

Time Is Had Legion Men, Guests

Unable To Attend Monday Session; Plainview Delegation Present.

Colonel E. A. Simpson, handle attorney and ex- to appear at the regular of the Floydada American Le- ary Monday night apparent- dampen the spirit and enthu- rather large number of for- men and their wives, as special guests from Plainview embled at the Legion head- and thoroughly enjoyed the to- gether.

Commander Earnest Wolberton view, accompanied by Meade E. M. Ballinger and W. A. rived at the meeting shortly opening, and John Reagan, of the local Post, called "buddies" to meet the visi- ve them a hearty welcome. the business session open- and brief talks from the were heard, all of which, ere of a nature highly ing the manifest coopera- local Legion, also the up-to- well-equipped headquarters. od or system being used at the Legion to increase its mem- a drive for which is now in was explained by Messrs. n and Griffin. F. J. Boesh, ntly moved from Whitney and in the McDermott Post, was n for a few words; in his re- Boesh expressed a pleasant he local Legion and at the of the few members which s far met.

business matters were next to, then at the conclusion and other games were played late hour; during this time of the Auxiliary served re- of punch, cake and ice supply of which was said ceeded the demand. Mrs. E. Jr., gave an enjoyable solo entertainment.

OLD FOR J. F. McCARTY ERY WITHOUT OPERATION

held out for the recovery of Cart, former Floyd County out an operation, accord- ration received from the here. Mr. McCarty's iends

at the home of his son, J. W. , at 1231 South Main St., Fort where he has been for the past ks. His daughter, Mrs. J. L. , accompanied him from Brown- rt Worth. It was planned a operation upon his arrival t found that his condition ermit. time he is able to be up and lace.

West is returning to Rio Hon- week. Encouraging letters of have been deeply appreciated McCarty and all the family, in a brief note to The Hesper- latter part of last week. Mr. will remain in Fort Worth tment indefinitely, according to ans.

ONES EDITOR AND HALF ER COCHRAN COUNTY NEWS

Jones, former Floyd County boy, Mrs. Nora E. Jones, is in the per business. An announcement ast week by the Cochran County ublished at Bledsoe, says that es. will be editor of the news- nd half-owner.

moved to Bledsoe, which is the us on the Doud Extension of the Fe southwest, a few miles on the side of the New Mexico line. The ry is improving rapidly. he issue of The News containing nouncement of Roy's connection that newspaper, is carried the f two telephone companies build- to the city, an inspection trip of natives of the Texas Utilities volunteer meeting to raise a ank at the town windmill for a ater supply, and other new busi- entering the town.

S MUSIC FESTIVAL AT LUBBOCK MARCH 24 TO 27

per of music lovers are expect- from here to attend the third South Plains Music Festival be held at Lubbock March 27, under the direction of the ins Music Teachers' Associa- ding to local music teachers. Artist course and a South music contest in which 340 ins musicians have entered. sts who have been secured to recitals are: James Stanley, one, Madame Dorothy Wel- soprano, Edwin Hughes, Max Pollikoff, violinist. ese artists to the South e teachers are offer- est festivals that has Texas.

TY DEAD

Mercury, Texas, McCarty, for- on Tuesday of friends of the e learned. this county her, and was ple in this

Paddock Performs Before Big Throng At High School

A large crowd of people from Floydada and surrounding towns and communities gathered at the high school campus Wednesday afternoon to catch a glimpse of Charles Paddock, at one time the world's fastest dash man, who instructed assembled track men on starting and other finer points of the game, before staging an exhibition 100-yard dash with representatives from Floydada, Plainview, Starkey and Sand Hill schools. He easily led the field, with Boswell of Plainview second and Terry of Floydada a close third.

Paddock, in his blue and white sweat suit, with his light hair parted on the side and carelessly blowing in the breeze, is of rather low stature, full face, weighing about 155 pounds, not handsome but extremely polite and good-natured. And doubtless every one who saw him felt a certain thrill at his sight and uttered a silent yet futile wish that they might too be as widely known and as fast as he!

Good Fire Record Saves Money for Insurers Here

Floydada's good fire record during the years of 1923, 1924 and 1925 will save residents in the corporate limits of the city a large sum of money this year, advises from Austin this week stating that the town had been granted a nine per cent reduction in fire insurance premiums, effective March 1.

Last year Floydada's saving was six per cent, each year of good record gaining three per cent until a maximum of fifteen per cent is reached.

The basis of reduction is the proportion of net revenue to the net losses of the insurance companies represented in the city.

"Under the plan adopted in Texas, property owners who insure their property, can see the saving effected by fire prevention every time they take out a policy," declared J. G. Wood of the Floydada Insurance Agency Wednesday. "The saving is indicated right in the face of the policy, and is a constant reminder that stopping fires before they start pays good dividends."

A conflagration or a series of heavy fires in Floydada would cause the town to be penalized again by the State Fire Insurance Commission next year, it is pointed out by insurance agents of Floydada.

DAUGHTER OF J. R. GLENN DIED SUNDAY AT NOON OF PNEUMONIA

Ether Glenn, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glenn, of Baker, died Sunday at noon of pneumonia and the remains were laid to rest in Floydada Cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, following funeral services held at the Cemetery Chapel conducted by Rev. G. W. Tubbs, Baptist Missionary of Floyd County.

The daughter is survived by her parents, one brother and two sisters.

315 ASSESSED POLLS IN CO. FAIL TO QUALIFY TO VOTE

Reports in the tax collector's office being prepared for the closing of the books for the fiscal year ending January 31, show that out of the total number of residents in the county who were assessed poll taxes only, with no personal or real property, 315 failed to pay and have been marked delinquent.

A tremendous amount of book work is required to complete the tax collecting year of the county each year, the collector's office force having a long grind ahead of them annually when the tax paying period ends, or rather the period when taxes may be paid without penalty.

F. H. S. ATHLETES SPONSOR COMING OF "THE IRON HORSE"

Announcement of the coming of the feature picture "The Iron Horse," by the Olympic Theatre, which will show the picture Monday and Tuesday of next week, is accompanied by the statement that the athletic funds of the Floydada High School will benefit from the showing here. Twenty-five per cent of the proceeds from the pictures will go to these funds, it is stated. "The Iron Horse" is an historical story, dealing with the period in American history when the west was being conquered by steel rails, an epoch in the history of the nation. The picture is said to be true to the period which it depicts and is well screened.

COUCH INJURIES HEAL SLOWLY

Jess W. Couch, youthful wrestler, who was injured nearly a month ago in a bout at the Curley Cafe Arena with John Ellis, is working out again, but is not trying to do any mat work yet. His shoulder was broken and is healing more slowly than expected. Although Couch is keeping in condition, it may be another month before he can take up actual mat work again, he said Tuesday morning.

Train Crash Is Fatal To N. A. Price, Plainview

Victim Was Hale County Pioneer and Brother of F. M. and P. V. Price, This Community

N. A. Price of Plainview sustained fatal injuries last Thursday morning at about 9:30 when the car in which he was driving was struck by a south-bound passenger near the Plainview cotton oil mill. Mr. Price was crossing the railroad near the mill at the time the accident occurred and did not see the approaching train. He was carried to a sanitarium but died at 12 o'clock without having ever regained consciousness.

Deceased was 64 years of age and had been a resident of Plainview and Hale County for a period of 25 years.

He was a brother of F. M. Price of the city, P. V. Price, residing seven miles north of Floydada on the Silverton road; other survivors are a wife and daughter, Mrs. M. M. Bonner of Plainview, a brother, G. L. Price of Plainview, also D. P. Price of Arkansas, three sisters, Mrs. Hattie Baker who formerly lived in Floydada but now of Martin, Tenn., Mrs. W. R. Bilbrey of Lovington, N. Mex., and Mrs. Sarah Bilbrey, of Arkansas.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the First Methodist Church of Plainview and conducted by Rev. L. N. Lipscomb. Those attending included Miss Ruby Price, city, P. V. Price, and Wyrlice Meador of near Lockney.

CROSBY CO. SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL BUILD \$12,000 BRICK

Cannaday & Stark, Floydada and Lockney contracting firm, Saturday were awarded contract for the construction of a \$12,000 brick school building for the Lakeview School District in Crosby County. The building will have four rooms and an auditorium. Crosby district in Crosby County lies about midway between Lakeview and Ralls.

STATE APPORTIONMENT OF \$5 PER CAPITA IS DISTRIBUTED

Five dollars per capita was apportioned from the state school fund to schoolistics of Texas on March 10, and State Superintendent Marrs states that a two-dollar apportionment will be made on April 15, which will be last until in August.

The five dollar apportionment brings the total for the school year to date to ten dollars.

JACKSON & BLACK LOCATE AT BLED SOE IN COCHRAN COUNTY

John Jackson, until last year for fifteen years resident manager of the Matador Land & Cattle Co., and Henry Black, at one time in charge of the townsite of Roaring Springs in Motley County, have opened a land and cattle office at Bledsoe, the new town at the terminus of the Santa Fe Extension to the New Mexico line.

WARD SCHOOL DECLAIMERS

Declaimers to represent South Ward School of Floydada in the county meet were selected yesterday afternoon in try-outs held at the ward school.

Leo Austin won first place in the boys' division with John Farris second; in the girls' division Pauline Douglass won first with Wanda Teeple second. These will represent the ward school in the county meet.

SOW FARROWS 13 PIGS

One of the Holmes Bros. sows at the Hill Top Farm in Sand Hill Saturday farrowed a litter of 13 pigs, which weighed 38 pounds, according to Ed Holmes, who was in town Monday.

Last week the Holmes boys delivered to Jones & Howard a 6-month old pig which weighed 220 pounds.

LIVE STOCK SHIPMENTS

Two loads of hogs to the El Paso market and one load of cows to the Kansas City market constituted the week-end live stock shipments from Floydada last week.

Jones & Howard consigned the hog shipment and N. A. Armstrong the cattle.

FOSTER BABY BURNED

Bruce Foster, two and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foster, received painful though not serious burns at the family home Tuesday about 12 o'clock, when he fell in to a tub of hot water while playing about the house.

Mrs. Foster was washing at the time, and Bruce backed into the tub, which was on the floor, in search of some toys which he had been playing with. A physician was immediately summoned the burns dressed, and recovery expected soon.

AUTO THIEVES BUSY FRIDAY NIGHT; THREE SMALL HAULS

Auto thieves Friday night made J. N. Johnston, E. E. Johnson and Byron Clark each somewhat poorer. At J. N. Johnston's garage the thieves took three new casings and the rims. E. E. Johnson lost heavily in equipment and parts from his truck, and Byron Clark lost a good spare tire.

'Sportmanship' Lecture Heard by Small Crowd

Paddock Says Purpose of Athletics To Train Man for Something Else in Later Life

Charlie Paddock's lecture on "Sportmanship" at the high school auditorium Wednesday night was heard by a small, hence disappointing though attentive audience. The lecture—the last number of this year's lyceum bill sponsored by the senior class of Floydada—was an interesting one, and Paddock proved himself to be at home on the stage as well as on the cinder track; his pleasing personality and jovial spirit were noticeable throughout the address, which was interspersed with personal observations and experiences in the United States and abroad to clarify or emphasize some point.

A training to fit man for something else, a means to an end—this is the real purpose of athletics, stated Paddock, who also said the willingness to sacrifice and the will to win were all-important in any athletic contest, and that something of the same spirit was needed in any work one becomes engaged in.

Any boy who goes out for an athletic team will find there are certain rules which he can not break; it is obedience to these rules which trains for citizenship, continued the speaker. Victory, he said, was an essential part to athletics, and the men in athletics who fail to give the best they have are the same way at maturity, in whatever business engaged in. The spirit in which a team takes defeat either makes or breaks it, Paddock emphasized.

Three parts to a race, Paddock said, are the start, stride and finish; and there are so many fine points which have been developed that running is now a science. Over-confidence was said to be one of the biggest faults in athletics, and dangerous there as in anything else. To prove that one can never tell from what has happened what will happen in the future Paddock cited instances in his own athletic career and in other athletics where over-confidence had led to defeat.

Although admitting there is a danger in the athletic heart, discipline is necessary. Paddock said that the best you have to make a success in athletics and what you do later on.

While in the city Paddock was the guest of F. M. Dougherty, former of Gainesville birthplace of Paddock. And, in company with O. P. Rutledge and Eddie Bishop, president and secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, respectively, he visited the ranch of Mr. Dougherty, eighteen miles southeast of the city, Wednesday afternoon.

PARTNER BUYS CATTLE FROM PARTNER IN 'PHONE TRADE

Geo. A. Coverdale, of Coffeyville, Kansas, for a long time partner with N. A. Armstrong, of this city, in various enterprises, was here several days ago with a prospective cattle buyer, who looked at some two year old steers of Mr. Armstrong but was unable to buy.

After his return to Coffeyville, Mr. Coverdale decided to bid on the cattle himself, and did. As a result he and Mr. Armstrong traded while the latter was in Fort Worth, using the telephone to close their deal.

450 head of two-year-old steers comprise the lot sold, which will be shipped to northern Oklahoma grass.

MRS. WINNIE JONES DIED LAST WEEK AT FT. WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Callaway returned Friday of last week from Fort Worth and Dublin, where they had been on account of the illness and death of Mrs. Winnie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moore and sister of Mrs. Callaway.

Mrs. Jones died in Fort Worth Monday of last week, and was taken to Dublin, former home of the Moore family for burial Tuesday afternoon. Her death was due to influenza and complications.

Besides the relatives here Mrs. Jones is survived by her husband and a five-year-old son.

J. R. DAY SERIOUSLY ILL

J. R. Day, of Pleasant Hill, father of George and Dan Day, is seriously ill at his home with pneumonia. His condition was critical Tuesday night and Wednesday.

Mr. Day is about 74 years of age.

Buick Display Rooms Opened

T. L. Callaway, salesman for the McClelland Buick Co., has completed cutting off and arranging display space leased in the Day & Night Garage on North Main Street, where models of the Buick are now being shown.

MOVING TO AMARILLO

Harry Snodgrass and family are moving to Amarillo this week, where Mr. Snodgrass will open a market. Mr. Snodgrass has been in the mule and cattle business here for a number of years and will continue his trading operations.

Would Organize Egg Circle For Big Producers

County Agent T. Scott Wilson yesterday announced the call for meeting of poultry raisers in Floyd County for the purpose of organizing egg circles for the more efficient marketing of eggs.

"Poultry raising is becoming one of the major industries in Floyd County, and the need for more efficient marketing is apparent," Mr. Wilson said. "I am calling a meeting for Friday afternoon in Floydada at 2:30 and at Lockney for the same hour on Saturday for the purpose of acquainting egg producers with the possibilities of more careful and efficient marketing of eggs in the hope of getting direct markets for those growers who will abide by the rules, grade and sort their eggs properly, and otherwise try to build up their market along with their production."

The meeting in Floydada will be held at the county court room; at Lockney in the directors' room of the First National Bank.

County Fair Subject For Chamber Meeting Friday

Tomorrow night's regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be given over entirely to discussion of plans and aims for the Floyd County Fair this fall. Secretary Ed Bishop said Tuesday that an interesting program is being arranged, and urges the membership and others interested in the fair to be present.

At the meeting Miss Blanche Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent, will discuss the ladies' department of the fair and Mrs. M. F. Husky will discuss the Flower Show. Geo. A. Linder, who was one of the early exponents of a fair in Floyd County, will have the subject, "How to put over the Fair,"

Fry will lead in the discussion of "Community Extension" which will then be given over to the discussion of the fair.

The Chamber and the various committees who have been or will be named, will have the benefit of the ideas of all those interested in the fair project, Mr. Bishop said.

Interest in the fair and promises of cordial support for it indicate that it is going to have the backing of practically every interest, and that it will be a big success, if the plans are laid right. However, much work is going to have to be done in connection with the undertaking, Chamber of Commerce officials point out.

Locals and Personals

W. E. Walker visited the Panhandle oil field last Thursday.

Mrs. T. D. Woods is suffering with flu.

Mrs. P. W. Cloud is visiting this week in Amarillo with relatives.

Mrs. L. C. McDonald is ill with a second attack of the flu.

S. S. Powers spent the first of the week in Lorenzo on business.

Harry Wright, of Quanah, was in Floydada Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Bob Echols of Matador visited Mrs. Roy Snodgrass last Friday.

Roos Henry and John Reagan motored to Amarillo Tuesday.

Cotton Harris of Spur was in town Monday.

Dorsey Baker of Lockney visited in the city Monday.

J. A. Carruth was in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. A. P. Barker of Lockney visited friends in the city last Sunday.

Truman Allen of Oklahoma has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allen of this city, recently.

Little Virginia Stovall is very ill with a complication of flu, chicken pox and pneumonia.

Judge Henry, J. A. Awtrey and J. C. Newsome were in Amarillo and Panhandle Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Jim Hughes returned home last week from a visit of several weeks in Fort Worth.

Dr. A. C. Trawick of Matador, was a business visitor in Floydada Monday of this week.

Miss Dean Poe has accepted a position as saleslady with the Powers Mercantile Company.

Garland Coleman has accepted a position with the MacMillan drug Company of Plainview and will begin work there Monday.

Will Carry Out Plans of Quanah Route President

Vice President Sommer Says Program as Mapped Out by Sam Lazarus Will be Followed.

Chas. H. Sommer vice president of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railway Company, in a letter to O. P. Rutledge, president of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce dated March 15, says the plans of the late president Sam L. Lazarus will be carried out without any changes as regards the extension of this line to Floydada, if permission is granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission. This answers numerous questions as regards the possibility that the death of the pioneer westerner and railroad builder would cause extension plans to be abandoned.

Mr. Sommer's letter was in answer to telegraphed expressions of regret from the Chamber of Commerce of Floydada, forwarded to the family through Mr. Sommer, when Mr. Lazarus' death was learned of here.

"Texas had no better friend than Mr. Lazarus, and we all know his pioneering spirit, particularly in West Texas paved the way for the wonderful progress following his work there.

achievements were numerous and always successful, and we are all happy in the thought that they will stand as a great monument to his memory," Mr. Sommer writes. "Mr. Lazarus' passing away has brought a deep personal sorrow to all of us, and as for myself, I have lost the dearest and best friend that I ever had."

The paragraph concerning the plans of the railway company says: "I wrote Mr. Massie yesterday, knowing that he would be deeply concerned about the future plans of the Quanah Line, and was very happy to say to him definitely that the program as mapped out by our departed president, concerning the extension to Floydada, will be carried out as planned, and the work undertaken just as quickly as we receive authority from the Interstate Commerce Commission to do so."

This letter from Mr. Sommer and an interview given out in Dallas by Hale Holden, president of the Burlington, scotching the idea that a transfer of ownership of the Quanah Line is in prospect, is taken as definitely denying the probability of a transfer on the property from Frisco to Fort Worth & Denver ownership.

BURKE'S MAKE TO BEDSIDE OF SON HERE

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burke arrived home Wednesday morning at 1:30 from Dallas to be at the bedside of their son, Maurice, who Monday contracted pneumonia in both lungs.

About the first of the month Mr. Burke went to Dallas to rest and diet under the care of the former family physician, and visit in the home of relatives. While there he contracted influenza and Mrs. Burke last week went down to be with him. He had been up only a day or two when he learned of the son's serious illness here, but insisted on making the trip with Mrs. Burke.

They left Fort Worth at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by bus, and came on to Floydada from Wichita Falls that night in company with Mr. Burke's brother-in-law. Neighbors had a trained nurse on the job and their son was resting as well as could be expected, when the Burke's arrived.

POWERS DRY GOODS, LORENZO, CONSOLIDATED WITH STORE HERE

A consolidation of businesses was effected last week, when the Powers Dry Goods, a mercantile establishment of Lorenzo, with W. H. Powers as proprietor, was consolidated with the Powers Mercantile Company here, the two stocks being arranged in the Stephens Store location on West Side, recently acquired by Powers Mercantile Co.

The firm will continue to be known as the Powers Mercantile Co. A large addition in fixtures for the dry goods department as well as dry goods, notions and ready-to-wear, were brought from Lorenzo. W. H. Powers, the new member of the firm, is a brother to S. S. Powers. He and his family have moved to Floydada to make their home.

The owners were well pleased with their opening Saturday, according to J. R. Duncan, also a member of the firm.

R. SEDGWICK, OF SILVERTON DIED SATURDAY OF INFLUENZA

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Felton and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shaw attended the funeral Sunday afternoon at Silvertown of R. Sedgwick, 81-year-old resident of that city, whose death occurred Saturday.

The Stevensons are old friends of the Sedgwick family and Mr. Sedgwick was a kinsman of the Felton family.

Two children survive Mr. Sedgwick. They are Will Sedgwick, of San Antonio, and Mrs. Charlie Dickerson of Quitaque. His death was due to influenza. The deceased had been a resident of Silvertown since an early day.

BIRTHS REPORTED

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Tye, city, March 14, a daughter.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Raley, of Lakeview, March 14, a son.

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MARKETING

Let's hope something good for the dirt farmer is going to come out of the congressional enactment that is almost sure to occur this session. Secretary of Agriculture Jardine, in Fort Worth last week said that marketing is the biggest problem for the farmer right now, and that other things that are being done to promote the agricultural interests by his department are secondary to that.

Many conferences with many delegations representing various outlooks on the farming situation, especially with regard to conditions in the middle west, have been held. Others are scheduled before a bill is actually put before Congress. What the final outcome may be is to be seen. Some of the more radical farm groups are offering plans that would represent very marked departure from the accepted plan of governmental functions in this country. Some such plan may be needed. However, it is to be hoped that it is not and that a way out may be found for the farmer to equalize his opportunity with that in other lines of industry. Secretary Jardine's declaration that the administration would not be stampeded by threats will be pleasing to the majority of the people.

COUNTY FAIR

Much time and effort is being given now in Floydada, by committees and subcommittees to plans and ways and means for a county fair this fall. That the fair was allowed to go by default for four or five years is to be regretted. It was due to conditions over which local people had little control and to a misunderstanding of what we could expect to make of the enterprise.

The Hesperian hopes and believes that those who are deeply interested in the plans for the fair, will not try to make it too elaborate an affair. We realize now, that a good county fair may be staged without an effort to make a "show" of it. In other words, "entertainment" features and things of that kind for which we can spend quite a bit of money and get little in return, will be dispensed.

Building a county fair is a long hard job. Making one permanent and self-sustaining, it seems, is even more difficult. But the shoals on which most county and district fairs have been broken, have been lack of realization on the part of the promoters that the home folks will be interested enough in the actual products exhibited to keep them interested for a day or two, and the outsider whom we would like to impress enough to get him to come to town to spend his money, isn't attracted by the "attractions" we are able to hold out with the always limited funds available.

THIS AND THAT

All the school people making their final arrangements for the school fair and Interscholastic League Meet in Lockney March 26 and 27.

The man who doesn't have some railroad news of some kind now is as bad off as the man without a country. If you want to make yourself interesting, think up something about the railroad situation and talk wise. They'll listen to you.

Before the war New York City was, in terms of cents, 1904 away from San

Francisco. Now in spite of increased costs of living, it is only 1680 cents from the Golden Gate. Chicago, on the other hand, was 2610 cents from the Pacific Coast before the war and is now 2946 cents away, and is 594 cents further from the markets of the Atlantic Seaboard and South America than before the war. These things are all related to each other and help to spell the difference between prosperity in the east and depression in the middle west.

You will do us a favor to let us know of any more prospective candidates. We want to encourage them to get in. This is what we term intelligent selfishness. We want them to help the candidates we already have to help us take care of that mortgage this mid-summer.

You can tell when things get sorter dull with the metropolitan press. They stir up something. Now, they are front paging a "straw vote" on the Volstead Act.

We hereby make application for the job of taster in the fresh fruit (peaches preferred) division of the County Fair this fall. We ask that our readers aid us to realize this ambition which we deem a worthy one.

R. M. Parrish says when he gets ready to announce for anything he will let us know, and if he does announce it will likely be for district judge. That will give his friends something to talk about, he said.

Saw-Scenes

Four boys playing on top of vacant house.

Chicken chasin' a cat.

Business man and small daughter practicing golf on street.

Young boy, perhaps seven years of age, hiding behind truck and smoking cigarette.

Dead coupe being pushed into garage at night by two men.

Woman pulling small wagon full of groceries toward outskirts of city.

Five head of cattle in small truck.

Mrs. S. L. Rushing, accompanied by her son, E. M. Wright, and Jimmie Lee Wright, left Thursday to visit Mrs. Wright, who is in a sanitarium at Nevada, Mo.

Miss Lula Bell Rushing visited home folks over the week-end. She is teaching in the Lubbock High School.

VANOGRAMS

By Van

"Hay u with the big feat and flop ears"—and the feller we hailed thusly stopt and looked round. Sumbody else try it on a gurl; bet they'll stop too—tho the sayer better run!

Wunder do cold checks get hot in the summer time.

Should say this r days of standerdizashun, even 2 politicking cards—"Ur voat an influents appreciated, etc."

"Golf eventually maiks liers ov us all" resintly sed one who golnfs. Wood-en stand for sech remarks, u uther golfers.

"Aint worms cute?"

Askt a lokel radioist if't he ever got no forin stations. Sed he, "Yeah, Meeksikoe, Hav-anner, and I stuck my hed outta the doar tuther nite and got Chilly!"

"Finds Bones"—this the' hedline in a naboring newspaper. Sum crap shoot-ers air so careless any way!

TO THE VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY

Upon offering myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, I wish to make a few statements in regard to my experience and qualifications.

During the greater part of my adult life, I have been engaged in the profession of teaching, most of which has been in rural schools.

There have been many pleasant things happened during this time, only one of which I shall mention here. I became so attached to one of my pupils that, after much pleading on my

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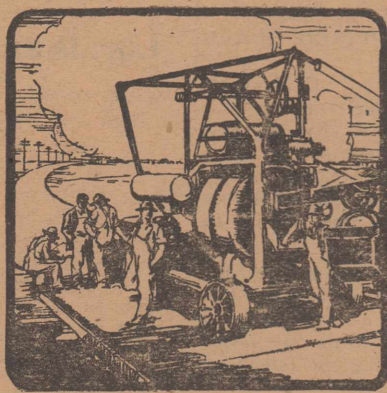
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part, she consented to become my help-mate. And since that time she has been kneading the dough, and she sometimes needs the "dough" that I do not happen to have; but nevertheless she has been most faithful.

It is not that I dislike teaching, that I am asking the good people of Floyd County to consider my candidacy for this office; but I feel that I might be allowed to ask for an opportunity to serve in another honorable way.

I served as Deputy County Clerk in Carroll County, Arkansas, the place of my birth, for two terms.

I want to say further, that I am making this campaign strictly on my own merits; and if you feel that you can allow me to become clerk of your county, I shall put forth every effort to render service that will merit approval.

E. Ray Smith.
 (Political Advertisement)

H. Z. Pennington

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 MARLIN, TEXAS

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And Applying On HUDSON BROUGHAM, HUDSON COACH AND ESSEX COACH. This Is In Addition To The Tax Reduction made February 27th And Is For Cars Equipped With Front And Rear Bumpers, Electric Windshield Cleaner, Rear View Mirror, Transmission Lock (built-in), Radiator Shutters, Moto-Meter, Combination Stop And Tail Light.

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Don't Be Misled By F. O. B. Or Factory List Prices. TO SUCH PRICES MUST BE ADDED Freight, War Tax, Handling And Sundry Other Charges Which Greatly Increase The Actual Cost. HUDSON-ESSEX Prices Are Those you Pay For Delivery AT YOUR DOOR. They Include Freight And Tax At The New Low Rate. No Delivery Handling Charges Are Made.

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FLOYDADA,

30x3 1/2 OVERSIZE CASING ONLY \$9.95

LEE CORD 29x4.40 BALLOON \$17.95

If you are hunting close priced casings for your car come and see our stock and get our prices.

We have some of the biggest values in casings you can find anywhere.

Be sure to see this oversize Ford casing at \$9.95. It is a real buy.

We will complete our stock with 29x4.40 Puncture Proof Balloons.

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Providence Notes

Providence, March 6.—Rev. and Mrs. Flierl entertained special friends Sunday night with a delicious turkey dinner in token of appreciation for the kindness shown them lately. After supper singing, talking and other amusements were enjoyed.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ratjen, Mr. and Mrs. Will Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Quebe and son, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Konia, Mrs. Ranschenschacht and Miss Gertrude Ranschenschacht. They departed at a late hour and wished the host and hostess many happy returns of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Graber of Silverton attended the services here Sunday morning and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dietrich, the ladies being sisters.

A number of young people from here attended the program at Prairie Chapel last Friday night.

The basketball team motored to Whitefield last Friday evening and played ball with Price. Price won both games from the Providence teams.

Mr. Scheele was in Plainview Saturday on business.

Mr. Smith sold maize in Plainview last week.

Edd Haas of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived last Tuesday for a visit with his aunt and cousins, Mrs. Kennedy and daughters.

There will be a pie supper here Friday night, March 19 for the benefit of the school. Everybody invited to come and bring a pie.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash of Hale Center and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zimmerman of Snyder were the guests of Mrs. Zimmerman's mother and sister Sunday.

J. W. Kennedy of Lubbock was in our community Sunday; he has the contract to haul the material for Mr. Veigle's new building which he is starting in Plainview.

Edd Malone of Lubbock was also in our midst last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock were in the city shopping Saturday.

Once again the pupils are back in school after a siege of sickness.

Stubborn Coughs Quickly Stopped This New Way

It is often surprising how the most persistent, hacking cough that not only robs you of strength and sleep, but often leads to more serious trouble, yields quickly to a simple but wonderfully effective treatment.

This treatment is based on the prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You take just one teaspoonful at bed time and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and irritation, but it quickly removes the phlegm and congestion which are the real cause of night coughing. So with the cause removed, coughing stops quickly, your sleep undisturbed, and the entire cough condition soon disappears.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Fine for children as well as grown-ups—no harmful drugs. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for



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Covering a complete stock of Radiant New Fabrics, just selected by our buyers while in New York.

Every Color, Gorgeous Patterns, a Big Saving.

FLAT CREPES \$2.98 and \$3.48 QUALITIES

40-inch flat crepe and satin crepes in all the new Spring Colors during our Pre-Easter Sale, Special.

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CANTON CREPE REGULAR \$2.98

40-inch all-silk canton crepe in all the new desirable colors for street and evening wear, Pre-Easter Sale Special,

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GEORGETTES \$1.75

40—Georgettes in all the new pastel shades. To appreciate this splendid material you must see it. Our very low price,

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SPORT SILK \$1.69

33—inches wide, Sport Silk; this is an all-silk material, fast colors, Colors are Dogwood, Rose, Afterglow, Copen, Apple and Torreador. Our Easter price,

\$1.69

SILKS \$1.19

Just in time for the Easter Frocks we offer a thousand yards of wanted silks. Silks of every conceivable kind. Silks for dresses, Silks for underwear. Hundreds of New Exquisite Weaves, Crepe de Chine, Radiant Silks, Pre-Easter Sale Special, Crepes, Broadcloths, Georgettes and Shirtings. Silks that usually sell for \$1.50 to \$2.50 per yard while they are in season. Our Special Pre-Easter Price,

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ADVANCED SELLING OF HATS FOR EASTER

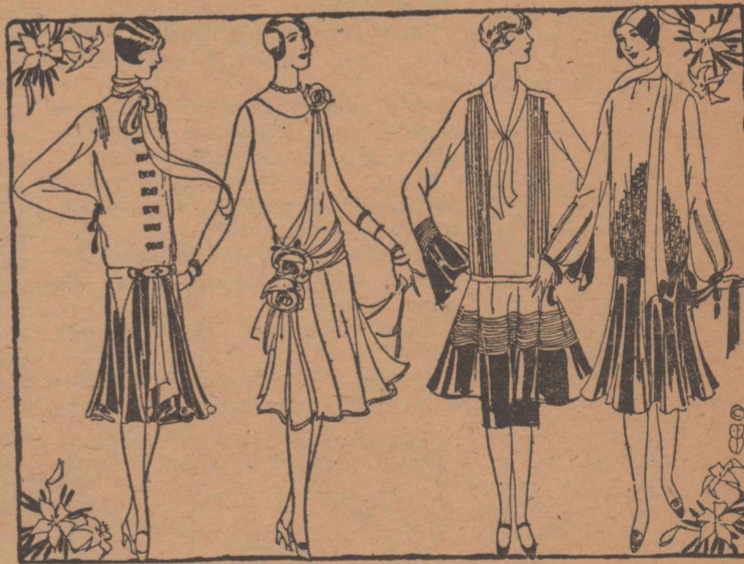
For what is Easter without a lovely NEW HAT? YOU can't imagine how soft and dainty they are—in warm tints like sunshine, aglow with the "flowers that bloom in the spring." Many are copies of high priced hats.

\$4.95

FINE DRESSES

THAT TURN ONES THOUGHTS TO THE EASTER PROMENADE

\$24.75



Georgettes, Flat Crepes, Pussy Willow, Crepe Romaines, cut as all the better spring dresses are—with elaborate borders of delicate embroidery, with tucks ingeniously placed, with a flare here and an insert there—Masterly in design—a joy to wear. These dresses priced for Pre-Easter Sale, only

\$24.75

PRE-EASTER SALE OF SPRING DRESSES

THE GREATEST VALUES WE HAVE EVER OFFERED

\$11.75

Copies of high price dresses, Glorious colors: Bois de Rose, Palmeto, Chartreuse Green, Bluebell, Gray, Tan and Orchid.

Our regular \$14.75 and \$16.75 Dresses Pre-Easter Sale price, only

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MARTIN DRY GOODS COMPANY

FLOYDADA,

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is More Expensively Built But it Costs Less to Buy one

Buick is built more expensively than any other cars in or near the Buick price class.

"Expensively built" means that the different parts and units of the Buick motor car are the best that engineers can design. But, thanks to the large volume which public demand has given to Buick, and thanks also to production methods that are models of efficiency in an efficient industry, the Buick motor car can be sold to you at a very moderate price.

Many Buick features are duplicated only in America's highest priced motor cars.

Buick, for instance, uses the Torque Tube Drive to transmit the drive of the rear wheels to the chassis, instead of burdening the rear springs with this added duty. The highest priced car in America uses the torque tube. And so does Buick!

The American public wants finer transportation and Buick provides it at lower cost. Consequently Buick is a very popular car. Come in and examine the Better Buicks.



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WITH THE CHURCHES

FLOYDADA CIRCUIT EAST

A. D. Moore, Pastor
 Sunday services at Fairview Church, Sunday School beginning at 10 o'clock and morning preaching at 11 o'clock.
 League meeting will be held at 6:30 and night preaching at 7:30.
 Services by the pastor at Mayview at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
 Dr. E. E. Robinson will preach and hold Second Quarterly Conference at Campbell next Saturday at 11 o'clock.
 There will be dinner on the ground at Campbell the day of the conference, and the Conference will begin at about 2 o'clock.

WEST FLOYDADA CIRCUIT

J. N. S. Webb, Pastor
 Sunday at Cone, Sunday School at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m., and at 3:30 p. m.
 Preaching at Farmer Sunday night at 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Edgar Eskridge, Pastor
 Morning worship at 11 a. m., with Rev. W. M. Draper, of Silvertown in the pulpit, for the pastor who is in a meeting at Silvertown. Evening worship at 7:45. Rev. Clay Mucy will preach. Come near these messages.
 Other services as follows: Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Sunbeam Band meets at 3 p. m.; Junior B. Y. P. U. at 4 p. m.; Inter-

mediate B. Y. P. U. at 5 p. m.; Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.
 W. M. S. meeting each Monday at 3 p. m.; mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. Royal Ambassadors meet Friday at 7:30 p. m. Deacon's meeting Friday at 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Elder E. B. Mullins will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Church of Christ on South Wall Street. The subject announced is "Paul's Confession before Governor Felix."
 A cordial invitation is extended for you to come and bring your bible.

METHODIST CHURCH

Joseph L. Henson, Pastor
 Dr. E. E. Robinson, Presiding Elder of the Plainview District will preach Sunday at 11 a. m., and hold the Second and Quarterly Conference at such hour in the afternoon as may be announced Sunday morning. The pastor will preach at night. The Male Quartette will sing at both services.
 Other services of the day as follows: Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. V. Daniel Supt.; Junior League at 3 p. m., Mrs. W. A. Robbins, Supt.; Intermediate League 3 p. m., Miss Emma Lou McKinney, Supt.; Senior League at 6:30 Miss Roma Swain, President.

The Quarterly Conference for the Floydada Circuit, West, J. N. S. Webb, Pastor has been postponed because of Small Pox at McCoy.

THE EMPTY HOUSE

By Gertrude Friend Scoggins
 It is lonely and still in the empty house,
 I walk on my tiptoes;
 The walls are bare, so very bare,
 An echo comes and goes.
 The bare floor cracks beneath me,
 A ghostly, ghastly sound;
 I wonder about the footsteps,
 That roamed this house around.

Were there lilting little voices
 Rejoicing through this room?
 Or a tired, fagged-out woman
 Using a servile broom?

Or maybe jolly young folks,
 Dancing so merrily?
 Or aged crones with crooked limbs,
 Living on wearily.

Who knows about the living souls,
 That lived within these walls?
 Only the Father who guideth us,
 And sees and knoweth all.

If walls might give forth stories,
 Of this dear empty house,
 What a history full of heart-beats,
 I would garner hereabouts.
 I would learn of happy laughers,
 Of woes, and smiles and tears,
 Bright days, and dark, and dreary,
 Adown the cycling years.

My heart is a house for dear friends
 To linger through the years;
 A harbor for rain and sunshine,
 For laughter and for tears.

But after years have passed away,
 When dear friends have to part,
 My House will NOT be empty,
 There'll be Memories in my heart!

MARCELLE 50c at my home block and half west of sanitarium. Mrs. W. R. Goode. 31p

MOTOR SUPPLY FIRST PLAINS MAJOR ASSOCIATE DODGE DEALER

Motor Supply Company, of Floydada, this week was named a major associate Dodge dealer, the first dealer in the plains country to be so designated. Roy Snodgrass, manager of the company, was advised Wednesday of this raise of his concern in dealership standing. The change from associate dealer to major associate dealer carries with it a number of advantages included in which is an advertising appropriation to be used in newspaper and in outdoor advertising.

This agency has enjoyed pronounced success since the first of the year. Following his return from the big Detroit agency convention on January 25, Mr. Snodgrass has sold and delivered 16 Dodge motor cars, which is one of the plains' best records. A remarkable fact about these sales is that everyone has been a sedan model. Some of the more recent purchasers have been E. C. Nelson, Mrs. A. Hathaway, city, and Lee Davenport of Silvertown.

CONTROL OF FLOYDADA DRUG CO. IN NEW HANDS TODAY

Yesterday the sale of the stock of the Floydada Drug Company held by E. B. Massie, Dr. J. H. Massie and R. W. O'Keefe to W. U. White, E. C. Nelson and W. D. Standifer, was announced by E. B. Massie, who has been manager of the business for the past two years. This afternoon at 6:30 the store will be closed for an invoice with starts tonight and will be completed in time for the store to re-open Saturday morning under the new management.

W. U. White will be manager for the new stockholders of the corporation, and W. D. Standifer will also be active in the store.

E. B. Massie, retiring manager, will continue to make Floydada his home. The condition of his health made it imperative for him to get outside, he said. For the present he will give his time to his own and his brother's extensive land interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickey returned home Wednesday from Los Angeles, Calif., where they have been since December 1.

LATEST ENTRY IN COUNTY CLERK'S RACE A TEACHER

E. Ray Smith, the latest entry in the county clerk's race, has been teaching at Fairview the past two years. He will not be able to meet many of the voters until after the close of this school term or about May 21.
 After that time he will make a thorough canvass, and wants to meet every voter in the county.
 (Political Advertisement.)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

County of Floyd,
 Sealed bids will be received by Board of Trustees, Floydada Independent School District, Floydada, Texas, until 1:30 p. m. March 29th, 1926, for the furnishing of labor and materials for the erection and completion of a two story brick school building.
 All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of contract and are to be made payable to R. E. Fry, Secretary of Board.
 Plans and Specifications may be obtained at the office of Peters & Haynes, Architects, Lubbock, Texas, by depositing \$25.00 as security for safe return of plans.
 The Board reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids.
 (Signed) R. E. Fry, Secretary
 Board of Trustees.

SANITARIUM NOTES

Vivian Evans, city, returned to her home Sunday after recovering from an appendicitis operation.
 Mrs. J. C. Kennedy of Matador was able to leave the sanitarium Wednesday of last week, after undergoing a successful operation.
 Mrs. F. M. Covington, city, had a major operation last Sunday.
 Mrs. Bert Battey, and Nancy Belle Hobbs, Lakeview, underwent major operations Monday.
 Mrs. Nelson Coward, residing four miles west of the city, had an appendicitis operation Wednesday.
 Mrs. G. L. Baker of the Lakeview community is in the sanitarium for medical treatment.
 Convalescents at the present time are J. O. Lewis, Matador, and Mrs. Steve Austin of Starkey.

RALEY BABY DEAD

The two-day-old baby, Geo. W. Raley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Raley, of Lakeview, died at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning and was buried at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Lakeview Cemetery.

Rev. G. W. Tubbs officiated at the funeral service.

HOW SMITHFIELD HAMS ARE CURED

The Smithfield ham has a reputation the country over. Anyone can produce them if he has the right kind of hams and cures them properly. The following is the method recommended for producing these hams by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The hams are placed in a large tray of fine salt, then the flesh surface is sprinkled with finely ground saltpeter until they are as white as though covered by a moderate frost, or say, use four to six ounces of the powdered saltpeter to each 100 pounds of green hams.

After applying the saltpeter, salt immediately with fine salt, covering entire surface well. Then pack the hams in bulk, skin side down, in piles not more than three feet high. In ordinary weather the hams should remain thus for three days. Then break bulk and re-salt with fine salt. The hams thus salted and re-salted should now remain in bulk one day for each pound; that is, a 10-pound ham should remain 10 days and in like proportion of time for larger and smaller sizes. When the cure is complete, wash with tepid water until the hams are clean, and after partly drying rub the entire surface with finely ground pepper. Smoking should be done very gradually and slowly, extending through 30 or 40 days.

After the hams are cured and smoked they should be re-peppered to guard against vermin and then be bagged.—Editor Tait Butler, in The Progressive Farmer.

C. H. Featherston of Wichita Falls, was here Tuesday of this week, looking after his farming interests.

WHAT TO DO

when the family provider is suddenly and unexpectedly called by death is a real problem which so often confronts the widowed mother and wife left without money, frequently in debt, and usually with no income of any kind whatsoever.

The situation is made more pitiable when there are small ones to rear, feed and educate.

Yet the solution is simple with a substantial insurance policy on hand. No provider should be without one!

See G. C. TUBBS

For— "All Kinds of Insurance"

Locals and Personals

H. S. and F. L. Haines, former residents of Floydada, who with their families have been residents in California for some time, recently leased a garage in Redlands, which they will operate.

Mr. and Mrs. David S. Battey, of Harmony, are the parents of a son which was born Tuesday of last week in Amarillo. Mrs. Battey and her son will be guests in the home of Mrs. Roy Smyth until about the first of April. Luther, Olin and Miss Vera Fry reached home Sunday night from Pawhuska, Okla., where they had been to attend the opening of the hearing for their brother-in-law, Will Hale, charged with complicity in the killing of W. E. Smith and his Indian wife, Rita, in Fairfax in 1923.

Elder and Mrs. J. J. Day, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carruth, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Kirk, J. T. Kirk, F. C. Harmon, and Mr. and Mrs. John Hollans are among the local people who have been attending the Church of Christ debates in Lockney this week.

Miss Blanche Bass will leave the latter part of this week for Munday and will be accompanied home with her mother, Mrs. Grace Bass, who has been visiting her son, Horace Bass, superintendent of the Munday schools, for several days.

Lorene Carter and Roy Baker accompanied Miss Mildred Kiser to Dallas Sunday, from which place she will go to her home in Tennessee after an extended visit with friends in the city. Mr. and Mrs. John Howard left Sunday morning for a visit with their parents near Decatur. Tommie Lee Awrey went with them as far as Vernon, where she will spend several days with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Ham, and other relatives.

Several head of farm stock and implements were shipped out from the F. M. Dougherty farms southeast of Floydada this week, consigned to Tucson, Ariz., near which place Mr. Dougherty has recently invested in farm lands, which he will handle. He retains his farming interests here, but is understood to plan to handle his farms on a rental basis, instead of on share crop basis, which releases quite a bit of his investment in stock and tools.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry and daughters went to Goodnight last Friday visiting with friends there and returning Sunday. Mr. Fry also spent some time in the oil fields, and at Shamrock and Wheeler while away.

Judge C. B. Whitten and Attorney Earl Fish, of Matador, were here Monday representing clients in District Court.

HOW TO MAKE GOOD SAUSAGE

Good country sausage can nearly always be sold at a reasonably good price. Therefore, it is well for all of us to know how to make it. There is much inferior or low-grade sausage on the market, take pains to produce a high-class product and the sale is already nine tenths made.

All the equipment needed is a meat chopper, with stuffer attachment. These can be had at a very small price and every person killing even three or four hogs should have them.
 Where one is putting up sausage to cure and keep a good while before selling, it is well to stuff it, either in casings or muslin bags. It keeps better in the muslin bags than in the casing. These bags should be coated with paraffin, as this helps to keep the sausage longer.

Much of the meat that might otherwise be wasted may be made into sausage. When one is killing hogs for home use, it may be that not more than half to two thirds of it is needed for home use, and the remainder can often be made into sausage and sold at a much better price than could the meat itself. A good grade of pork sausage can be made by using the following:

- 80 pounds fresh lean pork;
- 20 pounds fat pork;
- 1 1/2 pounds salt;
- 2 ounces fine sage;
- 1 ounce ground nutmeg;
- 4 ounces black pepper.

Some prefer to leave out the sage and pepper. When grinding meat, use the small plate so as to chop it up finely. Both the lean and the fat should be cut into small pieces. Add the spices before grinding. After it is ground, work it over two or three times with the hands, so as to be sure that the salt and spices are thoroughly mixed. A small amount of water should be added if the sausage is to be stuffed. Otherwise do not add water. The addition of water softens the meat so it may be stuffed more easily.

To make good country or smoked sausage, use the following material:—
 75 pounds lean pork;
 10 pounds fat pork;
 15 pounds beef;
 1 1/2 to 2 pounds salt;
 4 ounces black pepper;
 1 ounce red pepper;
 1 ounce sweet marjoram;
 1 ounce mace.

Prepare in the same way as outlined above, then store in a cool place for a day or a day and a half. It is then ready for stuffing. Before stuffing, add a little water to make the stuffing easier. Then smoke until a dark mahogany color is secured. Use a cool smoke, as to get it too near the fire and have a hot smoke is not desirable. —Editor Tait Butler, in The Progressive Farmer.

"MY COWS"

"My cows produce milk," a farmer says as we were at Clemson College have five cows a Spartanburg pay supplies that milk skimmed adds to my pigs, chickens connection we...

Yorkville Enquirer
 "Forty farmers Grove, Hopewell lock's Creek co. ing around \$1 sale of butterf in, where four nee from this nothing. Tom Grove business credit for inter section of York a milk route, about four mo patrons, which which promises more territory."

There is no that is so pe makes its deli the year as d nearly every ce "Tom W. Wilk farmers to the dairying.—The

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How Do Colds

To break up to cut short an influenza, sore throats, sciatics and drumming Calot refined calome gives you the salts combined ant effects of euc...

One or two Cal with a swallow of No salts, no nausea interference with or pleasure. Next has vanished, your oughly purified a fine with a hearty fast. Eat what yo ger.

Get a family p full directions, only drug store.

Silk Underfinery

STEP-INS WITH VESTS TO MATCH

and Bloomers of Jersey and Silk Crepe, in the beautifully alluring colors of Peach, Pink, Lavender and white.

You will be delighted. They are specially priced at

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PRINCESS SLIPS MADE OF THAT MOST POPULAR MATERIALS SILK JERSEY

Plain, Shadow-proof and Lace-Trimmed. Made also in Rayon Silk, the material that looks like silk and lasts long. A lovely variety of wanted colors—Peach, Pink, Green, Lavender, Tan and Red.

PRICED \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.50

LET US SUIT

They're here—the Styleplus Suits. Superior Quality in all shades and tan. A Big Investment. Snappy breasted and singed Models.

They Fit Right. and Are Priced

Don't forget those suits at \$5.85.

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Offered Contestants

100 in Gold and for Winner of Amarillo.

On "My Town" during the annual West Texas to be held in spread interest. The greatest entry contest ever offered school students and ever offered in the state. with the West America is representative. This a bona fide under twenty one 1925 and an un- spring semes- school year. The at an eligibility by the school addition the official en- of commerce own as the offi- of that town. e contestant is cretion of each enter will be eak in Amarillo. may be deemed

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April 4th

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necessary by the management will be held at Amarillo. Judges shall be selected on the basis of competency and neutrality. Speeches must not exceed five minutes in length and may be either memorized or spoken from notes. No speeches may be read from manuscript. Contestants are expected to prepare their own speeches.

Prizes offered are a silver loving cup, one hundred dollars in gold and a scholarship in Texas Tech as first prize. In addition it is expected that a free trip to Philadelphia on the special train to be run to the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition will be added. Arrangements for this cannot be made until the train is contracted for. Other cash prizes will be offered for winners of second and third prizes. Full rules will appear in the March issue of "West Texas Today" and a leaflet containing the rules and regulations is now being prepared for distribution from the Stamford office. The contest is under the direction of E. H. Whitehead, publicity manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

With nothing docketed for trial in District Court, Presiding Judge R. C. Joiner and Court Reporter J. E. Brown returned to their homes in Plainview Tuesday noon, to return tomorrow.

Roy Baker, manager of the grocery department of Baker-Campbell Co., is in Dallas this week where he is taking an examination in a medical clinic.

R. L. Hinkson and family motored to Idalou, Lorenzo and Petersburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Horn, who reside 4 miles east of the city, went to Mineral Wells last week where Mrs. Horn will remain for some time taking health treatments.

Eddie Bishop visited in Lockney Monday.

Henry Ford and family are preparing to move to Raymondville at an early date, where he has bought an 80-acre farm. F. S. Welborn will accompany them there.

J. A. and Ivor Bagwell and Mrs. Elza Gullion left Tuesday for a several days visit in Thomas, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Scoggins were Lockney visitors Tuesday.

Elza Gullion is in Panhandle, where he is engaged in the tire vulcanizing business.

L. H. Earthman of Amarillo visited in the city Saturday.

Roy and Orville Eubank and Garland Coleman, were Plainview visitors Friday afternoon and night.

E. E. Husky, who lives south of Floydada, is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. He is a brother of Dr. M. F. Husky.

LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON APRIL 3

An election will be held the first Saturday in April to fill the expired terms of four members of the Floydada School Board, according to Jeff D. Ayres, the Board's president.

Persons whose two-year terms of office expire are Lon Davis, E. C. King, Tom Stiles and M. L. Kizziar, and Judge Ayres expressed hope that the four board members will be elected to succeed themselves, since they are familiar with the work and would be hard to beat, it is said.

Tom Triplett, Amarillo, was in the city last week-end.

Mrs. H. P. Coleman and daughters, Hula and Glenna, of Lockney visited Mrs. Bob Eubank last Thursday.

J. M. Parsons motored to Plainview Friday.

Mrs. Arthur Barker of Lockney visited her mother, Mrs. Emmett Henry, Wednesday, last week.

Mrs. Flynn Thagard and Mrs. Frank Moore were Plainview visitors last mid-week.

Dr. Neal Greer of Lockney was a business visitor in the city last Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Hilton and Mrs. J. E. Eubank visited friends in Plainview last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Butler of Plainview and Mrs. John Cameron of Cleburne were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butler.

L. G. Mathews and A. J. Folley were attending court at Crosbyton the fore part of the week.

Rev. W. M. Draper of the Silverton Baptist Church visited in the city Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parker, of Lorenzo, and Raymond Allen, of Lubbock, visited in Floydada Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sparks, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Allen.

Mrs. R. P. Parker, of Crosbyton, was here Friday of last week, the guests of Mrs. M. L. Kizziar.

Miss Evelyn Kizziar had as a week-end guest last week Miss Raye Parker, of Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kyle, accompanied by Mrs. Pearl Wraske, spent Saturday and Sunday in Amarillo, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eubank, Mrs. W. R. Johnson and Mrs. A. M. Allen, of Lubbock, spent Sunday here, guests of J. E. Eubank and family.

Tom Hays, Jack McCown and Vernon Eubank, of Plainview, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eubank.

J. E. Hammit, of Liberty Community, was a business visitor in Floydada Saturday.

NOTICE

THE PECOS & NORTHERN TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY hereby gives notice that on February 18, 1926, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., its application for a certificate that the present and future public convenience and necessity require the construction by it of a line of railroad extending from Floydada in a general southeasterly direction to a point near the southeast corner of Floyd County, a distance of approximately 15 miles, all in Floyd County, Texas.

THE PECOS & NORTHERN TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY. 13tc

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County,—GREETING:

You are hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Floyd State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL, AND LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

THE STATE OF TEXAS: To all Persons interested in the Estate of W. I. Allen, Deceased, You are hereby notified that Raymond Allen has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of the said W. I. Allen, deceased, Cause No. 369, on the Probate Docket of Floyd County, Texas, and in said application said Raymond Allen also asks to be appointed independent executor under said will which application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing the 19th day of April, 1926, same being the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, at the Court house thereof,

in the City of Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so. Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 16th day of February A. D. 1926.

(SEAL) CLARA LEE SCOTT, Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas. 524tc

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Floyd County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Floyd State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship:

THE STATE OF TEXAS, T all persons interested in the welfare of Willie I. Allen, a minor, You are hereby notified that Raymond Allen, has filed in the County Court of Floyd County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Person and Estate of said Willie I. Allen, a minor, Cause No. 371 on the Docket of Probate Court, Floyd County, Texas, which

application will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing on the 19th day of April, 1926, same being the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Floydada, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, March 6th, 1926. (Seal) CLARA LEE SCOTT, Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas. 23tc

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Set your bundles on front porch or leave at Stanley's or Palace Barber Shop (Telephone 295). They will be picked up and delivered back carefully.

We will appreciate your business.

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Floydada, Texas



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Coach . . . 645
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Landau . . . 765
½ Ton Truck - 395 (Chassis Only)
1 Ton Truck - 550 (Chassis Only)
f. o. b. Flint, Michigan

Government tax reduction on automobiles officially in effect on Mar. 29 is allowed NOW on all purchases of Chevrolet cars.

VALUABLE BULLDOG DIES

Loss of a Pit Bulldog valued at \$100 last Friday is the latest piece of "tuff luck" to befall Walter Pennington. The dog, slightly over a year old, is thought to have been poisoned, a dog physician having been summoned Monday when it was seen that he was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennington keenly feel the loss of their dog, which was said to have been very smart and affectionate. It was kept behind a high wall fence and never known to have been the least bit ferocious toward any one—hence the motive for poisoning unknown and all the more a mystery.

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He has to his credit wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrah, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and rectal ailments.

Below are the names of a few of his many satisfied patients in Texas:

Mrs. A. E. Roper, Frankston, gall stones.

T. H. Walston, Rosebud, varicos ulcer.

Mrs. C. T. Wolf, Wichita Falls, dyspepsia.

Walter Rannafeld, Roscoe, acid stomach.

Mrs. B. A. Purser, Big Springs, high blood pressure.

Henry Jokel, Vernon, appendicitis.

Mrs. H. Turner, Henrietta, gall bladder and liver trouble.

Mrs. Louis Boenig, Converse, rheumatism and obesity.

Remember above date, that consultation on this trip will be free and that his treatment is different.

Married women must be accompanied by their husbands.

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Floydada Public School News

Ben Ayres Editor-in-Chief

SPONSORED BY THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL

SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTES

Music for the Senior Commencement exercises has arrived, and practice on it will begin soon. Every member should take part in the program.

The play to be given by the seniors at the end of school has been selected. Its name is "Honor Wins." Characters will be selected and practice begun in a short time. It is a fine play, something like the senior play of last year, and a very good comedy.

Charlie Paddock will speak here Wednesday night of this week, on "The Spirit of Sportsmanship," being the last number of this year's Lyceum course. If he arrives in time, we will try to get him to work out with our track boys and girls, and give them a few pointers on training.

Out of the entire number of cups offered last year, Floydada got thirteen, a majority, and also got the County Championship Cup. Eight of these cups were offered in Literary Events, and the remainder in track events.

This year, only points made by High School entrants will be counted in determining the County Championship in the County Meet, and the Junior points will count for nothing.

The basketball girls and football boys are selling tickets for the film, "The Iron Horse," to be given at the Olympic Theatre next Monday and Tuesday, twenty-five per cent of the proceeds to go to the Sweater Fund. Everyone is requested to buy a ticket.

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The honor roll was not published last week on account of a rush of work in the principal's office.

Seniors

Elizabeth Thacker 87.4, Alyne Burton 83.5, Tom Bishop 86.5, Gertrude Davis 92.5, L. B. Fawver 86.75, Arie Gamble 95.25, Olen Harris 86.25, Effie Noland 86.8, Inez Paschall 90, Ethel Rhoades 93.8, Hal Scott 98.5, Bonnera Stephens 86, A. D. Summerville 91.25, Lena Thomas 87.2, Herman Thomas 87.75, Winnie Wilson 88.75, Bessie Wood 89.75, Wilma Fuller 88.3, Mildred Orsburn 89.4, Marie Parkey 88.25, Franklin Walker 93.75, Betty Lewis 93.75, Ethna Green 92.83 and Velma Jamison 90.

Juniors

Ben Ayres 94.66, Henry Bollman 85.75, Elma Cummings 90.5, Margaret Henson 92.5, Hazel Massie 86.66, Willie B. May 90.5, Ina Mickey 95.5, Thelda Mickey 90.75, Jack Sims 85.5, Arvil Smith 89.2, Dean Smith 85.5, Richard Stovall 90.4 and Oliver Holmes 89.5.

Sophomores

William Enoch 88.25, John Edwards 89.75, U. S. Marshall 85.8, Ila Wright 89.5 and Harold Porterfield 86.5.

Freshmen

Onita Carter 90, Ruth Epoch 90.25, R. V. Husky 92.33, Oleta Jackson 86.5, Ruth Jenkins 89.4, Virginia Meachum

89.75, Winfred Newsom 91.6, Margie Norton 89.5, Jessie Merle Scoggins 86.25, Ruth Stegall 94.75 and Mildred Strickland 85.5.

A number of students of honor roll standing who have incomplete work on account of illness are worthy of honorable mention. These are as follows: Veda Wooten, Walton Wilson, Roxie Haverty, Evelyn Kizziar, Dorothy Jones, Lowell Watkins and Inez Bolding

A track meet was held here last Friday, between Sand Hill and Floydada. Nothing was decided by this meet, which was held only for practice. The Sand Hill Girl's volley ball team played our team at the same time.

Floydada won first in the following events:

Shot put, Edwards—41 feet, 11 inches
Discus, Edwards—111 feet, 7 inches.
100 yard dash, Terry.
Mile run, Swain.
120 high hurdles, Edwards—20 seconds.
220 low hurdles, Steen, 29 seconds.
440 yard dash, Terry.
Broad jump, Foster—17 feet, 5 inches
High jump, Houghton, Marshall, Porterfield.
Our girls also defeated Sand Hill in volley ball. A return game will be played there next Friday.

The declamation try-outs were held Tuesday night, and the following contestants were selected for the County meet:

Senior girl declamations, Margaret Henson.
Senior boy declamations, Elma Cummings.
Junior girl declamations, Gwendolyn Snodgrass.
Junior boy declamations, Otho Johnson.

The Ralls boys and girls debating teams held a practice debate with Floydada teams at the same time, as a part of the program.

SOUTH WARD NEWS

The pupils entering the declamation contest entertained in chapel this morning with their declamations. We are very proud of them. They are: Leo Austin, Illan Tinan, Billy Joe Welch, John Farris, Virginia Grigsby, Willimina Salisbury, Wanda Teeple and Pauline Douglass.

The final try-outs will be held this week for declamations, also other entries.

Mrs. A. H. Thornton served as one of the judges of declamation at Sand Hill Monday night.
Miss Maisy Reeves was a Sunday visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Butler.

Mrs. Frances White
Trained and Experienced Nurse

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Floydada, Texas

itor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Butler.

Miss Vera Hamilton, primary teacher of Cedar Hill was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Elmer C. Caudle Saturday.

Little Miss Mildred Houston visited in Abernathy Sunday.

Billy Tye is the happiest boy in the ward school because he has a new sister.

Miss Ruby Norton was in Plainview Monday attending special business, Mrs. Parson substituted in her place.

The P. T. A. meeting will be held Friday afternoon.

The rivalry between the rooms is causing quite a little bit of interest. All parents are expected to come. Miss Williams' room will give most of the program.

Locals and Personals

Don McCowan and A. C. Barton of Whitney were in the city last Thursday and Friday on business.

Mrs. H. T. Smith left Saturday for Leonard, Texas, in company with her brother Roy Sudderth of Lubbock, to be at the bedside of their father, D. G. Sudderth, who was reported seriously ill Friday night.

O. W. McLeod, manager of the Lubbock Laundry Company, was in Floydada Saturday last in company with J. A. Staggs, route man for the company, on a tour of several east plains towns.

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Maury Hopkins of Plainview visited relatives and friends in the city Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Gamble, of near Petersburg, who has been in a Lubbock sanitarium for several days, is doing fairly well, according to reports received in Floydada. Mrs. Gamble suffered an attack of influenza some three weeks ago, which "settled" in her eyes. Mr. Gamble was in Floydada Saturday and said his wife had suffered very much but they were hopeful of her complete recovery soon.

Attendance at the presentation of their play at Antelope last Friday was highly gratifying, according to R. Austin, principal of the School, and the efforts of the play were pleasing to the crowd apparatus he said.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Garrett returned last Friday from Temple, where had been with their little daughter an operation. The baby is doing J. I. Finley left the latter part week for Calhan, Colo., where he be employed on the Big Spring.

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Pink Salmon, 13c

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FOR SALE—At auction Saturday in Floydada, wicker baby buggy in good condition. Col. W. H. Seale, Auctioneer 31tc.

FOR SALE—Good bright kaffirecorn bundles, well headed. C. T. Warren. 33tc.

FINE BARRED Rock eggs, Aristocrat strain, for sale \$2 per setting, \$10 per hundred. Mrs. W. M. Massie, phone 63. 23tc.

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FOR SALE—Cash or credit, four head of work stock. Phone 911F3. Mrs. M. F. Swain. 22tp

FULL BLOOD Barred Rock eggs for sale; setting of 15, \$1; 100 for \$6.00. Mrs. T. W. Martin. 21tc

HANDY, cheap and far better than your blank checks to figure on—are scratch pads from The Hesperian.

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Political Column

R. C. Joiner, candidate for District Judge, 64th Judicial District, (re-election) asks your support and influence in his race. He will be a candidate subject to the Democratic Primary.

Charles Clements, candidate for Judge, 64th Judicial District asks your support and influence in his race. He will be a candidate subject to the Democratic Primary.

W. E. Huffhines, candidate for District Attorney, will appreciate your support and influence. Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

Meade F. Griffin candidate for District Attorney 64th Judicial District, asks your vote and influence in the Democratic Primary.

C. D. Wright, Democratic candidate for District Attorney, 64th Judicial District, will appreciate your vote and influence.

J. W. Howard will appreciate your support and influence in his race for county judge of Floyd County, subject to the Democratic Primary.

T. R. Webb, candidate for county judge, solicits your support in the Democratic Primaries.

Will Simpson will appreciate your influence and your vote in the Democratic Primary for County Judge of Floyd County.

Will McGehee, candidate for County Judge Floyd County, will appreciate your vote and influence. Subject to Democratic Primaries.

R. Maddox, Candidate for Sheriff Tax Collector of Floyd County, subject to the Democratic Primary, will appreciate your vote and influence in his race to succeed himself for the second term.

Ed Griffin, candidate for sheriff and tax collector, of Floyd County, subject to the Democratic Primary, will appreciate your vote and influence. 4710p

B. L. (Dob) Kropp will appreciate your vote and influence in the Democratic Primary for sheriff and tax collector.

P. G. Stegall candidate for Sheriff and Tax Collector, Floyd County, will appreciate your vote and influence. Subject to action of Democratic Primary in July.

Miss Anna Sims, Candidate for County Clerk of Floyd County, will appreciate your vote and influence. Subject to the Democratic Primary, July 24.

Tom W. Deen, candidate for County Clerk will appreciate your vote and influence. 4924tp.

Mrs. Maud Merrick, candidate for county treasurer of Floyd County, will appreciate your support and influence. Subject to the Democratic Primary.

Mrs. Elder Morris, candidate for re-election as county treasurer of Floyd County, will appreciate the support and influence of the voters in the Democratic primaries.

Mrs. Dora Crain will appreciate your vote and influence in her race for County Treasurer of Floyd County on the Democratic Ticket.

Drs. Smith & Smith Sanitarium
For Medical and Surgical Cases
Phone No. 177
Floydada, Texas

BLANCO NEWS

Blanco, March 16.—This community, like all others of the county, has had a siege of sickness lately, but every one is on the road to recovery now, we hear.

Mrs. W. E. Smith is spending a while in the home of her son, W. V. Smith. Rev. J. N. S. Webb, pastor of the Floydada Circuit West, was visiting in the community the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hicks of Floydada visited in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Will Snell, Sunday.

News reaches us from Mineral Wells that Mrs. E. B. Hooten, who was taken there for treatment for rheumatism two weeks ago, is getting better. We hope she soon returns to us strong and well.

Revs. J. L. Henson and A. D. Moore of Floydada were visitors in the community last Friday afternoon.

We are glad to report the Young boy who has been real sick with pneumonia as being on the road to recovery now. Will Snell is doing jury work in town this week.

Sunday School at this place is progressing nicely, with good sized crowds in attendance. The singing on the evening of March 7 was well attended, a few from McCoy, Sand Hill and Campbell also being present.

P. E. McCarty left Saturday for a few days visit with relatives at Clint. His wife expects to return with him. She has been there for several weeks nursing her brother and sister.

Judge J. N. Stalbird, of Lockney, was in Floydada Monday on legal business.

F. C. HARMON
Licensed Undertaker
Modern Equipment;
Hearse and Ambulance
SERVICE ANYWHERE
Phones: Day 242; Nights 174 and 259-W

T. P. Guimarin, candidate for district clerk of Floyd County, subject to the Democratic Primary, will appreciate your vote and influence.

Ed Muncy is a candidate for District Clerk, on the Democratic Ticket. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

C. M. Meredith, candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Floyd County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, will appreciate your vote and influence.

Price Scott asks for re-election to the office of County School Superintendent Floyd County, subject to the Democratic Primary. Will appreciate your vote and influence.

W. C. Hanna, candidate for re-election as Commissioner Precinct No. One, subject to the Democratic Primary, will appreciate your vote and influence.

A. F. Norton, candidate for commissioner Precinct One, will greatly appreciate your vote and influence in the Democratic Primary. 4924tp

G. Scott King is a candidate for Public Weigher Precincts One and Four and will appreciate your support and vote in the Democratic Primary.

A. A. Beedy is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct Four, subject to the Democratic Primary. He will appreciate your vote and influence.

Dan Day, candidate for Commissioner Precinct Four, subject to the Democratic Primary, asks your consideration for the office.

W. W. Payne, Democratic candidate for Commissioner Pre. 4, will appreciate your vote and influence.

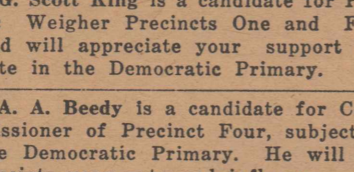
KILL FIRST COYOTE SEEN IN YEARS ON PLACE NEAR BAKER

Marvin Fawver, the latter part of last week, was showing the pelt of a coyote, discovered and killed Wednesday near his place, the first seen on the place in years.

The coyote was first seen some 200 yards from his house in the Geo. L. Fawver sheep pasture. After unsuccessful attempts to get close enough for a shot at the wolf, he went for help. Claude Fawver, Leon Danders and he loaded into a Hupp roadster and Claude Fawver's and gave chase. They ran the coyote a long race, Landers finally getting the shot that killed the varmint.

Miss Maisie Reeves of Plainview spent Sunday with Mrs. Truett Butler.

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LAWYER
Rooms 12 and 13
First National Bank Building
General Practice



You can depend on a Philco Drynamic Battery in the emergencies. Get yours NOW.
H. O. POPE & SON
Electrical Supplies
PHILCO
DIAMOND GRID BATTERIES

White Swan COFFEE

PIERCE PETROLEUM OFFICIALS VISIT THEIR FLOYDADA PLANT

What is considered as presaging expansions in this territory of the Pierce Petroleum Corporation's plant and business, was a visit with C. T. Stevens, their local manager, of Geo. S. Norman, manager of the lubricating oil department of the company, out of St. Louis, and D. F. Wadley, assistant manager out of Dallas, last week.

The officials advised Mr. Stevens that their visit meant the probability of expansions in this territory, but did not go into any details in connection with the home office plans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Denman and children, of Lubbock, visited Sunday here with Mrs. Denman's mother, Mrs. Wm. Moore and Family.

FOR THE CROPPING SEASON OF 1926

I will charge the following prices:
Listers sharpened, 35c
14-16 in. Tandem Disc rolled, \$1.25
18 in. Tandem disc rolled, 20c
20-22 in. plow disc rolled, 25c
24-26 in. plow disc rolled, 50c
New Lister Shares, \$2.50
Horse Shoeing, Wagon Work
FIRST CLASS WORK
ENOCH'S BLACKSMITH SHOP
East Side Court House Square
524tp

MOTHERS

Watch for symptoms of worm your children. These parasites are great destroyers of child life. If have reason to think your child worms, act quickly. Give the little a dose or two of White's Cream Ve fuge. Worms cannot exist where time-tried and successful remedy used. It drives out the worms and stores the rosy hue of health to b checks. Price 35c. Sold by all D Stores.

FLOYDADA PRODUCE COMPANY

Give best prices all the time that the market will stand on your

Cream, Eggs and Poultry

Keep us in mind and let us serve you. Careful cream tests mean better returns to the customer.

Across the Street, and West of Post Office

LUMBER and All Building Material

House, Garage, Barn bills, complete to the consumer in carloads delivered your station at material saving in price. No delays. Write for prices and estimates.

FORD JARVIS LUMBER CO.
MILL and CONCENTRATION YARD
HOUSTON, TEXAS
P. O. BOX 524

IF YOU want to run the risk of poverty in old age, certainly you can get along without life insurance —But your family can't.

S. E. DUNCAN

This is a Day of High Cost of The Necessaries of Life

EVERYONE IS INTERESTED IN BUYING FOODSTUFF AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE COST. YOU OWE THIS TO YOURSELF.

The 'M' Store is Chug-Full of Bargains

The prices we are making are not Special Prices for just a day. WE ARE SELLING EVERYTHING FOR MUCH LESS THAN YOU HAVE TO PAY ELSEWHERE

We recently made a buy in Salmons that will interest you. We are going to sell way:

SALMONS Saturday Only Per Can **11c**

Limit 5 Cans to the Customer.

EVERY DAY is BANANA DAY at the 'M' STORE

We sold 25 bunches last week and didn't have near enough to go around. We increased our order this week and hope to have plenty for all.

OUR PRICE Per Lb. Remains **7c**

This means only 18c to 24c per dozen.

Baker-Campbell Co.

'M' System Store

"The Store Beautiful" Floydada, Texas

MEMBERS OF THE BIG CHAIN



Use **1/4 Less** It Goes Farther!

White Swan COFFEE

Home Demonstration Club News

STARKEY CLUB

The Starkey Club met Friday afternoon, March 12, at the school house. The members were present. Miss ... was with us and gave us a short lesson in "Italian Hemstitching." She took the names of those who want to enter the house dress and apron test.

We are glad to report that all the members present, except one, entered a contest.

We have decided to meet on Tuesday hereafter, instead of Friday, so our next meeting will be on the first Tuesday afternoon in April. The subject will be "planning the menu," a very interesting subject. We want to urge that more of the ladies attend this meeting. We believe that if you will come and take an interest you will be sure to become a member.

Remember, we meet Tuesday afternoon, April 6, for our next meeting.

PROGRAM OF OLYMPIC THEATRE FOR WEEK

Thursday March 18th.
"HE WHO GETS SLAPPED"
Featuring Lon Chaney, Norma Shearer and John Gilbert. This is one of the greatest pictures of any season. Also good two reel comedy.

Friday, March 19th.
"CLARK-OLDFIELD HAWAIIANS"
A special music program and vaudeville. Also picture program in connection.

Saturday, March 20th.
"WESTERN PLUCK"
Featuring Art Acord in a fast moving western; also two reel comedy.

Sunday and Tuesday, March 22 and 23.
"THE IRON HORSE"
This picture ranks with "Covered Wagon," "Ten Commandments," "North of 40" and is equal to any picture made in the last few years.

Monday, March 24 and 25.
"WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES"
Featuring Reginald Denny in farcical comedy and you'll need all your laughs before the last scene is finished. Also good two reel comedy.

Specials: "American Venus," "Fishing American," "Ancient ..."

Extension Service Food Specialist Gives Yeast Bread Demonstration

Miss Lola Blair, food specialist of the Extension Service of A. & M. College, was in Floydada yesterday and gave a yeast bread demonstration before the home demonstration clubs of Harmony, Blanco, Sand Hill and Campbell as well as other near-by club representatives at the office of County Home Demonstration Agent Blanche Bass.

The morning was spent in conference with Miss Bass, and the demonstration given in the afternoon. This is the first inspection and demonstration tour which Miss Blair has made on the plains this year, but she is expected to return later in the year and give further assistance to demonstration clubs of this section.

AIKEN GIRLS' CLUB

Miss Bass did not come in time for our meeting this past week, but the girls went ahead with the usual routine of business.

The house was called to order by the president, minutes read by the secretary and approved by the house. Roll was called and each member answered in response to her name by telling what she had done toward her poultry raising. The girls who belonged to the Club last year told how to make the cap and apron.

After the noon period Miss Bass came, and a short meeting was held with her. She gave further instructions for making the cap and apron.

Besides the required work we are going to make a gingham dress and lingerie.

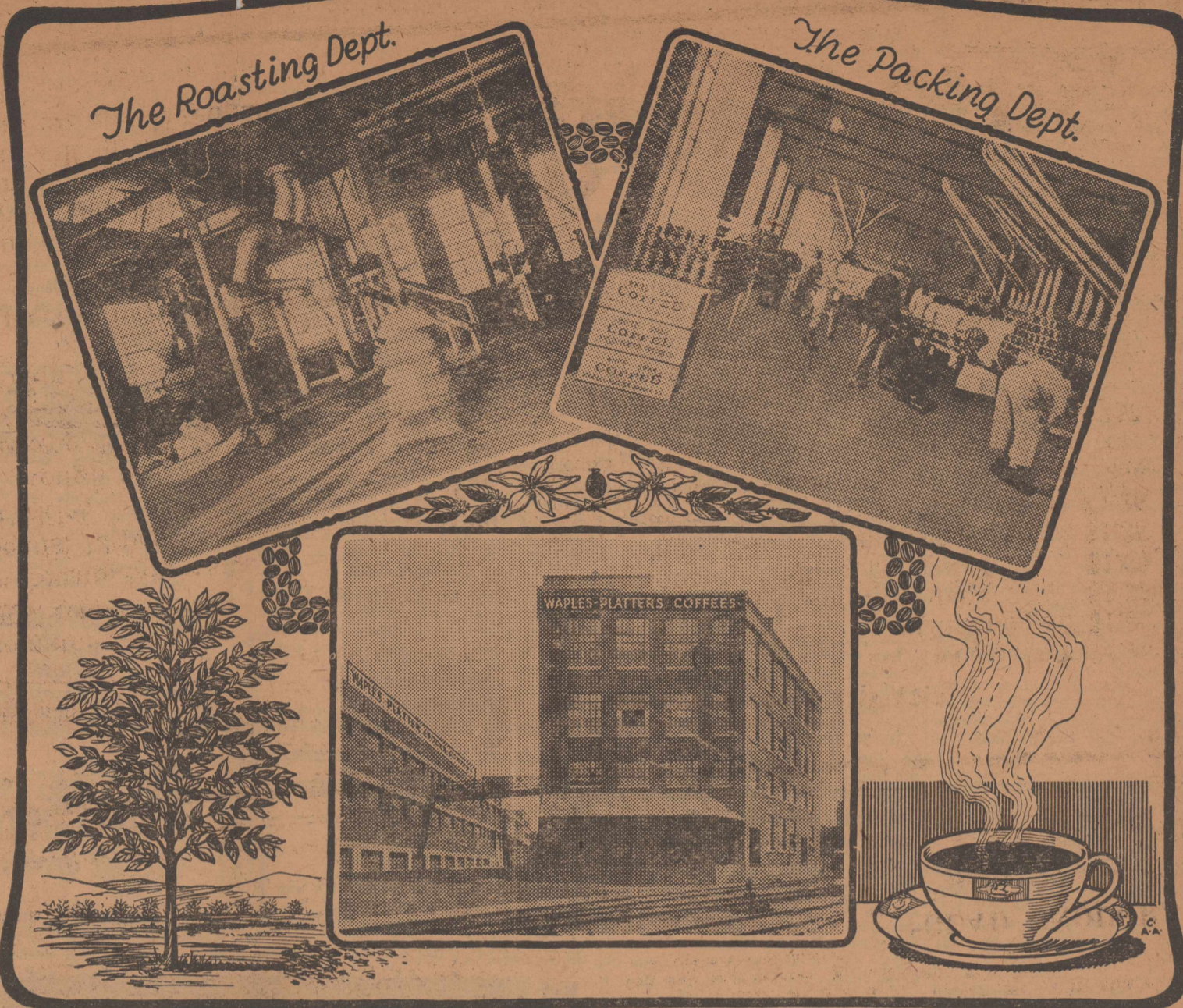
PROVIDENCE CLUB

The Providence Demonstration Club met at their Club room on March 9. Miss Bass met with us, and there were ten members present, also one visitor.

We had a very interesting meeting. Miss Bass brought a nice display of samples of gingham percale and chambray; she also gave a lot of advice about the house dress contest. Each woman told what color she liked best for a house dress and what make of dress she preferred. Miss Bass brought a good many pictures of house dresses and cook aprons for our benefit, as the house dress contest is going on now.

Miss Bass said the Chamber of Commerce was going to offer several valuable prizes to the winners in the garden, kitchen, house dress and canning contests.

The lesson we had was on "Bound button holes and set-in pockets." Our next lesson is on "Preparing the meal," with Mrs. W. A. ...



NEW WHITE SWAN COFFEE ROASTING PLANT

THE big, modern four-story coffee roasting plant pictured above has just been finished and put in operation by the Waples-Platter Grocer Company to help care for the ever-growing demand for its well known product, White Swan Coffee. This great building, with its 35,000 square feet of floor space and its ultra modern equipment, is a far cry from the days of 1872 when the company was founded at Denison, Texas, where ten men housed the organization and supplies were brought in by ox-carts; or even from 1895 when coffees were first blended and roasted by this institution.

The new plant, in construction and equipment, is the last word in efficiency and is ideal for the correct manufacture of fine coffee. Here is ample storage space for thousands of dollars' worth of green coffees from the countries which produce the choicest grades. In the photo at the upper left you see the bright sun-lit roasting department where in one roaster 500 pounds of coffee can be perfectly roasted every half hour. The light in this department is a most important factor as the best roasting demands expert and careful testings as to color. Therefore, this department is a flood of pure north light ideal for the purpose.

The octopus-like chutes leading from the roasting department carry the roasted coffees by gravity on down through the grinding department and finally to the super-clean and sanitary packing department on the first floor. From the minute the green coffee enters the roasters until it reaches the housewife, no human hand touches it; the Waples-Platter process handles the coffees cleanly and mechanically. In packing, each can is filled and carefully weighed for full weight.

Knowing that coffee must reach the consumer within two to three weeks after its roasting date, if its original quality is to be enjoyed by the drinker, the Waples-Platter folks have giant trucks waiting to rush their White Swan Coffee swiftly by truck and rail to the twenty-two wholesale branches of the company, from which it is quickly distributed among dealers in small enough quantities to allow them to get it to housewives in their sections with all the original aroma, strength and deliciousness of this finer coffee. In speaking of this freshness, H. C. Platter said: "The original perfect blend of finest coffees that money can buy and the freshness with which it reaches the table of the consumer assure the economy of White Swan Coffee because these qualities make it go at least one-fourth farther."

Isn't by Accident

... clothes fit. It's because the folks who tailor clothes have an organization of sufficient size to obtain an expert designing staff.

This means that the clothes we tailor for you will be absolutely.

This, combined with dependable woollens, is—after our idea of real tailoring. And it's ours!

... you will want the proper shoes, hat, shirt, hose and wear to go with that suit. We have these too. ... shades, styles and everything.

... take a few minutes off and let us show you our bargains. It costs you nothing, and you are not bound to buy. But you will know where to go when you are ready.

Russell's Store

PHONE 66—FLOYDADA

The Modern Dry-Cleaning Plant.

hostess. Miss Lois Williamson is leader and each member present is to answer roll call with a "Good menu for the evening meal." Following is the program:

Requirements of a good menu—Mrs. Powell.

Economy in the daily menu—Mrs. Crouch.

Demonstration lesson on how to prepare the noon menu of six dishes by Miss Bass.

The salad dish of green spinach will be prepared by Mrs. McGlaughlin, the meat coquettes by Mrs. Cowart, the cream peas by Mrs. McCulloch, the head lettuce salad by Mrs. W. M. Sammann, the corn-bread by Mrs. Phillips, cream puffs by Mrs. Powell, and the grape juice by Mrs. K. Sammann. Every one is present as we expect to learn how to cook some new foods in more attractive ways.

Let every member that can come to the next meeting, expecting to join the house dress contest. Let us try to have as many contestants as any Club in the county.

Our next meeting is on March 23, at 2 p. m. All are urged to be present on time and to bring some one with them.

Call No. 8 or 58 for typewriter ribbons, second sheets, carbon paper.

McCoy Happenings

McCoy, March 17.—School began again Monday after being closed a week on account of sickness. We are glad to report most of the pupils back in school.

Reverend Webb filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Ura Smith has been ill for several days with the flu.

Those who visited in the Jim Gambelin home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and son, Roy, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith and P. H. Pharr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pittman of the Starkey community spent Tuesday night with his sister, Mrs. Geo. L. Smith.

Mrs. Cap Ellison of Crosbyton, president of the W. M. U., met with a number of the ladies Sunday evening and organized a W. M. U. with Mrs. J. M. Gambelin as president.

J. W. Berry is on the sick list this week. He has been suffering with the flu.

Miss Nettie Nixon, who is attending school at Floydada, spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.

Use Hesperian Want Ads.

HALF-MINUTE INTERVIEWS

R. E. Fry: These people up on the north plains, in and around the oil fields have gone mad, and are rushing around just like they did at Burkburnett when the boom broke loose there. I figure we're going to get some good out of it, as far off as we are. Fact is, I've already got some good out of it. I came home with a lot more pep, just from mixing up in the rush for two days, and I'm selling some life insurance, too.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends who were so kind and thoughtful during the recent illness and death of our dear husband, father and grandfather. May God bless you all, is our prayer. Mrs. W. M. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Morton and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Copperell and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Graham and children.

Mrs. Floyd Huff and daughters and Mrs. W. C. Watson of Lockney visited Mrs. J. A. Carruth last Friday.

Mrs. Gus de Cordova is ill at this time.

"GLAD SNODGRASS" Furnishing Store

SETS THE STYLE PACE FOR WEST TEXAS

I fit men of all proportions—from head to foot.

EASTER Is Most Here

I've set the stage. Everything is ready. If it's a new style that's good. Or if you don't know exactly what you want—you soon will, after looking through this stock of Men's Wearing Apparel.

Don't let your shape or age keep you from coming to—

"GLAD SNODGRASS" Suits \$25 and up.

Home of merchandise with a name back of it.

Special prices for cash

GROCERIES

Pink Salmon, good grade, per can	13c
Gallon Peaches, solid pack, per can	55c
No. 2 Tomatoes, per can	9c
10 pounds good Prunes	\$1.00
Koo Koo Syrup, large size	60c
Navy Beans, 12 pounds	\$1.00
Gallon Pickles	90c
Granger Rough Cut Tobacco, pkg.	6c
Stud Smoking Tobacco, 7 pkgs.	25c
Raisins, seeded or puffed, pound	11c
Bradley Yam Seed Sweet Potatoes, small	
lots 4c lb. bushel lots	3 1/2c
50 or 75 pieces guaranteed Aluminum, a real bargain, choice while they last	\$1.00

HARDWARE

Heavy Electric Weld Trace Chains, pr.	\$1.25
Light Electric Weld Trace Chains, pair	\$1.00
Heavy Concord Hames, per pair	\$1.25
Light Concord Hames, per pair	\$1.00
Best Grade 32-in. Chain Breast Straps	\$1.35
Full Leather 3 1/2 in. Back Bands, Each	\$1.25
Hame Hooks, 4 for	25c
Heavy Bridle Bits, jointed or straight	15c
Clevises, all kinds and sizes, per pound	15c
Single Tree Clips, genuine McPhail,	
3 for	25c
3 pound Bucket Axle Grease	25c
1 pound Can Axle Grease	10c
	\$1.00

We have no connection with any of the Chain Stores. We're just a small concern doing business, making our own prices and selling in our own way. No syndicate does our work or outlines our business policy. We buy our own goods and pay the spot cash for them and are passing the saving along to our customers in reduced prices. Our 1926 prices on the Improved Moline Implements will surprise you after you see them. Come and see. We have dozens of bargains that are not listed above. We always have TOP PRICES for Eggs and Butter.

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