquiring it from the State of Oklahoma as such, are living in Texas, but are actually trespassing upon land which they have a deed for and have improved. That is because the land was acquired from Oklahoma, though it was not Oklahoma's right to impart. Since the statute of limitation does not run against the Government, only an act of the Legislature can save them.

Such legislation was attempted

at the last session of the Texas lawmakers, but was defeated. It is to be brought up at this session of the Legislature, in hopes of giving some relief. Senator Morris Sheppard also has announced that he will present the matter to Congress in the event Texas refuses to pass title.

The fight in Texas to have the Texas Legislature come to the aid of the more than 1,000 new residents of Texas in its recently acquired 'Oklahoma strip' has been carried on under the leadership of C. E. Gray, 71-year-old original claim holder of the town of Higgins. Gray settled the present township forty-two years ago. Its limits now are bounded by the old Texas border. A half mile east is the new boundary line of the State, which was until the recent Supreme Court decision, a part of Oklahoma.

At that time Gray acquired two sections of land in Lipscomb County. One was a patent section. The other he bought. He came here because he had information the Santa Fe was extending west. A year after it came almost through the center of his holdings. He made a good profit and bought more land until he now has almost eleven sections of the rolling plains of Lipscomb County, but only about 100 acres of it is in the strip.

**Surveying Difficulties**  
Most of the strip owners are affected in the same way. Many of them, however, have their homes on the strip property and it will be hard for any bunch of lawmakers to take these homes, settled on during the last forty years, away from the present occupants.

Government engineers during the last year while surveying to actually establish the new line found that this would be true. They were confronted at almost every turn with questions from homesteaders. To the best of their knowledge the surveyors told the settlers that the only difference would be that taxes would now be paid in Texas instead of Oklahoma. Eventually that plan may be worked out.

These surveyors, however, found that their task was a very difficult one. It was necessary to place concrete markers representing each mile along the 100th meridian, as well as other markers to indicate the additional footage, or probably minus line. These lines had to be run over creeks, rivers and mountains, as well as the wide plains country of the Panhandle.

At times it was found impossible to work with the instruments in the daytime because of inability to see from one distant point to another in the unusual atmospheric conditions. When this was encountered at various places the geodetic survey would be abandoned and the astronomical survey made. In doing this it was necessary in many places to erect high towers where at night artificial lights could be placed on them and that light seen for miles. Many of these towers are still standing.

In this way the 100th meridian was finally carried to the famous 36-30 line and a monument placed there, as being the northeastern corner of the Texas Panhandle, but not the northwestern corner of Oklahoma, because that State extends, by a narrow strip, entirely across the top of Texas.

The strip now in Texas extends south from the 36-30 line, forming the boundary between Beaver, Lipscomb, Hemphill, Wheeler, Collins, Comanche and Childress Counties in Texas, and Harper, Ellis, Beckham and Harmon Counties in Oklahoma. Higgins is the only town, however, along the border line, and while it is not within the strip, it is at the very edge and is one of the most vitally interested of any of the places along the entire line.

### SACRED COW IN TEXAS

Down in the Gulf Coast country of Texas the visitor is surprised to find that the herds of beef cattle are becoming slightly humpbacked. Inquiry develops the fact that the good Longhorns, and even more reliable Shorthorns, are being mixed in a new breed with the "sacred cows of India."

According to W. H. Black, Federal agricultural expert, the humped cattle, Brahmans, have, because of the peculiar oily quality of their skins, provided the long-sought solution to the cattle tick problem. And not only do they defy the tick successfully, but a mixture of their blood with the native breeds produces a harder beef animal.

The first important importation of the Indian cattle was made in 1806 when forty-six bulls were brought over by a Pierce (Texas) rancher. Already the cross-breed has spread along the Gulf Coast as far as Florida and has moved northward into Oklahoma and Kansas.

Oddly enough, these cattle which are helping to solve the American beef problem were never used for beef purposes by the Hindus, but only for milk, as work animals and for ceremonials.

It was unlawful in some sections to slaughter them. The cow was always a prominent wedding guest, and upon the death of a relative the wealthy classes would present their best white bull as an offering to the Deity. A calf so presented was branded with the emblem of the god and had all the privileges of humanity. They wandered where they pleased and were not molested, but rather protected and fed. Even today the Hindus have their sacred bulls and in many sections state vehicles are drawn by white oxen.—Farm Journal.

J. R. Brewer, of Electra, is spending the week here on business.

### MOST MILDEW STAINS ARE DIFFICULT TO REMOVE

Mildew has been a serious problem in some parts of the country this year, owing to long stretches of damp weather, in which these species of molds flourish. Mildew attacks the surface of fabrics, paper, leather, and wood, and if allowed to continue it will penetrate into the fibers of these materials, leaving a blackish stain that is practically impossible to remove. Textile fibres may be considerably weakened by mildew, and such articles as kid gloves and book bindings are ruined in appearance. Mildew will attack clothing hanging in closets or stored in trunks, if the surrounding atmosphere is damp and may sometimes appear overnight on shoes, leather bags, chairs, books, upholstery, and even the walls of houses.

Such fabrics as white cotton and linen, that will stand bleaching agents, can sometimes be treated to remove mildew stains if they are fresh. Sour milk, lemon juice, Javelle water, potassium permanganate, and oxalic acid are some of the bleaching agents recommended. Long sunning is a part of some treatments. The method of applying any of these substances is described in a bulletin on stain removal which may be had free upon application to the United States Department of Agriculture. Most of these agents can not be used on silk or wool.

If the mildew has penetrated the fiber of the fabric virtually nothing can be done to remove the stain. Mildew on leather may be wiped off with a moist cloth, after which the article should be washed with a moist sponge and saddle soap and well dried, unless water shoes having an enamel or varnish finish are less susceptible to mildew. No practical mildew-proofing treatment for wearing apparel is generally available.

Protection from mildew is best afforded by having a dry atmosphere where susceptible articles are stored. The attic is better than the cellar for articles not in immediate use, because the air in it is drier. Where mildew is prevalent, the atmosphere inside closets may be dried off to some extent by keeping a pail of unslaked lime in the closet, replacing it as soon as it becomes slaked. The door of the closet should be snug and tight when closed.

A mildew wall paper is likely to spread mildew through to any fresh layer of paper that is put over it, especially since wall papers are put on the walls with a starchy paste. A method that has been suggested for removing mold spots is to apply with a soft sponge a solution of one part salicylic acid in four parts alcohol. If this fails to remove the spots satisfactorily, the old paper should be removed and the walls repapered in dry weather.

Good ventilation and plenty of sunlight will help materially to prevent the development of mildew.

### PLANTED A FOREST

During the last fifteen years Thomas C. Luther, champion planter of the American Tree Association, has planted 8,000,000 trees in Saratoga County, New York. What was formerly a scarred and deforested area, victimized by ruthless lumber cutters, is now well on its way toward being the greatest private forest in the country.

"For every tree planted in the United States," says Mr. Luther, "four are cut down. And for every four trees cut down in Europe, twelve are planted. We are faced by different problems, of course, but nevertheless the figures are instructive. It is my ambition to spread the doctrine of practical forestry in the United States, and by practical forestry I simply mean selective cutting and conscientious replanting."

With a Thomas Luther in every State, the noble theory of conservation would come dangerously near getting a practical trial.—Century Magazine.

### PROGRAM FOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SUNDAY EVENING

At the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.  
Leader, Miss Mary Emma Rossou.  
Topic, Christ and Youth, Matt. 10:16-42.  
Jesus and His Own Time, Mrs. Kenneth Bain.  
The World's Needs, Miss Mildred Teeple.

The Reason Why Jesus Challenges Youth, John H. Carpenter.  
What Specific tasks await the Christian young people of today, Miss Dorothy Daniels.  
Prayer.

### SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Bread, two loaves for	15c
Bread, two loaves for	20c
Onions, per bunch	10c
Lettuce, per bunch	10c
Mustard, per bunch	10c
Celery, per bunch	10c
Turnips with greens, per bunch	10c
Cabbage, per lb.	5c
45 lb. sack flour, for	\$1.65
24 lb. sack meal, for	65c
Good Broom, 5 stran, weighs 2 lbs. and 2 oz., for	50c
Sweet Potatoes, per lb.	6c
Irish Potatoes, 10 lbs.	15c
Fresh Irish Potatoes, per lb.	6c
Fresh Meat and Sausage	
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### GAS, STEAM, ELECTRIC PLANTS MAY BE NEXT UTILITY DEVELOPMENT

The combining of gas, steam and electrical production in single plants where coal will be completely processed, the development of a gas-fired turbine for the generation of electricity which may make possible the locating of future combination utility plants at the coal source or mine mouth, and the erection and operation of all plant apparatus out of doors, thus eliminating heavy investment costs, constitute some of the revolutionary changes of an engineering character scheduled to come in the public utility industry.

This statement was made at the convention of the American Gas Association at Atlantic City, by Walter C. Beckjord, of New York, vice president of the American Light and Traction Company, in an address in which he stressed the necessity of reducing investment costs in utility plants and manufacturing processes.

"Engineers in the utility industry are devoting their energies in planning for future plants which will reduce the ratio of investment cost to gross earnings," he said. "Out of this planning and research are sure to come some startling changes in fuel utilization and production of energy. For example, the combination gas-electric steam plant is almost an actuality. In this plant, the gas, after being stripped of its tar, would be sent through pipes to domestic and industrial consumers. The resultant coke would be conveyed to the boiler room for the production of steam to be used for making electricity, or would be sold in the open markets."

"More revolutionary than this, however, is the effect that the development of a gas-fired turbine of from 35 to 45 percent thermal efficiency would have on the future locations of these combination plants. One of the chief difficulties in the proposition to locate electrical generating plants at the mine mouth is the scarcity of condensing water usually found in such locations. Water is required in the ratio of about 800 tons per ton of coal. In the gas generating stations this is not true, the quantity of water required being relatively small. The development of a gas-fired turbine, therefore, might solve the whole question. Such a turbine might easily double the thermal efficiency of the average electric plant and would enable your combination plant of the future, located at the mine mouth, to use gas for the generation of electricity, thus eliminating the necessity of large quantities of water."

Rapid strides are being made toward the erection and operation of gas and electric manufacturing plants out of doors, Mr. Beckjord declared.

"Boilers, water gas sets and coke oven plants are being installed without buildings or other shelter," he said. "The electric manufacturing plants are developing hydrogen cooled apparatus such as motor generators, frequency changes and condensers which can be installed out of doors at reduced investment costs. Substantial savings in installation of holders, purifiers and coke oven plants."

### Two Thorough Examinations For Every Pupil.

As part of the medical service in schools of Toronto, Canada, each pupil has two complete physical examinations during the course of his school life. The first examination is made during the "junior first" year and is for the detection of

physical defects; and the second, made during the "junior first" year, is to ascertain to what extent the defects previously found have been corrected, if other defects have developed, and for the purpose of vocational guidance. Such examinations are considered the most valuable means of health teaching given by the schools to parents and children. Each morning from 12 to 14 children are examined by the medical officer of the school, assisted by the school nurse. Parents are notified several days in advance of the examination and are requested to be present. The child is weighed and measured, his sight tested, and he is subjected to a thorough physical examination. Comments are freely made as the examination proceeds, and if defects are found they are

explained to the mother and she is told the probable cause and what she should do to correct them. After it is all over the parent receives a card, signed by the principal of the school, emphasizing the importance of early correction of defects by the family physician or, if necessary, at the school clinic. The examination offers an opportunity to encourage mothers to bring the younger children to the school for examination, and at least one afternoon a week is set aside for the examination of children of preschool age. During one year complete physical examinations were given to 21,340 children and special examinations to 5,143.—School Life.

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Swift's Jewel or Vegetable Compound, 8 lb. pail,	\$1.24	Dried Peaches, Good Quality, 5 Pounds,	55c
Imperial Cane Sugar, 25 pound cloth sack,	\$1.64	Dried Prunes Good Quality, 5 pounds,	45c
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**Society & Clubs**

**Wilson-Beedy Wedding  
At Home of Bride.**

A quiet home wedding was solemnized at 9 o'clock, Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. W. B. Wilson, when her daughter, Miss Winnie and Mr. William D. Beedy, both of the Fairview community were united in marriage. The Rev. Joe Wilson, Pastor of First Baptist Church of Idalou, and an uncle of the bride, officiated at the ceremony. The home was decorated with cut flowers, Carnations, tube roses, and primroses with ferns, furnished a pretty background for the bridal altar. Mrs. Beedy finished Floydada High School with the class of '25. Later she graduated from Wayland Baptist College and taught in the Public School at Knox City the first term of this year. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Beedy, and is a graduate of Floydada High School. He is now associated with his father in farming. Immediately after the ceremony, refreshments were served to the following friends and relatives: Rev. and Mrs. Joe Wilson and son, Joe Earl, of Idalou; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Beedy, parents of the groom; Mrs. W. B. Wilson, mother of the bride; Walton, Randolph, Woodrow and Edna Beth Wilson, brothers and sister of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Randolph, grandparents of the bride; Mr. Albert Randolph and Miss Anna Austin. After a short trip to Clarendon and other points, Mr. and Mrs. Beedy will return to Fairview to make their home.

**Annual Legion Party  
Tuesday Evening.**

McDermott Post of the American Legion were hosts Tuesday evening at their annual get-together and party for their members, associate members and Auxiliary members, at the Legion home. Tables were arranged for forty-two, bridge and other games. They were assisted in entertaining by members of the auxiliary. In forty-two Mrs. E. S. Randerson got high score for the ladies and L. T. Bishop got high score for the men. Mrs. Roy Snodgrass and J. C. Gilliam were winners of high score in the games of bridge. Little Misses Jack Thurmon and Folia Randerson assisted in serving refreshments. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames J. E. Horton, J. H. Reagan, J. R. Dickey, Jack Henry, J. E. Dickey, Robert McGuire, J. C. Gilliam, W. L. Fry, Bob Garrett, A. B. Keim, Roy Snodgrass, T. P. Collins, Frank Boerner, H. R. Stanley, C. H. Davis, L. T. Bishop, S. E. Thurmon, E. S. Randerson, Leon Collins and P. G. Stegall; Mrs. George A. Linder; Misses Adele Black, Ruth Collins, Vivian Stegall, Folia Randerson and Jack Thurmon; Messrs. W. H. Henderson, N. D. Payne, J. D. Porterfield, J. C. Wester, John Maxwell, A. J. Folley, Tom M. Goslee and J. D. Colville.

**M. E. Society Meeting  
At Church Monday.**

Mrs. W. W. Porter conducted a

very interesting mission study at the meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church. Mesdames G. R. May, John L. West and G. T. Palmer assisted in the program. The mission study book will be completed at the meeting Monday afternoon and a business session will be had in addition.

**Camp Fire Group Holds  
Regular Meeting.**

Watcheloven Group of the Camp Fire Girls met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. G. F. Klebold. A business session was had and several Camp Fire songs were memorized. Plans were made for a hike at the next meeting. The group will meet at the home of Mrs. Klebold Tuesday afternoon, February 5, at 4 o'clock.

**Friendship Club Members  
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. McGuire.**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire entertained the Friendship Bridge Club at their home last Friday evening with four tables of bridge. Mrs. A. B. Keim and C. H. Davis held high score at the conclusion of the games. The hostess served osogood pie, coffee, and mints to Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmon Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Kight Dickey and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins. The club will meet next at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Thagard.

**Ladies Aid Met Monday  
With Mrs. Sparks.**

Mrs. Edd Sparks was hostess to the Ladies Aid of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church when a meeting was held Monday afternoon and the time was spent in sewing for the benefit of the society. Refreshments were served and the hostess was assisted by Mrs. John McCleskey.

**Mrs. Jerry Morrow Hostess  
To K. K. Klub.**

Mrs. Jerry Morrow entertained the K. K. Ks with three tables of bridge at her home Friday afternoon. Mrs. A. N. Bratton won high score for visitors and Mrs. J. I. Hammond for members and Mrs. R. Fred Brown the cut. A two course luncheon was served to the following members and guests: Mrs. C. Surginer, Mrs. Luther Fry, Mrs. A. N. Bratton, Mrs. Jack Henry, Miss Mabel Willis, Mrs. W. D. Johnson, Mrs. Ray Dickey, Mrs. J. I. Hammonds, Mrs. W. H. Hilton, Mrs. R. Fred Brown and the hostesses.

The club will meet Friday afternoon February 8 at 2:30 with Mrs. R. Fred Brown.

**Tingata Camp Fire Girls  
Met Tuesday.**

The Tingata Camp Fire group held a meeting Tuesday afternoon at the High School auditorium. A business meeting preceded the program. A hike was planned for the next meeting and a bird study will be made at that time. Plans were

**Social Calendar**

Watcheloven Camp Fire Group will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. F. Klebold. From there they will go on a hike.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church for a mission lesson and business session.

1922 Study Club meets Thursday afternoon, February 7, with Mrs. J. U. Borum as hostess. Mrs. J. B. Jenkins will lead the program on "Modern Inventions."

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church.

East Ward P. T. A. will meet Friday afternoon, February 1, at 3:15. A program has been arranged for the meeting.

made for a Valentine party on Friday night before Valentine. Prospective members will be invited to the party.

Those present were: Elizabeth Daniels, Dorothy Scott, Venitta Borum, Mary Alice Summerville, Virginia McClung, Juanita Hand, Selma Linder, Gessell Stovall, Blanch Hilton, Faye Spickard, Edna Riles, Faye Newell a visitor. The girls will meet again Tuesday afternoon for a hike.

**Program For East Ward  
P. T. A. Meeting.**

P. T. A. Program for East Ward Friday afternoon, February 1, at 3:15:  
Subject—"Humane Education."  
Piano Solo.  
"Value of Humane Education"—W. C. Boren.  
Reading—J. T. Howard, Jr.  
"The Parents' Influence"—Mrs. John L. West.  
Music—East Ward Primary Orchestra.  
"The Teacher's Responsibility"—Inez Bolding.  
Music—By Orchestra.  
Awarding of prize to room with most mothers present.

**Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carlton  
Honored With Shower.**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carlton who were recently married were honored at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Scott Saturday evening with Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Joe R. Evers as hostesses. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

**Baptist Circles Held  
Meetings Monday.**

North Circle of the Baptist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. L. Cannaday. Mrs. W. F. Weatherbee led the devotional, and Mrs. C. Foster conducted the Bible study. Ten members were present.

South Circle met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Ozro Stevens. The afternoon was spent piecing a quilt. Six members were present. The Circles will hold a joint meeting Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

**Johnson County Friends  
Guests At Dinner.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mercer were host and hostess to a number of friends who were former neighbors of the family in Johnson County at a turkey dinner Sunday, January 27, at their home in the Antelope community.

The table was very attractive for the occasion and was typical of a real old fashioned turkey dinner for which southern cooks are famous.

Those present at this happy occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gulley and daughters, Lena and Daisy; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Summerlin and daughters, Misses Fay, Ruth, Josephine and Thelma Dell; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dickert; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Caffee and Louie; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poole and son, Kenneth; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Poole; Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith and daughter, Sarah Frances and sons, Vinson and J. B.; Mr. and Mrs. Selma Mercer and Billy Frances; Albert Green Edgar Hill, Warren Poole, Joe Smith, Jr., Orville Mercer and the host and hostess.

**Wednesday Bridge Club  
With Mrs. Ross.**

The Wednesday Bridge Club met with Mrs. S. W. Ross Wednesday afternoon, January 30. Mrs. Leon Collins was winner of high score in the games played during the afternoon.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Roy Snodgrass, T. P. Collins, Leon Collins, Robert Eubank, Homer Steen, Bert Barker, Aubrey Bishop, A. B. Keim, Jack Henry, John Hammonds, Miss Ruth Collins; and Mrs. Pitzer Baker, of Weinert, a visitor.

Mrs. Roy Snodgrass will be hostess to the club Wednesday afternoon, February 13.

**Night Ramblers Club  
Meets Monday.**

The Night Ramblers Club met with Miss Neta Merle Hanna on Monday evening of this week and enjoyed a number of games of Forty-two. Miss Lola House and Dorman Clanton won high score for the evening.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Misses Gladys House, Helen King, Lola House and Neta Merle Hanna, and Messrs. Otto Austin, Dorman Clanton, Ted Glover, Bill Hotel and Cecil Coal, of Lockney.

BORN—to Elder and Mrs. H. P. Cooper, City, January 27, a daughter.



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- Boys' heavy Overalls, up to age 16, \$1
- All Kiddie's Coveralls, Up to Age 8 \$1
- 3 Pair Men's 50c Wool Sox, \$1
- 15 Men's White 10c Handkerchiefs for, \$1
- 30c Men's White 5c Handkerchiefs for, \$1
- 14 Yards Cotton Checks, Good Grade, \$1
- 7 Yards 32 inch Gingham Checks, \$1
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- 1 Lot Men's Sweaters and Lumberjacks, Values up to \$4.95, \$1
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- 7 Yards 36 Inch Outing Patterns, \$1
- 5 Yards 25c Grade Gingham, For, \$1
- 3 Pair 39c Turkish Towels, \$1
- 3 Pair 45c 36x42 Pillow Cases, \$1
- 5 Yards 25c Bleached Cotton Flannel, \$1
- 6 Yards 20c Unbleached Flannel, \$1
- 5 Yards Windsor Crepe Solids, \$1
- 3 Yards 35c Turkish Toweling for, \$1
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## The TOWN DOCTOR

SAYS

IF I COULDN'T BOOST I'D MOVE OUT !!

A town that is good enough to live in, good enough to provide your livelihood, provide your children with schools and playgrounds; a town whose citizens are broadminded enough to put up with your peculiarities is a town good enough for you to boost. If you can't boost, do the community at least one favor and move out.

William Hale Thompson, Chicago's most cussed and discussed mayor, says—"Throw away your hammer and buy a horn." That's one thing Mr. Thompson says with which all the thinking people in his domain are in accord.

It is good advice, however, to suggest that when tooting your horn to be sure you are in the right key.

The man who always knocks and runs down the place where he lives is not only a pest but a public liability. Towns should have a place to pen such people up—put them all together in one place and let them contaminate only each other. The disease they have is worse than smallpox and is just as malicious and contagious.

The knocker's creed is—"Whatever is—is punk."

The easiest thing in the world to do is to knock. It doesn't take any

brains and it is the easiest way to attract attention.

Knocking is cheap—a cheap trick used only by cheap people, but expensive to them in the long run.

Even a knocker hates a knocker and sooner or later everybody shuns him because they are afraid of him.

Usually the fellow who knocks his town, knocks his competitor and his neighbor and like a bee kills himself stinging others.

Nobody ever got anywhere running other people down.

The old saying that every knock is a boost is true only when the knocker is knocked out.

If any merchant needs to lose the patronage of his fellow citizens it's the fellow who is forever knocking—who decries and belittles every attempt to do anything for, or make something of the town—who says that every fellow or organization that tries to do things has an axe to grind.

On the other hand, the man who stops blaming conditions, government, prohibition and competition—the man who quits laying the blame of his own shortcomings onto his associates, friends and relatives and takes unto himself the blame for things not being as he would like to have them—that man will take advantage of every opportunity to make his town a better place in which to live, work, play and make money.

Every town has its faults, but every town has its good points. If a town has little to talk about, that is just that much more reason to correct the faults, or at least keep still about them if a man hasn't enough gumption to do things that will help correct them.

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### Allmon News

(Crowded out of last issue)

Allmon, January 21—Most of the people of our community are well now but the flu has visited nearly every home during the past two weeks.

T. B. Willis, who has been very ill with the pneumonia, is greatly improved. His children, who have been absent on account of his condition, have returned to school.

The mother and brother of Mrs. Edwin Case, Mrs. S. E. Strickland and Jack Strickland, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Foster spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones.

Mrs. C. H. McElroy and son, Charles, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hobbs, of Floydada.

Miss Ava Thorne, Dan Owens, Dennis Thorne and V. A. Simmons were visitors in Lubbock Sunday.

One hundred seats have been bought and placed in our new auditorium. The money raised at the banquet was not quite sufficient to pay for this number. Plans are being made to give a box supper in order to raise enough money to finish paying for the seats.

Citizens of our community met and did some work at the school building Saturday.

Many enjoyed the concert at Petersburg Saturday night by the Stamps quartet.

### ELECTION ORDERED

AN ORDER CALLING FOR AN ELECTION SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS RESIDING IN THE CITY OF FLOYDADA, TEXAS THE PROPOSITION AS TO WHETHER THE CITY OF FLOYDADA SHALL ADOPT THE COMMISSION FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR SAID CITY AND ALSO FOR THE ELECTION AT THE SAME TIME OF TWO COMMISSIONERS IN THE EVENT SAID COMMISSION FORM OF GOVERNMENT IS ADOPTED TO HOLD OFFICE UNTIL THE FIRST TUESDAY IN APRIL A. D. 1929.

WHEREAS, more than ten percent of the qualified voters of the Incorporated city of Floydada in Floyd County, Texas, an incorporated town of over five hundred and less than five thousand inhabitants, have petitioned me as the Mayor of said city in writing, requesting that an election be ordered to determine whether or not the city of Floydada shall adopt the Commission Form of Government as set out in Chapter Twelve of title 28, 1925, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas:

I. Now, therefore, by the authority invested in me by the laws of Texas as the duly elected and qualified Mayor of the City of Floydada in Floyd County, Texas, I, W. D. Smith, as such Mayor of Floydada, hereby order that said election be held on Tuesday, the 26th day of

February A. D. 1929, at which time the proposition as to whether the City of Floydada as aforesaid shall adopt the Commission Form of Government as aforesaid shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Floydada, and further, if such Commission Form of Government is adopted at said election to select two commissioners at said election who shall hold office until the first Tuesday in April, 1929.

II. Said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Floydada, Texas, and I hereby appoint E. P. Nelson and J. G. Wood as the judges of said election, the first named to be designated as the Presiding Judge, and I also appoint T. C. Russell and W. H. Henderson as clerks to assist said judges in holding said election.

III. The said election shall be held and governed by the General Election Laws of Texas except as herein otherwise provided as modified by said Chapter Twelve of title 28, 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, and the returns shall be made to the Mayor of Floydada, Texas, within five days after said election shall have been held.

IV. The Ballots in said election which shall determine whether or not the City of Floydada adopts said Commission Form of Government shall have written or printed thereon, "For Commission", or "Against Commission", and all voters who favor the proposition of adopting the Commission Form of Government for the City of Floydada at said election shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For Commission", and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots: "Against Commission", and if a majority of the votes cast are "For Commission", then the Mayor of Floydada shall enter an order to that effect upon the minutes of the City Council and after said entry of said order said incorporated city shall be under the commission Form of Government.

V. There shall be also at said election, a separate ballot which shall have written or printed on it the names of candidates for Commissioners for Place Number One and Place Number Two, said names to be placed on said ballots in accordance with the laws of Texas regulating said election within said incorporated towns, and in the event said Commission Form of Government shall have been adopted by a majority of the votes cast at said election from the returns made to the Mayor, the person that receives the highest number of votes for Commissioner Place Number One shall be deemed elected as one Commissioner and the person who receives the highest number of votes for Commissioner Place Number Two shall be deemed elected as the other Commissioner, and upon the qualifying as such Commissioners as provided by law, they, together with the Mayor of the City of Floydada shall constitute the "Board of Commissioners" and

shall supersede the present City Council and Board of Aldermen of the City of Floydada, and said City Council and Board of Aldermen shall be abolished and said Board of Commissioners shall hold office as such until the first Tuesday in April, 1929, at which time a Mayor and two Commissioners shall be elected as provided by law.

VI. It is further ordered that a copy of this notice shall be published for a period of thirty days in some

newspaper of general circulation in said city and one notice shall be published once a week consecutively for a period of not less than thirty days prior to the date of said election, and a copy of this order signed by the Mayor of the City of Floydada and attested by the City Secretary of said town shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

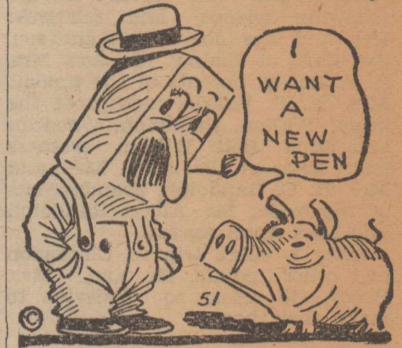
Witness the hand of the Mayor and City Secretary of the City of Floydada, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1929.

(SEAL) W. D. SMITH Mayor.  
Attest:  
BURL BEDFORD, City Secretary.  
Attest: 48

Bill Der Says

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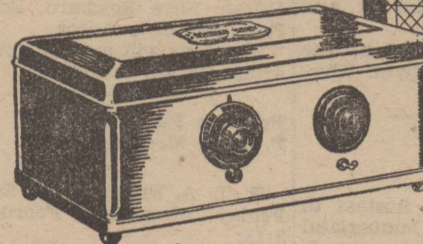
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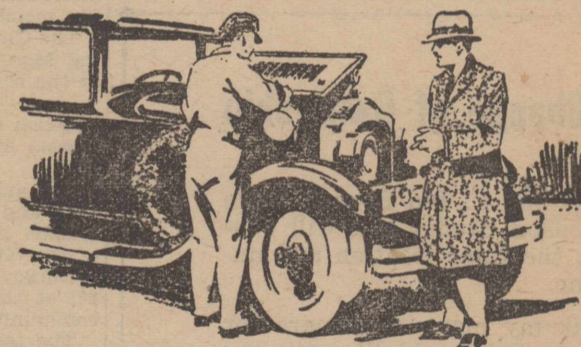
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# Floydada School News

Reporters from the various Classes and Departments of Floydada Public Schools, the English Class of the High School, and the typing class of the Commercial Department co-operating.

Editor ..... Virginia Meachum Asso. Editor..... Ruth Jenkins

## Change in Paper Staff

There has been a change in the High School News Staff. The retired editor, Oleta Jackson, has taken work at the First National Bank which prevents her from working on the paper. Virginia Meachum, who was associate editor, has become editor. Ruth Jenkins is the present associate editor.

## Faculty to Present Play

The stage in the high school building is being used every night by a group of the faculty from Andrews Ward and a few teachers from the high school. This cast is practicing for a play, "The Whole Town is Talking," which is to be presented in the high school Auditorium on Friday evening, February 1.

## Good Citizenship Club

The Civics class, taught by Mr. McWhirter, is preparing to receive some practical training in citizenship. In Friday's session of the class a "Good Citizenship Club" was organized and officers were elected, as follows: Winfred New-some, president; Virginia Meachum, vice president; and Oleta Jackson, secretary-treasurer. The membership of the club consists of the Civics class. The students will work out projects and discuss problems, thereby preparing themselves to be better citizens of the communities in which they will make their homes.

## Negro Comedy a Success

The negro mistrel, presented by the Future Farmers of Texas, in the high school auditorium on Friday evening, January 25, was a succession of laughs from beginning to end. Some of the characters looked and acted so real that we wondered whether Mr. Williams had selected all his characters from the future farmers. In spite of the unfavorable weather the house was filled and the audience was a responsive one.

## Stationery Due This Week

Stationery, bearing the Floydada High School monogram, is being purchased and sold to the students by the senior class. It is due to arrive sometime this week, hence all students desiring a box of the stationery should see the salesman, Margie Norton and Herma Lea Norman, at the very earliest possible date.

## The Penny and the Dime

One morning a penny and a dime were lying on my dressing table. The night before they had lain there and they were very close together. Now they seemed very far apart. It was very early in the morning, and as I opened my eyes and looked at the two coins I thought that perhaps they had been quarreling.

Suddenly I heard voices from the direction of the dressing table. At first they were very indistinct, but as I listened I could understand a conversation. Just as I had anticipated, the penny and the dime were quarreling. The penny was bright and new. It had the date "1929" on it. The dime was worn very thin, and it was impossible to know what date had been on it.

"Ha, ha, don't you wish you were as big and bright as I?" said the new penny, getting even brighter as he talked.

"I was once brighter than you, and I am now worth ten times as much as you are worth even if you are the bigger and brighter. Please don't be so loud for you disturb me."

I am very tired after my many excursions."

"Excursions? What do you mean by that, Mr. Dime? Have you really been somewhere?"

"Well, yes, I should think I have. Since you have awakened me I will tell you a little bit of my history: Many, many years ago I was made by the United States Mint. I presume you were also made there, but then I was very beautiful. First, I went to a bank with some of my brothers and sisters who were as bright and sparkling as I. We were very happy together but we were soon to be separated.

"I was given to a very rich man who had so many other pieces of big silver that I hardly knew what to do about anything. They all made fun of me, and I felt very badly.

"One day I felt myself being counted out, and I was grabbed by another man immediately. This man cruelly locked me up in a big chest where it was very dark. I stayed there a long time but one day I was finally let out to help pay for some tobacco. After this I was exchanged very rapidly and as the years passed my emblem and date began to wear off and I felt very sorry for myself.

"When you get as old as I am, Mr. Penny, you will see that it is not how big or how shiny you are, but how much you are really worth."

Just as Mr. Dime quit talking, a woman and a little girl came into the room. The little girl was teasing her mother for some money to spend. Her mother picked up Mr. Penny and gave it to the child telling her to enjoy herself. She took the penny and looked at her mother with a question mark expression. "Why, mother, I didn't say I wanted to go to Sunday School; I want to go to town." Her mother laughed and picked up the dime and gave it to her. The penny was left to consider his fate and circumstances.

Just then the clock struck eight bells, and I jumped out of bed. Only the penny was lying on the table, and I supposed some one had come and got the dime, but I had dreamed the other.

## Jokes

Vela had just read her theme in class, and Miss Beibel said: "That is good, Vela, is it original?"

Vela: "No, I made it up."

Mr. Scoggins: "When two bodies come together, is heat generated?"

Clinton: "No, sir, I hit a guy yesterday and he knocked me cold."

Miss Brook was testing the knowledge of the pupils in detention room.

Slapping a half dollar on the desk, she said, "What's that?"

A voice came from the back of the room: "Tails."

Miss Rea says, "Fun is like insurance—the older you get the more it costs you."

Mildred: Mr. Cunningham, you say you have your B. A. and M. A. degrees?"

Mr. C.—"Yes, but my P. A. still supports me."

Bernice: "What's your worst sin?"

Vela: "My vanity, I spend hours before the mirror admiring my beauty."

Bernice: "That isn't vanity, dear, that's imagination."

Clinton: "Bud, have a drink."

Bud: "No, thanks, just had one."

Clinton: "Have another."

B—"Just had another."  
C—"Well, start in wherever you stopped."  
B—"Can't I haven't stopped yet."

## Allmon News

Allmon, January 28.—Mrs. W. L. Odell and children spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Cox.

Miss Frankie McElroy spent Saturday night with Miss Lucille Snodgrass of the Harmony community. Clarence Gamble and family are moving to Clovis, New Mexico. We are very sorry to lose such good people from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Case and Miss Frankie Mae Case spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. C. Cox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allmon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Allmon.

Misses Ruby and Effie Brooks spent Sunday with Miss Lucille Smith.

The school is still receiving students and we are very glad for them to be enrolled.

A box supper will be given Friday night, February 1, at the High School auditorium. Everyone is invited. The proceeds will be used to finish paying for the seats in the auditorium.

The piano which has been in a very bad condition has been tuned and is in perfect condition. We made an effort to get it tuned before the banquet but we have just succeeded in getting the work done.

Many of the people enjoyed the wonderful lecture which Mr. Sheldon gave Saturday night at the High school auditorium, also the pictures he showed. He has been in the Philippine Islands for eight years and gave some very interesting information concerning the people and their customs. He received the first ten dollars and gave half of the remainder of the proceeds to the school. We received \$6.10 which will be used in payment for tuning the piano.

## Nuthin' vs. Sumthin'

The Kansas City Drovers' Telegram prints the following which it credits to C. P. Jones of Saline County, Mo. It is a poem which a Missouri boy sent his girl Christmas and the answer which she gave the lovesick boy:

Can't read nuthin',  
Can't write nuthin',  
Can't sing nuthin',  
That's true;  
Can't hear nuthin',  
Can't see nuthin',  
Can't think nuthin'  
But you.

Don't drink nuthin',  
Don't eat nuthin',  
Don't find nuthin'  
To do;  
Don't know nuthin',  
Don't dream nuthin',  
Don't love nuthin',  
But you.

Friends ain't nuthin',  
Cash ain't nuthin',  
Life ain't nuthin',  
That's true;  
Time ain't nuthin',  
World ain't nuthin',  
There ain't nuthin',  
But you.

Sumthin'  
Better read sumthin',  
Better write sumthin',  
Better sing sumthin',  
You see;  
Better hear sumthin',  
Better see sumthin',  
Better love sumthin',  
But me;

Better drink sumthin',  
Better eat sumthin',  
Better find sumthin',  
Oh, gee!  
Better know sumthin',  
Better dream sumthin',  
Better love sumthin',  
Sides me.

Friends are sumthin'  
Cash is sumthin',  
Life is sumthin',  
For ye;  
Time is sumthin',  
World is sumthin',  
There is sumthin',  
Sides me.

## SKUNKS LIKE BEES

An unusual call for help came to the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture during October, addressed to its leader of predatory-animal control work in Arizona. This was a request from an apirist for assistance in eradicating the skunks that were eating his honeybees. He was instructed how to mix ground-pork cracklings and strychnine and given information regarding its use. The first night four skunks were killed, and later seven others. All these skunks were killed in an area that had been worked with poison each winter for several years, but evidently they or their progenitors had escaped.

The leader of control work for this district gives an interesting account of how the skunk catches bees, as they were seen on two bright moonlight nights. The skunk came to the front of the hive and commenced tapping with its front feet and claws. When the bees, cold and sluggish, came out to investigate, they were easily lapped up by the skunk as fast as they appeared in the opening. The stomach of one skunk examined contained 265 bees that could be identified, and the remainder of the contents consisted of partly digested bees. Skunks have been known entirely to exterminate bee colonies in Arizona.

## WIRE CYLINDER PROTECTS ORCHARDS FROM RABBITS

One of the best methods of protecting orchards and young trees from winter damage by rabbits is to surround the trunks with cylinders made from woven wire or veneer wood. If poultry netting is used, it may be of 1-inch mesh made from No. 20 galvanized-iron wire. This comes in rolls 18 inch-

es wide. To make a protecting cylinder for saplings, the United States Department of Agriculture says, cut off a section 1 foot in length and place it around the tree in the form of a cylinder, fastening it in several places by twisting together the projecting ends of wire. This will serve, but it may be improved somewhat by setting two or three stakes inside to prevent rabbits from pressing it in, or moving it on the ground until they can nibble on the tree.

Strips of veneer wood bent about the trees and tied have the advantage of preventing any nibbling through, and if they are pressed into the ground a short distance will also keep out mice. But these also furnish desirable retreats for insects and should be removed each year. Wire screens can be left until the tree is safe from rabbit depredations.

Hunting keeps down the rabbit population in many areas, and trapping and poisoning are also effective. The difficulty in poisoning is the danger to children and other animals. To offset this danger in some degree, the Biological Survey suggests that cottontail rabbits may be baited with twigs cut from apple trees and dipped in or thinly coated with starch-strychnine poison.

The fact that epizootic diseases (those which attack many animals at the same time) often destroy great numbers of cottontails has led many people to expect that an epizootic could be started artificially, and that when the animals become excessively abundant in any locality it should be possible to in-oculate them with some microorganism. The Biological Survey has had many requests for such bacterial preparations, but to date it has replied to all that all attempts to spread contagious diseases artificially among wild rabbits have failed to give practical results.

## COTTON FARMER MILKS COWS TO FREE HIMSELF FROM DEBT

A "cow and cotton combination" of farming established last spring has given H. L. Pender, of Red River County, Tex., a "feeling of prosperity never enjoyed in years of straight cotton farming on his 75-acre farm."

The cattle-fever tick was the "bugaboo" that kept Mr. Pender from success with cows for so many years. Early attempts to supplement his cotton farming by raising a few cows were unsuccessful; and with no cattle he was forced to borrow money each fall to pay his debts and to make his cotton crop. Then he made his pasture tick free and tried again, but a stray tick-infested animal got into his pasture and in a short time his herd died. He quit raising cattle.

When tick-eradication work started in Red River County last spring under the direction of the United States Department of Agriculture a banker offered to loan him money to buy four milk cows and a cream separator. He arranged to sell the cream at a community store, and soon had enough cash to buy some pigs and chickens to consume the skin milk. All through the year the cream brought him from \$5.50 to \$7.50 cash each week, enough to enable him to make his crop this year without borrowing money.

Mr. Pender, according to a report received by the Department of Agriculture, states that with the aid of the income returned directly and indirectly by his four cows he has paid all his debts, has sufficient cash left to join a purebred bull association, and can make his crops next year without borrowing any money for that purpose.

Mrs. Wm. McGehee returned Sunday from Lubbock, where she had been a guest of Mrs. L. H. Gruver since Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Cloud visited friends in Lubbock Thursday.

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Mrs. Sam Brewer and little daughter, Barbara Jean of Electra, and Mrs. Herbert Hicks of Lubbock, visited in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Will Snell the past week.

Miss Mary Louise Truitt, of Friona, spent the week end with Miss Rushelle Morris. Miss Truitt is attending W. T. S. T. College at Canyon.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Collins went to Lubbock Wednesday where Rev. Collins was called to assist in the funeral service for J. B. Pryor, an old friend of the family who died Monday night.

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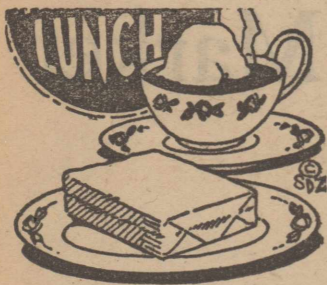
COURT HOUSE FLOYDADA, TEXAS

# Tuesday, Feb. 5th

Morning, Afternoon and Evening

25 Dollars In Prizes 25

# D. W. Fyffe, Dealer



## To the Ladies:

We especially invite the ladies to visit the Floydada Coffee Shop. We have a strictly sanitary and modern lunch room, and assure you of quiet and courteous treatment.

## Tables for the Ladies

Across the street from our former location.

Good Coffee—Delicious Sandwiches

Big Juicy Hamburgers

Quick Lunches

# Floydada Coffee Shop

H. A. (Jerry) Withers, Prop.

## Sunday School Lesson

P. D. O'Brien.  
Date: Feb. 3.  
Theme: The Holy Scriptures.  
Scriptures: Psalm 19:7-14; Timothy 3:14-17.  
Golden Text: Open mine eyes, that I may behold wonderful things out of thy law.—Psalm 119:18.  
When one of the great poets was lying he said to a son standing near, "son hand me the book." "What book father?" requested the son, as his father had a large library with many cases and shelves filled with books. The poet replied, "my son there is but one book in an hour like this, bring me the Bible." It is about this book Divine that we are to study today. Many books have been written about the Bible, but none of these approach the Book itself in grandeur of expression in its own behalf. We would urge all who are interested in the study of this lesson to read Psalm 119. This is the longest chapter in the Bible, having 176 verses; and 172 of these verses refer to the Bible itself. It is without the greatest treatise in the world on the Word of God. Certainly there are many other passages that will be helpful to those who desire to make an extensive study of this rich subject. By using references in your Bible you will be able to locate most of these.

**Holy Bible**  
The Book is called by many names, as are God, Christ and the Holy Spirit, and for the same purpose, namely, to reveal to finite

minds its many sided nature. As in the cases above, no name could adequately express its nature. Some of its names are, "The Law of the Lord," "The Testimony of the Lord," "His Commandments," "The Statutes of the Lord," "The Scriptures," and many others. But the most familiar name to us today is, "Holy Bible." This literally means, "Sacred Library," and that is exactly what it is. It is not just one book, but a "Book of Books," a library of 66 volumes, written over a period of almost 16 centuries, and by more than three dozen writers, coming from almost every ancient nation and representing almost every walk of life, yet its unity is perfect. Each part fits into every other part with the exactness of a key-stone in a perfect arch, or with a nicety as delicate and beautiful as the feathers in a dove's tail. We make bold to say that there are no contradictions in the Bible, when its meaning is Spiritually understood. (See I. Cor. 2:14.) This unity can be explained in but one way, that is, by accepting the fact that although there were almost forty writers, there was but one author. "That each writer wrote" as he was moved by the Spirit." (See II Peter 1:21.) This is commonly called the inspiration of the Scriptures. And again we make bold to say if these writings are not inspired then they are no more dependable than many others. But if there were need, and time, and space we feel that we could prove that the Bible is inspired.

**Psalm 19:7-14**  
In these verses the writer sets forth six traits of the Bible. Take your favorite Bible and underscore these words: Perfect, sure, right,

pure, clean, true. Then underscore the six wonderful achievements of the Word: conversion, wisdom, joy, illumination, indestructibility, righteousness. All of this and more will be found in these verses. Now verse by verse, "The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul." Man has never made a perfect law. He can make a law that brings penalty for violation, but man's law cannot keep men from sinning. This is where the perfection of God's law comes in, it converts the soul, makes a man right inside. "The testimony of the Lord is sure making wise the simple." The simplest minded man who accepts the Word of God at face value who is warned by its exhortations, and places his feet upon its promises: is wiser than the so-called wise man who scoffs at the idea of God, immortality and kindred doctrines, and goes heedless and head-long down to ruin. "The statutes of the Lord are right rejoicing the heart." Note the progress, life, wisdom, joy. There is no other joy that compares with that which comes to the heart of one who knows that he is right with God.

Is thy heart right with God?  
Washed in the crimson flood,  
Cleansed and made holy,  
Humble and lowly,  
Right in the sight of God?

"The commandments of the Lord is pure enlightening the eye." This reminds us of another statement made by the Master Himself, "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." When the pure law of God enlightens the eye, the person thus enlightened can see God. Not only at the judgment but can see Him here and now. See His hand in all things, sickness, health, success, failure, joy, sorrow, life, death, and in the end see Him face to face, and be with Him forever. "Clean enduring forever." Filth brings decay in the soul as well as in the body. Cleanliness brings health for the soul as it does for the body. Cleansed from all the filth of sin by the power of the Word, the life will endure forever.

Space forbids further discussion. In closing let us call attention to the comparisons in verse 10, and to the rewards mentioned in verse 11, the petition for cleansing in verse 12 and 13, and the wonderfully appropriate prayer in verse 14. We would do well to memorize this verse and make the substance of it our daily petition.

### 2 Timothy 3:14-17

Verse 14 an exhortation to live the Bible. It is not merely a book to read, or a system of doctrine to study and preach, but it is pre-eminently a book to live. Note in verse 15 Paul's attitude toward the Bible and its effect on little children. Every child in Floydada community has a right to this influence over and in his life. How many are not getting it breaks our hearts. In verses 16-17 Paul gives his views on the inspiration of the Scriptures. With deep humility of spirit and gratitude of heart, we accept this as our own belief. May the Golden Text be the prayer of our every heart.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and love to each one who so kindly and thoughtfully helped us so much in our recent sorrow, the death of our darling wife, mother and grandmother. We greatly appreciate the beautiful floral offering and wish for you the same loving comfort in your time of sorrow. May God's richest blessings be on you all, is our prayer.

W. B. Crabtree  
R. H. Young and family  
E. R. Crabtree and family  
J. C. Crabtree and family  
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Crabtree  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jernigan.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Floyd.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Floyd County, on the 4th day of January 1929, by Tom W. Deen Clerk of said Court for the sum of Three hundred sixty four & 43-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Tom B. Triplett in a certain cause in said Court No. 454 and styled Tom B. Triplett vs. V. N. Dillard and Velma Wilkinson, executrix of the estate C. R. Wilkinson, deceased, placed in my hands for service, I, P. G. Stegall as Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did on the 24th day of January 1929, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being lots numbered eleven (11), twelve (12) and thirteen (13) in Block number six (6), Walling addition to the town of Lockney Floyd County, Texas, as shown by plat of said addition of record in the deed records of Floyd County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Mrs. Velma Wilkinson, executrix of the estate of C. R. Wilkinson, deceased, and that on the first Tuesday in March 1929, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door of Floyd County, in the town of Floydada, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. Velma Wilkinson, executrix of the estate of C. R. Wilkinson, deceased.

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

Witness my hand, this 24th day of January 1929.  
P. G. STEGALL,  
Sheriff Floyd County, Texas.  
404tc.

## With The Churches

### BUDGET CONFERENCE HELD AT CENTER LAST WEDNESDAY

The Church Budget association of the Baptist Church held Conference last Wednesday at Center, for the purpose of making plans in harmony with all Texas Baptists to enlist the interest of 1000 churches in the budget plan for financing. A series of church rallies for the three counties which compose the association were planned, according to Rev. P. D. O'Brien, organizer.

Among the visitors and speakers were E. T. Miller of Memphis, district organizer; Rev. R. S. McClung Clarendon; J. D. Riddle, Amarillo, and Rev. S. F. Rogers of Spur.

A committee composed of Rev. R. E. Bost, Rev. E. L. Muncy, Rev. E. D. Morgan, Rev. G. W. Tubbs and Rev. P. D. O'Brien was appointed to arrange the itinerary of the churches.

### PREACHING AT CAMPBELL

Rev. G. W. Tubbs will hold services at Campbell Sunday, February 3. Sunday School at 10:30 o'clock and preaching at 11 o'clock. Services Sunday night will begin at 8 o'clock.

### CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. A. Collins, Pastor  
B. F. McIntosh, Superintendent of Sunday Schools.

Sunday school at 10.  
Morning worship at 11.  
Christian Endeavor at 6:30.  
Evening worship at 7.  
Prayer and study hour Wednesday evening at 7.

We are always glad to have you worship with us.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dick O'Brien, pastor  
We here record our deep gratitude for the services last Sunday. All day the services were well attended, and a fine spirit pervaded each meeting. We had exactly 300 in Sunday school, but expect a substantial gain next Sunday. There were 147 in the training service meeting in B. Y. P. U. organizations, presided over by Joe Breed, and Miss Lydia Smith. The new union organized for young married people got off to a grand start, we expect to enlist scores of our folks in this movement.

The playlet, "Toonerville Depot Controversy," went over in a great way. We are especially grateful to the young folks who prepared and presented this helpful program. They have been asked to take it to other communities, which they expect to do from time to time.

Everybody boost for the Sunday school. Some of the teachers and pupils have been sick, but most of them are better now and we expect a steady growth along all lines from now on. Our school has been recognized as a standard school, but remember it is sometime easier to reach an objective than it is to hold it. We are counting strong on every one of you.

Next Sunday morning we will continue our studies in Second Timothy, the Lord willing and Sunday night the third sermon in the series on the Second Coming of Christ. The subject at that time will be, "The Second Coming of Christ, as to Time." Will it be before or after the millennium? What will His coming have to do with the general judgment? Will there be two resurrections? If so when will His coming be with reference to these resurrections? These and other vital questions will be touched upon.

Visitors always welcome at our services.  
P. S. We have at our house a number of good garments, shoes, hats, etc. for those who need them and will make their needs known. Or if you know of needy people please get in touch with us.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

You have a cordial invitation to attend all services at the City Park Church of Christ.

Sunday Bible Study 10 a. m.  
Preaching and Communion 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Young people's meeting 5:45 p. m.  
Ladies Bible Study 3 p. m. Monday.

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.  
H. P. Cooper, Minister.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Elder Chas. W. Watkins will preach at the Church of Christ on South Wall Street next Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m. Everybody invited.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

C. E. Hagemeyer, Pastor.  
The attendance at Sunday School was good on last Sunday. We are in hopes that the flu epidemic will let up soon and that the people will be able to get back into Sunday School and regular church services.

Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Preaching services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.  
You are welcome to all services at the Nazarene church.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

G. T. Palmer, Pastor  
Sunday School meets at 9:45 a. m. The attendance last Sunday was very gratifying. The school moved up in a wonderful way, and we are exceedingly grateful for the excellent work which is being done.

Preaching by the pastor at 11:00 a. m.

Senior League 6:30 p. m.  
At 7:15 p. m. the Boy Scouts will have charge of the service, and will give a special program. We trust that you may give encouragement to this constructive organization by attending the service Sunday night. The City Municipal Orchestra

will play for us at 11:00 a. m. We are glad to have these people with us and to have the privilege and the pleasure of hearing them upon this occasion. You cannot afford to miss the opportunity of being present.

### ENTOMOLOGIST FLIES TO INVESTIGATIONS IN MEXICO

A scientist traveling by air to new centers of activity is a striking example of this modern age. Following the completion of arrangements with the Mexican Government for a series of investigations of the pink bollworm in its native habitat, several entomologists of the United States Department of Agriculture have been detailed to carry on the work in three Mexican field stations where there are suitable laboratories.

Some of these men traveled to Mexico by train, but B. R. Coad, head of the cotton-insect investigations of the department at Tallulah, La., recently flew from that laboratory to El Paso, Tex., in one of the two planes which are being used for the work. He was accompanied by a pilot and another plane with its pilot and mechanic. The airplane used by Mr. Coad was the newly purchased Stinson-Detroler, which is equipped with insect traps for capturing pink bollworm moths in flight. The other, one of the DeHavilland air-

planes of the Tallulah laboratory fleet, will be used as an auxiliary and supply plane for the Stinson plane. Lieut. Jose Leon, pilot aviator of the Mexican Aviation Service, conveyed Mr. Coad and his party in the flight from El Paso to Talahaulillo. Studies of the migration of the moth of the pink bollworm are being inaugurated by Mr. Coad.

The pink bollworm, which is one of the most dangerous pests of cotton, has long been combated on the border between Texas and Mexico by the Federal Horticultural Board, and it is felt that to make our great cotton-growing region more secure against invasion the department should know more about the flight of the moths from heavily infested areas. The Tallulah laboratory of the department has a number of airplanes equipped with the necessary devices for dusting cotton fields with insecticides and for trapping insects in the air, and two of these planes are being utilized to further the investigations in western Texas and research as outlined in conducted in cooperation with the Mexican Department of Agriculture, and a fine spirit of cooperation and good will exists.

Read The Hesperian for the news of Floyd County.

### FARMERS WANT HEAVY PENALTY FOR THIEVES

Heavier penalties for chicken thieves are approved by many farmers who write the Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman concerning the thievery which goes on in many communities.

"I am in favor of making the punishment for chicken stealing just the same as for horse stealing," one farmer said in the December 15 issue of the big southwest farm paper. "All poultry buyers should be licensed and should be required to keep complete records of all the chickens which they buy."

Another farmer said, "If any change is made in the punishment of chicken thieves give them 25 years and the promise that there will be no pardons."

Still another farmer added the following comment: "The chicken thief law should be changed so that the cuss who steals any number of chickens, from one up, shall be guilty of grand larceny. The only man I would give any consideration is the fellow who steals to keep from starving."

BORN—to Elder and Mrs. H. P. Cooper Jan. 27, a girl, named Bonnie Lou.

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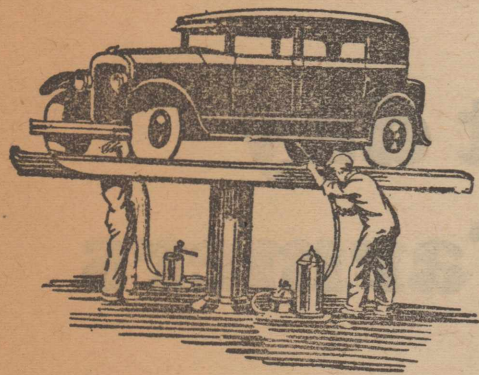
## Worth While Specials For Saturday

Pickles	Per gallon	55c
Catsup	Per bucket	60c
Syrup	Large Golden Staley	65c
Corn	Good, No. 2 Can, 2 for	25c
Shortening	8 lb. Bucket	\$1.20
Pork & Beans	18 oz. Cans.	10c

We deliver anywhere within the City Limits. We give the highest market prices for eggs. Will appreciate your February Grocery Bill.

## Star Cash Grocery

Phone 40



## No Grease Cups Are Overlooked!

When we grease your car, you are positively assured that every grease cup has been filled and every moving part has been oiled. Racks give you immediate service.

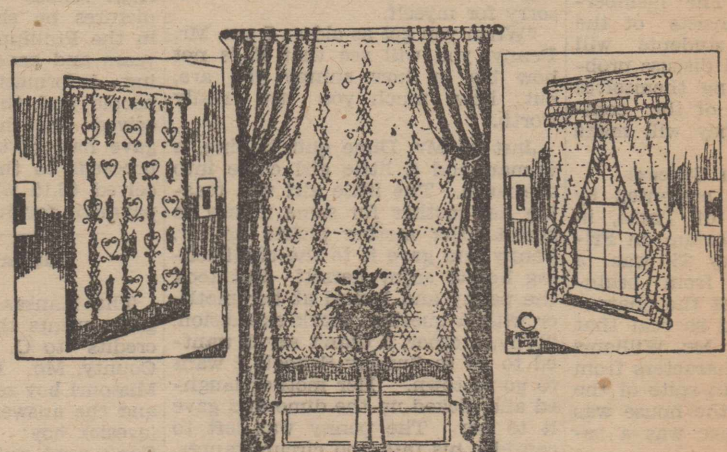
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We are going to sell draperies in Cretones, Nets, Marquisettes and Scrims at Compelling Prices!

Dress up your rooms during this sale!

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## Station City Market Broadcasting

—ON BOTH LONG AND SHORT WAVE

About how we'd like to have your February Grocery and Market Business.

—LONG WAVE for the Good Measure in Quality and Quantity that you are assured on every order—you be the judge;

—SHORT WAVE for the Quick, Courteous Service and Prompt Deliveries we give.

If you have never tried our market and grocery, or if you contemplate making a change tomorrow, won't you give us a trial?

OUR TELEPHONE NO. IS 118

# City Market & Grocery

Howard & Maxwell, Props., First National Bank Building  
FLOYDADA

### 'Feed Grinder Week' Helpful To Farmers

Week of Crusher Demonstrations by Three Local Grinder Dealers.

"Feed Grinder Week" last week created considerable interest in Floyd County, and many farmers in this vicinity took advantage of the opportunity to see various grinders doing actual work, according to local implement dealers who sponsored the movement. The week was designated as "Feed Grinder Week" and the grinder dealers in this city arranged special educational demonstrations for those who were interested in the movement. Special attention was given to these machines through Friday and Saturday, they state.

D. W. Fyffe, Stansell & Collins and Rutledge & Company are the three implement dealers that sponsored this "Grinder Week."

The purpose for sponsoring this movement, the dealers state, is twofold. First to demonstrate their special makes of grinders, and second to encourage the use of grinders in Floyd County. The last named purpose is classed as the most important, for it is claimed

that farmers in this territory will readily adopt the plan of feeding ground forages when they once learn the greater value derived from their feed when fed in this way. Actual tests have shown that more than double the amount of value is derived when fed in this way. Dairy cattle production is known to greatly increase when an equal amount of ground feed is used at the same ratio. Local dealers declare that, once the feed grinder idea is proven in this section, every farmer in Floyd County will be feeding ground forage.

### Hillcrest News

Hillcrest, Jan. 27.—The thrasher has been very busy in our community lately. Most of the feed is in the granaries now, but much of the cotton is still in the field.

J. W. (Dub) Drace returned Friday from Fort Worth where he had gone on business.

Mrs. Green Bostick has been very ill in the Smith and Smith sanitarium recently, but she was improving fast when we last heard from her.

R. E. Scoggin and son, Roy, were business visitors at the home of C. J. Smith Friday.

Sam Swinger of Kiowa, Oklahoma, is visiting in the Jeff Ford home just now.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wilkinson and son Roy, and grandfather Camilla Wilkinson of Whiteflat spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Carter have been entertaining a new baby in their home since last week.

A. T. Swebston and family were visitors in Dougherty Sunday.

Several of the young men of the community have been engaged in the sport of killing rattlesnakes lately. They killed 120 from one den on the C. J. Smith place in the Canyon.

### Work On Lockney's New Hotel Moving Rapidly

Modern Hostelery With Every Convenience to Grace Corner Locust and Main.

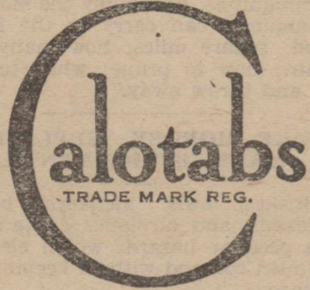
From The Lockney Beacon:

Any one who casts an eye upon the building that has stood on this corner for years. The workmen have been filling up windows, making new windows, tearing the inside out, and replacing the interior of the building in so many different ways that the building has changed appearance in every particular, and yet the work is just beginning. The carpenters, brick layers, plumbers, and electricians are all busy, and under the able superintendency of Uncle Frank Ford things are certainly humming on the conversion of this building into a first class hotel for the town of Lockney. Artie Baker, the owner has put the job in to the hands of such men as Stephenson & Thurman, contractors, Williams Plumbing Co. plumbers, and Geo. F. Kinyon, electrician, with Uncle Frank Ford as general superintendent, and as a result, within the next few weeks Lockney is to have a dandy good small hotel building with every convenience that can be found in the big hotels in the larger cities.

Under the present plans the hotel will be a two story, with fifteen guest rooms, a dining room, coffee shop, lobby, barber shop, and some store buildings on the ground floor. While these were the plans to begin with, there is a possibility that Mr. Baker will add another story on the structure, and make it a thirty room hotel when it is completed.

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For colds, grip and flu take



Relieves the congestion, prevents complications, and hastens recovery.

### MALLOW-REASONER

Lester Mallow and Miss Johnnie Reasoner, of the Starkey Community were married last Saturday night at the home of Rev. G. W. Tubbs. They were accompanied by several friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallow plan to make their home in the Starkey Community.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the beautiful flowers and kind words of sympathy during our recent loss of our dear mother and grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and family, Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Edmondson, and family, Hillsboro, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Barnes and family, Greenwood, S. C.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Floyd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Floyd County, on the 12th day of January 1929, by Tom W. Deen Clerk of said Court for the sum of Three hundred forty three and 67-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of The Security State Bank of Lockney, Texas in a certain cause in Said Court, No. 579 and styled The Security State Bank of Lockney, Texas vs. A. J. Smith and Velma Wilkinson, a widow, placed in my hands for service, I, P. G. Stegall as Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did on the 24th day of January 1929, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being all of Blocks two (2), three (3), four (4), and Five (5) in Addition No. 1 to the town of Lockney Floyd County Texas, as shown by plat of record in deed records of Floyd County, Texas.

and levied upon as the property of Mrs. Velma Wilkinson and that on the first Tuesday in March 1929, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door of Floyd County, in the town of Floydada, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. Velma Wilkinson.

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

Witness my hand, this 24th day of January 1929. P. G. STEGALL, Sheriff Floyd County, Texas 494tc.

The Hesperian \$1.50 per Year.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Floyd.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hale County, on the 15th day of December 1928, by M. Della Ansley, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of (\$2154.63) Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty Four and 63-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of Nobles Bros. Grocery Company, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2390 and styled Nobles Bros. Grocery Co. vs. Mrs. W. D. Long et al, placed in my hands for service, I, P. G. Stegall as Sheriff of Floyd County, Texas, did on the 9th day of January 1929, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Floyd County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Section No. 96, Block G—M, Floyd County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Mrs. W. D. Long, and that on the first Tuesday in February 1929, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Floyd County, in the city of Floydada, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. W. D. Long.

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

Witness my hand, this 9th day of January 1929.

P. G. Stegall, Sheriff Floyd County, Texas, 464tc.

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### LAND

We have land to Sell and to Lease for Farming, Stock-Farming and Grazing purposes, from about 80 acres up, in Floyd, Briscoe, Hall, Motley and other counties. Also large list of Lots in Floydada.

W. M. Massie & Bro. Floydada, Texas

McGuire & Weatherly "The Store For Men" Cleaning and Pressing Phone 66 We Call for and Deliver

Higgins Battery and Electric Co. Radio, Automobile and Battery Service. First Door North of Post Office

## BIGGER AND BETTER WRECKS

Nobody wants to have a wreck and be out the expense of having the bus repaired, but in case you do have one, we suggest that you stage it near Floydada, so you'll be handy to our shop, where the equipment and know-how are always handy to make the automobile look like new again. Ask some of our customers who own some of the best-looking cars in this section.

We also do auto top and curtain work, replace glass, and paint with the Duco process,—pick out the shades you want—we do the rest.

## JOHN McCLESKEY Auto Top Shop

206 N. Main, Floydada Phone 220

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ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A HOME WITH A FUTURE?

I have a modern four-room residence with bath.

WRITE, PHONE OR SEE ME

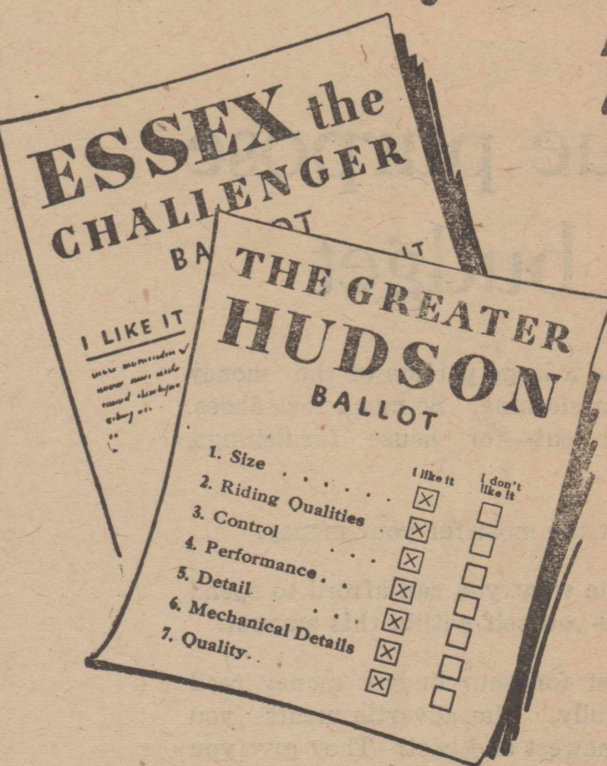
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In more than 5,000 Hudson-Essex salesrooms all motordom is voting, "I like it"—of the Greater Hudson, and of Essex the Challenger.

Thousands are seeing and inspecting these beautiful new cars. Thousands are riding. Thousands are experiencing the performance of greater power and smoothness, the efficiency new type double action 4-wheel brakes, the greater riding and steering ease, and the even greater economy of these cars.

And on just such ballots as shown at the left they are personally marking and depositing the mightiest verdict of favorable opinion ever authentically expressed for a motor car—And that opinion is almost unanimous.

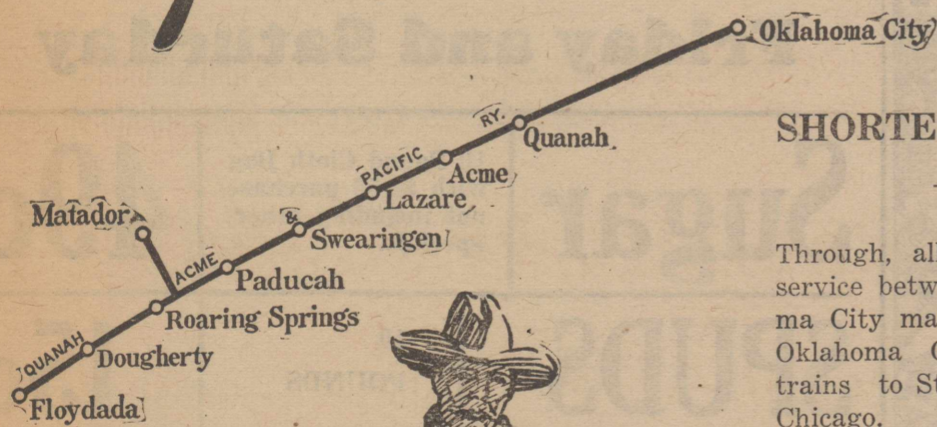
See these cars for yourself at the nearest Hudson-Essex Salesroom—and vote your own ticket.

Seven Essex models from \$695 up at factory; fourteen Greater Hudson models from \$1095 up at factory.

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Floydada, Texas

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10:00 P. M. Ar.	Quanah (B)	Ar. 7:45 A. M.	
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6:50 A. M. Ar.	Okla. City	Lv. 11:20 P. M.	
8:20 A. M. Lv.	Okla. City	Ar. 6:20 P. M.	
11:30 P. M. Ar.	St. Louis	Lv. 10:45 P. M.	
7:30 P. M. Ar.	Kansas Cy.	Lv. 11:00 A. M.	
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**Mayview News**

Mayview, Jan. 30.—Bro. Beavers preached Sunday at 11 o'clock at Dougherty after Sunday School. The attendance was about 55. He also preached Saturday afternoon at Mr. Brownlow's home where Methodist conference was held. A splendid crowd attended conference.  
Bro. Shannon filled his regular appointment at Mayview Sunday morning after Sunday School and Sunday night.

R. V. Bartlett spent Sunday afternoon with G. W. Lotspeich.  
Several of the young folks attended singing at Lakeview Sunday afternoon.  
Miss Mary Edwards spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Edwards.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bartlett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bartlett.  
Bill, Mabel, and Mack McNeill of Fairview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McNeill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stiles and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Mason of Baker spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bartlett.  
Miss Rena Handley, Harmon Handley, and Sidney Bartlett all took dinner at the Edward's home Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Readhimer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Readhimer.  
Burlison Holladay spent Sunday with Arlie Emert.  
Gus Furguson, Misses Jonnie and Lorraine Brownlow, Kia Garner and Buck Brownlow of Dougherty attended church at Mayview Saturday night.  
Perry Tilson and Miss Lottie Barnett of Wake called to see Miss Ophelia Bartlett Sunday afternoon.  
Because of bad weather last week the cotton gathering was delayed.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Handley made a business trip to Plainview Tuesday.  
We had some new pupils from Dougherty this week in school.  
Mrs. C. E. Bartlett who has been ill is improving very slowly.

**Laying Underground Long Distance Cable**



Upper—A specially built machine digging the three-foot trench for first underground long distance cable near Oklahoma City. Fiber conduit for cable is shown along side of trench.  
Lower—Back filler, filling in trench after conduit and cable is in place.

minutes while the firemen extracted the animal from the wires. She was unhurt.  
Peculiar service interruptions are detailed by Texas Utility News published by the Texas Power & Light Company which has contended with everything from snakes to airplanes.  
An ordinary chicken snake put the entire city of Waco in the dark recently when its body completed a short at a terminal tower near the power plant. The snake was killed instantly and the flash was seen in many parts of the city. A rat likewise paid the supreme penalty at Murphy, a small town in Collin County, when it became inquisitive around high voltage wires.  
Near Terrell last winter an airplane banked into a 60,000 volt line but the circuit was broken before the occupants were harmed. Nacogdoches was without lights for a short period one night when a great East Texas owl tried to fly between two wires of an 11,000 volt line. Its wings spread was too great and the resulting short circuit burned one of the wires in two.  
The latest peculiar interruption occurred at Wichita Falls, where a tiny monkey clambered over a switch structure.  
Although 110 volts at times will kill a husky man, the little monkey was still alive several hours after the accident.  
"Employees at the plant started searching for the cause of the short,

but failed to find anything until J. W. Lyle, official of the company, arrived at the spot and located the tiny body crumpled up at the base of one of the switch structures.  
"A group of plant employees carried the moaning monkey into the plant office and gave the animal first aid treatment. Three of its feet were badly seared and all fur was burned off its abdomen.  
"The accident occurred shortly after 8 o'clock Saturday night. When the monkey was still living more than an hour afterward, the electrical men took the accident victim to the veterinary hospital."

Read The Hesperian for the news of Floyd County.

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**FRIDAY and SAURDAY SPECIALS**

- New Spring House Frocks, Colors Guaranteed SPECIAL, 89c
- Spring Hats, just received, Regular Price, \$5.00, SPECIAL, \$3.49
- Brooms, Regular 50c, SPECIAL, 39c
- Aluminum Ware, Large Pieces, SPECIAL, 89c
- 4 Gallon Churn, Including lid, SPECIAL, \$1.19
- 3 Gallon Churn, Including lid, SPECIAL, 98c

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**Specials for Friday and Saturday**

BUY BY THE THE DOZEN

- Pork and Beans, Per dozen cans, \$1.25
- Tomatoes, Per dozen cans, \$1.25
- Vienna Sausage, Per dozen cans, 99c
- Potted Meat, Per dozen cans, 49c
- Kraut, Per dozen cans, 99c
- Hominy, Per dozen cans, 89c
- Corn, Per dozen cans, \$1.25
- White Naptha Soap, Per dozen bars, 43c
- Macroni or Spaghetti, Per dozen boxes, 89c
- Peas, Per dozen cans, \$1.79
- Beans, Per dozen cans, \$1.49

**C. P. LOOPER COMPANY**

**HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS WILL MEET HERE SATURDAY**

All Home Demonstration club members of Floyd County are asked to be present at a meeting Saturday afternoon, February 1, at the county court room, by Miss Blanche Bass, demonstration agent.  
"I am anxious that every club be well represented at this meeting as it will be very important," Miss Bass said.

**MARRIAGE RECORD**

Marriage license were granted the following couples since January 17 by Tom W. Deen, county clerk:  
Joe Carlton and Miss Winnie Mae Shelton, January 17;  
E. McPherson and Miss Leota Shurber, January 19;  
Paul Newberry and Miss Dorothy Mae Patterson, January 19;  
Preston Reid and Miss Lillian Pierce, January 19;  
O. B. A. Howard and Miss Bertie Mallow, January 19;  
Dial Exum and Miss Ida Lee Sargent, January 23;  
Jack Henry and Miss Maude Kropp, January 25;  
Clyde Alexander and Miss Myrtle Hall, January 26;  
Lester Mallow and Miss Johnnie Reasoner, January 26;  
W. L. Collins and Mrs. Mary Johnson, colored, January 26;  
William D. Beedy and Miss Winnie Juanita Wilson, January 28.

**CLIFFORD RHOADES TAKES TRAVELING SALESMAN JOB**

Clifford Rhoades, formerly of this city and recently of Lorenzo has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the Lee Overall Company, according to Mrs. L. E. Graham, a sister of this city. Mr. Rhoades' territory covers West Texas and New Mexico. He will headquarter at Clovis, New Mexico.

**GOOD ATTENDANCE FRIDAY AT HIGH SCHOOL MINSTREL**

Despite the fact that it was necessary to postpone the presentation of their negro minstrel from Thursday night to Friday night because of bad weather conditions, the Future Farmers of Texas Club of Floydada High School presented their jubilee singers to a large audience last week. The blackface farce was declared a success from all standpoints, and those attending were well pleased.  
Solos, duets, quartets and chorus singing featured the entertainment,

and the program was well spiced with snappy comical dialogues.  
The club sponsoring the minstrel is the Vocational Agricultural Class of Floydada High School. They were assisted by members of the Choral Club and the Floydada Municipal Band.

**Locals and Personals**

Walter Collins returned last week from Kansas City where he attended the annual Western Implement and Hardware Dealers convention on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. He attended a banquet of the John Deere implement dealers, and reported that approximately five hundred attended.  
Jerine Cooner, of Knox City, returned home Saturday after a week's visit here with her brother, C. E. Cooner, and Mrs. Cooner.  
B. L. Blacklock left Tuesday for St. Louis, where he will purchase spring merchandise for the Baker-Campbell Co.  
Mrs. Mary Awtrey and daughter, Miss Tommie Lee, and Miss Mabel Steffey visited in Lubbock Monday.  
Mrs. Dick Regan and son Dick, of Crosbyton came Sunday to be with her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. R. Houston, during Mr. Houston's trip to market.  
Mrs. M. F. Williams of Aspermont is here visiting her sister Mrs. W. H. Hilton and her daughter Mrs. Frank Jameson of Matador who is ill in the sanitarium.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Rucker returned Thursday from Hillsboro where they attended the funeral of Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. R. H. Edmonson who died January 19.  
Mrs. Fletcher Curry and son Maurice, of Midland left Tuesday after a short visit here with relatives.  
Miss Blanche Bass who has been quite ill the last week, was much improved Wednesday and was able to be up.  
BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Strain, Lakeview, January 30, a son.  
BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Lotspeich, of Dougherty, January 29, a daughter.

**Galpin Urges Science For Farm Communities**

Farm Community Organization Must Be Based on Human Relationships.

The organization of farm communities in accordance with the principles of the science of human relationships was urged by Dr. C. J. Galpin, Bureau of Agricultural Economics sociologist, United States Department of Agriculture, addressing the North Dakota Agricultural College, Fargo, North Dakota, January 15.  
Declaring that discriminations against farmers have resulted in many communities which have been "allowed to shift for years like a flock of untended chickens," Doctor Galpin said that "the farmer must now convert himself, as he converted himself to modern dairying, to the science of community life, and learn exactly how good communities grow and grow better and better and keep good."  
"A community must be large enough. It must have people enough in it, families enough, farms enough, property enough. A basic principle of modern community life demands that any group of farm families setting itself up as a community to carry on the basic matters, enterprises and institutions which every family must have, but which no family alone can provide for itself, must have people and property enough—people enough to fill the enterprise or institutions, and property to support them."  
"Many farmers in the United States apparently take their small, inadequate communities as an unchanging decree from Heaven. The science of human groupings for certain purposes demands a change

**SLAKE, MONKEY, AIRPLANE MAKE SERVICE MEN CLIMB**

Snakes, owls, monkeys, bears, chickens, and airplanes are among the peculiar hazards which electrical men contend with in keeping up service.  
Marie, the pet bear of the San Angelo fire department, recently climbed a pole, and as a result a part of San Angelo's business district was without electricity for 15

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PEACHES	Gal. Cans Solid Pack, Each	47c
PEAS	No. 2 Van Camps Extra Special, 2 Cans for,	25c
Lemons	Small but full of Juice, Dozen	23c
FLOUR	48 Pound Bag 24 Pound Bag	\$1.75 93c

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