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## HIGHWAY OFFICIALS ORGANIZE FOR AID

### Meeting At Matador May 27; May Seek Lee Highway Improvement

County judges and commissioners from the nine counties traversed by Highway No. 28, extending through Texas from Vernon to Texico, will meet in called session at Matador Friday, May 27, to work out plans for securing possible state and national aid on road construction, according to County Judge Wm. McGehee.

#### People Must Approve

It is expected at this meeting, it was stated, that an organization will be perfected, including officials attending, and authority invested in this body to confer for additional road improvement aid. Stress was laid on the fact by Judge McGehee that action would only be under the provision that the people see fit to vote bonds for permanent road construction over the entire route in the state.

Judge McGehee believes that by linking all the counties on Highway No. 28, locally designated as the Lee Highway, into one road building proposition without gaps, that it is very probable that the state and national aid would be granted to the extent of 65 or 70 per cent of construction cost.

In discussing the matter, Judge McGehee said, "I would advise against calling a road bond election at this time, for the reason that the people should have some assurance of having their road funds supplemented to a substantial amount before such an election. It would not, to my opinion, be advisable for any county to expend any road bond money for paving, unless the entire proposition can be put over as a unit. I think for the further reason that cooperation is needed, because state and national road commissioners do not look with favor on piece paving with intervening gaps as would be the case on this road unless all counties come up with their pro-rata quota of the funds. The state and national road commissioners will not grant aid on such partly supported highways."

#### Inform Voters Completely

"In the event an election for voters is held, it is the duty of the county judges to inform the voters completely."

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## Close School Friday Night At Sand Hill

### Graduation Exercises Will Be Held For Four Seniors And Ten Grade Students.

Closing exercises for the Sand Hill public school will be held at the community auditorium Friday night at 8:30. Exercises for the seventh grade class will also be held at that time. There are four seniors who will receive diplomas and ten will be awarded certificates for grade work.

L. G. Mathews of this city will deliver the graduation address tomorrow night.

Columbus Roger Davis is valedictorian of the senior class and Miss Thelma Virginia Parkey is salutatorian. The other class members are: Dee Rogers, and Albert Loyd Cates.

This Thursday night at 8:15, Rev. A. J. Brown, pastor of the West Side Circuit of the Methodist church will give a Boy Scout benefit program at the school auditorium. The proceeds of the sleight of hand performance to be given will be divided between the performer, the Sand Hill P. T. C. Society and the Boy Scout fund. A general invitation has been extended to Floydada and adjoining communities to attend.

Saturday night the Sand Hill P. T. C. Society will present a comedy-drama, "Cyclone Sally," at the Sunset school.

Closing the week of entertainments centering around the conclusion of the school year will be a singing program Sunday at the Sand Hill auditorium, to be conducted by W. T. Rogers, president of the school board.

Last Tuesday night a senior class play was given. In the production of "Mother Mine" a three-act comedy-drama, the seniors were assisted by students who made the highest scholastic standing during the year. A large crowd attended the play, which was directed by Miss Alma Smith. It was an excellent entertainment, those present stated. Between-acts specialties added interest to the affair, they said. An exhibition of spinning by Grandmother Ritchie on an old-fashioned spinning wheel proved especially interesting. Miss Lona Cates also gave a reading that received much applause.

Members of the cast other than the senior class students were: Misses Claudia Green, Patty Riley, Lena Fay Parkey, Anna Pierce and Christina Goodman, and Messrs. Ross Hanna, Clifford Rhodes and Lee Pope.

Wednesday night the Sunset school presented at Sand Hill their play, "That's One on Bill," directed by G. D. Tate, who will become principal at Sand Hill next year, succeeding J. L. Speer, the latter becoming superintendent of the Flomot independent school district.

#### ATTEND POSTMASTER'S MEET

Postmaster J. D. Starks left Tuesday morning for Wichita Falls to attend the State convention of the Postmasters of Texas in that city today and tomorrow.

Mr. Starks was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. J. K. Green, and Miss Ethna Green. They plan to return home Saturday.

## HOW TO MAKE FLOYDADA GROW



## County's Indebtedness Summarized By McGehee

### Outstanding Interest Bearing Warrants Total \$155,992.50, Judge's Check of Record Shows.

Floyd County's outstanding interest-bearing indebtedness has been cut down a total of \$17,061.69 during the current year by payments made on outstanding warrants, amounting to \$5,758.74 has been paid, with an additional \$4,755.01 set aside to take care of interest payments yet to come due this year. The total expenditure from tax funds of the county to care for outstanding warrants this year and interest due or to become due, will total \$27,575.44.

These figures were compiled by County Judge Wm. McGehee for his own information for the information of the members of the Commissioners Court, and incidentally made available for the public through copies given to the press.

Total outstanding indebtedness of the county on May 15, the date these figures were compiled by Judge McGehee, was \$155,992.50, divided as follows:

General and refunding warrants, dated December 22, 1922,	\$36,000.00
Jail Building warrants, dated May 1, 1925,	46,000.00
Road and bridge refunding warrants, dated December 12, 1922,	52,000.00
Road and bridge warrants, dated October 15, 1918,	2,000.00
Road and Bridge warrants dated September 22, 1923,	1,500.00
TOTAL	\$137,500.00
Road Warrants of Commissioners' Precinct No. 1, dated Nov. 15, 1924,	4,000.00
Road warrants of Commissioners' Precinct No. 1, Dated, February 10, 1925,	500.00
TOTAL	4,500.00
Road Warrants of Commissioners' Precinct No. 2, dated November 10, 1924,	4,000.00
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## Site Being Laid Off For Town Near Sunset

The site has been chosen and the work of platting the grounds for a new Floyd County town is well under way in north-east Floyd County near Sunset, and already the first enterprise for the new city, a cotton gin, has been announced.

Lockney Gin Company are the owners of the plant which is to be constructed at the new location. Quite a bit of the material for the gin is on the ground, S. F. Gilliland said the latter part of last week.

Two hundred acres of ground is said to be included in the townsite, which will be located on two sides of the Floydada-Silverton Road seventeen miles north of Floydada. Forty acres of Mr. Gilliland's quarter section have been purchased by the promoters and a quarter-section of the Homer Harper land on the east side of the road. A large scope of excellent farming land, subject to great development, lies adjacent to the new townsite.

## Henry Kell, Of Flomot, Died Tuesday Night

Henry Kell, one of the pioneers of the Flomot country, died Tuesday night of this week, according to advices received by friends here, and the funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Quitaque Cemetery, where interment was made.

## Floydada Boosters Join in Colorful Celebration At West Tex. Convention

### Snodgrass Heads Chaperone Party For Luther Fry

"Luther Fry went down to take care of the Floydada band boys and I went along to chaperone Luther," Roy Snodgrass says in summarizing his trip to the W. T. C. of C. Convention at Wichita Falls.

"We had a great time. Luther made a dandy hand and really deserved a higher position but they saw that other persons were better qualified and hence they gave me the sole duty of keeping Luther in the proper attitude of mind."

"If it takes bands, bright colors, yells and smiles to make a convention, then they had a double header at Wichita Monday and Tuesday," Snodgrass said. "Floydada has a right to be proud of the showing they made."

## Organize Volunteer Fire Dept. Tonight

Invitations to prospective members have been issued in a call for the organization meeting of the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department to be held this Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the East Ward school building. Ed Bishop, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce mailed out the call cards after the order for the meeting had been issued by G. R. Strickland, city fire marshal.

The department will be composed of 20 members it was stated. Only two men will receive pay and they will act as officials in charge of the station and fire fighting equipment, according to plans being made. A decision on the regularity and number of drills to be held and proposals for additional city legislation are among the other details to be worked out at the meeting tonight, officials stated. Reduction of fire hazards and its value to the citizenship is also to be discussed.

A special dinner will be served those in attendance. The Parent-Teachers' Association will have charge of this section of the planned program.

"It has been pointed out to us by State Officials," Secretary Bishop said, "that in order to continue to hold the twelve per cent reduction given recently on fire risks here, we would have to organize our department this year in accordance with specifications of the State Fire Insurance Commission."

"At this time Floydada has one of the most complete fire fighting apparatus of any town in this section, and we should have an efficient force of volunteer fighters that will compare favorably with any similar group in Texas," Bishop said.

"Since the addition a few weeks ago of a new Graham Bros. truck with Boyer equipment, Floydada's investment in equipment exceeds the \$6,000 mark. The two trucks carry ladders, 2,000 feet of hose, two force pumps, chemical tanks and pumps."

#### MITCHELL MOVES BACK

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Mitchell, who have been residing in Hale Center for the past several months, have returned to make their home in Floydada.

Mr. Mitchell has accepted a position with the Arwine Drug and has been working there since the latter part of last week.

## Right-of-Way Needed Quickly, Sommer Tells Meeting of Floydada Citizens

### 'Where Oh Where Art Thou MacBain' Asks Poor 'Cub'

Will Rogers always says that all he knows is what he reads in the papers, but sometimes even they leave the wrong impression. "Now take this town MacBain we've read so much about," says one disappointed individual, "you would guess by the fuss made by the publications that at least 1,000 people rushed about in that thriving little city."

"The new Floydada-MacBain railroad brought the place from obscurity into prominence insofar as the newspapers are concerned, but one visit will convince a person that 'obscurity' don't half describe the actual state of affairs. Why, MacBain, it's two degrees below oblivion."

The "disappointed individual" making such statements as recorded here was one ambitious reporter who had dreams of a "scoop" interview with the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at MacBain and a consequent story all illustrated with pictures of thriving business houses, here-to-fore unprinted.

Well, anyway, the said reporter found "MacBain" to be nothing but the end of the Q. A. & P. railroad. No more, no less . . .

### Contractors Ready And Materials Enroute Is News Brought By Quana President.

It is Floydada's next move, was the substance of the message of Chas. H. Sommer, president of the Quana, Acme & Pacific Railway Company, given at a called meeting of right-of-way guarantors and other interested citizens of this section Tuesday afternoon in the District Court Room, when he declared that the contractors were rapidly collecting their men and equipment and that materials for the construction of the line are enroute.

#### Build Better Road

Although delayed much against their own intent, weeks beyond their schedule time to begin construction of the Quana extension from MacBain to Floydada, all details of every kind are now behind them and the actual construction will begin next week, when the company's engineering staff will be on the ground, as well as the construction contractors, providing right-of-way sufficient for the contractors to work has been arranged for by the people of the territory, Mr. Sommer said in the course of his brief address. "We are passed the talking stage so far as we are concerned," he told the assembly, "and are now ready for doing things," pointing out that while the delay has been irksome to all concerned it has resulted in one large benefit to this territory, this being that the line to be constructed will be a much better railway than at first planned.

The original estimate of the cost of the line was \$1,250,000. This figure will be increased very materially to take care of steel that will be seventy-five pounds or heavier, for a greater number of tiers per mile and for concrete or steel culverts and bridges. Not a wooden bridge will be constructed, Mr. Sommer said, and at least one grade crossing will be eliminated when the line will be raised above the roadlevel.

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## Wife Of E. W. Henderson Died Tuesday Morning

### Funeral Services For Deceased Will Be Held This Afternoon At First Christian Church.

Funeral services for Mrs. E. W. Henderson, of the Pleasant Valley Community, will be held this afternoon at the First Christian Church with Pastor F. L. Davis in charge, assisted by Rev. Ben Hardy, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Interment will be made in Floydada Cemetery.

The death of Mrs. Henderson occurred Tuesday morning at one o'clock. Three weeks ago she underwent a successful operation and had returned home. She was convalescing satisfactorily, apparently until Monday when her condition became serious and death followed in a brief time.

Mrs. Henderson was a native of Hill County, Texas. She was forty-eight years of age. The family have lived here six years and have been active in the religious, fraternal and social life of the county. Mrs. Henderson was president of the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club and just prior to her death had been selected to go from the club to the A. & M. Short Course at College Station.

Besides her husband, the deceased is survived by eight children. Of these C. W. Henderson resides in Floydada, N. D., Mildred, Wendell, and Dixie reside at the parental home; J. C. Henderson is a resident of Fort Worth and arrived for the funeral yesterday. I. G. Henderson a son, resides in England. Alfie Henderson, of Orange, a daughter, is ill and could not come to the funeral.

Four brothers and four sisters survive the deceased. Of these two brothers, E. B. and A. O. Hammer, of Waco, and one sister, Miss Mozelle Hammer of the same city, are here. The other sisters and brothers are D. C. and R. L. Hammer, of Santa Barbara, Calif., Mrs. Ina Hoyle, of Abbott, Mrs. J. P. Julian, of West, and Mrs. Jennie Waterbury, of Sanger, California.

#### CONFLICTING DATES PREVENT HOLDING POULTRY SCHOOL

Conflicting dates prevented the coming of the poultry specialist to Floydada this week, the representative of the feed company advised the Floydada Wheat Growers' Association Wednesday.

The specialist was to have been here Tuesday, Wednesday and today, and his coming had been announced by the Poultry Association for the benefit of poultry raisers of the county.

A future date will likely be set for the visit of the specialist here, Elmer Caudle, manager of the Wheat Growers' elevator said yesterday afternoon.

#### TEACHER EXAM DATES SET FOR JUNE 3 AND 4, IN FLOYDADA

Dates for teachers exams this year have been set for Friday and Saturday, June 3 and 4, according to County Superintendent Price Scott. The examinations will be held at the court house in Floydada, he said.

Superintendent Scott said that all prospective applicants should send in their names for registration within the next ten days.

#### PLANS FOR CONFERENCE

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Porterfield visited in Matador last Sunday and Mrs. Porterfield made arrangements for the district conference, which meets there May 31 and June 1.

Two conference officers are expected to be present.—Mrs. J. E. Eldridge, of Miami, superintendent of bible and mission study, and Mrs. J. S. Huckabay, superintendent of children's work, of Perryton.

## Cemetery Clean Up Day Wednesday, June Eight

### New Officers Installed at Meeting Saturday Afternoon.—To Ask Payment of Annual Dues.

Naming officers for the ensuing year, deciding upon a date for a general clean up of the Floydada Cemetery, and the naming of aides in obtaining supporting fees for the Cemetery Association were the principal matters disposed of at the annual meeting of the Floydada Cemetery Association Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. S. D. Bishop was president of the voluntary organization and Mrs. J. B. Jenkins its secretary. They succeeded Mrs. Homer Steen and Mrs. F. P. Henry respectively. Mrs. Henry has been secretary-treasurer of the association since its organization and has been a most faithful worker.

Wednesday, June 8, was the date set for the general clean up of the premises at the cemetery. Officials said that there is plenty of work to be done for all who will come to bring their lunches their hoes and rakes and spend the day working. All residents of Floydada and those of neighboring communities interested in the upkeep of the cemetery are included in the call for the day's work.

In addition to an active canvas to be made in Floydada this week asking for supporting dues of \$3 per year, it is also planned to give those of other communities neighboring, who wish to assist an opportunity to do so. With this idea in mind committees to aid in obtaining memberships have been named as follows:

At Baker, Geo. L. Fawver; at Sand Hill, Mrs. M. B. Holmes and Mrs. A. R. Hanna; at Harmony, Mrs. D. T. Scott and Mrs. L. E. Williams; at Pleasant Hill, Mrs. J. R. Evers and Fred Battey; at Center, H. M. Belden and N. R. Austin; at Fairview Mrs. E. J. Hoffman and Mrs. S. L. Rushing; at Campbell, Mrs. Wilson Bethel and Mrs. S. H. Horn.

It was voted in the meeting Saturday afternoon to retain H. G. Parker as sexton for another year.

## Revival Opens Tonight At Wall Street Church

Beginning this Thursday night at 8:15, the first meeting of the Christian revival will be held at the new Church of Christ on South Wall Street. Evangelist Alva Johnson of Turkey will conduct the series, which will continue through Sunday, May 29.

Two services will be held daily, beginning at 10:30 each morning and 8:15 in the evenings, according to announcements.

A cordial invitation to "come and hear the Old Jerusalem Gospel" has been extended by the local church membership.

#### CHRYSLER CAR SALES

Jes F. Hunley has purchased a new Chrysler "60" sedan, according to H. O. Pope & Son, local agency. The delivery was made Wednesday.



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### GOOD PROSPECTS AHEAD

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Almost without fail, a peak will be found to appear on the "curve" following a low point or "valley." The same plan might be applied without difficulty to general conditions in West Texas and in Floyd County.

It does not take an addict, a dreamer or an Alladin's Lamp fanatic to glance over recently made history in this section and predict some big developments for the future. While enjoying marked prosperity in the past few years, Floyd and adjoining counties have not been developed unusually rapid. In other words, it might be said that a "valley" on the curve plot has been drawn by this section. If such be true, then, the time is not far off when the curve will mount upward and another peak, very likely the greatest ever recorded in Texas, will be reached.

Undreamed of developments are in store for West Texas. Is such a statement unfounded? Probably so, probably not; time alone will tell. Anyway, have faith and smile and look forward to the morrow.

### THE ONLY THING?

"To send or not to send—that is the question that will be the paramount issue to worry the minds of many parents during the summer vacation months. Shall they send the child to college or shall they keep him or her at home? In arriving at a conclusion that will logically answer the question, a number of details have to be taken into consideration and carefully studied. The matter of finances seems to be the one deciding obstacle to be triumphed over. If funds can be scraped together and certain savings can be made in the family budget sufficient in total to keep the youngster in college, then that settles it—off he or she goes.

Every young man and woman should have every advantage possible given them but the one issue of funds is not the only one to be carefully thought over before the decision to send or not to send is reached.

It might be well to talk to the professors and teachers who had supervision over the child in high school and perhaps they can tell you some very interesting things that will prove of value to you.

And you should know whether the child accepts theory readily for he or she will receive lecture after lecture and assignments by the hundreds based on nothing but theory—proven theory of course. Colleges and universities stress theory but practical ideas are also included and tested in the laboratories. Efforts are made to tie theory to practice but in many instances the student is filled with the latter and then turned loose to "practice" in the world of hard knocks.

A college career with its associations, broadening influences and cultural features is valuable and certainly worth while in every respect. Try to see that your son or daughter goes to college if possible, but do not send them blindly. Study the situation and if they are not the type for higher education, by all means give the matter serious thought before you force them into the universities to finish their education.

On the other hand, the students should realize that it is no disgrace to pass up the college career. Many times by so doing they have acted wisely, indeed. The boy and girl can help solve the problem themselves and do a wonderful deed to their loving mothers and dads if they will be sensible and fair. They can keep their minds open and maintain peace and satisfaction in the home, while by the other route they can quickly create discord and sorrow in stubbornly saying "I will" or "I will not" do this or that.

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### IMPROVED RURAL KITCHENS

Housewives, especially those of the rural communities, are obtaining some valuable ideas and thoughts from their demonstration club work. The planning of kitchen improvements on a very economical scale is one of the greatest benefits being derived. Ideas are worked out so that hundreds of needless steps usually made in the preparation of meals are eliminated.

A pride is developed in the making of the kitchen and then in keeping it tidy afterward. The plan is unquestionably a good one is evinced by its endorsement all over the state.

Floyd County has been leading in the improvement work, having produced winners in the state contests held at A. & M. College, sponsors for the program. Credit goes to local directors of the work as well as to the contestants.

Everything possible should be done to encourage the continuance of such fine work and similar plans to lighten the burdens of the women at home.

### BAD LUCK DAY

No exact check was kept on the number of horse shoes confiscated last Friday but it is definitely known that several individuals started the day off with thoughts of forbidding evils and passed twelve hours of miserable anticipation.

Perhaps the rabbit feet and magic precautions were responsible, but nevertheless there was a total absence of casualties upon that rare and dangerous occasion Friday of last week, May 13 "Bad Luck day," Friday 13, was ushered in and out for its only appearance during the year of 1927.

One fellow attributes his escape from the evil spirits last week by taking the advice of a friend. "He just told me to do nothing on Friday, and I did it."

### This and That

Wonder how they had the nerve to call a vegetable a flower. Now take for example, the cauliflower.

This may remind you—that May and June represents a good time of year to build that new home or to make improvements on the old residence.

One observation made the other day was to the effect that the kitchen improving contests was just another scheme to pile more work on the men. It is needless to say which sex issued the statement.

While fruit trees and vines have had a more or less difficult time of producing under adverse conditions of high winds and late freezes, a good crop prospect still remains. Young fruit is easily destroyed when attacked by insects at this time of the year. The wise individ-

ual will observe closely the progress of his grape vines, plum, peach, cherry, pear and apple trees. Web worms and lice may get started and do considerable damage in an amazingly short time. Ask your druggist or county demonstration officials the best methods of protection for your fruit and berries.

Tourists are beginning to pass thru' bound hither and yon. It may seem "on the surface" to some individuals to matter little whether they stop or go, whether they speak or keep mum, but such an observer has overlooked some important little points, which, in the aggregate, are valuable indeed to the observer's community. Very often you will receive a lasting impression of a person upon their first introduction to you; and so it is with tourists and the points at which they touch.

The general appearance of the cities on their routes have a great deal to do with the impressions they obtain of course, but it is the reception, aid, and attitude on the part of the residents that mean most to the passersby. And just another item—thousands of dollars are spent over the nation each year by the tourists. The traveling motorist is a possible customer to local merchants.

Years of advertising cannot do more good than the favorable mouth-to-mouth comment made and broadcast by the visitors— for-a-minute- or-hour. You can help in making the impression of your town on the minds of the tourists— be courteous and friendly. Just keep the thoughts advanced here in your mind when you become a tourist this year or next.

Some of the married women seem to have a money complex, judging from the regularity with which they ask for the coin.

### 'Round The Square

An out-of-town visitor who visited Floydada for the first time last week made this statement: "What a shame Floyd County can't pave it's share of the street around the court house." People here think little of the ugly, rough space that is left unpared 'Round the Square, but it is one of the first things a stranger notices—and he doesn't forget it very soon either.

Floydada is proud of her pavement and has a right to be—But we step into the background when we read of the little South Texas town of Alice 'ust completing 42 blocks of city pavement—and planning several more blocks.

We know of a man that is so dumb that if all his brain cells were placed end to end—they wouldn't reach.

Friday the thirteenth reminds us of the old saying that "Luck has a way of breaking for the fellow who doesn't depend on it."

Newspaper advertising is preferred by 100 Chicago druggists above all other forms in promoting the sale of face powders.

"Treat your friend as if he might be an enemy. Honest men esteem and value nothing so much as a real friend."

Some day we may be so rich that every time we have the stomach ache all we will have to do is call the Secretary of the Interior.

Two heads are better than one, if they are both on the same shoulder.

Just to see what heaven is like, why not let's have a "Mind-your-own-business week."

A nationally known advertising expert has advised business men to use less money and more brains in their advertising.

The court house lawn and the city park are two places that Floydada should be proud of. Both are beauty spots and are well worth the space and trouble it takes to care for them.

Isn't it funny that the man who sleeps through a public speech or lecture is usually the one who claps the loudest?

We know a girl who is so homely that they put her picture in the beauty parlor with the word "Before" written on it.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us at the death of our dear son and brother Charlie T. Coleman.

We wish also to thank the school and community, one and all, for their many floral offerings.

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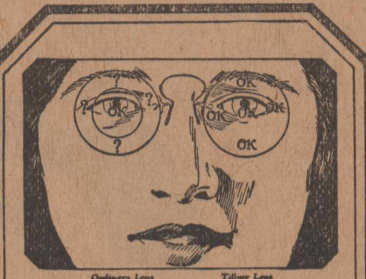
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# Santa Fe Economy

## Increases Capacity—Decreases Costs

### Operating results on the Santa Fe for the year 1926 show, on the whole, substantial improvement over the year 1920 following Government control.

Revenue tons per train mile increased in 1926 to 709.70 tons from 569.21 in 1920.

Average daily movement per freight car increased to 37.01 miles from 31.56 miles.

Average revenue per ton mile of freight decreased to 1.203 cents from 1.316 cents.

### Two Items of Economy in Operation Deserve Particular Attention:

**FIRST** is reduction of "loss and damage" freight.

In the year 1920 this totaled \$2,817,596; in 1926, \$1,350,429. If the rate of loss and damage in 1926 had been the same as in 1920 the total would have been \$3,298,302, or 2.44 times as much as was the case. Loss and damage meetings devoted to careful study and instruction, the co-operation of all classes of employes handling freight, and better packing, marking and general co-operation by shippers have accomplished this saving.

**SECOND** is conservation of fuel.

In 1920 locomotive fuel cost the Santa Fe \$28,372,475; in 1926 the cost was \$22,604,115.

In 1920 the Santa Fe used 185 lbs. of fuel to move 1000 gross tons, excluding the locomotive, one mile in road service, and in 1926 it used 133 lbs., a saving of 52 lbs., or 28.11%.

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The total fuel saving for the year 1926 is equivalent to 1,756,180 tons, costing \$7,744,754 at 1926 prices.

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**Starkey News**

Starkey, May 17.—J. W. Dalton and  
family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.  
Lloyd Dickerson.

Miss Opal Carter spent Friday night  
with Miss Wanda Howard, and the lat-  
ter spent Saturday night and Sunday  
with Miss Carter, before leaving on a  
trip to California, New Mexico, Arizo-  
na and Colorado. She will be gone for  
several weeks.

Miss Etta Collins was given a birth-  
day party Friday night by Miss Kate  
Belle Clay. A large crowd attended and  
all seemed to have a real nice time.

Rev. J. W. Dalton preached at Cone  
Sunday night. A large crowd was pres-  
ent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Griggs spent Wed-  
nesday with her mother, at Roaring  
Springs.

Mr. Gambrel and Franklin Atway  
left Thursday for San Angelo. They  
will probably be gone for awhile.

Mr. Smith, from Lorenzo, visited with  
his son, W. B. Barham, Saturday night  
and Sunday and Mr. Barham's brother  
also visited him.

Miss Doris Armstrong, accompanied  
by her niece, Doris Eilene Banker,  
returned home yesterday from Lubbock  
after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs.  
Wanda Banker. The latter will be home  
after May 27, when her work in the  
Lubbock High School for the year will  
close.

**Pleasant Hill**

Pleasant Hill, May 17.—We see in the  
Star-Telegram that fine rains "blanket  
all Texas." Isn't it a pity that we are  
not included?

Mrs. B. I. Bartlett and children, who  
have been visiting her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. E. J. Loe, left Saturday for her  
home at Acme. She was accompanied  
by Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Loe, who will  
visit Mrs. Loe's father in Cooke Coun-  
ty before returning.

Mrs. Hasey Kimble spent Sunday in  
the Loe home.

Mrs. R. M. Battey and children spent  
Saturday night and Sunday with her  
mother, Mrs. Watson, who is sick.

Prof. R. M. Morgan is in Childress  
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shearer have a new  
boy, John Ellis, born Saturday, May 14.

Miss Lucille Evers was the guest of  
Miss Ethna Green of Floydada Satur-  
day night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones of Baker,  
visited her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Cardinal  
Sunday.

The Pleasant Hill boys defeated the  
Mayview boys in baseball Friday.

Visitors in the Shearer home Sunday  
were Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey, Mr. and Mrs.  
Ben Donothan and Mr. and Mrs. G. B.  
Brown.

Miss Clay Robertson is visiting this  
week with Winnie Rea and Grace Shel-  
ton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGehee of Little-  
field spent Monday night here as the  
guests of Judge and Mrs. Wm. McGehee.  
The Messrs. McGehee are brothers.  
Paul Newman of Lubbock was a guest  
Tuesday night of Leslie Surginer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Houston, spent last  
Sunday in Crosbyton visiting Mr. Hous-  
ton's sister, Mrs. H. K. Reagan.

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**WITH THE CHURCHES**

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

Warren R. Hill, Pastor  
Our Sunday School, for Bible study, begins at 10:00 o'clock. J. C. Gilliam is Supt., and Mrs. Ruth Hall the Secretary. Morning preaching-service begins at 11 o'clock and closes at 12 o'clock. The morning sermon-subject will be, "The Kind of Church That Makes a Pastor Happy."

The Baptist Young People's Meetings are at 7 o'clock. Ted Borum is Director of all B. Y. P. U. work. The offerings in all the meetings go to the Conquest Campaign Fund.

Evening Preaching Service at 8:15. The sermon-subject will be, "The Exceeding Sinfulness of Sin". The unconverted are extended a special invitation to come.

Visitors are cordially invited to all the services of the church. Electric fans.

Come and welcome!

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

We had another good day at the City Park Church last Lord's Day, there being several new faces present. Bro. Clark preached another one of his good sermons.

Subject for next Lord's day at 11 a. m., "The Spiritual Temple." On account of the meeting at the Wall Street Church we will have no preaching at night.

Our interest in Bible study at 10 a. m., continues good and the attendance at each class is growing. A special invitation is extended to all to come and study with us.

Interest in prayer meetings on Wednesday night is also growing.

Ira L. Sanders, Minister.

**INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.**

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. will meet Sunday, May 22, and give the following program:

Song—"In the Secret of His Presence"  
Business and Records.  
Bible reader's drill.  
Leader—Virgil Crawford.  
"A Veteran Missionary"—Ruth Stegall.  
"Native Workers"—Lois Sitton.  
"In China"—Mildred Strickland.  
"In Africa"—Zula Eaves.  
"In Mexico"—Thelma Crawford.  
"In Italy"—Thelma Crawford.  
"In South America"—Dorothy Crawford.

Every Intermediate is cordially invited to attend our B. Y. P. U.

**SENIOR B. Y. P. U.**

All B. Y. P. U. Departments of the First Baptist Church will meet Sunday evening, May 22nd, at 7 o'clock.

The subject for discussion is "The Christian Life, Learning to Obey."  
Devotional—All B. Y. P. U. departments.

Bible Quiz—Harper Scoggins.  
Scripture, John 14:22-24, James 1:22-27—Mae Moore.

Introduction—Leader.  
"Obedience Taught in the Old Testament"—Inez Bolding.

The Boy Jesus was Obedient—Lois Hill.

Obedience Binds us to Christ—Euland Eaves.

Obedience with or without Love? and Obey Because We Love God—Weldon Moore.

Obey Christ's Last Command—Euford Eaves.

Benediction.  
Visitors and prospective members are cordially invited.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

F. L. Davis, Minister

Services next Lord's day as follows. S. S. at 10 o'clock with Assistant Supt., W. Ed Brown in charge. A class for all ages and an efficient teacher in each class. Preaching immediately following.

The Endeavor society will meet at 7 o'clock p. m. and preaching at 8. The sermons will both be interesting and helpful and you should hear them.

Weather and roads permitting we will fill our appointment at Ralls Sunday afternoon.

Don't forget the prayermeeting and training class each Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

You are invited to worship with us next Lord's day and any time you can.

**WEST SIDE CIRCUIT**

Services will be held Sunday at the Sand Hill school auditorium at 11 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Rev. A. J. Brown, pastor of the West Circuit of the Methodist church will deliver both messages.

Singing services will also be held Sunday, it has been announced.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Our attendance last Sunday was good. Two new members were received by letter.

Come out to Sunday School and church service next Sunday.

**Locals and Personals**

Mrs. Kight Dickey and mother, Mrs. N. B. Stanley spent several days last week at Friona visiting with the G. T. Wakefield family. Mrs. Wakefield is a daughter of Mrs. Stanley and a sister of Mrs. Dickey.

C. A. Mullins, who recently completed extensive drilling on the cuts of the Denver caprock climb, has returned to Floydada. The work of drilling was originally expected to take the entire summer, has been completed, Mr. Mullins said.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones left the first of the week on a vacation trip which will take them to Carlsbad Cavern, El Paso and north into the mountainous portion of New Mexico. They will be gone some fifteen days.

E. N. Muse and wife, and Mrs. M. C. Muse, of Lockney, returned recently from a trip down-state visiting relatives. They were gone a week and visited at Frisco, Fort Worth, Dallas and Sanger.

H. M. Bryant, of the R. E. Patterson Gin, leaves this week for Houston where he will spend several days attending the Anderson-Clayton cotton school. He will be in the school nearly a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis and son, Lon Jr., left this week for Houston, to attend the school of cotton classing of the Clayton-Anderson Company. They will be absent from home until about June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bullard and sons, Preston and Gordon, went to Friona Friday of last week to visit with J. L. Landrum and family. Preston remained there to visit with J. L. Landrum and family. Preston remained there to visit for awhile and the Bullard's were accompanied on their return Sunday by Ella Marie Landrum, their granddaughter, who is visiting the Bullard's here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davis and little son, Billie Clyde, left Monday for Sterling City and Temple. Mrs. Davis will go through the clinic at Temple before returning home.

Mrs. Geo. Dickey, Mrs. R. L. Henry and Miss Veda Wooten in company with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swenson and family left Tuesday morning for Hot Springs, N. M. They will take the hot bath treatments there and will make the return trip home after two or three weeks.

Mrs. Wm. McGehee returned home Friday from O'Donnell, where she spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Ross Stark.

W. C. Nichols of Ontario, Calif., arrived Monday to spend the summer with his daughter, Mrs. Wm. McGehee and other relatives in Floyd County.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler and family, of Amarillo, spent last Saturday and Sunday here as the guests of Mr. Butler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butler. Mr. and Mrs. Truett Butler, of Amarillo, who accompanied them, will remain here for a two week's vacation. Messrs. Truett and Frank Butler are connected with the American State Bank of Amarillo.

Rev. W. R. Hill returned last Friday from Nashville, Tenn., where he has been for the past two weeks attending the Southern Baptist Association.

Rev. J. L. Henson and daughter, Margaret, of Sweetwater, accompanied by Miss Oneta Carter of Abilene, spent last week-end here visiting friends and relatives.

Charlie Keith, of Matador, spent last Saturday here visiting friends.

Miss Clara Tubbs and Macyl Smith, who are attending W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon, spent last week-end here with their parents.

R. L. Glenn, principal of the Baker School, returned Wednesday of last week from Como, Texas, where he has been during the serious illness of his father-in-law, T. E. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker and Miss Evalde Goodwin spent Sunday in Quitaque.

Mrs. J. C. Parker, of Panhandle, is spending the week here visiting her sister, Mrs. H. S. Sparks.

Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews spent last week-end in Dimmitt visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goen.

Jack McIntosh of Colorado Springs, spent the first of the week here as a guest of his brother, B. F. McIntosh. He was enroute to visit his parents as Giddings to spend some two weeks.

C. L. Williams, J. H. Casey and Mr. Winstead, all of Whiteflat, were business visitors in Floydada Tuesday.

Mrs. E. C. Henry had as her week-end guest her niece, Miss Elizabeth Bruner of Clovis.

Charles Smith, of Runningwater, was here Friday night visiting his mother, Mrs. P. M. Smith, and attended the graduation exercises of Floydada High School, of which class his daughter, Dean, was a member.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, former residents of this city, in company with Mr. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mitchell, of Hale Center were in Floydada Friday visiting friends.

Miss Mary Pope Walker of Lockney was among the out-of-town visitors here Sunday.

W. R. Ivey of Big Spring was a business visitor here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Manning accompanied by Misses Daltis Rea, Lucy and Mollie Crum motored to Roaring Springs on a brief outing trip Sunday afternoon.

L. G. Mathews made a business trip to Amarillo last week, returning Friday.

Macyl Burke, Mark Dunean and Leroy McDonald, Tech College students, spent the week-end here with relatives, joining the Floydada Municipal Band in its trip to Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Wolfe, of Plainview, attended the commencement exercises of the Floydada High School last Friday night. Miss Hazel Massie, a niece of Mrs. Wolfe was a member of the graduating class.

Miss Audrey Mae Borum, who has been teaching in the Silverton school during the past term returned home last Saturday. The Silverton schools closed last Friday night.

Mrs. Mary Daniels and daughter, Josephine, of Silverton, spent Monday here visiting friends.

I. D. Gamble spent last week-end in Canyon visiting his children, John and Misses Mary and Erin.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Connor left last Monday for Silverton where they were called to the bedside of Mr. Connor's father, who has been seriously ill for several days.

Miss Irene Swain, of Wichita Falls, spent last week-end here visiting her mother, Mrs. M. F. Swain.

Mrs. Fannie Montague made a business trip to Plainview Thursday of last week. She returned Friday afternoon.

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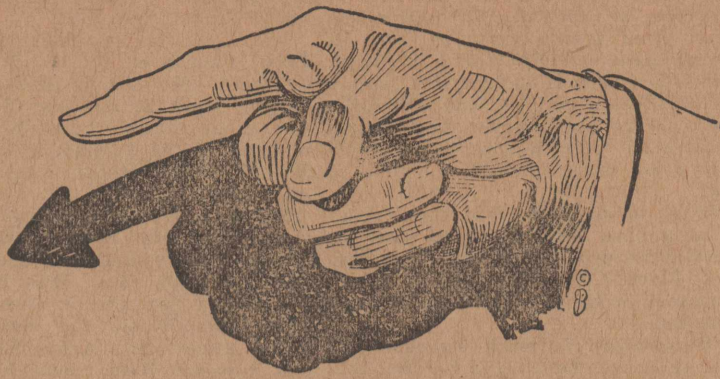
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## Home Demonstration Club News Of County

### THE PROVIDENCE CLUB

The Providence club met at their club room on May 10. Miss Bass was with us and there were twelve members present. To the roll call each answered by telling something they intended adding to their kitchens in the way of improvement to make them more convenient.

Our lesson was on furnishing the home and Miss Bass gave us very appropriate and interesting talks on the program, the subject of which was "Walls, Woodwork and Floors."

Suitable designs and color of paper for various rooms, appropriate floor coverings, window draperies, and pictures and arrangement of furnishings were discussed.

Our next meeting will be May 24. Subject, "Appropriateness in Dress." Mrs. Cowart will be hostess. Roll Call, question box. Leader, Mrs. Crouch. Program as follows:

Classification of types of individuals with regard to personal coloring and color suggestions;

Lines and designs suitable for different types;

Appropriate dress for street wear, parties, church, club.

The program will be followed by a round table discussion.

We voted to have an all-day meeting on June 14, and have two lessons, one on "Vegetable Cookery" and the other on "Emergency Meals," before dinner and the afternoon will be spent in a social way. Each lady is expected to carry a suitable dish to help make up the dinner menu.

The membership committee was asked to try and bring several new members to our meeting on that date, and let all the present members be sure to be there as we are expecting a large time at Providence. So bring all the visitors and friends you can, as they are always welcome at our club.

### LAKEVIEW CLUB

Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, May 11, with Mrs. Elmer Baker. Eleven members were present of whom two were new members. Mrs. J. E. Newton resigned and Miss Clara Patton was elected to her place. Mrs. J. W. Pitts was leader on the subject of "Meal Planning." The program was as follows:

"Requirements of a good menu," by Mrs. T. W. Martin;

"Economy in planning the daily menu," Mrs. Tom Hopper;

"Suggestive balanced menu," by Mrs. Jno. Lloyd;

"Serving a meal," by Mrs. Earl Edwards.

The next meeting will be held on May 25 with Mrs. J. E. Newton. At that meeting Miss Bass will demonstrate salads.

### FLOYDADA CLUB

The ladies' Demonstration Club of Floydada met May 11 in the county court room, Miss Bass acting as chairman in the absence of the president.

It was voted to fix our club room at an early date.

Miss Bass talked on protective diet and gave some valuable recipes.

The club voted to have Miss Blair with the club on May 20.

### CAMPBELL CLUB

On Monday, May 2, our Home Demonstration club met in an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. E. J. Womack. The house was called to order by our president at 10 o'clock, there being 17 answered to roll call, 8 visitors and one new member, Mrs. Earl Brawson.

Among our visitors were Mrs. Bass, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Lotspeich of Mayview and Mrs. Daisy Hart of Friona. We are glad to have these folks visit our club and invite them back. Miss Bass was also with us at this meeting.

The subject of our lesson for the morning was, "Meal Planning" which was a very interesting subject. Roll

call was answered by "The Menu I Serve Most Often for Breakfast."

Leader—Mrs. A. C. Jackson. Mrs. W. H. Bethel gave a very interesting talk on "Requirements of a Good Meal" and Mrs. R. H. Ashton gave a discussion on "Economy in Planning the Daily Menu" and all gave suggestions on "A Balanced Menu for Each Meal." Miss Bass helping us, too.

We adjourned at one o'clock for lunch. The lunch was certainly a fine spread and all enjoyed it.

As Miss Wood could not be with us, Miss Bass judged our house dresses. There were certainly some pretty ones. Mrs. N. Williams won first prize of \$2.00. Mrs. Geo. Stiles won second prize of \$2.00. Mrs. J. M. Smith won third prize.

After our dresses had been judged, we played a number of games and had a jolly good time. We adjourned to meet with Mrs. W. A. Auburn on Tuesday afternoon, May 17.

### PLEASANT VALLEY CLUB

The Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon, May 13th, with Mrs. Craft. Miss Pass was with us and much valuable information was given on "Meal Planning."

The club voted unanimously to send our President, Mrs. Henderson, to A. & M. Short Course. At present Mrs. Henderson is in the Sanitarium at Floydada, recovering from a serious operation. The last report was that she was doing as well as could be expected, and all members are anxious for her return to the club.

Our "House Dress" contest will close on June 10th, and all making house dresses, will bring them to the club on that date.

We have made a change in our program for next time. "Appropriateness in Dress" will be on May 27th at Mrs. Hubbard's, with Mrs. Mitchell as leader.

"Classifications of types of individuals with regard to personal coloring and color suggestions"—Mrs. Pratt.

"Lines and designs suitable for different types"—Mrs. Fields.

"Street Wear"—Mrs. Ferguson.

(Editor's Note)—Mrs. E. W. Henderson, referred to in this article, died unexpectedly Tuesday morning.

### AIKEN CLUB

On account of the wind and shower, the club did not meet at Mrs. Jarboe's on May 12th.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. H. Day on May 26th. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Miss Bass meets with us every fourth Thursday and her demonstrations and lectures are always helpful and interesting.

Program: "Vegetable Cookery"

Hostess—Mrs. C. H. Day.

Roll Call—"What I served my family yesterday."

Leader—Mrs. M. C. Henry.

The place of vegetables in the diet—Mrs. Jno. Loyd.

Vegetables a source of vitamins—Mrs. Wm. Campbell.

Methods of cooking vegetables—Mrs. Robt. Jones.

Demonstration on preparation of vegetables in new and attractive ways—Miss Bass.

Adjournment.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caudle returned Wednesday from Austin where they spent some ten days visiting relatives. Albert Clubb, J. G. Clements and W. D. Wood, spent last Friday in Silverton on business.

Miss Ura Smith, of McCoy, has returned home after a visit with relatives at Stamford and Sweetwater.

## Floyd Kitchens Impress District Scoring Judge

"Color schemes are the most original and the arrangements are as good as any I have ever seen," was the comment on Floyd County kitchen contest entries by Miss Sallie Hill, district agent of East Texas, here from A. & M. College to judge the county winners.

In company with Miss Blanche Bass, county home demonstration agent, Miss Hill scored the points on the kitchens in her tour Tuesday. Mrs. S. H. Horn of Campbell was complimented on the foresight and economy she had used in arranging her kitchen. Mrs. Horn won first place in the county in Class 1, having spent only \$17.28 of a \$25 limit.

Mrs. Jim Holmes of Sand Hill, winner in the Class 2 division, had effected a most unique plan in her kitchen, the judge said. Mrs. Holmes has invested only a few cents over \$28 of a limit of \$50.

"Due to the fact that such small amounts have been spent and other attractive features worked out, I am sure that Floyd County will be a strong contender in my district," Miss Hill told Miss Bass.

"Competition is much stronger this year than ever before and for that reason judging will be much more difficult," Miss Hill said.

District winners will likely be announced early in June, according to Miss Bass, who has assisted with the kitchen work over the county.

### 4H CLUBS HOLD 2-DAY SESSION HERE JUNE 3-4, AT CITY PARK

Encampment of the 4H Club girls of Floyd and Hale counties will be held in Floydada Friday and Saturday, June 3 and 4, according to Miss Blanche Bass, in charge of the work here. The sessions will be held at the City Park Auditorium.

A combination recreational and entertainment program is being planned and will be complete next week, Miss Bass stated.

Miss Daisy Gordon, home demonstration agent at Spur will have charge of the recreational features.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davison left Wednesday for Dallas, where Mr. Davison will spend several days, while Mrs. Davison goes on to Mineral Springs, Ark., for a two weeks visit with relatives.

## Girl Only Graduate At Petersburg H. S.

Katie Bell Germany was the only student graduating this year at the Petersburg High School, the closing exercises of which were held at the school auditorium there Thursday night of last week. There were fifteen grammar grade graduates, who received their certificates at the exercises. There were 210 students enrolled this year.

Moxley Featherston was valedictorian of the seventh grade and Joe Boyd was salutatorian. Loran Mayo was honor boy graduate and Inez Thorn was the honor girl of the class.

Ira L. Sanders, minister of the City Park Church of Christ of Floydada delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday night at the new Main Street Church of Christ. Chas. W. Watkins, minister of the Petersburg church, and W. H. Floyd, school superintendent, made brief talks.

Prizes were awarded in each class by the First State Bank to the highest scholastically ranking boy and girl. The honor students were: Miss Inez Thorn and Moxley Featherston, seventh grade; Miss Clara Wartiss and Weldon Boyd, eighth grade; Miss Annie Mae Schuler and Raymond West, ninth; Miss Mabel Phillips and J. C. Johnson, tenth; Miss Katie Bell Germany, eleventh.

A partial list of the seventh grade graduates includes: Moxley Featherston, Joe Boyd, Loran Mayo, Inez Thorn, Eunice Golden, Gerald Smith, Ezra Billbury, Mildred Tidwell, Mason Lavis, Edward Wiley, Clifton Johnson, Genell Johnson, Beatrice Waters.

Miss Pauline Stovall who has been teaching in the Petersburg school returned to her home Friday to spend the summer. She had charge of the second and third grades and will return again next year.

Miss Stovall stated that the term this year had been cut short two weeks in order that workmen might raze the building now in use. Part of the brick area to be used for construction of the inner walls in the new \$50,000 school building, the foundation work on which is now going forward rapidly.

B. F. Manasco made a business trip to Lubbock this Thursday morning. J. T. Howard returned Monday from St. Jo, where he accompanied his wife and little son, J. T., Jr. Mrs. Howard and J. T. remained for a visit there with relatives.

## Locals and Personals

Dr. and Mrs. Lon Smith, their daughter, Emma Louise, and Misses Lois Covington and Edra Robinson visited friends in Matador Sunday. They were accompanied home by Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Traweek, who spent a short time in this city before returning.

Roy Eubank returned Sunday from a vacation of two weeks spent at Dallas and Whitney. He was accompanied from Abilene by his sister, Mrs. C. Y. Carter, who had been visiting friends and relatives at Abilene.

H. A. Lattimore, traveling representative of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, was in Floydada Tuesday. He was the guest here of the Floydada Drug Company, local circulation representatives of the Star-Telegram. Mr. Lattimore is making his headquarters in Lubbock.

Elmer Wood left Tuesday for Olney where Mrs. Wood has been at the bedside of her father who has been seriously ill the past week. They plan to return Friday.

Mrs. A. A. Collins and son, Finis, accompanied Miss Ollie Belle Collins to Wichita Falls for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, where the young lady was an entrant in the "Home Town" contest. Miss Gladys, who returned with them, spent a brief visit in Denton with Miss Delphine Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams returned Monday night from a ten day trip-down-state. Mr. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Williams, who have been spending the winter months in Floydada, also made the trip and remained at their home at Sunset, Wise County.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barker spent Tuesday in Lubbock.



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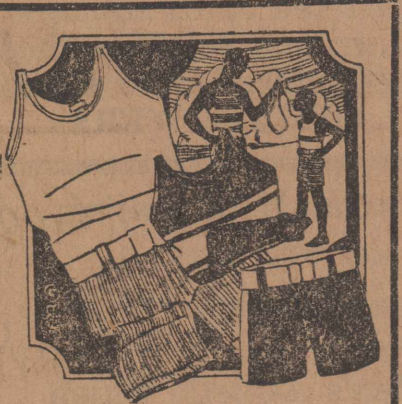


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## Society and Clubs

### Mothers Entertain Seventh Grade At Andrews Ward.

Honoring the pupils of the seventh grade class of the R. C. Andrews Ward school, the mothers of the pupils entertained the class last Friday with a high-noon lunch at the Andrews Ward cafeteria. Seventy-one students and five teachers were served a delightful plate lunch consisting of chicken croquets, cream potatoes, fruit salad, fresh tomatoes, green peas, olives, hot rolls and ice tea with a delicious dessert of ice cream with yellow and white angel food cake.

The room was artistically decorated in yellow and white, the seventh grade class colors. On each table were placed large baskets containing the class flower, the shasta daisy.

The following program was rendered at the entertainment:

Toastmaster—D. M. Hopper.

Toast to the students—J. M. Phillips

Response, toast to teachers—Hazel Probasco.

Toast to the mothers—Joe Pennington.

Toast to "The ones who take our places"—Williamina Salisbury.

Guitar Solo—Herron Strickland, accompanied by Mural Scorgins; Whistling Solo—Carl Marshall.

### Glad Girls' Shower Member Who Is Leaving

Several members of the Glad Girls' class of the Baptist Church Tuesday evening at the home of their teacher Mrs. E. L. Angus, gave a handkerchief shower for Pansy Mozelle Brown, a member, who leaves soon to make her home at Midland. The little gifts were presented in a unique manner, the honoree being crowned with a wreath of roses and presented a basket of flowers. In the basket were hidden the gifts.

Various games were played and ice cream and cakes were served.

Members of the class and friends present included, besides the honoree, Misses Lois Sitton, Bernice Bishop, Mildred Strickland, Ruby Archer, Golden Louise Steen, and Jean Smalley.

### Scheduled Meeting High School P. T. A. Not Held

The meeting of the High School Parent-Teachers Association, the last of the season, scheduled to be held last Thursday afternoon, was not held on account of the conflict with activities incident to the close of the school year.

No more meetings of the association will be held until the opening of the new school year in September.

### Missionary Society Decides On Circle Meetings

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met in a business meeting at the church Monday afternoon with ten ladies present.

It was decided to go into the circle meetings again. The West Side circle will meet Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. D. Smith at 4 o'clock, and the East Side Circle will meet at the same time in the home of Mrs. Geo. A. Linder.

### Senior Class Entertained Friday Night At Nelson Home.

Following the commencement exercises of Floydada High School last Friday night, an entertainment and final get-together of the class was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson. The entire class of forty-three members and several members of the school faculty were present at the entertainment.

Mmes. E. C. Nelson, E. B. Massie, W. M. Massie and E. F. Stovall were joint hostesses to the class. The hostesses decorated the house in pink and green, the class colors, with many roses, the class flower, placed around the room. The color scheme of green and white were also carried out in one of the rooms.

The evening was spent by each member of the class telling of his plans for the future and by brief stump speeches. Alan Berry, president of the class, called a business meeting and the class voted unanimously to hold a reunion during the Christmas holidays and a committee was appointed to plan the entertainment.

Following several readings by visitors and short addresses by Superintendent J. C. Wester and Principal Harper Scoggins, delicious green and pink brick ice cream with green and pink angel food cake was served to the students before departing at a late hour.

### Merit Medals Given Three Pupils of Mrs. Fagan

Three medals were given as rewards of merit to pupils of Mrs. Lloyd E. Fagan, marking the closing session of this year's work. Careful grading and close diligence on the part of both pupil and teacher, resulted in a medal being given to R. L. Stovall with an average of 96.6, as making highest average, all points considered in second year work.

Urnun Borum won first in first year work with an average of 95.3 and was given a medal, while F. C. Harmon was given a medal alone for extra effort in careful position and arm-movement. F. C. was second in first year work with an average of 94.5.

Pupils were graded on attendance, which was 100 per cent perfect by each winner, carefulness in all points of study, and earnest effort put forth throughout the year.

### Birthday Party.

Monday Claudia Faye Teal, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Rushing, celebrated her ninth birthday at the home of her grandparents, with twelve of her little friends.

Refreshments were served to the following: Claudia Faye Teal, Roy Lamanack, Erin Lamanack, John Hoffman, Edna Beth Wilson, Pet Saunders, Durwin Saunders, Cecil Newsom, Floyd Newsom, Capatola Baskin, Olen Baskin, Darrell Saunders, Vera Lamanack, Juanita Rushing and Lois Horton.

### Woman's Council Completes Study of Book.

At its regular meeting Monday afternoon the Woman's Council of the Christian Church completed the study of the book, "The Life of Christ," and reviewed the book, and will take an examination on it at a later date. Mrs. F. L. Davis conducted the study.

Next Monday afternoon is the date for the regular business meeting of the society.

### Birthday Party for Miss Nita Glover.

On May 14 Miss Nita Glover was entertained with a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glover. The guests were invited in couples arranged by the hostess. Immediately after the arrival of the guests the fun began. Many games were arranged among which were two contest games. "Those winning prizes were Alvie Jackson and Zelma Rogers, and Loyd Readhime; and Annie McNeill.

After the games refreshments of cake, cream and lemonade were served. Those present were:

Misses Maury Lou Cardwell: Annie, Jewell, Thelma and Grace McNeill; Beatrice, Gertrude and Catherine Davis; Robbie Lotspeich, Ophelia Bartlett, Amelia and Arma Lee Fuqua, Zelma Rogers, Mary Grace Amburn, Lillie Dee Robertson, Dorothea Burgett and Nita Glover, the honoree;

Messes. Pat Bullock, Loyd and Floyd Readhimer, Vellie McNeill, Ira Audrey, Otha Sanders, Clarence and Milton Ashton, Ray Smith, Alvie Jackson, Charlie Perry, Kermit Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lotspeich, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glover.

At 12 o'clock the boys all departed and thirteen of the girls remained for the Slumber Party. There were all kinds of pranks and jokes played until about four-thirty a. m., when all became weary and dropped off to sleep. At seven the peaceful slumber was disturbed and breakfast was soon served.

Besides these lucky girls Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Cardwell, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Roe Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glover, Kyle Glover and S. D. Roe, grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Glover, were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Glover to Miss Nita's birthday dinner. An enjoyable day was spent and the event is one that will long be remembered.

### Mmes. Houghton and Brown Are Hostesses to Class.

Mmes. W. M. Houghton and R. Fred Brown were joint hostesses at the home of the former Monday evening for a very pleasant meeting of the Win One Class of the First Christian Church. A short business session of the class preceded an evening of games, joined in by all.

Present were Mmes. N. A. Armstrong, Sam Berry, R. Fred Brown, W. Ed Brown, F. L. Davis, Luther Dorrell, Tab Probasco, Champ Walters, Zell Probasco, Jim Lawless, E. E. Johnson, Misses Myrtice Meador, Oma Johnson, Ethel Houghton.

### Shower For Bride-Elect Friday Afternoon.

A shower of gifts from the many friends of Miss Lela Windsor, who tomorrow is to become the bride of J. E. Horton, arranged by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church, the T. E. L. Class of the Baptist Sunday School, Mrs. Loa V. Smith and Mrs. C. Surginer, held last Friday afternoon on the lawn at the C. Surginer home, was one of the more elaborate and much-enjoyed social events of the month.

The idea of orange blossom shower was carried out in the plans made, the commodious lawn being converted into an orange garden by the use of miniature orange trees and crepe paper, and a huge suspended orange blossom contained the gifts which were showered about the bride-elect when the presen-

tation was made. So numerous were the gifts, however, that not all of them could be enclosed in the blossom.

Enjoyable features of the brief program included a reading by Mrs. Harry Guynes, a reading by Mrs. D. Ford Butler and a song by little Miss Patty Loop, who sang a pretty melody to which was improvised words entitled "Orange blossom time in Texas."

Mmes. R. C. Henry and W. F. Weatherbee presided at the punch bowl.

One hundred and twenty-five guests registered in the bride's guest book.

### CONDUCT SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer work for public school students is being offered by a number of teachers in Floydada, according to announcements this week. Classes will be held in both high school and elementary grade work. They will be conducted at the Andrews Ward school and in private homes.

Miss Grace Alexander will have charge of high school work at the Ward school. Miss Lula Belcher will conduct primary studies. Mrs. Elmer Caudie and Mrs. Hughes will give elementary work. J. M. Phillips and Mrs. Ike Jay have also announced that they will assist in summer school.

Some of the classes began Monday and others will start soon.

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### McDERMOTT POST PLANS LARGE DELEGATION TO LUBBOCK MEET

McDermott Post No. 118, of Floydada plans to send a large delegation to attend the Fifth Division Convention of the Texas Department American Legion in Lubbock Saturday and Sunday, according to Post Commander Kight Dickey.

The two-day meet will be featured by the presence of some of the leaders in the state organization, including R. C. Winters of Abilene, state commander.

Advance reports sent from Lubbock indicate that everything is in readiness for a large attendance, and that an entertaining program has been planned. District and Fifth Division delegates will be present at the convention.

Among the members of the local post who are planning to attend are: J. C. Gilliam, post adjutant; Kight Dickey, John Reagan, John Maxwell, Jack Henry, T. P. Collins, Walter Collins, W. H. Sharp, B. Chols, Homer Stanley, James Colville, Tom Goslee and Jim Curry and others.

### BROTHER-IN-LAW OF MRS. J. C. DICKEY BURIED IN CLAUDE

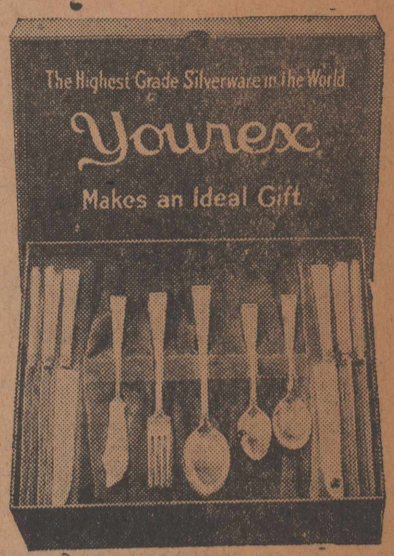
Mrs. J. C. Dickey left this morning for Claude where she will attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, W. R. McInnis, of Shamrock, who died Tuesday

night in a hospital at Fort Worth. The funeral services will be held at the Claude cemetery at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon and interment made in the Claude cemetery.

Mr. McInnis had been ill several days before his death and had been in a Fort Worth hospital for treatment. He is survived by a wife, two brothers and two sisters.

Mrs. Dickey was accompanied to Claude by Mr. Dickey, her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Welch and children, Billie and Virginia. They plan to return home the latter part of this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, of Miami, spent last Tuesday here visiting Mrs. Fannie Montague and W. B. Wilson.



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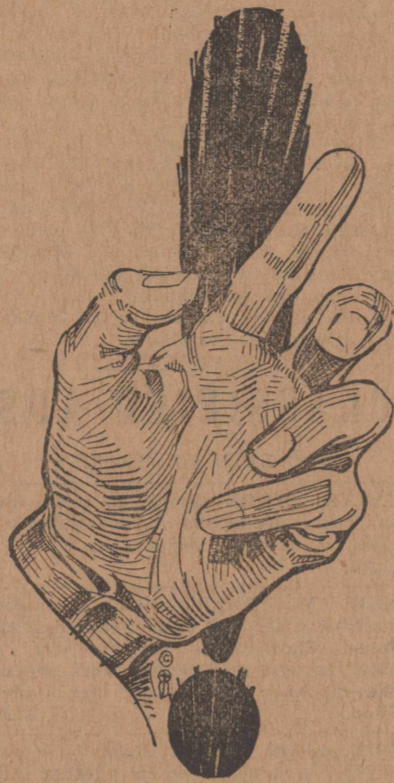
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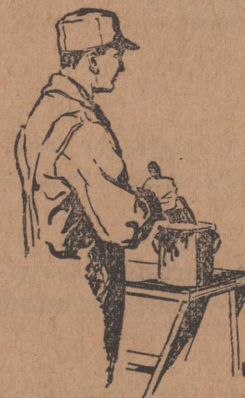
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## 43 Graduates Presented Diplomas Friday Night

Prof. J. M. Gordon of Tech, Delivers Address at Floydada High School Commencement Exercises.

"An education may be defined as the creation, the preservation, and the destruction of ideas, and upon these three actions are based the principles of the colleges of Texas," stated Prof. J. M. Gordon, senior dean of Texas Technological College, when he addressed the senior class of the Floydada High School at their graduation exercises at the High School Auditorium last Friday night.

Prof. Gordon spoke to the graduating class of forty-three members before a capacity house and drew much applause at the close of his speech. He also addressed the graduating classes at Crosbyton and Crowell High Schools before returning to Lubbock Sunday.

A special section in the auditorium was reserved for the members of the graduating class who marched down the aisles of the auditorium to their seats. The students were dressed in grey and white caps and robes. The stage was beautifully arranged and on it were seated members of the High School choral club and the speakers of the evening.

The invocation was said by Rev. F. L. Davis and a beautiful vocal solo rendered by Miss Delphine Miller. The choral club and the High School Sextette also rendered two vocal numbers.

Miss Mildred Daniels delivered the Salutatory address, entitled "The Value of Public School Music" and Miss Daisy Lee Gresham delivered the Valedictory address, entitled "Law enforcement and

the Citizen." Each were well received by the large audience.

Superintendent J. C. Wester presented the graduation diplomas to the forty-three students, calling the name of each graduate as they crossed the stage. In a short address he expressed his appreciation for the co-operation of the students during the past year, and his desire to see the graduates succeed in their various walks of life.

Principal W. H. Scoggins presented free scholarships from practically every college in Texas to Miss Daisy Lee Gresham, honor girl graduate of the class, and Oliver Homes, honor boy graduate. He also presented a free scholarship to Ben Ayres, honor commercial student of the school for the past year. With each presentation, Mr. Scoggins charged the students to use the scholarships to the best of his ability "for the sake of F. H. S."

Superintendent Wester made the closing remarks and Rev. J. L. Henson, of Sweetwater, said the benediction.

### J. S. BADGETT SUCCEUMS LAST THURSDAY TO LONG ILLNESS

J. S. Badgett, of Whitewright, father of Mrs. L. T. Bishop of this city and of D. R. Badgett of the Blanco community, died at his home in Whitewright last Thursday night following an illness of over two months. Mr. Badgett was an old settler in that section of the country having resided in Whitewright since 1872. He was 87 years of age at the time of his death.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon in Whitewright and interment was made in the Whitewright cemetery. The deceased is survived by his wife and four children. They are: Mrs. L. T. Bishop and D. R. Badgett of this city, Cecil Badgett of Waco, and Miss Pernie of Whitewright. Miss Pernie Badgett formerly taught school in this city. Two brothers and a sister also survive the deceased and these with all of the children were present at the time of Mr. Badgett's death and at the funeral services Friday. Mrs. Bishop has been at her father's bedside for the past month and D. R. Badgett and family left the first of last week, returning home Sunday of this week. Mrs. Nora Cox, who has been visiting in Dallas returned with them.

Deceased formerly had farm interests here and had visited here several times. He was a native of Kentucky.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Hankins, pastor of the Whitewright Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Pender of the Presbyterian Church, and Rev. Kirkpatrick, an old friend of the family.

Death was due to the infirmities of age, complicated by a paralytic condition and pneumonia.

### Providence Notes

Providence, May 16.—Miss Dorothy Pullen and little sister, and mother, spent Thursday with Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman in the Snyder locality, and returning home got caught in the rain-storm and hail and had to spend the night with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tatum near Plainview.

Mrs. Smith is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Davis, from Walnut Springs, Texas.

Another fine rain greeted us Thursday evening, which was a great blessing to the farmers.

Providence outsiders ball team played Lockney Thursday last.

The senior boys and outsider boys met on the diamond Tuesday afternoon and played ball. The game was won by the senior boys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gamble visited in the Liberty Community Wednesday at the Goins home.

W. A. Boedeker purchased a new tractor and brought it home Monday evening.

### FARMERS GIN AT RALLS IS BURNED WITH HEAVY LOSS

The Farmer's Gin at Ralls was destroyed by fire Friday morning of last week at 2 o'clock.

The gin had been in operation for about two years. It had done a heavy business during the past season, and recently closed following the completion of the late ginning season. The loss is estimated above \$20,000.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Scoggin left last Tuesday for Collinsville where they will spend some two weeks visiting relatives and friends.

## Rapid Progress Made On Denver Road to Plains

Will Have Train Service to Plains By Early Spring In Belief Of Contractors.

Twenty miles of the dump for the new line of the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad company has been completed on that part of the new road which will be above the caprock according to a report of Sprague and Niseley, the general contractors. Peterson, Sharley and Gunther, the contractors under the caprock, are making rapid progress with their excavating machinery. Several miles of dump from Estelline to the caprock has already been completed by that company.

On the plains, eight camps are now established from which grading operations are being directed and managed. One is between and junction north of Lockney and is working on the grade of sixteen and six-tenths miles from that point to Plainview. Two camps are working on the line from the junction through Lockney to Petersburg and Lubbock, and the remainder of the camps are on the line from the junction to the caprock, according to A. A. Niseley at Plainview.

So far no work has been done from Plainview to Dimmitt, the plans being to complete the lines into Plainview and Lubbock first. Work is supposed to start on the line from the junction to Silverton this month. Plenty of time is given the plains contractors, Sprague and Niseley, because of the length of time it will take the contractors to complete the ascent of the caprock between Lockney and Quitaque. It is the contention of rail officials that Quitaque and that part of the territory under the caprock will have service from the new line before winter and that service to the Plains towns will be in force by Spring.

It is said that the tunnel work has been making rapid progress and that the contractors are half way through the tunnel now.

An excavating machine is at work now on the grade in Quitaque and trucks and wagons are hauling the dirt away from the machine to the fill at the southwest corner of the town.—Briscoe County News.

### PIONEER COUPLE HOSTS AT 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Brewster had more than a hundred and fifty friends with them at their home in Lockney Tuesday evening of last week when they celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary with a big dinner and anniversary party. Friends from several other towns and communities in Floyd, Hale and Lubbock Counties as well as from the immediate vicinity of Lockney, attended and enjoyed one of the most pleasant evenings they had spent in many days. It was declared by some of those who attended. The honorees were ideal hosts, seating their guests to a most delightful dinner. The festivities continued far into the evening.

A string orchestra, with John Mc-

Donald as leader, furnished music for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewster were among the early residents of the county and have resided in Lockney ever since coming to this section.

### GOOD FOR A LITTLE GIRL

How many can equal this record for school attendance and excellent grades? Willie Marie Finley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Finley, in three whole terms of school has never missed a day and has been tardy only one time in the twenty-seven months. She has made passing grades every time and has two certificates for excellence in attendance and school work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton and little daughter, Laura Blanche, are spending the week touring New Mexico and visiting relatives.

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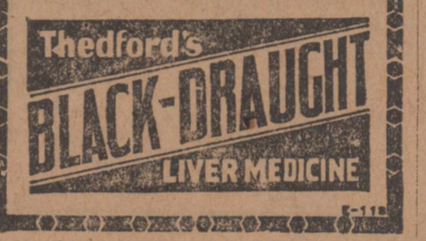
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forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to me within the time prescribed by law, at the town of Indian Gap, in Hamilton County, Texas, where I get my mail, this 27th day of April A. D. 1927.

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### Public School News

#### MANY PUPILS OF EAST WARD MAKE HIGH TERM AVERAGE

Following is a list of East Ward Public School pupils who made an average of 90 per cent or above, for the term:

First grade: Malcolm Linder, Imogene Lewallen, Rebecca Smith, Kenneth Bain, Elden Burgett, Louise Formby, Irene Mathews;

Second grade: Jack Stansell, Kathleen Hodge, Cleo Birch, Kathryn Daniel, Clyde Spencer;

Third grade: Gladys Ruth Brown, Mildred Houston, Virginia Stovall, Emma Louise Smith, Almada Maye Carr, Bert Ione Smith;

Fourth grade: J. O. Formby, Hugh Jeff Ayres, Erastus Coward;

Fifth grade: Floyd Swain, Kinder Farris, Waldo Houghton;

Sixth grade: Genell Stovall, Jean Bain, Selma Linder, Margaret Sims, Margaret Anderson.

East Ward pupils who were neither tardy nor absent for the school year are:

First grade: Leo Weaver, Imogene Lewalden;

Second grade: Jack Stansell, Dorris Jones, Gayle Bishop, Juanita Phillips;

Third grade: Joe Thurston, J. D. Weaver, Daisy Aaron, Virginia Stovall, Gladys Ruth Brown, Colita Moore;

Fourth grade: Hugh Jeff Ayres;

Fifth grade: Waldo Houghton, I. T. Williams, Robert King;

Sixth grade: Genell Stovall, J. D. Nelson.

#### VOCATIONAL AG TEACHER NAMED BY SCHOOL BOARD

O. T. Williams, for the past two years teacher of vocational agriculture in the Ralls Public Schools, has been elected to a place on the faculty of Floydada Public Schools for the ensuing

year, and will be the first teacher of this subject for the school. Decision to add vocational agriculture to the curriculum was reached by the board some weeks ago. The subject will be taught under the supervision of the Federal Agricultural Department through A. & M. College and half or more of the cost of teaching the subject will be taken care of through that source.

Two other places, in which vacancies occurred, due to resignations, have been filled. Miss Dorothy Bievel, of Higbee, Mo., was elected at the last board meeting as teacher of English in the high school to succeed Miss Grace Alexander. Bievel will also have charge of musical organizations in the high school.

In the R. C. Andrews Ward School faculty, J. M. Phillips has been elected to the place of Mrs. Kate Crabtree, resigned, as arithmetic teacher. Mr. Phillips taught the last five weeks of the past school term for Mrs. Crabtree, while she was out of school on account of illness. He is a Tennessee man.

#### ADVERTISING CURTAINS COME DOWN IN SCHOOL AUDITORIUMS

Before the opening of another school year in the public schools of Floydada, all the auditorium stages will be equipped with excellent curtains, and the advertising curtains now at the high school auditorium will be discarded entirely.

Three new curtains will be installed in the high school auditorium, two exterior scenes and one interior. The back drop will be a reproduction of Carot's "Evening," and the front curtain of "Stratford-on-the-Avon." The interior scene will be a parlor scene.

At the East Ward School, in addition to remodeling the interior of the auditorium, a new curtain with a blue bonnet field as the scene will be installed.

At R. C. Andrews Ward, which now has no curtains on the stage, the exterior and interior curtains from the high school will be used and a new front curtain will be installed.

#### TEACHERS TAKE VACATIONS

Teachers in the Floydada Public Schools having been making plans for their summer vacations and the majority of them have left for various points to spend a few weeks with relatives and friends. Several teachers in the local schools will attend summer school at various state institutions.

Superintendent J. C. Wester and family and Miss Mamie Carson left Tuesday for Mt. Vernon and Hot Springs to be gone some ten days. Superintendent Wester stated that he would take summer work this year at the Denton State Teachers' College.

Principal Harper Scoggins is planning to attend Tech College and plans to leave soon with his family for Lubbock.

A. D. Cummings left for Canyon, where he will spend a short time.

Mrs. A. H. Thornton left Friday afternoon for Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Jay spent the weekend in Plainview visiting relatives. They returned Sunday.

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#### IRA AND B. MARSHALL GRADUATE WITH DEGREES FROM SIMMONS

Ira and B. Marshall, sons of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marshall of this city, will receive Bachelor of Arts degrees this year at Simmons University. They have both made outstanding students.

Ira Marshall was editor of the 1927 Bronco, the University yearbook and was a member of the university quartet. After graduating from Simmons, he is planning to take preparatory work and later enter John Hopkins University and specialize in medical work.

B. Marshall has distinguished himself on the athletic field, having been a member of the football and track teams. He was awarded several medals for having won places in the shot put at inter-collegiate meets. He also made contributions to the literary sections of the campus publications.

Both boys will be home for the summer months, arriving here about June 10, following commencement exercises at Abilene.

#### JOE BREED ELECTED BUSINESS MANAGER OF SIMMONS BRAND

Joe Breed, a member of the Junior class of Simmons University, was recently elected business manager of the Simmons Brand, official weekly student publication for the college, for the coming year. He has served for the past year as assistant manager of the paper and was elected to his new position at the student elections held at the school last week.

The Simmons Brand, issue of May 14, has the following article about their newly elected business manager: "Joe Breed of Floydada, business manager of the Brand, has played a prominent part in school life during his three years in Simmons. He has served in various positions on the business side of the Brand for three years and is considered well qualified to fill the position with which the students honored him."

Joe is a graduate of the Floydada High School and has resided here for a number of years. He will return to Floydada this summer to spend his vacation.

#### POSTPONE CHILDRESS HI' GAMES BECAUSE OF RAINS THURSDAY

Heavy rains at Childress and southwest of that city on the Floydada road forced Childress high team to postpone indefinitely the scheduled two-game series set for Friday and Saturday of last week, according to superintendent J. C. Wester.

Ocus Mitchell, formerly of Floydada and a graduate of W. T. S. T. C. is coach of the Childress nine and was planning to bring his sluggers here for the post-season series.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Howard and son, J. T. Jr., accompanied by Misses Velma Nelson and Hazel Massie left Sunday for St. Jo. Miss Nelson and Miss Massie will visit friends and relatives in Wichita Falls, while Mr. and Mrs. Howard will go to the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill at St. Jo.

#### 14 YEARS AGO IN FLOYD COUNTY

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

#### ISSUE OF MAY 22, 1913

Monday, E. L. Belden, representing the Josphie Co. Broomcorn dealers of New York City, purchased from L. A. Marshall the eighth carload of broomcorn shipped from this city since January 1st. Broomcorn raising is becoming quite popular in this section and is bringing the Floyd County raisers several extra dollars.

Last Saturday, (May 17, 1913,) W. A. Robbins, vice president of the First State Bank, announced to his friends that he had been granted a three months vacation. Mr. Robbins has been in active charge of the loan department of the bank since its organization in the spring of 1909.

This week sees the closing exercises of the second year of the Floydada Presbyterian Academy. Rev. Robt. McCurdy will deliver the class address to the following class: Stokie Bishop, Oliver Allen, Coral White, Harry Weatherby and Harry Dawson.

Miss Pearl White returned from Ralls the latter part of last week, (1913) after spending the school year in that city teaching school.

Olin Miller and Ohmer Kirk returned last Tuesday from Canyon where they have been attending the West Texas State Normal College.

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County Clerk, W. B. Clark received notice this week (May 1913) from the governor of the state, of notaries appointed in Floyd County. Those appointed in Floydada were: J. B. Bartley, G. C. Tubbs, Miss Lydia Steen, W. T. Montgomery, C. J. Menefee, J. M. Massey, F. P. Henry, T. F. Houghton, Claude V. Hall, Jas. K. Green, J. C. Gaither, Silas Duncan, Arthur B. Duncan and F. M. Butler.

Last Saturday, (May 17, 1913,) J. A. Blackwell and Miss Lillie Peavey were united in marriage. Mr. Blackwell is a well known citizen of the Sandhill neighborhood. They plan to make their home here.

POTATO SLIPS—Nancy Hall, Porto Rico, Bradley Yam, 100, 40c; 300 \$1.10; 500, \$1.50; 1000, \$2.90.  
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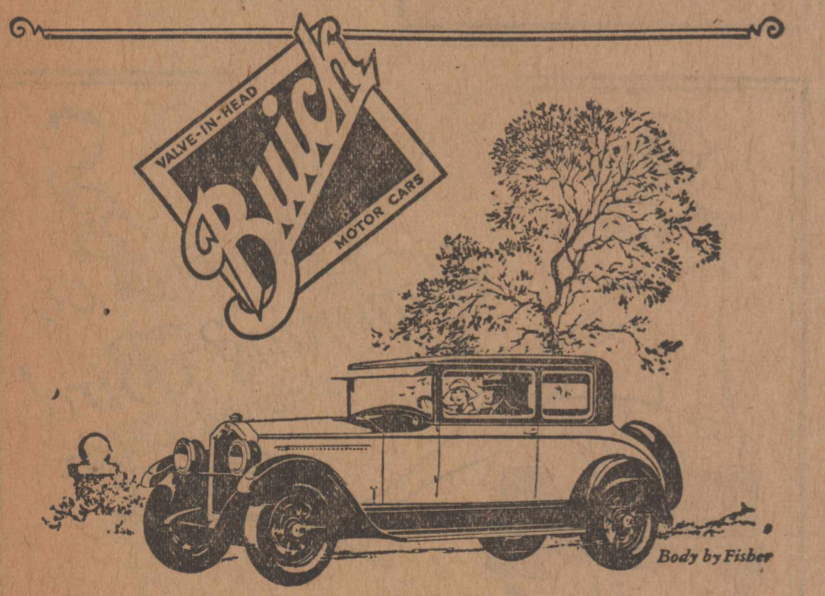
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### Lee Highway Officials Organize For New Aid

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ing road paving bonds is called later, I expect to be in a position to furnish reliable data as to cost of construction. I hope to have available the probable amount of aid that will be granted, and various necessary information that the voter should know before casting his vote. It is an important proposition which will involve millions of dollars and at this particular time, of course, no one knows what can or will be done at the Matador meeting."

Last December Floyd County rejected with a decisive vote a road bond issue for \$500,000. Hale County's proposed issue was also defeated during the same month. Motley County, on the other hand, cast a heavy vote favoring an issue of \$420,000.

W. C. Watson of Lockney is county chairman of the Lee Highway Association. He will likely attend the meeting next month with county judges and commissioners to work out the proposed organization.

The nine counties through which the Lee Highway passes are: Wilbarger, Foard, Cottle, Motley, Floyd Hale, Lamb, and Farmer.

#### MICE HOLMES MARRIES

Benjamin F. Marney and Miss Alice Holmes were married in Floydada Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Elder J. J. Day performed the ceremony at his residence.

Miss Holmes is a daughter of Mrs. M. B. Holmes of Sand Hill. The bride has been reared in Floyd County.

### Right-of-Way Needed Quickly Sommer Says

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on the Roaring Springs highway. Already new rolling stock and power has been purchased and put into service on the line in contemplation of the Floydada Extension, and crews are busy at work improving the road bed east to Quannah from Roaring Springs.

#### Local Citizens Talk

W. M. Massie, chairman of the Railroad Committee of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, E. C. Nelson, chairman of the finance committee and W. A. Baker, chairman of the right-of-way committee, made short talks, all optimistic, and each assuring Mr. Sommer that no delay would be occasioned by the railroad company by lack of right-of-way and assuring them further of the helpful attitude of the local citizenship. "We think we will have no trouble in getting the right-of-way, but it is going to cost money," W. A. Baker, speaking for his committee said. "We can get the right-of-way in ten or fifteen days, we think."

"We have worked two days on the financial end of the matter and have half of the money pledged," E. C. Nelson said. "We can get the money, and we are going to get it," he said, and added a plea that the citizens present make up their minds as liberally as possible and not ask the committee to call on them repeatedly.

"In coming into your great territory with our railroad, we want to work with you, and ask you to work with us," Mr. Sommer said. "All our delay has been overcome, we are happy to say, and if we can get your whole-souled co-operation, we are going to have a new rail

line into Floydada within a few months, and will be one of you."

Attorney G. E. Hamilton, in a short talk, told of the efforts begun twenty-five years ago to get an eastern outlet from Floydada. The line on which we worked then, Mr. Hamilton said, is now about to be constructed. "It will be of immense value to Floydada and to Floyd and Motley Counties. It will connect Floydada with the great markets of the southwest. It will put St. Louis at your door," he said.

J. C. Dickey, across whose farm the line will run, told the audience that the sooner all go to work on the matter and get the right-of-way adjusted the sooner we can expect the situation to settle itself. R. F. Brown and T. S. Stevenson were among other local citizens who discussed the situation briefly.

#### Field Engineer Coming

In the party with President Sommer, who came down from St. Louis in his private car, were A. F. Sommer, of Quannah, vice president of the Quannah, Acme & Pacific and G. E. Hamilton, of Matador, its general attorney. A. F. Sommer told a reporter for The Hesperian that Field Engineer Van Netta would be in Quannah this week and out on the ground the earlier part of next week. He also anticipates that parties of the contractor's crews will begin coming in early in the week.

Mr. Sommer will also spend sometime here next week, he said, adding in getting the field work started off well.

The meeting at the court house, attended by several hundred citizens, was preceded by a two-hour conference of members of the various committees working on the projected line and its operating officials. That all the difficulties in connection with the situation will be met and overcome quickly was the opinion of those who attended the conference, held in the offices of W. M. Massie & Bro.

### Floydada Boosters Have Successful Wichita Trip

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vention city the best hostess city yet. But Mr. Bishop and the remainder of the delegation are unanimously agreed that Wichita Falls outdid itself for the visitors. "All prices remained normal and Wichita Falls people made every effort to have all visitors comfortably situated and cared for in every particular," Mr. Bishop said. "Wichita Falls newspapers were kind to Floydada, too. In the Times the latest panoramic view of Floydada was carried as a feature and a story of 1200 words appeared in the same section, telling of the resources and development of this territory. In this story the new rail facilities soon to be a reality in Floyd County, were stressed.

Forty pieces were in the band that represented Floydada. Besides the band and Miss Collins, Mr. Bishop said honors, among the remainder of the delegation of seventy-five from this city, should go to little Martha Lee Sparks and Luther Fry. While the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks did the latest dance steps, Mr. Fry specialized in the Indian War Dance. He was dubbed Chief Black Button and his war dance was given the misnomer hula hula.

Fort Worth will be the convention city next year. That city was put in nomination by former president R. Q. Lee, and unanimously selected by rising vote. Judge C. J. Haynie, of Abilene, was elected president. A. B. Brown, of Lockney, was re-elected a director for the ensuing year.

Among those attending the convention were the following Floydada people: Roy Snodgrass, Luther Fry, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, Alan Berry, J. E. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Borum, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Misses Hazel Massie and Velma Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sparks, Miss Willie Allen, Mrs. J. C. Parker, Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith.

### County Indebtedness Summarized By McGehee

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October 15, 1924,	667.00
TOTAL	4,667.00
Road Warrants of Commissioners' Precinct No. 3, dated	
January 11, 1926,	5,000.00
Road Warrants of Commissioners' Precinct No. 3, dated	
January 12, 1926,	932.50
TOTAL	5,932.50
Road Warrants of Commissioners' Precinct No. 4, dated	
August 15, 1925,	\$4,000.00
Grand total of refunding, road and bridge and Commissioners' Precinct interest-bearing warrants	\$155,992.50

"A very considerable number of taxpayers of the county will likely be interested in these figures," Judge McGehee said. "The data was taken from the county's records and I believe it is correct, there being no other outstanding interest bearing securities of any kind at this date that I know of. As you will note, over \$17,000 has been paid on the principal of the county's debts and we have spent \$5,768.74 to take care of interest coupons to date and have set aside \$4,765.01 to take care of interest yet to become due this year."

The total taxable valuation of the county for the year, Judge McGehee estimates, will be approximately \$11,000,000.

### Building Program Under Way Reaches \$52,000

With \$21,850 recorded by building permits this month and with other construction work going forward, Floydada's development program under way now reaches an estimated total of \$52,000.

Building grants have been issued as follows:

- E. E. Boothe two-story bakery building, \$15,000.
- Continental Oil Company of Texas, oil tank and unloading platform, \$1,250.
- Consumers' Fuel Association, office additions, \$400.
- R. O. Daniels, filling station on old Menefee place in southwest Floydada, on the Ralls-Petersburg road, 18x14 foot building, \$200.

J. A. Enoch has started the erection of a one-story brick of modern design on the east side of the court house square. H. E. Cannaday has the labor contract and Willson Lumber Company is furnishing materials.

Foundation work was completed the first of the week and brick and sand has arrived for the brick work, which will be started soon, it was stated.

Mr. Enoch said that he did not know just what kind of business would be established in his \$5,000 brick when it is completed.

Workmen began this morning on the foundation for the new Boothe Bakery plant on West California Street. A carload of brick and other materials have been unloaded on the site. H. S. Cannaday in contractor.

The concrete elevator in the industrial section being built by L. A. Marshall, several modern residences under construction and other improvements bring the building total for the city to the estimated figure of \$52,000.

B. F. Manasco has three modern homes under construction. The structure in southwest Floydada formerly used as a sanitarium is being divided into three sections, two of which are being made into houses facing north on Mississippi street and the third facing east on Fifth street. The improvements represent an expenditure of \$1,600, Mr. Manasco said.

#### REV. COLLINS ATTENDING ASSEMBLY OF PRESBYTERIANS

Rev. A. A. Collins, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Floydada, is at Lakeland, Fla., attending the General Assembly of the Church in session there this week.

Rev. Collins left Saturday and spent Sunday at Eldorado, Okla., where he preached the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of the high school. He is representing the Amarillo Presbytery of his church at the meeting in Florida.

### FOOD SPECIALIST SPEAKS HERE FRIDAY MORNING AT CLUB MEET

Members of the local Home Demonstration Club will hear an address Friday morning by Miss Lola A. Blair, food specialist from A. & M. College. The talk will be delivered at the club meeting from 10 to 11 o'clock in the county court room.

Miss Blair has a number of interesting points to discuss, it has been announced, and invitations are extended to all women in Floydada and adjoining communities who are interested to be present Friday morning.

### WEEK BRINGS TO CLOSE NUMBER FLOYD COUNTY RURAL SCHOOLS

This week brought to a close sessions of a number of Floyd County rural schools. The majority of the final exercises are set for this week-end. Sand Hill has a closing program Friday night.

Fairview school has planned final exercises for this Thursday and Friday nights. W. C. McClellan is principal.

McCoy school closed Wednesday. An all-day picnic "with dinner on the ground" was the closing celebration. Floyd Fuqua is principal.

Irick closes Friday night. W. D. Biggers of Lockney will deliver the ad-

dress at the exercises Friday night. Joe C. Hutchinson is principal.

Center holds their final program tonight and a picnic is planned for Friday. G. E. Bond is principal of the school.

Campbell closes Friday. Frank Ward is principal there.

### FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING NEXT WEEK WITH CROSBYTON CHURCH

The Floyd County Baptist Association will hold their regular Fifth Sunday Meeting at the First Baptist Church of Crosbyton on Friday, Saturday and Sunday of next week, it has been announced. Attendance at this meeting is expected to be unusually large and entertainment for all who attend is being arranged, according to Rev. C. E. Dick, pastor of the Crosbyton Baptist Church.

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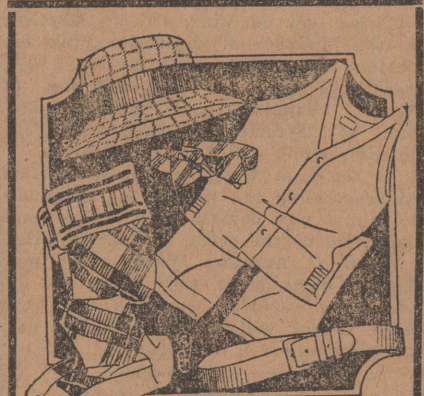
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