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Work Starts On First County Oil Well Test

PLANS BOOSTER TRIP FOR LEGION PICNIC

Delegation to Visit Eight Towns Wednesday Extending Welcome to July 4 Picnic.

Welcoming neighboring West Texas towns to an entire week of celebration and picnicking in Floydada, July 4 to 9, is the purpose of a booster trip planned for Wednesday of next week by the McDermott Post American Legion, sponsors of the picnic. The trippers plan to leave this city Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock, visiting eight towns before returning Wednesday night.

Accompanied by Band. Headed by the Floydada Municipal Band, the Legion trippers will visit the following towns and extend a welcoming hand to their Fourth of July picnics. Ralls, Crosbyton, Roaring Springs, Matador, Flomot, Quitaque, Silvertown and Lockney. The hour schedule for each town has not been worked out definitely, it was announced this week.

Special attendance of Floydada people on the booster trip is urged by the Legion. In referring to the welcoming trip, T. P. Collins, a member of the Legion entertainment committee, stated: "The Fourth of July celebration is a Floydada project as well as an American Legion project, and the time has come for the citizens of this city to help make it a real success. Making the trip with the boosters, will give everyone a chance to help and we want to make it one hundred per cent."

Carnival Attractions Feature. Feature attractions of the week's celebration will be several baseball games. The E. P. James Carnival shows and rides. L. A. Clark, advance man for the James Shows was in Floydada this week and arrangements were made for three rides, four shows and some fifteen concessions to be located on the East side of the square. The local Legion post will sponsor the shows and rides and will receive a commission of the proceeds, it was stated.

Attendance at the celebration is expected to be very large throughout the week, an especially large crowd expected on Monday, July 4. Present plans are that a number of the business houses will close their doors on this date.

Rains Cover Wide Area Flooding Some Sections

Rains of the past week have covered wide areas of the state and have flooded some portions of immediate territory, according to reports. Floydada received .47 of an inch precipitation Wednesday morning. It began raining here at 6:40 Wednesday.

Many sections of the county report heavy rains. Sand Hill community is said to have had at least an inch, which was believed to be the maximum total for local rainfall.

The Plainview district reports "a little flood." Farmers there are rejoicing because moisture was needed, after having failed to get more than a light register from the rain that broke the drought in Floyd County last week. With the farms northwest of Lockney now included in the rain belt conditions for planting are said to be almost ideal over the entire county.

Linears coming from the east were forced to make detours on the main highway between Floydada and Paducah Wednesday. Bridges were washed out and considerable damage done, according to Tom Porter, operator of the stage line.

In the past three days heavy rains have fallen at Amarillo, Borger, Stamford, Austin, Chillicothe and Paducah, indicating a general distribution of the precipitation over the state.

PORTRAYAL OF NOTED PAINTINGS PLANNED FOR PAGEANT FRIDAY

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will present a picture pageant portraying noted pictures of master artists, at the High School auditorium, Friday night, July 1, at 8:30 o'clock.

As the girls represent the famous character paintings, a short story will be told of the artist's life. The pageant is being directed by Mrs. Chas. M. Wilson and Mrs. D. Ford Butler. An admission charge will be made.

BAND WILL GIVE CONCERTS EVERY THURSDAY EVENING

Announcements were made this week by Prof. A. L. Lundgren that the Floydada Municipal Band would give a public concert at the Bandstand every Thursday evening, beginning with a special concert this evening. The public is invited and urged by the membership of the band to attend these concerts.

Bandmaster Lundgren reports good progress in the band, there now being more than forty pieces in the organization. A large number of new up-to-date pieces have been recently received by the band for future concert playing. Roy Baker, Business manager, stated.

Plan 3 County Dairy Improvement Here

Plans For Boys' Week Made By Luncheon Club

Wednesday, July 6, Boys' Business Day; Father and Son Banquet Set For Friday Night, July 8.

Plans for Boys' Week in Floydada, sponsored by the Floydada Luncheon Club, were discussed at the regular meeting of the club at the Commercial Hotel Dining Room Monday noon, the club's committee, headed by Ben Hardy, announcing that the original dates for which plans were made would stand, these dates being July 4 to 10, inclusive.

According to the plans made to date, the week will open with a patriotic parade Monday afternoon, July 4, at 2:30, in which in addition to American Legion which in addition to American Legion and other patriotic organizations having a part, boys of the community will be prominently featured. C. W. Booth is in charge of this feature of the Boys' Week program.

On Wednesday, July 6, the boys will be featured in the business part of town, the day being designated as Boys' Business Day, according to the plans made. Every business house is going to be asked to use one or more boys in their businesses that day and they will also likely be made use of by the city as directors of traffic and in other official capacities. Boys who will be available for the day will be required to register with S. N. Tawwater, who will assign them to places about town.

On Friday night, July 8, the Father and Son Banquet will be held at the Adams Ward gymnasium. It will be served by the three P. T. A. organizations of the community. Ed Bishop will have charge of the sale of songs as guests and an appropriate program is planned.

As far as possible, boys will be featured in the Sunday services on Sunday, July 10, which is the closing date of the Boys' Week.

The affair will be sponsored for both Floydada and rural community boys. Tickets will be on sale Monday, June 27, at the Chamber of Commerce office over Stansell-Collins Grocery. The price will be 75 cents at the minimum amount sold will be two tickets for each individual. Everyone has been urged "to come and bring a boy."

Gas Explosion Injures Floydada Boy Friday

Jack Sims Suffers Serious Burns in Fire at Hopkins & Fry Tailor Shop.

Jack Sims, 19 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sims, of this city, is convalescing this week from serious burns on the face and head, suffered last Friday afternoon when a gasoline cleaning tub became ignited and exploded in the cleaning house of the Hopkins & Fry Tailor Shop, causing damages to the building and machinery estimated at about \$1200. Sims was standing some three feet inside the door of the building when the accident occurred, the force of the explosion throwing him approximately five feet through the doorway. Physicians state that he is not suffering from injuries other than the burns.

The gasoline is believed to have been ignited by a spark from the machinery entering through the door of the cleaning tumbler, which by accident, was left slightly ajar. The entire building was filled with gasoline fumes, which is thought to have made the explosion more terrific. The force of the explosion demolished the metal cleaner and blew out one side of the sheet iron cleaning house. Other machinery in the building was damaged by fire which followed the accident, although the blaze was shortly extinguished by the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department.

The explosion Friday afternoon occurred at 5:05 o'clock. A new cleaning house is being constructed and new machinery installed at the tailor shop this week, and will probably be in working order by the latter part of the week. Luther Fry, manager of the shop stated. He has continued to operate his plant.

1st National Bank Made New Depository of City

After July 1, the First National Bank will become the depository for the City of Floydada for the ensuing year. The bank was designated following the consideration of bids by the city council in session last week.

For years past the Floyd County National Bank has handled the financial deposits made by the city, having been the successful bidder each year, according to records filed in the office of City Secretary Burl Bedford.

Bull Circles and Testing Associations Not Experiment, Grout Says.

Possibility that farmers and business men of Hale, Swisher and Floyd Counties may jointly undertake the employment of Geo. P. Grout, head of the Dairy Department of A. & M. College of College Station, and former assistant professor of Husbandry of the University of Minnesota, to vigorously undertake the development of the dairy industry in the three counties was indicated by Tuesday of this week at an informal gathering of bankers here, who had Mr. Grout in conference with them.

Two Projects Outlined.

In the party of out-of-town bankers here Tuesday, who evidenced particular interest in the proposal to establish the dairying industry on a more firm basis in this territory were J. D. Stankley, vice president of the Third National Bank, Carl Goodman, vice president of the Security State Bank, R. A. Underwood, president of the First National Bank, all of Plainview; Geo. T. Meriwether, vice president, and Jno. C. Broyles, cashier of the Security State Bank at Lockney; and A. B. Brown, president of the First National Bank of Lockney. A number of these had already been in conference with Swisher County bankers, farmers and business men and had assurance from that source that ample backing for the efforts planned would be forthcoming from that county. Local bankers took an active interest in the proposal, and encouragement was received from farmers whom the party had an opportunity to see while on their brief stay here.

The first undertaking which Mr. Grout would be called upon to put over would be the establishment of bull circles throughout the whole extent of the three counties, similar to the circles which have so impressively operated the past several years in Swisher and more recently in Hale and portions of Floyd County. The second undertaking would be the establishment of test associations by which the "boarders" in the dairy herds could be weeded out and only those cows showing profitable production retained.

Spending Types Here.

"Swisher, Hale and Floyd Counties already have spend types of Jerseys," Mr. Grout, who has long been recognized as an authority, declared. "The S. A. Guy dairy farm was undoubtedly one of the greatest blessings this section of Texas ever experienced, and this fact will likely be better realized five or ten years hence than at this time. The high production and splendid types

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Father of J. L. Speer Died Here Wednesday

John Frank Speer, of Dickens City, Texas father of J. L. Speer Superintendent of the Sand Hill School, died suddenly at the Smith and Smith Sanitarium last Wednesday morning. He was taken ill Monday at the home of his son, J. E. Speer, in Motley county, where he had been visiting for several days. Bladder trouble is said to have caused his death at 9:25 Wednesday morning.

Mr. Speer was one of the founders of Dickens County, having settled in Dickens City before the organization of that county in 1890. He was known in that city as "one of the fathers of Dickens County"—and was widely known in that section of the country. He had visited here several times and had a number of friends in this county also. He was 78 years of age at the time of his death.

The deceased is survived by a wife, four sons all of whom are teachers, and one daughter. They are: J. L. Speer, of this county; J. E. a teacher in Motley County; J. B., teaching in Flomot during the past year; Frank Speer, a teacher at Dickens City; and Mrs. G. B. Davis, of Brackettville, Texas. He is also survived by one brother, J. N. Houston, of San Antonio.

Funeral services will be held this Thursday afternoon in Dickens City at 2:30 o'clock. According to present plans, interment will be made in the Dickens City cemetery, the family burial ground.

TEACHER EXAMS. JULY 1-2

Dates for the next teachers' examinations to be held in the county have been set for July 1 and 2, according to an announcement made Wednesday by County Superintendent Price Scott. Superintendent Scott stated that he was anxious for all those interested to register with him at an early date if possible.

EXTENSION SERVICE HEAD TOURS PLAINS

Chas. H. Alvord Sees Home Demonstration Work Exemplified in This County.

On a tour of the north plains, south plains and lower panhandle of Texas, Chas. H. Alvord, of College Station, head of Extension Service in Texas, spent Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning in Floyd County studying first-hand the needs of south plains farm homes and the methods by which Home Demonstration work is being presented to them.

Visits Campbell Club

Mr. Alvord's visit here was made in company with Miss Myrtle Murray, District Home Demonstration agent for the thirty-five counties embraced in District No. Two, this county being chosen as a typical county for study of home demonstration methods and the results being obtained.

On his arrival Tuesday afternoon, the extension service head with Miss Murray was taken by Miss Blanche Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent, to a meeting of the Campbell Club, held at the home of Mrs. Joe Smith, and later visited the kitchen of Mrs. S. H. Horn, prize-winning county kitchen in Class Number One for the year. Miss Opal Wood, County Home Demonstration Agent for Hale County, was also one of the guests of the afternoon and made a brief, witty address.

"As the head of the extension Service of A. & M. College, I am especially interested in the development of this big new territory of yours, particularly with regard to the service our department is rendering it and with regard to the new problems that arise, which we can best help to solve," Mr. Alvord told a reporter for The Hesperian Tuesday night. His tour had taken Mr. Alvord through the north plains country, and on the previous day he had spent a day at Lubbock, Littlefield and Crosbyton. At the first two places he was greeted by business men and farmers and held brief meetings. At Crosbyton he was the guest at a luncheon arranged in his honor.

Relieve Farm Drudgery. "The application of mechanical power

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MRS. W. J. BROWN BURIED HERE MONDAY AFTER CHAPEL SERVICES

Funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. W. J. Brown, 74, who died at 11:30 o'clock Sunday morning at her home one mile west of the Curlew store in the north part of the county. Infirmitates of old age and complications are attributed to the cause of her death. She had been ill for about a month.

Services for the deceased were held at the Floydada Cemetery Chapel, conducted by Rev. Y. F. Walker of Lockney, Monday afternoon at 2:30. Harmon Undertaking Establishment had charge of the burial arrangements.

The deceased is survived by a husband, W. J. Brown, and six children. All were present at the funeral. The surviving members of the immediate family are: E. C. Brown residing in the Rio Grande Valley; Frank L. Brown, residing near the home place at Curlew; Miss Lizzie Brown at home, Mrs. Wilkes of Olton; Mrs. Gaskin, Lockney, and Mrs. Hardy of Lockney. The deceased was at one time a resident of this city.

TWO WEEKS EXTENSION ASKED ON BAPTIST CHURCH PLANS

An extension of time for the inspection of the proposed plans for the new Baptist church building were asked by the membership of the church last Sunday morning when the plans were presented to the congregation by J. C. Gilliam, chairman of the building committee. An extension of two weeks was granted in order to better acquaint the church membership with the plans and give more time in which to work out the details of the plan. The drawings and specifications are on display at the office of Mr. Gilliam and members are urged to come and study them.

WICHITA FALLS MAN TO PUT LAND HERE IN CULTIVATION

Bernard Martin, of Wichita Falls, who last year acquired two sections of land northeast of Floydada in the Center Community, was here a short time last week and is visiting his brothers, J. G. and C. M. Martin, his sister, Mrs. W. M. Massie and his father, J. A. Martin. While here he completed plans to put a part of his land into cultivation. If seasons are right he will likely put the cultivated land into wheat this fall.

BATES ELECTED CASHIER

David Bates, for a number of years cashier of the First National Bank at Lockney, has been elected cashier of the Third National Bank of Plainview at a recent meeting of the directors. Mr. Bates has been assistant cashier of the Plainview bank since February.

WELDING CONTRACT AWARDED ON GAS LINE; WORK STARTS SOON

Welding contract on the Floydada-Amarillo gas line of the West Texas Gas Company has been let to Gunn-Rush Welding and Manufacturing Company of Tulsa, Okla., according to advices received here over long distance telephone last night.

L. D. Dunn said that actual work would start in Floydada in a week or less. He said that Connor Construction Co. of Kansas City was in charge of the general contract work. Crews are at work at Lockney, he said, and that it would take probably 30 days to complete the line from Plainview to Floydada.

Six and one-fourth inch mains will be used on the local branch and this pipe has been unloaded ready to place in the ditches as soon as they are dug between this city and Lockney.

Norfleet Opens Series Of Talks At Campbell

Noted Man-Hunter Will Deliver First Lecture Friday Night at 8:30 On Detective Experiences.

J. Frank Norfleet of Hale Center, famous the world over for his thrilling man-hunt experiences, will deliver a series of lectures at the Campbell school, beginning Friday night, June 24, at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Norfleet will speak at Lakeview on Saturday night, it has been announced.

The lectures are being sponsored by the Lakeview Home Demonstration Club. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the organization. Plans are being made to use a part of the admission funds to send at least one member of the club to the A. & M. Short Course in July.

Norfleet was a ranchman residing near Hale Center at peace with the world a few years ago. He made a trip to Fort Worth on business and was swindled out of a fortune by a group of men promoting a fake promotion scheme. It was then that Norfleet started out on his man-hunt and after months of shadowing his suspects and traveling over thousands of miles of territory he succeeded in bringing the gang to justice. Norfleet has made his most recent record as a detective in connection with bringing before the courts suspects involved in the murder case which developed when Fred Conner of Tulsa was found dead on the Plainview-Kress highway in 1925.

Details of his experiences will be reviewed by Norfleet in his talks at the school auditoriums.

Memorial Park Planned For Uncle Hank Smith

As a memorial to his father, Uncle Hank Smith, one of the dauntless trail blazers in West Texas, Bob Smith has deeded the State of Texas twenty-two acres of land on his place in Blanco Canyon southeast of Floydada. A marble statue of the pioneer settler is to be placed in the park which will be open for tourists and visitors in this section. Uncle Hank Smith, deceased, will be represented with a large figure in whose hands will be placed a staff mounted with an electric light visible for miles and signifying the lighting of the way for those settlers who followed his lead into the west.

The park will be on the north side of the Floydada-Crosbyton road. It was just above the little creek that trickles through the reserve that the early settlers of Crosby County had their last skirmish with the Indians, and many other historic events of interest were recorded there.

County Tax Assessor W. T. Dunn and Secretary S. W. Cooper of Crosbyton assisted Mr. Smith in making out the deeds that have been presented to the legislature. Plans for the complete details of the monument to be erected have not been announced by Mr. Smith. The famous "rock house", the present home of Mr. Smith is southwest of the memorial park.

J. A. Nickels Purchases Gin Plants At O'Brien

J. A. Nickels, who until in mid-season of the past cotton year had been in the ginning business here, is this week at O'Brien, Haskell County, where he is supervising the repair of two gin plants purchased several days ago from Deahl and Heatley, Mangum, Okla., gin operators.

The deal was closed Wednesday night of last week, when the formal transfer was completed. On the Tuesday night prior, a hard wind resembling a cyclone did considerable damage to both plants, and repairs putting the building back in condition are being made by the vendors.

H. S. BOLIN APPOINTED DEPUTY SHERIFF ON HALE COUNTY FORCE

H. S. Bolin who for years served as a Floyd County deputy sheriff at Lockney and until recently connected with the city police force of Plainview, has been appointed as deputy sheriff of Hale County. Bolin succeeds W. S. Poer who has been appointed to replace G. R. Sturdivant, recently resigned as state highway deputy.

Lewis And Slagle Get Contract For Drilling

Exploration Company Starts Work In East Block; To Drill 3,250 Feet.

Preparations are practically complete for the drilling of Floyd County's first test well for oil. The Exploration Company of San Angelo is promoting the initial project. The drilling contract has been let to Lewis and Slagle and operations will begin at an early date, immediately after completion of the 84-foot derrick a. the setting of machinery, it has been announced. The well has been located in Section 119, Block D 3, which is sixteen miles northeast of this city.

Rig Work Starts.

A. W. Thomas will have supervision of construction of the rig. Two loads of dimension timber for the derrick were taken from the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. yard and actual erection work will start immediately after the arrival this mid-week of Mr. Thomas, it has been stated.

To Bill Slaton, city, goes the distinction of having "started" the first test well in this county. He began work Friday morning of last week on the "cellar", a ten-foot excavation which will be located under the derrick for facilitating the making of casing connections.

Twelve loads of heavy cable, tools, engines and other necessary equipment have been unloaded on the location by the crew of J. H. Lawson of Odessa, hauling contractor. Four of the trucks came through Floydada Saturday night, two Monday morning, four Tuesday morning and two Wednesday, bringing materials from Odessa.

Drill 3,250 Feet.

Gamble Land Company of this city is connected with the Exploration Company, which is putting down the well. They have been working on the lease negotiations during the last winter, completing details to get the pro-

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CROSBYTON PLANS ICE PLANT AFTER VOTING \$25,000 BONDS

Machinery and equipment for a new \$25,000 ice plant has been contracted for at Crosbyton, according to the Crosbyton Review. The building will be approximately 32x74 feet and will probably be built of hollow tile. The plant will have an eight-ton daily capacity, it was said.

It is expected that the new plant will be in operation by September. The ice plant will be in the same building with the city water pumping equipment and is being constructed by the city of Crosbyton.

Horn Kitchen Second In District Contest

Campbell Club Representative Makes High Score In District Class I, Losing To Lubbock County.

Mrs. S. H. Horn, Campbell, county winner in Class I of the State Kitchen Improvement Contest has been awarded second place in this district according to advices received here week by Miss Blanche Bass, home demonstration agent and sponsor for work. Members of the community are to send Mrs. Horn to the A. & M. Short Course in July as a representative of their club.

Mrs. A. G. Jones, Rt. 2, Lubbock County was given first place in District 2, winning over the Floyd County entry by only a very small margin.

There were four winners selected from this district by Miss Sallie Hill, district agent for East Texas, acting judge for this rebion. Miss Hill stated while on her visit to the winning in the county that the arrangements made by Mrs. Horn and Mrs. Jim Holmes, the latter local winner in Class II, were the best she had seen and that the kitchens had a style all their own.

From the nine district winners over the state, first award will be made by Mrs. Bernice Claytor, state home improvement specialist of A. & M. College. Mrs. Claytor will make personal visits to each of the kitchens taking first places.

To Install Blue Lodge Officers Friday Night

Officers of the Floyd City Lodge, A. F. & A. M., elected the night of June 11, will be installed at the meeting tomorrow (Friday) night at the Lodge's home at the corner of Main and Missouri streets.

Following are the officers who will be inducted into their respective places: E. S. Randerson, worshipful master; A. A. Tubbs, senior warden; A. J. Polley, junior warden; C. Surginer, treasurer; C. M. Meredith, secretary; J. W. Clonts, senior deacon; Flynn Thagard, junior deacon; F. L. Davis, chaplain; L. B. Maxey, senior steward; R. L. Henry, junior steward; G. Scott King, tiller.

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FOR THE FUTURE

Just a matter of a few days now and the wheat harvest of 1927 in Floyd County will be a matter of history. The rush of cutting, hauling, storing and selling will have ended. Ideal weather and machinery are contributing their part in making rapid work of gathering the golden grain.

And in just a few more days that machinery which is functioning so perfectly now will be ready. But ready for what? To store in a safe, dry shed or to leave standing in the fields or beside the barn to rust and deteriorate.

Rust is expensive. It is something that will eat rapidly into the savings of the best of business-like farmers. Watch it. Care for those implements for they represent just so many dollars to you.

The life of an implement can be doubled by putting it under a shed or in the barn—under some kind of cover as soon as you are through using it. The man who leaves his machines in the fields is paying, by depreciation, for storage sheds but is not getting the sheds. The cost of an implement shed to protect \$2,000 worth of machines is only a fraction of that sum.

Rust spells depreciation and depreciation means loss. Remember the old adage of one ounce of prevention.

A SWIMMING POOL

There is an old joke that goes the round of the father who told his son never to go near water until he learned how to swim. Local Boy Scouts who have to pass swimming tests before they can qualify for the degree of First Class find the joke of a serious nature here.

Whether they have to swim ten yards or a hundred, it is all the same—just cannot be done here in town. Floydada needs a swimming pool and recreational center for the young folk and kiddies during the summer months.

A municipal auditorium with playgrounds and a swimming pool in connection would be an ideal arrangement.

PROSPERITY IN DROUTH

Floyd County has made another record this year. It has produced a wheat crop that has matured without rain from planting to harvesting time. The grain is high quality and has yielded a fair average per acre.

Under adverse conditions West Texas has gone forward to another period that indicates to be a prosperous one for this section. It is something and an occasion worth telling the world about.

Moisture from recent rains make possible row and cotton crop planting and under favorable conditions feed stuff will be produced in quantities comparable to those possibly reached had the rain come earlier in the season.

SAVE THE SAMPLES

Gathering the best of the grains, canned goods and vegetables from over the entire county is a big job in itself. Secretary Ed Bishop has the collecting these articles, bundles, cans and materials as just a part of his work. He is called for cooperation from the people in the communities who have products that might possibly be used in county and state exhibits to assist in saving samples.

Bishop is particularly anxious to obtain bundles of oats, barley, and rye before it is cut. Other exhibit materials are needed, also, and could be preserved now for use at the proper time.

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14 YEARS AGO IN FLOYD COUNTY

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

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For a period of time so long that the mind of the younger generation runs not to the contrary, Mollie A. Bailey's shows have been making West Texas and their following among loyal friends has never been diminished. Their program Wednesday night in Floydada was a complete change from former performances and a good crowd witnessed it. Mollie Bailey's shows in Floydada is an annual event just like Christmas and is looked forward to with nearly equal interest.

County Clerk W. B. Clark issued license for marriage to S. E. Stiles and Miss Lizzie Ashton on June 17, 1913. Mr. Stiles has been a resident of the country about a year and resides in Baker community, where he owns a good farm.

S. L. Rushing, son and daughter, Lee and Miss Lula, returned Monday from a month's visit in Tennessee with Mr. Rushing's brother.

At the school commencement exercises at Hereford (1913) a prize was given the girl graduate whose dress was the neatest and most inexpensive. The young lady receiving the prize paid \$1.50 for her dress, while the most expensive gown of the evening cost only \$3.65.

Mrs. C. V. Viles left this morning, (June 26, 1913) for Amarillo, where she will meet her daughter, Marguerite, who has been visiting in Paris for the past five weeks.

This and That

Floydada can easily claim the distinction of being one of the best lighted cities of the Plains. It is indicative of a progressive citizenship, showing pride in their town by night and day.

If you hear or read of something that may apply in your own case, it is not always the wise thing to believe that it is personally said or written just for you. Perhaps other persons or group of individuals were the subject.

Between what others think about a person and what he knows himself, life becomes a pretty difficult problem at times.

Lateness in crops this year is a handicap that the farmers are working valiantly to overcome. It is unusual to see row crop planters at work in Floyd County as late as June 23.

Cotton will be late this year but one local gin man said that in 1921 some of the best grade of lint was produced from seed that did not come up and begin to mature until July 1. That should be encouraging facts.

The man with a narrow mind generally possesses a wide mouth.—Ex.

Grass on the prairies is rapidly turning green again since the recent rains. A trip over the new Floydada-Crosby highway will disclose some pretty scenes, especially in the Canyon crossing, where the grass in its freshness makes the valley into a garden spot.

'Round The Square

Rome wasn't built in a day—neither was O. T. III, but he is beginning to get the right start. We made an appeal in last week's paper for samples for Official Taster The Third to start his spring tasting and the same resulted in a 10 pound cabbage head shown us by Fred Bell. We sure got an eye full but not much of a mouth full. Fred said that, since seeing was believing, that was all that was necessary. The cabbage was raised on the W. O. Formby farm in Briscoe County, four miles west of Silverton. Mr. Formby has a patch growing over one hundred fifty heads equally as large, Mr. Bell said.

What Official Taster The Third craves now is eats. Unless we eat pretty soon we will starve to death. Bring on your peaches, apples, pears, onions or other first crop or big crop products.

A man who can speak six languages has just married a woman who can speak three, says a daily paper. That seems to be about the right handicap, all right.

"The Big Boss" song is proving quite popular 'Round the Square in Floydada. It starts off "Big Boss I Love You—".

"Mother's work is never done," goes the old saying. And so it is with advertising. Under today's competitive conditions, it must be used continually in behalf of a business if that business is to prosper and grow.

Four automobile accidents 'Round the Square in Floydada in two days is the record of last week. Although none of the accidents were serious it is high time we start some kind of regulation to stop them before they become dangerous. And all of the trouble is not with the officers, either. All four of these accidents were caused by careless driving, and could not have been prevented by officers. Let's prevent accidents in Floydada.

Wouldn't we be great citizens if we could only measure up to our critics?

"Refrain from calculating the quantity of your juvenile poultry before the completion of the entire process of incubation," stated one of our profs of higher learning recently; which translated to good old American slang means "Don't count your chickens before they are hatched."

What's Doing In West Texas Today

POST—The Post Hatchery has added another 12,096 egg Buckeye Incubator to their equipment, bringing the capacity to a total of 25,000.

MERKEL—Contract has been let by the City Council for paving ten blocks in the business section of Merkel, and for a \$23,000 extension of water works. The paving contract calls for two and a half inch concrete base. Additional work will be done on the water system at a later date.

CLOUDCROFT, N. M.—Hon. R. C. Dillion, Governor of New Mexico, will be a distinguished guest at the Pecos-Inter Mountain District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in this city on July 9. The regional gathering calls together delegates from almost a score of Eastern New Mexico towns.

SLATON—Rapid progress is being made on Slaton's paving program which embraces work on seven blocks. Other paving to follow this project is being talked of and funds are available for this purpose.

LUBBOCK—The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce is making elaborate preparations for its sixths annual "Traveling Men's Stag Party and Jubilee" to be held June 25. An attractive program has been arranged for the event, and plenty of entertainment is being provided for.

ALPINE—Senior L. Gutierrez Otero, Consul of Mexico, and other high Mexican officials, will be in attendance at the Big Bend District convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which is to convene here July 4. The annual Cowboy's Round-Up and Old Settler's Reunion of the Big Bend country will be held in connection with the regional meet. Another attraction will be that the distinguished personnel of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce motorcade party to the resort section of the Davis Mountains and Eastern New Mexico will attend in a body.

WOODSON—The Woodson Chamber of Commerce, in co-operation with the Throckmorton Chamber of Commerce, has voted to establish mile posts on the state highway leading from the city, on which advertising and road directions will be placed. This is in line with the road marking campaign sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

BORGER—Hutchinson County's mammoth road building election, authorizing issuance of \$1,250,000 in bonds has been passed.

THROCKMORTON — Throckmorton has met the proposal of the Texas and Pacific Railroad for a branch line from Breckenridge with the raising of a \$50,000 bonus. The line will be begun about July 1.

RANGER—Enlargement of the Oil Belt Power Plant, southwest of Ranger, is to begin this month. The improvement will increase the voltage from 30,000 to 60,000 horsepower, and will require the services of 400 men for a period of nine months.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thomas, of Farwell, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Arwine and family. Mr. Thomas is county attorney for Farmer county.

Mrs. Mary F. Beals of Knowles, Okla., arrived the latter part of last week for a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Day, and other relatives. Mrs. Beals was accompanied by her little granddaughter, Frances Beals.

Mrs. W. M. Day of Falls spent Saturday here as guests of Elder and Mrs. J. J. Day, and other relatives.

Lee McSpadden arrived Saturday from San Angelo, where he has been working for the past several months with his brother, Frank McSpadden, who is operating a filling station there.

Among those from Floydada who attended the Junkitwick at the Palisades staged by the Automobile Dealers Association of Amarillo were: E. E. Boothe, Johnnie de Cordova, Trove Pone, Tom Bishop, and John Gamble. They returned Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore and Mrs. T. L. Callaway spent Sunday and Monday at Borger, where they were called by the serious illness of Mrs. Ben Askew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moore and sister of Mrs. Callaway. They left Mrs. Askew much improved.

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FOR SALE—1 pair bay mare mules, 8 years old, also 50 bushels cotton seed at 75 cents per bushel. See Tom Terry. 162tp

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FOR SALE—Eight week's old Poland China Pigs. Good ones. Arthur J. Beedy, 12 miles northeast of Floydada. 16tc

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FOR RENT—A couple of very nicely furnished front rooms. Inquire at this office. 13tc

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Hear J. Frank Norfleet at Lakeview, Friday night, June 24. 17tc

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Floyd County Clubs

BLANCO CLUB

Blanco Home Demonstration club met June 16 with Mrs. J. B. Tinnin as hostess. Nine members and two visitors were present. We were glad to have the visitors.

Our subject was "Emergency Meals". Each member answered the roll call by naming one emergency dish. Mrs. G. R. Smith was leader. The following topics were discussed:

"What the pantry should contain"—Mrs. Will Snell.
 "The convenience and economy"—Mrs. W. C. Cates.
 "Suggested emergency meal"—Mrs. Daniels.

"Demonstration on preparation of emergency meals," Miss Bass.
 We enjoyed a nice meal. We always learn some good things from Miss Bass.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. L. C. Wheeler. Roll call will be answered with "My favorite casserole dish". Mrs. J. B. Tinnin will be leader. The following topics will be discussed.
 "The place of casserole dishes in the menu"—Mrs. Henderson.
 "Variety in casserole dishes"—Mrs. Badgett.

"Demonstration on casserole dishes"—Mrs. Wheeler.
 We would like to have all members present at our next meeting also all visitors are welcome.

Planting Row Crops Since Blanco Rain

Blanco, June 21.—Everyone is very busy this week planting their row crops since we have had such a good rain.

The Sunday School has begun to progress again. An invitation is extended to everyone who isn't in Sunday School somewhere else.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Simpson and son, George Lous and Miss Hattie Bagwell, of Plainview, were visitors in the Bagwell and Gamblin homes Saturday night and Sunday.

L. L. Floyd from Memphis is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ham Smith for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christian had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Larance, of the McCoy community. Mr. Badgett's mother from White-

wright is visiting with him and his family for several days.

Mr. Barnett and daughter, Martha, are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McCarty. Mr. Barnett is helping with the farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Smith of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander.

Jim Alexander, of Davis, Okla., is spending several days here with his brother, Henry Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hooten and children, of Haskell, are here visiting relatives and friends.

VOTE ON BOND ISSUE

Hale county precincts and citizens of Plainview will vote next week on a proposed \$1,000,000 bond issue for the construction of hard-surfaced roads. The election has been called for Wednesday, June 29.

A vote on a similar bond issue was defeated in Hale County last December.

Dickens' Christmas Carol met with such success that the first edition was sold out the day of publication.

During 1926 the State of Pennsylvania planted over ten thousand shade trees along the trunk-line roads of the state.

In several American cities motorcycle taxicabs are used.

Miss Vivian Evans, of Las Vegas, N. M., arrived Sunday to spend several days here visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Wimberly, and other friends.

Mrs. A. J. Welch and children, returned last Sunday from Dallas where they have been for the past two weeks visiting.

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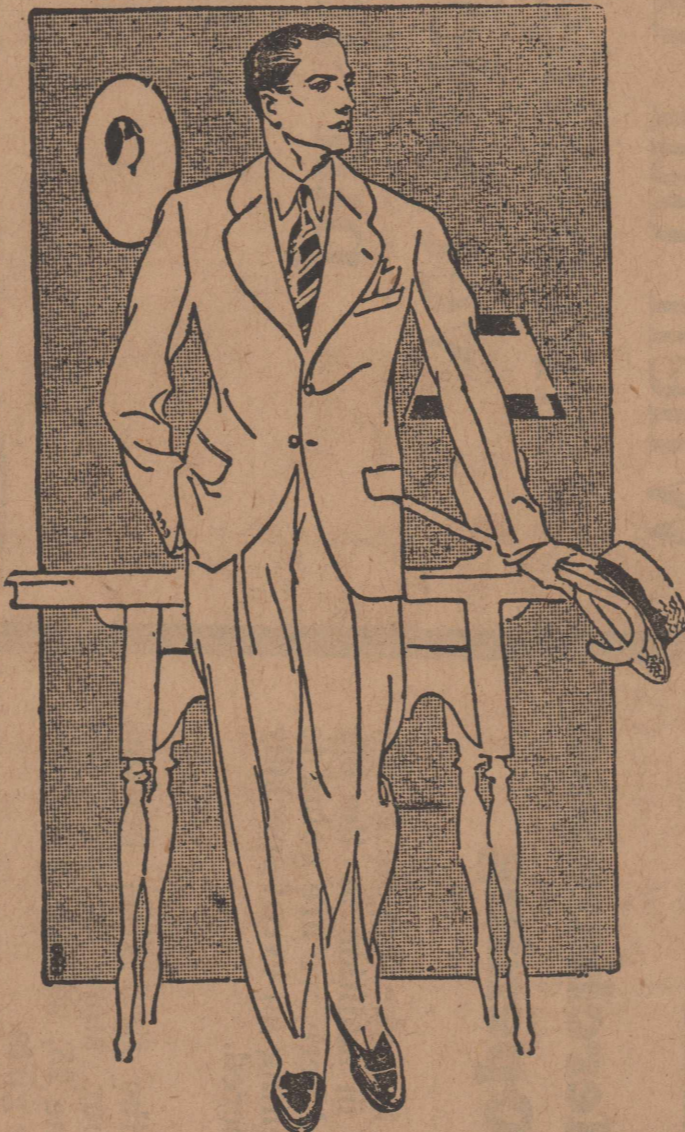
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Ten of the first fifty persons who enter our store on Saturday morning, June 25, will be presented with valuable gifts.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO BE PRESENT AT THE OPENING HOUR, 10 A. M.

When our door opens at 10 o'clock, and the biggest SALE we have ever yet held in Floydada, will be put into action, making room for Summer and Fall Purchases

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Special Attention

This is a Clearance Sale. Profits are being disregarded in an effort to move the stock quickly. On this account there will be

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From all parts of the house, from the piece goods department to the shoes, we have selected, and here present, a large number of representative prices, which will be in effect throughout the sale. These prices, however, represent only a small per centage of the total number of items specially priced—there are thousands of items, all of which will be marked down—

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With The Churches

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM

The Christian Endeavor program for the First Christian Church will be given Sunday evening, June 26, at 7:15, as follows:

Topic—Where Are Missionaries More Needed—India or Africa?

Leader—Mrs. John A. Enoch.

Song—No. 103.

Prayer—Rev. F. L. Davis.

Song—No. 89.

Scripture Reading—Matt. 18-11-14, by the leader.

Thought Ticklers—Group of young people.

Talk "Africa"—Daisy Lee Gresham.

Talk "Mohammed or Christ in India?"—Mrs. F. L. Davis.

Topics for Discussion:

"Should We Convert Everybody in America before Attempting to Convert the World?"—Bernice Gresham.

"Is India's Civilization Sufficient For Her Salvation?"—Blanche Enoch.

Special Music—Ruth Enoch.

"Why impose Christianity Upon Foreign Peoples Who Already Have Religions of Their Own?"—Hazel Probasco.

"Why Are there Not More Christians in India and Africa After a Hundred Years of Missionary Work?"—A. D. Summerville.

"What Country—Africa or India in Your Opinion Needs the Gospel Most?"—Rev. F. L. Davis.

Benediction.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Ira L. Sanders, Minister.

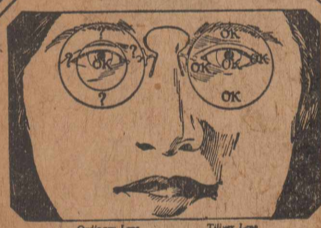
Our interest at the City Park Church continues to grow, attendance was good last Lord's day. The Bible study at 10 o'clock is also growing in interest. We have no organization outside of the Church, yet you will find a class suitable for you at the 10 o'clock hour and if you are interested in Bible Study, we invite you to come and study with us. God said go teach. He also said for us to study to show ourselves approved unto God, hence we take the advantage of every opportunity we can to learn the truth.

Next Lord's day is our regular preaching day, hence there will be preaching both morning and night. So don't forget, but come and bring some one with you. We now have our new seats installed and they are very comfortable. We are glad that we are now prepared to do a better work than ever. Our prayer meetings are still very interesting, so all are invited to be with us each Wednesday night.

METHODIST CHURCH

Ben Hardy, Pastor.

We had an increase in our attendance in Sunday School again last Sunday over the Sunday before. A very interesting "Father's Day" service was had. At night Dr. Ross of the Southern Presbyterian Missions in Mexico, brought a highly informative message about the work in Mexico. Dr. Matthews, pastor of the Presbyterian church in Clovis, New Mexico, also took part in the services. These brethren are here attend-



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Dr. Geo. G. Clark, a prominent minister of the Lutheran church of Wichita, Kansas, who is here looking after business interests will preach for us next Sunday morning. The pastor will preach at Plainview at that hour but will be back for the evening services. Give Dr. Clark a good hearing and also be on hand at night.

League at 7:30, come and encourage the young people.

LADIES' BIBLE STUDY

There was a large number of ladies present at the City Park Church of Christ Tuesday and a splendid lesson was had. It makes us feel good to see the interest that is being manifested by the ladies of the church in these lessons. The meetings will be held at the different homes of the class, from now on, instead of the church house.

Mrs. J. A. Arwine has invited the class to meet with her Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All ladies interested in Bible study are invited to meet with us.

Reporter.

CHURCH AT BAKER

Preaching services will be held at Baker school Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, according to announcements. Elder E. B. Mullins will have charge of the services.

A general invitation has been extended for everyone in the Baker and neighboring communities to attend.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

F. L. Davis, Minister

Father's Day last Lord's day went off very nicely. Uncle Mike Sanders was the oldest father's present. He is 75 years old and was given the large print Bible.

Services next Lord's day will be as usual. Sunday School at 10 o'clock and preaching immediately following. The subject of the sermon will be "Things Left Undone." Endeavor Society will meet at 7:15. Mrs. J. A. Enoch is the leader. We will have a good meeting. At the preaching service that follows, instead of the regular sermon we will use the picture machine. Will show the district pictures. This will show what we are doing for the advancement of the cause in this district.

It will be interesting and helpful to all. Be sure and be present.

The Endeavor Society will have its monthly social and business meeting tomorrow, Friday, night at the home of Mrs. J. A. Enoch. All of the Endeavors are urged to be present.

Had a fine service out at Newland last Sunday afternoon. It was all good except the offering, which was small. You will hear something good from there pretty soon.

Weather or roads permitting and the Lord willing, we will fill our appointment at Ralls Sunday afternoon.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas is has pleased our heavenly father to remove from our midst our sister, Mrs. W. C. Clubb, therefore we, the Carr's Chapel Missionary Society submit the following resolutions: Resolved first, that we extend our sympathy to the bereaved family, relatives and friends, and share with them in their sorrow, humbly submitting to the will of God, realizing that it is his will, not ours, that be done.

Resolved second, that a good wife, a devoted mother, and a loving sister, and a faithful member of our society has gone to her final rest.

Resolved third, that a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the minutes of our society, a copy be furnished the family of our deceased sister, and copies be sent to The Floyd County Hesperian, and The Texas Christian Advocate for publication.

Mrs. D. T. Scott,
Mrs. Chas. Trowbridge,
Mrs. Chas. B. Smith.

HOT WEATHER MENUS

Cooling foods may be piping hot; it depends on the ingredients rather than the temperature that you serve them. Some foods produce much bodily heat during digestion. Others give off little. Thus rich dishes especially appropriate for winter should be discharged or eaten in small amounts during warm weather, according to Nell B. Nichols, cooking expert of Farm and Fireside.

Non-starchy vegetables, fruits and berries are cooling foods. Of course a certain amount of fuel foods, such as meat and sugar, are needed every month of the year to supply energy whenever an organ of the body functions. But heavy pastries, puddings and sauces are best omitted from the summer bill-of fare.

Vegetable dinners or suppers accompanied by servings of eggs or a glass of milk provide a well balanced ration in hot weather. Here are some splendid vegetable menus with which they may be combined:

1—String beans, buttered onions, stuffed baked tomatoes, and escalloped potatoes.

2—New cabbage, stewed tomatoes, lima beans and stuffed baked tomatoes.

3—Buttered spinach, green peas, carrots and baked tomatoes.

4—Corn pudding, buttered beets, stuffed onions and fresh sliced tomatoes on lettuce.

5—Okra, corn on cob, creamed new potatoes, and wilted lettuce.

The average American housewife is inclined to overcook her vegetables; to let them become soft and flabby, their color darkened and their flavor impaired. Recent experiments prove that many of the vegetables may be cooked in fifteen or twenty minutes. Carrots, peas, spinach and other products are best when cooked rapidly. The vitamin content of vegetables which are boiled quickly, seasoned and served at once is much higher than that of overcooked vegetables which are allowed to simmer. The entire food value of fresh carrots may be preserved by serving them raw, grated and covered with a hot cream sauce.

With the opening of the diamond mines in South Africa in 1876 diamonds were brought to America. They have grown in popularity and have increased in value. They are now five times as valuable as in 1867.

BLIND WOMAN AS LEADER IN RAG RUG MAKING CLUB IN FLORIDA

She has been blind for 19 years. About six years ago, when she was very much in need of both occupation and remunerative manual employment, one of her friends suggested that she try rag rug making. The friend got her the rags and started her on the work. She has been so successful that she was invited recently to address a group of home demonstration agents and give a talk on her work. Her name is Mrs. Alice Snowden, Alachua County, Fla.

She told them how helpful her friends had been in the one part of the work she could not do for herself—in dyeing the rags so as to have different bright colors. After the rags are dyed she keeps the colors separate, putting, perhaps, the red ones in a basket, the white ones in a bag, and the black ones in a box. She can cut out the strips herself, using the first finger of her left hand as a guide for the width, putting the edge of the cloth between her fingers and bringing the scissors to the end of the finger each time. This keeps the strip the same width. She can tell by the width or feeling of the braid as she makes it whether or not to add more stripes.

Round rugs, she said, are easier for her to make than oval ones, for the braids merely have to be sewed round and round. On the oval rugs, since she can not see when she comes to the place where she ought to turn, she sews strings on the four curves to guide her. In making a hit-or-miss pattern she simply mixes all colors strips up with her hands in one pile and then begins work. When a rug is finished it is laid flat on the floor, dampened slightly, and then a heavy board is laid on top of it to press it flat.

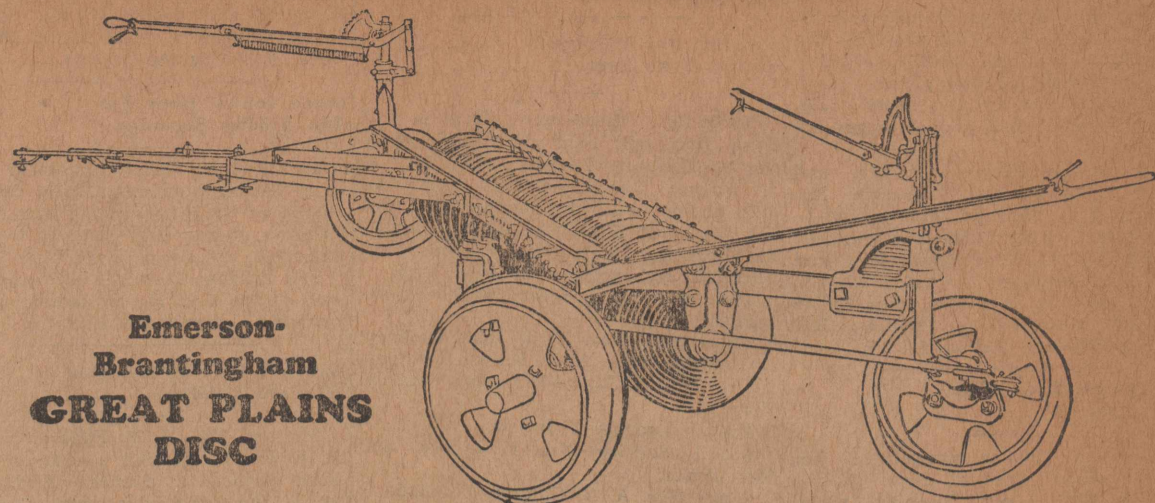
Through her rag-making work Mrs. Snowden has found both employment for her time and a source of income. She adds that it has also brought her many friends, and that she is glad to impart whatever she knows about the art to home demonstration groups who wish to learn rag making.

Claim against the State of Massachusetts for reimbursement for damage caused to orchards by deer have led to an investigation by the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, with a view to controlling further injury to young orchards from this cause in New England. In Massachusetts alone the damage amounted to \$15,000 in the past year. Deer injury represents a serious problem. It has recently caused two large young orchards to be abandoned and has prevented the development of orcharding in otherwise favorable sections. Practical control is badly needed, but it is undesirable to injure or kill these valuable game animals.

As a preventive of colds, workers in Japanese rice fields wear stockings made of human hair.

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Society & Clubs

Fish Fry and Picnic at J. A. Tank Monday.

Several cars of Floydada people drove to the old J. A. Watering tank in the northeast part of the county Monday night for a fish fry and picnic. G. C. Tubbs, who reported the party said, "we had lots of fish and also mosquitoes."

Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine and little son, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tubbs and children, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Clements, Mrs. Ray Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim, Miss Evilee Goodwin; Messrs. J. U. Borum, Bill Sharp and Dailey Bishop.

Mrs. Thomas Entertains S. S. Class.

Mrs. E. C. Thomas entertained her Sunday school class of girls with a party at her home Tuesday night. Games of various kinds furnished amusement. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. C. B. Sims. Refreshments of ice cream and wafers were served.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Gwendolyn Snodgrass, Oriene Conkle, Genell Stovall, Dorothy Hall, Norine Spence, Lois Covington, Virginia McClung, Annie Laura Martin, Hazel Borum, Margaret Sims, Selma Louise Linder, Patty Loper and two out-of-town visitors, Clara Bell Carder, of Abilene, and Eugene Henry of Lubbock.

Baptist Society Holds Short Session.

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the Baptist church met at the church early Monday afternoon in a short business session and adjourned so that the members could attend a lecture given at the Methodist Missionary Society by Mrs. H. L. Ross, of Mexico City.

The next meeting will be held Monday afternoon, June 27, at 4 o'clock.

Program For Missionary Society Zone Four.

Methodist Missionary Societies of Zone Four will hold an all-day meeting at Lockney, Tuesday, June 28, at 10 o'clock. There are four zones in this district with the communities that are the most closely grouped. Floydada, Lockney, Petersburg, Cone and Fairview are included in Zone four.

The following program has been arranged:

Devotional—Rev. T. J. Rea, Lockney. Greeting—Mrs. A. B. Brown, Lockney. The Fourth Zone—Mrs. Ben Hardy, Floydada.

Prayer League—Fairview. Social Service—Mrs. T. J. Rea and Mrs. Hines.

Song—Mrs. A. N. Gamble, Floydada. Stewardship—Mrs. H. A. Crager, Lockney and Miss Anna Carr, Carr's Chapel.

A Bible Message—Mrs. W. H. Carr, Carr's Chapel.

Lunch. The Jubilee—Mrs. Jake Griffith, Lockney—Miss Rebecca Ansley, Plainview.

Young People—Mrs. Chas. M. Wilson, Floydada.

Children's Work—Mrs. T. H. Stewart, Lockney and Mrs. W. A. Robbins, Floydada.

Song—Junior Girls. Gibson Auxiliary—Mrs. Will Snell, McCoy.

Mission Study—Mrs. L. G. Mathews, Floydada.

Our Greatest Need—Representative from Cone.

Standards—Mrs. H. N. Porterfield, Dist. Secretary, Floydada.

Junior Endeavor Society Organized.

Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock fourteen children of the Presbyterian church met, and under the direction of Mrs. A. A. Collins organized a Junior Endeavor Society. The following officers were elected: Raymond King, president; Wanda Teeple, vice president; Margaret Anderson, secretary; Jean Bain, treasurer.

The committees and a superintendent will be elected at the next meeting, Sunday afternoon, June 26, at 7:30 o'clock. All children who are not members of any other society are invited to become members.

Couple in Center Community Married Sunday.

Miss Fay Hollums, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hollums, of the Center community, became the bride of Elvis Gill, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gill, also of the Center community, Sunday, June 19, at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. R. E. L. Muncy performed the services at his home in the Muncy community. The wedding was attended by a number of the young people of the Center community.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill will continue to make their home in the community in which they resided.

Woman's Council Elects New Officers.

New officers for the ensuing year were elected at the regular meeting of the Woman's Council which met in business session at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. L. H. Dorrell was elected president; Mrs. Fred Brown, vice president; Mrs. J. A. Enoch, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Ed Brown, reporter.

The Council meets in regular session Monday afternoon, June 27.

Mrs. Thacker Hostess At Party.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker entertained a few of their friends Friday night with forty-two. Those enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine, Miss Evilee Goodwin, and Dailey Bishop. Delightful refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Story Telling Hour For The Kiddies Saturday.

Mrs. Lon M. Davis, a member of the story telling hour committee, will have charge of the story telling hour for the children at the City Park at 5 o'clock, Saturday, afternoon, June 25.

The children from the communities as well as those in the immediate city are invited to attend the meeting.

Reunion Held at Memphis Of Ford Children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ford and Mrs. F. E. Edwards attended a reunion of the Ford children at Lamesa, Friday, June 10, at the home of a sister, Mrs. Jim Wyatt. This was the first time all of the five brothers and sisters had seen each other in thirty-eight years.

The other two children who were present on this happy occasion were H. W. Ford, Matador, and A. L. Ford and wife, Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Edwards were accompanied home by their brother, A. L. Ford and wife and also Mrs. C. J. Vanmeter of Decatur. Mr. and Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Vanmeter left Friday for other points to visit relatives.

Visitor Tells of Mexico At Missionary Meeting.

Mrs. H. L. Ross, wife of Rev. Ross of Mexico City, who is here attending a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Henry was a guest at the Methodist Women's Missionary Society which met at the church Monday afternoon. Mrs. Ross has resided in Mexico for several years becoming very familiar with the customs and home life of the people which she described in a very splendid address on "Mexican Missions." The meeting was opened with a missionary song, and a prayer by Mrs. R. D. Evans.

There was a large attendance, fifteen ladies from the Missionary Society of the Baptist church and several members from the other churches of the city were present. Mrs. James E. Ross, Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mrs. G. L. Bruner, Clovis, New Mexico and Miss Lucy Ross, Plainview, all of whom have been guests in the Henry home were visitors.

The following ladies of Lockney were also here for the meeting: Mmes. L. A. Cooper, H. E. Adams, L. L. Savage, T. H. Stewart, G. S. Morris, Frank Morris, Frank Anderson, H. A. Crager, A. B. Brown and Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Rea and children.

Mrs. Stevenson Hostess To T. E. L. Class.

The T. E. L. Sunday School class of the Baptist church was entertained in a business and social meeting Tuesday night with Mrs. T. S. Stevenson as hostess. Delightful refreshments were served.

Those present were Mmes. E. L. Norman, W. I. Cannaday, J. V. Daniel, J. G. Martin, L. A. Marshall, I. W. Hicks, G. R. Strickland, B. C. Blacklock, and Mrs. Thomas.

Matador Ukelele-Girls Guests Of Dr. and Mrs. Smith.

The Ukelele Girls of Matador, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Lon V. Smith at a picnic party at the Country Club Monday night.

Those from Matador here for the party: Misses Allie Traveek, Opal Patton, Lottie Carter, Lorene Frier, Corrine and Dorine Russell, Vivian Estes, Mrs. A. L. Frier and Mrs. Stearns, and Messrs: A. J. Foley, A. D. White, Lorraine Nelson, Maurice Burke and Dan Jenkins, all of Floydada.

Virginia Belle Gamble Given Birthday Party.

Virginia Belle Gamble, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gamble was honored at a party Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock when her mother entertained for her on the occasion of her fifth birthday. The home was decorated appropriate for the occasion in a color scheme of pink and white.

The hostess was assisted by little Misses Bert Ione Smith, Carrie Belle Carter, of Abilene, and Dorothy Brown, who had charge of the games.

A large white birthday cake adorned with five pink candles in rose petal holders formed the centerpiece of the dining table. The cake was cut and served with pineapple shurbet. Lollypops were also passed to the children. Later in the afternoon a number of kadak pictures were made of the group.

The guests were: Bert Ione Smith, Dorothy Brown, Carrie Belle Carter, Martha Elizabeth Brown, Elizabeth Hardgroves, Martha Lee Sparks, James Willson, Bill Stevens, Junior Watson, Norma Ginn, Mary Katherine Daniel, Katie Lee Martin, Robert Montgomery, Betty Jane and Dale Rogers, Mary Loper, Nell Stevenson, and Vallie Porterfield.

The honoree was the recipient of many pretty little gifts.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Wright and son left this week for their home at Long Beach, California, after visiting here with Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. G. V. Slaughter and other relatives, for several days, and also at Fort Worth with relatives of Mr. Wright. Enroute they stayed overnight in Lubbock. Melvin Slaughter, brother of Mrs. Wright, accompanied them to spend several months in California.

Stokie Bishop, of Dallas, accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Pitts, of Mexia, arrived Sunday to spend the week here with their father, A. L. Bishop and other relatives.

Roy Baker spent the first of this week in Munday on business.

Mrs. W. L. Heagerty left Thursday of last week for her home at Los Angeles, after visiting some two weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dailey.

Many Attend Social Affairs For Henry Visitors.

During the reunion of the Ross family which began when the sisters and brothers of Mrs. E. C. Henry began to arrive at her home Wednesday morning, June 15, picnics and outdoor affairs have taken precedence over other forms of entertainment. Mrs. Henry has been assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Geo. V. Smith, city, Mrs. R. C. Henry, Mrs. Pitzer Baker, Weinert, and Mrs. A. P. Barker, Lockney, who have taken an active part in planning entertainment for the party during the week.

Fish Fry at Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barker of Lockney, were host and hostess to the immediate members of the family and a number of other relatives at the first of the series of social functions, a fish fry at a lake five miles northeast of their home, Friday night.

After supper the children in the party gave a very unique program, which furnished amusement for the remainder of the evening.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Ross and sons, Hervey, Jr., and William and daughters, Mary Wilson, Isabel and Jean; of Mexico City; Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ross and sons, James, Marvin, Horace and Bobbie, of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Henry and son, Kenneth, Floydada; Mrs. B. F. Jarvis, Plainview; Miss Lucy Ross, Plainview; and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. V. Smith and daughter Margaret, Floydada; Mrs. Pitzer Baker and son, Charles, of Weinert; Misses Sarah and Dixie Bruner, of Clovis, nieces of Mrs. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henry and sons, Billie and R. C. Jr., Floydada.

Picnic at Country Club.

Saturday night, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Baker entertained with a picnic and swimming party at the Floydada Country club.

All of the guests that were at Mr. and Mrs. Barker's party were present with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Henry and children and the following guests were invited: Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker, Mrs. Chas. Mayes, of Munday and Mrs. F. U. McCutchen and two children of Farwell, New Mexico.

Thirty-Nine At Dinner.

As the thirty-nine relatives and friends gathered around the festal board, at the Henry home Sunday at noon it was again the scene of a happy event as it has been on many occasions. All the family members were present at this affair an also the following guests: Mrs. Girard Bruner, of Clovis, New

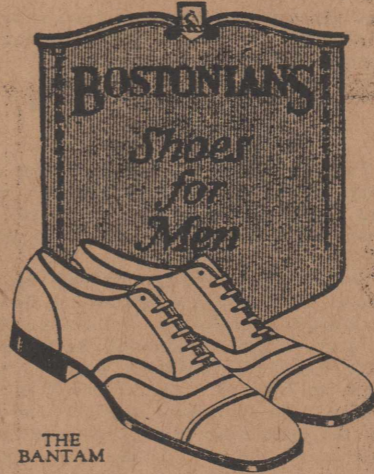
Mexico; Miss Beth Bruner, niece of Canyon, Leslie Bruner, nephew, of Amarillo; Rev. Ed Mathis, a cousin, of Clovis, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Henry.

Children Given Picnic.

Mrs. Smith honored the children with an all-day outing and picnic at the Country Club Tuesday. At evening they were joined for supper by the grown-ups.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stark, of O'Donnell, left Monday after a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Wm. McGhee. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Kenneth H. Burns, of Santa Anna, Calif., who has also been here visiting her parents and will visit here again before returning to her home.

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McCoy Farmers Busy On Crops And Wheat

McCoy, June 21.—The farmers of this community are all busy harvesting wheat and planting row crops.

Miss Lon Berry entertained the young people Friday night with a party.

Miss Minnie Norton, who has been attending school at Abilene, returned home last week.

Rev. Lollar filled his regular appointment at McCoy Sunday.

R. C. Day, who is attending school at Plainview, spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Smith of Lubbock visited in this community this week-end.

Misses Etta Berry and Lounette Pharr, who have been visiting with their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Berry of Tulia, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. Smith and daughters, Misses Clara, Marie and Thelma spent Thursday and Friday in Ralls with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Day.

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE

Program for Sunday, June 26, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Leader—Ted Wilkerson.

Songs—"In The Garden and 'Have Thine Own Way'."

Prayer—By leader.

Bible Lesson—Ted Wilkerson.

"The What, Where and Why is Korea"—Wallace Robbins.

"The Korean People"—Peggy McKinney.

"Religion and Home Life"—Willie B. May.

"The Korean Conception of God"—Rashelle Morris.

"Early Christian Missions"—Ora Mae Robbins.

"Missionary Results"—Wayne Gound.

"The What, Why and How of Korean Mission Products"—Heron Wright.

"A Korean Testimony"—Lillie Solomon.

"A Test Year In Korea"—Mary Gamble.

Benediction.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church meets at 7:30 p. m., Sunday, June 26, for the following program:

Subject—"Where Are Missionaries More Needed—India or Africa?"

Leader—Mrs. Mary Anderson.

Song—"From all the Dark Places."

Prayer.

Song—"Help Somebody to Day."

Scripture—"Help Somebody to Day," Scripture—Matt. 18:11-14.

Leader's Talk.

Song—"Throw Out the Life Line."

"The Religions of India"—Ollie Bell Collins.

"Religions of Africa"—Russell King.

"What Principles Should Guide Us in the Choice of a Field?"—Mrs. Pierce King.

"What Constitutes the Need of Peoples For Missionaries?"—Mrs. E. F. McIntosh.

Song—"Rescue the Perishing."

Business.

Benediction.

JUNIOR ENDEAVOR PROGRAM

The Junior Christian Endeavor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, which was organized on last Sunday evening, will hold its first regular meeting June 26, at 7:30 p. m. The following program will be presented:

Topic—A Missionary Sleigh Ride in Alaska.

Leader—Irene Kreis.

Song—Jesus Bids Us Shine.

Scripture: Isaiah 42: 5-10, read by leader.

Prayer.

"A Sleigh Ride in May"—Samuel Rutledge.

Strong Preaching—Matthew 3:7-8—Raymond King.

Song—Bring Them In.

"Why are these people especially near to us as Americans?"—Margaret Anderson.

"How can we as Juniors help the boys and girls of Alaska?"—Wanda Teeple.

A Short Story—Jean Bain.

"What does it really mean to be under one flag?"—Ruth Rutledge.

Helping by Prayer, Luke 18:1—Blanch King.

Business session.

Benediction.

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Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

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B. Y. P. U. meetings at 7:15 o'clock.

Evening preaching services at 8:30 o'clock.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE RECORD

License to marry issued during the past week by County Clerk Tom W. Deen were to the following:

Wm. H. Williams and Miss Nita Glover, June 16. They were united in marriage at Quitaque by Rev. J. E. Stephens. They will make their home in Whitenburg, Texas.

Elvis Gill and Miss Fay Hollums, June 16. They were married Sunday at the home of Rev. R. E. L. Muncy.

Rev. J. N. S. Webb and family of Lockney were in Floydada for a short time Wednesday afternoon. They were enroute home from a trip of some two week at Chillicothe and in Ochiltree County visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Florence Green of Amarillo is a guest this week of Mrs. Jno. Howard.

NEW BROADCASTING SERVICE BENEFITS FLYING STATIONS

In place of the special system of extra early weather observations for aviators for which the second deficiency bill carried provision, but which failed to pass, a new radio broadcasting service for air stations has been established since April 18 by the Weather Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture, in cooperation with the Navy Department. This service consists of sending out by radio at 8:15 a. m. on three wave lengths the regular weather reports now received by telegraph at 8 a. m. This has been made possible through the Navy Department, which furnished the Arlington equipment and several expert operators. It is sent out by what is called remote control from the Weather Bureau—that is, as the telegraphed observations come in, they are immediately transmitted in code on an instrument in the forecaster's office direct to Arlington and onto the air. A receiving set placed in the same room enables the sender to check the accuracy of reception.

It has not been found practicable as yet to transmit the evening telegraphic weather reports in the same way. The advantage in the morning radio broadcasting is that about an hour and a quarter's time is gained for the benefit of aviators who need information as to upper air conditions as early as they can get it. Ordinarily it takes until about 9:30 a. m. to assemble and transmit the morning weather reports, and that is the hour changes are made on the weather maps displayed in public places. This time is too late to do fliers any good, but the new service has been found useful. It is within possibility that business interests that are sensitive to weather changes affecting crop conditions—such as cotton exchanges, stock markets, shipping associations, boards of trade, and many others—will find the new service sufficiently valuable to warrant installing receiving sets in order to get this information at the earliest possible hour.

Both farmers and laborers in northern Ohio are reported as well satisfied with arrangements that were made for taking on extra helpers in connection with the corn borer control campaign. In some cases laborers who planned to work in the onion and sugar beet fields later assembled a few weeks early to join the ranks of those fighting the corn borer.

THE LONGWORTH FORTUNE

Nicholas Longworth, grandfather of the present Representative Longworth, was the first of the Longworths to settle in Ohio, going to Cincinnati in 1803 from Newark, N. J., where he was born in 1782.

His father was possessed of considerable property, but because he was a Tory in the Revolutionary War, the Government confiscated it all and young Nicholas found himself in cramped financial circumstances. Law was his ambition, and he had given some time to its study before going to Ohio. Upon admission to the bar he established himself in practice in Cincinnati. His first case was as counsel for the defense of a man charged with stealing a horse. His client was without funds, and for his services he gave the lawyer three copper stills.

Longworth had no use for stills, but he was full of confidence in the value of land in the vicinity of Cincinnati, so he traded them for thirty-three acres of land and this became the foundation of the Longworth fortune, which still is intact. Longworth's confidence in its growing value was sustained by the fact that he lived to see that thirty-three acres worth \$2,000,000. He died during the Civil War, one of the wealthy men of Cincinnati and indeed of the west.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Miss Cecil Mitchell to Study Voice in Europe

Miss Cecil Mitchell, of Dallas and formerly of this city, has been selected as one of ten Texas students from S. M. U. and Kid Key College who will study voice in Europe next summer. Miss Mitchell's splendid soprano voice has been highly praised by noted musicians and instructors. She has been studying in Dallas during the past year under Henri La Bonte, a famous voice instructor.

Efforts are being made to have the young singer and her instructor appear in Plainview in a joint recital in the near future. Miss Mitchell has been highly praised by her instructor, according to the Plainview Herald. Concerning her, Mr. Bonte recently wrote a Plainview friend:

"Miss Mitchell, during her study with me, has proven conclusively that she is not only an apt student, but has the making of a very fine singer, and I believe that with sufficient study she can attain a successful career as an operatic and concert soprano.

"We believe that this girl is a winner and I have some very ambitious plans for her future."

Miss Mitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mitchell, of Plainview. She was a member of the Floydada High School graduating class of 1920. She is a sister of Mrs. Robert McGuire, of this city.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, and daughters, Misses May and Edna, of Streetman, Texas, are here this week visiting with their son, S. M. Cole and family. They arrived last Sunday.

A. D. Cummings returned last Tuesday from Canyon after attending the first part of the summer session of the college.

V. B. Rogers left Wednesday morning for Dallas to spend the week on business.

Tom Kramer, of Daingerfield, representing a drug company, was a visitor in Floydada on business Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. McKinney drove to Plainview Wednesday to meet her father, J. A. Wade, of Los Angeles, California, who will be here for some time.

Irvin Bishop, of Long Beach, California, arrived last Tuesday to spend several days here visiting his father, A. L. Bishop and other relatives.

W. M. Swift and family returned last Monday from a two week's vacation trip to Knox City and other places in Central Texas.

Miss Emma Louise Smith returned Sunday from Chico after spending two weeks there as a guest of her grandmother.

Miss Dola Maddox, who has been staying with her brother, Clarence Maddox and attending school at Santa Anna, California, during the past school term, returned home last Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Clarence Maddox, who plans to visit for several weeks here with relatives and Mrs. H. M. Tate, of Santa Anna who is visiting relatives near here.

Mrs. P. C. Bedford left Tuesday to visit her father-in-law, J. H. Bedford and other relatives at Colorado City and Lubbock. She was accompanied by her daughter, Emma Lou and by her son, Loyd. They will be away some ten days.

Rev. W. R. Hill returned Tuesday from Borger after spending a short time there with his daughter, Mrs. Thurman Hines.

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Col. W. H. Seale and wife re-arranged home Wednesday after an absence of some two weeks spent at Houston and Galveston on a vacation trip. They were accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Landtroop of Lubbock.

Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews made a short trip to Plainview Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Marshall and baby, of Houston, who has been visiting here with her mother, Mrs. C. O. Thomas, returned last Friday to her home.

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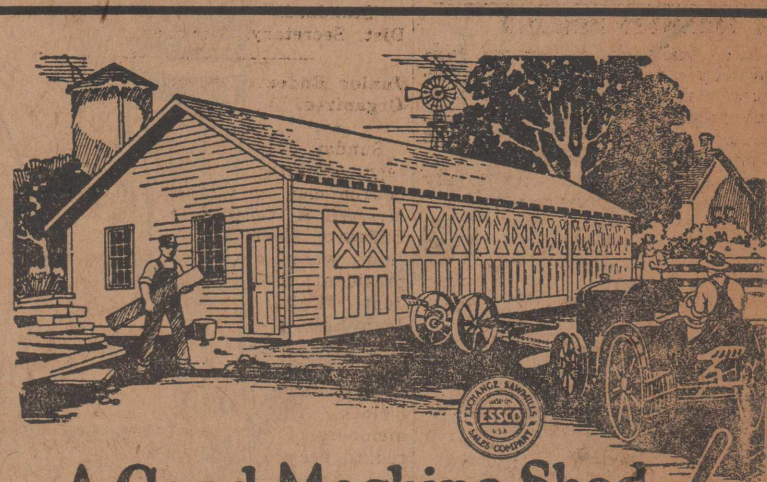
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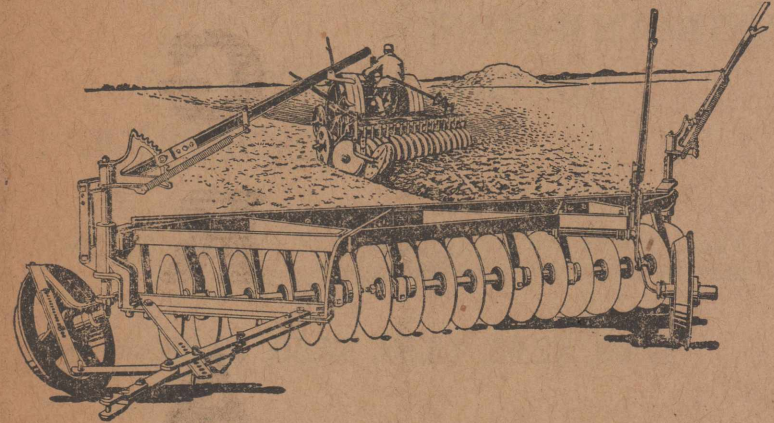
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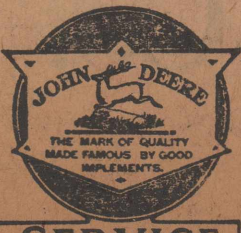
The John Deere Tiller is easy to handle. Three levers control it. Disks can be raised high for transporting or set down to work from one to five inches deep. One lever controls each wheel.

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Floydada, Texas



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Attractive silk dresses in cool Georgettes, practical and yet so dressy. Lustrous silk flate crepe, including high shades.

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\$21.00

\$8.75

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Printed effects, sizes 16 to 46...

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Short sleeves, good quality gingham. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Our regular \$1.00 values, June special

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In voiles and Rayons, fancy trimmed. Colors: flesh, Nile, orchid and maize.

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- Munsing Rayon Gowns**\$3.95**

SPECIAL

- Rayon Teds, Fancy Trim**\$1.49**
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Sizes 2 to 6 years

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Stocks in our piece goods department is most complete, with silks, crepes, rayons, voiles, plain, solid and figures.

Prices that will surprise you, throughout this department. The following are representative:

Ginghams and Prints, fast colors, 50c values

35c

Ginghams, Kalburnie, fast colors, 32 inches wide, go in this sale at

15c

Cretons, 36 inch widths, 30c values, only

20c

Curtain Scrims, go in this Clearance at

12 to 25c

16 inch Huck Toweling, per yard,	10c
18 inch Huck Toweling, per yard	12c
36 inch Percales, fast colors,	15c
36 inch Unbleached Sheeting,	10c
36 inch Bleached Sheeting,	12c
36 inch Bleached Sheeting,	14c

BLEACHED SHEETING

9-4-81 inches wide, only per yard,

30c

FEATHER TICKING

The kind that is feather proof. During this Clearance only per yard

25c

STORE CLOSED FRIDAY!

In order to complete marking down our prices and make last detailed preparations for this big sale event our store closes all day Friday, June 24th.

Doors Open at 10 a. m., Saturday.

MEN'S AND BOYS' APPAREL

1 lot Boys' Dress Shirts	79c
1 lot Men's Work Shirts,	69c
Men's 220-weight Overalls,	95c
Men's four-in-hand Silk Cut Ties,	45c
Men's Work Sox,	10c to 19c
Men's and Boys' Athletic Underwear,	45c
Men's \$4.50 Dress Hats, Clearance price	\$3.25
Men's \$5.50 Dress Hats, Clearance price	\$4.25
One lot Men's Novelty Hats, values up to \$3.50, Clearance price,	\$1.49
Men's neck band Dress Shirts,	45c to \$1.50
good assortment of patterns and sizes.	
1 lot Men's and Boys' Caps,	25c

3 Lb. Cotton Bats, Clearance Sale price	59c
Oil Cloth, per yard,	29c
Pearl Buttons, 3 dozen	5c

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Mohican High Kick Work Shoes	
\$3.95 values,	\$2.95
Young Men's Dress Low Quarter Dress Welt Shoes, blacks and tans,	\$3.45
They are money savers. See them.	
Ladies' Dress Slippers and Oxfords, including blacks, tans and blonds, values \$3.95 to \$7, now	\$2.95 to \$4.95
Boys' Welt Oxford Dress Shoes,	\$2.45 to \$2.95
Good run of Children's Shoes and Oxfords. Don't miss these bargains. All included in the Clearance, and affording large savings.	

CLEARANCE OF LUGGAGE

Good assortment of Trunks, Hand Bags and Suit Cases.

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Clearance of Men's Suits

Men's \$35 Suits, in this Clearance Sale at

\$25.00

Men's \$18.50 Suits, with two pair pants,

\$12.50

One lot Men's Suits, Small sizes, values up to \$25,

\$8.50

One lot Boys' Long Dress Pants, \$2.95 values,

\$1.95

One lot Boys' Dress Pants, \$2.95 to \$3.95 values, go at

\$2.25 to \$3.05

Men's and Young Men's Dress Pants, values \$4.25 to \$6.00, Clearance Sale prices

\$2.95 to \$4.95

Our Men's Work Clothes Department is complete. It will pay you to see it.

LADIES' READY-TO WEAR

During this Clearance Sale all Ladies' Ready-to-Wear is offered at great bargains. Material savings throughout this department can be effected—and remember the season is barely opened. Everything is included at the reduced figures, and every price marked plainly on the garment.

Be Sure to Register With Us

Your name is worth something, and it will cost you nothing to register.

We have a pleasant surprise for some customer who does not forget to visit the store during the sale and register his or her name.

You do Not have to Buy Anything to Register.

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SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

FLOYDADA, TEXAS

PLENTY OF ICE WATER

We have not overlooked the fact that these hot days bring with them the need for comfort for shoppers, and this store has plenty of ice water for all who visit us. Come in and visit with us. Bring the children. Don't leave them at home to shop at this store.

Vernon Eubank left Sunday afternoon for Whitney, where he will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Eubank. He will be gone about ten days and will visit at Dallas before returning.

Wallace Sparks who is now making his home in Plainview was in Floydada Saturday on business. He is now driver on the stage line running from Plainview to Memphis.

SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

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Starting Saturday, one week only!

Four \$.75 genuine Victor Records for \$1.00.

Some of these records you will never have the chance to buy again at any price.

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**Patty, New Superintendent
Builder Of Better Schools**

W. E. Patty, superintendent of the public school system at Ralls for the past year and recently elected as head of the Floydada schools, succeeding J. C. Wester, is known among educators as "a builder of better schools." His contract with the Ralls board expires July 1, and Mr. and Mrs. Patty and their two children will make their home here at an early date.

Praised For Work.

In a recent article written by the editor of The Texas School Journal and appearing in that magazine Superintendent Patty was highly commended for his work. The article made the following comments:

"Supt. W. E. Patty is coming to be known as a builder of better schools. Before going to the Panhandle, he had gotten in his hand in good form for real work and up where opportunities are ever large has done some real work as a master-builder. When he went to Plainview eight years ago, he found the system on the whole grade basis, with no special supervisors, and with some sixteen affiliated credits in the high school.

"During the seven years' services there, the scholastic population practically doubled, each of the ward schools were enlarged and two new buildings erected, one a junior high school building at a cost of \$120,000. The affiliated credits in the High School were increased to 26 1-2—every subject taught in the high school, and the senior high school put on the accredited list of the Southern Association. The grade schools were put on the half grade basis with supervisors in all special subjects.

"When Patty went to Ralls last summer he found some real problems awaiting him there. The Ralls Independent School District is an unusually large one, containing 185 square miles. Located within this district are three rural high schools in addition to the Central High School in the town of Ralls. The problem has been to standardize the work in all of these schools.

Solves Big Problem.

"Transportation of the advanced grades into the Central High School seemed to solve several problems in the system, hence a big school bus was started. It makes a trip of about twenty-five miles each morning, passing by these three rural high schools,

and bringing about twelve or fifteen pupils from the tenth and eleventh grades into the Central High School.

"That has made it possible to standardize the work left in these rural high schools. The Central High School is housed in a modern two-story brick building which was completed about a year ago. This building has now been completely furnished and all laboratories fully equipped with the very best of modern equipment. Home economics and vocational agriculture have been added this year and are proving to be very popular courses.

"The Ralls High School has recently been placed on the approved list of the Southern Association of the Secondary Schools and Colleges. There are 35 teachers employed at present and the scholastic enrollment for the past year was approximately one thousand pupils. Seven schools are in operation now."

The comment on Superintendent Patty was carried in the May issue of the state school magazine.

Floyd County Clubs

SAND HILL DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Sand Hill Home Demonstration Club met on their regular day, Wednesday, June 15, with thirteen members and two visitors present. Miss Bass was also present. The meeting was very interesting and profitable.

The club room which is being furnished in the new school building will be very attractive and home-like.

The club will sponsor a box supper which will be given Saturday night, June 25. Everybody is invited.

The next meeting will be July 6. Mrs. Alice Knight will be leader of the program "Casserole Dishes." Other topics to be discussed will be "The Place of Casserole Dishes in the Menu," Mrs. Shurbert; "Variety in Casserole Dishes," Mrs. Speer; a demonstration on casserole dishes will be given by Mrs. Miller.

HARMONY DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Wednesday, June 15, the Harmony club met with Miss Ruth Carr. There were ten members and five visitors present. The subject of the lesson was "Emergency Meals" with Mrs. L. A. Williams as leader. Other subjects discussed during the afternoon were: "What the Pantry Should Contain," Mrs. G. L. Snodgrass; "The Convenience and Economy of A Well Planned Pantry," Mrs. W. C. Parkey; "Suggested Emergency Meals," Mrs. Chas. Smith.

The next meeting will be held July 6, with Mrs. W. C. Parkey at which time there will be a garden exhibit in the forenoon, a demonstration at noon on Casserole dishes and the regular club program in the afternoon. As it is to be an all day meeting, each member is requested to bring one dish of food for lunch. The members are looking forward to this being a very enjoyable meeting.

LAKEVIEW DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon, June 8, at the Lakeview School building at 2:30 o'clock. On account of the harvesting season being on, many of the members were absent. We had five visitors and one new member, whom we are always glad to give a welcome in our work.

The lesson subject "Appropriate Dress" was discussed in round table talks by those present; since Mrs. Clifford Willis, the leader, for the afternoon, was absent.

The president, Mrs. Earl Edwards, gave a favorable report from Mr. Norfleet, whom the club has invited to come and give a series of lectures in the community at an early date. His acceptance of the invitation has been received and the date will be announced soon.

We are glad to make another very important announcement this week that will be of interest to the other clubs of the county and also to the school boys and girls that is that Mrs. Phebe K. Warner, of Claude, is to be in the Lakeview community soon for two days. She will give a lecture on some educational subject. Mrs. Warner is a very fluent speaker and the community is very much delighted to have her. The Floyd County Wheat Growers Association is given credit for bringing Mrs. Warner to the community. Miss Bass will make further announcement of the plans.

The club meets next Wednesday, June 29, with Mrs. J. D. Hopper. Miss Bass will meet with the club. The next meeting was to have been with Mrs. Tom Hopper but on account of her health she requested the meeting to be with her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Hopper at 2 o'clock.

PROVIDENCE CLUB

The Providence Home Demonstration club met at their club room on June 14, at 2:30 o'clock. On account of everyone being so busy with the wheat harvest and Miss Bass not being able to be with us, we changed our all day meeting which was to be held on June 14 until June 28.

There were ten members and four visitors present on June 14 and we had a very interesting talk on our kitchen improvement work, which is to be reported at our next meeting on June 28. We also chose an assistant secretary to take charge of the secretary's work when our secretary is absent. Mrs. G. E. McCulloch was chosen for the work.

Our next meeting's program will be "Vegetable Cookery" and "Emergency Meals". Both will be very interesting lessons and let us all come to meet Miss Bass and do the best we can as she will be with us on that date.

Mrs. J. U. Borum and children, accompanied by Miss Audrey Mae Borum, returned last Monday from Canyon. The Borum children and Miss Audrey Mae have been attending school for the past several weeks.

**Harvest Order of Day
In Baker Community**

Baker, June 21.—We are rejoicing over the wonderful rain we had June 12, which everyone ought to be so thankful for.

Harvesting is the main order of the day and planting row crops.

Mrs. R. R. Overman has been sick for two weeks but is slowly improving.

Bro. Tallie Corder of Tulla, preached at Baker, Sunday, June 19, to a small but appreciative crowd. He will hold a meeting here in August, beginning the first Sunday. Everybody is invited to attend the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williamson and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. May and family, Miss Evalde Jones, of Tulla, Elder Carder and daughter; Joseph Hall of Lockney, and Miss Annie Graves were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carathers and family, Sunday.

Mrs. R. P. Graves and Miss Maggie and Lillian spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. R. Glenn.

J. L. Carathers and family spent Thursday with Mrs. T. J. Foster and children.

Mrs. R. P. Graves and daughter, Miss Maggie, visited Mrs. R. R. Overman Monday afternoon.

Bro. E. B. Mullins will preach at Baker next Sunday. Everyone is invited to come out to hear him.

Jim Houston returned last Friday from a short vacation trip to San Antonio. Mrs. Houston remained in San Antonio to visit with relatives. Mr. Houston was accompanied upon his return trip by Misses Ruth and Nadine Houston, of Belton, who are spending the week here visiting with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eubank spent the week-end with friends in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burke and son, Maurice, left Tuesday afternoon for Dallas to spend several days on business. They will probably return Sunday.

Trade in rubber at high prices has brought great wealth to the natives of the Malay Islands. Necklaces of American gold eagles are worn by the Malay women and girls.



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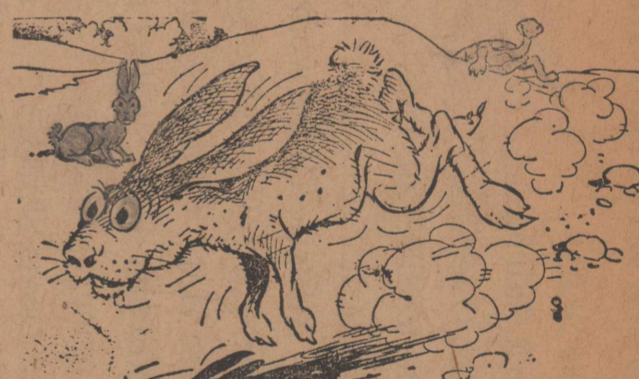


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BEGINNING FRIDAY, JUNE 24

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All the high colors and white.

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MRS. A. J. WELCH, Prop.



PIONEER SETTLER GIVES BRIEF REVIEW OF FLOYD COUNTY LIFE IN EARLY DAYS

From a frontier land of rolling prairies, hardships and privations, Elder and Mrs. J. J. Day of this city have lived to see Floyd County organized and developed into a country of beautiful homes and a residing place for hundreds of progressive and happy people.

In a talk recently before members of the 4H clubs of Floyd and Hale counties in their encampment at the City Park Tabernacle, Elder Day gave a brief insight of the life of the pioneer settlers of this region, including details of the first business, enterprise in Floydada. In part Elder Day said, "I have seen Floyd County grow from nothing to what it is today. We came here in 1837, some 40 years ago, and settled in Blanco Canyon six miles south of town. Our nearest neighbor lived about five miles distant and our only means of communication was the saddle horse."

"When I got here, I did not have a dollar in the world. We had four horses and two wagons, a few household goods and our personal belongings. But we had plenty of prairie to farm and that is what we started out to do."

"The State of Texas bet me a quarter section of land against five dollars that I could not stick it out, but I did and I'm still sticking."

"Well, after I got my 'location' staked out, I began work on a dugout, which we made our home for fourteen years. It was 14x28 feet. A house of wood was out of the question on the plains in the early days."

"In the Spring of 1888, the first post-office in the county was established at our home in the dugout. Mail was carried here from Amarillo. Everything was addressed to the 'Starke Postoffice.'"

"The postoffice at Floydada was established in the Fall of 1888."

"Floyd County was organized in 1890. We got up a petition of thirty legal voters and presented it in due form. We had a time getting those thirty signatures, however. If we met a fellow we got him to sign on the dotted line and we did not stop long enough to ask if he lived in this section or in Canada. All we wanted was his name, which was not a surplus article in those days."

"We went in wagons to Childress and freighted the lumber over to build the first court house. It took a great deal of hard work but we were after a court house and we finally got it."

"This was a frontier country but we were never bothered with the Indians. One time we had a scare when the report got out that old Quannah Parker was going to make a general raid over this section. We had no guns and no ammunition and if the red skins had come they could have killed every one of us without the least bit of trouble on our part."

"On my first trip to Floydada, I saw a fellow selling whiskey from a covered wagon standing out in front of the 'business' district. The first house built in Floydada was a saloon and it stood where the First National Bank building is today."

"Yes, I have seen Floyd County grow for 37 years. I wonder what it will be 37 years from now. Some of you will live to see what the future has in store but none of us can even imagine what it will bring. We as pioneers have blazed the way; it is yours to enjoy and develop."

Elder and Mrs. J. J. Day spent Sunday in Ralls as the guests of their son, W. M. Day, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Day were accompanied by their son, Chester; their daughter, Mrs. O. E. Murray and children, all of this city, and Mrs. Mary F. Eyles and granddaughter, Frances, of Knowles, Okla. Leslie Slaughter, of Crosbyton, was a visitor in Floydada Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fry.

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Floyd if there be a newspaper published there, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, C. W. DENNEY whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. County Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Floyd, at the Court House thereof, in Floydada on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 554, wherein Artie Baker, Robin Baker, and Alice Baker Smith (joined pro forma by her husband C. W. Smith), a partnership doing business under the firm name of Baker Mercantile Company, are plaintiffs and C. W. Denney is defendant.

The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:
Suit on a promissory note dated October 28, 1926, signed by defendant, payable to the order of Baker Mercantile Company on July 15, 1927, at Lockney, in Floyd County, Texas, in the sum of \$300.00 with interest from date at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and providing for interest on past due interest, and for 10 per cent attorney's fees, secured by a Chattel Mortgage made by defendant in favor of plaintiffs on 75 acres of wheat on the W. W. Sanford Farm in Floyd County, Texas, to be grown by defendant in the year 1927, that said Mortgage provided that either before or after the maturity of said note, if plaintiffs should deem themselves unsafe or insecure, that they might take possession of said property and sell the same as the law directs, in payment of said debt; that defendant has left Floyd County, Texas, and his place of residence is unknown to plaintiffs, and that he secretes himself so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, and his place of residence is to plaintiffs unknown, and plaintiffs fear that defendant will cause said wheat to be disposed of, and the same is now ready for harvest, and defendant cannot be found, and that the probable value of same is \$350.00; that by reason of the premises, plaintiffs feel themselves unsafe and insecure, and, fearing that said wheat would be wasted, have declared said debt and note due; that said lien against said property is a valid, subsisting and unsatisfied lien in favor of plaintiffs to secure the payment of said note, according to its terms. Plaintiffs pray for citation, for judgment for their said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and cost of suit, with foreclosure of their lien against said property, and that same be sold as the law directs, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction of said debt.

And plaintiffs pray for general and special relief, etc.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Floydada, Texas, this 20th day of June, A. D., 1927.

(Seal)

TOM W. DEEN,
Clerk County Court, Floyd County, Texas.

By ARTHUR B. DUNCAN, JR.,
174te. Deputy.

BELTON COLLEGE GIRLS FORMED PANHANDLE CLUB AT SCHOOL

Twenty-three of the girls on the Baylor College campus at Belton during the school year which has just closed did everything within their power to let the rest of the students on the campus know that the Panhandle is one of the most important, if not the most important, sections of the Texas map. The young women organized themselves into the Panhandle Club, and under the leadership of Winifred Halley, who was president of the club, proceeded to make the Panhandle known.

Officers of the Panhandle Club were: President, Winifred Halley, Seminole; vice president, Jennette Reese, Amarillo; secretary-treasurer, Long, Dean Claude; yell leader, Wanda Vincent, reporter, and Marie Carter, Lockney; reporter, Kathryn Pittman, Amarillo.

Members were: Louise Hinson, Spur; Mary Valentine, Hereford; Ellen Ransom, Claude; Ellen Bailey Dixon, Amarillo; Harriet Vanderpool, Plainview; Inez Casey, White Flat; Ima Gene Merrick, Lamesa; Louise Morgan, Lubbock; Juanita Holland, Lubbock; Grace E. Allen, Petersburg; Jessie Wood, Wheeler; Eula Whitaker, White Flat; Reba Wofford, Wheeler; Viola Page, Quanah; Velma Page, Quanah; Velma Dawson, Wilson; O'Beria Forrester, Wilson; Frankie Dean Camp, Lamesa.

Locals and Personals

Mrs. C. E. Delk, of Amarillo, spent last Saturday and Sunday here visiting with her father, Dr. V. Andrews and wife. She was accompanied by Mr. Delk and his mother, Mrs. W. R. Delk, of Texline.

Mrs. W. M. Colville, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Guy J. Shaffer and family, and her son, W. R. Colville and family, for several weeks at Wichita Falls returned home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Vermilion and son, in company with Miss Floy Spence, spent last Saturday in Lubbock and Slaton visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goins, of Dimmit, spent last Sunday here visiting Mrs. Goins' father, Dr. V. Andrews and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bell spent Monday in Plainview on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Willis, who are making their home in Amarillo, spent last week-end here with relatives and friends.

NEW DEPOSITORY LAW EXPLAINED BY STATE TREASURER HATCHER

The following explanation of, and comment upon, Senate Bill No. 118, introduced by Senator T. J. Holbrook at the request of State Treasurer, W. Gregory Hatcher, and passed at the first called session of the 40th Legislature, which has been signed by the Governor and goes into effect 90 days after adjournment of the Legislature, is made by Mr. Hatcher.

"Art. 2538, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, which authorized the State Treasurer, with the approval of the Depository Board, to invest surplus funds in United States Government bonds, was repealed. The State Treasurer explained that under this law, to meet the current demands upon the treasury, he would be required to sell any bonds purchased by him without respect to whether the bond market was up or down and that it was purely a gamble for the State through the treasurer to buy and sell bonds and might result in great loss to the State. He also explained that funds which could be temporarily invested in Government bonds, after paying the brokerage, would only earn about 3 per cent interest and that the bond monies would be sent to the tax holders in Boston and New York instead of being deposited in Texas banks for the purpose of assisting in financing Texas enterprises.

Articles 2540, 2541, 2542 and 2543, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, which created and provided for the operation of, what was known as the State Making Board, by which the rate of interest to be paid by banks upon State funds, were all repealed, and this board abolished, and the rate of interest for both 'State depository' banks and 'Revised depository' banks was fixed by amendments made to other statutes.

Art. 2526, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, which provided for the making of Applications by banks to become depositories for two years' time was changed to fix the term for which a depository bank made application to become a depository to one year's time and provides that deposits made with the depository banks shall be for that length of time. It was explained that this change was made because of the fact that country banks making application for State funds could not foresee crop conditions, and other emergencies, that might arise as far as two years ahead and should not be bound by a contract to take funds for two years if conditions arose whereby such funds would not be needed by the bank. It also afforded the treasurer an opportunity to shift these funds from banks where they were not needed to banks in other sections of the State that were in need of funds.

Art. 2528, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, was amended to provide that 'State depositories pay interest to the State at the rate of 4 per cent per annum.' Under the old law the Rate Making Board fixed the interest to be paid by the State depositories. It was explained that monies deposited in State depositories (which are the smaller banks scattered throughout the State) were deposited to assist farming and were not subject to demand, but were deposited on what amount to a time deposit contract, and that the banks were justified in paying a higher rate of interest than that paid by banks having deposits subject to demand.

Art. 2529, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, provided that vendor's lien notes might be pledged with the State treasurer by banks for the securing of State funds. This class of security is prohibited under the new law.

Art. 2532, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, was amended by adding the following: 'The term 'current' demands on the Treasury's as herein used, shall be construed to mean funds which may be withdrawn in payment of the State's obligations at any time. It is not the purpose of this law to require the treasurer to deposit funds in a State depository which in his judgment would have to be withdrawn before October 1st, next following such deposit.' Hatcher said that this addition was made to the statutes to authorize the policy which he had always pursued of not withdrawing funds deposited in the country banks until the farmers had been given sufficient time to market their crops and repay loans made to them by the banks.

Art. 2533, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, which provide that Reserve depository banks pay interest to the State the same as they pay to their corre-

spondent banks was changed and the rate of interest fixed at 2-1-2 per cent. It was explained that this change was made for the reason that the State treasurer was collecting three different rates of interest from many banks in a single city, where there was no clearing house agreement because each bank paid to its correspondents a different rate of interest. Also that the cities that had clearing house agreements differed from each other in the rate paid and, therefore, the treasurer was collecting interest at the rate of 2 per cent, 2-1-4 per cent and 2-3-4 per cent, without any reason for doing so except the law itself which in this respect was considered unfair and unreasonable. It was explained that the 2-1-4 per cent rate for demand deposits was the one in force by the clearing houses in some of the larger cities and that this rate of interest was just and that the State by fixing this rate for all banks at 2-1-4 per cent would receive more interest than under the old statute. He also explained that provision had been made whereby banks which had State funds deposited with them and were holding general revenue warrants at the request of the treasurer for the purpose of keeping the State off deficiency, would not be required to pay interest on funds so deposited in like amount and for a like period of time which they hold such warrants. Hatcher explained that from November 1925 to January 1926, at a time when the State was actually on deficiency, he had borrowed the sum of \$2,600,000.00 from Reserve depository banks in the cities of Dallas, Austin, Ft. Worth and San Antonio and prevented a technical deficiency and that under the law he could not pay interest on this money, nor could he waive the collection of interest on deposits that he had with these banks at that time. He said he felt that if an emergency arose, and the banks extended a similar accommodation to the State, that they should, at least be allowed to offset deposits against loans made, and for this reason he had requested the change in the statute. Numerous other provisions in the Depository law have not been repealed or amended, the Treasurer explained, and all such are still in force."

SECRETARY JARDINE INVITES TEXAS BUSINESS MEN TO VISIT

Secretary Jardine has invited a group of about 150 leading Texas business men to visit the Department of Agriculture at Washington July 1 during their tour of northern and eastern States. The delegation will be shown the various activities of the department, especially with regard to cotton production and marketing.

An exhibit of the work of the cotton division in the Bureau of Agricultural Economics is being prepared to demonstrate the Universal cotton standards, various types of cotton bagging and bale patches, cotton spinning investigations, crop estimating, the progress of harvesting methods in western Oklahoma and Texas and clothing and household uses of cotton exhibited by the Bureau of Home Economics.

RECENT BUICK SALES

Recent Buick sales made by the Callaway Motor Company, include four sedans.

Sedan models were purchased by W. A. Baker, E. C. King, W. R. Dooley, and I. D. Gamble.

T. L. Callaway, manager of the Callaway Motor Company, is in Oklahoma City, this mid-week in connection with the business of the firm.

Deputy County Collector E. Ray Smith is learning all about the pleasures of bachelor's life while his family is visiting at points in New Mexico. The family have been away from home some two weeks and will be gone several days longer probably. They are the guests of relatives near Clovis.

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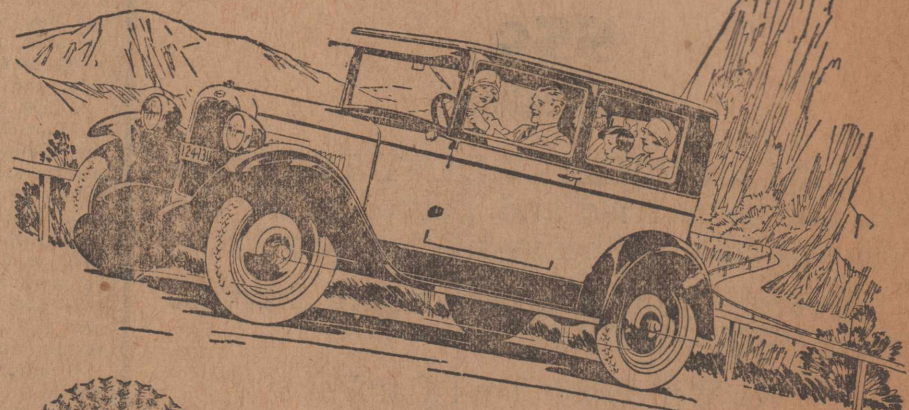
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ATTENDING CLERKS MEETING

County Clerk Tom W. Deen and District Clerk T. P. Guimarin left last Sunday for Corpus Christi to attend the state meeting of the District and County Clerks' Association Convention in that city on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, June 22, 23 and 24. They plan to return home about Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Ben Hardy and little grandson, Wofford Hardy, Jr., spent Tuesday at Kress, visiting their daughter, Mrs. Buster Eubanks, who is now making her home there. Mr. Eubanks is employed at the Bishop Drug store. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rhodes, and children, of Abilene, who have been here for several weeks the guests of Mrs. Rhodes' parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Alexander, went to Amarillo, Sunday to spend a few days. The children remained here with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Alexander and children, of Brownfield, visited last week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Alexander, while enroute to Tule and Henderson, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Appling has as her guest a cousin, Miss Lulu Harbin, of Corpus Christi.

Lewis And Slagle Get Contract For Drilling

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ject under way. I. D. Gamble stated that the company was making plans to drill to a depth of 3,250 feet. A twenty inch hole will be drilled, it was said.

This pioneer step in oil development activities in this section is being made on a 239 acre tract in the East Block of the Exploration Oil Company's lease. The exact location is five miles north and eleven miles east of Floydada on the south side of the Whiteflat road. The survey was made by representatives from the office of County Surveyor Geo. A. Lider. The location was made Thursday of last week.

An internal combustion engine to be used in the drilling activities is expected to arrive this mid-week and everything is to be rushed for an early "spudding in" of the well.

It has been stated that the company making the test in Floyd County is planning to sink ten wells in five adjoining counties and that possibly three of these wells will be located in territory adjacent to Floydada.

Contract for drilling of a well near Sand Hill on the lease block in that community secured by Gamble Land Company has been let and work is to start on the second well as soon as the operations get under way at the test east of the Fairview school in the East Block.

Wells are also being drilled in Motley County. One is to be located on the Tillson land between Matador and Whiteflat and a second on Burlison's property between Whiteflat and Flomott. Floyd, Hale, Motley, Lamb and Cottle are the counties included in the original survey for operations of the company in West Texas this summer.

Arrangements are underway for a test in the south or southwestern portion of the county. The Hoffer Oil Company has until September to start drilling but at present is still working toward the completion of their acreage block.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Battey, a daughter, Belle Collins spent the week-end at Eldorado, Oklahoma, visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Wyman of Dallas arrived Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wyman. Mr. Wyman is employed in the office of the Magnolia Oil Company of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clonts and children returned Sunday from Grand Prairie, where they have been visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ramsey and children of Amarillo are making their home in Harmony community during the harvest season. Mr. Ramsey is here looking after his wheat interests in Floyd County.

Mrs. Roy Haynes is visiting relatives in Austin. She left last week for the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W. R. Pennington, who was seriously ill but has improved during the past week, reports state.

Grover Fairley of Amarillo spent Sunday with friends here. Fairley is proprietor of a new hotel in Amarillo. He was a former resident of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom B. Triplett and daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth, of Amarillo visited friends here the first of the week. They returned home Wednesday afternoon.

Extension Head Makes Tour of This Section

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to relieve the drudgery of the farm woman's day is most certainly coming." Mr. Alvord told the members of Campbell Club at their meeting Tuesday afternoon. "Consider that less than fifty years ago human labor bore the burden of harvesting wheat. That its handling from the time it was cradled on the farm was a series of motions in which human labor was consumed in picking it up and laying it back on the ground again. From the cradle to the mill no less than ten operations were performed, each of them consisting in picking up the product, doing the work required and laying the cereal back on the ground. Today the combine drives in to the field, cuts and threshes the grain, dumps the straw back on the soil, dumps the wheat into a truck by which it is whisked off to the elevator and eventually reaches the mill without ever having been touched by human hand. Inventive genius has brought this blessing to mankind and it will bring it, possibly more slowly, but just as surely to the farm home as to the field."

Mr. Alvord predicted that the day is shortly at hand when cotton will be harvested mechanically, also. He said that the problems of the farm home were such that their solution would come largely from the farm wives themselves. "The Kitchen Improvement program the women of this county have under way, typifies the sort of things the farm women can do and are going to do for themselves," the distinguished visitor said.

The Extension service head also stressed the value of working together in a community. "Consider what a group of men or women can do working together. Good schools, good roads, churches, all are the result of co-operation among a people of a community and communities with each other. To have relief from the drudgery of the home, we must have prosperity, and if you have prosperity it will come through close co-operation between people in town and in country."

Short Course In July.

Mr. Alvord in the interview given The Hesperian said that authorities at A. & M. College are well pleased with the situation so far as the Extension Service, the College and the Experiment Stations are concerned. All were cared for by the legislature, he said, and all work of the institutions can be carried on without interruption. Two new dormitories will be built soon as A. & M. to care for the large increase of students there.

The annual Farmers' Short Course will be held the last week in July, the dates being the 25 to 29 inclusive. "We are expecting the largest number of people we have ever had at a short course," Mr. Alvord said. Railroad rates this year will be two-thirds of a one-way fare for the round trip, amounting in the case of Floyd County people to less than \$15. Mr. Alvord gave much praise to the work of the county and home demonstration agents over the country, being generous in his praise of the excellence of the club work being done in this county under the direction of Miss Bass.

Some of the results of an intensive study of the conditions in farm homes of Texas was given the women of the Campbell Club in a talk by Miss Myrtle Murray. This study, compiled by the American Federation of Women's Clubs, was made last year by the clubs in co-operation with the extension service in 91 Texas counties. "Seventy-five per cent of the farm women of this state are still carrying water from a well or spring," Miss Murray declared the survey showed, and another seventeen per cent are carrying water from outside the house where it is piped. Only five per cent have water in their houses over a sink. Seventy-five per cent of the farm homes still have the old fashioned wick lamp; seventy-one per cent of the farm homes have automobiles, forty-three per cent have telephones. As regards sanitation, four out of each hundred farm homes have the flush toilets, and there are bathtubs in ten per cent of the homes. Eighty-seven per cent have screens on their doors and windows.

Betterment Campaign Planned.

Some of the things which the farm homes of Texas need, as disclosed by this study made by the Extension Service and Federation of Women's Clubs will form the basis for a follow-up campaign during the next year or more, which will be devoted to the needs as found, Miss Murray said. She was enthusiastic about plans for the Women's division at the Short Course this year, and was particularly happy, she said to see such large delegations arranging to be there from Floyd and Hale Counties this year.

It just happened that the program at the Campbell Club for the afternoon was the "Emergency Meal," and at its close a demonstration was given of the preparation of an emergency meal by Miss Bass. "It was a lot more than milk and crackers, I can tell you," Mr. Alvord said. "In fact, it was a regular banquet for me." Twenty-nine members and guests were present, Judge and Mrs. Wm. McGehee being among the prominent guests served.

Wednesday morning an extensive tour planned by Miss Bass and the visitors was rained out, only one home, that of Mrs. G. C. Collins being visited before the roads became too heavy. After noon Mr. Alvord and Miss Murray left for Spur, Mr. Alvord's last scheduled stop before his return to College Station.

BISHOP ATTENDS CONVENTION

Ed Bishop, left last Tuesday morning for Sherman, Texas, where he is attending a three-day meeting of the Texas Commercial Executives' Association. The state-wide meeting is being held this Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Mr. Bishop is secretary of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce and is representing this body at the meet.

New seats for the auditorium of the Church of Christ, near the City Park, were placed in the building last week. Hugh Earthman, of Amarillo, spent a short time in Floydada visiting relatives last Tuesday afternoon.

COMPLETE SCHOOL PLANS

Harmony community residents met Wednesday night to complete details on the plans for their new brick school building. W. T. Strange of Plainview, representative of Peters & Haynes of Lubbock, has drawn up the architectural specifications and presented them. The bonds totalling \$10,000 were voted in an election held May 21.

Dr. R. L. Hamilton Dies After Two-Year Illness

Prominent Motley County Physician Buried With Beautiful Rites at Matador Sunday Afternoon.

Dr. R. L. Hamilton, 49, for twenty-four years a resident of Matador succumbed Wednesday last week after an illness of two years and funeral services were held Sunday at the Methodist church at Matador. Dr. Hamilton died at the U.S. Veterans' Hospital at Ft. Bayard, Silver City, N. M.

Dr. Hamilton was prominent in medical circles in this section and was well known over the state.

The body was shipped to Garner Brothers Funeral Parlors at Plainview, where it arrived Saturday. The remains were taken overland Sunday through this city to Matador for burial.

During the World War Dr. Hamilton was a lieutenant in the U. S. Army and while overseas suffered from exposure which developed into tuberculosis. He had been in the veterans' hospital for the past two years.

A year ago he married Miss Ava Mauck, a nurse, who formerly practiced in Plainview.

It was the largest funeral ever held in Matador, the line of vehicles carrying friends and loved ones being over a mile in length.

The new Methodist church of that place was filled to capacity with a group of his many friends whose esteem was further attested by a beautiful floral offering. Ed R. Wallace, pastor of the Matador church, conducted the funeral service.

Bob Jameson, an old-time friend of Dr. Hamilton, had been requested to conduct the funeral. Mr. Jameson assisted, as his friend had wished. A special violin solo was also given by Mr. Watson as had been requested by the deceased before his death.

Deceased was unusually active in fraternal orders. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World, American Legion, Odd Fellows, Elks, and was a Thirty-second degree Mason. E. W. Holmes of this city was in charge of the Masonic rites performed.

The Masonic order, of which he was a member held special services and pall bearers were chosen from the ranks of the Knights Templar. Members of the I. O. O. F. and other fraternal organizations to which he belonged also attended the funeral. Flower bearers were members of the Eastern Star.

The casket was draped in the American flag and as it was lowered into the grave the traditional "taps" was sounded by members of the American Legion assisting at the funeral.

Just a short time before his death, Dr. Hamilton had said that he was glad of the opportunity he had had of serving his country. "Wherever you find a disabled veteran, take care of him," was his dying request to his friends and the world in general.

Surviving Dr. Hamilton are: His wife; three sisters, Mrs. Tony Freeman Roaring Springs; Mrs. Fred Bourland, Matador; Mrs. McWilliams, Whiteflat; a brother, Judge G. W. Hamilton of Matador.

Among those attending from this city were: Dr. and Mrs. Lon V. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams, E. W. Holmes, Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Houghton, Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, and Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker.

Would Develop Dairy Industry of 3 Counties

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which are at this time evident in these three counties can be traced to the great dairy blood lines which S. A. Guy introduced into this section at his model dairy at Crosbyton. The establishment of bull circles is not an experiment even in this section, the daughters of the Guy bulls now beginning to show the value of good blood lines introduced through some of the best sires that have ever been known. In portions of Swisher County and Hale County, the Guy bulls were first introduced and later bulls from the famous Ed C. Lasater herds at Falfurrias, without exception the daughters of these bulls have reflected in greater profits per head the value of good breeding."

Mr. Grout obtained his first training in dairy husbandry at the Universities of Wisconsin and Minnesota. For some years he has been at the head of the Dairy Department at A. & M. College of Texas, and has incessantly preached dairying as a profitable outlet for the products of Texas farms. In recent years he has acquired a farm in this territory and has been particularly impressed with the possibilities of dairying as a featured industry in the counties of Hale, Floyd and Swisher Counties. "I have never seen a better lot of bulls than I have found in Swisher, Hale and Floyd Counties," he told a representative of The Hesperian in Floydada Tuesday morning. "I have been spending some time on the farms in Hale and Swisher Counties and the excellence of the dairy herds is surprisingly high," he said.

Possibilities Are Great

That the possibilities of dairying as an outlet for the big feed production of these counties, is unlimited, is his belief, which is corroborative of the belief of the banking fraternity, speaking in general terms. Bankers of these counties in particular have been giving grave study to the need for making it possible for farms of their respective counties to produce greater revenue. Figures given by Mr. Grout in this connection are interesting.

According to experiments in which he has collaborated, it is shown, Mr. Grout pointed out, that the ordinary cow, under ordinary conditions will produce 109 pounds of butterfat, which will return above the cost of pecking the cow \$12.48 annually. As against this record, the gain in butterfat production by consistent breeding can be brought up to as much as 450 pounds of butterfat per year, a production not at all out of the ordinary. The net returns from the 450-pound producer will be ten times as great as from the ordinary dairy cow.

As a side feature which is not out of the possibilities at all, Mr. Grout said that there is no reason why the producers of high-type dairy cattle in these three counties could not within a few years, have all of Texas coming here to buy their dairy cattle.

E. C. Nelson, president of the First National Bank of this city, was among the local business men who expressed the belief that the effort is altogether worth while. O. L. Stansell, another local business man, said "Floyd County needs the services of such a man as Geo. P. Grout worse than anybody else in the world."

It is the belief of those interested that while the dairy industry is gradually proving itself in these counties, the net returns from it can be multiplied many times, and this result can be accomplished quickly and most effectively by aggressively undertaking to make it come to pass.

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ROYAL ARCH MASONS ELECTED AND APPOINTED RECENTLY

Election and appointment of Royal Arch Masons for the ensuing year was held at the Masonic Hall on Tuesday, June 14. Installation of the new officers will be made at the next regular meeting in July, officers of the lodge state.

The following officers were elected and appointed Tuesday by the Floyd City Chapter, No. 227: Leslie Surginer, High Priest; Sam Thurston, King; R. L. Henry, Scribe; E. C. Nelson, Treasurer; R. C. Scott, Secretary; J. D. Starks, Captain of the Host; L. B. Maxey, Principal Sojourner; G. C. Tubbs, Royal Arch Captain; M. L. Probasco, Master of Third Veil; E. W. Holmes, Master of Second Veil; C. M. Thacker, Master of First Veil; and G. W. de Cordova, Guard.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gamble and children spent the week-end visiting friends at Abilene. Little Miss Carrie Belle Carter returned home with them for a visit. She is also visiting her brother, C. Y. Carter and family.

Mrs. E. B. Massie and daughters, Hazel and Jessie Belle, left Thursday last week for Boulder, Colorado, where Mrs. Massie is studying art. Hazel has entered the University and little Jessie Belle is also going to school. They made the trip in their car and drove it two days, spending the night, the first day out, at Raton, New Mexico. Mr. Massie says he hopes to have a highly educated family when they return home.

Ira L. Sanders and Mrs. Sanders returned home Thursday from Claude where he has been holding a meeting for ten days.

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- 3 Lb. box Brown's Crackers 35c
- Bulk Cocoa, per lb. 15c
- Fancy Santos Peaberry Coffee, per lb. 30c
- Delgado's or Armour's Chili, per can 10c
- Fancy Red Sockeye Salmon, per can 25c
- Genuine Pink Salmon, per can 15c
- Heinz cooked Spaghetti, per can 15c
- P. & G. or Crystal White Soap, 6 bars 25c
- 5 Lb. can Armour's Veribest Peanut Butter 95c for
- Post Toasties, per pkg. 11c
- Fowler's Table Peaches, 2 1-2 size, per can 20c
- Veal Loaf, per can 20c
- Cooked Brains, per can 25c
- 15 Oz. can Sun-Kist Mustard Sardines 15c
- Baby Lima Beans, per lb. 08c
- Imperial Cream Corn, 2 cans for 25c
- Swift's Jewel compound 1.10
- Crisco, 6 lb. size for 1.00
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